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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of March 1899

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	295
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	} 67	–
Newtownbarry do		–
Oulart do		–
TOTAL	1024	= 295

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working: Males	Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age: Boys	Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	19	52	63	86	10	11	22	12	24	299
Admitted during the Week	26	6	4	.	.	1	2	2	2	43
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	45	58	67	86	10	12	24	14	26	342
Discharged during the Week	26	11	3	.	.	2	1	1	3	47
Died	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead	26	11	3	.	.	2	1	1	3	47
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	19	47	64	86	10	10	23	13	23	295

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	141	In separate Wards	44
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	–	In Wards with other Inmates	–
TOTAL,	141	TOTAL,	44

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	24	4	7	35
No. in Workhouse at date	5	1	3	9

No. at corresponding period last year, 314

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 189 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): Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1): Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Persons
No. I	249	457	.	.	249	457
No. II.	84	169	.	.	84	169
No. III.	82	144	.	.	82	144
			.	.		
TOTAL	415	770	.	.	415	770

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, *the* 23 *day of* March 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr James Johnson D.L.
[illegible] Haughton [illegible]
Subsequently – Owen Doyle Chairman

Other Guardians:— Messrs Thomas Hayes
Peter Canavan
John Kelly

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 590 to No. 632 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. 1983 to No. 1986 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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all the Collectors have now closed their Collections so far as the Rates are owned

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week Ending 18. March 1899

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: - - - - £ 223. 10. 5

And that the Balance on the Account ..... the Guardians was £ 1906. 2. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

Week Ended 18th March 1899 3

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total	. . .	1040 . 9	80 17 6
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total	. . .	553 8 3	47 5 9
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total	. . .	796 3 10	113 8 3
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total	. . .	385 10 10	71 5 11
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total	. . .	464 . 4	10 9 1
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total	. . .	377 . 1	60 12 4
~~John Bolger~~ P. Redmond	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total	. . .	538 19 9	2 2 8
	Total Union, £	. . .	4199 3 10	410 1 6

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 19 : 11 : 6 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	38	2	4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49	19	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary 3		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital 3			

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,	489	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	18	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	40	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1622	quarts	Butter,	10	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	42	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	8	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	30	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	40	cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	42	ozs.
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Barm,	3 Yeast	gallons	Lamp Oil,	7	gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 *day of* March 189 9 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money	45	12	0
In Kind		5	0
Total	£45	17	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 £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I:	M. J. Whelan ...	25						
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...	10						
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...	10						
		TOTAL	50			TOTAL,			

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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.
334a	Rev John Dunne	Salary	15	.	.
338	" H. C. Lyster	"	4	10	.
339	Dr Foley	"	34	5	.
340	John Doan	"	15	.	.
341	Sr M. A. Murphy	"	11	5	.
342	James Hoblil	"	10	.	.
343	Sr Agnes Pearson	"	8	15	.
344	Mrs Annie Sinnott (Howlett)	"	4	10	.
345	Sr M Donat	"	8	15	.
346	" M Hogan.	"	8	15	.
347	" M. J. Dillon	"	4	10	.
348	" P Cullen	"	4	15	.
349	" M. C. Kelly	"	8	6	3
350	" M. B. Cushing	"	8	15	.
351	M. J. O'Keefe	"	10	18	9
352	Jerome Murphy	"	9	4	6
353	Martin Murphy	"	9	4	6
354	Owen Connolly	"	32	10	.
355	Edward Murphy	"	18	.	.
356	George Long	"	4	10	.
357	Michael Forde	"	3	15	.
358	D. Daly	"	28	15	.
359	Mrs Sullivan	"	5	.	.
360	D. Kelly	"	49	4	6
361	Mrs Donohoe	"	4	10	.
362	D. Greene	"	14	15	.
363	Owen Connolly	Rent of Dispensary	11	.	.
364	Mrs Barnwell	Salary	5	.	.
365	D. D. P. Murphy	"	23	15	.
366	Owen Connolly	Rent of Dispensary	10	.	.
367	Mrs Kelloe	Salary	5	.	.
368	D. Lawler	"	36	5	.
369	Mrs Doyle	"	4	10	.
370	D. O. J. Murphy	"	35	.	.

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

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No. of Cheque			£	s.	d.
341	Mr. Morgt Walsh	Salary	5	.	.
342	Cathe Ward	"	2	10	.
343	Mr. Lee	"	0	5	.
344	John Scallan	"	3	15	.
345	Sr M Monica Lehane	"	8	15	.
346	Cathe Kinsella	"	2	10	.
347	Cathe Cleary	"	2	10	.
348	George Wadkins	Superannuation	6	5	.
349	Daniel Keeler	"	3	.	.
380	J. J. O'Dempsey	Salary	4	10	.
381	W. J. Doyle	"	14	10	.
382	Rev Wm Lector	Rent of Disp.	4	10	.
383	Mr. Morgt Kenny	"	4	10	.
384	Edwd M Jordan	"	2	12	6
385	James O'Connor	"	2	12	6
386	Edward O'Connor	"	2	15	.
387	P. A. Cowan	"	6	.	.
388	Matthew Connors	"	3	10	.
389	Rev Mory Doyle	"	3	.	.
390	Denis Cotter	Gas Dispensory	1	14	9
391	W. P. Carey for Mrs Doyle	Repairs to Ho	3	15	.
392	J. N. Greene	Goods & Cotter Dy	3	5	7
393	Mr. Hearn	"	2	6	.
394	Daniel Mc Dowell	Collection Pdge	18	5	2
395	John Bolger	Final Mor on House	5	.	.
396	M. J. Whelan	Water Rent of Dispy	1	2	6
397	P. Dowse	assisting D. Furlong	2	2	.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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398	Francis J Godfrey	Stationery & contly Dy	1	14	3
399	Mary Lenfaigue	½ yrs pension & Ormonde	5	.	.
400	James Murphy	Repairs to House	1	13	6
401	James Johnson for	Hoskeloe Trough for Pump	1	10	.
402	D. O Murphy	Shelves &c Killann Dy	1	.	.
403	Patrick Hughes	work done N. Y. Barry Pump	2	16	.
404	Edward Donnelly	Balce " 4 "	2	10	.
405	James Doyle Snd	" Brls reed outs	6	1	.
406	Henry Williams	Cost no site 50	6	15	.
407	John Scallan	3 mos caretaker & Yd Dy	1	5	.
408	Martin Murphy	Posting Sanitary Notices	2	2	9
409	M. J. Whelan	0 0 0	25	.	.
410	Jerome Murphy	"	10	.	.
411	Martin Murphy	"	10	.	.
412	Owen Connolly	Jelly each	19	11	6
413	John Walsh	Collection Poundage	10	8	9
414	Gaol &c	Farm Seeds	3	6	6
415	Patrick Byrne	Invoice Tobacco &c	2	4	8
416	Burke Bros	" Meat	35	16	.
417	Patrick Byrne	" Yeast &c	2	4	10
418	Philip Cosgrave	" Sweet milk	19	5	.
419	John Martin	" "	4	5	9
420	Mary Ryan	" "	13	14	3
421	Myles Kenny	" Butter Milk	1	14	8
422	Martin Donohoe	" Paraffin Oil	.	18	.
423	Patrick O'Neill	" Coal &c	60	12	5
424	Mr. Keating	" Sugar &c	3	2	.
425	Matthew Ryan	" Flour &c	61	4	9
426	James Byrne	" Clothing to Inmates	3	.	.
427	Patrick O'Neill	Knives &c	4	16	2
428	James O'Gorman	Thread &c	2	4	6
429	John Bolger &co	Longcloth &c	5	2	4

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430	Matthew Ryan	Pollard &c	3	6	.
431	Patrick Brennan	Altar wine	1	.	2
432	Thomas Reilly	Workhouse Coffins	1	11	6
433	Martin Donohoe	Timber	1	5	10
434	Dr. Lawlor	Exam. Lunatic	2	.	.
435	Robert Dormer	Supplies N Barry H	1	17	6
436	Alex Thom &Co	Supplemt Mooney's Compd. &c	4	6	.
437	Joseph Dollard	Books Forms &c	11	17	7
438	Patrick O'Neill	Coal Ballagh Do	1	16	6
439	W. A. Corcoran	Advertising &c	8	19	3
440	J. M. Walsh	"	80	8	8
441	James Johnson for Jas Dunne	Fine Inst Ho	5	.	.
442	Jerome Murphy	ODR to 25 March	2	5	6
443	Owen Connolly	Part fees due J Doran Coll.	16	11	4
444	John Doran	Balce fees Rents	5	7	8
445	Owen Connolly	Costs due Sureties of Fortune	16	1	7

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

Cream per Outage

Cosgrove 10 2/7 = Ryan 9 5/6 = Martin 10 4/7

The Master Reported "That the Hall Porter resumed on yesterday the 22nd instant.

The Assistant School Mistress had 3 days leave of absence during the week in Consequence of the death of her Sister. Which the Board sanction by leave given the leave under the circumstances

Ordered "Sanctioned"

An inmate named Patrick Byrne between 14 & 15 yrs of age has hired out to Mr Smith Ballyhyland; as his clothes are too small for him. it will be necessary to allow him some clothes, as the Board has sanctioned his Employment with Mr Smith.

Ordered 17/6 allowed for clothes.

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In Re
Medical Expenditure

Letter Read from L.G.B. No 15569 : 1899 22 March

"Acknowledging receipt of Minute of 16th inst. Containing an Entry of the Board's letter of the 15th relating to above,

And with Reference to the inquiry on the Subject - they desire to state that the Guardians must deal with the matter on their own responsibility Subject to revision by the Auditor.

In Re
Stock taking of Clothing in the Workhouse

Letter Read from L.G.B. No 15568 : 1899 22nd March

Referring to Entry on the Subject in Minutes of the 16th inst. and expressing their Sanction to the arrangement proposed for having Stock taken.

Agriculturist's Report.

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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):—

In re
Price of copies of Register books

Letter read from Sec. B^d No 13977 : 1899 21st March

"Acknowledging receipt of Guardians resolution of the 9th inst relative to above, and stating they presume the order in Council re^o to apportion of the Existing Register supplied subsequent to the 24th Feby – the date of the Order."

Ordered "The Board are of Opinion that the order should apply to the present Election, as it was not expected that the price would be 1/– for Each Electoral Division."

In re
Registration, Ireland, Act

Letter read from Sec. B^d 11343 : 1899 21st March

Stating that the Rules prescribed by the above act, will probably be made by the Lord Lieutenant in Council during the present month, but as it may be necessary to prepare previous the Requisition Forms to be served in pursuance of Sec 9 of 1884. The "Forms" hitherto in use may be followed substituting "person" for "man" in Col 3. and the instructions appended thereto –

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This Circular letter will not give authority to a Clerk of union to issue "Registration Forms" when the duties of such clerk under the Representation act. have been transf to other Officers by the Local government (Ireland) Act 1898

In Re Dues to Collectors

Letter read from Collectors 23/3/99

As we are now closing our collection, and as you are aware, it was a very difficult task to perform in such a short time, and such a season of the year, we think we are entitled to some extra remuneration as we had extra work in consequence of levying Rate 6, and it was very difficult to get in money, and as our pound dues only comes to 1/2 what it formerly did. for doing more work than heretofore, and in other Unions where Collectors are paid for better than us, they are giving them Extra Remuneration; now we hope you will (as this is the last time you will have it in your power) will give the matter due Consideration, and do us the same justice as other Unions have done their Collectors.

D McDonald PR
Laurence Lacey "
John Walsh "
Edward Somers "

Patrick Dunne PR
John J. Sullivan "
Pierce Redmond "

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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Ordered " That a Bonus as follows be allowed the Collectors for closing their Collections so satisfactorily & in due time - Subject to the Sanction of the L.G.B. Viz

McDonald	£9.
Walsh	6
Sullivan	9
Lacey	5
Somers	5
Dunne	5
Redmond	5
	£44

In the Transitory Arrangement Local Govmt (Ireland) Act 1898

Cir letter read from L.G.B. A°118/m 1899 16 March

I am directed by the L.G.B. to state that with a view to securing that all debts due by the Existing Board of Gns up to the 25th inst. are discharged by them out of the present account with their Treasurer, the L.G.B. authorise the Guardians if any meeting held after the 25th instant to do and execute on or before 31st to do and Cheques on the balance in their Treasurers hands on the appointed in payment of any debts accrued due before that date, and they have notified to the head Offices of the several Banks that such cheques may be honoured by the Union Treasurer,

The Gns must be careful however, to make no payment out of such balance in respect of any debt incurred, Service rendered or work done after 25th instant: as any payment

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So made will be liable to disallowance,

Any monies required for Out door Relief. Petty Cash. or to meet other pressing liabilities after the appointed day should by arrangement with the Treasurer be paid by Cheques drawn on a new a/c. to be opened with the Treasurer by way of an overdraft. until the Guardians receive funds from the County Council.

Ordered "The Clerk to arrange with Treasurer"

In re
Local government act 1898

Letter read from L.G.B. 15868 : 1898 22 March

Transitory arrangements

Acknowledging minutes of 16th instant in re above, in connection with O.D. Relief in Union and stating that as the present Board of Guardians will remain in office until the first meeting of new Board, they can give such orders may be necessary up to that date.
The L.G.B. General order prescribing the new form accounts will be issued in a day or two. in the mean time the R.O. should continue to use their present books

all relief given after the appointed day will be a union charge

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In re
Workhouse Girls School

Letter read from Sec/Bd 15.235 :1899 2nd March

Informing the guardians that they have received a communication from the Commissioners of National Education. Certifying that the full amt of result fees which would accrue to the teacher of above School consequent on the Examination held on 3rd ult of the School were an ordinary National School. And the Union Contributory under the National School Teachers Act would be £ 9 : 6

Mr McAlister D Inspector reported a higher Standard of writing from dictation and in grammar should be obtained otherwise the answering was not discreditable. the book is fair. and discipline is observed

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In re
Supplies to workhouse

Mrs E Fitt
Mr Whitford

They have repeatedly applied for payment of Balances of a/c which they claim to be due since the time of the late Master. And which the Guardians have refused to pay Several times without the orders being produced.

They assert that they produced them to the late master. but as he is dead and no witness to prove they did not the Boards Solicitor is of opinion if they take Legal Proceedings that they will decree the Guardians. So the Board would feel obliged for the advice of the L.G.Board in the matter as to whether they ought to pay it or not now. under the present circumstances.

I may add that there is no record of the goods in any of the books.

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 23rd day of March 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Owen Doyle Chairman

Other Guardians:— Messrs Haughton P.
" Thomas Hayes
" Peter Canavan
" John Kelly

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Kilkenny Dispensary District. Mr. Johnson Hosbard reported a meeting held at Larkfield on Tuesday the 21st March 1899
Rev Canon Blacker in the Chair. also present James Johnson P.L.G.

It was Resolved to recommend a payment of £5. to be made to the Medical Officer for an Outlay on the premises, with he was authorised to make, at a previous meeting of the Kilkenny Dispensary Committee.

Ordered by Board of Guardians to be paid subject to the Sanction of the L.G.B.

In re Dispensary Rules

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:

By letter ~~Order~~ dated 8th March (state subject.)
1892, M 1899

Transmitting for the information of the Board of a Copy in Book form of their order under Seal of the 24th ultimo altering amending & consolidating the General Rules & Regulations for the Government of Dispensary Districts & the performance of vaccination &c.

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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 L.G. Board *dated* 22nd March 99 *stating that*

N° 15569

In re. Medical Expenditure
Acknowledging Minutes of the 16th
Containing an Entry of the Boards
letter of the 15th relating to above,
and with reference to the Enquiry into the
Subject they desire to state that the
Guardians must deal with the matter
on their own responsibility. Subject to
revision by the Auditor

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

In re
Vaccination defaulters

Letter read from L.G. Board No 15569 22nd March 99

Referring to Minutes of the 10th and pointing out that the number of Notices Served on Vaccination Defaulters by the Relieving Officers has not been given.

Ordered "Relieving Officer Whelan that he Served 411 notices from 31st March 1898
Relieving Officer Jerome Rumpf reported that he served 95 for during year Ended 25th March 1899.
Relieving Officer Martin Murphy reported that he Served 90 notices during year ending 25th March

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Labourers act

Letter recd from Prd Wm Kennedy Tomfarney 20th inst '99

Requesting that his Bill for £8. be laid before the Guardians on 25th inst for damage trespass & loss of field, all from the 1st Feby/99, to this date.
If not paid by the 25th of this month that he will serve a process without further notice.

Ordered Refd to Solicitor

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Owen Doyle Chm

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

day of..... 189

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of March 1899

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	954	290,
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	64	=
Newtownbarry do		
Oulart do		
TOTAL	1024	291

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	19	47	64	86	10	10	23	13	23	295
Admitted during the Week	28	20	1	-	1	1	6	2	12	71
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	47	67	65	86	11	11	29	15	35	366
Discharged during the Week	24	21	3	-	2	1	7	3	13	74
Died	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead	24	22	3	-	2	1	7	3	13	75
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	23	45	62	86	9	10	22	12	22	291

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	139	In separate Wards	44
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL	140	TOTAL	44

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	26	17	22	65
No. in Workhouse at date	5	-	-	5

No. at corresponding period last year, 315

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of March 1899 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 ner	Cases	Persons
No. I	249	457	"	"	249	457
No. II.	85	174	"	"	85	174
No. III.	82	144	"	"	82	144
TOTAL	416	775	"	"	416	475

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 30th day of March 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr. Jonathan Haughton J.P. & C.
Subsequently Mr Owen Doyle

Other Guardians:— Messrs James Johnson D. & C.
Mark Codd, Thomas Hayes,
John Kelly, Andrew Power.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 632 *to No.* 703 *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. 1986 *to No.* 1986 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Index of the County is required, will the Board kindly order it as it is necessary owing to the ~~Many~~ many changes that have taken place.

Ordered "To be procured" Also Ordered

That Mr O'Dempsey Solicitor is hereby requested to attend the first meeting of the new Dist Council for the purpose of assisting the clerk to carry out the election of chairman, vice do &c. so as to get the Council and Board in working order.

It appears that the first Meeting of Rural District Council shall be held on the 5th day next after the Election which would be Thursday 11th April inst the regular meeting of the Board of Guardians would be Thursday the 13th April two days after the district Council meeting.

The Board wish to know from the Ty Board if their first meeting of the two bodies could be held on the same day say Thursday 13th April as otherwise a large number would be greatly inconvenienced by having to come to town two days in the one week so near each other at this busy season of the year.

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £	s.	d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining Uncollected £	s.	d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy	55	11	9						
	Total	55	11	9	1095	11	9	25	6	6
John Walsh	Ballycarney	13	9	6						
	Ballymore	8	14	11						
	Ferns	7	7	3						
	Kilbora	2	11	4						
	Kilcormack	14	17	8						
	The Harrow	19	2	-						
	Tinnacross	9	4	11						
	Total	75	7	4	626	7	7	2	6	5
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin	19	1	4						
	Castledockrill	15	8	3						
	Cranmore	13	5	6						
	Killoughram	8	12	10						
	Kilrush	6	15	1						
	Marshalstown	7	5	10						
	Newtownbarry	22	13	9						
	Rossard	6	2	3						
	St. Mary's	3	8	4						
	Tombrack	16	10	4						
	Total	118	5	6	903	5	6	6	6	7
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon	28	6	1						
	Boolaboy	14	9	6						
	Castle Ellis	8	5	5						
	Castle Talbot	18	9	10						
	Total	69	10	10	453	10	10	3	5	11
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'	1	19	6						
	Clonroche	1	11	9						
	Killan	8	-	8						
	Kiltealy	-	17	4						
	Total	12	9	3	474	9	3	-	-	2
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue	16	3	4						
	Bree	5	5	11						
	The Leap	29	5	-						
	Total	50	14	3	425	14	3	11	18	2
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard	-	6	3						
	Edermine	1	-	-						
	Kilmallock	-	-	-						
	Total	1	6	3	5	19	6	-	1	16	5
	Total Union, £	383	5	5	4038	5	2	51	-	2

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 18 : 12 : 10½ / 5 : 14 : 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 Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	40	4	8
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	50	14	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	–	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary	–	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Meat,	489	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	18	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	40	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1608	quarts	Butter,	6	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	5 7	dozens
Sugar,	2	cwt	Candles,	24	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,	10	~~lbs.~~ cwt
Wine,	9	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	86	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	30	~~cwts.~~ ton
Lemons,			Tobacco,	42	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Yeast~~ Yeast	3	~~gallons~~ lbs	Lamp Oil,	?	gallons

Cost of Stimulants £2 : 5 : 0

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th *day of* March 189 9 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... – ...	50	15	6
In Kind	–	–	–
Total	£ 50	15	6

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By ~~Orders on Contractors~~ Expended per Relief Expenditure Books Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...				"	26	16	6
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...				"	14	9	–
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...					9	10	–
		TOTAL				TOTAL,	50	15	6

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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.
446	Wm Cooke Gorey	for Medicines &c	34	9	10
447	John J Sullivan	Collection Poundage	15	1	1
448	Laurence Lacey	" "	7	11	2
449	Patrick Dunne	" "	7	1	11
450	Patrick Dunne	Fees for rents	4	6	2
451	B Hughes	Books supplied from 4/10/96 to 30/9/98	5	3	6
452	Patrick Boland	erecting fences at Mackmine	6	0	0
453	Mick[l] Dempsey	final 2nstl on house No 458[a] at Mackmine	5	0	0
454	Mick[l] Dempsey	" " " " 454[a] " "	5	0	0
455	Jas Harris	erecting fences at Brownswood	4	0	0
456	John Kelly	final instal on house No 48 at Ballynevode	1	10	0
457	" "	" " 50 " Killynnib	4	10	0
458	Dr. P. J. Murphy	Inspecting unsanitary Houses &c	2	1	0
459	Wm P Casey	preparing plans, estimates, specifications &c	89	0	0
460	Dan[l] Mc Donald	For services in 1898 under Reg (Ireland) Act 98 @ 12/= per	11	2	3
461	Edwd Jones	" " " "	6	14	5
462	John Walsh	" " " "	6	1	6
463	John J Sullivan	" " " "	13	2	6
464	Cath[e] Dunne	" " " "	4	9	6
465	Law[ce] Lacey	" " " "	6	11	10
466	Johanna Bolger	Rep of John Bolger " " "	6	4	0
467	Owen Connolly	" " " "	45	5	0
468	Edwd Jones	collection poundage for yr ended 29/9/98	14	16	9
469	" "	" " " ½ " " 25/3/99	7	18	1
470	" "	" fees on ~~rates~~ rents to 25/3/99	8	8	3
471	D J O'Dempsey	amt due late Sam[l] Browne for Killann pump	16	10	0
472	Dr. Denis P. Murphy	for coal supplied to Killann Dy.	5	-	-
473	Dr Kelly	Reg fees for ~~year~~ Quarter ended 30/3/99.	3	8	6
474	Wm P Casey	for visiting Houses drawing Specifications &c	13	0	0
475	Owen Connolly	Petty cash ending 25/8/99	18	12	10
476	Dr. M Delany	Reg. fees ¼ yr ended 31/3/99	2	=	6
477	Jerome Murphy	" " "	2	11	8
478	Dr C. J. Murphy	" "	2	14	6
479	D Mc Donald	Bonus for punctual collection of rates	9	0	0

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

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No. of Cheque				£	s.	d.
480	John Walsh	Bonus for Punctual collection of Rates		6	0	0
481	J. Sullivan	"	"	9	0	0
482	Laurc. Lacey	"	"	5	0	0
483	Edwd. Somers	"	"	5	0	0
484	Patk. Dunne	"	"	5	0	0
485	Pierce Redmond	"	"	5	0	0
486	M. J. Whelan	Services under Tac acts to 25/3/99		5	0	0
487	Jerome Murphy	"	"	5	0	0
488	Martin Murphy			5	0	0
489	Martin Murphy	Collectors fees on Rents		2	1	
490	George Leary	Caretaking Spraying Machines		1	16	
491	H. & D. Murphy	Improvements on Killann Quay		5		

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Bosgrave 10/7 Ryan 9 5/6 Martin 10

The Master reported as follows = I lodged in the Bank to the credit of the Union the sum of £28:3:1 made up as follows. In Maintenance. By amount received from

S. & J. Davis for flour bags returned £1 5 .. 4 .. 8

Broken stones. Sale to different persons 3 .. 12 .. 0
Relief by way of loan John Connors 287 5 .. 8
" " " " " Mary A. Cullen 4680
" " " " " Michl. Cullen 4687 1 .. 9 .. 9
" " " " " Anne Doctor 70 .. 2 .. 6

Rent of Eliza Kane's Cottage 1 .. 12 .. 6

By sale to Jas. Murphy of old iron belonging to old F Ho. 6a1 5 .. 0

Farm. By sale of straw to different persons 4 .. 17 .. 6
" By amount refunded for use of sacks containing seed oats April 7th 1898 3 .. 6

I hope the Board will with their usual kindness allow the inmates a Bread, tea and butter breakfast and meat dinner on Easter Sunday, and also grant a committe to inspect the meat.

Ordered

"That Messrs Hayes, Power and the master select the meat and that Bread, butter and tea be given for breakfast."

I will require 3 doz. scrubbing brushes will the Board kindly make an order to have them procured. Ordered "that" to be procured.

Will the Board kindly grant me one day's leave of absence during next week. The matron will do my duty during my absence if granted. "Allowed"

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In Re

Leave of Absence

Timothy Moore tailor applied for leave of absence on the 8th April to attend one of the polling booths

Ordered Allowed

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Agriculturist's Report.

The Agriculturist begs to inform the Board that Mr Doyle V.S. examined the sheep and said 26 of them could be sold to anyone as they are all right & the other three are slightly affected but could be sold to a butcher. If they are kept any ~~longer~~ ~~any longer~~ on the land there will be no grass or meadowing besides the work will be neglected minding them.

Ordered "Refd. to Messers Hayes & Power to do what they consider best with Sheep"

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

In re
Bonus to Rate Collectors

Letter read from L. G. Board No 17,377 29th March 1899

Acknowledging Guardians resolution of the 23rd instant proposing to allow bonuses to above Collectors and stating that they will raise no objection to the Guardians proposal provided the total amount of legally recoverable rates included in each Collectors warrant has been lodged to the credit of the Union.

Ordered "The Collectors have collected all collectable rates at present on their warrants."

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In re
Supplies to the Workhouse

Letter read from L. G Board No 17377 29th ult. March '99

Adverting to Guardians Minutes of the 23rd inst. asking the L. G Board's advice as to whether the Guardians should pay the account of Mr E Goff for Workhouse supplies under the circumstances set forth. The L. G Board desire to state that the Guardians should be guided by the advice of their solicitor in the matter.

The Board's solicitor wrote as follows:-
"In my opinion the Guardians would be decreed for their claim. It ought to be paid."

Ordered To be paid

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Edward Somers as Bankrupt

Ordered

" That Edwd Somers, Collector of Poor Rates & Rents, is requested to endorse his cheques to the Board's solicitor as trustee for the Guardians pending his (Somers) arrangement with the Bankruptcy Court otherwise his cheques will have to be forwarded to the official assignee.

Ordered. Accordingly Mr Somers consenting

In re
General order for keeping and auditing the Accounts of Boards of Guardians in Ireland.

Letter read from L. G Board No. 124 M 99 24th March 1899

Forwarding copy of the General order which the Board has made prescribing the new forms in which the accounts of each union are to kept after the 25th instant and requesting that a supply of the several books of account and other records directed by the order to be kept may be at once procured by the Guardians for the use of their officers in order that the transactions of the Union after the 25th instant may be recorded therein.

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In re
Out Door Relief
Transitory arrangements.

Letter read from L. G. Board No. 15495 23rd March 99

stating for the information of the Board of Guardians that it will be their duty to make arrangements for the due Administration of relief in the portion of the Skillelagh union added to Enniscorthy Union from the 1st April by the L. G. Board order of October last.

The L. G. Board have requested the Guardians of Skillelagh Union to require the Relieving officer or officers of the district or districts in which the area to be transfered is comprised to furnish to the Guardians of this union a list of persons residing in such area who are now in receipt of outdoor relief

Ordered "& list of persons in receipt of Outdoor relief in Moyacomb & Division formerly situated in Skillelagh Union has been received by the Clerk of Enniscorthy union and handed to the Officer Martin Murphy in whose district Moyacomb & Dibision is situated"

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In re
Out door Relief
Transitory Arrangements

Letter read from L. G. Board No. 15495 March 23rd 99.

Transmitting copy of a letter which the L. G. Board have addressed to the Board of Guardians of Carlow Union on the subject of the administration of relief in the part of Ennisworthy Union added to Carlow Union from the 1st proximo.

And stating the Guardians should call upon the relieving officer in whose district the transferred area is comprised to furnish forthwith to the Clerk of Carlow Union a list of all persons residing in such area who are in receipt of outdoor relief

Ordered "The Relieving Officer Martin Murphy has forwarded on the 30th instant a list of persons residing in Kranemore E. Division in Carlow Union to the Clerk of that Union"

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 30th day of March 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Owen Doyle

Other Guardians:— Messrs Jonathan Haughton, Thomas Hayes, Andrew Power, Mark Codd, James Johnson, John Kelly

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

In re
Remuneration to Relieving officers
Expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £5 each to R Officers Whelan, Jerome Murphy and Martin Murphy respectively as remuneration for their services under the Vaccination Acts.

Letter read from L.G. Board No 17378 29th March 99

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

In re

Improvements in the Killann Dispensary

Letter read from L.G. Board No 17378 29th March '99

Referring to Guardians minutes of the 23rd instant re above, and stating that they will not object to the proposed payment of a sum of £5 to the Medical officer in order to enable him in order to enable him to carry out certain improvements on above Dispensary

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of April 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of April 1899

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	278
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		—
Newtownbarry do	67	=
Oulart do		
TOTAL	1024	278

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	9	43	62	85	9	10	22	12	22	274
Admitted during the Week	14	4	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	25
Born	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL,	23	47	68	86	9	10	22	12	22	299
Discharged during the Week	12	3	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	21
Died	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead	12	3	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	11	44	63	85	9	10	22	12	22	278

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	132	In separate Wards	44
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	—	In Wards with other Inmates	—
TOTAL	132	TOTAL	44

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	16	3	—	19
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	—	3

No. at corresponding period last year, 314

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of April 1899 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	249	457	-	-	249	457
No. II.	84	168	"	"	84	168
No. III.	82	144	"	"	82	144
TOTAL	415	769	-	-	415	769

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Rural Dt Councillors + Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~THURSDAY~~ Saturday the 15th day of April 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*—

Other Guardians:—

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 726 *to No.* 737 *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. 1986 *to No.* 1996 *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 Cr *the Guardians was* £ 1299: 6: 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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Enniscorthy Union
Clerks Office
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15th April 1899

In re
First meeting of Rural
District Councillors

In compliance with sealed order of L/Board dated 14th April instant, the Returning Officer issued a Statutory Notice on 10th April as follows

BOARD ROOM,
ENNISCORTHY UNION,
April, 1899.

DEAR SIR,

The first Meeting of the Rural District Council will be held in the Board Room of the Enniscorthy Workhouse on Saturday, 15th Inst., at 12 o'clock noon, at which time and place you are required to attend, when the following business will be transacted, viz. :—

(1) The Election of one of their number to be Chairman of the Meeting.

(2) The Election of additional Conncillors, as required by Section 113 of the Act.

(3) The Election of additional Councillors under Section 25 of the Act.

(4) The Election of Chairman of the Council for the year.

(5) The selection of Members of a joint Committee or joint Board by the Rural District (if any required.)

(6) The Election (if the Council think fit) of a Vice-Chairman.

The first Meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Enniscorthy Union shall be held at the same place and on the same day at the hour of 2 o'clock on the conclusion of the Meeting above provided for the District Council.

Your obedient Servant,

THOMAS WILKINSON, Returning Officer.

To each Member of the Rural District Council of the Enniscorthy Rural District, and to each Member of the Guardians of the Poor of the Enniscorthy Union.

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In response to which the following members attended — Viz —

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Messers ÷ Michael Murphy. Daniel Joseph OBallaghan
Alexander Thomas Rudd. Aidan Whelan
Owen Doyle. Thomas Asple. John Joseph Coulighan
Mark Kavanagh. Thaddeus Bolger J.P. Denis Kavanagh
Andrew Brien. Philip Redmond. John Cooney
John Linnott. Michael Bowman. Denis Lacey
Moses Dunne. Morgan Leacy. John Dillon
Moses Fortune. John Samuel Atkins. Patrick Darty
James Murphy. William Kennedy. John Furlong
Thomas Cleary. Aidan Kelly. Leonard Cardwell
James Hennessey. Thomas Whelan. John Bolger
James Browne. Patrick Kehoe. Arthur Lough
Myles Cooney. Richard ~~Furlong~~ Forrestal Junr. John Forrestal
Mark Codd. Myles Sloan. Philip Redmond Senr.
Moses Dempsey. Thomas Carroll. Thomas Nolan
John Shea. Edward O'Connor. Michael Kennedy
Daniel Doyle. Wm Kennedy Senr. Patrick Canning
Thomas Fitzpatrick. Justin Sutton. Peter Kehoe
Martin Doyle. Patrick Crane Senr. John Walsh.
Thomas Kavanagh. James Lynch. Thomas Behan
Daniel Nolan. Michael O'Neill. James Lambert

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When the foregoing members assembled Mr Dempsey Solicitor assisted the Clerk in having the declarations accepting office signed by each member before two other members in compliance with Circular from L.G.Board No 150/M Miscellaneous 11th April 99

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In re
Election of Chairman of the meeting

Proposed by Mr. Hennessy } Passed
Seconded by Mr. Lynch } Unanimously

"That Mr. Thaddeus Bolger, J.P. be Elected Chairman of the meeting.

Mr. Bolger then took the Chair ~~and proceeded~~

In re
Appointment of additional Councillors
under Section 113 of the Act

Mr. John Cullin, J.P. was proposed by Mr. J. Hennessy. Seconded by Mr. J. Bolger
" Daniel Coates " " " " " O'Leary " " " O Doyle
" J. O'Gorman " " " " " M. Kennedy " " " D. Leacy
" J. Donohoe " " " " " J. Cooney " " " J. Coulehan
" T. Prandy " " " " " M. Murphy " " " P. Kehoe
" N. N. Cookman " " " " " D.J. O'Callaghan " " " M. Kennedy
Captain Bryan " " " " " J.S. Atkin " " " T. Asple

On a poll then taken 38 voted for Mr. Cullin
35 - - - Prandy
30 - - - O'Gorman
25 - - - Coates
22 - - - Donohoe
17 - - - Bryan
11 - - - Cookman

The Chairman declared Mr. John Cullin, J.P. Mr. Thomas Prandy, J.P. & Mr. James O'Gorman, J.P. duly elected as additional members of this Council under Section 113 of the Act.

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In re
appointment of additional
Councillors under Section 25 of the Act

Mr James Johnson proposed by Mr Michael Murphy. Seconded by Mr M Codd.
- Thomas Hayes " " " John Sinnott " " " O Doyle
- James Nolan - - - Morgan Leacy " " " P Kehoe
- John Jordon - - - James Kennessy - - - L Cardwell
- Peter Kehoe - - - Wm Kennedy - - - J Furlong
- H. H. O'Neill .... Jas Lynch - - - J Kennedy
- John Barlow - - - Thomas Cleary - - - R. Forrestal
- Michael Doyle. - - - Patrick Canning - - - T Fitzpatrick
- Thomas Dunne. - - - Moses Dunne - - - D Leacy

On a poll been taken 45 voted for Mr Johnson
34 " " " Nolan
29 - - - Doyle
28 - - - Hayes
12 - - - O'Neill
11 - - - Dunne
7 - - - Barlow
6 - - - Kehoe
5 - - - Jordon

The Chairman declared Mr Johnson, Mr Nolan & Mr Doyle duly elected as additional members of this Council under Section 25 of the Act - who on being admitted signed the required declarations.

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In re
Selection of Chairman for the Year

Mr John Linnott proposed & Mr Morgan Leacy Seconded
"That Mr Owen Doyle be choosen as Chairman of this Council for the ensuing year which shall end on the day of the Annual meeting 1900
Passed unanimously
Mr Bolger J.P. Chairman of the meeting then declared Mr Owen Doyle duly elected as Chairman of the Rural District Council of Enniscorthy for one year

In re
Selection of Vice Chairman for the Year

Mr Thomas Asple proposed & Mr M. Fortune Seconded
"That Mr J. Bolger J.P. be choosen as Vice Chairman of this Council for the ensuing year which shall end on the day of the Annual meeting 1900
Passed unanimously.

The Selection of Members under Section 113 & 25 of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, and the Election of Chairman and Vice Chairman for the ensuing Year having been completed- Mr Bolger left the Chair which was taken by Mr Doyle
They now resolved themselves into a Board of Guardians when three of the

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four Guardians elected by the Urban District of Enniscorthy on making the necessary Declarations were admitted and took part in the proceedings as Guardians.

Sealed Order from L/Board dated 14th April 1899 having been read =

Mr Johnson proposed } Passed
Mr Hennessy Seconded } nem con

"That Mr Thomas Hayes be elected as Chairman of the Board of Guardians for the ensuing Year

Mr T. Bolger J.P. proposed } Passed
- T Hayes Seconded } Unanimously

"That Mr James Johnson be elected Vice Chairman of the Board of Guardians for the ensuing year =

Mr Denis Kavanagh proposed } Passed
John J. Coulighan Seconded } Unanimously

"That Mr Thomas Cleary be elected as D/V Chairman of the Board of Guardians for the ensuing Year =

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The following Resolutions was proposed & passed nem. con.

Mr Thaddeus Bolger proposed } Passed
- Daniel Nowlan Seconded } Unanimously

"That the Clerk make out a report against next Thursday 20th Inst. to enable this Council to frame a demand to be sent to the County Council at their first meeting the 22nd inst. for such sum as we believe will meet our requirements for four months from 1st April 1899.

That this Council hereby open an a/c and make arrangements with our Treasurer the National Bank Ltd Enniscorthy and arrange with him for such overdraft as may be required to meet current pressing liabilities such as election expenses, salaries, &c and the LG/Board will approve under Article 4 (3) of Transitory Provisions Order in Council, any reasonable proposal made by the Council for authority to pay interest on any money so advanced by the Treasurer.

That we hereby instruct our Clerk to prepare and submit to us before the 15th May, an Estimate of the probable expenditure for the year ending 31st March 1900, in the form prescribed by the LG/Boards County Order which will shortly be issued and that such estimate when approved of by this Council be transmitted to the County Council in accordance with the requirements of said Order.

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That our Clerk is hereby Ordered to procure a supply of the various books and forms prescribed by the L.G. Boards District Accounts Order 1899. and the requirements of that Order as to the method of keeping the accounts of the Council and as to the mode in which their financial business is to be transacted.

Mr. Denis Leacy proposed
Thaddeus Bolger Seconded } Passed unanimously with one exception.

"That this Council shall meet every Thursday at 12 Oblock as usual in this Board Room to deal with the reports of our Officers, and to transact such other necessary business as may arise from time to time under the Public Health Acts and Labourers Acts &c, and that the Board of Guardians shall also meet every Thursday in this Board Room at 1.30 P.M. for the purpose of attending to the requirements of the poor, and transacting the business of Guardians.

Next meeting of the Rural District Councillors and Guardians to be held on Thursday the 20th April 1899 at 12 Oblock and 1.30 respectively=

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 12 : 3 : 6 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	78	15	6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	50	13	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Meat,	717	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	8	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	40	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1526	quarts	Butter,	9	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	38	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,		lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	3	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts. Bakers
Lemons,			Tobacco,	44	ozs.
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Yeast~~ Barm,	3	~~gallons~~ lbs.	Lamp Oil,	7	gallons

Cost of Stimulants 2 . 8 . 9

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... —	£		

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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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.

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

No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

The following Resolutions was proposed

HOME RULE.

On the motion of Mr Sinnott, seconded by Mr Thaddeus Bolger, J P, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—"That we, the members of the Enniscorthy District Council and guardians of the poorlaw union, elected on the broadest franchise, and fully representing the opinion of our constituents on the National question, hereby take advantage of this our first meeting, to declare our strong and unalterable and firm adhesion to every movement calculated to secure legislative independence in Ireland, without which we feel convinced our countrymen can never be satisfied, and which we believe is absolutely necessary for the industrial and commercial welfare of our land."

THANKS TO SIR THOMAS ESMONDE.

Mr Sinnott also proposed the following resolution: "That we, the Enniscorthy Rural District Council, which so full represents all portions of this lare union of Enniscorthy, hereby avail ourselves of this our first meeting, to return our most sincere and grateful thanks to our faithful and patriotic, and sterling young countyman, Sir Thomas Henry Grattan Esmonde, M P, for so timely reminding the members of the Irish County Councils of their duty towards the National cause on the present momentous occasion, when the heart of the country is throbbing. We, therefore, earnestly trust that the valuable suggestions which he has so timely thrown out should be acted upon to the letter by every County Council in Ireland."

Mr Bolger seconded the resolution, which was unanimously adopted.

THE LABOURERS' CONDITION.

The following resolution was also passed on the motion of Mr Sinnott, seconded by Mr Bolger. "That this council shall lose no opportunity of endeavouring to better the position of the labouring class of this country by erecting comfortable houses and providing employment, thereby removing the grievances under which they are so long labouring, while at the same time they so unflinchingly supported the National cause at all times, and at great inconvenience to themselves."

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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):—

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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* 29 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-*

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

James Doyle chairman
of R. District Council
20/4/99 Od

Thomas Hayes
Chairman County Board of Guardians
20/4/99

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

day of.....189

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of April 1899

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	283
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	-	-
Newtownbarry do.....	67	-
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024	283

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	11	44	63	85	9	10	22	12	22	278
Admitted during the Week -	15	4	3	-	1	-	2	1	1	27
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	26	48	66	85	10	10	24	13	23	305
Discharged during the Week -	10	6	1	-	-	-	3	1	1	22
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead -	10	6	1	-	-	-	3	1	1	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	16	42	65	85	10	10	21	12	22	283

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 136	In separate Wards 44	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital -	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL, 136	TOTAL, 44	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	4	4	23
No. in Workhouse at date	7	-	-	7
No. at corresponding period last year,				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of April 1899 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	249	457	-	-	249	457
No. II.	85	175	-	-	85	175
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	416	776	-	-	416	776

~~Board Of Guardians~~

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of April 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr James Johnson V.C.

Subsequently, Mr Thomas Hayes, Chairman

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ M. Murphy. A Whelan. O Doyle J.J. Coulighan. M. Kavanagh. D Kavanagh. J Lindsh. M Cooman D Leacy. M. Dunne. M Leacy. J Dillon. M Fortune. J.S. Atkins P Carty. W Kennedy Jnr J Cleary. L Cardwell J Hennessy. T Whelan M Cooney. R Forrestal. M Slevin. P Redmond Junr. P Redmond Senr J Shea. E O'Connor. M Kennedy. D Doyle. P Canning. P Kehoe M. Doyle. P Crane. J Walsh. J Kavanagh. J Lynch. T Behan D Nolan. J. Lambert. J Nolan - M. Dempsey. P. Bolger A Power & J. Doyle

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 751 *to No.* 778 *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. 1996 *to No.* 1996 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk reported, that altho' he ordered a supply of books & forms from Mr Dollard Printing House Dublin, on receipt of the accounts order from £913. Still he has not rec'd them yet. which leaves him in a position of not being able to furnish the Minutes as they should be furnished to the £913.

Of course this would not be any payments made unless barely what is necessary for O.R. & Cook. until the 2nd Thursday in May or whatever day may be selected instead, owing to the Second Thursday being a holiday.

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

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

Paid during the week: £

And that the Balance on the Account Cr *the Guardians was* £ 1299 : 6 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £	s.	d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining Uncollected £	s.	d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy	—	—		—	—		—	—	
	Total									
John Walsh	Ballycarney									
	Ballymore									
	Ferns									
	Kilbora									
	Kilcormack									
	The Harrow									
	Tinnacross									
	Total									
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin									
	Castledockrill									
	Cranmore									
	Killoughram									
	Kilrush									
	Marshalstown									
	Newtownbarry									
	Rossard									
	St. Mary's									
	Tombrack									
	Total									
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon									
	Boolaboy									
	Castle Ellis									
	Castle Talbot									
	Total									
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'									
	Clonroche									
	Killan									
	Kiltealy									
	Total									
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue									
	Bree									
	The Leap									
	Total									
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard									
	Edermine									
	Kilmallock									
	Total									
	Total Union, £									

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 10 : 6 was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	58	3	3
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -	48	10	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -	–	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - -	–	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - -			

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

Cost of Stimulants £2 : 1 : 5

Meat,	476	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	16	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1508	quarts	Butter,	65	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	42	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,		lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	6	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	42	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts. Bakers
Lemons,			Tobacco,	45	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Barm,~~ Yeast	3	~~gallons~~ galls	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature:—
1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th day of April 1899 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors: Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
9	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...	25	-	-				
10	No. II.	J. Murphy ...	15	-	-				
11	No. III.	M. Murphy ...	10	–	-				
		Total	50	-	-	Total,			

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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.

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

No. of Cheque	£	s.	a.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 10/7 Ryan 9/7 Martin 10/7

The Master reported as follows=

The Matron states she requires the following quantities of material 200 Yds Bengal stripe. 150 Yds Blay Calico, 300 Yds Flannel, 600 Yds Blay Linen 300 Yds of Twilled Linen for sheeting, 100 Yds Linsey Woolsey. 50 Yds Long Cloth & 40 lbs of woollen yarn.

Ordered "To be procured."

For Infirmary Mother Conception states she requires 70 White Rugs and 50 Yds Long Cloth.

Ordered "To be procured,"

The Shoemaker states he requires two hides of Buds Butt, two hides Foreign Butt, one hide of Glitter, 20 lbs Black Ink and one gross of heel plates

Ordered "To be procured,"

I granted the School master leave of absence from the 11th to the 14th Inst. in consequence of him having received a telegram informing him of the serious illness of his Mother, during his absence I placed the assistant School mistress in charge of the boys—

Will the Board kindly sanction my action

Ordered "Sanctioned,"

C R Lynch Stamer Esq L.B.S. wrote the house on the 18th Inst. and Leave well received.

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Masters report Continued

The Contract for the Bakers Flour, oat-meal and Indian meal, expires on the 27th inst: it will be necessary to invite Tenders for the supply of these articles.

Ordered "To be advertised for Tender to be considered on 4th proxo for best Bakers flour: oatmeal & Translated Meal to be supplied free at W.H. until 30th Sept 99. or 31st March 1900

See advt 2nd Sept 99

State of the House

Number in Original Building 275
" " Fever Hospitals 4

Number corresponding day last year 309

Agriculturist's Report.

The Agriculturist reported that there will be 4 brls of oats required for the horses, and if the sheep are kept there will be more oats wanted.

Ordered "A Committee consisting of Messrs ÷ Cleary, Fortune Power, Whelan, Kehoe & Lambert inspected the Sheep and recommended that they be sold on the Friday 25th inst, Mr Whelan P.L.G & Mr Power P.L.G to assist the Agriculturist at Sale.

Same Committee also inspected 6 Fat pigs and recommended that they be sold on the 24th inst, Mr Power P.L.G. to assist the Agriculturist at sale of same."

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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):—

In re
Collection of Poor Rate

Letter read from L G Board No 18896 10th April 99	Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 30th Ultimo relative to the proposal to allow a bonus to the Rate Collectors in respect of the current collection of rates in the Union., and stating that as it would appear that the full amount of legally recoverable rates included in the Collectors Warrants has not yet been collected and the L G Board would suggest that the Collectors should be called upon to lodge the amount of recoverable rates outstanding, and they might then be allowed to retain their Warrants with the view of recouping themselves, also stating that the L G Board cannot consent to ~~pay~~ the Guardians' proposal to pay a bonus to the Collectors unless the total amount of legally recoverable rates is lodged forthwith.

Ordered "Referred to Mr O Dempsey Solr to investigate and report to this Board "as to whether the legally recoverable rates has been Collected & lodged".

Mr Owen Doyle stated that there was a large Bd present of which he was chairman on the day the bonus was allowed there were Gdns present from almost every D I, & after closely investigating each case they came to the conclusion that the arrears outstanding were uncollectable, besides they accrued before the time of nearly all the present collectors & were carried for years after year, thinking there might be a chance of collecting them, but it is evident there is not. however we will see what our Solr will say

In re
Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898

Certificate read from L G Board as to Poor Rate and County Cess in Standard Financial Year.
Ordered "Postponed,"

Clothing worn out

The master reported the following articles as being worn out _ as cast by the Stocktaker = viz.
Sheets 76. Blankets 4. Rugs 13. Bed ticks 6
Bolsters 4. Bolster Slips 20.

Men's clothing. Coats 9. Vests 6. Trowsers 8
" Shirts 98. Shoes 19 pr. Stocking 7/1
" F vests 8. F Drawers 6. Suspenders 6

Womens clothing. Gowns 61, Petticoats 105. Shifts 117 Aprons 57
" Handkerchief 22. Shoes 31. Stocking 25. Caps 10
" Bonnets 2. F vests 6

Boys clothing. Coats 10. Vests 5. Trousers 5. Shirts 10, Shoes 12
" " Suspenders 39. F vests 3.

Girls clothing. Frocks 4. Petticoats 25. Shifts 45. Bibs 38
Shoes 11, Stockings 36. H/K Hammer Squares 1.

F/W Fever Hospital Enniscorthy Sheets 6. Blankets 10. Bolsters 1
" " Newtownbarry " 13. " 2. " 1 Rug 1
" " Oulart " 4 "

Mr Power Power Propd } "That the above be
" D Nowlan Sec } discarded as worn out & useless"

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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Notice of Motion

In re
Change of Hour of Meeting

I give notice that on this day two weeks May 4th I will move that the resolution fixing the hour of meeting of Guardians at half past one Oblock be rescinded and that it be held at 12 Oblock as usual

Signed Moses Fortune. P.G

20th April 1899.

Utensils worn out

Basins 21. Basins & Jugs 10. Bass Brooms 2 3
Shoe Brushes 9. Wash Brushes 4. Brass Candlesticks 7
Tin Candlesticks 16. Clothes horse 1. Coal Box 4
Commodes 1. Fire Shovels 6. Fenders 2 Forms 7
Globes for lamps 24. Lactometers 9. Mats 3 Cocoa fibre
Metal Saucepans 2. Milk pans 1. Mops 4. Frying pans 1
Plates Delf China 1 - Tin Plates 20. Sieves 2 Spoons &c
Pots 3. Stools 4. Teapots 9. Tins 60. Weights
Window Grates 8

Mr Bowe proposed } Passed
Mr Rowlan Seconded } Nem Con

That the above discarded as worn out useless"

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In re
Infant Life Protection Act 1897

Letter read from L.G. Board No 13,977 12th April 99

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 9th Ultimo, and stating that they have called for a Report from their Medical Inspector, Dr. Edgar Flinn, as to the duties to be discharged under the above Act, also stating that the L.G. Board will defer the further consideration of the appointment of Inspectors under the Act until they receive the reports in question.

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Medical Officers Report-

Re
Change of Sick Diets

I beg to make a suggestion to the Board - that is, to allow an alternative tea diet to patients who cannot take, or who do not like milk -
It is a very important matter, and it appears to me that this would be the proper time to make the change, which can be very conveniently done by altering Diets Nos 2 & 4 = No 2 would then consist of 1½ lbs of White Bread. 1 pint of Tea & one pint of sweet milk, No 4 1 lb of White Bread. 1 pint of Tea & 1½ pint of Sweet milk.
The tea for these diets as well as the tea for the body of the house, to be of the following proportions = One lb of Tea, four lbs of Sugar, four quarts of sweet-milk to every eight gallons of water -

Viz - No 1 Diet - To remain as it is =
" 2 - To be allowed 1½ lbs Bread, 1 pint of Tea, & 1 pint of sweet-milk - instead 1¼ lbs Bread & 1 pt of Sweet milk,
" 3 - To remain as it is,
" 4 - Bread to be increased ¼ lb which leaves it 1 lb instead of ¾, no other change.

Signed. N. Furlong

Ordered unanimously "The Doctors suggestion to be adopted,"

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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, was ... ...

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of April 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Owen Doyle

Other Guardians:— And 41 other District Councillors

Mr Owen Doyle, chairman, presided. Also present —Messrs Aidan Whelan, J J Coulighan, Mark Kavanagh, Philip Redmond, John Cooney, John Sinnott, Michael Cowman, Denis Lacey, Moses Dunne, Morgan Leacy, John Dillon, Moses Fortune, John S Atkins, Patrick Cart-- Wm Kennedy, Thomas Cleary, Aidan Kelly, Leonard Cardwell, James Hennessy Myles Cooney, Richard Forrestal, Myles Slevin, Philip Redmond, Moses Dempsey, James Nolan, James Johnson, John Shea, Edward O'Connor, Michael Kennedy, Patrick Canning, Peter Kehoe, Patrick Crane, John Walsh, Thomas Kavanagh, Thomas Behan, Daniel Nolan, James Lambert, Michael Murphy, Denis Kavanagh, Thomas Whelan, Daniel Doyle, Martin Doyle James Lynch.

Ferns

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

Ordered "to be forwarded to Contractor,"

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

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

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *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, £*~~

In re
Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898

Letter read from Appeal Commission Dublin 13th April 1899 — Forwarding for the information of the Rural District Council notices relative to Petitions against the Orders of the L.G. Board made in pursuance of Section 68 of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898, and pointing out that all petitions against the said orders must be presented on or before the 30 Inst.

Ordered "This Council have no petition to make

Notice of Motion

I give notice that on this day two weeks 4th May 1899, I will move that the resolution passed on the 15th April 1899 fixing the Meeting of the Rural District Council for every Thursday at 12 o'block be rescinded, and that in future the Council shall meet on Thursdays fortnightly, Monthly, or otherwise as they may determine as to hour and date,

Signed. Thomas Cleary.

20th April 1899

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

~~Dispensary District, No.~~

In re
Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898

Letter read from L/Board No 147 M/99 18 April 1899 Miscellaneous

Transmitting copy of an Order prescribing the time within which Officers hitherto engaged in the collection of county cess and poor rate are to express their willingness to serve under the County Council or Council of a County Borough and requesting that the Collectors and Deputy Collectors of poor rate for the Union be informed as soon as practicable, of the time fixed by the Order within which they are to notify their willingness to act- on or before the thirteenth day of May, 1899

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.)*

In re
Issuing of Dispensary Tickets to M O.s

Ordered

"That all the Members and Wardens of the old Dispensary Committees be empowered to issue tickets as heretofore to Medical Officers until Committees for that purpose is appointed by the Board=

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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

In re
Medicine Contract-

Letter read from L.G. Board No 16.483 Mis 12th April 99 | Adverting to their Circular Letter of the 17th Feb 99 ~~adverting~~ on the subject of Medicine Contracts & Recoupment; and enclosing for the Guardians information, an extract from a Memorial recently addressed to the Board, and signed on behalf of seven Wholesale Drug Firms. The Memoralists point out that the loss to Union Contractors on a/c of the bottles, jars, pots, hampers, and packages in which medicines are supplied, is a very serious item.
It will be observed that the prescribed form of Medicine Tender provides that Contractors shall take back at their own expense and risk all empty returns at full price, and does not warrant the Guardians in either retaining or purchasing such articles.
and also stating that it is the duty of the Medical Officers to take charge of & keep carefully and safely, as far as lies in his power, the vessells & hampers which are received from the Contractor with the Medicines.
Ordered "Referred to the Medical officers of the Districts,"

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

In re
Ferns Water Works

Letter read from L.G. Board No 15826 6th April 99

Referring to minutes of the 16th ultimo. relative to the construction of above works, and stating that under the circumstances they would not object to the work being carried out under the superintendence of the Committee as proposed."

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Wm Hayes Chairman Bd of Guardians
27/4/99

Owen Doyle Chairman R. D. C.
4th May '99

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

day of..... 189

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of April 1899

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	281
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		-
Newtownbarry do	67	-
Oulart do		-
TOTAL	1024	281

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	16	42	65	85	10	10	21	12	22	283
Admitted during the Week	20	8	1	2	1	1	3	1	-	37
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	36	50	66	87	11	11	24	13	22	320
Discharged during the Week	21	9	4	1	1	-	2	1	-	39
Died	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead	21	9	4	1	1	-	2	1	-	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	15	41	62	86	10	11	22	12	22	281

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	132	In separate Wards	44	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates	-	
TOTAL	132	TOTAL	44	

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 16	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	19	8	5	32
No. in Workhouse at date	6	3	-	9

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of April 1899 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	249	457	-	-	249	457
No. II.	85	175	-	-	85	175
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	416	776	-	-	416	776

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, the 27th day of April 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Subsequently. Mr Thomas Cleary. D. V. C

Other Guardians:—Messrs ÷ Thomas Asple. Mark Kavanagh James Doyle Junr. Philip Redmond Junr. John Cooney Denis Lacey. Wm Kennedy. Aidan Kelly. Jas Hennessy Thomas Whelan. Myles Cooney. Moses Dempsey. Tho Carroll Richd Forrestal Junr. Edwd Oconnor. Tho Kavanagh. Jas Lynch Daniel Nowlan. Jas Lambert. Andrew Power. Jas Doyle

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 778 *to No.* 815 *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. 1996 *to No.* 1996 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk reported that he is considerably embarased in consequence of not having received the necessary books and forms yet, altho' he has repeatedly written to Messrs Dollard, Thom & Co, & Falkner Dublin, and all state that they are doing all in their power, but extremely pressed

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £

And that the Balance on the Account Cr *the Guardians was* £ 1299 : 6 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 11 : 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 Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	36	14	4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -	47	15	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -	—	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -	-	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -			

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

Meat,	473	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	14	cwts.	Flour,	224	lbs. for Soup
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1532	quarts	Butter,	113	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	41	dozens
Sugar,	2	~~Cwt~~ 1-	Candles,	18	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	4	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	48	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	44	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Yeast~~ Yeast-	3	~~gallons~~	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

Cost of Stimulants 1 : 11 2 : 1

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... —	£		

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 9 5/7 Ryan 10 Martin 10 3/7

The Master reported as follows ÷
Mr. P. O'Neill has supplied the Leather ordered last Board day will the Board please have it inspected.
Ordered "A Committee consisting of Messrs. J. Cleary M. Dempsey and P Redmond Junr. inspected and reported equal to Sample."

Mr. Bolger has supplied 100 yards of Long Cloth ordered by the Board at their last meeting, please have it inspected.
Ordered "Above Committee inspected and reported Equal to Sample."

As it is likely that an unusual number of traders may tender by next Thursday for the supply of Bakers Flour to the Workhouse, and as it has been ordered by the Board that a sample shall be baked from each bag of flour tendered, will the Board kindly give me permission to employ a temporary assistant to the House baker if I find that he is not able to carry out the work by himself.
Ordered "Referred to the Master."

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Medical Officers Report

"I certify that Mr George Leary Agriculturist is at present in a very weak state of health and that he will be unable to perform any active duties for about one week.

Signed N. Furlong
27th April 1899.

Agriculturist Report

The Agriculturist reported that the six fat pigs were sold on the Fair for the sum of — £22:10:0
Also six store pigs bought for the sum of 6:0:0

The sheep were sold in the Fair for the sum of £1:17:0 each, but the man who bought them will require a Veterinary Surgeon Certificate and said he

~~Agriculturist's Report~~

would take all or any number of them that the V.S. would certify sound.

Ordered "Mr W Doyle V.S. inspect the Sheep at once and give a Certificate for their removal.

There will be a straddle required for the farm & 2 top straps, a sole plate for Chill plough and about 2½ thousand of Cabbage Plants.

Ordered "To be procured."

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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):—

In re
Union Accounts Order.

Letter read from L.G. Board No 124/M: 1899 22nd April 1899.

Stating for the information of the Board of Guardians, that there appears to be some misapprehension as to the manner in which the form of the financial minutes prescribed by the L.G. Board's recent Union Accounts Order is to be used, and in a few instances it appears to be considered that the form is to be sent to the Office in lieu of the copy of the Guardians Minutes heretofore forwarded. And pointing out that a copy of the Guardians Minutes of Proceedings must be transmitted as usual to the L.G. Board on the day following the day of meeting, and the financial minutes must be incorporated with the old form and substituted for the pages previously required for recording financial transactions, &c,
The L.G. Board consider that the Guardians would do well to procure a supply of Minute forms in which they should incorporate the financial Minutes prescribed by the Board.

Ordered "That as there is a large supply of old Minute Forms on hands the Board consider it wise to utilize them with the new financial forms, after which the Board will procure Minutes prescribed by the L.G. Board - viz — incorporating the financial minutes with the usual form."

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In re
Meeting of Guardians

Letter read from L/Board No 21,086 22nd April 99 — Stating that Boards of Guardians must meet weekly as hitherto in accordance with the General Regulations.

In re
Representation of District Electoral Divisions

Letter read from L/Board No 172/M. 1899 25th April 99 — Requesting for their information a list of the District Electoral Divisions which were either unrepresented or insufficiently represented by elected members at their first meeting, &c. &c

Ordered "The Leap E.D – insufficiently represented owing to the illness of one of its elected Members Mr John Mernagh

Ballyroan " was also insufficiently represented at first meeting owing to the illness of Mr James Doyle one of its Elected Members

The latter was (however) present to day & made the necessary declarations of Office

Eniscorthy Urban — Mr Andrew Power P.L.G. was absent from first meeting being from home, but has since made his declaration of Office and attends regularly to the business.

Continued over.

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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No action has been taken in reference to the District Electoral Division of Moyacomb which has only one member owing to the fact of only one being validly nominated.

In re
Rules and Regulations of Officers

Proposed by Mr Thos Cleary
Seconded by Mr Thos Asple
} Passed nem con

"That one of the rules and regulations of Officers be procured for each guardian of the Union.

In re
Church Holliday

Proposed by Mr. Cleary
Seconded by Mr Lambert
} Passed unanimously

"That as Thursday May 11th 1899 is a Church Holliday the Board of Guardians will meet on the Wednesday previous - Viz - May 10th 1899

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The following Committee's was appointed Viz

Finance Committee

Proposed by Mr Moses Dempsey
Seconded by Mr Thos Cleary
} Passed unanimously

"That we hereby elect a Finance Committee for the Board of Guardians consisting of 9 members with power to add to the number 3 of whom shall form a quorum — Viz —

Messrs Thos Hayes Chm. James Hennessy. James Lynch Andrew Power. Denis Lacey. John Bolger James Lambert John Linnott. Morgan Leacy.

Farm Committee

Proposed by Mr Thos Doyle
Seconded by Mr Wm Kennedy
} Passed nem con

"That we hereby form a Committee for the Farm to visit and inspect Monthly consisting of 13 Members of the Board of Guardians 3 of whom shall form a quorum — Viz

Messrs Thomas Cleary. Moses Dempsey. Daniel Nowlan
Mark Codd. Edwd O'Connor. Aidan Whelan
Richard Forrestal. Myles Slevin. ~~J Doughton~~
Thos A Rudd. ~~John Linnott~~. Moses Fortune
Daniel Doyle. John Walsh. Thos Carroll
Andrew Power

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Visiting Committee for the House

Proposed by Mr James Lynch
Seconded by Mr Daniel Nolan
} Passed nem con

That we hereby elect a Visiting Committee for the House to visit monthly consisting of 12 Members 3 of whom shall form a quorum Viz –

Messrs :- James Doyle Jun. Aidan Kelly. Myles Cooney
Philip Redmond. John Cooney. Leonard Cardwell
Andrew Power. Andrew O'Brien. Thomas Whelan
Thomas Kavanagh. Mark Kavanagh. Michael Bowman

In Temporary Overdraft to Guardians

Proposed by Mr Kennessy
Seconded by Mr. D. Nowlan
} Passed nem con

"That we the Members of the Board of Guardians of the Enniscorthy Union respectfully request the Board to grant us authority to arrange with our Treasurer for whatever temporary overdraft may be required to meet the liabilities of the Guardians for the relief of the Poor pending the receipt of money from the County Council.

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In re
Clothing to Inmates
leaving the House

William Flinn an Inmate aged about 40 yrs wrote asking the Board for some clothes for himself, wife and child and stating that he was sure of employment outside.

Proposed by Mr Thos Cleary } Passed
Seconded by " Denis Lacey } unanimously
"That 30/= worth of Clothing be allowed."

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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.

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Ditto disallowed ... ...

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The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... ...

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ...

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Hays Ch Wm. R. Snedden

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

day of.....189

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 1899

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	282
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry do		
Oulart do	67	-
TOTAL	1024	282

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	15	41	62	86	10	11	22	12	22	281
Admitted during the Week	26	24	8	1	1	1	3	6	8	80
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	41	65	70	87	11	12	27	18	30	361
Discharged during the Week	32	23	7	-	-	1	3	5	7	78
Died	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead	32	24	7	-	-	1	3	5	7	79
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	9	41	63	87	11	11	24	13	23	282

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 130	In separate Wards 41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital -	In Wards with other Inmates -
TOTAL, 130	TOTAL, 41

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	32	21	20	73
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	4	7

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of April 1899 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	249	457	-	-	249	457
No. II.	85	175	-	-	85	175
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	416	776	-	-	416	776

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 4th day of May 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Subsequently Mr James Johnson V.C
Mr Thomas Cleary, D.V.C

Other Guardians:—

Mr Owen Doyle, J.P.

There were also present—Messrs J O'Gorman, J P; Thaddeus Bolger, J P, V C; J Johnson, D V C; M Murphy, T A Rudd, A Whelan, T Asple, J J Coulihan, M Kavanagh, J Doyle, D Kavanagh, P Redmond (senior), J Cooney, J Sinnott, M Cowman, D Lacey, M Dunne, M Lacey, J Dillon, M Fortune, J S Askins, P Carty, J Murphy, J Furlong, T Cleary, A Kelly, L Cardwell, J Hennessy, T Whelan, J Browne, P Kehoe, A Goff, M Cooney, M Codd, M Slevin, P Redmond, junr.; Moses Dempsey, T Nolan, J Shea, Michael Kennedy, D Doyle, P Canning, P Kehoe, M Doyle, J Walsh, T Kavanagh, J Lynch, T Behan, D Nowlan, M O'Neill, J Lambert, J Nolan, M Doyle. Andrew Power

P Bolger

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 815 *to No.* 895 *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. 1996 *to No.* 1996 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

Paid during the week: . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 14 : 9 *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 Lists and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	36	3	3
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	47	9	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	—	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary	—	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Meat,	462	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	14	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1536	quarts	Butter,	85	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	41	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,	18	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	6	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	48	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,	1	do.	Coal,	30 Tons	
Lemons,			Tobacco,	44	ozs.
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Bread~~ Yeast	3	~~gallons~~	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... —	£		

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
17	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...	35	-	-				
18	No. II.	J. Murphy ...	15	-	-				
19	No. III.	M. Murphy ...	6	-	-				
		TOTAL	56	-	-	TOTAL,			

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[Form 1A].

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 4th day of May 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 703 to No. 895

Separate „ No. 291 to No. 292.

Out door „ No. to No.

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week from 25/3/99 £ s. d.	Received during the week from 25/3/99 £ s. d.	Total + £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total × £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	34 - 5	199 14 2	233 14 7	203 4 2	3 16 3	207 - 5	26 14 2	9790
Necessaries ...	= 2 9	54 2 =	54 4 9	48 5 =	6 11 8	54 16 8	11 11	
Total ...	34 3 2	253 16 2	287 19 4	251 9 2	10 7 11	262 17 1	26 2 3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost of Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : — : —

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday the 29th day of April 1899 was submitted as follows:—from 25th March 99

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week (Half year) ...	- - -	- - -	- - -				
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	127 - -	75 - -	60 - -				262 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	127 - -	75 - -	60 - -				262 - -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	133 12 6	64 16 -	42 15 -				241 3 6
In Kind ...	- 6 -	- - -	- - -				- 6 -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..							
7. Total Relief given	133 18 6	64 16 -	42 15 -				241 9 6
Less Due RO	6 18 6						
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	- - -	10 4 -	17 5 -				20 10 6
9. Total ...	127 - -	75 - -	60 - -				262 - -

See 134 (b)

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[Form B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 29th day of April, 18 99 from 25th March 99

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	6	10	-	-	-	
Clothing and Bedding	4	10	-			
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment	8	7				
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm	1	19				
(*c.*) Medical Charities	-	-	-			
Workhouse Farm	-	-	-			
Workhouse Burials						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccination	-	3	-			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	262	-	-			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	-	1	2			
Superannuation Allowances	4	5	-			
District School Account	-	-	-			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...	-	-	-			
Repayment of Loans	46	9	4			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-			
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-			
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	290	15	2	290	15	2
				44	9	4
Payments ordered 4th May	67	14	9	67	14	9
	404	19	3	404	19	3

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of April 1899 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.			Loans Account £ s. d.		
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month						
Total						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	290	15	2			
Payments ordered at this meeting	67	14	9	46	9	4
Total	358	9	11	46	9	4
Net Balance due to Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	358	9	11	46	9	4
	358	9	11	46	9	4
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	358	9	11	46	9	4
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due to Treasurer	358	9	11	46	9	4

above included in particulars of payment brought before Finance Committee of Guardians at Page 134

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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.
20	Owen Connolly.	Petty Cash	6	14	9
21	John Nolan (Master)	Cash paid for pigs	6	-	-
22	Bank of Ireland for Sec Board of Works Instalments on Dispy House & Residence		46	9	4

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

No. of Cheque	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 9 6/7 Ryan 10 1/7 Martin 10

The Master reported as follows:-
Mr Timothy O'Neill has supplied 200 yards of Bengal Stripe would the Board kindly have it inspected -
Ordered "A Committee consisting of Messrs. J Cleary & Redmond Senr & J. A Rudd inspected and reported equal to Sample

Mr J. Osborman has supplied 70 white Rugs for the Infirmary, please have them inspected.
Ordered "Above Committee inspected and reported equal to Sample."

The 29 Sheep on the Workhouse farm has been sold to Messrs Buttle Bros for the same price as that offered for them on the last-fair-day, viz 37/- each, less 10/- cheque for amount £53:3:0 received by me.

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Medical Officers Report-

The Agriculturist- is still very delicate and will require a further leave of absence for one fortnight-

Signed . N Furlong

4th May 1899

Agriculturist- Report-

The Agriculturist- beg to ask the Farm Committee to visit the Farm and to consult as to what is best to be sown in the field that is prepairing for green crops.

Ordered "The following farm Committee visited the farm, Messrs ÷ T. Beary. M Dempsey. J Walsh T. A Rudd and P Whelan who recommended that the following be procured 10 lbs of Mangel. Seed. 12 lbs of turnip seeds. 2,000 Cabbage plants and ½ Ton of Hay ~~Agriculturist's Report.~~ and we also recommend that the Agriculturist- be allowed to sow four drills of potatoes for himself =

Ordered "Referred to the Master and a Committee Consisting of A Power. P Bolger & J Doyle to purchase the above on the best terms procurable.

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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) :—

In re
Dietary Scale

Letter read from L.G. Board No 23.147 28th April 1899

Referring to Guardians Resolution of the 20th inst- re above, and stating that they approve of the alteration proposed to be made in the dietary of the inmates of the Workhouse on the recommendation of the Medical Officer.

In re
Church Holliday

Letter read from L.G. Board No 23,844 29th April 1899

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 26th inst-, and stating that it will be open to the Board of Guardians, if they think fit, at their meeting on the 4th May 1899 to give notice that their next meeting will be held on the 10th instead of the 11th May inst-, in accordance with Article 6 of the General Regulations.

Ordered "Next meeting of Guardians to be held on the 10th May in consequence of the 11th May being a Church Holliday."

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In re
Payment made by the Board of Guardians

Letter read from L.G. Board No 24,758 2nd May 1899

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 29th Ultimo, and stating that the Clerk may proceed as he suggested with regard to the payments to be made by the Board of Guardians at their Meeting on the 4th May next or may use forms for the purpose to correspond with those prescribed by the L.G. Board's recent Accounts Orders, and have them duly authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and two Guardians or Councillors as the case may be.

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Future Meeting of Guardians

In accordance with Notice of Motion handed in on the 20th Ultimo — duly circulated

Mr Fortune Proposed } Passed
Mr Johnson Seconded } nem Con

"That the resolution fixing the hour of meeting of Guardians at Half past one o'clock be rescinded, and that it be held at 12 o'clock as usual in future."

In re
Provision Check and Consumption a/c Books

Mr Aple proposed } Passed
Mr Cleary Seconded } unanimously

Resolved "That as there are eight large Provision Check Books on hands in this Union at present purchased several years ago by the former Clerk after been carefully revised to suit this place, which cost about £10. the Guardians most respectfully request the L.G.Board to allow the Master to use them out as there is not very much difference between them and the new Forms pattern Sheet forwarded herewith.

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In re
Post Bag for the use of
the House and Clerks Office

Ordered Unanimously

That £1:1:0 a year be paid to the Post Office Authorities for taking charge of the Private Bag and Key of same to be conveyed back and forward by a Private messenger.

In re
Flour, Oat-meal and Indian-meal
required

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

BEST BAKERS' FLOUR, OATMEAL AND INDIAN MEAL REQUIRED.

THE Board of Guardians will, at their meeting on Thursday, the 4th day of May, 1899, receive and consider Tenders for supplying at the Workhouse,

BEST BAKERS' FLOUR,

To be delivered free at the Workhouse, as may be required, at per Bag of 16 stones, nett, until the 30th September, 1899, or the 31st March, 1900, as the Board of Guardians may decide.

Sample Bags or Sacks of 16 or 20 stones to be sent in for trial, on Saturday, the 29thApril, instant, to be satisfactorily tested by the Baker, against the 4th May.

Also,

BEST OATMEAL AND BEST GRANULATED INDIAN MEAL,

At per bag of 16 stones, nett, samples of which are to be lodged with the Porter against 11 o'clock, sharp, on the 4th May.

Tenders to name two Solvent Sureties in their own handwriting, willing to sign a Bond for the due and faithfu' fulfilment of the Contract.

By Order,

OWEN CONNOLLY,
Clerk of the Union.

Enniscorthy Union, Clerk's Office,
20th April, 1899. (ij)

In reply to above advertisement the following tenders were received - Viz —

1	Laurence Kelly	Rep John Whitford Best Bakers Superlative	at 20/0 per 224lb
6	Patrick Byrne	Davis's Eclipse	20/1 " "
2	Matthew Ryan,	Kings Best, Finest Spring Patent	20/5 " "
5	Thomas Nolan,	Best Standard	20/9 " "
3	Michael Doyle,	XX flour	22/6 " "
4	Matthew Ryan,	also tendered to Supply Davis's Best Eclipse	23/= " "
7	Edward Goff.	Davis's Eclipse	20/2 " "

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all the Samples of flour sent in were tested by the Baker and laid on the Board Room table for inspection and were considered good value.

Mr Coulephan proposed } Passed {a majority of 7 vote
" Lennott Seconded } 25 for 31st March 1900 + 18 against

"That the tenders for the flour be accepted until the 21st March 1900"

Messrs Byrne & Nolan having only tendered for 6 months their Tenders fell out.

Mr Doyle mentioned no time and no Sureties having signed his Contract in accordance with advertisement his Tender was discarded.

Mr Asple proposed } That Mr Matthew Ryans tender for Kings
- Lynch Seconded } Best Spring Patent at 20/5 per 224 lbs be accepted

Mr Coulephan proposed } That Mr Kelly's tender for Best Bakers Superlative
- D Kavanagh Seconded } at 20/10 per 224 lbs be accepted.

Mr D Nowlan proposed } That Mr Edward Joffs tender for Davis's
" M Lacey Seconded } Eclipse 20/2 be accepted.

On a poll being taken 29 voted for Mr Ryan's Best Spring patent 6 voted for Mr Kelly's Superlative and 1 for Mr Joffs Eclipse Mr Matthew Ryans tender was accepted by a majority of 23 votes.

Mr Doyle tendered to supply Best Oatmeal at 23/= per 224 lbs
" Joff " " " " " " 22/9 " " "
" Ryan " " " " " 22/9 " " "
" Byrne " " " " " 22/6 " " "

Mr Byrnes tender being the lowest and no difference in the Oatmeal - was accepted until the 30th Sept 1898.

Mr Ryan tendered to supply best Indian meal @ 12/= per 224 lbs
- Byrne " " " " " 11/= " " "
- Joff " " " " " 11/6 " " "

Mr Byrnes tender accepted until 30th Sept 1898.

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COPY OF RESOLUTION.

RESOLVED—

"That we, the Members of the Board of Guardians of the Bandon Union, do hereby place on record our unalterable attachment to the principle of Home Rule for our country, believing that it is the inalienable right of the Irish People to have the management of their own affairs.

"That while we accept the Local Government Ireland Act as a measure of Justice long delayed, we protest in the most solemn manner possible, that we will never rest satisfied until the Imperial Parliament passes into law a Home Rule Bill, the same as was introduced by the late Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone, and which received the approval of the late Mr. Parnell, and the Irish Parliamentary Party, believing as we sincerely do, that Ireland can never become prosperous and contented, until she shall have the management of her own affairs."

Passed Unanimously

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 4th day of May 189 9

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr James Johnson,

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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Applicable to Part I. II or III

In re
Books and Publications under the
New accounts Order in course
of preparation by Mr Ellis Ly B'd auditor

Ordered Unanimously

"That the Clerk Order the necessary Books and Publications referred to by Mr Ellis Ly Board Auditor, and recommended by him," Viz.
The following Exemplifications

(1) The Financial Statement Books for 6 months, written up in manuscript by himself and containing items typical of every class of transaction arising in the work of a Union or District.

(2) A complete and fully balanced Ledger into which the proper posting are made from the Financial Statement Books

(3) All forms involving any complication or difficulty, which are now prescribed for the 1st time —

Also his special Ledgers for both Guardians & Rural Dt Councils with the usual entries of every possible form in print and the items where necessary classified in Seperate Columns=

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Dispensary Committees appointed at Guardians Meeting 27th April 1899

Committee for Enniscorthy Dispensary ~~Committee~~ District

Name & Address

- Thomas Hayes. P.L.G. Enniscorthy
- Thomas Cleary P.L.G. & R.D.C Ballyrake
- Andrew Power P.L.G. Enniscorthy
- James Doyle P.L.G. "
- Patrick Bolger P.L.G. "
- John Cullin J.P. P.L.G. R.D.C "
- Daniel Nolan P.L.G. R.D.C " Solsborough Enniscorthy
- Leonard Cardwell " " Clonhaston Enniscorthy
- Thomas Behan - - Tinnacross Ferns
- Daniel Doyle - - Ballinakill Enniscorthy
- Michael Kennedy " - Tomadilly Marshalstown
- Arthur Gough - - Ballyorley Boolavogue
- James Hennessy - - Kilcannon Enniscorthy
- Aidan Kelly Oylegate Carrigeen Enniscorthy
- Myles Cooney " - Ballinrode Oulart
- William Whitty ~~County C~~ Ouldarrig Oylegate

- James Donohoe. J.P. Abbey House Enniscorthy
- A. S. Davis J.P. Hollymount Enniscorthy
- Rev John Dunn Adm Enniscorthy
- " ~~Robert Fitzhenry~~ C.C. do
- " ~~James~~ Walsh P.P. Oylegate
- " James Murphy C.C. Marshalstown
- " James Ryan Monageer Ferns
- " ~~H. C. Lyster Rectory Enniscorthy~~
- Martin Donohoe Main St "
- ~~John Bolger Georges St~~ "
- ~~Aidan Harpur Main St~~ "
- ~~James O'Gorman~~ "
- James Dempsey Market Sq. "
- John Jordon Knockmarshal Enniscorthy
- Michael Donohoe Clonard
- ~~Michael Donohoe Clonard~~
- Afet Robert Gorey Hill
- Jarret Dempsey. Enniscorthy
- ~~Charles Nolan Marley~~ Enniscorthy
- John Martin Moneyhore Davidstown Enniscorthy
- ~~Patrick Kinsella Tomadilly~~ Marshalstown
- Edward Jordan Oylegate
- ~~John Gahan Ballysimon~~
- Timothy Kelly Tickmock Ferns

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Committees for Clonroche Dispensary ~~Committee~~ District

✓	Owen Doyle. P.L.G., R.D.C	Galbally	Bree
✓	Thomas Asple " "	"	"
✓	John Sinnott " "	Ballyeland	Davidstown Ecorthy
✓	Michael Cowman " "	Sparrowsland	Bree
✓	Denis Lacey " "	Courtnacuddy	Enniscorthy
✓	Moses Dunne " "	Knockmore	Enniscorthy
✓	William Kennedy " "	Tomfarney	Clonroche
✓	John Furlong " "	Chapel	do
✓	James Lynch " "	Templescoby	Davidstown Ecorthy
✓	John Mernagh " "	Coolamurry	" "
✓	Captain Bryan. J.P. ———	Bormount	Manor "
✓	A. J. Eden J.P.	Merton ~~Myrton~~	Enniscorthy
✓	Daniel Coates J.P.	Kilgibbon	Bree
✓	James O'Gorman J.P.	Killegney	Clonroche
✓	Rev Mr Quinn	Clonmore	Bree
✓	Rev Patrick O'Connor P.P.	Davidstown	Enniscorthy
✓	" T. M. Ryan C.C	Galbally	Bree
✓	" John Cleary P.P.	Cloughbawn ~~Clobawn~~	Clonroche
✓	" Patrick Sheil P.P.	Bree	
✓	" Aidan Corish. C.C	Courtnacuddy	Enniscorthy
✓	" Aidan O'Brien C.C.	Poulpeasty	Clonroche
✓	Thomas Roche	Coolroe	do
✓	Patrick Doyle	Ballybrennan	Bree
✓	Hugh Murphy	Beaufield	Clonroche
✓	M. J. Furlong	Templescoby	Enniscorthy
✓	Patrick Sinnott	Coolroe	Clonroche
✓	Mathew Breen	Ballyhyland	
✓	Thos Broyders JH	Clonmore	
	Dr McBeth	Clonroche	

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Committee for Ferns Dispensary ~~Committee~~ District

✓	Thaddeus Bolger. J. P.	P. L. & D. C.	Milltown	Ferns
✓	Thomas A. Rudd	P. L. & D. C.	Munfin	Ballycanew
✓	Aidan Whelan	" "	Clone	Ferns
✓	James Doyle	" "	Kilkasey Upper	Ferns
✓	Thomas Whelan	" "	Ferns Demesne	Ferns
✓	John Bolger	" "	" Upper	Ferns
✓	James Browne	" "	Kilbride	Ferns
✓	Patrick Kehoe	" "	Baylands	Ferns
✓	John Walsh	" "	Ballycarrigeen	Lower Ferns
✓	Thomas Kavanagh	" "	"	Ferns
✓	Michael O'Neill	" "	Ballinagale	Ferns
✓	James Lambert	" "	Lombrack	Ferns
	~~Morgan Leacy~~	" "	~~Lombrick~~ Ballycanew	
✓	James Nolan	" "	Lombrackwood	Ferns
✓	Rev John Canon Parkes	P. P.	Ferns	
✓	" Laurence Jones	C. C	"	
✓	" S. J. Cloney	C. C	"	
✓	" James Long	C. C.	Boolavogue	
✓	" Canon Gibson	The Rectory	Ferns	
✓	Peter Kennedy		Straheart	Ferns
✓	Michael Doyle	P. L. & D. C.	Ballyandrew	Ferns
✓	John Hughes		Ballymore	Ferns
✓	Patrick Donohoe		Kilcomshea	
✓	Aidan Kehoe		Tinecurry	

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Committee Killann Dispensary [redacted] District

✓	James Johnson	P.L.G. D.C.	Rathduff Killann
✓	Michael Murphy	" "	Coolacarney Ballindaggin
✓	Daniel J. O'Callaghan	"	Ballindaggin "
✓	Richard Forrestal Junr.	"	Rathmore Killann
✓	John Forrestal	" "	" Killann
✓	Mark Codd	" "	Woodlands Enniscorthy
✓	Myles Slevin	" "	Cain Enniscorthy
✓	John Shea	" "	Callentra Kilteely
✓	Edward O'Connor	" "	Coolree Kilteely
✓	Justin Sutton	" "	Wheelagower Kilteely
✓	Peter Kehoe	" "	Rossard Templeshanbo
✓	Patrick O'Connor	J.P.	Ballycrystal Kilteely
✓	Robert Whelan		Grange Killann
✓	Thomas Cleary		Freenane Killann
✓	Denis O'Connor		Monbeg Ballindaggin
✓	C. H. Murphy		Kilcullen Ballindaggin Templeshanbo
✓	Michael Roche		Newtown Kilteely
✓	Rev Thomas Meehan. P.P.		Ballindaggin
✓	" Mark Ofornan C.C.		Cain Enniscorthy
✓	Robert King		Askinvillar Kilteely
✓	James Leary		Mohurry "
✓	Rev Mr. Cooper		Killann
	Philip Bowe		Kilteely
	Michael Breen		Mangan Killann
✓	Nicholas Rickard		Ballinlug. Killann

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Com.tee Newtownbarry Dispensary [redacted] District

✓	Morgan Leacy.	P.L.G.	D.C.	Lombrick Ballycarney
✓	John Dillon	"	"	Ballyduff do
✓	William Kennedy	"	"	Garryhaston Clongorb
✓	Thomas Carroll	"	"	Ballyrorbuck Clohamon
✓	Thomas Nolan	"	"	Lackendarrig do
✓	Patrick Canning	"	"	N.T. Barry
✓	Thomas Fitzpatrick	"	"	Graiguebeg Clohamon
✓	Martin Doyle	"	"	Camtiglish Templeshanbo
✓	Patrick Brane	"	"	Ballyphilip Clohamon
✓	Thomas Brandy.	J.P.		Ashgrove Templeshanbo
✓	Francis Guilbride	"		N.T. Barry
✓	Francis Whelan	"		Graiguemore Clohamon
	~~Nicholas Kelly~~			~~Coolattin Clohamon~~
✓	Patrick Somers			Lombrick Ballycarney
✓	William Atkinson			Furteen Templeshanbo
✓	Rev J. Busher	P.P.		N.T. Barry
✓	" James Kenny	C.C.		Kilmyshall Clohamon
✓	" Patrick Darcy	P.P.		Kilrush do
✓	John Doyle			Ryland Lower do
✓	Ferdinand Murphy			Cranroe Ballycarney
✓	Denis Connors			Castlequarter Clohamon
✓	William Fitzpatrick			Moyeady Clohamon
✓	Patrick Doyle			Lombrick Ballycarney
✓	Myles Connors			Clohamon
✓	Patrick Murphy			Cromogue Templeshanbo
	~~Edward Patrick Rice~~			~~Glenwood~~
✓	N. J. O'Connor			N.T. Barry
✓	Robert Dormer			"
✓	Arthur O'Neill			Ballinahallen Ballycarney
✓	Robert McCrae			Knockalower Clohamon

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Oulart Dispensary Committee

✓ Daniel	Power	~~County Councillor~~	Ball	Woodstock ~~Ballinclash~~ Blackwater
✓ Daniel	Dempsey	"	"	Killelan Gorey
✓ John J.	Coulahan	P. L. G.	R.C.	Coolgarrow East
✓ Mark	Kavanagh	"	"	Borelia Kilnahue
✓ Denis	Kavanagh.	"	"	Killincooleybeg Tullycanew
✓ Andrew	Brien	"	"	Killeagh Blackwater
✓ Philip	Redmond	"	"	Limalaca Ballyhogue
✓ John	Cooney	"	"	Oulart
✓ Moses	Fortune	"	"	Inch Blackwater
✓ John S.	Atkin	"	"	Tarrynish do
✓ Patrick	Carty	"	"	Crosslea do
✓ James	Murphy	"	"	Ballycroebeg
✓ Philip	Redmond	"	"	Killisk Ballyhogue
✓ Moses	Dempsey	"	"	Ballina Ballymurn
✓ Rev	Edward Aylward	P. P.		Blackwater
✓ "	Patrick Kenny	"		Oulart
✓ very Rev	James Canon O'Brien	"		Ballymurrin East
Rev	Michael Keating	C. C.		Glenbrien do
~~John~~	~~Colfer~~	~~J. P~~		~~Limalaca Ballyhogue~~
✓ Patrick	Murragh	J.P.		Oulart Leigh Kilnahue
✓ John	Kehoe			Aughnacross Ballyhogue
	Laurence Kelly			Knockanevin do
✓ James	Whitty			Tarrywadden Clohamon
✓ Michael	Herron			Ballycrannell Glenbrien
~~Francis~~	~~Cullin~~			~~Killisk Ballyhogue~~
✓ Matthew	Connors			Tarrynubbock Leneen
~~John~~	~~Warren~~			~~Clonmore~~ Glenbrien
~~Edward~~	~~Pender~~			~~Ballybregagh~~ Oulart
~~Walter~~	~~Keating~~			~~Ballycommigan~~ Blackwater
✓ Denis	Kehoe			Ballintubbrid do
~~James~~	~~Donohoe~~			~~Killincooley~~ Tullycanew
✓ Philip	Scallan			Ballyvaloo Blackwater
~~Charles~~	~~Etchingham~~			~~Blackwater~~
✓ James	Crowe			Ballytarsna Oulart
✓ Owen	Kinsella			Monavullen do

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In re
Killann Dispensary House

Letter read from Dr Murphy Killann 3rd May 99

"Calling attention to the bad state of the Killann Dy House since the last storm, and also stating that if not looked after at once, the place will be seriously damaged."

Ordered "Referred to the following Guardians of the Killann Dispensary District viz - James Johnson, Michael Murphy John Shea, Austin Sutton & Myles Slevin, to visit and report to this Board as to what is required,"

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In re
Medical Officers Certificates

Mr Lambert proposed } Passed
Mr Carroll Seconded } unanimously

"That the Medical Officers are requested to issue certificates as to the state of Health of patients visited by them, on the following form, instead of on bits and scraps of papers, which shall not be recognized in future as many of them are ineligible and misleading —

Ordered "That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to each of the Medical Officers in the Union.

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Cleary Chairman
10th May 99

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~THURSDAY~~, the Wednesday, 10th day of May 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 1899

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	95	283
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		1
Newtownbarry do.....	67	1
Oulart do.....		—
TOTAL	102	284

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	9	41	63	87	11	11	24	13	23	282
Admitted during the Week	22	7	6	—	—	—	1	1	—	37
Born	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL,	31	48	69	87	11	11	25	14	23	319
Discharged during the Week	19	7	3	1	1	—	1	1	1	34
Died	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total Discharged and Dead	19	7	3	2	1	—	1	1	1	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	12	41	66	85	10	11	24	13	22	284

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	129	In separate Wards	41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	—
TOTAL,	130	TOTAL,	41

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	25	5	2	32
No. in Workhouse at date	8	2	2	12

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of May 1899 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	254	457	—	—	254	457
No. II.	86	176	—	—	86	176
No. III.	82	144	—	—	82	144
TOTAL	422	777	—	—	422	777

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of May 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Obleary D.V.C

Other Guardians:— Messrs - J. A Rudd. James Lynch James Hennessy. Thomas Kavanagh. Denis Kavanagh Mark Codd. Andrew Power. Richard Forrestal Arthur Joffe John Cooney. John J Coulfield John Bolger. Thomas Carroll

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

"The Clerk reported "That this was the first Finance meeting of the Guardians was held since the 26th March and this is the first correct and Regular Finance Minutes."

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy	—	— —	— — —
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	65	15	8
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	1	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.		3	1
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		4	5
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,	400 / 66	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1540	quarts	Butter,	64	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	38	dozens
Sugar,	2 Cwt.		Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	6	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	48	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	44	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Yeast,	3	gallons	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

Short of Similars
£1 . 0 . 0

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... — £			

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 10th day of May 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk. From 25th March to 6th May 99

Indoor, from No. 703 to No. 932

Separate ,, No. 291 to No. 292

Out door ,, No. ..... to No. .....

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week From 25/3/99 £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week from 25/3/99 to 6/5/99 By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	34 - 5	232 14 6	266 14 11	235 11 7¾	4 11 7¼	240 3 3	26 11 8	11747
Necessaries ...	- 2 9	84 17 4	87 = 1	49 9 6	7 18 =	57 7 6	29 12 7	
Total ...	34 3 2	3/9 11 10	353 15 =	285 1 1¾	12 9 7½	297 10 9	56 4 3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balauce in hand at close of previous ~~week~~ Yr	- = -	- - =	- - =				
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	266 = =	140 - =	90 = =				496 = =
3. Total to be accounted for ...	266 = =	140 = =	90				496 = =
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	159 8 6	77 18 6	51 8 =				288 15 =
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	= 6 =	- - -	- - -				- 6 =
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	- - -	- - -	- - -				- - -
7. Total Relief given	159 14 6	77 18 6	51 8 -				289 1 =
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	106 5 6	62 1 6	38 12 =				206 19 =
9. Total ...	266 = =	140 = =	90 = =				496 = =
Retained * 104:0:0	50 = =	25 = =					179
Balance on hand £2:5:6	12:1:6	13:12:0					27:19:0

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 10th day of May, 18 99

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of April, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	75	13	=			
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce				75	13	=
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	75	13	=	75	13	=

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:— from 25/3/99

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	254	=	4			
Clothing and Bedding	10	=	=			
Establishment Rent &c and Repairs &c	77	15	9			
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment	8	11	6			
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm	2	9	=			
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	12	2	5			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	-	3	=			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	496	=	=			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses		1	2			
Superannuation Allowances	5	2	=			
Estimated P Cash required until 8/6/99 District School Account ...	36	-	-			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans	46	9	4			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	948	14	6	948	14	6

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of April 18.99, including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.			Loans Account £ s. d.		
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month	75	13	=			
Total	75	13	=			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	358	9	11	46	9	4
Payments ordered at this meeting	543	15	3	=	=	=
Total	902	5	2	46	9	4
Net Balance due to Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	828	12	2	46	9	4
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	445	11	2			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	427	10	4			
Net Balance as above due to Treasurer Total ...	873	1	6			

873-1-6

1-0-0 Burial Grounds

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque	£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Percentage

Cosgrave 9 5/6 Ryan 9 2/3 Martin 10 2/6

The Master reported as follows:
The following lodgement in the Bank to the credit of the Union was made by me on the 13th Inst viz £75 : 13 : 0 being for sale of sheep and pigs

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Mother Conception asks me to apply to the Board for two wire mats for the foot of Stairs in the Convent, and two Cocoa mats for the same place

Ordered "To be procured."

I require for the use of the House two Watering Cans one for the Fever Hospital and one for the Workhouse, and ½ doz White Wash brushes.

Ordered "To be procured."

State of the House

Number in Original Building		269
" " Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		1
Number corresponding day Last Year		306

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Quarters Report

27 men admitted — 8 men broke 21 cwt stone
3 " carried in unbroken stone
12 " pumped water
4 " unable to work

3 women " — 2 women washed out Probation ward
1 " unable to work

2 Children " — unable to work

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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):—

In re
Relief of Pauper Children out of the Workhouse

Letter read from L.G. Board No 85 M., 1899 4th May 1899

Forwarding Order of the L.G. Board for Ireland under the Pauper Children (Ireland) Act, 1898, 61 and 62 Vict., Ch. 30.
And stating that Out-door Relief to the class in question by nursing out; or boarding out is now extended in Ireland from children of 13 to children of 15 years of age,
The Law is permissive only, and Boards of Guardians which may adopt it will find that in framing the present Regulations the L.G. Board have endeavoured to secure that the children shall be as well fed, clothed, lodged, cared for, educated, and trained as possible in every case,
And that the Act itself copy enclosed, provides that the foster-parent shall be of the same religion as that in which the child has been registered.
&c. &c.

Ordered "Consideration postponed,"

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In Re
Examination of Relieving Officers
Books and accounts

Letter Read from L.G. Board No 26,874 9th May 1899

Acknowledging receipt of letter of the 8th inst. in reference to the attendance of the Relieving Officers for the examination of their Books and accounts, the L.G. Board refer the Clerk to Article 48 No 10 of the General Regulations, also stating that the matter should be brought before the Guardians at their next meeting.

Ordered "That Relieving Officers present to the Clerk on every Monday in future all their prescribed books of Accounts for his inspection and authentication, and to the Board of Guardians at every ordinary meeting in accordance with Article 48 No 10 of the General Regulations

Ordered
That the Relieving Officers attend here on Monday punctually for the purpose of Registering their cases as well as having their Books written up and examined by the Clerk

That the Relieving Officers supply the Board of Guardians with Lists form 30 of recepients of Out-Door Relief

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of May 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Cleary, D.C.C

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

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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

In re
Vaccination Defaulters
Oulart, Dy, D.I.

Dr P.J. Murphy, M.O
Oulart.
reported
10/5/99.

No defaulters in March Quarter as Vaccination was postponed and has now commenced."

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

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

Thomas Hayes Chairman
Board Guardians
1899

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of May 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1899

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	283
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		1
Newtownbarry do.....	67	=
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024	284

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	12	41	66	85	10	11	24	13	22	284
Admitted during the Week -	16	8	4	-	2	-	4	1	4	39
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	28	49	70	85	12	11	28	14	26	323
Discharged during the Week -	17	10	5	1	-	-	3	1	2	39
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead -	17	10	5	1	-	-	3	1	2	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	11	39	65	84	12	11	25	13	24	284

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	126	In separate Wards	41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL.	127	TOTAL,	41

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week .	18	5	9	32
No. in Workhouse at date	6	1	6	13

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of May 1899 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	261	460	-	-	261	460
No. II.	86	176	-	-	86	176
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	429	780	-	-	429	780

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of May 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ Thomas Asple. John Shea
Richard Forrestal Junr. Myles Slevin. Mark Kavanagh
John Bolger Edward O'Connor. Mark Codd
James Johnson. James Lynch. Thomas Whelan
Daniel J. O'Callaghan. James Hennessy. Thomas A Rudd
Thomas Fitzpatrick Owen Doyle. Michael Murphy
Leonard Cardwell. ~~Andrew~~ Aidan Whelan. Justin Sutton
James Doyle. Patrick Bolger.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account ..... *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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total	— —	—	— — —
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 12 : 9 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -

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

Meat,	456	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	140	Stone	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1492	quarts	Butter,	6/1	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	39	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	7	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts. Balbo
Lemons,			Tobacco,	42	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Barm, yeast	3	gallons	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

£ s. d.

In Money ... ... — ...

In Kind ... ...

Total ... — £

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...			
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...			
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...			
		TOTAL		TOTAL,	

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 13th day of May 18 99.

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 932 to No. 971

Separate ,, No. 292 to No. 292

Out door ,, No. ..... to No. .....

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	26 11 8	32 8 7	59 = 3	35 1 8	= 15 2	35 16 10	23 3 5	1926
Necessaries ...	29 12 7	4 14 1	30 6 8	6 7 2	1 2 8	7 9 10	22 16 10	
Total ...	56 4 3	33 2 8	89 6 11	41 8 10	1 17 10	43 6 8	46 = 3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : - : -

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 18 99 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £ s. d	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2 5 6	12 16	13 12 -				27 19 =
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26 . -	15 - -	5 . -				46 . -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	28 5 6	27 16	18 12 =				73 19 =
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	25 3 -	12 12 -	9 1 -				46 16 -
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . .	. . .	. . .				
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	. . .	. . .	. . .				
7. Total Relief given	25 3 -	12 12 -	9 1 -				46 16 -
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	3 2 6	14 9 6	9 11 -				27 3 -
9. Total ...	28 5 6	27 16	18 12 -				73 19 -

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Per Centage

Cosgrave 9 7/8 Ryan 10 Martin 10 1/8

State of the House

Number in Original Building 267
" " Fever Hospitals "

Number corresponding day last year 302

Porters Report

21 men admitted 6 men broke 23 cwt Stones
4 " Carried in unbroken stones
10 " pumped water
1 " unable to work

10 Women admitted 7 women washed out Probation ward
3 " unable to work

12 Children " unable to work

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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):—

In re
Temporary Overdraft-

Letter read from Ly Board No 24.536 6 E May 99

Acknowledging Guardians Resolution of the 27 Ult^o re above and stating that on learning the probable amount of the overdraft required by the Guardians and the rate of interest to be paid thereon the Ly Board will be prepared to consider the Guardians application

Letter read from J E Lloyd. Manager National Bank Ltd Enniscorthy dated 18 E May 1899

Referring to the resolution of the Board of Guardians of the 27 Ult^o and the reply of the Ly Board dated 6 Instant.

The Directors have authorised me to give the Board of Guardians a temporary overdraft pending receipt of money from the County Council.

The rate to be 4 % and from 1 to 1½ deposit interest on over balances.

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In re
Provision Check Book

Letter read from L.G. Board No 27112 16th May 99 } Acknowledging Guardians resolution of the 4th inst. re above. And stating that under the exceptional circumstances mentioned by the Guardians, the L.G. Board will raise no objection to the Provision Check a/c being continued in the books at present in use."

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Church Holiday

Proposed by Mr Lynch } Passed
Seconded by Mr Slevin } unanimously

That as Thursday June 1st will be a Church Holiday this Board shall hold its Meeting on Wednesday the 31st May 1899. as will also the Rural D.C. Meeting

In re
Relieving Officers Report

Mr Martin Murphy, R.O. reported that a man named Thomas Rigney aged 31 years single & labourer is in receipt of 2/= a week out door relief — The Doctors Certificate states that he is suffering from a brain injury for the past 2½ years, and likely to Continue so for the remainder of his life.

Ordered "The Board of Guardians most respectfully request the L.G.Board to inform them if it is legal to give out door relief in this case."

The Board of Guardians also wish to know if it is necessary for the Relieving Officers to stamp (Paying Orders) in the Bank for the amount received for O.D.R."

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In re
Death of Mr John Mernagh P.L.G

—"That we, the members of the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians, hereby tender our heartfelt sympathy with the family of the late Mr John Mernagh, Coolamurry, Davidstown, in their sad bereavement. Mr Mernagh was for many years a most respected member of this board. He was ever remarkable for his great charity towards the deserving poor, for whom he had always a kindly word, and as a mark of respect to his memory, we hereby adjourn this meeting of the board."

Mr Owen Doyle said that as an old friend and an old colleague he took a melancholy pleasure in seconding the resolution. He knew Mr Mernagh not only as a guardian, but for many years before that he knew him as an old and valued friend. Perhaps he (Mr Doyle) would miss Mr Mernagh out of public life as much as anybody else. He was heartily sorry and he begged to second the resolution.

Mr Connolly, Clerk of the Union, said—I may join Mr Doyle in saying that I have known the late Mr Mernagh for many years, and I am therefore, in a position to endorse every word expressed in that resolution, as well as every thing Mr Doyle has said. I know Mr Mernagh was always foremost in rendering assistance to the poor, which he was very anxious to do. I regret his unexpected death, and although he has been ailing since last March, still we had expected to see him there again. But the Almighty has willed it otherwise. A few years more and we must all follow him in that last sad and weary journey—to "that bourne whence no traveller returns." Yes, a few years more and we shall all be sleeping our long last sleep beneath the green sod of Mother Erin, and others will take our places here, as will be the case with our lamented friend.

The resolution was adopted, and the board then adjourned without transacting any further business.

"The Board was accordingly adjourned and no other business transacted".

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 18th day of May 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes.

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

Re
Repairs to Doctors residence
at Killann

Proposed by Mr Asple
Seconded by Mr O Doyle
} Passed
nem con

That the following members of Killann Dispensary District be added to the Committee appointed on the 4th May 1899, to inspect above residence and report to this Board by the 25th inst:"
Viz- Messrs :- Richard Forrestal Jun- John Forrestal
D.J. O Ballaghan Mark Bodd
Edward O Connor Peter Kehoe

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.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

James Johnson b h An
25th of the 5 99

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 25th day of May 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of May 1899

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	277
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry do	67	-
Oulart do.....		-
TOTAL	1024	277

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	11	39	65	84	12	11	25	13	24	284
Admitted during the Week -	19	6	5	4	-	-	3	2	-	39
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	30	45	70	88	12	11	28	15	24	323
Discharged during the Week -	18	8	5	2	3	-	6	2	2	46
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead -	18	8	5	2	3	-	6	2	2	46
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	12	37	65	86	9	11	22	13	22	277

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 126	In separate Wards 41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital -	In Wards with other Inmates -
TOTAL, 126	TOTAL, 41

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 5	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	20	4	5	31
No. in Workhouse at date	7	2	2	11
No. at corresponding period last year,				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of May 1899 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	263	464	-	-	263	464
No. II.	91	185	-	-	91	185
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	436	793	-	-	436	793

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 25th day of May 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*—† Mr James Johnson, V.C

Other Guardians:—Messrs ÷ Philip Redmond Junr. John Limott. †Denis Lacey. †Aidan Kelly John J Coulighan. James Lynch. John Cooney Michael Cowman. †James Lambert. John Boyer Andrew Power. Patrick Boyer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account ..... the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy	—	—	— — —
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8 : 3 : 6 was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -			
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - -			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - -			

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

Cost of Stimulants £2 : 1 : 8

Meat,	444	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	16	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1448	quarts	Butter,	60	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	42	dozens
Sugar,	2	Cwt 1-	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	8	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts. Bakers
Lemons,			Tobacco,	42	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Barm,~~ Yeast	3	~~gallons~~ galls	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors: Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 25th day of May 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 971 to No. 1010

Separate „ No. 292 to No. 292

Out door „ No. 2001 to No. 2080

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of May 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week: By Inmates			By Officers			Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	23	3	5	33	9	7	56	13	=	35	7	4	=	15	4	36	2	8	20	10	4	
Necessaries ...	22	16	10	1	3	8	24	=	6	6	7	10	1	2	8	7	10	6	16	10	=	1892
Total ...	46	=	3	34	13	3	80	13	6	41	15	2	1	18	=	43	13	2	37	=	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : =: =

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of May 18 99 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	3 2 6	14 9 6	9 11 =				27 3 =
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26 = =	10 = =	5 = =				41 = =
3. Total to be accounted for ...	29 2 6	24 9 6	14 11 =				68 3 =
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	25 1 6	12 15 =	8 12 6				46 8 =
In Kind ...	- - -	. . .	. . .				- - .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- - -	- 6 -	- 7 -				= 13 =
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	- - -	- - -	- - -				- - .
7. Total Relief given	25 1 6	13 1 =	8 19 6				47 2 =
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	4 1 =	11 8 6	5 11 6				21 1 =
9. Total ...	29 2 6	24 9 6	14 11 =				68 3 0

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Per Centage

Cosgrave 9/7 Ryan 10 Martin 10

The Master reported as follows ÷

The Assistant School Mistress is sick and unable to do duty. Certificate read from Dr. Furlong dated 24th May as follows =

"I certify that the Assistant School Mistress (Mrs Howlin) has had a very bad attack of influenza since Friday last and that she will be unable to resume her duties for about one week,

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In consequence of the death of the Bakers wife he has not been on duty during this week, I therefore had to employ a man to do his duty at 26/= per week.

Ordered "Sanctioned"

Mr. Dempsey has supplied 150 Yards of Blay Calico 441 Yards Irish Flannel and 163 Yards of Twilled Linen for Sheeting will the Board please have it inspected.

Ordered "A Committee consisting of Messrs ÷ J Linnott A Power. and P. Bolger. inspected and reported equal to Sample."

State of the House

Number in Original Building	276
" " Fever Hospitals	"
" Corresponding day last year	296

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Agriculturist Report

The Agriculturist reported that he had purchased three bags of superphosphate from Mr James Donohoe as ordered by Farm Committee, price £2:8:0 per ton, and there will be about 8 bags more required for the turnips.

Ordered "To be procured from Mr Donohoe.

I also wish to report to the Board that the Potato Sprayers would be a great deal safer from breakage if they were put on something like a water cart with light wheels at least 48 inches in diameter and the barrel made permanent thereon, it is very inconvenient and risky to be changing them from car to car frequently, besides it is very difficult to get suitable cars, and people who have them do not like to give them for that purpose.

Ordered "The Master to ascertain the cost of suitable cars for Potato Sprayers."

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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) :—

In re
Collection of Seed Rate

Cir Letter read from L.G. Board No 212 M/1899 dated 12th May 99

Drawing the attention of the Board of Guardians to the terms of Section 5 of the Seed Supply and Potato Spraying (Ireland) Act 1898, & C, & C and stating that it will be necessary for the Guardians, under Sub Section 8, to forward to the County Council a list of the persons owing seed rate in the Union. =

Ordered "No Seed rate due

In re
Flour Contract

Letter read from L.G. Board No 28507 24th May 99

Forwarding a letter they received from Mr. T. B. Moffat relating to above and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject.

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Mr T B Moffat's Letter to L.G. Board.

Enniscorthy, May 1899.

DEAR SIR—I enclose you a copy of the FREE PRESS of the 5th May, and beg to draw the attention of the Local Government Board to the giving away of the contract of flour by the Guardians of the Enniscorthy Union. Tenders for best bakers flour appears to have been sent as follows—

Rejected (1) Patrick Byrne, per bag 16 stone, £1 0s 1d.

Rejected (2) Edward Goff, do do, £1 0s 2d.

Rejected (3) Thomas Nolan, do do. £1 0s 9d.

Rejected (4) Laurence Kelly, do do, £1 0s 10d.

Rejected (5) Michael Doyle, do do, £1 2s 6d.

(6) Matthew Ryan, do do £1 3s.

I am informed that No. 6 (Mr M Ryan) had two tenders in—one for American flour, per 16 stone, at £1 0s 5d. Numbers 1 and 2 were, I understand, for the best Irish bakers' patent flour. The guardians passed over the lowest tender for the best Irish flour, the next lowest for the same, and gave the contract to a contractor for American flour at a higher figure. As a ratepayer I protest against the passing over of the lowest tender; as an Irishman I strongly object to the giving a preference to foreign flour at a higher price. Local industries will soon be crushed if a premium is to be put on foreign stuffs by those who should protect the ratepayers' pockets. I beg formally to draw the attention of the Local Government Board to the matter.

Your obedient servant,

THOMAS B. MOFFAT.

Ordered

The Guardians in the exercise of their discretion after inspecting the bread laid on the Board Room table manufactured from the different Samples of Flour sent in for trial and comparing the tender & prices of same made the best selection they could under all the circumstances – neither the highest ~~or lowest~~ or lowest tender was accepted, but the tender that was accepted was from a contractor – Mr Ryan – who had proved himself highly satisfactory with his previous contracts – besides in this case he was the old contractor and the Guardians were aware that they were paying up to 25/= & 26/= Per Bag for a third quality of flour up to the time he commenced to tender for the best flour at the same price as the Guardians were paying for a third quality.

On the occasion of the last contract the two lowest tenders quoted Davis's "Eclipse" at 20/1 and 20/2 per 16 stone Bag respectively.

Mr Ryan quoted Davis's "Best Eclipse" from their printed price list at 23/= per 16 stone – which left the Guardians under the impression that there were two qualities of "Eclipse" flour = and they did not like the bread made from either of the cheap samples as well as the bread made from the Finest Spring patent flour which they accepted =

To day the Baker was called before the Board and questioned as to its quality and he gave it the highest praise for both quality and produce, =

On the day the Flour Contract was considered there were 54 Members present

18 Members left immediately after the District Council Meeting

29 " voted for Mr Ryans tender

6 " voted " " Kelly's "

1 " " " " Goff's "

~~The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his~~

Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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In re
Checking of Rate Collectors Books

Proposed by Mr Lynch
Seconded by Mr Lacey
} Passed unanimously

—"That this board thoroughly approve of the general order of the Local Government Board known and cited as the 'County Councils Order' recommending the Co Council (article 24, 4 and 5) to authorise their secretary to appoint as his deputy—for the discharge of the duties of examining and checking the books of the collectors of the poor-rate in any rural district—the clerk of any union which is in whole or in part situate in the county, as we are convinced that such a course will save very considerable expense, inconvenience and risk."

We therefore respectfully request the County Council of Wexford to instruct their Secretary to comply with the L.G. Board's Order & recommendation by appointing the Clerks of Unions in this County to discharge the duties referred to with which they are thoroughly conversant.

That a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the County Council at once

In re
Spraying Machine

Mr J Chambers wrote asking the Board for a Spraying Machine to spray Charlock in Barley.
Ordered "Allowed"

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In re
Poor Rate Collectors

Mr Lacey Proposed
Mr Lynch Seconded } Passed
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"That this board have great pleasure in bearing testimony to the very efficient and satisfactory manner in which the poor-rate collectors of this union discharged their duties, and from what we know of them we are firmly convinced they will discharge their duties to the County Council fully as satisfactorily as they did to the guardians, and we trust there will be no hesitation in employing them. Having been informed that there is some suggestion made to split up the district hitherto collected by Collector Sullivan, this board is of opinion that such a course would be a grave mistake, as Mr Sullivan is well able to do the work and made the two collections of last year exceedingly satisfactory; at the close of which he had no collectable arrears outstanding, although there was £9 transferred to him when he commenced. We feel assured that Mr Sullivan will give the same satisfaction to the County Council as he gave to us. We further think it would be a dangerous experiment to give away a part of this collection to a new man unacquainted with the district."

In re
Fever Hospital Ambulance

Dr Kelly M.O Enniscorthy wrote as follows 23rd May 1899

To ask when the new Ambulance for Fever Hospital will be ready,
Ordered "The Master to enquire when it will be finished

And Nurse to attend same
Ordered "Postponed."

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In re
Clothing to Inmates.

Richard Codd an inmate wrote asking the Board to grant him a pair of boots as he intended leaving the House.

Ordered "Boots allowed cost to not exceed 6/-"

In re
Vacancy in the Representation of Electoral Divisions

The Guardians respectfully request the L.G.Board to inform them, as to what steps they will take, to fill up the vacancy created by the death of Mr John Monagh who was one of the Guardians and District Councillors elected at the recent Election to represent the Electoral Division of the Leap.

also as to the insufficient representation of the Electoral Division of Moyacomb owing to the fact that at the late Election one of the Candidates for that Division was not validly nominated."

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Eviction Notice.

George Murphy
Ballygarron
Kilmuckridge

Myles ~~Downey~~
Killincooley

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 25th day of May 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr James Johnson

Other Guardians :— Also present—Messrs P Redmond, junr ; John Bolger, J Sinnott, D Lacy, A Kelly, J J Coulighan, J Lynch, J Cooney, M Cowman, J Lambert, P Bolger. A Power.

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Killann Dispensary District. Mr. of

In re
Repairs to Medical Officers residence at Killann

The Committee appointed at Guardians Meeting of the 18 Inst to visit and inspect above residence has made the following report=

After inspecting the damage done by the recent storm and fearing that further expense and damage might occur by delaying the work of repairs, decided in giving contract for same to Mr Walter Sinnott for the sum of £9. the contractor to find all materials and perform the work to the satisfaction of the Committee.

The Contractor agrees, to provide slates, cement and sand, hack off old mortar off the eave damp, and sponge it and fill up to the proper level with cement; provide an eave run for the offices, to provide slates, take off the loose ones put on new, render and repair with plaster inside, and fasten on all slates that are loose on the dwelling and offices=

Ordered "That Mr Sinnotts tender be accepted for the sum of £9= no payment to be made until the Committee report."

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.)*

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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 L.G. Board No 26.711 *dated* 12th May 1899

~~stating that~~

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 4th instant. and requesting to be informed what steps have been taken under Articles 10, 21, 23, and 26 of the Dispensary Rules =

Ordered

(1) On the last Thursday of every Month the Chairman of the day to delegate to the Guardians of the different Dispensary Districts power to examine the Register and other books belonging to Medical Officers and bring anything particular thereon before the Board of Guardians =

2) "That strong waterproof canvas with good sufficient straps to contain about 6 Books to be procured by the Master or Clerk

3) That the Clerk ascertain from the Medical Officers as to the best means of getting in their Books on the last Thursday of every Month to the Board Room

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

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

CLONROCHE . *Dispensary District, containing* 58 *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* 480 *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* 20 *names,*

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

"Referred to the Relieving Officers to report in 3 weeks."

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

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

Thomas Hayes Ch. Mun.
31/5/99

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~THURSDAY~~ Wednesday, the 31st day of May 1899

Signed, Owen Connolly
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th ~~day~~ of May 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	95	275										
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		=										
Newtownbarry do.....		=										
Oulart do.....	67	=										
TOTAL	102	275										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	37	65	86	9	11	22	13	22	277
Admitted during the Week -			23	6	8	1	-	-	1	3	2	44
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
TOTAL,			35	43	73	87	9	11	23	16	25	322
Discharged during the Week -			22	9	8	-	-	-	3	4	1	47
Died - - - - - -			2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Discharged and Dead -			22	9	8	-	-	-	3	4	1	47
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	34	65	87	9	11	20	12	24	275

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	131	In separate Wards	41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL	131	TOTAL	41

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	26	4	4	34
No. in Workhouse at date	8	-	-	8

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of May 1899 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	265	474	-	-	265	474
No. II.	89	181	-	-	89	181
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	436	799	-	-	436	799

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 31st day of May 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— present—Messrs Moses Fortune, Daniel Nowlan, D Lacey, M Lynch, J J Coulighan, John Shea, Owen Doyle, J P; Thos Cleary, Andrew Power, John Sinnott, John Bolger, Michael Murphy, T A Rudd, Mark Kavanagh, James Doyle, P Redmond, J Cooney, Wm Kennedy, James Browne, P Kehoé, John Furlong, A Goff, John Forrestal, Myles Slevin, Moses Dempsey, junr; Philip Redmond, senr; E O Connor, [redacted], D Doyle, Martin Doyle, P Crane senr; Michael O'Neill.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

"The Clerk reported that there will be some suitable forms required for the Board Room.

Ordered "To be procured."

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 7 : 4 was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was *Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*	35	2	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - *Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*	42	15	4
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 :—

Cost of Stimulants £2 : 3 : 5

Meat,	452	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	16	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1496	quarts	Butter,	64	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	42	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	8	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	26	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	42	ozs.
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Barm,~~ Yeast	3	~~gallons~~ galls	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors: Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 31st day of May 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1010 to No. 1055

Separate ,, No. 292 to No. 292

Out door ,, No. 2080 to No. 2467

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of May 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	20 10 4	33 18 7	54 8 11	34 15 11	= 15 2	35 11 1	18 17 10	1917
Necessaries ...	16 10 -	20 3 9	17 13 9	6 1 7	1 28	7 4 3	10 9 6	
Total ...	37 =	53 22 4	72 2 8	40 17 6	1 17 10	42 15 4	29 7 4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3:1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4:5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of May 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £ s. d	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4 1 -	11 8 6	5 11 6				21 1 =
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26 - -	10 - -	5 - -				41 = =
3. Total to be accounted for ...	30 1 -	21 8 6	10 11 6				62 1 =
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 17 6	12 - 6	9 3 6				46 1 6
In Kind ...	- - -	- - -	- - -				- - -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- 3 -	- - -	- - -				- 3 -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	- - -	- - -	- - -				- - -
7. Total Relief given	25 = 6	12 = 6	9 3 6				46 4 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	5 = 6	9 8 =	1 8 =				15 16 6
9. Total ...	30 1 -	21 8 6	10 11 6				62 1 =

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Per Centage

Cosgrave 10 Ryan 10/3 Martin 10/6

The Master reported as follows
Mr Dempsey has supplied 160 yards Linen for Sheeting and 134 yards of Linsey Woolsey, Will the Board please have it inspected =
Ordered "A Committee consisting of Messrs M Llewin. M Murphy. J Lunidy and A Bowes inspected and reported equal to Sample,"

State of the House

Number in Original Building 266
" " Convalescent Hospital 1

Number corresponding day last year 295

"A Woman named Bessie Reilly aged 45 years, and her Daughter Margaret aged 13 yrs, has been offered £8. and £4. a year respectively by Mr Boates J.P. provided She & her Daughter be allowed to go out to service and leave two children aged 10 and 7½ yrs after her in the House, under the circumstances mentioned the guardians would wish to know from the L.G.Board could she be allowed out and leave the children after her."

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Medical Officers Report

Doctor Furlong reported that a patient named Wm Kinsella is suffering from an ailment that will require a very serious operation Would the Board kindly have him sent to the Mater Misericordiae Hospital where he could be properly treated =

Ordered 4/7 To be sent to the Mater Hospital. the Master to accompany him.

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Agriculturist's Report.

The Agriculturist reported that he will require two men for a few days to get out the manure for the turnips as the men in the House are unable to work.

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) :—

In re
Relief of Pauper Children out of the Workhouse

Referring to L.G. Board's Letter No 85, M 1899 This dated 24th May 1899, which was read at Boards Meeting of the 10th instant, was again read and consideration postponed."

In re
Out Door Relief

Letter read from L.G. Board No 29652 29th May 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 18th inst; as to the legality of affording Out door Relief to a man named Thomas Rigney; and stating that unless this man is permanently disabled by reason of infirmity or bodily or mental defect he cannot be afforded Out door Relief under the provisions of Section 1 of the Act 10 Vic. C. 31

Ordered "Referred to Relieving Officer."

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In re
Transfer of Money from Co Council

Read Notification ~~Form~~ 28 from Secretary of County Council of Transfer of £2,000 as first Instalment from the County ~~Council~~ Fund to the Treasurer of the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians (The National Bank Ltd Enniscorthy.)

The Late Mr John Mernagh.

The following letters were read:

"The Manse, May 30th, '99.

To the members of the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians.

"Gentlemen—I feel very deeply indeed your goodness in unanimously passing at a recent meeting of your board a resolution expressing at the same time sentiments of sympathetic respect of my poor father, and of condolence with his sorrowful relatives. The death of a parent leaves in the old home a vacancy which cannot be otherwise filled, but I can assure, you that my friends and I, who mourn such a great loss, will find no small comfort in your kind remarks and words of sympathy.—I am, gentlemen, yours very sincerely,

"Nicholas Mernagh, C C."

"Gentlemen—I acknowledge with gratitude the receipt of your message of condolence. It is a great comfort to me to know that my poor husband is so kindly remembered by his colleagues of the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians, and my family join me in thanking them for their resolution of sympathy with us at his sad death.—I am, gentlemen, very gratefully

"Anne Mernagh."

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Collection of Poor-Rate

Letter read from W. H. Pigott Sec County Council dated 29th May 99 } Requesting to be furnished with a return showing the average annual amount of Poor Rate Collected and lodged for 3 years last, ending 29th Sept 1897, and also the valuation of the Union off which Poor Rate Collected.

Ordered "Referred to the Clerk.

In re
Compulsory Vaccination Act-

Mr Thomas Cleary proposed
Mr James Lynch Seconded } Passed unanimously

"That the L/Board is respectfully requested to inform the Board of Guardians which is it the duty of the Medical Officers or the Relieving Officers to serve notice on defaulters under above Act.

In re
Tea Contract-

Mr Daniel Nowlan proposed
Mr Thos Fortune Seconded } Passed nem con

That Tea be advertised at 1/6 per lb instead of 1/3 per lb

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~THURSDAY~~ Wednesday, the 31st day of May 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____ _____

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Enniscorthy Dispensary District. ~~No.~~ ~~of~~

Letter read from Mrs A. J. Donohoe Midwife of above Dispensary Dt- dated 31st May '99 as follows

My district extends for six miles on every side of Enniscorthy and since I have been appointed to same the dispensary patients have refused to bring a car for me, I am therefore obliged to hire a car to bring me to these cases. My salary as a Midwife cannot afford me such money. Therefore want your directions as to whether I shall hire a car and send the account to your Board, or can I compel these people to bring a car for me.

Ordered "Referred to Ly Board."

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.)*

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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

In re
Compulsory Vaccination Act-

Mr. Thomas Cleary Proposed } Passed
Mr. James Lynch Seconded } nem con

"That the LG Board is respectfully requested to inform the Board of Guardians which is it the duty of the Medical Officers or the Relieving Officers to serve notice on defaulters under above act.

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

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

Hon Hays Chairman.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of June 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Workhouse	95	72	66									
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital												
Newtownbarry do	6	7	1									
Oulart do			-									
TOTAL	102	79	67									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	34	65	87	9	11	20	12	24	275
Admitted during the Week			15	11	3	-	-	1	3	1	1	35
Born			-	-	-	-	-	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL,			28	45	68	87	9	12	23	13	26	311
Discharged during the Week			25	9	3	-	-	1	3	1	1	43
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead			25	9	4	-	-	1	3	1	1	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			3	36	64	87	9	11	20	12	25	267

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	133	In separate Wards 41	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL	134	TOTAL, 41	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	16	9	6	31
No. in Workhouse at date		-	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1899 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I	264	473			264	473
No. II.	88	180			88	180
No. III.	82	144			82	144
TOTAL	434	797			434	797

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of June 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ M Cowman. J Asple
J Lynch. J Kavanagh. J J Coulighan. A Whelan
J A Rudd. J Murphy. M Dunne. M Cooney
M Codd. J Carroll. A Bower. P Bolger

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week: - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account ..... 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total	— — —	— — —	— — —
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 9 : 8 : 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 Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	33	2	7
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -	42	11	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -			

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

Meat,	451	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	16	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	40	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1516	quarts	Butter,	63	lbs.
Tea,	60	~~lbs~~	Eggs,	44	dozens
Sugar,	2	~~lbs~~	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,	2	~~lbs~~
Wine,	8	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	~~Tons~~ Newport
Lemons,			Tobacco,	42	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Patent	3	~~gallons~~	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

Cost of Stimulants £2 : 0 : 5

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 8th day of June 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1055 to No. 1091

Separate ,, No. 292 to No. 292

Out door ,, No. 2467 to No. 2468

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week: By Inmates			By Officers			Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	18	17	10	32	8	11	51	6	9	34	15	2	=	15	4	35	10	6	15	16	3	
Necessaries ...	10	9	6	=	13	8	11	3	2	5	18	5	1	2	8	7	1	1	4	2	1	1896
Total ...	29	7	4	33	2	7	62	9	11	40	13	7	1	18	=	42	11	7	19	18	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I.	District No. II	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5 = 6	9 8 =	1 8 =				15 16 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	✓ 26 = =	✓ 15 = =	✓ 10 = =				51 = =
3. Total to be accounted for ...	31 - 6	24 8 =	11 8 =				66 16 6
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 14 =	11 16 6	5 =				45 15 6
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . .	. . .	6				6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	24 14 -	11 16 6	9 11 -				46 1 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	6 6 6	12 11 6	1 17 -				20 15 -
9. Total ...	31 - 6	24 8 =	11 8 =				66 16 6

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 8th day of June, 18 99

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of May, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	9			2000	-	-
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	2000	-	-	2000	=	=

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	162	3	11			
Clothing and Bedding	28	10	11			
Establishment	8	18	-			
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	2	19	2			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	2	2	6			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	194	-	-			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
Estimated Petty Cash required District School Account until 1/7/99 ...	30	-	-			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer Total Amount of Orders issued	428	14	6	428	14	6

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ..... May .....18..99 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £	s.	d.	Loans Account £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Total sums received during the month	2000	-	-			
Total	2000	-	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	873	1	6			
Payments ordered at this meeting	428	14	6			
Total	1301	16	=			
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	698	4	-			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	1141	13	2			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	443	9	2			
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer	698	4	=			

B Grounds 1-0-0

697-4-0

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Per Centage

Ryan 9 3/4 Cosgrave 9 3/8 Martin 9 3/4

The Master reported as follows ÷

The Presentation Convent Kilkenny has supplied 233 yards of blay Linen, which the Board please have it inspected,

Ordered " Messers ÷ Coulighan, Lynch & Asple Committee appointed inspected and reported equal to Sample

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The Assistant School mistress resumed duty on the 1st instant-

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With reference to the Patient Wm Kinsella, who Dr Furlong has recommended and the Board has sanctioned to be sent to the Matermisericordiæ Hospital for the purpose of having an operation performed on him. The Doctor has requested me to state to the Board that it will be necessary for him to travel by rail 2nd class in order to have the use of a water closet, as he will require it frequently during the journey. He will also require a Coat, Trousers, and Shirt as the articles his property here are simply in rags-

	s	d
Cost of third class return ticket to Dublin	10	9
" " Second " " " "	16	3

Ordered "That the Patient and Master travel 2nd Class as recommended by the Doctor, and that 12/= be allowed for Clothes."

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Porters Report

17 men admitted — 8 men broke 30 cwt Stones
4 " Carried in unbroken Stone
4 " pumped water
1 " unable to work

9 Women " — 7 Women Washed out. Probation ward
2 " unable to work

5 Children " — " " "

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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):—

In re
Application for Inmates

Letter read from L.G. Board No 32,664 7th June '99

Acknowledging Guardians Minutes of the 31st Ultimo, relative to the proposal to allow an inmate of the Workhouse named Bessie Reilly to take her discharge and leave two of her Children in the Workhouse, and stating that if this woman takes her discharge she must bring all her children with her unless Medical or Surgical aid is required in their case.

In re
Remuneration to Temporary Baker

Letter read from L.G. Board No 310 99 1st June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 25th Ultimo, and expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of 26/- a week to above, and requesting that the precise period during which this man was employed may be recorded on the Minutes =

Ordered "Employed for one week."

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In re
Paying Orders issued to R. Os

Letter read from L.G. Board No 29,652 1st June 1899

Stating that if the paying Order amounts to £2 or over, the "Receipt for amount Paid" prescribed on page 35 of the Union Accounts Order 1899, must have a penny Stamps affixed before the Order is presented to the Bank for Payment.

In re
Temporary Overdraft.

Letter read from L.G. Board No 29. 652 2nd June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 30th Ultimo, and stating that they Sanction the proposal of the Guardians to obtain a Temporary overdraft from their Treasurer (pending the receipt of funds from the County Council) at a rate of Interest not exceeding 4 per cent per annum

In re
Relief of Pauper Children out of the Workhouse

Referring to L.G. Board's Letter No 86. M/1899 miscellaneous dated 4th May 1899 which was read at Board Meeting of the 31st Ultimo, was again read and consideration postponed."

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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Owen Connolly,
Clerk of Union,
AND
Overseer of Votes and Jurors' Lists,
Returning Officer,
Executive Sanitary Officer,
Clerk to Burial Board,
Superintendent of Deaths, Births, and Marriages,
and Clerk to Rural District Councils.

CLERK'S OFFICE,
ENNISCORTHY UNION

6
9th day of Oct 1899

Jas M Fitzgelle

Encloses you forms 4 made out & checked for week Ending the 30th Sept 99.

I am also sending you form 3A - but I thought it better to not make out the other forms, as by doing so, the Compromise &c. in consequence so many errors being through the Rate Books =

I now find the Rate Collectors warrants and the amounts therein, are quite different to what I would have given them from the books.

After checking over the books as carefully as possible. we found Errors when the collectors were left, which could not be rectified now. hence the cause of the difference in Rate.

The collectors are complaining of wrong valuations in some places & careless figures in others with numerous errors in the Collectors.

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48	12	10	5	17	3	1	19	1	1	19	1	1	19	1
40	1	10 ✓	4	3	5½	2	0	3¼	2	0	3¼		2	11
54	9	10 ✓	4	14	0½ ✓	2	4	1¾ ✓	2	4	1¾ ✓			9
52	4	5 ✓	4	7	7½ ✓	2	3	9¾ ✓	2	3	9¾ ✓			
91	17	4 ✓	7	10	9½ ✓	3	15	4¾ ✓	3	15	4¾ ✓			
29	4	10 ✓	2	7	6½ ✓	1	3	9¼ ✓	1	3	9¼			
149	15	2 ✓	13	5	3 ✓	5	2	3½ ✓	5	2	3½			
55	13	8 ✓	7	1	8¼ ✓	2	7	2¾ ✓	2	7	2¾			
55	8	10 ✓	6	17	6¾ ✓	2	5	10¼ ✓	2	5	10¼			
			3	6	8½ ✓	1	13	4¼ ✓	1	13	4¼			
577	8	9											10	1
42	1	3 ✓	59	11	11	24	15	2½	24	15	2½			
619	10	0												

3 19 10½
3 13 7
13 5½

3 16 8¾

[illegible]

51	15	2
32	13	3½
15	14	3
25	10	5
28	3	11
9	0	6
17	16	4
42	15	6
47	13	3
16	1	5
9	14	0
91	9	7
388	7	7½

4	4	7½
2	14	1½
	6	0
		11
2		9
1	9	
4	15	0
4	0	11½
2	19	3½
1	13	4½
7	8	1
35	12	6

2	2	3½
1	7	0½
	13	
1	1	5½
1	1	10½
	7	4
	14	10½
1	15	4
1	19	7
	12	2½
	7	10
3	14	0½
15	17	10½

2	2	3¾
1	7	0¾
	13	
1	1	5½
1	1	10½
	7	4
	14	10¼
1	15	4
1	19	7
	13	2½
	7	10
3	14	0½
15	17	10½

12	2		12	2
1	9½			
16	5½		16	5½
8	10¼		8	10¼
1	19	3½	1	17 5 3½

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In re
Clothing to Inmates leaving the House

Christy McDonald an inmate wrote asking the Board for some clothes for himself, wife, & two Children as he intended leaving the House
Ordered "consideration postponed for one week

In re
Leave of Absence

Timothy Moore, Nicholas Carroll & John Bowe wrote asking leave of absence on June the 14 Inst- to attend the races.
Ordered "Allowed

In re
6 Carts required for Spraying Machines

In reply to a circular issued by the Master to the local tradesmen of the town, by order of the Guardians on the 25th Ultimo for above, the following tenders were received - Viz-
Mr Thomas Reilly tendered to supply Carts to the satisfaction of the Committee for the sum of £4:5:0
Mr John O'Reilly 3:17:0
Mr Michael Breen 3:0:0

Mr Asple Proposed } Passed
Mr Lynch Seconded } Unanimously
"That Mr Breens tender be accepted"

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MOUNTMELICK UNION,
BOARD-ROOM,
3rd JUNE, 1899.

SIR,

I have been directed by the Board of Guardians of this Union to forward you the undermentioned Copy of a Resolution which was unanimously adopted by them at their meeting on 27th ultimo; and to request that you will be so good as to lay same before the Board of Guardians of your Union at their next meeting for adoption.

I am, SIR,

Your obedient servant,

RICH. GOODBODY,
Clerk of the Union.

To the Clerk of each
Poor-Law Union in Ireland.

(COPY OF RESOLUTION).

Proposed by PATRICK A. MEEHAN. Esq, seconded by FRANCIS J. CORBET, Esq., and resolved unanimously:—

"That we protest against the proposal of the Government to give nearly £2,000,000 to the Landlords under the Tithe Rent Charge Bill out of the Irish Church Funds.

"That those Funds are the property of the Irish people; and should only be spent in promoting the welfare and general interests of the country.

"That if the Government persists in giving this large sum to the Landlords, we demand that an equal sum will be given for the re-instatement, or compensation, of the evicted tenants throughout Ireland, as Parliament by its Land Legislation has proved the existence of the grievance, for which the evicted tenants sacrificed their property for the welfare of their fellow-countrymen.

"Copies to be sent to County M.P.'s, Mr. Balfour, and the several Boards of Guardians in Ireland."

Adopted unanimously
J.B.

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In Re
Casual Vacancy in the Leap ED
and
Vacancy in the Moyacomb. ED.

Letter read from L/ Board No 31099 7th June 1899

Referring to entry on Minutes of the 25th Ultimo =
Stating that in the case of the Leap District E Division - the death of the recently Elected District Councillor would appear to have created a casual vacancy which should be filled by the Dt Council under the Provisions of Sec. 94 (4) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 =

And with respect to the Vacancy of the District E Division of Moyacomb, this will be Scheduled in an Order which the L/ Board are now making for Supplementary Elections to fill such Vacancies."

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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, was ... ...

Samples of Linseed meal, Mustard & several oils must accompany each tender and no tender will be considered unless accompanied by such samples.

Sent notice to 7 Contractors on 12th June 1899.

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14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 8th day of June 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians :—

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

Ordered "to be forwarded to Contractor."

An Invoice of Med... Dispensary District, in ba... having been received from ... (or reported that he had ... a copy of the Invoice, for ...

... and was directed to forward the same ... Officer of the District, retaining ...

On Application of ... Dispensary District, the fo... supplied :—

... Requisites, were ordered to be ...

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MEDICINES AND MEDICAL AND SURGICAL APPLIANCES REQUIRED.

THE Board of Guardians will, at their meeting on Thursday, June 15, 1899, receive and consider tenders for the supply of medicines and medical and surgical appliances—all of the very best quality—from above mentioned date to the 31st March, 1900.—1—

Tenders must be in strict conformity with conditions prescribed by the Local Government Board in their circular of the 17th February, 1899, and must also be on their revised forms, copies of which can be obtained on application to me.

Parties tendering to state the percentage of abatements they will be prepared to deduct off the prices quoted in Tender.

Contracts for medicines will be taken separately from contracts for medical and surgical appliances.

Samples of the drugs supplied during the year, will be sent for analysis by the guardians on receipt of each delivery, and in cease the Analyst certifies that they are not equal to the standard quality prescribed by the Local Government Board, they will be returned to the contractor at his own expense, and if he do not then supply medicines according to the prescribed standard instead, they will be purchased elsewhere and charged to him.

Tenders must contain the names of two solvent sureties in their own handwriting, willing to join contractor in a bond for £200, for the due and faithful fulfilment of the contract.

The Guardians do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

The contractor accepted by the board must within two weeks supply seven copies of the tender.

By Order,

OWEN CONNOLLY,
Clerk of the Union.

Enniscorthy Union, Clerk's Office,
May 25th 1899.

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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:

Enniscorthy *Dispensary District.*

~~Account of~~ ——— ~~for~~ ——— ~~Amount £~~

Mr Myles Cooney Proposed } Passed
Mr Pat K Bolger Seconded } new cow

That the name of Mr Timothy Kelly Enniscorthy be added to the list of wardens for above Dispensary District.

Ordered

"The Guardians consider it wise subject to the Sanction of the L.G. Board to instruct the Dispensary and Workhouse Medical Officers to order sufficient medicines to carry them over the ensuing month, so that time may be secured for the Local Government Board to arrange the new contracts and the terms thereof, also to make provision for the periodic analysis of the Medicines supplied to the several Dispensaries and Hospitals."

"And if it is necessary that the Guardians shall appoint an analyst to perform the duty above specified"

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Enniscorthy Dispensary District, Mr. of

In re
Compulsory Vaccination Act-

Letter read from L/Board No 31,100 7th June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 25th ult. from which it appears that the Medical Officer of above Dy. Dt. has returned 480 vaccination defaulters for the Quarter ended 31st March last and requesting that the Guardians will take immediate steps to enforce compliance with the law in the District

Ordered "That Form P be returned to Dr Kelly to complete same before taking any further steps"

Letter read from L/Board No 50087 9th June 1899

Requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under above Act in Blourocke Dy. Dt. have since complied with the Law.

Ordered "Referred to R. O to report as soon as possible."

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.)*

In re
Blourocke, Dy, Dt-

Dr Delaney reported 30th May 99

That a case of Scarlatina has occurred at Leoby. the patient has been removed to Enniscorthy Fever Hospital and the usual precautions taken."

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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 L.G. Board N° 21100 *dated* 7th June 1899

~~*stating that*~~

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 25th Ult. and requesting that they may be informed what steps have been taken in pursuance of Articles 23 and 36 of the Dispensary Rules,

Ordered "Postponed until next Board day."

Ordered

The Board of Guardians wish to know from the L.G. Board if they can compel the Medical Officers to send in their books for examination on the days appointed by the Board for that purpose, as the Guardians find it very difficult in addition to being expensive to get them in by private messenger or by Parcel Post.

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Cleary Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 15th

day of June 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1899

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	266
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		1
Newtownbarry do	67	=
Oulart do		
TOTAL	1024	267

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	3	36	64	87	9	11	20	12	25	267
Admitted during the Week	10	9	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	29
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	13	45	65	88	10	12	22	13	28	296
Discharged during the Week	9	8	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	27
Died	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total Discharged and Dead	9	8	1	3	1	1	2	1	3	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	4	37	64	85	9	11	20	12	25	267

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	135	In separate Wards	41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	136	TOTAL,	41

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	7	8	8	23
No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-	-

No. at corresponding period last year,

OBSERVATIONS

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of June 1899 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	264	473	"	"	264	473
No. II.	88	180	"	"	88	180
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	434	797	"	-	434	797

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of June 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr Thomas Cleary, D.V.C

Subsequently, Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:—The other guardians present were—Messrs D J O'Callaghan, Thos A Rudd, Marks Cavanagh, T Bolger, J P; Owen Doyle, J P; Jas Doyle, Denis Kavanagh, Philip Redmond, John Cooney, John Sinnott, D Leacy, Moses Dunne, Morgan Leacy, John Dillon, John S Atkins, Wm Kavanagh, Aidan Kelly, Leonard Cardwell, James Hennessy, Myles Cooney, Richard Forrestal, Marks Codd, Moses Dempsey, Thos Carroll, Thos Nolan, Thos Fitzpatrick, Thomas Kavanagh, Daniel Nowlan, James Lynch, James Lambert, P Bolger, A Power, J Fortune, and J Cullin, J P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 8 : 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 Lists and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	50	2	10
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	42	15	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	—	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

	Meat,	460	lbs.	Indian Meal,	lbs.
	Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,	lbs.
	Buttermilk,	40	gallons	Corn Flour,	lbs.
	Sweetmilk,	153	quarts	Butter,	lbs.
	Tea,		ozs.	Eggs, 44	dozens
	Sugar,	2	cwt 1- ozs.	Candles, 12	lbs
	Whiskey,		pints	Soap,	lbs.
	Wine,	6	bottles	Starch,	lbs.
	Brandy,		do.	Blue,	lbs.
	Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,	lbs.
	Gin,		do.	Coal,	cwts.
	Lemons,			Tobacco, 42	ozs.
	Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,	ozs.
	Barm- Yeast	3	gallons	Lamp Oil, 5	gallons

Cost of Stimulants 11 : 4 : 2

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... — £			

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 15th day of June 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1091 to No. 1119

Separate „ No. 292 to No. 293

Out door „ No. 2468 to No. 2469

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	15	16	3	37	1	1	52	17	4	35	8	7	=	15	2	36	3	9	16	13	7	1894
Necessaries ...	4	2	1	13	1	9	17	3	10	5	9	1	1	2	8	6	11	9	10	12	1	
Total ...	19	18	4	50	2	10	70	1	2	40	17	8	1	17	10	42	15	6	27	5	8	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3:1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4:5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balaance in hand at close of previous week ...	6	6	6	12	11	6	1	17	=										20	15	=
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26	-	-	10	0	=	10	=	=										46	=	=
3. Total to be accounted for ...	32	6	6	22	11	6	11	17	=										66	15	=
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	24	2	6	11	16	6	9	7	=										45	6	=
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	-	-
7. Total Relief given	24	2	6	11	16	6	9	7	=										45	6	=
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	8	4	=	10	15	=	2	10	-										21	9	=
9. Total ...	32	6	6	22	11	6	11	17	=										66	15	=

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Bream Per Cwtage

Cosgrave 10 Ryan 10 Martin 9/3

The Master reported as follows:-

The Hall Porter Michael Furlong is sick since Sunday last- the 11 Inst- and is now a patient- in the Infirmary. Pending whatever arrangements the Board wishes to make to have his duties performed I placed the Shoemaker in the Hall to do his duty.

Ordered "The Matter left in the hands of the Master to get a suitable person to take charge of the porters duty for 2 weeks at 10/= per week & rations."

An Inmate a young woman named Alice McClean is getting a situation if the Board will allow her to leave the House, She has a child aged 3 years and two months which is under the Doctors care in the Infirmary, and has been so since its birth. Her intention is to leave the child in the Infirmary if the Board will allow her and should the child get strong it- is her intention to take it- out and provide for it.

Ordered "Allowed."

The Sisters Covered car is getting into a very bad state of repair, the axle tree is so worn that it throws the wheels very much in and out.
The whole structure in fact is very rickety and dangerous and liable to break down at any moment;-
I got the Carpenter of the House to examine it-, and the above is the substance of his report to me respecting it.

Ordered "Referred to the House Committee"

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State of the House

Number in Original Building 268
" " Ennisworthy Hospital 1

Number corresponding day last year 284

In re
Clothing to Inmates leaving the House

Christy McDonald applied for Clothes for himself, Wife & 2 children as he intended leaving the House.

Ordered £1:0:0 allowed for Clothes

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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):—

Re Relieving Officers

Letter read from L.G. Board No 34694 14th June 1899

Referring to Minutes of the 8th instant and requesting that the Relieving Officers may be called upon to furnish written explanations of their failure to attend for the examination of their Books on the 5th instant in accordance with the directions of the Guardians.

Ordered "Referred to Relieving Officers.

In re Flour Contract

Letter read from L.G. Board No 32864 12th June 1899

Enclosing a further letter which has been received from Mr T. B. Moffat, Solicitor, relative to the tender recently accepted by the Guardians for the supply of flour to the Workhouse.
And requesting to be furnished with any further observations which the Guardians have to offer on the subject.

Ordered "Postponed for one week for the Clerk to make out full particulars from the minutes and also the Masters from the Contracts in his possession."

(Mr Moffat's letter on next page.)

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In re Mr Moffat's Letter re Flour Contract

"Enniscorthy, June 3rd, 1899.

"DEAR SIR—I am in receipt of yours of the 1st June, containing what purports to be an account of the order of the Enniscorthy Guardians. The account is not in accordance with that published in the local papers, which purport to give a verbatim report of the resolutions passed by the Board. Whether the newspaper reporters suppressed part of the report, or the guardians or someone interested altered the resolutions stated to have been adopted is a matter not to be decided by me. I cannot, however, see that the newspaper reporters could have any object in suppressing part of the resolutions. You will note that in the report given in the papers not a word was said as to the inspection of breads from the various flours; nor was anything apparently stated as to the guardians having been paying 25s and 26s per bag for a third quality flour. It is not clear from the report why this price was paid for a third quality flour, but I need hardly point out that flour changes rapidly in price. When third-class flour was 25s a bag the Eclipse flour was 28s 6d. Quoting this price is clearly simply an attempt to draw attention from the points at issue. Mr Ryan quoted a gross price for Messrs Davis' flour, knowing perfectly well that this was their gross price and not the net one. If Mr Ryan's contemplated profit on the Irish Eclipse flour, of which this is only one quality, would have been in or about 3s. It would be interesting to know what the profit on the American flour would be in order to arrive at some idea of their relative values. Mr Ryan, the guardians' report states, was a contractor "who had proved himself highly satisfactory with his previous contracts—besides, in this case, he was the old contractor." No doubt, as the guardians were aware of the fact in connection with the price and quality of previous contracts they were aware also of the facts which appear to have been somewhat misstated. The flour supplied by Mr Ryan was, no doubt, satisfactory, it was Messrs Davis's "Eclipse." So far, Mr Ryan as a contractor was satisfactoay, but it would be interesting to know whether this Mr Matthew Ryan is the same Mr Matthew Ryan whose tender was accepted for the supply of flour by the guardians from November, 1898, to the end of March, 1899, at 25s 6d, and whether he refused to notify and carry out his contract. Further, whether the guardians or their officials entered into an arrangement by which Mr Ryan was to supply at the price of the day the very article for which he tendered, and having been accepted as contractor refused to deliver according to tender. I am informed that such was the case. Flour had fallen heavily by February, 1899—did Mr Ryan give the guardians the benefit of the fall? Might I ask, as a ratepayer, why the contract was in the first place not enforced, and when not enforced at what price Mr Ryan supplied the flour at the "price of the day." If Mr Ryan was allowed to repudiate the contract, then why should he not do so again. Yet the guardians assure the Local Government Board in defence of the purchase of American goods, that Mr Ryan "had proved himself highly satisfactory" as the old contractor. The guardians are reported to have called their baker before them and to have got from him the rather surprising statement that the 16 stone bag of flour gave 77¾ 4lb loaves. Any practical baker will inform you that no such number of well-baked 4lb loaves can be got from a 16 stone bag of flour. The guardians wisely omit to quote the baker's remarks for your Board's information, but I would like to point out that no such test appears to have been made before giving the contract, and, further, that what is known as a 4lb loaf is often nothing of the kind. I have often had bread bought in this town as 4lb loaves, tested to see if they were up to weight, and have usually found that they were considerably under weight. The guardians should know that such tests are worthless unless carried out by an independent expert. The proper test would be to test the weight of dough got from such bag of flour, and not the number of nominal 4lb loaves which is seldom equivalent to loaves weighing 4lb each of well-baked bread. Further, as you will note from experiments carried out by Messrs Davis (see their letter in the local papers of this date), the Eclipse flour gives a better yield than American Spring Patent flour, thus disposing of the supposition that the yield from the foreign article is greater in quantity. As to quality, the traders who tendered at the lowest figures are well known bakers themselves, baking a splendid bread, and men who would certainly deliver nothing but a first-class article. A fair system of testing bread no one can object to, but it should when intended to be relied on be made by an independent tester not, surely, by a baker in the board's employment. The facts are now admitted. The two lowest tenders for best Irish flour were passed over; the contract given at a higher price for a foreign stuff to a trader who could only quote 23s for what the two traders referred to could give at 20s 1d and 20s 2d respectively. The former flour was highly satisfactory, and is cheaper than that contracted for now. As you will see from the enclosed copy of a local paper, one guardian (Mr Sinnott) states that he would do the same again, whilst another (Mr P Bolger) says that the guardians must support the "Yankees." I trust the Local Government Board will take steps to stop this supporting of the Yankees out of the ratepayers' pockets. We have sufficient demands on the support of our own poor. It occurs to me that the system of voting for flour according to the contractor's name is working very badly. Why the names of those tendering should be given I cannot see. Surely the points to be considered are the quality and price of the article tendered for, Unless I am much mistaken, this is the system adopted by some public boards.

I remain your obedient servant,

THOMAS B. MOFFAT.

To Thos. A. Mooney, Esq., Secretary, Local Government Board, Dublin.

Mr Sinnott—I propose that you adjourn it for a week.

Mr Fortune proposed that they should not consider it, for they had answered and explained that matter before.

Mr P Bolger—I second that. Throw it in the wastepaper basket. Mr Fortune—They have all the remarks we had to make about it.

Clerk—It would be better for the parties writing those letters if they did not get our remarks, for they will be very clinching. Mr Sinnott—It is not the flour he wants to talk about. He wants to rule the board. Mr Bolger—Other parties pay rates besides Mr Moffat. Mr Fortune—We should not notice it.

Clerk—It would be better we did, because this letter will appear in the Press, and it would look very curious if we did not contradict it. Mr Fortune—Then you have to contradict every letter like it. He should not want a second answer; it is like cross-examination.

Mr Lambert—Mr Moffat's first letter was most misleading.

The Clerk suggested that the consideration of the letter should be postponed for a week, so that he might have an opportunity of refering to the minutes and looking up all the facts.

Mr P Bolger—If you go on like this Mr Moffat will make plenty of money.

A Guardian—He is not making money out of that. Mr P Bolger—He is earning it out of Mr Davis's pockets.

The consideration of the letters was then adjourned to the next meeting.

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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In re
Contracts for Supplies to Workhouse.

In reply to advertisement the following tenders were considered and accepted - viz —

Sweet milk

Philip Cosgrave tendered to supply 30 falls daily until 21/3/1900 @ 6½ per fall
Mary Ryan " " 22 " " " " 6½ "
John Martin " " 12 " " " " 6½ "

Ordered - "To be supplied in such quantities as may be required by the master in proportion to above

Myles Kenny Butter Milk 4/6 per 30 falls

Buttle Bros & Co. Best Beef and Mutton 5d per lb
Shins & Houghs 3 "
Ox Heads 1/8 each
Sheep Heads 4d "
2 lbs allowed off every 14 lbs for bone

Beef & Mutton in Quarters Best 6d per lb
No allowance on meat supplied in quarters

Mrs Keating Soap 14/= per cwt. Eggs 11d per doz

P O'Neill Butter 7d per lb

Edward Goff Tobacco 2/- per lb

Matthew Ryan Sugar 14/6 per cwt

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In re Relieving Officers

Ordered

Each Relieving Officer to report in writing to each Meeting of the Guardians the amount they spent in Out Door Relief during the past week and the number of cases relieved =

In future the Relieving Officers shall hand a list to the Clerk explaining all the circumstances of the case to be read aloud to the Board.

Relieving Officers to return an account of the different Stations where they attend weekly stating the day and hour they will be present to give Out door relief to the parties to whom it is ordered - and receive application for same.

That each Relieving Officer take the list Form N and post them in conspicuous places in their respective Districts, so that poor people will know to whom to apply for Medical relief tickets =

The Relieving Officers shall keep Books in which to enter Sanitary reports.

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In re
Casual Vacancy in the Leap E Division

Mr James Lynch proposed
Mr Leonard Cardwell Seconded } Passed Unanimously

"That Mr M.J. Furlong Leoby, be coopted as Guardian for above E Division in place of the late Mr John Mernagh deceased."

Eviction Notices

Daniel Coates, J.P.
Kilgibbon
Complainant

Peter Long
Kilgibbon
Defendant

Patrick O'Neill
Enniscorthy
Complainant

Richard Poole
Shannon
Defendant

Miss Kate & Maryanne O'Farrell
Enniscorthy
Complainant

Andrew Murphy
Ross Road Enniscorthy
Defendant

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 15th day of June 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re
Compulsory Vaccination Act

Letter read from L/Board No 32665 13th June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 31st Ultimo re above, and stating that it is no part of the duty of a Dispensary Medical Officer to serve the notices in question, also stating the Guardians should appoint the Relieving Officers, or some other suitable persons, to discharge this duty, and should fix a scale of remuneration based on the number of successful vaccinations of children whose names have appeared in the Medical Officers Report, Form P.

Ordered "Postponed for two weeks Relieving Officer Whelan to report the number of successful Vaccinations in his District out of the total Numbers reported,"

In re
Midwife of Enniscorthy Dispensary D/-

Letter read from L/Board No 32665 13th June 1899

Referring to Minutes of the 31st Ultimo re above, and stating that the Guardians have power if they see fit, with the approval of the L/Board, to make an annual allowance for car-hire to the Midwife of the Enniscorthy Dy. D/-.

Ordered "That we think it unnecessary to make any change and leave matters as heretofore Carried by a majority of 25 votes."

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In re

Conveyance of Medical Officers Boots and Records from Dispensaries to Board Room

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Mr Dollard Dublin wrote

Submitting Hard Portmanteau Leather Book Case. Water Proof Copper Rivetted, Bramah Lock and two keys. Brass Name plate as shewn on Engraving = for £1: 6: 0 each, and if the name of the Dispensary be engraved on the Plate provided for the purpose there will be an extra charge of 1/6 each.

Ordered "The Clerk to procure the above as cheap as possible."

Enniscorthy Dy Dt-

Dr Kelly, M.O. Enniscorthy wrote as follows 10th June 1879

"Please take notice that under article 28 General Rules I shall take my annual Vacation for four weeks for the Month of August next. and that I have nominated Dr R Dowse to perform my duties during that period at the usual remuneration"=

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In re
Medicine Contract

In reply to advertisement for above the following tenders were received = viz =

Wm Cooke	Sorey	15	per cent	off price quoted in prescribed list-
Hunt & Co	Dublin	25	"	"	"
Boileau & Boyd	"	25	"	"	"
Macker & Hoff	"	35	"	"	"
Apothecaries Hall	Ecorthy	35	"	"	"
Leslie & Co	Dublin	42	"	"	"
Clarke & Son	"	50	"	"	"

Proposed by Mr M Fortune
Seconded by Mr. J.S. Atkin
} Passed Unanimously

"That. Clarke & Son the lowest tender be accepted subject to report of the Analyst on receipt of each delivery."

Medical & Surgical Appliances

Hunt & Co	Dublin	20	per cent	off price quoted in prescribed list-
Boileau & Boyd	"	25	"	"	"
Fanning & Co	"	25	"	"	"
Medical Supply Stores.		27½	"	"	"
Macker & Hoff	"	35	"	"	"
Leslie & Co	"	40	"	"	"
Clarke & Co	"	45	"	"	"

Proposed by Mr M Fortune
Seconded by Mr. J.S. Atkin
} Passed Unanimously

"That the lowest tender which is Clarke & Co be accepted."

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Dispensary District. Mr. _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

James Johnson Shannon

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of June 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1899

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	280
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		1
Newtownbarry do	67	-
Oulart do		
TOTAL	1024	281

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	4	37	64	85	9	11	20	12	25	267
Admitted during the Week	18	17	3	1	-	2	5	2	-	48
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	22	54	67	86	9	13	25	14	25	315
Discharged during the Week	10	12	3	1	-	1	4	1	-	32
Died	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total Discharged and Dead	10	12	3	3	-	1	4	1	-	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	12	42	64	83	9	12	21	13	25	281

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
	in Hospital on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	133	In separate Wards 41
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates -
TOTAL	134	TOTAL 41

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 16	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	14	8	37
No. in Workhouse at date	4	2	3	9

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of June 1899 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	264	473	"	"	264	473
No. II.	88	180	"	"	88	180
No. III.	82	144	"	"	82	144
TOTAL	434	797	-	-	434	797

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of June 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr Thomas Cleary, D.V.C

Subsequently Mr James Johnson. .V.C

Other Guardians:—

Also present—Messrs Daniel O'Callaghan, Thos A Rudd, Aiden Whelan, Owen Doyle, Thos Asple, John J Couligan, M Kavanagh, Thaddeus Bolger, J P; Jas Doyle, Andrew Brien, John Cooney, John Sinnot, Denis Lacey, Moses Dunne, Morgan Leacy, Moses Fortune, J Atkins, Patrick Carty, Jas Murphy, John Furlong, Thos Cleary, Leonard Cardwell, James Hennessy, Thos Whelan, Jas Browne, Patrick Kehoe, Arthur Gough, Mark Cooney, Myles Slevin, Philip Redmond, M Dempsey, T Carroll, John Shea, E O'Connor, Michael Kennedy, [redacted] Peter Kehoe, John Walsh, Thomas Kavanagh, James Lynch, Daniel Nowlan, T Behan, Michael O'Neill, Patrick Bolger, James Doyle, J O'Gorman, J P.

P Redmond A Power J Cullin J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week: - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -

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

Meat,	460	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	40	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1460	quarts	Butter,	84	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	43	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,		lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,	10	lbs.
Wine,	7	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	43	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Bread~~	3	~~gallons~~	Lamp Oil,	5	gallons

Bakers

Cost of Inmates 2 : 3 : 5

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 22 day of June 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1119 to No. 1166

Separate ,, No. 293 to No. 294

Out door ,, No. 2469 to No. 2474

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	16 13 7	39 16 2	56 9 9	35 11 11	- 15 4	36 7 3	20 2 6	1912
Necessaries ...	10 12 1	- 13 2	11 5 3	5 6 6	1 - 6	6 7 -	4 18 3	
Total ...	27 5 8	40 9 4	67 15 -	40 18 5	1 15 10	42 14 3	25 - 9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	8 4 -	10 15 -	2 10 -				21 9 -
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26 - -	15 - -	10 - -				51 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	34 4 -	25 15 -	12 10 -				72 9 -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 12 6	12 8 6	8 15 -				45 16 -
In Kind ...	- - -	. . .	. . .				. . .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . .	- - -	. . .				. . .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	24 12 6	12 8 6	8 15 -				45 16 -
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	9 11 6	13 6 6	3 15 =				26 13 =
9. Total ...	34 4 =	25 15 =	12 10 =				72 9 =

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 10 Ryan 10 3/7 Martin 10 1/7

The Master reported as follows:-

C. A. Lynch Staunton, Esq. L.G. Board Inspector visited the House at 11-30 A.M. on the 20th inst. and left at 12.15 P.M. he also visited the Fever Hospital. While here he complained to me of the careless inaccurate way the book in charge of the Porter has been kept; and recommended me to suggest to the Guardians the advisability of the Board offering better wages to a temporary porter in order that a competent person may be got to fill the post during the illness of the Porter.

Ordered "That Mr James Martin be employed as temporary porter for one week."

A Patient named Mary Flood got a pass for two hours on the 20th inst, from the ~~Matron~~ Matron to go down town to look about a situation, on the recommendation of the Doctor. She left the house at 1.45 P.M. on the 20th and did not return until 11 A.M. next morning 21st inst, Her excuse was that she had to go out into the country and did not get back until 9.5 P.M. that night, and when she arrived at the Workhouse the gate was locked.

Ordered "Brought before the Board and repremanded."

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State of the House

Number in Original Building 278
" " Lunisceathy & Hospitals 1

Number corresponding day last year 283

In re
Church Holiday

Proposed by Mr Cleary } Passed
Seconded by Mr Dempsey } unanimously

"That as Thursday June 29th will be a Church Holiday this Board shall hold its meeting on Wednesday the 28th June 1899.

Agriculturist's Report.

Dr Furlong V.S. reported 22nd June 1899 } I certify that the Steward is still in very delicate health and he would require a fortnight leave to get away to the sea for a change.

Ordered "Referred to the Farm Committee who suggested that Mr Patrick Doyle be employed to take the place of the Agriculturist during his fortnights leave at 2/6 a day.
Sanctioned by the Board.

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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):—

In re
Relieving Officers

Referring to L.G. Board Letter No 34.694 dated 14th June 1899 re above, the Relieving Officers sent in the following explanations,

M. J. Whelan, R.O wrote, "In reply to L.G. Board's enquiry as to why I did not attend on June the 5th to have my books examined, I beg to state that I was serving Notices on the Vaccination defaulters in Clonroche District.

Jerome Murphy, R.O wrote, "In reply to the L.G. Board's enquiry as to why I did not attend to have my books examined, I beg to state that I was unable to attend through ill health."

Martin Murphy, R.O wrote, "In reply to the L.G. Board's enquiry not attending the 5th inst at Clerk's Office, I had to attend an urgent case of Out-door relief and was not in time for attendance at the Board

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In re
Flour Contract

Out of courtesy to the L.G.Board

Mr Sinnott proposed, and Mr Lynch seconded' the following resolution as an explanation to the Local Government Board relative to Mr Moffat,s letter on the recent flour contract ;— "This board hereby make known to all whom it may concern that we do not hold ourselves accountable for newspaper reports ; neither do we expect that space can be afforded to insert fully everything which passes here. The order on the minutes which was forwarded to the Local Government Board was passed unanimously and confirmed again after being loudly and clearly read at next meeting of the board when all the guardians at the former meeting were present but three. Heretofore the board was in the habit of inserting in their advertisement for flour that the preference would be given to Messrs Davis'—it being home manufacture—but after some time it was found that we only received one tender in reply to each advertisement for this important article of diet. In consequence of this very many ratepayers in town and country were complaining that the guardians were throwing away the ratepayers' money by not inviting open competition, but confining the contract for flour practically to one party. Mr Matthew Ryan never refused to carry out any contract he made with this board since his tender was first accepted." as the following extracts from minutes will show

"There was an advertisement for flour & issued for 28th June 1898, when only one tender was received from Mr Byrne, who was then the old contractor, and who it is but justice to say always gave general satisfaction in every respect;

He tendered to supply Davis's "C.C." Seconds - which is considered a third quality of flour - at 25/- per bag of 16 stone; before this the guardians were paying 26/10 for this quality of flour, which they considered too high but had no remedy for want of competition,

As there were numerous complaints against the bread made from this flour and a large quantity of it unused by the old decrepit inmates of the House, so that the "C C" flour was found unsuitable - the guardians came to the conclusion that it would be much cheaper to contract for a better quality of flour on which there would be likely to be very much less waste, so they readvertised for the 21st July 1898.

The Master was authorised to purchase flour for the ensuing fortnight which would elapse, before a contract could be received & considered, he invited tenders from people in the trade and received the following =

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guaraians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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Mr P Byrne tendered to supply the following - July 8th 1898
Davis's Eclipse at 28/= per Bag of 16 stone
" Diamond at 27/= " "
" C.C Seconds - 26/9 " "
" Pearl " 25/6 " "

Mr Thos Nolan tendered to supply Eclipse @ 27/6 per Bag of 16 stone
" Diamond - 26/6 " "
" Pearl 25/= " "

Mr Matthew Ryan tendered to supply Eclipse @ 27/3 " "
" Diamond " 26/3 " "
" Pearl " 24/9 " "

Mr Ryans tender being the cheapest he accepted it on his own responsibility for two weeks for Diamond at 26/3 and Pearl 24/9 (being 9d under Mr Byrnes & 3d under Mr Nolan and the guardians sanctioned his action in the matter - this disposes of Mr Moffats insinuation as to Mr Ryan not carrying out his contract with this Board, and officials entering into arrangements to allow him to supply flour at the price of the day.
In reply to the advertisement issued for the 21st July 1898 no one tendered but Mr Ryan - who offered to supply
Eclipse at 26/1 per bag of 16 stone
Diamond " 25/1 " " " "
C C Seconds - 24/10 " " " "
Pearl 23/7 " " " "

all the above flours having been tested the guardians came to the conclusion that the "Eclipse" was the best value and accepted it for 3 months which expired on the 21st October 1898.

In reply to advertisement issued for the 27th Oct 1898 two tenders were received for flour oatmeal and Indian meal as follows

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In re
Rent due by Guardians

Letter read from J.C. Roberts. J.P agent to Earl of Portsmouth dated 15th June 1899.

Requesting payment of one Years Rent due by the Guardians to the 25th March 1899 amount- £115:5:10 - I find under Section 51, Sub Sec. 7 of the Local Government Act that it is imperative on me to collect the outstanding rents due by them to last Sale day.

Ordered "Referred to Solicitor"

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Mr P Byrne Davis's Eclipse @ 25/6 per bag 16 stone
" Oatmeal " 22/6 " "
" Indian meal. 11/6 " "

Mr M Ryan Davis's Eclipse @ 25/7 " "
Oatmeal " 21/6 " "
Best Indian meal " 11/= " "

It will be observed that Mr Ryans tender for flour was 1 per Bag over Mr Byrnes, but Mr Ryans tender for oatmeal & Indian meal were 1/= per Bag & 6d per bag respectively lower than Mr Ryans, so taking the tenders for flour, oatmeal, and Indian meal together into consideration - Mr Ryans was declared the cheapest on the whole and accepted for 6 months, which terminated on the 20th April instead of March as Mr Moffat stated =

On the 4th May last when the contract came to be considered, there was a very large board, consisting of 54 members, 18 of whom left just as the consideration of the contract was about to take place, leaving 36 who took part in considering the contract. As already stated in a former resolution the guardians—the majority of whom are large ratepayers—exercised their best judgment in endeavouring to obtain the best value they could, as cheap as possible. They did exactly what Mr Moffat states they should do—that is, they did not vote according to the contractor's name. What was done is this: The master, by the direction of the board on the previous week, took off the labels and put on numbers instead, and entered said numbers in a private book, so that no guardian could know who sent in the sample of flour until the selection of the best bread was made—not even the baker who tested it. The sample loaves of bread, made from all the flours, were laid on the board-room table, with the number stamped on each corresponding with the number on the bag of flour from which it was made. A loaf, with No. 3 stamped thereon, was selected as being the best and whitest, and by reference to the master's book and the tender, it was found that the flour from which No. 3 loaf was made was supplied by Mr Doyle, of Newtownbarry, but the price was considered too high, being 22s 6d per bag, although it was 6d per bag cheaper than Davis's best Eclipse, quoted at 23s per bag by Mr Ryan, the bread manufactured from which was marked as No 4. Nos 3 and 4 were then withdrawn owing to the price, and Nos. 5 and 6 were declared invalid, not having complied with the terms of the advertisement. The selection was then made between Nos 1, 2 and 7. No 2 was considered the best of this lot, and on consulting the master's book it was found that the flour from which it was made was supplied by Mr Matthew Ryan and bore No 2 on the label. At the time this selection was made no one knew where the flour from which the bread was made was manufactured. It is only fair to say that the baker who appeared before the board to whom Mr Moffat refers was only here for one week after the contract being taken, instead of the baker belonging to the house, who was away owing to the death of his wife.

So there could be no favour shown by the baker, and if they knew the flour they would favour Davis. This board is just as anxious to support home manufacture as Mr Moffat, so long as they do not have to pay too dearly for doing so. They are of the opinion, however, that many Irish manufacturers could do a good deal more than they are doing by encouraging the cultivation of Irish wheat and the rearing of Irish produce more than they are for years past. There is no doubt but if the name of the manufacturer had been known when the selection was made the home manufactured article would have got the preference, but we deny that any loss has occurred to the ratepayers by the transaction. On the other hand, we believe a considerable gain has been effected by the open competition. As to Mr Moffat's remarks about not supporting the Yankees, etc, we have only to say that every Irish miller must buy the wheat they manufacture from the Yankee, and as the Yankees are on the very spot where the good wheat grows, they are not likely to select the worst to manufacture themselves and send the best here. This board does not adopt Mr Moffat's suggestion as regards the Yankees, as we cannot forget that our kith and kin—nearest and dearest—have been afforded a living amongst them which was denied them at home by felonious and evicting landlords and their aiders and abettors, some of whom are endeavouring to pose as good Irishmen and Nationalists to-day."

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In re

Whiskey Contract-

Reps J Whitford tendered to supply Wexford 3 year old whiskey 16/8 per Gall
Edward Goff " " " Bishopswater " " " 17/= "
Aidan Harpur " " " " " " " 17/9 "
P O'Neill " " " {Bishopswater direct from Distillery not less than 3 years old Bonded certificate} 18/= "

Mr P O'Neill's tender being the only one in compliance with the Advertisement was accepted.

Wine Contract-

In reply to advertisement 5 tenders were received for Port wine from the following parties on the 15th inst.-
Mrs Keating 1/4 per Bottle. Matthew Ryan 1/2 per Bottle. P O'Neill 2/= per Bottle
Edwd Goff 1/= " Kinsella & Maguire 2/= "
The Samples were submitted to Dr Fleming to be tested and he reported to day as follows =
No II Rough but fairly good
" III Fairly good
" I Sweet not well flavoured
IV Poor flavor bad cont. acid
V Seems a mixture of Sherry with some other wine
He recommended No 2 as best, which the guardians accepted and on referring to the tender found it was supplied by Kinsella & Maguire."

Whiskey Contract.

Letter read from Mr P O'Neill re the Application

"DEAR SIR—From the report I see in the local Press of your proceedings of last Thursday in connection with the whiskey and other items, and the very unfair manner my tender had been treated, it being the only legal tender for whiskey before the board. Now, if the majority of your board approve of such proceedings, I will have to consider the propriety of withdrawing my tender altogether, it being perfectly clear that no contractor wanting only fair dealings would submit to such a course as that adopted. I have been a contractor for over 20 years and never wanted to buy over guardians, nor do I intend to do so now, but am satisfied to leave to the officers of the house, present or past, as to how I fulfilled my contracts. With regard to sugar, "Tate's Twos," which I tendered being such a standard article, and always the same, it is most absurd to reject it for want of sample. I would respectfully suggest, and I do think the majority of the board will agree with me, that the less they have to do with jobbery of any kind the more estimation they will be held in by the ratepayers and and voters whom they represent."

The number of provisional ... ...
Ditto disallowed ... ...
The number of Applicants ... ...
The number of cases of pro ... ...
Do. in whi ... ...
The number of other Applic ... ...

rder of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered, was ... ...

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14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 22nd day of June 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr James Johnson

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re
Contracts for the supply of Medicines
And Medical and Surgical Appliances

copy
Letter read from L/Board No 34.695 21st June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 8 Inst. re above contracts, and directing the Guardians attention to the provisions in their advertisement relative to the contracts in question, to the effect that if the drugs supplied are not of the standard quality prescribed by the L/Board they will be returned to the Contractor at his own expense and if he do not then supply medicines according to the prescribed standard instead, they will be purchased elsewhere and charged to him.
And pointing out that the Contractor should be given to understand that in the event of impure drugs or instruments of bad quality being supplied the Contractors services will be at once dispensed with and the contract given elsewhere.

Ordered "That a copy of this letter be sent to the Contractor with which this Board will require him to comply."

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In re
Conveyance of Dispensary Records to the Workhouse for examination

Letter read from L/Board N° 34.695 21st June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 8th inst. and stating that it is the duty of the Guardians and not of the Medical Officer to make arrangements for above

Ordered "Postponed for one week."

In re
Temporary Medical Officer of Enniscorthy. D. D. 1.

Letter read from L/Board N° 35.972 21st June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 15th inst. re above, and requesting to be furnished with the queries respecting Dr. R Dowse who has been appointed as temporary Medical Officer of above Dispensary District; also requesting that the L/Board may be informed whether the Guardians have adopted any resolution as to the remuneration to be allowed to Dr. Dowse for his services while acting as temporary Medical Officer of the District in question.

Ordered

" £4:4:0 per week for 2 weeks allowed from the date Dr Kelly takes his vacation "

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In re

Analyst required

The Clerk reported that it will be necessary to appoint an analyst specially, as it is not likely people tendering 50/- under a very carefully made out list after long consideration will give satisfaction unless closely watched.

Another thing if Medicines are not carefully packed and sent off at once on receipt of delivery the analysis may be disputed.

Ordered

"An Analyst to be advertised for in General Advertiser and to be asked to quote terms."

The Guardians are also requested to settle the fee to be paid to Medical Officers substitutes while the Medical Officer of the District is away on leave or through illness.

Mr Fortune proposed
– Cleary Seconded

"That temporary M O's as substitutes be paid as usual £3:3:0 per week for outlying Dy. Dt. and £4:4:0 for Enniscorthy Dy. Dt;
And that the Medical Officers be allowed only 2 weeks leave of absence instead of 4 weeks."

Mr D J Callaghan proposed
" P Boyce Seconded

"That the Medical Officers be allowed 4 weeks leave of absence Remuneration to be paid in proportion to the M O's Salary under all heads."

The amendment was lost by 19 votes = 8 for it & 27 against it
The Resolution was carried by 19 " = 27 " " & 8 " "

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In re
Enniscorthy Dispensary District

Mrs A.J. Doudlor
Midwife of above
Dispensary District.
wrote 21/6/99

:—" Gentlemen—Referring to the matter of persons requiring my services as district midwife. and as to whether such persons bring a car for me, I would remind the Board of Guardians that my contract with the dispensary committee did not include any provision as to my supplying cars, as it was perfectly understood that any person requiring my services should supply a car, and I wish this fact to be notified to the public. But, as the Board of Guardians have, by their resolutions, purposely ignored this matter, I wish to let the board know that they have assumed all responsibility in the matter, and that should any mistake or accident arise as a result of the action of the board, I shall not hold myself responsible for such mistake."

Ordered
"If the Midwife do not agree with terms of our resolution of last Board day she is at liberty to resign,"

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

In re
Compulsory Vac Act-

Ordered

"That the several Relieving Officers to whose District Form Prefers do mark off the form in the observation Column the persons in the lists who have been Vaccinated, postponed, or died since the issue of the form, and that they forthwith serve notice on the remaining persons having custody of the children to comply with the law and that after 21 days from the service of such notice the names of the parents who have not complied with the law be returned to this Board for further proceedings.

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.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Cleary Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~THURSDAY~~ Wednesday, the 28th day of June 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
Workhouse	154	279										
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital												
Newtownbarry do												
Oulart do	67	=										
TOTAL	1024	280										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	42	64	83	9	12	21	13	25	281
Admitted during the Week			10	8	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	23
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
TOTAL,			22	50	69	83	9	12	21	13	25	304
Discharged during the Week			9	8	3	1	—	—	2	1	—	24
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Discharged and Dead			9	8	3	1	—	—	2	1	—	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	42	66	82	9	12	19	12	25	280

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	133	In separate Wards	44
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	—
TOTAL.	134	TOTAL.	44

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	10	8	5	23
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	—

No. at corresponding period last year,

OBSERVATIONS

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of June 1899 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I	263	472	"	"	263	472
No. II.	87	178	"	"	87	178
No. III.	82	144	"	"	82	144
TOTAL	432	794	"	"	432	794

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~THURSDAY~~ Wednesday, the 28th day of June 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Cleary
Subsequently Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs T. Bolger J.P., M Murphy
T. & Redd, T Aspel, M Kavanagh, J. Cooney, J Sinnott,
D Lacey, M Dunne, J. Dillon, & Kelly, J Kennessy,
J. Sutton, P Kelor, J Lynch, J Nolan, M Doyle,
J Johnson, & Power, J Doyle, P Bolger. J. & Atkin

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 11 : 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 Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	40	5	9
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -	42	6	9
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,	468	lbs.	
Flour,	18	cwts.	
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	
Sweetmilk,	1428	quarts	
Tea,		ozs.	
Sugar,		ozs.	
Whiskey,	¼	cask	
Wine,	7	bottles	
Brandy,		do.	
Porter,	36	do.	
Gin,		do.	
Lemons,			
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	
Yeast	3	lbs	
[illegible]		gallons	

Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,		lbs.
Corn Flour,		lbs.
Butter,	64	lbs.
Eggs,	43	dozens
Candles,	12	lbs
Soap,		lbs.
Starch,		lbs.
Blue,		lbs.
Washing Soda,		lbs.
Coal,		cwts.
Tobacco,	43	ozs.
Snuff,		ozs.
Lamp Oil,	5	gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 28th day of June 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1166 to No. 1189

Separate „ No. 294 to No. 294

Out door „ No. 2474 to No. 2476

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	20 2 6	32 5 2	52 7 8	35 11 9	- 15 11	36 7 8	16 - -	1936
Necessaries ...	4 18 3	8 - 7	12 18 10	4 19 10	- 19 3	5 19 1	6 19 9	
Total ...	25 - 9	40 5 9	65 6 6	40 11 7	1 15 2	42 6 9	22 19 9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 18 99 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	9 11 6	13 6 6	3 15 -				26 13 -
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26 - -	10 . .	10 . .				46 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	35 11 6	23 6 6	13 15 -				72 13 -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 12 6	12 5 6	8 16 -				45 14 -
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	24 12 6	12 5 6	8 16 -				45 14 -
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	10 19 -	11 1 -	4 19 -				26 19 -
9. Total ...	35 11 6	23 6 6	13 15 -				72 13 -

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque

£	s.	d.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream percentage

Cosgrave 9½ Ryan 10⅙ Martin 10

"Ordered, Mr Cosgrave's attention to be drawn to his percentage by the master."

The Master reported as follows:
The grounds of the Fever Hospital and Cherry Orchard Cemetry require to be mowed, will the Board kindly make an order to have the work carried out?
Ordered £20/- allowed.

I visited the Workhouse cemetery at Clerysocks on the 26th inst and found that the iron chain and padlock used in keeping the gate locked, had again been removed, and no trace of it could be found. I reported the matter to the Head Constable immediately, and secured the gate by placing another chain and padlock on it.
Reply read from the Head Constable dated 29th June 1899 acknowledging master's letter of this date, relative to pad lock at Cherry Orchard Cemetery, and stating that the police have been keeping a watch on the place.

State of the House

Number in original Building	272
" " Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	1
Number corresponding day last year	284

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Agriculturist's Report.

The Agriculturist reported that there would be a man required to clip the hedges as there is no man in the House able to clip them

Ordered "Referred to the master"

Would also require 6 files to sharpen the mackine blades

Ordered "3 files to be procured"

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

In re
Temporary Porter to Workhouse

Letter read from L. G. Board dtd 37346 27th June 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 22nd inst and transmitting questions for answer respecting James Martin who has been employed temporarily to act as Porter to the Workhouse

Ordered.

"That temporary porter would be discontinued but the Porter of the House is expected to resume duty on Friday the 30th inst."

In re
Vacancy Ike Leap E Division

Letter read from L. G. Board dtd 35941 27th June 1899

Acknowledging Guardians minutes of the 8th inst, co-opting Mr. M. J. Furlong Guardian for the Leap E. Division in place of the late Mr John Menagh and referring the Guardians to Section 94(5) of the Local Government Ireland Act 1898,

also stating that the Guardians had no power to fill the vacancy in question as it was not a vacancy among the Guardians elected for any Electoral Division in a County Borough or Urban County District.

The vacancy in the representation of the Division should be filled by the Rural District Council Ordered "The vacancy has been filled by the Rural District Council at their last meeting viz June 22nd 1899"

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In re
Army (Annual) Act 1899

Letter read from L. G. Board No 33,586 24th June, 1899

Transmitting for the information of the Board of Guardians copy of a letter and enclosure addressed to the Under Secretary by the Secretary of State for War, together ~~to~~ with extracts from sections 91, 138, and copies of section 145 of the Army Act 1881, and section 4 of the Army (Annual) Act 1899."

In re
Temporary Farm Steward

Letter read from L. G. Board No 373,46 24th June 1899

Transmitting Questions for answer respecting Patrick Doyle who has been employed temporarily as Farm Steward.

In re
Rent due on Workhouse Farm

Referring to the Guardians Minutes of the 22nd inst. re above, which was referred to Mr O'Dempsey, Solicitor, to which he replied as follows:-

"The Landlord is legally entitled to enforce payment of the year's rent if he chooses."

In consequence of a running gale of one year's rent being the custom of this estate, and the Guardians having paid in accordance with said custom, the Board considered it

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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prudent to refer the matter to their solicitor.

Mr Hennessy proposed } Passed
Mr Lynch seconded } Unanimously
"That the Board are respectfully requested, to advise the Board in this matter, as this Board would be satisfied to purchase at a reasonable price, as the whole agricultural Estate has been sold to the tenants, and the Workhouse farm is at present is only an agricultural holding"

In re
Blotting Contracts

Proposed by Mr Hennessy } Passed
"Seconded by Mr Lynch } unanimously
"That Monday next, 3rd. July, be set apart for consideration of all contracts at 10 o'clock"

The following guardians have promised to attend. John Simmons Andrew Power, Aidan Kelly, James Doyle, Patrick Bolger Denis Lacey, James Hennessy James Lynch, J Bolger, Thomas Cleary.

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In re Yearly Supplies

In reply to advertisement for Tea, 11 Tenders were received on the 15th inst. at a fixed price of 1/6 per lb.
The Samples were numbered by the Chairman, and submitted to W. J. Palmer Tea Tester, who reported on the 22nd inst as follows. No. 3 best, No 9 seconds, No 4 third = The Guardians accepted No 3 as best, and on referring to the tender, found it was supplied by Mr. Joseph Armstrong Enniscorthy = The following tenders being the lowest were accepted. Potatoes Oatmeal Sago 2½d per lb, Rice 1½d per lb, Salt 1/8 per cwt, Claret 1/= per bottle, Porter 1/2 per doz, Ale 1/3 per doz, Gin 2/6 per bottle, Newport Coal 23/= per ton, Scotch coal 20/- per ton, Flour 3½d per lb.
Patrick Byrne Corn-flour 2½d per lb. Pepper 5d per lb, Yeast 8d per lb, Starch 2/= per cwt.
Matthew Ryan: Bran 5/6 per cwt, Pollard 5/6 per cwt, Indian Harpur: Arrow Root 5d per lb, Washing Soda, ~~5d per lb~~, Blacking 2/4 a gross
Mrs Keating: Candles Parafin 3d per lb,
Edwd Goff: Brandy 3/6 a bottle, Lard 4½d per lb,
John O'Reilly: Union Coffins 4/6 each. C. D. R " for 17 Items Clonroche and Duties to be delivered 4/6 each,

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In re
Whiskey Contract

The following letter on the subject was read from Mr P O'Neill: "Dear Sir—From the report I see in the local Press of your proceedings of last Thursday in connection with the whiskey and other items, and the very unfair manner my tender had been treated, it being the only legal tender for whiskey before the board. Now, if the majority of your board approve of such proceedings I will have to consider the propriety of withdrawing my tender altogether, it being perfectly clear that no contractor wanting only fair dealings would submit to such a course as that adopted. I have been a contractor for over twenty years and never wanted to buy over guardians, nor do I intend to do so now, but am satisfied to leave to the officers of the house present or past as to how I fulfilled my contracts. With regard to sugar, 'Tate's Twos,' which I tendered, being such a standard article, and always the same, it is most absurd to reject it for want of sample. I would respectfully suggest, and I do think the majority of the board will agree with me, that the less they have to do with jobbery of any kind the more estimation they will be held in by the ratepayers and voters whom they represent."

In re
Notice of motion

I give notice that on Thursday 13th July 1899, I will move that Mr P O'Neills whole tender for groceries &c to Workhouse be rescinded in consequence of not complying with the terms of the advertisement as regards the date which he states is from 15th June 1899 to 15th 1900 instead of from 15th June 1899 to the 31st March 1900 as required by advertisement

Signed Patrick Bolger.

28th June 1899.

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In re
Yearly Supplies

Proposed by Mr James Hennessy } Passed
Seconded by Mr James Lynch } Unanimously

"That Monday next the 3rd July 1899. be set apart for consideration of all the contracts. at 10 Oclock

The following members promised to attend.
Messrs ÷ John Sinnott. Andrew Power. Adam Kelly
James Doyle. Patrick Bolger. Denis Lacey
James Hennessy. James Lynch. Thaddeus Bolger
Thomas Cleary.

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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, was ... ...

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Thursday~~ Wednesday, the 28th day of June 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts.

Present—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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,* £_____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re
Conveyance of the Dispensary Records
from the Dispensaries to the
W House for examination

Referring to L/G Board's Letter No 34.695 dated 21st June 1899
re above, was again read at Guardians Meeting and
postponed for One week.

In re
Analyst

The following advertisement for above was ordered to be issued,

Enniscorthy Union

The Board of Guardians of the above Union, will, at their Meeting
to be held on Thursday, the 6th July 1899, receive proposals
for the appointment of a properly qualified Analyst.

Applications stating the amount of Salary expected per
annum, must be accompanied by testimonials as to
qualification and previous experience.

The person appointed must be prepared to analyse
samples of Drugs of every description, food, water, &c
when ever forwarded to him.

The appointment shall be made subject to the
Sanction of the L/G Board.

Proposals will be received by me up to 12 O'Clock
on the above named day.

By Order
Owen Connolly
Clerk of Union

Enniscorthy Union
Clerk's Office
22nd June 99

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In re
Leave of Absence.

Dr J.E.J. Freeme, M.O. Ferns, Dy. D1- wrote as follows 26/6/99

Sir,

I purpose taking the four (4) weeks leave granted by the Ly Board from the 3rd July; and recommend Dr Cooke, Camolin who is willing to act during my absence at the usual rate of remuneration (viz) £3:3:0 per week.)

In order to avoid any possibility of misconception I would draw your attention to article 28 of the Ly Board new rules which grants 4 weeks leave to the Medical Officers as a matter of right.

Ordered

"That Dr J. E. J. Freeme be requested not to go away on leave of absence until the Ly Board replies to the resolution of this Board re length of vacation ~~re~~ passed on last Board day."

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In re
Medicines & Medical & Surgical appliances:-

Letter read from John Clarke & Co Ltd Dublin dated 26th June 1899

In reply to yours of the 22nd inst., re - L.G. Board's letter, We beg to state that our medicines &c supplied by us to said Union are in strict accordance with the latest Edition of the British Pharmcopoeia,
The Medical & Surgical appliances will also be of the best quality, according to the prescribed form."

Ordered "Rep" to L.G. Board "

In re
Compulsory Vaccination Act-
Enumerators by Dy Dt:-

M. J. Whelan. R.O reported June 28th 1899

That I served notice on all the Defaulters in my portion of above Dy. Dt., some few has been postponed by the Doctor all the rest have complied with the Law with the exception of sixteen from whom there has been no return;

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In re
Leeches & trusses

Your directions are required as to what regulations are to be observed relative to the supply of leeches, trusses, & elastic stockings which must be supplied by some local person, as the occasion for them shall arise. These are required every day & urgently always

Ordered

"The Medical Officers be requested to say how much of those articles may be required during the year".

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

_____ *Dispensary District. Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

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

Thomas Hayes Chmn.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 6th day of July 1899

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1899

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	277
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry do.....	67	=
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024	278

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	13	42	66	82	9	12	19	12	25	280
Admitted during the Week -	10	6	3	1	3	3	8	6	1	41
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	23	48	69	83	12	15	27	18	26	321
Discharged during the Week -	13	5	2	-	-	-	8	6	6	40
Died - - - - - -	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total Discharged and Dead -	13	6	3	1	-	-	8	6	6	43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	10	42	66	82	12	15	19	12	20	278

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	129	In separate Wards	38
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL.	130	TOTAL.	38

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	6	4	21
No. in Workhouse at date	4	1	-	5

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of July 1899 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	263	472	-	-	263	472
No. II.	86	176	-	-	86	176
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	431	792	-	-	431	792

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 1st day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr Thomas Cleary D.V.C

Subsequently. Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ Thaddeus Bolger. J.P.

Patk Bolger. Myles Cooney. James Lambert. James Murphy
Mark Codd. E O'Connor. Daniel Nowlan. John Dillon
Michael Murphy. James Browne. Aidan Whelan. Martin Doyle
Denis Doyle. Aidan Kelly. Moses Fortune. Mark Kavanagh
Thos Kavanagh. Michael Kennedy. John. J Coulehan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

The Clerk's Report 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 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	65	2	9
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	44	16	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	—	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary	—	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	—	—	—

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

Stimulants £2 : 1 : 8

Cost-

Meat,	459	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	17½	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1440	quarts	Butter,	13	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	43	dozens
Sugar,	2	Cwt.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	6	bottles	Pepper	14	lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	36	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	200 10	cwts. Newport-Bailey
Lemons,			Tobacco,	41	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Baking~~	3	~~lbs~~ gallons	Lamp Oil,	4	gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... ... £			

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 6th day of July 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1189 to No. 1280 1230

Separate „ No. 294 to No. 294

Out door „ No. 2476 to No. 2476

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	16	-	-	58	14	8	74	14	8	37	9	7	-	16	1	38	5	8	36	9	=	1932
Necessaries ...	6	19	9	6	8	1	13	7	10	5	8	10	1	2	3	6	11	1	6	16	9	
Total ...	22	19	9	65	2	9	88	21	6	42	18	5	1	18	4	44	16	9	43	5	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : - : -

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	10 19 -	11 1 -	4 19 -	. . .			26 19 -
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	26 . -	15 - -	10 - -				51 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	36 19 -	26 1 -	14 19 -				77 19 -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 8 6	11 9 -	8 17 6				44 15 -
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	3 -	. . .	. . .				3 .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	24 11 6	11 9 .	8 17 6				44 18 -
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	12 7 6	14 12 =	6 1 6				33 1 -
9. Total ...	36 19 -	26 1 =	14 19 =				77 19 =

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 10 5/7 Ryan 10 3/4 Martin 10 3/7

The Master reported as follows :-
I beg to inform the Board that the Porter Mr Michael Furlong resumed duty on Friday 30 June '99

A Married Woman named Anne Poole, belonging to Enniscorthy has been admitted to the House on the 20th June, and she states to me that her husband is in employment but has refused to maintain her.

Ordered
Mr O'Dempsey Solr to prosecute in this Case."

Would the Board kindly make an Order as to what quantity of tea should be ordered at one time for the use of the House, having regard to the fact that a sample from each Chest Ordered, will have to be submitted to the tea Taster for analysis =

Ordered
"Postponed for one week in the meantime to order one Chest of Tea,"

The Tailor requires 100 yards of Blay Calico for immediate use, (also a new Scythe will be required for the farm)

Ordered "To be procured;"

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State of the House

Number in Original Building 273
" " Emuscorthy F Hos 1

Number Corresponding day Last-year 284

Porters Report.

15 men Admitted
7 men broke 23 cwt. stone
3 " pumped water
5 " unable D work

8 Women "
4 Women washed out wards
4 " unable D work

8 Children "
unable D work

Agriculturist's Report.

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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):—

In re
Tender accepted by Guardians for the supply of Flour to the Workhouse

Letter read from L.G. Board No 38538 5th July 1899

Forwarding a letter which has been received from Mr Thomas B Moffat, Solicitor, relative to above, and requesting that the L.G. Board may be furnished with the Guardians observations in reference to the statement that an official of the Union, had been engaged in canvassing Guardians for their support, in connection with the Contract in question.

Proposed by Mr Daniel Nowlan
Seconded by Mr Thomas Cleary
} Passed unanimously

"The Guardians have no observation to make on the subject."

Mr Moffat's cutting was taken from issue of 23rd June 99 but the following is from 1st July 1899

Mr Atkins Also Feels Aggrieved.

Mr Atkins said he had been reported in last week's papers as making use of some strong comments on the practice of officials canvassing guardians in connection with the contracts. He certainly made use of the statements attributed to him, but he believed when making that the reporters would regard as private, especially as they were made before theminutes were read.

In reply to the clerk, Mr Atkins said that the official he referred to occupied a very minor position, and was neither the clerk, Mr Mernagh, Mr Whelan, R O, nor the master.

(Mr Moffats Letter to L.G. Board.)

Enniscorthy, 30th June, 1899—Sir—Referring to recent correspondence I have now to draw the attention of the Local Government to the statement made last week at the guardians' meeting by a guardian (Mr J Atkins) that an official of the union had been engaged in canvassing guardians for their support in reference to the flour contract. The only satisfaction afforded Mr Atkins for courageously bringing forward the matter was from the chairman, who remarked 'that during my life time and yours this sort of canvassing will go on.' I have no knowledge myself as to what official is referred to, but if tenders are sent in in the contractors' names, and if an official using his knowledge, accordingly proceeds to canvass for support of a guardian it certainly reveals an astounding state of affairs in this unhappy union. I enclose a copy of one of the local papers, and suggest that if the guardians will not enquire into the complaint against the official, the Local Government Board should do so—Your obedient servant, T B Moffat."

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In re
Out Door Relief

Mr Jerome Murphy, R.O, reported "that he visited Michael Mahon of Ballywaloo on two days, one of them I found he was working and the other he was not, I am informed by Miss Scallan of Ballywaloo that he only work as he thinks fit himself as he is mentally defected, some times he will stop from work for two or three weeks and Miss Scallan pay him 7° per day for the days he works.
He have one son an imbicile and unable to work and another small boy. when I was speaking to him he showed great mental debility.

Mr Fortune proposed
Mr Cleary Seconded } Passed Unanimously
"That Michael Mahon be allowed 2/= per week for two weeks, and that the Medical Officer see him in the mean time;

In re
Porters Clothes

Michael Furlong, Hall Porter, wrote, Gentlemen I shall be most grateful if you will grant me the usual annual allowance for clothes as this is the month you kindly gave them to me last year

Ordered
"£4 allowed for Clothes"

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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In re
Clothing to Inmates leaving the House

Maggie Bolger an inmate wrote asking clothes for herself and child as she intended leaving the House and remain outside.

Ordered
"£1 allowed for clothes for herself and child."

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Notice of Motion.

"I give Notice that on THURSDAY, the 13th of JULY, 1899, I will move that Mr. P. O'Neill's whole tender for Groceries, &c., to Workhouse, be rescinded, in consequence of not complying with the terms of the advertisement as regards the dates, which states is from 15th June, 1899, to 15th June, 1890, instead of from 15th June, 1899, to 31st March, 1900, as required by advertisement."

Signed,

PATRICK BOLGER.

28th June, 1899.

I withdraw above Notice of Motion in reference to Mr P. O'Neills tender moved by me on 28th June '99, and agree to have March 31st 1900 inserted instead of 15th June 1890.

Signed . Patrick Bolger

3rd July 1899..

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In re
Yearly Supplies of Clothing

In accordance with resolution passed unanimously at Guardians Meeting of the 28th Inst. in reference to taking a special day to get through all the contracts left over, Monday the 3rd July 1899 was selected as a suitable day:

In compliance with above resolution 17 members were present - Viz = Mr Thomas Hayes - in the Chair
Also present - Messrs - T. Bolger. J.P. J Doyle
A Power. M Kavanagh. J Hennessy. ~~T Hayes~~
O Doyle. J.P. J Lambert. J Lynch. T Lacey
T A Rudd. M Dunne J Cleary. M Doyle
P Bolger. M Slevin. J Lynott

The following Tenders were accepted by the Board - Viz

James Dempsey

Irish Frize 56"		4"0 per yard
Corduroy		1:6 "
Linsey Woolsey 36"		1:1 "
Flannel Irish 28"		0:10½ "
Woollen Yarn		1:4 per lb

James Oforman

Irish Rugs	84" x 60"	3:9 each
White Counterpanes 2¾ yds by 2½ yds		3:6 "
Twilled Linen for Sheeting 72"		1:6 per yard

Black Thread 2/6 : Blay 2/3. Cotton Balls 3/= Needles 10/=
Broad Tape 6d per Doz. Narrow Tape 5d. Cards Thread 3½d per doz
Coates spools 1/= per Doz. Brooks spools 7½d per doz. No 60 Linen spools 9d each. Cotton " 3½d " Studs 6/= per Gross

Buff Calico 3d per yard

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Mrs Bridget Murphy.

Bengal Stripe	36"	6½ per yd
Long Cloth	30"	3 "
Ticken	54"	9 "

Mr James Roche

Blay Calico	30"	3½ "
[redacted]	"	[redacted] "
Handkerchiefs	36" x 33"	1/= each
Linen Check for Bibs	36"	6¾ per yard

Mr John Bolger

Navy Blue Serge	36"	1/= per yard
Shrouding	36"	5½ "
Handkerchiefs	46 x 40	1/9 each

Mr John Kenny

Wincey	27"	5D per yd

Mr Timothy O'Neill

Twilled Calico	36"	5D "

Presentation Convent.

Blay & White Linen	36"	1/= "

John Brown

Blankets	1/4 per lb

Francis Godfrey

Stationery, Ink, Pens, &c

John Lambert

Shoemakers & Carpenters nails

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Joseph Kenny

All white smith work inside of Workhouse £8 per annum
Shoeing of 3 Farm Animals finding all material 3:10:0 "
To repair all Farm implements, Common & covered cars, & all work of articles belonging to Black smith trade outside of the Workhouse } 5:0:0

John O'Brien. rep. of J Godfrey

Limerick Tannage (Butt Leather Native) 1/- per lb
Irish " (Slitter Leather) 1/3 "
Dublin " (Black Kip 1/8 "

Shoe findings

Lip nails 2/6 per stone. Shoe Knives 2/9 per doz
Wood pegs 3d per lb. Rasps 6/9 per doz
Hairs 1/3 per oz.

O'Neill

Rands. (Best Heavy Foreign) 1/- = 3½ per lb
Best No 3 Hemp 1/6 per lb. Heel plates 2 lb 4/= per gross
Brass Revits 10d per lb. Iron Revits 2/6 per stone

Printing &c

"Tenders accepted from B Hughes "Independent" for all books Forms &c. for use of Board of Guardians subject to the Clerks selection."

Tenders accepted from "People Office for Printing of Franchise Books @ 10½ per 100

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Hardwire

Mrs Johanna Hogan, Paint Brushes 1/4 per set. Scrub Brushes 9D each. Dusting Brushes 8D each. Blacklead Brushes 1/= per set (3) Shoe Brushes 5D each. Coalboxes 1/9 each. Buckets Large 1/6 Small 8D. Tin Candlesticks 6D each. Milk cans 10D each Tin Dishes 2/= per doz. Farm forks 1/= Lamp glasses 1/4 per doz. Garden Hoes 10D each. Mettal Kettals 2/= each Oil Lamps 9D each. Mop Heads 9D each. Iron pots 8D each wooden 7D each. Table spoons 6/6 per doz. Saucepans metal 1/= each. Tea pots 8D each. Tins all sizes 1/= per doz Rapstones 2D each. Paraffin oil 6½ per gall. Colza 2/6 Train 2/2. Boiled 1/10. Neatsfoot 3/9. Turpentine 2/6 White Lead 2/4 per st. Blue Black 1/= Lamp Black 3/= Red Lead 2/4 " Blacklead 2/9. Bath Brick 1/= per doz. Copperas 8D. Coal Tar 4D per gall. Pitch & Rosin 1/2 per stone. Brimstone. Rim cord. Cart rope Iron. Steel. nails & Bolts. stone Hammers. Tar putters. Down pipes. Oven tiles, Cement, &C also all the different paints ~~&c~~ and Varnishes with the exception of Oak Varnish "=

Mr Martin Donohoe. Bass Brooms 1/= Hearth Brushes 10D Sweeping Brushes 2/3. Bellows 1/9. Knives & forks 4D per pair. Spades 2/3. Chain 3D per lb White Deals Best 12:9x3 2/6 each. Scantling cut in proportion. Oak varnish 6/6 per gall. Tarred Twine 2D Course 4D

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 6th day of July 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes.

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re
Vacation to Medical Officers

Letter read from L/Board No 37.347 5th July 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 22nd Ultimo, and pointing out that under article 28 of the Dispensary Rules, Medical Officers are entitled to 4 weeks vacation in each year, and the Guardians have no power to limit that period by Resolution

In re
Conveyance of Dispensary Records from the Dispensaries to the Workhouse for examination

Referring to L/Board's letter No 84.695. dated the 21st June 1899. the Clerk was ordered to communicate with Mr John O'Reilly, Enniscorthy, who has Post cars running to Oulart, Killann, & Clonroche Dispensary Districts, to see on what terms he would convey the Doctors Books to and from the Workhouse on the 4th Thursday of each month."

In re
Oulart Dispensary District.

Mr Coulighan proposed
Mr Cleary Seconded
} Passed Unanimously

"That the name of Mr Thomas Doyle Ballymoty be added to the list of wardens for above Dispensary District."

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In re
Leeches, Trusses & Elastic Stockings

Referring to guardians Minutes of the 28 Ult^mo. re above, Dr. T. J. Kelly wrote "stating that it would be only fair to have advertisement issued for same."

Ordered
To be advertised "

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In re
Analyst Required

In reply to advertisement for above which was forwarded to Bd. with Guardians Minutes of the 28th Ultimo. there were Five tenders received viz:-

James A Doyle. M. P. S. I. Analytical & Consulting Chemist, Belfast tendered to undertake all analytical work with Union and Dispensary for £14 per annum or for £7.8.3 per sample

Thorp & Platt Analytical Laboratory. Limerick
Suggesting 10/6 per sample for the first 20 samples sent in any year, and 5/- per sample for all samples over 20 in any one year. or £10:10/- for the first year

Edwin Lapper. Royal College of Surgeons Dublin tendered to undertake all analytical work at 10/6 per article analysed.

Sir. C. A. Cameron. C.B. M.D. F.R.C.S. City Laboratory Dublin, Stating that he would be glad to act as analyst for the Union at a salary of £10, and a fee of 2/6 for every analysis of drugs in excess of 24 also stating that he was a public analyst for the county & that his certificate is receivable in evidence in case of prosecution, and other analysts must attend in court, as their certificates cannot be received. If my proposal does not meet with approval I shall be glad to learn the Guardians views and I am sure would fall in with them."

J. A Woodside. L.P.S.I. Ballymena, Medical Hall tendered for the position of analyst at a salary of £9 per annum

Ordered

"Clerk write to J. A Woodside to inform the Guardians whether

whether he is a public analyst so as to enable his certificates to be evidence under the Food and Drugs Act, or if not, would he attend prosecutions in the Union without charge."

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 13rd day of July 1899

Signed Edward Kernaghan
Asst Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	957	273										
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		—										
Newtownbarry do	67	—										
Oulart do												
TOTAL	1024	273										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	42	66	82	12	15	19	12	20	278
Admitted during the Week -			13	7	2	1	-	1	3	4	1	32
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			23	49	68	83	12	16	22	16	21	310
Discharged during the Week -			9	10	4	2	-	1	5	4	1	26
Died - - - - - -			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead -			9	10	5	2	-	1	5	4	1	37
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	39	63	81	12	15	17	12	20	273

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 128	In separate Wards 38	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital —	In Wards with other Inmates —	
TOTAL, 128	TOTAL, 38	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	4	9	26
No. in Workhouse at date	3	-	-	3

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 1899 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	269	464	-	-	269	464
No. II.	87	178	-	-	87	178
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	429	786	=	=	429	786

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, the 13th day of July 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr James Hennessy

Subsequently .. Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ Thaddeus Bolger. J.P.
James Lynch, James Hennessy, Thomas Carroll
D.J. O'Callaghan. Thomas Cleary, Mark Codd.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account ..... the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8 : 0 : 7 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -

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

Meat,	454	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	17½	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1424	quarts	Butter,	63	lbs.
Tea,	10 9	~~lbs~~ ozs.	Eggs,	43	dozens
Sugar,	2	~~cwt~~ ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	5	bottles	Starch,	56	lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	30	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	41	ozs.
Oatmeal,	~~112~~ 4	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Yeast~~	3	~~lbs~~ gallons	Lamp Oil,	2	gallons

Short Stimulants 2 : 0 : 4

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... —	£		

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 13th day of July 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1230 to No. 1262

Separate ,, No. 294 to No. 294

Out door ,, No. 2476 to No. 2477

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	36	9	=	35	7	6	71	16	6	37	5	6	=	15	11	38	1	5	33	15	1	1926
Necessaries ...	6	16	9	12	12	10	19	9	7	5	6	9	1	2	6	6	9	3	13	=	4	
Total ...	43	5	9	48	=	4	91	6	1	42	12	3	1	18	5	44	10	8	46	15	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 18 99 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	12 7 6	14 12 -	6 1 6				33 1 =
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	- - -	- - -	- - -				- - -
3. Total to be accounted for	12 7 6	14 12 -	6 1 6				33 1 -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	23 17 6	11 12 -	8 19 6				44 9 =
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. - .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . .	. . .	. . .				. - .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	23 17 6	11 12 -	8 19 6				44 9 -
Less due R.O.	11 10 -		2 18 -				14 8 -
							30 1 -
8. Balance in hands at close of the week due by RO	- -	3 - -	- - -				3 = =
9. Total ...	12 7 6	14 12 -	6 1 6				33 1 =

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 13th day of July, 18 99

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	—	—	—	—	—	—

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	222	9	11			
Clothing and Bedding	64	14	7			
Establishment	19	12	5			
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment	261	1	3			
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm	7	10	=			
(*c.*) Medical Charities	206	5	=			
Workhouse Farm	2	3	6			
Workhouse Burials	—	13	6			
Medical Charities	10	-	9			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	—	..	-			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	201	-	-			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	6	10	-			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	4	-	-			
Superannuation Allowances	21	5	-			
Estimated Petty Cash required until 5th August 1899 ~~District School Account~~ ...	36	-	..			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...	—	-	-			
Repayment of Loans	.	.	.			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...	-	.	.			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	,	.	..			
Expenditure out of Loans	.	.	-			
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	1063	5	11	1063	5	11

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ..... June .....18..99 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £	s.	d.	Loans Account £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	698	4	-			
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-			
Total	698	4	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Payments ordered at this meeting	1063	5	11			
Total						
Net Balance due to Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	365	1	11			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	734	4	7			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	1099	6	6			
Net Balance as above due to Treasurer	365	1	11			

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13 & 14 July

On hands

No 24	—	3-17-11	✓
53	—	4-18-1	✓
61	—	-12-0	
62	—	1-2-6	✓
63	—	1-0-2	✓
64	—	1-6-0	✓
65	—	1-0-9	✓
66	—	1-5-5	
67	—	2-18-5	
68	—	1-10-0	
69	—	-19-6	
71	—	12-17-0	
72	—	1-10-2	
75	—	2-2-5	
		37-0-7	

Less Paid on Account for Beef

1-0-0

36-0-7

Cheque issued 13 July 1899 1063 - 5 - 11

1099-6-6

Bal due 1 Aug 1899 734-4-7

365-1-11

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque

£ s. a.

Masters Report-

The case against Christy Toole for the maintenance of his wife was heard at Petty Sessions on Monday last. As he promised the Magistrates to maintain his wife, they adjourned the case for a week to see what he would do, he has not up to this approached me to make any settlement, and his wife still remains an Inmate of the House.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 10 4/7 Ryan 10 3/7 Martin 10 3/7

The Master reported as follows:-

The Bay horse showed symptoms of lameness last Friday. I reported the matter to the V.S. who examined and treated him several times since. The animal is now all right, but should be kept at light work for a few days.

The grey horse which is suffering from worms injured his fet lock in the stable by getting entangled in the Head collar. The V.S. is also treating him & he is nearly well.

The Shoemaker requires 1 gross of Heel plates, 21 lbs of Brass Rivets and 10000 large pavers.

Ordered "To be procured."

The Tailor requires 50 Yards of corduroy, 40 Yards of Linen, 12 gross of studs.

Ordered "To be procured."

The Matron requires 200 Yards of Navy Blue Serge, 200 Yards of Blay Calico, 300 Yards of Check, 50 Yards of Shrouding, 100 Yards of Linen, and also needles and spools.

Ordered

"To be procured."

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Masters Report Continued

Referring to my report of the 6th inst re the tea supply and the Boards order thereon, I have received the following letter from Mr. J. Palmer, tea taster as follows

"Dear Sir—Your favour of the 7th inst to hand this morning. As I think I explained to you on a former occ sion, it is usual with most unions that I have to deal with to take delivery at once of the tea accepted, and my minimum fee of £1 1s covers the selection and examination of bulk with original sample at the time of declaration of contract. Of course if your board prefer to take delivery as they require only, and they should wish to have each delivery tested, I should be pleased to undertake it until the termination of the contract for the sum of £2 2s. If I may be allowed to suggest to the board, I think that possibly they might find it more to their interest to divide the contract into two separate ones, say of six or eight chests each, instead of one of twelve or thirteen chests, as if the contractor has to hold the tea selected for nine months, it must of necessity deteriorate considerably towards the end of that period. I merely offer this as a suggestion for consideration in the future."

Ordered

Three Months supply to be taken at each time £2:2:0 to be paid to the taster for testing all samples of Tea sent to him until the 31st March 1900.

The Nuns have got a respectable situation for an inmate named Sarah Byrne, who is 17 years in the House. Owing to the great length of time

~~Agriculturist's Report~~

she has been in the House her clothes have become useless. Will the Board under the circumstances kindly grant her an outfit to take up the situation,

Ordered "£1:10:0 worth of clothes allowed,"

Mr Roche has supplied 100 yards of Blay calico please have it inspected.

Ordered "A Committee consisting of Messrs J. Hennessy. J. Lynch. & J Cleary inspected and reported not equal to sample to be returned to contractor,"

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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):—

In re
Temporary Farm Steward

Letter read from L.G. Board No 38722 11th July 1899

Acknowledging receipt of replies to inquiries respecting the employment of Patrick Doyle as Farm Steward and Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of 2/6 per day for two weeks."

In re
Ballot Boxes in Registration Office

Letter read from Registrar General No 3896 10th July 1899

Referring to recent Report of the Inspector of Registration and requesting that the Ballot Boxes be removed from the Registry Office without delay and report to this Office when this has been done.

Ordered

"The Master to procure a suitable place for the Ballot Boxes."

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In re
Registration Office

Letter read from Registrar General to Chairman of Board of Guardians No 3896 10th July 1899

Acquainting the Board of Guardians that Dr. R.J. Mitchell, late Inspector of Registration who recently visited the Union reports that the window of the Strong Closet of the Register Office is stiff and has not been opened for a long time, and he shall be much obliged if you will give directions to have the window eased and fitted with a proper handle, as soon as possible.
Also stating that in spite of the dry weather traces of mouldiness appear on the Register Books, notably in some of the Marriage Registers and recommending that the strong room should be heated by a system of Hot Water pipes, this method of heating having been carried out with very beneficial results in other Unions,
and expressing the hope that the Guardians will be so good as to authorise this important improvement being affected".

Ordered

"That the Master get the White Smith to ease the Iron Window referred to and repair the lock of inside door, Considering that as a fire is constantly ~~lighted~~ in this room and the boiler from which the proposed water pipes could be supplied is only used ~~twice~~ a week any alteration of existing arrangements would entail more expense than the needs of the occasion required,"

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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In re
Leave of Absence

Letter read from Sr M O'Leary 13th July 1899

Gentlemen,

I would feel most grateful to your Board for leave of absence for the Sisters for about ten days, to attend their annual retreat; Sisters from Wexford will replace them in the Infirmary.

Ordered
"Leave of absence allowed."

In re
Printing and advertising

Tenders were accepted from the "Free Press" and "People Office" for advertising at 3D per line, and inserting Out-door Relief Lists at 5/6 per 100 names.

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 13th day of July 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes.

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re

Conveyance of Dispensary Records from Dispensaries to the W/House for Examination

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Referring to Ly Board's Letter No 34,695 dated 21st June 1899 re above, Mr John O'Reilly wrote as follows "I propose to carry on Mail cars, Doctors Books to and from Blourocke, Oulart and Ballam Dispensaries, to be delivered at Board Room for the sum of £1:10: each per year,

Proposed by Mr Lynch } Passed
Seconded by Mr Cleary } Unanimously
That Mr O'Reilly's tender be accepted,"

In re

Analyst Required

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 6th Inst. re above and Order made thereon to which J. A. Woodside. L. P. S. I Ballymena replied as follows

Dear Sir—I am in receipt of your favour of the 6th inst. and in reply up to the present I have acted only as analyst in a private capacity, but I am now fitting up a large laboratory, as I have obtained a number of appointments. I consider my certificate would be taken as evidence in any court of law for analysing drugs, food, etc, and in this case a personal attendance would not be necessary. Hoping your board of guardians will consider my application favourably.—Yours respectfully, J A Woodside, L P S I."

Ordered "Not considered Satisfactory,"

Mr Carroll proposed } Passed
Mr Hennessy Seconded } Unanimously

"That Dr Cameron be appointed Analyst for this Union in accordance with Our advertisement for the sum of £10 per Annum, But this Board will not agree to pay any thing additional per sample for any number of Samples Analysed,"

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In re
Leave of absence
Blouroche Dy. D.I.

Letter read from Dr M. Delaney, M.O of above Dy DI. dated 8th July 1899

I beg to apply for 4 weeks leave of absence, and I recommend Dr D P Murphy Killann, as locum tenens. he is willing to act at a remuneration of three pounds a week.

I will of course inform you before leaving.

Ordered

"The Ly Board are requested to say if it is necessary for M Os of Dispensary Districts, to fill up and sign the form in re appointment, before acting as locum tenens for any other M.O. of a Dy. DI. seeking leave of absence."

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District. Mr. _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Cleary Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of July 1899

Signed, Edward Mernagh Asst
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1899

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	278
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry do.....	67	
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024	278

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	14	39	63	81	12	15	17	12	20	273
Admitted during the Week -	14	10	2	1	2	4	2	1	1	37
Born - - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	28	49	65	82	14	19	19	13	21	310
Discharged during the Week -	14	8	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	32
Died - - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead -	14	8	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE .	14	41	62	81	13	17	18	12	20	278

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 128	In separate Wards 38
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital —	In Wards with other Inmates —
TOTAL 128	TOTAL, 38

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	14	10	10	34
No. in Workhouse at date	3	2	4	9

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of July 1899 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	261	464	-	-	261	464
No. II.	87	178	-	-	87	178
No. III.	82	144	-	-	82	144
TOTAL	430	786	.	.	430	786

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, the 20th day of July 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Cleary, D.C

Other Guardians:—Messrs ÷ Moses Fortune. John Linnott Myles Cooney. John Cooney. Mark Kavanagh. James Lynch John S. Atkin, Denis Lacey. James Lambert. T. A Rudd Thomas Kavanagh. Mark Codd. Patrick Bolger. Morgan Leacy. John Cullin, J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 4 : 4 was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	45	8	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	44	2	0
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	–	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary	–	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Cost of Stimulants £1 : 19 : 8

Meat,	393	lbs.	Indian Meal,	224	lbs.	
Flour,	17½	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.	
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.	
Sweetmilk,	1408	quarts	Butter,	64	lbs.	
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	42	dozens	
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs	
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.	
Wine,	4	bottles	Starch,		lbs.	
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.	
Porter,	30	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.	
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts.	Bakers
Lemons,			Tobacco,	40	ozs.	
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.	
~~Barm~~ Yeast	3	~~gallons~~ galls	Lamp Oil,	4	gallons	

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors: Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		Total				Total,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 20th day of July 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1262 to No. 1299

Separate „ No. 294 to No. 294

Out door „ No. 2477 to No. 2485

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week: By Inmates			By Officers			Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	33	15	1	44	6	4	78	1	5	36	17	3	-	16	3	37	13	6	40	7	11	1925
Necessaries ...	13	=	4	1	2	3	14	2	7	5	6	-	1	2	6	6	8	6	7	14	1	
Total ...	46	15	5	45	8	7	92	4	-	42	3	3	1	18	9	44	2	-	48	2	-	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 18 99 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Less Due R. Os							
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week due by RO-	11 10 -	- - -	2 18 -				14 8 -
	20 - -	3 - -	- - -				3 - -
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	✓ 32 - -	✓ 13 - -	✓ 12 - -				11 8 - 57 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20 10 -	16 - -	9 2 -				45 12 =
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 10 -	11 9 -	8 19 6				44 18 6
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- 3 -	- - -	- - -				- 3 -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	- - -						
7. Total Relief given	24 13 -	11 9 -	8 19 6				45 1 6
Less Due R.O	4 3 -	- - -	- - -				4 3 - 40 18 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week due by ROs	- - -	4 11 -	- 2 6				4 13 6
9. Total ...	20 10 -	16 - -	9 2 -				45 12 =

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £	s.	d.	Loans Account £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month						
Total						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at this meeting						
Total						
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)						
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer						

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Per Centage

Bosgrave. 96/7 Ryan. 104/7 Martin. 96/7

The Master reported as follows ÷

I beg to inform the Board that the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last sentenced Christy Cook to three months imprisonment for neglecting to maintain his wife whereby she became chargeable on the rates, & still remains an inmate of the House.

Mr Roche has supplied 200 Yards of blay Calico and 100 Yards of Sheets. please have it inspected.

Ordered

"A Committee consisting of Messrs ÷ J. S. McKin J. A Rudd, and D Lacey inspected and reported equal to Simple"

State of the House

Number in Original Building 267

" " Fever Hospitals "

Number corresponding day last Year 275

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Porters Report

18 men admitted

8 men broke 26 Cwt. Stones
3 " Pumped water
2 " Carried in stones
5 " unable Dwork

8 men " 5 Women washed out Probation ward
3 " unable Dwork

12 Children admitted unable Dwork.

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Agriculturist's Report.

The Agriculturist would wish the Farm Committee to inspect the Hay and see how much of it could be sold,

Ordered " A Committee consisting of Messrs T. A. Rudd. Moses Fortune & Mark Codd inspected and recommended that 30 cocks of Hay be sold by Auction which was sanctioned by the Board

Patrick Doyle temporary Steward had to be kept on the farm as we were so busy at the Hay

The above Committee also recommended 8 Oz of Cabbage seed to be sown.

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

In re
Workhouse Farm

Letter read from L.G. Board No 28.606 14th July 1899

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 28th Ult. and requesting that the L.G. Board may be informed under what tenure the Workhouse farm &c. are held and whether any proceedings are pending in the Landed Estates Court or otherwise for sale of the Estate of which these premises form a part. If any such proceedings are pending the name and title of the case should be furnished to the L.G. Board together with information as to whether any overtures for a sale have been made and how the matter stands in this respect. The L.G. Board presume that the Workhouse farm is a distinct and separate holding from the Workhouse.

Ordered

"Referred to Mr O'Dempsey, Board's Solicitor,"

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Yearly Supplies

James Nolans tender was accepted for Supplies to N° 7 Barrack Fever Hospital until 31st March 1900."

In re
Leave of Absence

"The Tailor. Shoemaker & Carpenter applied for leave of absence on the 26 Inst. to attend the Athletic sports.
Ordered "Allowed"

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 20th day of July 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Cleary. D.C

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

In re
Analyst.

C. A Cameron
City Laboratory
Dublin
wrote 14/7/99

I agree to the terms which the Board of Guardians have fixed for the office of Drugs Analyst at their Meeting of the 13 Inst;
I beg to thank the Guardians for having elected me.

Ordered "Terms £10 per year;"

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. *of*

In re
Leave of absence
Ardcath Dy. Dt.

Dr. P. J. Murphy
Medical Officer
of above Dy. Dt.
wrote 19/7/99

I beg to apply for one week's leave
of absence from August 4th to 12th '99
I recommend Dr. [illegible] Pounden of
Ballywater as my substitute.

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

Order dated _____. *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* 43 *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* 10 *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____ *names,*

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

Referred to Relieving Officers Whelan & Murphy to report in three weeks.

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Hayes Clerk.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 27th July

day of 1899

Signed, E Carnagh
Asst Clerk of the Union.
Wm Tom Molly d/k

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1899

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	95	263
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	-	-
Newtownbarry do.....	67	-
Oulart do.....	-	-
TOTAL	1024	263

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	14	41	62	81	13	17	18	12	20	278
Admitted during the Week -	10	3	4	-	-	1	1	2	-	21
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	.	.	.
TOTAL,	24	44	66	81	13	18	19	14	20	299
Discharged during the Week -	14	6	5	-	1	3	2	2	2	36
Died - - - - - -	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead -	14	6	6	-	1	3	2	2	2	36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	10	38	60	81	12	15	17	12	18	263

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	122	In separate Wards	38
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL.	122	TOTAL.	38

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	14	3	4	21
No. in Workhouse at date	1	-	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1899 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	261	464	-	-	261	464
No. II.	87	178	-	-	87	178
No. III.	82	144	..	.	82	144
TOTAL	430	786	.	.	430	786

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 27th day of July 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs. P. Bolger & J Doyle

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

That the Clerk is engaged to day in the Court house attending adjourned Quarterly Meeting of R.D. Council in considering tenders for roads from 11 A.M. and the Meeting is not expected to be over sooner than about 7 Oclock. P.M.

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

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

Paid during the week: - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy ...			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 15 : –
was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was (*Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*)	33	10	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - - (*Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*)	43	10	0
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - -			

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

Cost of Stimulant £2 : 17 : 1

Meat,	446	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,	224	lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1384	quarts	Butter,	64	lbs.
Tea,	4	Chests	Eggs,	43	dozens
Sugar,	2	Cwt.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	5	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	30	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	30	tons
Lemons,			Tobacco,	40	ozs.
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Barm,	3	gallons	Lamp Oil,	4	gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors: Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 27th day of July 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1299 to No. 1320

Separate „ No. 294 to No. 294

Out door „ No. 2485 to No. 2485

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	40 7 11	32 5 7	72 13 6	36 19 3	- 15 11	37 15 2	34 18 4	1867
Necessaries ...	7 14 1	1 5 -	8 19 1	4 13 2	1 2 6	5 15 8	3 3 5	
Total ...	48 2 -	33 10 7	81 12 7	41 12 5	1 18 5	43 10 10	38 19 9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 18 99 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Less due by R.O	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										4	3	-
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	-	-	-	4	11	-	-	2	6										4	13	6
																			=	10	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	-	-	13	-	-	10	-	-										48	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	17	-	17	11	-	10	2	6										48	10	6
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	24	11	-	11	7	-	9	19	6										45	17	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-										-	5	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-										-	-	-
7. Total Relief given	24	11	-	11	7	-	10	4	6										46	2	6
Less due R.O	3	14	-					2	-										3	16	-
																			42	6	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	-	-	-	6	4	-	-	-	-										6	4	-
9. Total ...	20	17	-	17	11	-	10	2	6										48	10	6

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Bream Rec Centage

Bofrave 10/7 Ryan 10/7 Martin 9 3/7

The Master reported as follows

On the 24 Inst. Mr Edwin Davis, Mill park visited the House and brought with him fruit and sweets for distribution amongst the School children. The sweets he said were a present from himself to the children and the fruit were presented by Mrs Wm Davis Ballybarna, The children desire me to thank the kind donors for their usual thoughtfulness of them, The Medical Officer gave us permission for the fruit to be used by the children.

Mr Bolger proposed } Passed
Mr Doyle. seconded } nem con

"That the best thanks of this Board be accorded to Mr Edwin Davis Mill park and Mrs Wm Davis Ballybarna for the generous treat they gave the Children of the Workhouse."

Mr. Murphy has supplied 100 Yards of Ticken please have it inspected

Ordered

Messers ÷ Doyle & Bolger inspected and reported equal to Sample."

Mr Jas Dempsey has supplied 50 yds of Corduroy & 40 yds of Irish frize please have it inspected

Ordered

Above Committee inspected and reported equal to sample."

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Masters Report Continued

I wish to bring under the notice of the Board the case of an able bodied inmate named James Kinsella who is well able to work outside and who has a pension from the Government as an Army Reserve man.

Ordered "To be discharged at once."

A Woman with three children has been admitted to the Probation Ward to day named Margt. Conroy who wishes to ask the Board to assist her to prosecute her husband who has refused to maintain her.

Ordered
"Referred to Solicitor to prosecute."

Agriculturisl's Report.

The Agriculturist reported that the pigs are fit for sale.

Ordered "The pigs to be sold on nesct Monday the fairday the Master and Steward to sell them."

There will also be some small pigs required to be bought. The nesct day

Ordered
"The Master and Steward to purchase small pigs;"

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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):—

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Eviction Notice

Barrett Leary
The Harrow
Plaintiff

v

Eliza Kinsella
Kilcoulshea
Defendant

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 27th day of July 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes.

Other Guardians :—

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Oulart & N. J. Barry *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 :—*

To be forwarded to Contractor

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

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

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re
Dispensary Rules

Letter read from L/Board No 41,786 24th July 99

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 13th inst. and requesting that the L/Board may be informed what arrangements has been made for the conveyance of the Records of the Lens & 17 Barry, D.D. to the Workhouse for examination, in pursuance of Article 10 of the Dispensary Rules.

Also requesting to be informed what steps have been taken by the Guardians under article 23 of the Dispensary Rules.

Ordered
Conveyance of Dispensary Records postponed for replies from Doctors Lawler & Greene. of Dispensary Dr's referred to.

In reference to article 23 of the Dispensary Rules the M O's have the matter under consideration.

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In re
Temporary appointment of
Dispensary Officers

Letter read from L/Board No 41, 786 22nd July 99 — Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 13th inst. and stating that in all cases of temporary appointments of Dispensary Officers the Guardians should comply with the requirements of Article 3 of the Dispensary Rules.

In re
Appointment of Analyst.

Letter read from L/Board No 41, 786 25th July 99 — Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 13th inst. and expressing their sanction to the appointment of Sir Charles Cameron Analyst to the Union, provided that the Salary for the position is fixed after 14 days notice.

The following Notice of Motion was handed in by Mr P. Bolger

"I give notice that on this day two weeks Thursday 10th Augt 1899, I will move that Sir Charles Cameron be appointed as analyst to this Union at a Salary of £10 per Annum

Signed Patrick Bolger

27th July 1899

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In re
Temporary Medical Officer
Ferns, Dy. Dt.

Sanction read from Bd No 41,652 26th July 1899

Advertising to Guardians Minutes of the 28th ultimo, and expressing their Sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £3:3:0 a week proposed to be allowed Dr Cooke for his services as temporary M.O. of above, Dy. Dt.

Re
Leave of Absence N. T. Barry, Dy. Dt.

Letter read from Dr. W. C. Sawbey 26th July 99

Beg to apply for my annual holiday of four weeks from the 1st. August, and I recommend Dr. Dormer as my substitute. He lives in N. T. Barry and can conveniently do the work.

Ordered.

"Leave of absence granted"

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Leary Clerk

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of August 1899

Signed Edenagh Asst
Clerk of the Union.
D Williams Clk

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 1899

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	957277	
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		-
Newtownbarry do.....	67	-
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024277	

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	10	38	60	81	12	15	17	12	18	263
Admitted during the Week -	13	11	8	-	-	-	3	5	4	44
Born - - - - - -	-	-	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
TOTAL,	23	49	68	81	12	15	20	17	24	309
Discharged during the Week -	15	8	5	.	.	.	1	1	2	32
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead -	15	8	5	.	.	.	1	1	2	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	8	41	63	81	12	15	19	16	22	277

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 123	In separate Wards 38
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital -	In Wards with other Inmates -
TOTAL, 123	TOTAL, 38

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	19	6	4	29
No. in Workhouse at date	4	1	1	6

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of July 1899 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	261	464	.	.	261	464
No. II.	87	178	.	.	87	178
No. III.	82	144	.	.	82	144
TOTAL	430	786	.	.	430	786

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of August 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr Thomas Cleary. D.V.C

Subsequently Mr Thomas Hayes.

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ Owen Doyle J.P. Thaddeus Bolger J.P. John Cullin J.P. Thos Hyde. J.J Coulahan Mark Kavanagh. John Cooney. Denis Lacey. Aidan Kelly Leonard Cardwell. John Bolger. Myles Cooney. Moses Dempsey Daniel Doyle. Thos Kavanagh. James Lynch. M.J Furlong Daniel Nowlan. Michl O'Neill. Jas Lambert. Michl Doyle Andrew Power.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week: - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account ..... the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack ...			
	Total ...			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 8 : 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 Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	103	7	2
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	43	10	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	—	3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary	—	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Meat,	440	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,	14	lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1368	quarts	Butter,	14	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	44	dozens
Sugar,	2	~~Cwt~~	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,	10	lbs.
Wine,	6	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,	10	lbs.
Porter,	18	do.	Washing Soda,	56	lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	38	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Bread~~	3	~~gallons~~	Lamp Oil,	2	gallons

Cost of Stimulants £1 : 19 : 4

Baker

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... ... £			

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

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Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 3rd day of August 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1320 to No. 1366

Separate „ No. 294 to No. 294

Out door „ No. 2485 to No. 2485

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	34	18	4	68	4	6	103	2	10	36	5	5	-	16	3	37	1	8	66	1	2	1883
Necessaries ...	3	3	-	35	2	8	38	6	1	5	6	6	1	26		6	9	-	31	17	1	
Total ...	38	1	9	103	7	2	141	8	11	41	11	11	1	18	9	43	10	8	97	18	3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : :

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
Less Due R.O	3 14 -	- - -	- 2 -				3 16 -
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	- - -	6 4 -	- - -				6 4 -
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 . .	13 . .	10 . .				2 8 = 48 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21 6 -	19 4 -	9 18 -				50 8 -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 5 6	11 7 -	8 17 6				44 10 =
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . .	. . .	. . .				- - .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	24 5 6	11 7 .	8 17 6				44 10 -
Less Due R.O	2 19 6						2 19 6 / 41 10 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	- - -	7 17 -	1 - 6				8 17 6
9. Total ...	21 6 =	19 4 -	9 18 =				50 8 -

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	Dr. s.	Dr. d.	Cr. £	Cr. s.	Cr. d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	Dr. s.	Dr. d.	Cr. £	Cr. s.	Cr. d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque	£	s.	a.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream Percentage

Cosgrave 9 8/7 — Ryan 10 — Martin 10

The Master reported as follows :-

A Sample of Tea from each of the four Chests taken into store from the Contractor has been sent by me to the Tea Taster. the following is his report on the condition of Samples sent him:

Your favour and the samples to hand this morning. I have carefully compared the latter with the original as selected and am pleased to report that the delivery is satisfactory

Signed W. J. Palmer

State of the House

Number in original Building 260
" " Fever Hospitals

Number Corresponding day Last Year 278

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Porters Report

8 Men admitted — 4 men broke 13 cwt Stones
4 " pumped water

12 Women admitted — 10 women washed out Probation words
2 " unable Dwork

8 Children " unable Dwork

Agriculturist Report

The Agriculturist reported that himself and the Master sold 6 fat pigs on the Fairday for the sum of £18:10:0
also bought 4 store pigs for the sum of 5:0:0
Sold 24 Cocks of Hay on 28th July 1899 } 24:11:6
by Auction

I also had to keep Patrick Doyle on the farm as we were so busy at Hay and Corn and

as there is no man in the house able to work he would be required longer as all the corn is nearly ripe -

Ordered. Patk Doyle to be kept on,"

The Women that is binding the corn expect some tea and sugar -

Ordered

" The usual quantity of Tea and sugar 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) :—

In re
Workhouse Farm &c

Referring to L.G.Board's Letter N°38.606 dated 14th July 1899. re above which was referred to Mr. O'Dempsey Solicitor and on which he made the following report =

"The Workhouse itself is held by the Guardians in fee simple. The farm is a Yearly Tenancy. There are no proceedings pending in any Court for Sale. The Landlord is negotiating with other Agricultural tenants for sale under purchase acts, and I have written to the Landlord asking to be included in this Scheme of purchase, no answer have yet been received."

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In re
Plumbing Contract.

Wm Foldie tendered to keep in repair all the Plumbing work at present existing in the W House Infirmary & Idiot wards including all the pumps and also the water service pipe from main pipe on road to the Fever Hospital supplying all necessary material for the ensuing nine months to the 31st March 1900 for the sum of £15:0:0=

Ordered "Accepted"

In re
Leave of Absence

James Howlin Schoolmaster, wrote asking to be allowed two weeks Vacation, and stating that Nicholas Carroll Shoemaker is willing to take charge of the boys=

Ordered
Leave of Absence allowed Nicholas Carroll Shoemaker to take charge of the boys during the Schoolmaster's absence."

Mrs Annie Howlin Asst School mistress applied for two weeks leave of absence and stating that the principal teacher (Sr Agnes) will attend to my duties

Ordered
"Leave of absence granted"

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of August 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

In re
Temporary Medical Officers Substitute

"The Guardians would wish to know if the Medical Officers of Dispensary Dts are at liberty to go on Vacation before their Temporary Substitutes are Sanctioned by the L.G. Board."

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

In re
Enniscorthy Dispensary District

Sanction read from L/Board No 42, 931 2nd Aug't 1899

Expressing their sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £4: 4: 0 a week proposed to be allowed to Dr Dowse for his services as temporary substitute ~~substitute~~ for Dr Kelly M. O of above Dy, D't.

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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 L.G. Board N° 44,472 *dated* 2nd August 1899

~~stating that~~

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 27th Ultimo, and requesting the Clerk to forward to the L.G. Board in pursuance of Article 13 of the Dispensary Rules the usual form of queries, duly filled up & signed, respecting the gentleman who has been appointed temporary Medical Officer of the N.Barry Dispensary District.

Ordered

"Form has not been received until to day."

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Hays Chm.

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

day of August 1899

Signed E Dermagh
Asst *Clerk of the Union.*
C Wm Connolly

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1899

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	95	264
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		-
Newtownbarry do.....	67	-
Oulart do.....		-
TOTAL	162	264

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	8	41	63	81	12	15	19	16	22	277
Admitted during the Week -	16	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	27
Born - - - - - -	-	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	24	49	64	82	12	15	19	16	23	304
Discharged during the Week -	13	11	5	1	-	-	2	3	5	40
Died - - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead -	13	11	5	1	.	.	2	3	5	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	11	38	59	81	12	15	17	13	18	264

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 130	In separate Wards 28
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital -	In Wards with other Inmates -
TOTAL, 130	TOTAL, 28

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	12	8	1	21
No. in Workhouse at date	-	1	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of August 1899 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	258	459	.	.	258	459
No. II.	86	177	.	.	86	177
No. III.	82	144	.	.	82	144
TOTAL	426	780	.	.	426	780

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of August 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Hayes

Other Guardians:— Messrs ÷ John Cullin J.P. John Cooney Myles Cooney. Arthur Pough. Michael Murphy Patrick Canning. John Shea. Patrick Bolger Andrew Power.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

The Clerk's Report 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 ..... 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7 : 9 : 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 Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	41	11	8
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	3	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Meat,	435	lbs.	~~Indian Meal~~,	224	lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	35	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1396	quarts	Butter,		lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	46	dozens
Sugar,		ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	6	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	24	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	38	ozs.
Oatmeal,	24	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Barrels~~	3	~~gallons~~	Lamp Oil,		gallons

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... .. £			

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 19th day of August 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1366 to No. 1392

Separate ,, No. 294 to No. 295

Out door ,, No. 2485 to No. 2485

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week: By Inmates			Consumed during the week: By Officers			Consumed during the week: Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	66	1	2	33	5	6	99	6	8	36	13	-	15	11		37	8	11	61	17	9	1858
Necessaries ...	31	17	1	8	6	2	40	3	3	6	12	-	1	2	6	7	14	6	32	8	9	
Total ...	97	18	3	41	11	8	139	9	11	43	5	-	1	18	5	45	3	5	94	6	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
Less Due R. O	2	19	6	-	-	-	-	-	-										2	19	6
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	-	-	-	7	17	.	1	-	6										8	17	6
																			5	18	=
2. Money since advanced by Guardians	A 35	.	.	13	.	.	B 12	.	.	A Sh'd be only £25. Settled on [illegible] /99; B Sh'd be only £10. Settled on [illegible] /99									60	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	32	=	6	20	17	-	13	-	6										65	18	-
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	24	8	-	11	4	-	8	14	6										44	6	6
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..																					
7. Total Relief given	24	8	.	11	4	.	8	14	6										44	6	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	7	12	6	9	13	-	4	6	=										21	11	6
9. Total ...	32	=	6	20	17	-	13	-	6										65	18	=

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 10th day of August, 1899

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of July, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales-of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	224	12	9			
Clothing and Bedding	29	4	8			
Establishment	52	6	-			
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	7	5	-			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	36	6	8			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	28	15	7			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	260	-	-			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	5	1	-			
Superannuation Allowances ...						
Estimated p Cash for 5 Wks ending 9 Sept 94 District School Account	48	-	-			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	688	11	8	688	11	8

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ...July.....18.99., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £	s.	d.	Loans Account £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-			
Total	-	-	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	365	1	11			
Payments ordered at this meeting	688	11	8			
Total	1053	13	7			
Net Balance due to Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	1053	13	7			
	1053	13	7			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	280	7	2			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	773	6	5			
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer	1053	13	7			

15 pounds £1 0-0

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Cream per Centage

Cosgrave 10 4/7 Ryan 10 2/7 Martin 10

The Master reported as follows:-

C. R. Lynch Stanton, Esq. L.G. Board Inspector visited the house on the 9 inst at 9.25 A.M. and inspected all its departments and left at 12.20 P.M. He also visited the Fever Hospital. While here on inspecting the Bread he found it sour and directed me to have it inspected by the Medical Officer, I did so and he pronounced it of an alum taste, The Baker when questioned as to the cause of the bread being sour said it was caused by the thunder and lightning, and when further questioned said it was the cause of the Yeast. The Baker has never made any complaint to me as to the material he was supplied with although I had to complain to him some few times several times as to the quality of the bread he was producing. The bread improved in quality after I spoke to him -

Ordered

"The Baker was called before the Board and cautioned that in future in case he has any fought to find with the yeast to report at once to the Master and leave no room for any further complaint."

State of the House

Number in Original Building	264
" " Fever Hospital	"
Number corresponding day last year	279

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House Visiting Committees Report

"We have visited the house in all its departments on this day and found the different wards both in the Infirmary and the body of the house, clean, and well kept, and the inmates happy & contented.

Signed John Cooney, Patrick Bolger
Andrew Power
10th August 1899.

Porters Report

18 men admitted

9 men brought 26 cwt stones
6 " pumped water
3 " unable D work

5 Women "

4 Women washed out Probation Ward
1 " unable D work

1 Child "

unable D work

Agriculturist's Report.

The Agriculturist reported that Mr Brew have delivered the Spraying Carts and would need a Committee to inspect them.

Ordered

"Postponed for attendance of Farm Committee

The farm harness requires some repairs

Ordered

"To be repaired"

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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):—

In re
Flour Contract

Letter read from L.G. Board No 44,420 9th Augt 1899

Forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of a further letter which they have received from J. B. Moffat, Solr, relative to the tender accepted by the Guardians for the supply of flour to the Workhouse, together with a copy of the L.G. Board's reply thereto =

Copy of J. B. Moffat's Letter to L.G. Board No 44,420. dated 28th July 1899

"Referring to yours of the 5th July I have been expecting to hear from your Board as to the alleged Canvassing by officials of the Union for Contracts, the Board of Guardians when written to by you determined not to reply intimating that the waste paper basket was the proper place for your correspondence."

Copy of L.G. Board's Letter to J. B. Moffat Solr No 44,420. dated 9th August 1899

"Acknowledging further letter of the 28th ultimo relative to the tender accepted by the Board of Guardians for the supply of Flour to the W. House and forwarding extract from Minutes of the 6th Inst. With the information at present before them the L.G. Board see no reason for further interference on their part and if the Board are furnished with full particulars of any complaint against any Union officer they will enquire into the matter."

Ordered "The Bds did not consider the waste paper basket was the proper place for the correspondence of the L.G. Board, but some of the Bds did consider it the proper place for Mr Moffat's correspondence

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In re
Notification of Transfer of Money from the County Fund

Received from the Treasurer of the County Council the sum of £750.0.0 as second Instalment.

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Leave of absence

Michael Furlong
Hall porter
wrote 10th Augt 99

In consequence of the delicate state of my health, I beg to ask the Board to kindly grant me four weeks leave of absence, In the event of your Board granting me my request, I beg to name Mr Patrick O'Brien as a suitable substitute.

Certificate read from Dr Furlong dated 10th Augt 99

I certify that the Hall Porter is still in a very unwell state of Health and that he would require at least One Months leave to enable him to get a change of air.

Mr Power proposed
Mr Bolger seconded
} Passed nem con

"That Patrick O'Brien be appointed temporary porter at 10/= per week and Gations for 4 weeks during the absence on sick leave of the present Porter Michael Furlong."

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 10th day of August 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes.

Other Guardians :—

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

Ordered to be forwarded to Contractor.

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

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

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *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*, £_____

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

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

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

In re
Medicine Expenditure

Cir letter
Head
from
LGB
No 308 - 1899
Dec
4th Sept 1899

Stating that in due course they will transmit a form in which the Bds of Guardians may make application through that Department for reimbursement out of the Local Taxation (Ireland) Act, of one half the cost of Such medicines & surgical appliances as Shall have been provided during the Half year Ending 30th prox. in accordance with the provisions & conditions Set forth in Rule 36 of the Dispensary Rules, &c.

Cir letter
No 305
4th Augt 1899
also Read

Informing the Bds of Guardians that difficulties have arisen recently in Some few instances in Connection with the appointment of Dispy Medical ~~Officers~~ &c, and pointing out that in future on the occurrence of a vacancy in the Dispy Medical Staff. the Guardians Should in order to act regularly. request the District Council to fix the Salary for the post of Med Offr of Health. & should postpone holding an Election until the Sanitary Salary has been fixed by the Council & approved by the LGB &c. &c

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In re
Temporary Substitute for Dr Lawler
N Z Barry Dy Dt

Sanction read from L/Board № 45,653 9th August 1899

Referring to Minute of the 27th Ult. and expressing their Sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £3:3:0. a week proposed to be allowed to Dr Donner for his service as temporary substitute to above.

In re
Annual Vacation allowed to M Os

Letter read from L/Board № 46.764 9th August 99

Referring to Minutes of the 3rd inst, re above, and stating that a Medical Officer should not relinquish the discharge of his duties, except under the circumstances provided for by Article 22 of the Dispensary Rules, until the requirements of Article 28 of the Rules have been fully complied with.

Ordered

The Medical Officers attention to be drawn to this letter."

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In re
Oulart Dispensary Dt

Mrs Walsh midwife of above Dispensary Dt wrote 10th Augt 1899 } Asking leave of absence for 4 days, taking them on separate occasions.

Ordered
"Refused as she did not state who was to take her place during her absence."

In re
Appointment of Analyst

In accordance with Notice of Motion duly circulated among all the Guardians.

Mr Bolger proposed
Mr Powers seconded } Passed nem con

That Mr Charles Cameron be appointed Analyst to this Union at £10. 0. 0 per annum."

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

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

Dispensary District. Mr. _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

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

James Lynch Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 17th day of August 1899

Signed Emmanuel Asst
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION. 441

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	957	267										
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital												
Newtownbarry do.....	67	-										
Oulart do.....												
TOTAL	1024	267										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			11	38	59	81	12	15	17	13	18	264
Admitted during the Week -			16	5	1	-	-	-	4	1	3	30
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			27	43	60	81	12	15	21	14	21	294
Discharged during the Week -			13	7	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	27
Died - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead -			13	7	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	27
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	36	60	81	12	15	18	13	18	267

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	132	In separate Wards 38	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL,	132	TOTAL, 38	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week .	12	4	7	23
No. in Workhouse at date	3	-	-	3

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of August 1899 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	261	464	.	.	261	464
No. II.	87	178	.	.	87	178
No. III.	82	144	.	.	82	144
TOTAL	430	786	.	.	430	786

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, the 17th day of August 189.

PRESENT : *In the Chair*— Mr James Lynch.

Other Guardians :— Messrs ÷ John Cullin J.P.
Thaddeus Bolger, J.P. Thomas Kavanagh
John Cooney. Myles Cooney
~~Thos Kavanagh.~~ James Hennessy
Leonard Cardwell. John Atkins
Patrick Bolger. Myles Llevin
Thomas Behan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castlebor'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 12 : 6 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

£ s. d.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -

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

Meat,	447	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	35	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1392	quarts	Butter,	67	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	44	dozens
Sugar,	2	Cwt	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	5	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	30	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,	10	cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,		ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Yeast	3	gallons	Lamp Oil,	4	gallons

Clerk of Almshouse 1 : 17 : 11

Baker

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s d.

In Money ... ...

In Kind ... ...

Total ... ... £

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 17th day of August 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1392 to No. 1422

Separate „ No. 295 to No. 295

Out door „ No. 2485 to No. 2485

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	61	17	9	33	8	3	95	6	-	36	11	8	=	16	3	37	7	11	57	18	1	1870
Necessaries ...	32	8	9	-	10	1	32	18	10	5	=	5	1	=	3	6	-	8	26	18	2	
Total ...	94	6	6	33	18	4	128	4	10	41	12	1	1	16	6	43	8	7	84	16	3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : - : -

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	7 12 6	9 13 -	4 6 -				21 11 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians *	25 . .	13 . .	10 . .	*Should be £35 the difference of £10. added to Money advanced on Warrant ending 26 Aug			48 . .
3. Total to be accounted for ...	32 12 6	22 13 -	14 6 -				69 11 6
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 3 6	11 4 -	8 17 .				44 4 6
In Kind ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. 3 .	. . .	. . .				. 3 .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..							
7. Total Relief given	24 6 6	11 4 -	8 17 -				44 7 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	8 6 -	11 9 -	5 9 -				25 4 -
9. Total ...	32 12 6	22 13 =	14 6 .				69 11 6

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Bream per Centage

Bosgrave 10/7 Ryan 9/2 Martin 9 6/7

The Master reported as follows-

"I lodged in the Bank on the 11 Inst to Cr of Guardians the sum of £18:10:0 being proceeds of sale of pigs.

A tramp named John Kennedy who was admitted as a night lodger to the Probation Ward on Saturday night last, was placed with others in the pump house on Sunday morning to pump water for the use of the house, before the work was completed he left the pump house and went to the Probation Ward the Porter locking the door on him, soon after my attention was called to him when it was found that he had both doors of the Probation Ward fastened on the inside and refused to open them to let me in, it was not until he had been repeatedly cautioned that he consented to open the door, I detained him until Monday morning when I had him charged with the offence before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions, when he was committed to Gaol for one Month with hard Labour.

I am requested to ask the Board to be kind enough to make an Order that an easy Sitting Chair may be procured for the use of the Sister on night duty in the Infirmary.

Ordered "To be procured"

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Masters Report Continued

The Nuns have got a situation for an inmate named Bessie Reilly who has three children in the House and whose ages are 7½ years 9 and 12½, two of them are under the Doctors Care and their names appear on the medical Weekly Return, the other girl the eldest will be leaving the house same day as the Mother to go to a School in Wexford, as the other two children would therefore be remaining in the house, will the Board Sanction her discharge to take up this situation.

Ordered

Bessie Reilly may be discharged under the Circumstances Stated above'

In re

Bessie Reilly's eldest Child

Letter read from Rev Mother St Michaels Industrial School Wexford to Rev John Dunne Asst Chaplain to Workhouse

Rev Father,

"It always gives me great pleasure to help our holy Priests in their work of Zeal when at all in my power, I will take the young girl you wrote about and do all I can for her, As you did not tell her age I cannot say what Institute she will ~~Asst Master's Report.~~ suit until I see her, I presume she has common sense and is capable of being trained and no infectious disease. Workhouse Children often have."

Dr Furlong wrote stating that this child is not suffering from any Contagious disease.

Ordered "Maggie Reilly may be discharged with Mother"

The Agriculturist- require some salt to go amongst the hay

Ordered "To be procured

Also 12 oz of Cabbage Seed

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):—

In re
Half yearly Report of C. R. Lynch Staunton Esq
Local Government Board Inspector

Letter read from L.G. Board No 47689 16 Augt 1899

Containing the report drawing attention to the following matter for the consideration of the Board of Guardians.

① Water closets to be provided for the Infirmary

Ordered
"Postponed to see how water could be procured for flushing &c

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A dozen Hair Mattresses and 36 feather pillows are required in the Infirmary."

Ordered
To be advertised for

A Separate yard should be provided for the female lunatics, and a bath is required for this class of Workhouse Inmates.

Ordered "Bath to be advertised for,
As regards the yard for the female lunatics, the matter was referred to a Committee consisting of Messrs John Cullin, J.P. Thaddeus Bolger J.P. John S. Atkins. Thomas Kavanagh & Myles Cooney to visit the female lunatics yard and wards and report thereon.

The Chimney of the Male Lunatic Ward does not draw well.

Ordered
"The Master to adopt the suggestion of the Committee to remedy the defect"

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The Bread supplied for the use of the inmates was sour on the day of the Inspectors visit

Ordered

"The Baker Cautioned

The Inspector also reported that the Visiting Committee have not met during the last half Year and impressing on the Guardians the necessity of complying with the requirements of Article 59 of the Workhouse rules in this matter.

Ordered

"The attention of the Visiting Committee to be called to this with a view of inducing them to visit regularly in future."

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Out Door Relief

Referring to Guardians Minutes of the 15th June 1899 re above - Mr Jerome Murphy handed in the following report =

"I beg to state that I will attend at Blackwater at Mr M O'Brien's on Saturdays from 3 to 4 Oblock Ballaghkeen at my office on Fridays at 11 Oblock Enniscorthy at Mr Thos Kehoes on Thursdays from 3 to 4 Oblock to dispense Out door Relief" =

In re
Clothing to Inmates

Wm Farthing an inmate wrote asking some clothes as he intended leaving the house.
Ordered " Refused.

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 17th day of August 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr James Lynch

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

In re
Clonroche. Dy. Dt

Dr Delaney M.O of abor. Dy. Dt. wrote 11th Augt 99 } informing the Guardians that he propose to take his four weeks vacation from the 12th August inst. for which he applied for about One month ago.

Dr Murphy M.O has agreed to act as Temporary M.O. during my absence."

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

In re
Visiting Tickets. Terms Dy Dt

Dr Greene M.O
of above Dy Dt
wrote 15 Augt 99

A large number (nearly ~~two~~ thirds)
of the visiting tickets issued in above
Dy. Dt., are unnecessary, and I would
be glad if the issuers would use
more discrimination.

Ordered
Issuers of Tickets in above District to
use more discretion in giving tickets."

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.)*

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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

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Doyle

Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 24th day of August 1899

Signed E Kernaghan

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of Aug 1899

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	959	264
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry, do	67	
Oulart do		
TOTAL	1026	264

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	14	36	60	81	12	15	18	13	18	267
Admitted during the Week	11	5	6	.	.	.	3	1	1	27
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	25	41	66	81	12	15	21	14	19	294
Discharged during the Week	12	5	5	.	.	1	3	1	2	29
Died	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead	12	5	5	1	.	1	3	1	2	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	13	36	61	80	12	14	18	13	17	264

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	133	In separate Wards	38
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	.	In Wards with other Inmates	.
TOTAL.	133	TOTAL.	38

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	3	5	19
No. in Workhouse at date	2	3	1	4

No. at corresponding period last year, 270

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 189 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	258	459			258	459
No. II.	86	177			86	177
No. III.	82	144			82	144
TOTAL	426	780			426	780

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 24th day of August 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Wm Thomas Asple

Subsequently Wm Thomas Hayes Chm

Other Guardians:— Nicholas John Cullin J.P.

~~Thaddeus Roberts~~

John Shea

Patrick Bolger

John Bonny

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

Mr Beard is ill
Since the 24 Augt '99
& was unwell some days previous

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne ...	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	34	9	3
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	43	14	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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

Meat,	398	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1388	quarts	Butter,	6½	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	43	dozens
Sugar,	3584	ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	7	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	18	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	39	ozs.
Oatmeal,	224	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Barm, yeast	3 lbs	gallons	Lamp Oil,	4	gallons

Coast Stimulants 1:18:11

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

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind			
Total ... ... £			

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 24 day of August 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1422 to No. 1449

Separate ,, No. 295 to No. 295

Out door ,, No. ..... to No. .....

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of August 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week: By Inmates			By Officers			Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	57	18	1	33	5	9	91	4	10	36	15	9	-	16	1	37	11	10	53	13	-	1850
Necessaries ...	26	18	2	1	2	6	28	-	8	5	2	3	1	-	3	6	2	6	21	18	2	
Total ...	84	16	3	34	9	3	119	5	6	41	18	-	1	16	4	43	14	4	75	11	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of August 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	8	6	-	11	9	-	5	9	-										25	4	-
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	-	-	13	.	.	*10 (2)	.	.	~~to be £12 add £2 [illegible] making amt £14 [illegible] 46 [illegible]~~									48	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	33	6	-	24	9	-	15	9	-										73 (~~2~~)	4	-
EXPENDITURE. 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— In Money ...	23	14	6	11	6	-	8	17	-										43	17	6
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..																					
7. Total Relief given	23	14	6	11	6	-	8	17	-										43	17	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	*9	11	6	13	3	-	6	12	-										29 (~~2~~)	6	6 *
9. Total ...	33	6	·	24	9	-	~~15~~	~~9~~	~~0~~										73	4	

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

" I had to send the Ambulance for a child named
" Anne Hall 3 weeks old, on the 20th instant, it having
" been deserted by its mother in Rowlagour Chapel"
" attached is the order from the Relieving Officer

"
" Please send the Car and a nurse to remove
" Fanny Hall's child from Rowlagour to the workhouse
" She have left the child in the Chapel, and the Police
" have it in charge, there is no time to be lost, please
" send the Car at once"

Jerome Murphy P.C.
Ballaghkeene 20th August 1899

" The inmate named John Byrne Lately refused to work
" on the morning of the 21st instant had the matter
" reported to Mr. O'Dempsey who gave directions for a
" Summons to issue against Byrne for next Monday's
" Petty Sessions - he took his discharge from the house
" same day"

" The force pump in the yard attached to the Convent
" having gone out of order, I sent for Mr. Goldie Plumber
" he did some temporary repairs to it, attached is his
" report as to its state"

" It would be very necessary to have a new force
" pump fitted up at the Convent,
" It is impossible to repair the present pump as it is
" entirely worn out. I would be obliged if you would
" bring this matter before the notice of your Board"

Wm. Goldie
Contractor

Ordered
" Consideration for one week for a fuller Estimate
" and report.

Mr. James Rocke has supplied 200 yards of check
will the Board please have it inspected

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Masters Report Continued

"Messrs Cullen J.P. Cooney & O'Shea inspected
" And reported Equal to Sample"

The Sisters here are getting room for two Children belonging to the House in St Michaels Industrial School Wexford whose names & ages are Eliza Reilly aged 9 years, & Mary Reilly aged 7½ years, they are asking for an outfit for them.

Last week their mother left the house to fill a situation got for her by the nuns And on same day their Elder Sister was sent into St Michaels Industrial School - These two Children were then under the Doctors Care

Ordered £1. 10. 0 allowed for Clothes

The following letter was read from the nuns St John of God.

Infirmary Enniscorthy
2nd August 1899

Gentlemen,

The Sisters of St John of God

Agriculturist's Report.

beg to say they have provided a Suitable place for Eliza Cullin, if the Board will give her permission to go. having got Clothes for a previous occasion which were kept Safe! She do not require any now.

Ordered: That Eliza Cullin be permitted to leave

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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) :—

In re.
Half yearly Report of C. R. Lynch Staunton Esq
Local Government Board Inspr.

As to accommodation for the female lunatics

A Committee Consisting of Messrs John Cullen J.P.
" Thaddeus Bolger J.P.
" John Atkins
" Thomas Kavanagh
" Myles Cooney

were appointed by the Board to visit the female idiot yard ward, on Thursday the 17th August (instant)

After having done so, the Committee reported "that they Consider an alteration will have to be made, so that the nurse Children who are at present in the ward up stairs over them will not disturb or annoy them by noise or otherwise"

In order to prevent them doing so, the Committee recommend that an addition be built to the Infirmary Hospital on the left wing adjoining the present Cot Shed, attached to which there is a yard (which Could be easily enlarged if required) and other necessary accommodation for the female idiots

The part of the house which they occupy at present is now Congested and will be required for other female Chronic patients.

The Committee Cannot make any Suggestion as to the water Closets until they have an opportunity of meeting Mr. Burlong

Ordered " Post poned for further Consideration "

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Medical Officers Report

" Dr. Furlong wrote as follows: — The Ly. Board
" Inspector Mr Lynch & Staunton, on his recent
" visit to the Union, requested me to revise the
" diets for the healthy children — that is Classes
" 4. 5. 6 & 7. to see that they Contain sufficient
" variety for the requirements of growing Children.
" Classes 4 & 5 would be ~~satisfactory~~ Satisfactory
" if the Soups ordered Contained somewhat more
" meat & that the vegetables Specified were
" used in sufficient quantity.
" This I know is not the case, and such
" vegetables as leeks Onions Carrots & parsnips
" are Scarcely Grown or the Farm at all.

" I would suggest that at least 3 or 4
" acres be allotted to Garden purposes, and that
" those vegetables be grown in sufficient quantity
" to season the Soups throughout the year as
" present the Soup is of the poorest quality —

" Class 7. might Stand as it is at present.
" but I would recommend that Class 6 get
" ½ an ounce of Sugar per day.

Ordered "Postponed"

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

Agriculturist Reported

That the Corn is ready & nearly all in the haggard. if the Board would say what Machine will be got to thresh it We had Mullets Machine the past two yrs and it gave perfect Satisfaction

A letter was also Read from Mr Mullett tendering to thresh the Corn at 6/- pr hour.

Ordered Accepted

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In Re
Strong Closet
Registration Office

Letter read from Registrar General No 4499 23rd August 1899

Requesting to be informed whether the window of the Strong Closet has been fitted with a handle & eased so as to permit of its being opened & shut readily. And whether any steps have been taken by the Bd of Guardians for the Erection of a heating apparatus.

Ordered

"The window has been eased but the Board of Gns are not in favor of a Heating apparatus"

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 19th day of August 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Thomas Hayes Chairman

Other Guardians:— Messrs John Cullin J.P.
John Shea
Patrick Roche
John Cooney
Thomas Doyle

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

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

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

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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:

Clonroche *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. ______ *for* ______ *Amount, £* ______

Letter read from L G B No 48.715 : 1899 23rd Augt

adverting to Guardians minutes of the 17th and expressing their sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £3: 3: 0 a week proposed to be allowed Dr Murphy for his services as temporary substitute for Dr Delaney Clonroche

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ______ 189 *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* ______ 189

______ *District* - - - £

______ *District* - - - £

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

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Oulart Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

Letter read from L.G.B. 23rd Augt 99 No 47257

Advertising to pay Minutes of the 20th ultimo and Expressing their Condolence & the Remuneration of £3.3.0 a week for Dr Saunders for his services as Temporary Substitute for Dr Murphy Oulart

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.)*

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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

In re
Doctors Boyles

Mr John Callan Registrar
of Roman Catholic Marriages
at Ferns wrote

"That Mr Veth the Hotel
Ferns. was prepared to
carry the Doctors Boyles
on the Mail Car from N. to Bany
& Ferns & back for £1 a month
and he Mr Callan would
take charge of the Ferns &
N. Bany Medical Districts
books & bring them up to
the Board Room for 2/6 a month
each, and back again.
ordered "accepted"

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing* _____ *names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Thomas Hayes Clerk

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 31st day of August 1899

Signed Owen Donnelly
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of August 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	954	243										
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		.										
Newtownbarry do.....	64	.										
Oulart do.....		.										
TOTAL	1024	243										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	36	61	80	12	14	18	13	17	264
Admitted during the Week -			18	15	4	2	1	.	2	1	5	48
Born - - - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL,			31	51	65	82	13	14	20	14	23	313
Discharged during the Week -			18	10	4	1	.	1	2	.	1	40
Died - - - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead -			18	10	4	1	.	1	2	.	1	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	41	58	81	13	13	18	14	22	273

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 135	In separate Wards 38	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital .	In Wards with other Inmates .	
TOTAL. 135	TOTAL, 38	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	20	9	5	34
No. in Workhouse at date	2	3	4	9

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of August 1899 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	258	459	.	.	258	459
No. II.	86	144	.	.	86	144
No. III.	82	144	.	.	82	144
TOTAL	426	780	.	.	426	780

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 31st day of August 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Philip Redmond Jun.
Subsequently Mr Thomas Hayes Chairman

Other Guardians:— Messrs John Cullen J. P. James Lynch
John Coulighan. John Shea
Michael Murphy. Mich. Cowman
Thomas Kavanagh.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

W^ Mernagh assistant still very poorly & confined to bed.

" The Clerk reported that he expected the auditor very soon, & the Revision Sessions will commence on the 14th Sept^ and he will be engaged at them the whole week which will be very awkward if the auditor happen to come, while W^ Mernagh is ill ".

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 ..... 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

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

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

	£ s. d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was (*Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*)	35.5.0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was (*Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*)	43.11.0
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2.6
Average Cost in Infirmary	Exclusive
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	of clothing

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,	403	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	35	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1390	quarts	Butter,	64	lbs.
Tea,	—	ozs.	Eggs,	44	dozens
Sugar,	—	ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,	—	pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	8	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,	1	do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	24	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal, Scotch	10	cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	39	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Barm,		gallons	Lamp Oil,	4	gallons
Yeast 3 lb					

Cost of Stimulants £2.0.11

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 26 *day of* Sept 1899 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£ s. d.
In Money ...	44.3.0
In Kind ...	.6.0
Total ... £	44.9.0

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors: Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...	25	-	.				
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...	13	.	.				
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...	12	.	.				
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

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Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Enniscorthy Union.

Meeting held the 31st day of August 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1449 to No. 1498

Separate ,, No. 295 to No. 295

Out door ,, No. ..... to No. .....

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of August 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	53 13 -	34 12 7	88 5 7	36 11 -	16 3	37 7 3	50 18 4	1875
Necessaries ...	21 18 2	12 5 -	22 10 7	5 4 5	1 - 3	6 4 8	16 5 11	
Total ...	75 11 2	35 5 -	110 16 2	41 15 5	1 16 6	43 11 11	67 4 3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 3/- including 1 day for Casting

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... 4/5 ... ... : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... 4/5 ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of Sept/Augt 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	9 11 6	13 3 -	6 12.				29 6 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 . .	13 . .	12 . .				50 .
3. Total to be accounted for ...	34 11 6	26 3.	18 12.				79 6 6
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 . .	11 6 .	8 13 .				44 3 -
In Kind ...	. .	. .	. .				
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. 6 .	- - -	- - -				. 6 .
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. . .	. . .	. . .				. . .
7. Total Relief given	24 6 .	11 6 .	8 17 .				44 9 .
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	10 5 6	14 17 -	9 15 -				34 17 6
9. Total ...	34 11 6	26 3 .	18 12 .				79 6 6

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Average Per centage of Cream

Cosgrove	10 1/4
Ryan	10 1/16
Martin	10 4/4

In re
Infirmary Pump

W: Goldie tendered to fit up 2½ Brass Force & Lift Pump, mounted on oak plank same size as present one, finished complete for the sum of £3:10:0.

"Ordered. There being no other Plumber in Enniscorthy W' Goldies tender was accepted it being considered very moderate".

In re
Jane Hall

Ordered "That above, who gave birth to an illegitimate child in the workhouse was not got to make an affidavit while there, it is desirable that the Solicitor should be instructed to attend at Petty Sessions on behalf of the Guardians in order to ascertain whether they have any corroboration against the alleged putative father so as to get her to make the necessary affidavit she marks also to attend with M' O'Dempsey Solicitor".

John Byrne an insubordinate inmate

Referring to my report of last week regarding the inmate John Byrne who refused to work for me when requested to do so, he was sent to Jail for 1 month, by the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last.

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In re Water Supply to the House

The well which supplies water to the house having shown symptoms of going dry recently. I had it examined by Mr. Goldie who reported that it required to be cleaned, in order to carry out the cleaning of it. which is now almost completed. I had to procure the services of two of Mr Goldie's men who are experienced in descending such wells.

Ordered "Sanctioned by the Board".

In re Sister on night duty in Infirmary

The easy sitting chair ordered to be procured for the Sister on night duty in the Infirmary on the 17th inst is now concidered not suitable and the Board order a small lounger in its stead for same purpose.

Ordered "Lounger to be advertised for with the mattress & Pillows".

6. A Lynch Staunton Esq L.G.B Inspector visited the House & Fever Hospital on 25th inst & remained from 2.10 until 3.30 P.M". Agriculturist's Report.

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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) :—

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In re
Illness of Mr Murnagh Asst Clerk

The following certificate was read from Dr P. J. Murphy:-

"I certify that Mr Edward Murnagh assistant Clerk of the Enniscorthy Union is at present suffering from Influenza & over work he requires at least one fortnights leave of absence.

P. J. Murphy M O H
Enniscorthy

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re
Rent claimed by Lord Portsmouth

25th March 1899

Letter read from W. Roberts agent to Lord Portsmouth Dated 28 Augt 1899

Referring to his letter of the 15th June last, requesting payment of a years rent to the 25 March 1899 &c.

Ordered "Referred to Mr. O'Dempsey Solicitor, as the demand is unusual & not in accordance with the custom of the estate".

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 31st day of August 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Hayes Chairman

Other Guardians:—Messrs John Cullin J.P. Philip Redmond Jr
Mark Kavanagh. John Shea
Michael Murphy. Thomas Kavanagh
James Lynch

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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 Disiricts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-

Emiscorthy Dispensary District. D. Kelly of Emiscorthy

Wrote Stating that he Shall resume duty on Friday the 1st Sept. 1899.

In re
Conveyance of Medical Officers Books & forms to & from the workhouse.

Arrangements have now been completed & Water proof bags procured with name of Dispensary Engraved thereon suitable lock & Key

Mr John O'Reilly who has Cars running to & from Clonroche. Killann & Oulart Disp'y District has agreed to convey them back & forward at 2/6 a month each. And Mr Lett who has a Post Car running from Ferns to N° Barry will carry the Md's bag from N° Barry & back at 1/- P. Month. And Mr Scallan Registrar of Ferns will convey Ferns & N° Barry Bags there & back for 2/6 a month for Each

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.)*

Ordered

Agreed to

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 7th day of Sept'r 1899

Signed. Owen Connolly
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin 8E—1874

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Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of Septr 1899

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	
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry do	67	
Oulart do		
TOTAL	1024	

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm … Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	13	41	58	81	13	13	18	14	22	273
Admitted during the Week	13	6	6	1	4	2	1	'	1	34
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	26	47	64	82	17	15	19	14	23	307
Discharged during the Week	12	7	6	1	1	1	2	1	3	34
Died	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead	13	7	6	1	1	1	2	1	3	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	13	40	58	81	16	14	17	13	20	272

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

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

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	4	3	22
No. in Workhouse at date	5	3	2	10
No. at corresponding period last year,				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of Septr 1899 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) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Persons
No. I						
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, *the* 7th day of Septr 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Mr Thomas Cleary DVC
Subsequently Mr Hayes Chairman

Other Guardians:— Messrs Owen Doyle JP. J. Bolger JP.
James Hennessy. Leonard Cardwell, Daniel Nowlan
Thomas Beahan, Moses Dempsey. James Nolan. A Whelan
J A Rudd, Myles Cooney, John Bolger. Thos Whelan
James Doyle Junr. Morgan Lacey. John Sinnott. John Cooney.
Wm Kennedy. John Furlong, Wm Kennedy, Moyacomb
Michael Nowlan, James Johnson, Moses Fortune, Peter Kehoe
Mark Kavanagh. J J Coulighan, Philip Redmond. A Kelly
Edw O'Connor Arthur Gough. Thomas Kavanagh. J Walsh
James Lambert, Patrick Cawing, Thos Fitzpatrick. J Carroll
Dan Doyle, Michl Dillon, D J Callaghan, James Kehoe. Mark Kidd
Denis Kavanagh, Andrew O'Brien, Michl Kennedy, J Bolger, J Power

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

James Lynch, M Nowman, M Doyle, James Brown

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

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

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

No Inmate Ann Cox very poorly Still Confined to bed

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

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

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy ...			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 33 : 6 : 7

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - £ 43 : 12 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was including Others £ : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - £ : 4 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - £ : 4 : 5

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

Meat,	401	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1392	quarts	Butter,	65	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	43	dozens
Sugar,	3584	ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	4	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	18	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,		do.	Coal, (Bakers)	10	cwts.
Soda Lemons,	12	do	Tobacco,	39	ozs.
Oatmeal,		lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
Barm, yeast	3	gallons lbs	Lamp Oil, Salt	224	gallons lbs

Coast of Spuds 2 : 12 : 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 day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

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Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

_____ *Union.*

Meeting held the 7 day of Sept 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1498 to No. 1532

Separate ,, No. 195 to No. 195

Out door ,, No. ..... to No. .....

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of Sept. 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	50	18	4	33	4	1	53	2	5	36	8	7		16	1	37	4	8	45	17	9	1841
Necessaries ...	16	5	[illegible]	2	6		17	8	5	5	7	10	1	.	3	6	8	1	11	.	4	
Total ...	67	3		33	6	7	100	10	10	41	16	5	1	16	4	43	12	9	56	18	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : :

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of Sept 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I.			Relieving Officer District No. II			Relieving Officer District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	10	5	6	14	17		9	15	.										34	17	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	.	.	13	.	.	14	.	.	See wk Ended 19/8/99									52	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	35	5	6	27	17	-	23	15											86	17	6
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	23	19	-	11	6	-	8	12	.										43	17	.
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility								2	6										.	2	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..																					
7. Total Relief given	23	19	-	11	6	-	8	14	6										43	19	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	11	6	6	16	11	-	15	-	6										42	18	-
9. Total ...	35	5	6	27	17	-	23	15	-										86	17	6

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	Dr. s	Dr. d.	Cr. £	Cr. s.	Cr. d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	Dr. s.	Dr. d.	Cr. £	Cr. s.	Cr. d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.

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

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

Per Centage of Cream
Averaged past Week

Cosgrave	10 3/4
Ryan	10 1/6
Martin	11

In re
Proceeds of oats

I lodged in the Bank to the C. of the Union the Sum of £32.18.8 being the amount received from Mr Lambert for 47 Brls of oats, who wrote that he was well pleased with the Condition of the Corn

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In re
An Inmate fitting out

The attached letter is from an inmate named Anne Kelly, who is 18 months in the house. She asks the Board to allow her clothes as she may have got a situation for her in Dublin. attached is the letter of the lady who is going to engage her. She will require a full outfit as the clothes she brought into the house are quite useless.

Ordered 30/— allowed for clothes "

In re Pump at Works

Ask to attach Mr Oldies bill for 19/6 for ~~clothes~~ cleaning the well. I consider that his claim is reasonable.
ordered " to be paid "

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In re
Fanny Hall who gave birth to an Illegitimate Child
in the Workhouse

I beg to report that in accordance with the directions of the Guardians, I attended along with the Solicitor at Ferns Petty Sessions on the hearing of the charge against Fanny Hall of having deserted her child - now being maintained in the house - It was stated in Court that the putative father had absconded, and the Case was adjourned for One month & a warrant directed to be issued for his arrest.

under the advice of the Solicitor the mother made the affidavit necessary to enable the Guardians to prosecute the putative father if they be so advised

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Agriculturist's Report.

A Committee consisting of Messrs John Cullen & Philip Redmond Jr. Michael Cowman & Tom Coudigham were appointed to see if any Suitable Size field was available about the house on which the School master could train the boys in the growing of vegetables &c. &c.

The Committee recommended a small field at the South side of the house as suitable & large enough at present for the purpose.

Ordered "Sanctioned by the Board"

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

In re
Children Committed to St Michael's Industrial School Wexford

Letter read from L.G.B. No 51.746:1899 6th Sept.

Stating they have received a Communication respecting three children named respectively Maggie Eliza & Mary Reilly, who had been inmates of the Workhouse & who were on the 30th ultimo brought before the Magistrates & Committed to the above Industrial School & on having been found begging, and without any possible means of subsistence, & requesting the Guardians to cause inquiry to be made into the circumstances of each case & to furnish the L.G.B. with their observations thereon.

Ordered "Refd to Master"

In re
Union account

Notice read from Mr Kelly Auditor dated 4th Sept 99

Stating that he would attend at the Board Room on Monday the 11th inst. at 2 o'clock PM & on Tuesday the 12th at 10 a.m. for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Union for 1/2 yr ending the 25th March 1899

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In re
Audit of Union accounts

Mr Owen Doyle proposed } Passed
" Thomas Cleary Seconded } unanimously

" That although the accounts are ready for audit, still owing to the fact that the Revision Sessions, for which it will take the Clerks whole time to prepare for, between Monday & Thursday next (the 14th inst) when the Revision Sessions will Commence & Continue without intermission until the following Wednesday - the 20th inst. and as the assistant Clerk through a rather sudden & serious illness for the past 2 wks and cannot possibly resume duty for a fortnight or 3 weeks longer, at least which places the Clerk in a very awkward position at this critical period

We would therefore most respectfully request Mr Kelly L.G.B. Auditor to kindly postpone the Audit until Saty Monday the 25th instant. or any day that suits him after the 20th when the clerk will be at liberty to wait on him & give the necessary information which he may require".

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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In Re

Letter from George Roberts Esqr Agent to Lord Portsmouth claiming a years rent to 25th March 1899

Which was again referred to Mr O'Dempsey on the last Board day, as the Board Considered the demand unusual and not in accordance with the rule of the Estate,

Mr O'Dempsey again replied as follows. — "I have already advised the Guardians that they have no defence to this claim, if Lord Portsmouth chose to insist on it".

Ordered "That a committee consisting of Rev.ds Wm Doyle P.P. Thos Cleary, James Hennessy Leonard Cardwell Moses Fortune, Dan. Rowlan, T A Pidd, James Lynch and John Arnott (to form a quorum) to confer with Mr O'Dempsey Solicitor as to the whole Subject of the farm on Thursday the 21st instant at 10.30 am"

In Re

Registration of Parliamentary & Local Government Electors & Jurors Lists Revision

Forey	on	Thursday	the 14th	Sept. 99
Enniscorthy	"	Friday	15th	" "
New Ross	"	Monday	18th	" "
Wexford	"	Wednesday	20th	" "

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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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, £* _____

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

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

_____ *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 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ *of* _____

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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

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

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

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

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

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

John Mullin Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 21st day of Sept 1899

Signed Owen Connolly
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1899

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	954	262
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		3
Newtownbarry do.....	64	
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024	265

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	13	40	58	81	16	14	17	13	20	242
Admitted during the Week	23	4	2	1	.	.	2	1	1	34
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL,	36	44	60	82	16	14	19	14	22	310
Discharged during the Week	23	13	2	.	.	.	3	1	3	45
Died	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead	23	13	2	.	.	.	3	1	3	45
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	13	31	58	82	16	14	16	13	19	265

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 130	In separate Wards 39	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In Wards with other Inmates ,	
TOTAL. 133	TOTAL. 39	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	23	6	.	29
No. in Workhouse at date	4	1	,	5

No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 189 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						
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 14th day of September 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— John Cullin Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:— Michl J. Furlong. J. A. Rudd.
Andrew Power. John Sinnott
John Cooney. Morgan Lacey
John Dillon.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

W. Murnagh Assistant Clerk unable to leave his bed.

The Clerk will have to attend the Revision of Votes & Parish Visits on the following days.

Enniscorthy Court House 15 & 16
Wexford " 18 & 19
New Ross " 20

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

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

Paid during the week - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account 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.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total ...			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castlebo'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

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

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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

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

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

£ s. .

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - - -

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely :—

Meat,	lbs.	Indian Meal,	lbs.
Flour,	cwts.	Flour,	lbs.
Buttermilk,	gallons	Corn Flour,	lbs.
Sweetmilk,	quarts	Butter,	lbs.
Tea,	ozs.	Eggs,	dozens
Sugar,	ozs.	Candles,	lbs
Whiskey,	pints	Soap,	lbs.
Wine,	bottles	Starch,	lbs.
Brandy,	do.	Blue,	lbs.
Porter,	do.	Washing Soda,	lbs.
Gin,	do.	Coal,	cwts.
Lemons,		Tobacco,	ozs.
Oatmeal,	lbs.	Snuff,	ozs.
Barm,	gallons	Lamp Oil,	gallons

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature :—

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money ... ...

In Kind ... ...

Total ... .. £

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

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Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Timoleague Union.

Meeting held the 14th day of Sept 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1532 to No. 1564

Separate „ No. 295 to No. 296

Out door „ No. ..... to No. .....

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of Sept 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	45 17 9	34 12 3	80 15 ·	36 11 2	· 16 3	37 7 5	43 7 7	1876
Necessaries ...	11 · 4	1 · 4 12 · 8		5 7 5	1 · 3	6 7 8	5 13 ·	
Total ...	56 18 1	35 17 7	92 15 8	41 18 7	1 16 6	43 15 1	49 0 7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... including Clothes 3. 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : : 4·5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : : 4·5

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.—

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, 9th Sept 99

the 7th day of Sept 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week 9/9/99	11 6 6	16 11 -	15 - 6				42 18 -
9th Sept 99 2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	37 . .	15 . .	11 . .				63 . .
3. Total to be accounted for ...	48 6 6	31 11 -	26 - 6				105 18 -
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board for w/c ended 9/9/99 In Money ...	23 15 -	11 8 -	8 12 .				43 15 -
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. . . . .	-	26		. . .		- 26
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..							
7. Total Relief given	23 15 -	11 8 -	8 14 6				43 17 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week 16/9/99	24 11 6	20 3 -	17 6 -				62 - 6
9. Total ...	48 6 6	31 11 -	26 - 6	. . .			105 18 -

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 7th day of Sept., 18 99

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of August, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	750					
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	18	10	-	750		
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce				18	10	-
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	768	10	-	768	10	-

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	172	-	10			
Clothing and Bedding	18	4	6			
Establishment	27	16	2			
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	6	1	6			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	12	12	.			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	42	16	.			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	189	.	.			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	21	10	-			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	.	.			
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account Potato Spray Cart	18	-	.			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Estimated Petty Cash to close 1/9/99	42	.	.			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	552	1	-	552	1	-

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of August 1899, including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.			Loans Account £ s. d.		
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month	768	10	-			
Total	768	10	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1053	13	7			
Payments ordered at this meeting	552	1				
Total	1605	14	7			
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	837	4	7			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer	159	11	4			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	677	13	3			
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer	837	4	7			

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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.
	1899			
	May 5 Lodged [illegible] Nolan 75-13-0			
	29 " Co Council 2000-			
	Jun 28 " Dunne 9-5-10 ([illegible] Council)			
	Aug 9 CC 750 —			
	11 Nolan 18-10-0			
	2853-8-10	3681	7	7
		2853	8	10
		827	18	9
	To be paid [illegible] Council	9	5	10
		837	4	9
	—c1			
	2853-8-10			
	9-5-10			
	2844-3-0 = 3681-7-7			
	2844 3-0			
	837-4-7			
	The [illegible] have to pay the Rural D C	9	5	10
	lodged [illegible] Collector Dunne [illegible]			
	The Rural D Council have to pay [illegible]	1	-	-

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

[illegible]

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

In re

Cream Pg Contage

Corgrave 10
Ryan 10 1/3
Worth 10 5/4

In re
Clothing

—

W. John Bolger has supplied 200 Yds of Navy Blue serge, will the Board please have it inspected.

W. James Dempsey has supplied 100 lbs woollen Yarn will the Board please have it inspected.

Ordered "Messrs Power. Lacey & Cleere examine these supplied & report.

The Committee reported these supplied equal to sample".

In re
Children committed to St Michaels Industrial School

All referred to the three children Maggie Eliza & Mary Reilly referred to in a letter from the L. G. B as having been brought before the Magistrates and committed to St Michaels Industrial School for having been found begging and without any means of possible subsistence. I beg to state that Maggie Reilly took her discharge from the house with her mother on the 18th August. who I understand sent her by train to Wexford for admission to the Industrial School. The other two Children Eliza & Mary Reilly took their discharge from here on the 24th August. being handed

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In re
Children committed to St Michaels
Industrial School Cork.

over to their mother before leaving house. It will be recollected that the case of these 2 children was brought before the Board on the 24th ult. when they gave their sanction to them being discharged and granted them an allowance of 30/- for clothes. The mother I understand landed the children over to a woman named Kate Ruan at Limerick Railway Station, who took them to Westland to get them admitted to St Michaels Industrial School, the woman being a messenger from that institution.

In re
Porter

As the Porter did not resume duty at the expiration of his leave on the 8th inst. I continued the services of M. Pat O'Brien as temporary porter. The Doctor reported on his Journal "That the porter was not yet strong enough to resume duty & will require further leave for 2 weeks"

Ordered "allowed"

~~Agriculturist's Report.~~

6. Lynch Esquire by L.G. Bd Inspector, visited the Poor on the 12th inst. remaining from 6.15 P.M until 6.35 P.M.

In re
John Doyle a Patient.

A Patient named John Doyle who had been in Hospital from the 27 June last to the 12th inst. on taking his discharge gave me £1 as part payment for his maintenance. I retain the money pending the order of the Board as to its disposal.

Ordered "To be placed to credit of Union".

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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):—

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In re
Hair Mattresses, Pillows & Lounges

In reply to advertisement for above

Mr Kopf & Mr Hogan tendered to supply
12 Hair Mattresses 6 ft 3" x 3 ft 1" weight 27 lbs
for £12:0:0 or 20/— Each.

48 Feather Pillows 24" x 20" wt 4 lbs Each
for £6:0:0 or 2/6 Each.

1 Lounger 6 ft x 2 ft 1" Hair cloth
Solid Mahogany, for £5:0:0 —

Mr McDermott tendered to supply
Hair Mattresses wt 27 lbs. each @ 28/—
Pillows — 0 — 4 " " @ 4/—
Mahogany Lounges Hair Seating @ 65/—
Stained wood do do @ 45/—

Mr Martin Brooks tendered to supply
17 Hair Mattresses 6 ft 3" x 3 ft 1" wt 27 lbs hair 17/0
18/6 x " " " " " 30 18/6 x
Feather Pillows 24" x 20" = 4 lbs Feathers 738 Tick 2/3
" " " " " 753 " 2/8 x
Mahogany Couch Cover Cloth covering " 55/—
" " Hair Cloth " " 60/— x

Mr Donohoe's Tender has accepted
for Mattresses @ 30 at 18/6 each
Feather Pillows " 753 at 2/8 "
Mahogany & Hair Cloth @ 60/—

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

Clothing & Inmates leaving the House

Thomas Breen wrote asking the Board for Something to enable him to purchase Some Clothes & a pair of boots & Enable him to go to Mr Patrick Doyle of Kilmaculum to tend Cattle.

Ordered "That as Breen has been a patient & inmate in this house for the past two years and did an amount of useful work he being very handy & industrious Gran the Board allowed him £07 worth of Clothes the Master to procure the best value he can for the money."

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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, was ... ...

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the _____ day of _____ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians :—

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice, for the use of the Guardians.

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied :—

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *statement of Salaries due*, as the case may be) *under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof*, or such other directions as may be given:

_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ *Amount, £* _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 189 *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 189

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, *and* 3 *of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms* E 1 *and* E 2*), in pursuance of Article* 29 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:-*

_____ *Dispensary District, Mr.* _____ *of* _____

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*) :—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June 30th September and 31st December.

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows :—

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or *directions were given thereon as follows:*] —

James Hennessy
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the

day of 21st Sept 1899

Signed. [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of Sept 1899

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	954	260
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		3
Newtownbarry do	67	.
Oulart do		.
TOTAL	1024	263

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	13	34	58	82	16	14	16	13	19	265
Admitted during the Week	25	11	1	3	.	1	.	.	1	42
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	38	45	59	85	16	15	16	13	20	307
Discharged during the Week	23	12	3	3	1	.	.	1	.	43
Died	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead	23	12	3	4	1	.	.	1	.	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	15	33	56	81	15	15	16	12	20	263

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	123	In separate Wards	40
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	.
TOTAL,	126	TOTAL,	40

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	24	12	2	38
No. in Workhouse at date	5	2	2	9

No. at corresponding period last year, 268

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of Sept 1899 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	252	435	"	"	252	435
No. II.	84	132	"	"	84	132
No. III.	80	125	"	"	80	125
TOTAL	418	692	"	"	418	692

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 21st day of Sept 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Wm Hennessy D.V.C. Chairman
Subsequently Wm Hayes Chairman.

Other Guardians:— Owen Doyle, J.P. John Cullin J.P., T. Bolger J.P., Andrew Power, D. Nolan, T. A. Rudd, L. Cardwell, J. Lynch, Moses Fortune, Thomas Kavanagh, Thomas McLean, Denis Legacy, P. Redmond. ~~T. Cleary~~, Moses Dunne, John Cooney, John Smith, T. Aspel, Mark Codd, Mark Kavanagh, P. Redmond Sen., Dan. Doyle, Moses Dempsey, M. J. Furlong, Jno Walsh, P. Bolger, Edwd. O'Connor, Myles Slevin, Peter Kehoe, Michael Doyle, L. J. Coulfield, Jno Dillon, Mc. O'Neill, Aidan Kelly, James Doyle, Pat Crane Sen.,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Clerk's Report was read to the following effect:—

Mr. Murray Assistant Clerk wrote as follows:—

Dear Mr Connolly.

I feel very weak after that Saturday I was in town in fact I did not get up until yesterday, but I feel a good bit stronger now I had over the Doctor to day and he advised me to mind myself very well as I was so weak still, but to keep out in the air as much as possible Hoping you got over the Audit all right but I do not know how you are getting over the work at present. I enclose Certificate

I remain Yours

E. Murray

Copy Certificate

I Certify that Mr. Edward Murray Assistant Clerk of the Enniscorthy Union is still incapable of resuming duty after at least four weeks as he is still suffering from the after effects of Influenza

P. J. Murphy M.B.

Sept 19th 1918. Med. Officer, Oulart

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £_____

Paid during the week . . . . . £_____

And that the Balance on the Account ..... *the Guardians was* £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates Collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows :—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

Note.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of *each* Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	66	14	11
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	43	4	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,	39½	lbs.	Indian Meal,	224	lbs.
Flour,	15	cwts.	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30.	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1376	quarts	Butter,	6½.	lbs.
Tea,		ozs.	Eggs,	41	dozens
Sugar,	3584.	ozs.	Candles,	12	lbs
Whiskey,		pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	8.	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,		do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	30.	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
~~Gin,~~ Soda Water	12	do.	Coal, (Barbot	10	cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	39	ozs.
Oatmeal,	~~224~~	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Barm,~~ Yeast	3	gallons	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature :—

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money			
In Kind			
Total ... ... £			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

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Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

_____ *Union.*

Meeting held the 21 day of Sep 18 99

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1569 to No. 1611

Separate ,, No. 296 to No. 296

Out door ,, No. ..... to No. .....

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Sep 18 99 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	43	7	7	31	16	6	75	.	1	36	2	1		16	1	36	18	2	38	1	11	
Necessaries ...	5	13	.	35	2	5	40	15	5	5	5	5	1	.	9	6	6	2	34	9	3	1813
Total ...	49			66	16	11	115	15	6	41	7	6	1	16	10	43	4	4	72	11	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : :

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.—

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Sept 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	24 11 6	20 3 -	17 6 -				62 - 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	37 . .	15 . .	11 . .				63 . .
3. Total to be accounted for ...	61 11 6	35 3 -	28 6 -				125 - 6
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	24 . 6	11 8 -	10 9 6				46 8 -
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- 6 -	. . .	2 .				- 8 -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given	24 6 6	11 8 -	11 1 6				46 16 -
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	37 5 -	23 15 -	17 4 6				78 4 6
9. Total ..	61 11 6	35 3 -	28 6 -				125 - 6

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[Form 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 18.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ..						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer		

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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.
	Leave of Absence.			
	Gentlemen / I respectfully ask leave of absence for one week, the Shoemaker will give the clothes out in my absence			
	Yours obdt Timothy. Moore. Tailor.			
	Ordered — allowed.			
	In re Registration Emigrants No 2.			
	Received letter from Registrar General that Miss Mary Kelly of 3 St. Johns Terrace Enniscorthy has been appointed Assistant and Deputy Registrar for District No 2.			

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Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

No. of Cheque		£	s.	a.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases :—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows :—

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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Cream for Cartage for week ended 7th Sept 1899.

Names of Contractors	Cosgrave	Ryan	Martin
Average.	9 3/7 —	10 1/3 —	10 6/7

Workhouse.

7th September 1899.

State of the House this day.

Number in Original Building		254
" " Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		3
" " Newtownbarry " "		"
" " Oulart " "		"
	Total	257
Number Corresponding day last year		265.
	Men. Women.	Children
Lodgers Admitted	24. 12.	2
General Average Cost of an inmate for the week was.		3 - 2
Average Cost in Infirmary		4 - 3

The force pump recently ordered by the Board to be erected at for which the Contract was given to Mr Goldie has now been completed, & Mr Goldie has sent in his for the work. I would the Board kindly appoint

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a Committee to inspect it.
Messrs Hornsey, Cardwell & Lynch to inspect it.

Mr. Patrick Walsh Chapel applied to take out an inmate named Mary Daefe.

Mary Daefe applied to the Board for clothing

Order- Allowed One Pound for Clothes

Mr. Breen has delivered the Ambulance will the Board Kindly have it inspected
Postponed.

Dr. Lawler Newtownbarry has wired me to send car immediately to remove sick Newtownbarry Hospital Nonstricken to Workhouse want assistant nurse tele

Dr. Lawler Newtownbarry has wired me asking to send an assistant Nurse to Newtownbarry at once as he cannot procure one there.

Ordered That Mrs Mary Doyle be appointed at 17/- per week. ~~Rations~~ Rations, The Master to send her there at once employing a car if necessary.

Dr. Murphy Oulart wired me to send car an Nurse to remove Bridget Tiernan Baily comijor to Infirmary.

Ordered - The Master to hire a horse to bring in Patient mentioned above.

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

In re. Workhouse Farm.

In pursuance of the resolution of the Guardians of the 7th inst. referring to a Committee the demand of the Landlord for the hanging years rent £115. and the question of purchasing the farm or otherwise how it is to be dealt with

At a meeting of the Committee the following attended, Mr. Jas. Lynch, (in the Chair) also. Messrs. Leonard Cardwell, Daniel Nolan, James Hennessy, T. A. Rudd and Mr. Fortune, after hearing a Statement from the Board. Solicitor of the history of the farm and of his recent Communications with the agent., It was unanimously resolved to recommend the Guardians to make an offer to the Landlord to purchase the holding under the Land Purchase Acts at 22 years purchase of the present rent, equal to £2530. on which the annuity for the first 10 years would be £101-4-0 reducible in succeeding decades to the extent provided by the Land Purchase Acts. this Sum to include the hanging years rent now demanded.

Dated this 11th day of Sept. 1849

Signed. James Lynch
Chairman of Committee

Ordered.

Mr. Owen Doyle proposed } Passed
Mr. Cleary seconded } Nem-Con

That the foregoing report be Confirmed and that the Solicitor be directed to make the offer accordingly.

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In re. Relieving Officers

To The Enniscorthy Board of Guardians

Gentlemen/

As this is the day appointed to adjust the Officers Salaries in Compliance with the letter of the Local Government Board: which allows this Board to increase or diminish the Salaries Consequent on the increase or diminution of their duties.

We therefore as Relieving Officers wish to point out to the Board of Guardians the Granted increase in our duties as Compared to heretofore.

Namely:— We are obliged to attend one day a week more at the Clerks Office which in itself entails Considerable trouble and expense. The forms of the books to be kept are different with many additions. Besides every half year we have to register all Cases anew.

Our Salaries as Compared with any of the Neighbouring Unions are not at all equal to them. Take for instance Waterford £65, Wexford £40, Gorey £39. respectively, for R.O.'s a year; while ours are only £30. for one, and £25. each, for the other two Year. We respectfully ask the Board to favourably Consider our application for an increase

Sept 1st 1899. Jerome Murphy R. O.
M. Murphy R. O
Michael J. Whelan R. O

Order — Consideration Postponed for one Month. The Guardians to be noticed in the Meantime —

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Casuals.

22. Women admitted — 12 Broke 5 Cut Stone each & carried W. P. Carried out Same

3. Unable to work from old age and infirmity — 1 Pumping water for the use of house.

21 - Women admitted = 15. Washed down Male and Female Dormitories, Stairs, Bath Rooms, Dining Hall, Porters room, Office, and Hall,

9. Children = Unable to do any work..

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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, was ... ...

14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 7th day of September 1899

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. Thomas Hayes. (Chairman)

Other Guardians :— 38.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice, for the use of the Guardians.

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

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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, £* _____

In Re.
Trusses, Elastic Stockings, Leeches &c
required for Sudden Emergencies

The Medical Officers of the Union Wrote as follows. Viz:-

You will understand in relation to your Contract for Medicines and Surgical Instruments that the Trusses, Elastic Stockings, Leeches, and Matters required for emergencies by the Medical Officers should be supplied by a local Contractor, As they must be supplied immediately as the occasion for them shall arise. Moreover the patients must be present when such articles are to be fitted on.

Ordered = " The above to be procured from Mr. Roberts. "

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 189 *having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* _____ 189

_____ *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* 29 *of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

_____ *Dispensary District. Mr.* _____ *of* _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or *Orders were made on them respectively, as follows*) :—

*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz. on the 31st March, 30th June 30th September and 31st December.

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

CLONROCHE *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

ENNISCORTHY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

FERNS *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

KILLAN *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

OULART *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

NEWTOWNBARRY *Dispensary District, containing*_____*names,*

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or *directions were given thereon as follows:*]—

Edward Hayes Chm.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 28th day of Sept[r] 1900

Signed. Owen Connolly
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1899

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	259
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital		
Newtownbarry do.....	67	8
Oulart do.....		
TOTAL	1024	267

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	15	33	56	81	15	15	16	12	20	263
Admitted during the Week -										
Born - - - - - -	30	22	4	2	1	3	4	6	5	77
TOTAL,	45	55	60	83	16	18	20	18	25	340
Discharged during the Week -	33	20	2	4	.	4	1	4	5	73
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead -	33	20	2	4	.	4	1	4	5	73
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	12	35	58	79	16	14	19	14	20	267

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	122	In separate Wards	40
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	130	TOTAL,	40

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	33	22	15	70
No. in Workhouse at date	5	2	4	11

No. at corresponding period last year, 270

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 189 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	254	449	-	-	254	449
No. II.	84	132	-	-	84	132
No. III.	80	125	-	-	80	125
TOTAL	418	706	-	-	418	706

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on THURSDAY, the 28th day of September 1899

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Thomas Hayes Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs J A Rudd, Thomas Hepple, John Cooney Michael Cowman, Denis Lacy L Cardwell, James Hennessy, Edward O'Connor, Thomas Kavanagh, James Lynch, James Johnson and John Dillon LP and Andrew Power

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Clerk's Report was read to the following effect:—

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week - - - - - £_____

Paid during the week - - - - - £_____

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £_____

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates Collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows :—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total	—	— —	— — —
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack ...			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

Note.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of *each* Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	36	1	2
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -	43	16	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -	2	7	2
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - -		3	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - -		4	3

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,	37½	lbs.	Indian Meal,		lbs.
Flour,	5	~~Sacks~~	Flour,		lbs.
Buttermilk,	30	gallons	Corn Flour,		lbs.
Sweetmilk,	1388	quarts	Butter,	61	lbs.
Tea,	-	ozs.	Eggs,	42	dozens
Sugar,	-	ozs.	Candles,	18	lbs
Whiskey,	-	pints	Soap,		lbs.
Wine,	7	bottles	Starch,		lbs.
Brandy,	1	do.	Blue,		lbs.
Porter,	30	do.	Washing Soda,		lbs.
Gin,	1	do.	Coal,		cwts.
Lemons,			Tobacco,	39	ozs.
Oatmeal,	-	lbs.	Snuff,		ozs.
~~Barm~~, Yeast	3	~~gallons~~ lbs	Lamp Oil,	6	gallons

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature :—

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ... — ...			
In Kind ... ... - ...			
Total ... — £			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...							
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...							
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...							
		TOTAL				TOTAL,			

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[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Union.

Meeting held the 28 day of Sept 1899

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1611 to No. 1688

Separate „ No. 296 to No. 296

Out door „ No. ..... to No. .....

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the day of the last Stated Finance Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of Sept 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
Provisions ...	38 1 11	34 17 7	73 19 6	36 5 4	16 3	37 1 7	35 17 11	
Necessaries ...	34 9 3	1 [illegible]	35 12 10	5 13 11	1 - 9	6 14 8	28 18 2	1851
Total ...	72 11 [illegible]	1 2	108 12 4	41 19 3	1 17 -	43 16 3	64 16 1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... ... : :

Average Cost in Infirmary ... ... : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... ... : :

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.—

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1879, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officeer District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	37 5 0	23 15	17 4 6				78 4 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	37 . .	15	11 . .				63
3. Total to be accounted for ..	74 5 .	38 15 .	28 4 6				141 ~~142~~ 4 6
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	25 9 .	11 8 .	8 6 6				45 3 6
In Kind ...	. ~~5~~ .						. 3 .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	. 3 .						
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given	25 12 .	11 8 .	8 6 6				45 ~~46~~ 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	+ 48 13	27 7	19 18 0				95 18 .
9. Total ..	74 5 .	38 15	28 4 6				141 ~~142~~ 4 6

+ £12 debited to Board

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[Form 1 B]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of....., 1 .....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of....., and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr. £	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(*a.*) Establishment						
(*b.*) Workhouse Farm						
(*c.*) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of .....1....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account £ s. d.	Loans Account £ s. d.
SUMMARY.		
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Total sums received during the month		
Total		
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement		
Payments ordered at this meeting		
Total		
Net Balance due.....Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)		
RECONCILEMENT.		
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer ...		
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)		
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer ...		

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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.

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Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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No. of Cheque		£	s.	d.

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Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Cream percentage for the week ended 28th Sept 1899

Names of Contractors

	Cosgrave	Ryan	Morton
Average	9 6/7	10 2/3	10 5/7

Workhouse

28th September 1899

State of the House this day

No in original Buildings		255
" " Fenniscorthy Fever Hospital		6
" " Newtownbarry "		2
" " Oulart "		—
	Total	263

Number Corresponding day last year 270

	Men	Women	Children
Lodgers Admitted	33	22	15

General Average Cost for Inmate for the week was 3/1

Average Cost in the Infirmary 4/3

The Porter who had been on Sick leave resumed duty on Friday last 22nd inst

A very large heap of broken Stones has now accumulated and the Board make an order to have them sold

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as purchasers for them can now easily be got

Order. Stones to be sold at 2/6 per Ton

As the Coal Year ends on the 30th inst. I wish to bring under the notice of the Board that it will be necessary to have Stock taken as soon as possible

"Postponed until this day week"

There is a Quantity of Rags in the Store among the Casts & Cast off Clothes Stocktaking with the Board kindly authorize me to dispose of them

"The Master to invite tenders & sell them to the highest bidder"

Medical Officer's ~~Agricultural~~'s Report.

As requested by the Board on last Monday I have examined the New Ambulance and tho it is not at all built on the in accordance with the Suggestion of the Committee appointed by your Board and consisting of Capt Bryan Mr Hayes & myself Still it seems to agree with the Specification drawn up by Mr Brien Linsly and accepted by your Board. The greatest objections I see to it are its great weight & cut legs & its unnecessary height It seems however to be very well put together Tho built for the Fever Hospital I do would suggest that it be used for the Infirmary where an ambulance is much more frequently required as it is somewhat lighter than the old one which could be transferred to the Fever Hospital

Proposed by D Lacy
Seconded " J Kennedy
Unanimous

"The new ambulance be accepted for the use of the workhouse the old Ambulance to be transferred to the Fever Hospital

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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):—

Letter No 54573
Dated 26th Sept 99

Referring to the Minutes of Proceedings of Guardians on the 14th inst and expressing their Sanction to the proposal to continue the services of Mr Patrick O'Brien as Porter of the workhouse for a period of two weeks

Letter No 55378
Dated 27th Sept 99

Referring to the entry on the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 21st inst of a notice for the Consideration on that day month of the applications of the Relieving Officers for increase of Salaries and pointing out that the 14 days notice required by Article 12 of the General Regulations in such Cases means a Notice given 14 days before the meeting at which the subject is to be considered Also stating the manner in which such Notice of Motion should be given

L No 55378
Dated 27th Sept 99

Referring to the entry on the subject in the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 21st inst and stating that the suggestion of the Guardians as to the purchase of the workhouse farm shall be considered by them when full particulars of the Extent, Valuation, and rent of the holding are furnished and also a Sealed Ordnance Map showing the workhouse site and grounds together with the Farm that it is now proposed should be purchased

Order "The Clerk to procure the necessary Sheets and get the Engineer to Show the Sites mentioned"

L No 55378
Dated 27th Sept 99

Forwarding Questions for answers respecting the person whom the Guardians propose to employ as temporary Assistant Nurse in the Newtownbarry Fever Hospital

"Answers to be forwarded"

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L.H.O. 55 378
Dated 29th Sept '99

Referring to the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 23rd inst containing an entry of a Report from the Master to the effect that the Ambulance had been delivered and suggesting that the Guardians should obtain the Opinion of their Medical Officer as to the Suitability of the Ambulance in question

"See Medical Officers Report"

Mr Power proposed and Mr Cullen Seconded and it was unanimously resolved

That Mr Patrick O'Brien be appointed Temporary Assistant Clerk for 4 weeks at £1.0.0 per week in place of Mr Edward Murtagh at present on sick leave

The following Notice of Motion was handed in by Luke Tobin

That on this day fortnight I will move that the Medical Officers fees for Consultations be fixed at £1.1.0 by day and £2.2.0 by night and that the Bread Contract of the following Officers Salaries be also taken up

Signed John Cooney

Dated 28th Sept 1899

Mr Lacey proposed and Mr Edward O'Connor Seconded and it was ~~passed~~ unanimously Resolved

That the Bar Lock Type writer be procured for the use of the Office

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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

The following letters were read —

Portsmouth Estate
Enniscorthy Guardians Tenants
To G Roberts Esq JP
Estate Office
Enniscorthy

September 22nd 1899

Dear Sir

Referring to previous communication I am now instructed by the Guardians to make a proposal to the Landlord to purchase the holdings of the Guardians from the Landlord under the Land Purchase Acts at 22 years purchase of the present rent to include the hanging years rent now demanded and of course the costs of the purchase

I am desired by the Guardians to point out that the annual profits of the farm are very inconsiderable averaging over the last 3 years only £11 odd, and were it not that the Guardians as local Authority will probably be called on to utilize the lands under the powers of the Technical Instruction Acts, they would have seriously considered the propriety of retaining the farm at all

Trusting that his Lordship will give a favourable consideration to the foregoing proposal

I remain
Yours truly
Thomas J Dempsey

The Earl of Portsmouths Estate Office
Enniscorthy Co Wexford
27th Sept 1899

Dear Sir

I have received your letter of the 22nd inst containing the Board of Guardians proposition as to the purchase of their holdings under Land Purchase Acts which I shall submit to Lord Portsmouth on his return from Scotland next month. In the meantime I must again request payment of the years rents due by them to 25th March 1899

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as having regard to the provisions of the Local Government
Act this matter cannot wait

Yours faithfully
G. L. Roberts

Thomas J. O'Dempsey Esq
Enniscorthy

Order - The Board postponed the Consideration of Mr Roberts
letter pending Compliance with the requisition
of the Local Government Board and Consideration
of Lord Portsmouths reply to the Treasurers
Proposal

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14 and 15 Vic. c. 68.)

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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_____ *Dispensary District.*

Account of Mr. _____ *for* _____ _____ *Amount, £* _____

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Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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*Read Letter from*_____*dated*_____
stating that

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians as the Rural Sanitary Authority.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £ s. d.

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or *directions were given thereon as follows:*]—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the 5th day of Oct 1899

Signed. [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,129 15s. *Area in Statute Acres*, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 189

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Workhouse .. .. Enniscorthy Fever Hospital Newtownbarry do ..... Oulart do ..... TOTAL			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return												
Admitted during the Week - Born - - - - - -												
TOTAL,												
Discharged during the Week - Died - - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Dead -												
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE												

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards		In separate Wards
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other Inmates
TOTAL,		TOTAL,

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week				
No. in Workhouse at date				
No. at corresponding period last year,				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 189 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						
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of *Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* THURSDAY, *the* _____ *day of* _____ 189

PRESENT: *In the Chair*—

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ *to No.* _____ *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

The Clerk's Report was read to the following effect:—

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

*The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £*_____

*Paid during the week . . . . £*_____

*And that the Balance on the Account 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.

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The Lodgments made of Rates Collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows :—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week £ s. d.	Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining Uncollected £ s. d.
D. M'Donald	Enniscorthy			
	Total			
John Walsh	Ballycarney			
	Ballymore			
	Ferns			
	Kilbora			
	Kilcormack			
	The Harrow			
	Tinnacross			
	Total			
John F. Sullivan ...	Ballindaggin			
	Castledockrill			
	Cranmore			
	Killoughram			
	Kilrush			
	Marshalstown			
	Newtownbarry			
	Rossard			
	St. Mary's			
	Tombrack			
	Total			
Laurence Lacey	Ballyvaldon			
	Boolaboy			
	Castle Ellis			
	Castle Talbot			
	Total			
Edward Sommers ...	Castleboro'			
	Clonroche			
	Killan			
	Kiltealy			
	Total			
Patrick Dunne	Ballyhogue			
	Bree			
	The Leap			
	Total			
John Bolger	Ballyhuskard			
	Edermine			
	Kilmallock			
	Total			
	Total Union, £			

Note.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of *each* Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk. he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

1. *The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.*
2. *The Provision Check Account.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

£ s. d.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - -

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - - - -

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - - - - - - - -

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely :—

Meat,	lbs.	Indian Meal,	lbs.
Flour,	cwts.	Flour,	lbs.
Buttermilk,	gallons	Corn Flour,	lbs.
Sweetmilk,	quarts	Butter,	lbs.
Tea,	ozs.	Eggs,	dozens
Sugar,	ozs.	Candles,	lbs
Whiskey,	pints	Soap,	lbs.
Wine,	bottles	Starch,	lbs.
Brandy,	do.	Blue,	lbs.
Porter,	do.	Washing Soda,	lbs.
Gin,	do.	Coal,	cwts.
Lemons,		Tobacco,	ozs.
Oatmeal,	lbs.	Snuff,	ozs.
Barm,	gallons	Lamp Oil,	gallons

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature :—

1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 189 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money ... ... — ...

In Kind ... ...

Total ... — £

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

No. of Cheque	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Orders on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d
	No. I.	M. J. Whelan ...			
	No. II.	J. Murphy ...			
	No. III.	M. Murphy ...			
		TOTAL		TOTAL,	

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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.

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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No. of Cheque	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on THURSDAY, the.....

day of.....189

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

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