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Wexford Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1882

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, Permanent Buildings,	731	438
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	22
TOTAL,	812	460

	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. 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.	4	20	135	128	54	4	50	25	35	453
Admitted during the week.	11	4	5	2	.	1	.	.	.	23
Born - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	15	24	140	130	54	5	50	25	35	478
Discharged during the week.	9	4	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	18
Died, - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,	9	4	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	20	136	130	54	4	50	25	35	460

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards.	204	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date. To separate Wards. 28
	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	22	In Wards with other Inmates ~
	Total,	226	Total, 28

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	6	3	.	9
No. in Workhouse at date	~	~	~	~

No. at corresponding period last year 434

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th day of November 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	194	413			194	413
No. II.	138	251			138	251
TOTAL,	332	664			332	664

Comparative No. last year 679

Cost, £27:2:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 4th day of November 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Michael Sinnott V.C. Richd. Ryan
Chas H Pracoche JP. James Hayden John Redmond
Patk. McDonald William Pettit John Walsh

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2443 *to No.* 2465 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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I beg to state that I wrote to to the Rate Collectors Murphy and Keane reminding them of the rule that they were bound to attend fortnightly to have their Books checked. Mr Keane has attended and lodged £218 : 18 : 10. Mr Murphy did not attend.

Ordered.— That Mr Murphy be informed that the rule to attend fortnightly with his books is to be strictly adhered to, and that any further breach of that rule will be very seriously considered by the Board of Guardians.

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, ... £ 238 · 13 · 9

Paid during the week, ... £ 47 · 6 · 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of *the Guardians was* £ 123 · 13 · 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £ s. d.	Total amount of Rate collected.	Amount of Rate uncollected, to close each Work.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188			
Patrick Keating	do.			
James Murphy	do.			
James Keane	do.			
TOTAL				

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -					
	TOTAL, -					
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -					
	Ardcolm, - - -					
	Artramont, - -					
	Drinagh, - - -					
	Killinick, - - -					
	Kilpatrick, - -					
	Kilscoran, - -					
	Lady's Island, - -					
	Magglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -	21	2	6		
	Duncormack, - -					
	Harristown, - -					
	Kilcowan, - -					
	Killag, - - -	2	4	5		
	Kilmore, - - -	124	1	4		
	Newcastle,					
	Tomhaggard, -	71	10	4		
	TOTAL, -	218	18	10		
	TOTAL.....					

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

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29 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting* £9·17·10 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £181 s.13 d.7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	10	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	1
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	3
Hall Diet, ...		5	0
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was ...		2	0

examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

466	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
12	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	54	doz. of Eggs,
580	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
100	lbs. of Sugar,	1	cwt. of Soda,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,		

1 grass Spools
100 lbs Butt Leather

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 *day of* Oct 1882 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	27	11	0
In Kind, ...		18	6
Total	28	9	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
30	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
31	No. II.	Dillon	13·0·0		
	Total, ...		30·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

				£	s.	d.
Clothing	32	Doyle	Leather	12	19	
"	33	Coghlan	Rugs	32	10	
Invoice	34	Maddock	Milk	19	6	8
"	35	Hayes	"	12	15	
"	36	Gill	"	9	11	8
"	37	Rossiter	Eggs	8	12	3
"	38	Cosgrove	Flour	83	2	8
"	39	Godkin & Co	Meal	13	3	
"	40	Marlow	Coals	169	3	4
Estab.t	41	Murphy	Repairs	2	3	
"	42	Cooper & Co	Lime	4	13	4
Ex Main	43	O'Brien	Dumb Girl	2	17	6
Bruggeton Dis	44	Crean	Vaccination fees	8	4	
Broadway "	45	Whittaker	"	7	4	
Werf.? "	46	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Registration	47	Crean	Fees.	3	7	9
"	48	Boyd	"	2	13	6
Invoice	49	Kerwin	Meat	65	18	5
Clothing	50	Connick	Tape	2	5	6
Cattle Diseases	51	Malone	Salary	12	10	
Estab	52	Mackay	Advertising	2	10	

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All Contractors made over 10 per cent.

A supply of Oaten Straw required.
Ordered.— To be advertised for

No Contract for Buttermilk since the 30th Ult.
Ordered.— To be advertised for.

A mason required to repair the Fever Hospital Boiler Work, and a Slater to repair some slates in roofs of Fever Hospital and Workhouse.

A Committee required to examine rugs.
Messrs Simott Pettit & Walsh were appointed and reported them equal to sample

Medical Officer's Report:— I beg to inform the Board that during the past week I had fifteen children suffering from measles removed to the Fever Hospital.

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 32,482. 28 Oct. '82. Acknowledging the receipt of the Minutes of the 21st instant, containing a resolution in reference to the proposed appointment of Mr Mark Murphy as Relieving Officer and stating that under the circumstances mentioned and that the requirements of No 6 of the Boards General Order of the 29th April 1880, shall be strictly observed by Mr Murphy, they will not withhold their sanction and accordingly approve of his appointment at a salary of £40 per annum as Relieving Officer and £5 per annum as Sanitary Sub Officer

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Dated 3rd November '82. From Secretary of Gas Company, stating that the Company were taking steps to improve the light and suggesting that the Master should in future report to him when he finds a deficiency in the quality of the gas.

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Ordered.— That the Master report to the Guardians whenever any deficiency occurs.

Dated 3rd Nov '82. From Mr Taylor Solicitor to the Guardians, stating that the Sureties of the late Clerk had paid the balance due by them to the Guardians on account of the defalcations of the late Clerk and that he had lodged the amount to the credit of the Guardians viz:- £19:14:11

Dated 31st Oct '82. From Lord Maurice Fitzgerald, acknowledging the receipt of the vote of thanks of the Guardians to his Lordship for the rabbits he sent to the inmates and thanking the Guardians for their resolution

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Tender accepted:- Mrs Vizer for glazing the Windows of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital at 2·10 per doz panes at the Workhouse windows and £1 per doz panes at the Fever Hospital Windows

There was only one tender for meat viz @ 8½d per lb without bone and 7½d per lb with bone, The Guardians considered the tender too high and decided to advertise again — the Clerk to state in the advertisement that the Bills would be paid weekly

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Notice of Motion:— I shall on this day fortnight bring under the attention of the Board of Guardians, the desirability of inviting tenders for the supply of articles provided by the Relieving Officer to destitute persons relieved provisionally in the Wexford Dispensary District.

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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	14
Ditto, disallowed	–
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	23
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	10
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	3

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 Elections in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Wexford Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

Wexford Dispensary Committee:— Met on the 3rd. Medical Officer reported that Measles were still prevalent. It was resolved that the use of the Committee Room of the Dispensary be given to the Relieving Officer, subject to the approval of the Board of Guardians

Ordered.— The Board of Guardians approved of the resolution

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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

stating that *dated*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

Wexford 6 cases (all unfit at present)

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:

From the Representatives Church Body dated 1st Nov. 82, stating that the last report of the Church Temporalities Commissioners contains no notice of the vesting of the Burial Ground in either the Rep Body, the Guardians or yet in any private person. From Mr Hand Saunderscourt, stating that the deed of conveyance of the Estate to him stipulated that the rights of the Rector of the parish, the parishoners and the Public were reserved.

Ordered:- That the Clerk again communicate with the Church Department of the Irish Land Commission

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

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Michl Simmott
Ch. M.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 11th day of November 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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TOTAL	14	26	142	131	43	51	40	25	37	509
Discharged during the week.	7	6	1	.	2	2	.	.	.	18
Died,	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	5
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	7	4	.	2	2	.	1	.	23
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	19	138	131	41	49	40	24	37	486

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

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No. at corresponding period last year 430

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Comparative No. last year 691
Cost, £28 : 8 : 10

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PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Simmott Esq. V.C.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richard Ryan, Patrick Ryan, Nicholas Murphy, Thomas Kehoe, George Le Hunte Jr., Chas H Peacocke Jr., Peter Cussin, Thos Cardiff, Patrick Chandler, Michael Browne, James Devereux, John Rowe

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2466 *to No.* 2514 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the ordes given him by the previous Board

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, ... £337. 5. 9

Paid during the week, ... £475. 16. 6

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 14. 17. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £ s. d.	Total amount of Rate collected.	Amount of Rate unchecked at the end of Week.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188			
PATRICK KEATING	do.			
JAMES MURPHY	do.			
JAMES KEANE, ...	do.			
	TOTAL....			

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	200	.	.		
	TOTAL, -	200	.	.		
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	20				
	Ardcolm, - - -					
	Artramont, - -	11				
	Drinagh, - - -	30				
	Killinick, - - -	18				
	Kilpatrick, - -	4				
	Kilscoran, - -					
	Lady's Island, - -					
	Mayglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -	3				
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -	31				
	TOTAL, -	117	.	.		
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	1	8	10		
	Ballymitty, - -	3	3	1		
	Carrig, - -	1	14	2		
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -		16	5		
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -	1	19	.		
	Taghmon, - - -	6	12	8		
	Whitechurch, - -	4	11	4		
	TOTAL, -	20	5	9		
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormeck, - -					
	Harristown, - - -					
	Kilcowan, - -					
	Killag, - - -					
	Kilmore, - - -					
	Newcastle,					
	Tomhaggard, -					
	TOTAL, -					
	TOTAL.....					

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting 53 £ 6 : 12 : 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 Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 60 s. 17 d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	76	11	[illegible]
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	[illegible]
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	[illegible]
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	[illegible]
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

513	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
12	Bags of Flour,	½	Barrel of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	56	doz. of Eggs,
500	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,		

4 gal Tea Urn for F. Hse
4 doz ½ pt tins.
2 st white lead
2 gals boiled oil
4 lbs snuff.
12 small Fire Shovels
4 doz Chambers
1 Wash tub
2 doz buckets.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4 *day of* Nov. 1882 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	26	11	6
In Kind, ...	1	2	10
Total	27	14	4

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
54	No. I.	Murphy	16 0 0		
55	No. II.	Dillon	13 0 0		
	Total, ...		29 0 0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
E. Law &c	56 O'Connor Voters Lists	20	.	.

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

Nov. 8. The Butt leather in Shoemakers Shop appeared to be such as unfitted for long wear though equal to sample. As it is a matter which affects the interest of the Ratepayers, the Committee would suggest that the matter be considered by the Board

Ordered:-That a Committee consisting of Messrs Murphy and Rowe be appointed to wait on the Contractor with a view to getting him to supply a ~~better~~ cheaper quality of butt leather

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

At the request of the Medical Officer I appointed two Assistant nurses - Margaret Cullen and Maryanne Cahill - to the Fever Hospital at the rate of 6:8 per month and rations. The number of patients there have increased to 50 during the week.

Ordered. Approved.

Bridget Hanton, child of Thomas Hanton is in the healthy Department of the House.

Ordered. - Notice to be served on Thos. Hanton.

Board will please make order on Laundry Trough

Ordered. - A Committee appointed to inspect and report.

Sister M. E. Kavanagh, Workhouse Hospital Nurse, sent in her resignation

Ordered. - That the Board regret losing the services of such an efficient ~~nurse~~ Officer. and that advertisements be issued in the usual way to supply her place

Sister M A Tobin applies for and obtained a month's leave of absence ~~and~~ a sister from the Convent to act as her substitute.

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 33,145 ~~29,870~~. 8 Nov. 82. Expressing their approval of the proposal to allow a sum of £20 to the Clerk of the Union as remuneration for his services under the provisions of the Parliamentary Voters' Act. during the present year

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No 33,819. 10 Nov. '82. Referring to the Clerk's Report in last Minutes that Collector Keane had lodged a sum of £218:18:10, and requesting Collector Keane's attention may be called to Article 49 of the General Regulations, and that the Guardians will be good enough to insist upon his compliance with the terms of that Article in future.

Ordered.— The Clerk to comply with the request of the Local Government Board.

From Office of Public Works.— Dated 9th Nov. '82. Requesting to be informed if the Guardians are now in a position to pay the amount due by them under the Seed Supply Act, viz:— £224:4:[illegible]

Ordered.— That the Guardians will send a cheque for the amount, immediately they have a sufficient sum to their credit in the Bank — which they expect in two weeks.

A letter was read from Mr Adair, agent for Mr James Howlin, enclosing an ejectment Notice which he had sent in Registered Letter to the Relieving Officer on the 30th Sept. '82, and which had been returned to him on the 7th instant, from the Dead Letter Office.

Ordered.— As the ejectments referred to were of a most amicable character the Guardians will not press for a fine

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From the ~~Clerk~~ Town Clerk, Wexford, enclosing Letter No 31,454, 20 Oct 82 from the Local Government Board in reference to the Revision of the Poor Law Valuation and also the Circular Letter of the Local Government Board dated 13 August 1879 on the same subject.

The Clerk stated that he took every precaution by advertising, ~~and~~ and urging the Rate Collectors to their duties under this Act, to have the Annual Revision of the Valuation of the Union properly carried out, and he believed the Collectors carried out their instructions in a satisfactory manner. He thought it right to add that the ~~Clerk~~ Town Clerk never applied to him for the Rate Books under the 61st Section of the Town's Improvement Act.

There was no order made

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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	39
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	48
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	10
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	1

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

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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& 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

aturday, the ____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

A letter was read from Miss Corish the ~~Landlady~~ Owner of the Wexford Dispensary House objecting to allow the Committee Room to be used as a Depot for Relief.

After some discussion the Relieving Officer agreed to take another office.

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:—*

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee.- Met on the 6th instant. 10 members present. Dr Crean applied for and obtained fifteen days leave of absence, Dr Crean of Wexford to act as substitute.

It was ordered that the Hospital Car be sold and that the Dispensary Sheds be repaired if the Board of Guardians approve - The probable expense would be about £3.

Ordered.- Approved and advertisements to be issued inviting Tenders

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

Taghmon & Glynn 11 cases

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

That the usual notices be served by the Relieving Officer

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.
Bridgetown	Dr Crean	Drain required to carry away stagnant water from two houses in Murrintown.	
Taghmon	Dr Pigott	Stagnant water and refuse matter in the rear of a house at the Village of Taghmon.	
Ordered. – The Sanitary Sub Officer to visit and serve the usual notice.			

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 :

No 29706, 6 Nov. 82. Requesting to be informed of any further proceedings taken respecting the fencing of the Taghmon Burial Ground.

Ordered.– The Committee appointed has not yet reported and that the Clerk be requested to again remind the Committee of the necessity of a report at an early date.

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 :

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Edmond Hore Ch. M.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 18th day of November 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of November 1882

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. 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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings.	731	431										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	74										
TOTAL.	812	505	7	19	138	131	41	49	40	24	37	486
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			~~6~~	~~20~~	~~136~~	~~130~~	~~40~~	~~28~~	~~40~~	~~25~~	~~35~~	~~460~~
Admitted during the week.			5 ~~8~~	10	2	3	5	2	.	2	.	29
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			12	29	140	134	46	51	40	26	37	515
Discharged during the week.			2	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	7
Died,			.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			10	27	136	132	46	51	40	26	37	505

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	199	In separate Wards.	28
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	74	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	273	Total.	28

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	0	3	0	3
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 434

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of November 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	196	417			196	417
No. II.	138	251			138	251
TOTAL,	334	668			334	668

Comparative No. last year 679

Cost, £27 : 2 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 18th day of November 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd Ryan, Thos Barry, C H Peacocke Jr, Patk McDonald, James Kehoe, John Sinnott, Thos Kehoe, Nichs Cooney, John Walsh, Michl Browne, Peter Cassin, James Hayden, William Pettit, Arthur Keating, Patk Chandler

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2515 *to No.* 2543 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the Order given him by the previous Board

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I beg to report that the Medicine Contract expires this day.

Ordered – That advertisements be issued in the usual way, and that Tenders be also invited for the following Medicines – not in the List sanctioned by the Local Government Board: –

Inf. Senegal Concent 1 to 4 per pt.
Inf. Gentian Comp Concent. 1 to 4 "
Extract Cinchona Liquid "
Aqua Lauro Cerasi "
Emplast Roborans on Swansdown per yard
Emplast Calefaciens do do
Liquor Taraxaci per pint
Arrow Root per pound
Spirit Æther Sulph Co Hoffmanns per pint.
Ferri et ammonia Citras per ounce

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, ... £ 171 · 9 · 6

Paid during the week, ... £ 124 · 14 · 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of *the Guardians was* £ 31 · 17 · 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £ s. d.	Total amount of Rate collected.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of each Week.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 183			
Patrick Keating	do.			
James Murphy	do.			
James Keane	do.			
Total				

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,					
	TOTAL,					
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan					
	Ardcolm,	1				
	Artramont,					
	Drinagh,					
	Killinick,					
	Kilpatrick,					
	Kilscoran,	4				
	Lady's Island,	74				
	Mayglass,					
	Rathaspeck,	1				
	Rosslare,					
	St. Helen's,					
	Tacumshane,					
	TOTAL,	80				
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam,					
	Ballymitty,					
	Carrig,					
	Forth,					
	Glynn,					
	Harperstown,					
	Kilbride,					
	Killurin,					
	Taghmon,					
	Whitechurch,					
	TOTAL,					
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow,	66		11		
	Bridgetown,					
	Duncormack,					
	Harristown,					
	Kilcowan,					
	Killag,					
	Kilmore,	25	8	4		
	Newcastle,					
	Tomhaggard,					
	TOTAL,	91	9	6		
	TOTAL	171	9	6		

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	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	80	7	11
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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

559	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,		6 doz hemp
2	Ox-heads,		6 doz. of Wine,		6 " iron heels
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		205 lbs butt leather
2	st "		Bottles of Brandy,		4 " red paint
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Gin,		2 " dryers
	Ton of Oatmeal,	56	doz. of Eggs,		1 gal turpentine
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	12	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		2 metal saucepans
500	Gallons Newmilk,	2	Gallons of Barm,		2 doz tin plates
1	cwt. of Salt,		Ton of Soap,		A bellows
	Chests of Tea,		cwt. of Soda,		10000, shoe nails
200	lbs. of Sugar,	14	lbs. of Starch,		A milk tub.
14	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Blue,		
½	cwt. of Rice,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Ginger,				
14	lbs. of Pepper,				

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 11th *day of* Nov. 1882 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	24	7	6
In Kind, ...	1	1	9
Total	28	9	3

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
58	No. I.	Murphy	15·0·0		
59	No. II.	Dillon	14·0·0		
	Total, ...		29·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
Clo.	60	Godfrey Leather	17	15	10

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

20

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

MASTER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All the Contractors made over 10 per cent.

A Committee required to examine Blankets & Leather. Messrs Ryan, Cooney, and Browne were appointed and reported the Leather heavier than sample, but that the blankets were unequal to sample,

Ordered.– That the Contractor be requested to supply Irish Manufactured Blankets, branded and fully equal to sample

There are now 70 patients in Fever Hospital ten of them having taken Scarlatina.

The following articles were condemned by Committee on 5th July 1882:– Bedding:– 30 Sheets, 20 blankets, 20 rugs, 31 ticks, 45 bolster cases. Mens Clothing :– 10 coats, 10 vests, 20 trousers, 48 shirts, 21 shoes, 38 stockings, 8 hats, 8 handkerchiefs, 9 flannel waistcoats 10 drawers. Womens:– 44 wrappers, 48 petticoats, 69 shifts, 117 aprons, 30 neckerchiefs, 26 shoes, 38 stockings, 30 caps, 6 bodies, 3 shawls, ~~3~~ Boys:— 30 coats, 35 vests, 13 trousers, 4 shirts, 6 shoes, 26 stockings, 9 hats. Girls:— 72 frocks 16 petticoats, 9 shifts, 92 bibs, 15 shoes, 30 stockings, Sundries:— 1 window blind, 13 rollers and towels, 4 table cloths

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

No 243. M/1882. 15 November 1882. Informing the Guardians that should they propose to borrow money under the Arrears of Rent Act, 1882 for emigration purposes, it will be necessary to ~~apply~~ notify to the Commissioners of Public Works before the 31st December next, the amount which they propose to borrow.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 34,482. 14 Nov. '82. Enclosing questions to be answered by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed Workhouse Hospital Nurse in room of Sister M. E. Kavanagh

No 34,482. 14 Nov '82. Enclosing questions for answers to be signed by the Clerk and the persons who have been appointed as temporary Assistant Nurses in the Workhouse Fever Hospital.

Tenders accepted:— Best Beef with bone 7½ per lb. (The beef to be taken in Quarters – a hind quarter and a fore Quarter alternately) Mr C. Kerwin. Buttermilk:— At 3½ per gallon for the months of November December January and February and 3d per gallon for the remaining months. Mr Thos Byrne.

A Communication from the Irish Medical Association on Union Officers' Superannuation Bill was read.

Ordered.— That the attention of the Local Government Board be drawn to the Guardians' Resolution of the 28th of October on the subject of introducing the manufacture of Straw Envelopes for Bottles as an Industry into the Workhouse

Proposed by Mr Peacocke seconded by Mr Keating and passed by a majority of 11 votes to 4.— That all articles henceforth required for Provisional Relief be obtained from our present Contractors provided they supply the articles at the same price and of the same quality as they are at present supplied to the Workhouse. This resolution to extend to the Electoral Division of Wexford only.

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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	26
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	29
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	6
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	8
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	2

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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aturday, the ____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

That the Medicines be ordered from the 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 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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

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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:

No 34483. 17 Nov. '82. Stating that it does not appear from the Guardians Minutes of the 11th Instant, that any order was made on their letter of the 6th instant respecting the fencing of the Taghmon Burial Ground.

The Clerk stated that he ~~[illegible]~~ must have omitted the Order in sending the Minutes which was as follows:– "The "Committee appointed has not yet reported and that the "Clerk be requested to again remind the Committee of the "necessity of a report on an early day."

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount. £	s.	d.

The Clerk states that he had written to the Committee and had received a reply from Mr Prendergast see to the Committee, dated 15 Nov. '82, and stating that he had gone accurately into the probable cost which would be £35 and that he will prepare a Specification with the Assistance of the Committee and forward it to the Guardians on an early date.

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

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From the Church Property Department of the Irish Land Commission, dated 14 Nov. 82, stating that the church and annexed churchyard of Kilpatrick were vested in the Representative Church Body as stated in their Letter of the 27th September last, name on the 21st February 1879: and further adding that both Church and Graveyard appear to be situated in the townland of Saunderscourt Demesne.

From the Rep Church Body enclosing a resolution adopted by them on the 15th instant, as follows:—

Resolved:—"That as the Burial Ground of Saunders "does not adjoin the Church of Kilpatrick it could not "have been vested in the Rep. Body, but that as it "appears to be included in a demesne it may "have been vested in the Proprietor by the Privy "Council under Sec 26. Sub Clause 2. of the Irish "Church Act of 1869."

The Proprietor of the Demesne states that the Burial Ground is not vested in him, and that on the contrary, having searched his Deeds &c - he finds a clause reserving the rights of the Rector, the Parishioners and the Public to this Burial Ground.

Ordered.— That the Local Government Board be requested to state how are the Guardians to act under the circumstances, in order to have the Burial Ground properly fenced.

Edmond Hore, Chn.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 25th day of November 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of November 1882

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. 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.
Workhouse,	731	437										
Permanent Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	67										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	504										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			10	27	136	132	46	51	40	26	37	505
Admitted during the week.			8	8	5	5	3	4	.	.	.	33
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			18	35	141	137	49	55	40	26	37	538
Discharged during the week.			8	3	4	.	1	11	1	1	.	29
Died,			.	.	1	2	.	.	.	1	1	5
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	3	5	2	1	11	1	2	1	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			10	32	136	135	48	44	39	24	36	504

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	203	In separate Wards.	28
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	67	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	270	Total,	28

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	5	3	0	8
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 450

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of November 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	195	415			195	415
No. II.	141	257			141	257
TOTAL,	336	672			336	672

Comparative No. last year 710

Cost, £28 : 14 : 3

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 25th day of November 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq. Chairman,
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd Ryan, John J Wall, Michael Simott V.C., C. H. Peacocke J.P., Patk Ryan, John Redmond, Peter Cassin, John Simott, James Kehoe D.V.C., Thos Kehoe, Michl Browne, John Rowe

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2544 *to No.* 2578 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

I beg to report that Mr Murphy Rate Collector did not attend, in accordance with the order of the Board, during the present week: I have received a certificate from Dr Pigott stating that he is "labouring from an attack of Bronchitis and Debility"

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, ... £ 118 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 71 . 7 . 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of *the Guardians was* £ 78 . 10 . 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.

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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at the end of Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	718	14	10	1460	9	.
PATRICK KEATING	do.	2894	17	8	315	.	.	2579	17	8
JAMES MURPHY	do.	1694	11	9	20	5	9	1629	6	11
JAMES KEANE	do.	2115	5	3	310	8	4	1804	16	11
TOTAL.....		8883	18	6	1364	8	11	7474	9	7

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford, - -	118	.	.	1460	9	.
	TOTAL, -	118	.	.	1460	9	.
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan - -				190	9	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				161	12	3
	Artramont, - -				147	15	4
	Drinagh, - - -				177	1	2
	Killinick, - - -				323	8	10
	Kilpatrick, - -				142	15	11
	Kilscoran, - -				252	17	11
	Lady's Is'and, - -				97	9	.
	Mayglass, - -				164	18	6
	Rathaspeck, -				283	11	1
	Rosslare, - - -				154	11	9
	St. Helen's, -				174	3	8
	Tacumshane, - -				309	3	2
	TOTAL, -				2579	17	8
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam, - -				124	2	4
	Ballymitty, - -				147	15	3
	Carrig, - -				126	2	5
	Forth, - - -				140	3	6
	Glynn, - - -				103	3	4
	Harperstown, - -				183	15	
	Kilbride, - - -				92	18	2
	Killurin, - - -				115	7	11
	Taghmon, - - -				459	11	6
	Whitechurch, - -				136	6	7
	TOTAL, -				1629	6	.
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow, - - -				322	19	7
	Bridgetown, - -				251	10	9
	Duncormack, - -				206	4	2
	Harristown, - -				145	4	9
	Kilcowan, - -				191	18	3
	Killag, - - -				145	12	6
	Kilmore, - - -				333	4	10
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				134	2	3
	TOTAL, -				1804	16	11
	TOTAL.....	118	.	.	7474	9	7

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

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61 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 9·15·1 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 68 s. 14 d. 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	82	6	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	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	4	
Hall Diet, ...	2	0	

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

759 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 butchers knife	
Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	1 saw. Cleaner & Ste	
14 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	6 6'·6" coffins	
1 Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	10 6' "	
1 Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	12 5·8" "	
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	55 doz. of Eggs,	2 3'·6" "	
500 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	4 lbs Ochre	
1 cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,	1000 nails	
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	5 doz quart tins	
120 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,	2 pt. measures	
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	1 doz Spade handles	
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	2 hack handles	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	½ doz Altar wine	
14 lbs. of Pepper,	112 lb Malt 14 lb Hops	200 bricks.	

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 Nov. 18 8 1 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	27	8	2
In Kind, ...	1	9	8
Total	28	17	10

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
62	No. I.	Murphy	15·0·0		
63	No. II.	Dillon	14·0·0		
	Total, ...		29·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
Inv. 64 Kerwin Meat	78	18	8

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£ s. d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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:—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All made over 10 p. cent.

An additional supply of blankets required — 60 pairs.
Ordered.— To be advertised for.

No eggs supplied by Contractor for past three days.
Ordered.— That when any deficiency on the part of the Contractor for eggs. again occurs, the Master is to purchase what he requires in the market - at the expense of the Contractor.

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 35,144. 24 Nov. '82. Relating to the Guardians proposal to introduce the manufacture of Straw envelopes for bottles into the Workhouse, as an industry, and stating that having regard to the object in view they are not disposed to raise any objection to the proposal.

Ordered.- That advertisements be issued for a competent person to instruct ~~and~~ the inmates in the manufacture of Straw envelopes for bottles

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Sister M Coyle was unanimously elected Workhouse Hospital Nurse

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Mr. Ryan, Contractor for blankets sent a Certificate from the Manufacturers, of Messrs Scott and Strickland, stating that they were entirely manufactured by them at the Island Bridge Mills Dublin.

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A Committee appointed (Messrs R Ryan J. Kehoe and Browne) reported that the blankets are as good as sample but have no proof, beyond Messrs Strickland and Scott's Certificate that they are Irish.

Proposed by Mr Peacocke and seconded by Mr. Rowe "That the contractor for blankets be "written to as regards whether the blankets "supplied to the Union are of Irish manufacture."

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	25
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	33
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	7
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	3

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ___day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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Read Letter from

stating that *dated*

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

— *Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .*

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

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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 :

From the Rep Church Body dated 22 Nov. '82, stating that as the Saundersscourt Burial Ground does not appear to be vested in the Proprietor of the Demesne, in the Rep Church Body nor in the Poor Law Guardians, they presume it remains vested in the Land Commissioners.

From the Committee appointed to report on the Taghmon Burial Ground enclosing specification for fencing it.

Ordered.- That advertisements be issued inviting Tenders for the fencing the Taghmon Burial Ground.

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 :

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Edmond Hore Esq.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1882

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Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Temporary Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	731	439										
	81	62										
TOTAL.	812	501										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			9	30	136	135	48	44	39	24	37	502
Admitted during the week.			12	9	6	4	2	4	1	1	.	39
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			21	39	142	139	50	48	40	25	37	541
Discharged during the week.			8	14	4	1	1	8	.	2	.	38
Died,			.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	15	4	1	1	8	1	2	.	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	24	138	138	49	40	39	23	37	501

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	205	In separate Wards.	128
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	62	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	267	Total,	128

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	9	7	6	22
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 455

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	196	415			196	415
No. II.	138	251			138	251
TOTAL,	334	666			334	666

Comparative No. last year 710

Cost, £27 : 10 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd. Ryan, Nicholas Cooney, Michael Simott J.P., Patrick Chandler, William Pettit, James Devereux, John J. Wall, James Hayden, C. H. Peacocke J.P., George Le Hunte J.P., John Simott, Patrick McDonald

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2579 *to No.* 2617 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £ 188 : 18 : 11

Paid during the week, ... £ 117 : 13 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 149 : 15 : 4

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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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	718	14	10	1460	9	8
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	315	5	9	2579	17	6
James Murphy	do.	1694	11	9	20	7	3	1629	16	11
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	424			1804		
Total		8838	18	6	1478	7	10	7360	10	8

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -				1460	9	.
	TOTAL, -				1460	9	.
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				190	9	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				161	12	3
	Artramont, - -				147	15	4
	Drinagh, - - -	13			177	1	2
	Killinick, - - -	32			323	8	10
	Kilpatrick, - -	4			142	15	11
	Kilscoran, - -				252	17	11
	Lady's Island, - -				97	9	
	Mayglass, - -				164	18	6
	Rathaspeck, -	25			283	11	1
	Rosslare, - - -				154	11	9
	St. Helen's, -				174	3	8
	Tacumshane, - -				309	3	2
	TOTAL, -	74	.	.	2516	17	5
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -				124	2	4
	Ballymitty, - -				147	15	3
	Carrig, - - -				126	2	5
	Forth, - - -				140	3	6
	Glynn, - - -				103	3	4
	Harperstown, - -				183	15	
	Kilbride, - - -				92	18	2
	Killurin, - - -				115	7	11
	Taghmon, - - -				459	11	6
	Whitechurch, - -				136	6	7
	TOTAL, -				1629	6	.
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				322	19	7
	Bridgetown, - -	4	18	6	251	10	9
	Duncormack, - -	14	18		206	4	2
	Harristown, - -	2	7	6	145	4	9
	Kilcowan, - -				191	18	3
	Killag, - - -	10	4	.	135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -	61	15	9	271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -	19	15	2	114	7	1
	TOTAL, -	113	18	11	1690	18	.
	TOTAL.....	113	18	11	7360	10	8

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting
65 £10 · 16 · 10 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 78 *s.* 13 *d.* 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	16	8
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...			
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	1
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	3
Hall Diet, ...		5	4
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—		2	0

693 lbs. of Meat,	4 lbs. Irish Bacon,		1 doz shav brushes
Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,		6 pairs of hinges
14 Bags of Flour,	½ Barrel of Porter,		100 yds frieze
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,		30 " tweed
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,		2 doz hairs
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	56 doz. of Eggs,		2000 tip nails
520 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		2 gross Porter Corks
1 cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,		6 paint brushes
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,		1 lb black paint
110 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,		
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,		
cwt. of Rice,	4 lbs. of Blue,		
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,		
lbs. of Pepper,			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 *day of* November 188[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	26	8	6
In Kind, ...		14	6
Total	27	3	0

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
66	No. I.	Murphy	15·0·0		
67	No. II.	Dillon	15·0·0		
	Total, ...		30·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

				£	s.	d.
Invoice	68	Gill	Milk	11	13	6
"	69	Maddock	"	18	12	.
"	70	Hayes	"	12	13	8
"	71	Cleary	"	22	9	4
"	72	Malone	"	21	3	
"	73	Cosgrove	Flour	83	1	9
"	74	Godkin & Co	Meal	13	2	
"	75	Rossiter	Eggs	8	18	9
"	76	Kerwin	Meat	21	13	1
Establt.	77	O'Connor	Delft	3	13	8
"	78	McGuire	Brushes &c	7	18	4
"	79	Codd	Blacking	2	8	
"	80	Bent	Rent	13	14	6
"	81	Elgee	"	29	8	.
"	82	Whelan	Tubs	5	2	.
Bannow Dis	83	Boyd	Vaccination	15	6	.
Taghmon "	84	Prendergast	Rent	7	10	.
Wexford "	85	Pierse	Vaccination	13	12	.
"	86	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
Burial	87	Dempsey	Coffins	8	9	8
Clothing	88	Ryan	Blankets	45	18	.
Establt	89	Hughes	Books &c	22	3	2
Invoice	90	Gafney	Coal	23	3	
Establt.	91	Keating	Salary	3	11	6
				458	1	9

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

22 Nov. 82. There seems to be a difficulty in arranging about females on Hall Diet. We think an inquiry desirable and a definite direction issued to prevent disputes. It is said that able bodied women who refuse place when offered to them, refuse the Hall Diet until they are in danger of starving with a view of forcing themselves into infirm diet.

George Le Hunte.

There was no order made.

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29 Nov 82. The drying closet is out of order one of the pipes being burned through. It is of the utmost importance to dry the clothes of the house at this season of the year, with the great number of inmates: we therefore authorized the Master to have the necessary repairs done.

Ordered.— Approved.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All the contractors made over 10 per cent.

The Board will please order the following articles of clothing which have been given by their orders to persons leaving the workhouse during the Half-year ended 29 Sept 1882, to be deducted from the Clothing Stock:—

Men's:— 1 trousers, 6 shirts, 10 p Shoes, 6 stockings, two f. Waistcoats. 2 drawers. Boys:- 17 coats 16 vests, 15 trousers, 26 shirts 18 shoes, 28 stockings, 15 caps. Women's:- 18 petticoats, 18 shifts, two aprons, 13 shoes, 17 stockings, 3 bonnets and 6 shawls Girls:- 13 frocks, 20 petticoats, 16 shifts, 12 bibs, 13 shoes, 16 stockings, 3 jackets, 11 hats.

Also the following list found short at stocktaking:— 6 pillow cases. 2 men's caps, 15 handkerchiefs, 1 flannel waistcoat, 7 women's petticoats, 1 shift, 3 bodies, 2 shawls, 1 boy's vest, 3 bibs, 4 children's stockings.

Ordered. That those articles be deducted from the Clothing stock.

Lodged £1 received from Mr P. Stafford for maintenance in the infirmary — a union charge

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A Committee required to examine Coffins

Messrs Ryan and McDonald were appointed and reported that the Coffins were equal to ~~samples~~ terms of Contract

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The furnace of Laundry Drying room having got into a dangerous state, I procured the necessary materials and employed a mason to put it in working order

Ordered. Approved

Medical Officers Report.— I beg to state for the information of the Board that Laurence Codd who has been under treatment for his eye for the past month. He is in no way improved, and it is extremely doubtful whether an operation will be of any service.

Ordered.— That the boy be sent to the National Eye Infirmary

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 35,396. 1 Dec 82. Approving of the appointment of Maryanne Cahill as temporary nurse in the Fever Hospital at a remuneration of £/8d per month and rations.

No 35397. 1 Dec 82. Approving of the appointment of Margaret Cullen as temporary Nurse in the Fever Hospital at a remuneration of £/8d per month and rations.

From the Valuation Office Dublin acknowledging the receipt of lists of tenements requiring revision in this Union

From Mr Ryan Contractor for blankets stating that the blankets sent by him to the workhouse were bought by him from Messrs Pim, and that he sent a certificate from the Manufacturers, stating that they were Irish manufacture.

Resolved — That the blankets be [illegible]

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Ordered.— That the Clerk write to Mr Taylor, the Board's Solicitor, requesting him to report regarding the Putative father cases and also to send in his Bill of Costs against the Guardians.

The following resolution proposed by Mr Peacocke and seconded by Mr Wall was passed at the last meeting of the Guardians:—

Resolved.— That henceforth all goods tendered for as Irish Manufacture, shall, where practicable, bear the Manufacturer's brand, as a guarantee that they are "Irish" before being accepted by the Guardians.

The tenders for medicines were opened and examined, but their consideration was postponed until next meeting to enable Messrs Hunt and Co to send in a tender for the additional medicines not ~~mentioned~~ included in the List approved of by the Local Government Board.

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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 17

Ditto, disallowed ... ... ~

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 39

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 4

Ditto, ditto, 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 6

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered 2

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of

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Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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& 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Act.s

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardions:—

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

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

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

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Edmond Hore, Ch. M.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 9th day of December 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of December 1882

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. 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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings.	731	461										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	59										
TOTAL.	812	520										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	24	138	138	49	40	39	23	37	501
Admitted during the week.			15	7	9	3	5	1	.	.	1	41
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			28	31	147	141	54	41	39	23	38	542
Discharged during the week.			10	3	1	.	3	.	1	.	.	18
Died, - - - -			.	.	1	2	.	.	1	.	.	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	3	2	2	3	.	2	.	.	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	28	145	139	51	41	37	23	38	520

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	210	In separate Wards.	29
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	59	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	269	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	3	-	6
No. in Workhouse at date	–	–	–	0

No. at corresponding period last year 465

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of December 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	197	418			197	418
No. II.	145	261			145	261
TOTAL,	342	679			342	679

Comparative No. last year 717

Cost, £29 : 8 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 9th day of December 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Chas H. Peacoche J.P. Edmund Staples
John Collothan Michael Simott V.C. John Walsh
Richd. Ryan James Kehoe V.C. James Hayden
Peter Cassin Patrick Ryan John Rowe
Patk. McDonald Patrick Chandler

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2618 *to No.* 2658 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

The Auditor attended on the 7th & 8th inst. and audited the accounts of the Union for the Half-year ended 29th September last. They were correct.

Under "Extern Maintenance" Account in the Half-year ended 25th March 1882, Mr. Croker made the following note:—

"No satisfactory explanation having been "given to me for the overpayment in the "Cases of Mernagh and O'Connor referred to "in my report on the 20 September last, I "am obliged to disallow the sum of "Two Pounds and I hereby surcharge same "~~to I~~ against James O'Connor, Clerk of the Union.

Courtenay Croker
Auditor

8th December 1882.

Ordered.— That the Clerk write to the Drumcondra Blind Asylum asking the Manager to refund this sum which has been illegally paid.

The Clerk to the Board's Solicitor (Mr Taylor) has written to say that Mr Taylor is very ill and unable to attend to any business, but that when he is able to get back to the office the Guardians communication will be attended to.

Mr Murphy, Rate Collector, has not attended during the week, but has sent a certificate from Dr Pigott stating that he was unable to do so

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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, ... £ 236 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 418 : 10 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 32 : 14 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford, - -	104	.	.	1356	9	.
	TOTAL, -	104	.	.	1356	9	.
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan - -	27			162	12	2
	Ardcolm, - - -	26			135	5	1
	Artramont, - -	12			135	9	1
	Drimagh, - - -				164	.	10
	Killinick, - - -	6			284	13	9
	Kilpatrick, - -	5			132	17	5
	Kilscoran, - -	3			249	14	2
	Lady's Island, - -	9			87	13	3
	Mayglass, - -	11			153	11	2
	Rathaspeck, -	12			246	1	1
	Rosslare, - - -	5			149	11	6
	St. Helen's, -	3			170	7	1
	Tacumshane, - -	13			295	7	8
	TOTAL, -	132	.	.	2367	4	3
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam, - -				124	2	4
	Ballymitty, - -				147	15	3
	Carrig, - -				126	2	5
	Forth, - - -				140	3	6
	Glynn, - - -				103	3	4
	Harperstown, - -				183	15	.
	Kilbride, - - -				92	18	2
	Killurin, - - -				115	7	11
	Taghmon, - - -				459	11	6
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	TOTAL, -				1629	6	.
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	Duncormack, - -				191	6	2
	Harristown, - -				142	17	3
	Kilcowan, - -				191	18	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	7	1
	TOTAL, -				1690	18	.
	TOTAL.....	236	.	.	7043	14	3

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, or remaining due. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	822	14	10	1356	9	.
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	527	13	5	2367	4	3
JAMES MURPHY,.....	do.	1649	11	9	20	5	9	1629	6	.
JAMES KEANE,.....	do.	2115	5	3	424	7	3	1690	18	.
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	1795	1	3	7043	17	3

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

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

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92 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £3 : 19 : 0 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 92 *s.* 7 *d.* 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	89	12	2
~~92 7 8~~			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...			
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3	1	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	4	3	
Hall Diet, ...	5	4	
	2	0	

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

698 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	4 doz. Woolen Neckerchiefs
Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	2 .. Shawls
14 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1 Gridiron
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	4 doz tin plates
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	4 .. delft plates
50 Gallons Buttermilk,	55 doz. of Eggs,	
520 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1 cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	
110 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,	
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,		

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 2nd *day of* Dec. 18 82 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	26	5	0
In Kind, ...		18	0
Total	27	3	0

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
93	No. I.	Murphy	16·00		
94	No. II.	Dillon	13·0·0		
	Total, ...		29·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
Inv.	95	Kerwin Meat	21	16	3

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

9 Dec. '82. The new hospital ward is very cold during the severe weather we are at present experiencing and I recommend that the two ventilators in this ward be closed for the winter months and that the partition at top of the stair case be boarded up.

Charles H Peacocke

Ordered.— That the recommendation be carried out.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All contractors made over 10 p.c.

A Committee required to examine some tweed & Frieze. Messrs Walsh, Collaton, and R Ryan were appointed and found the articles equal to samples.

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

Proposed by Mr Peacocke and seconded by Mr Staples
That a list containing the names of inmates who have been placed on stone-breaking and the number of tons of stones broken be placed before the Guardians at each meeting of the Board.

Mr Joseph Manifold, Arklow, was elected to the office of Instructor and Superintendent of industry - in the manufacture of straw envelopes for bottles, at a Salary of 15/- per week - without rations

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Mr E. Fortune's tender for 60 pairs of blankets 7'x4' at 18s per pair, was accepted.
Messrs Hunt & Co's tender for Medicines and Medical Appliances was accepted.

A Committee consisting of the following Guardians were appointed to inspect and prepare a place where the Straw Enclope industry could be carried on.

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Messrs:- Peacocke, Walsh, Simott, Cassin, Chandler, Hehoe and the Chairman

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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	35
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	41
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	10
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	1

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

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee. Met on the 4th. There were four members present. The following tenders were accepted:- For repairing the dispensary £3:0:0- Mr Francis Cousin. The Hospital Car was sold to Matthew Nagle for a sum of 10/-. Ordered.- That one ton of coal be procured for Dispensary. The Guardians approve of the transactions

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

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

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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 :

The joint Tender of John Whitty and Patrick Morris for fencing the Taghmon Burial Ground for a sum of £29:0:0 was accepted

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 ·

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Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

RATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of December 1882

Place of Inmates for 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. 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.
House, Great Building, Canal Workhouse, Great Fever Hospital Sheds.	731	467										
	81	54										
TOTAL.	812	521										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			18	28	145	139	51	41	37	23	38	520
Admitted during the week.			7	3	4	2	.	1	1	1	1	20
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL.			25	31	149	141	51	42	38	24	39	540
Discharged during the week.			5	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
Died, - - - - -			.	.	2	3	.	1	.	.	.	6
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	7	3	3	.	1	.	.	.	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			20	24	146	138	51	41	38	24	39	521

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	208	In separate Wards.	28
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	54	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total.	262	Total,	28

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	2	—	—	2
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 469

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of December 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	197	424			197	424
No. II.	149	265			149	265
TOTAL,	346	689			346	689

Comparative No. last year 719

Cost, £30 : 4 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 16th day of December 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richard Ryan, Chas H. Peacocke J.P., John Redmond, John Walsh, James Hayden, Patk Chandler, George Le Hunte 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. 2649 *to No.* 2678 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

Mr Keane, Rate Collector did not attend with his Books during the week.

Ordered.— That Mr Keane be requested to explain why he did not comply with the order of the Board.

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, ... £73 : 13 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £106 : 8 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate now elected or charge ess. Works. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	822	14	10	1356	9	·
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	527	13	5	2367	4	3
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	20	5	9	1629	6	·
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	424	7	3	1690	18	·
	Total.....	8838	18	6	1795	1	3	7043	17	3

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				1356	9	·
	Total,				1356	9	·
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan	13			162	12	2
	Ardcolm,				135	5	1
	Artramont,				135	9	1
	Drinagh,				164	·	10
	Killinick,	17			284	13	9
	Kilpatrick,	9			132	17	5
	Kilscoran,	58			249	14	2
	Lady's Island,	10			87	13	3
	Mayglass,				153	11	2
	Rathaspeck,	14			246	1	1
	Rosslare,				149	11	6
	St. Helen's,	11			140	7	1
	Taemmshane,	3			295	7	8
	Total,	135	·	·	2367	4	3
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam,				124	2	4
	Ballymitty,				147	15	3
	Carrig,				126	2	5
	Forth,				140	3	6
	Glynn,				103	3	4
	Harperstown,				183	15	
	Kilbride,				92	18	2
	Killurin,				115	7	11
	Taghmon,				459	11	6
	Whitechurch,				136	6	7
	Total,				1629	6	·
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow,				322	19	7
	Bridgetown,				246	12	3
	Duncormack,				191	6	2
	Harristown,				142	17	3
	Kilcowan,				191	18	3
	Killag,				135	8	6
	Kilmore,				271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard,				114	7	1
	Total,				1690	18	·
	TOTAL.....	135	·	·	7043	17	3

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to 96 £7:6:7 *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 Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 68 *s.* 12 *d.* 8

	£	s.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.		
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	87	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.		
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5
Hall Diet, ...		2

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

677	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
2	st "		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Gin,
	Ton of Oatmeal,	72	doz. of Eggs,
60	Gallons Buttermilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
520	Gallons Newmilk,		Gallons of Barm,
1	cwt. of Salt,	1	Ton of Soap,
6	Chests of Tea,		cwt. of Soda,
120	lbs. of Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Blue,
	cwt. of Rice,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Ginger,		
	lbs. of Pepper,		

500 yards Blay Calic
300 " "
100 " Ticken
100 " Wincey
100 " Linsey
One Gross Card Thread
12 lbs linen thread
200 bricks
2 gals boiled oil
1 pair of T hinges & lo
4 lbs twine
2 st. White lead.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th *day of* December 188[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	27	2	0
In Kind, ...	1	12	6
Total	28	14	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
97	No. I.	Murphy	16·0·0		
98	No. II.	Dillon	13·0·0		
	Total, ...		29·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
99	Kerwin Meat	21	3	1

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All contractors made over 10 p.c.

A Committee will please compare 8 pairs of blankets supplied by the Contractor with sample
Messrs Walsh Hayden & Ryan were appointed and reported that they were equal to sample.

The Board will please direct me what class of inmates shall be sent daily to make the Bottle Envelopes
Ordered— Referred to the Industry Committee.

I beg to inform the Board that since the Contract for meat with bone I have given classes 4, 5, & 6 soup twice weekly and to classes 1, 2 & 3 once weekly — instead of New Milk.
Ordered.- Referred to the Medical Officer

Mr James McGrath, Schoolmaster, applied for leave of absence from the 23rd to the 30th instant.
Ordered— Allowed— the Master to look after the boys.

Miss Scallan, Matron, applied for ten days leave of absence— Miss Finn will attend to her duties.
She also asked for a testimonial as to competency &c
Ordered— That Miss Scallan be allowed leave of absence as requested and that the Clerk to make out an excellent testimonial for Miss Scallan, to be signed by him on behalf of the Board of Guardians— and sealed with their seal

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 36,565. 14 December '82. Referring to the Report of the visiting Committee in the Minutes of the 2nd instant regarding able-bodied females on Hall Diet, and requesting the Guardians to take the Report into consideration. The Local Government Board refer the Guardians to their letters of the 19th of May and 16th of June last and states that their Inspector, Mr Hamilton, regards the Dietary of this Class as objectionable and he observes that there is no other workhouse in the District with such a Dietary for the class referred to.

Ordered.— That as the principal objection appears to be to the breakfast, we with the approval of the Medical Officer, order that Classes 1 & 2 get New Milk for breakfast in lieu of buttermilk but that buttermilk be given for supper instead of New Milk.

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No 37,274. 15 Dec. '82. Transmitting questions to be signed by the Clerk and Mr Joseph Manifold who has been elected to the office of Instructor and Superintendent of Industry in the Workhouse.

From the "Patriotic" Insurance Company applying to have the Workhouse Buildings insured in their office.

Ordered.— That the Clerk be directed to invite tenders from respectable offices for the Insurance.

From Mr Thornton, Blind Asylum, Drumcondra, dated 12 December 1882. Pointing out that the Act 6 & 7 Vic Cap 92 under which the Boys Connor and Mernagh were admitted (referred to by the Auditor) allowed a sum of £15 a year to be paid and that the Act limiting the payment to 5/- per week did not come into operation until 1879. Also stating that as their accounts for the payments referred to were long since balanced it would greatly disarrange their books to open them up again. ~~They~~ He also states that in accordance with the Clerks letter of the 9th of October last the future payments would be at £13 per annum.

Proposed by Mr Peacocke J.P. Seconded by Mr John Walsh,

That the Local Government Board be requested to ask the Auditor not to enforce this surcharge for the following reasons:-

That the present Clerk was not appointed until 1880, and was not aware of the Act of Parliament alluded to. That he naturally concluded there was nothing wrong in these accounts as they passed former Audits since 1879.

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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	18
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	20
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	4
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	12

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ___day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardions:—

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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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the ~~23rd~~ 23rd day of December 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd. day of December, 1882

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.	731	473
Permanent Buildings.		
Additional Workhouse.	81	43
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL.	812	516

	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.	20	24	146	138	51	41	38	24	39	521
Admitted during the week.	6	9	1	2	4	3	.	1	1	27
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	26	33	147	140	55	44	38	25	40	548
Discharged during the week.	11	9	2	1	3	4	.	1	1	32
Died, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	9	2	1	3	4	.	1	1	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15	24	145	139	52	40	38	24	39	516

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	229	In separate Wards.	29
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	43	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total.	259	Total.	29

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	1	.	4
No. in Workhouse at date	–	–	–	0

No. at corresponding period last year 467

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of December 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	199	430			199	430
No. II.	148	264			148	264
TOTAL,	347	694			347	694

Comparative No. last year 734

Cost, £29 : 19 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 23rd. day of December, 1882

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd. Ryan, Thos. Barry, John J. Wall, George L. Hunter Jpo, Patk. Chandler, Patrick Ryan, Thos. Kehoe, James Hayden, Patrick McDonald, James Kehoe D.V.C., John Walsh, John Redmond, Adam O'Neill, Patrick Hore, Michael Browne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2679 *to No.* 2705 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

I beg to report that Saturday the 6th of January will be a Holiday.

Ordered. That the Clerk be directed to give notice to each ~~th~~ Guardian that the usual meeting for that week will be held on Friday the 5th of January 1883.

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, ... £ 440 : 15 : 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 334 : 7 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 255 : 14 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate now collected, or since Sess. Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	1034	18	1	1141	5	9
PATRICK KEATING	do.	2894	17	8	712	15	3	2182	2	5
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JAMES KEANE, ...	do.	2115	5	3	491	7	7	1623	17	8
TOTAL.....		8838	18	6	2335	2	3	6503	16	4

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	115	·	·	1141	5	9
	TOTAL, -	115	·	·	1141	5	9
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	2			147	12	
	Ardcolm, - - -	6			129	11	1
	Artramont, - -				135	9	1
	Drinagh, - - -	2			161	8	10
	Killinick, - - -	9			259		11
	Kilpatrick, - -	9			115	6	3
	Kilscoran, - -	9			181	19	8
	Lady's Island, - -				44	12	
	Mayglass, - -	4			146	11	2
	Rathaspeck, -				232	5	1
	Rosslare, - - -				149	11	6
	St. Helen's, -				159	12	8
	Tacumshane, - -	4			286	2	2
	TOTAL, -	51	·	·	2182	2	5
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -	13	4	11	110	14	5
	Ballymitty, - -	4	4	2	140	11	1
	Carrig, - - -	3	13		122	9	5
	Forth, - - -	14	6		125	17	6
	Glynn, - - -	6	11	3	96	12	1
	Harperstown, - -	4	15		179		
	Kilbride, - - -	4	15		85	3	2
	Killurin, - - -	1	19	6	113	8	5
	Taghmon, - - -	8	9	2	451	2	4
	Whitechurch, - -	4	17	6	131	9	1
	TOTAL, -	72	15	6	1556	10	6
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	28	4	6	294	12	1
	Bridgetown, - -				246	12	3
	Duncormack, - -				191	6	2
	Harristown, - -	25	8	10	124	8	5
	Kilcowan, - -	23	4	·	168	14	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				241	9	1
	Newcastle,				43	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	4	1
	TOTAL, -	64	·	4	1623	14	8
	TOTAL.....	305	15	10	6503	16	4

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £14 : 18 : 10 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 74 s. 18 d. 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	91	3	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

700 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	25 yds window Co	
Ox-heads,	6 doz. of Wine,	10 lbs twine	
14 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	7 .. Resin	
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 .. Pitch	
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	1 jar Brunswick bl	
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	70 doz. of Eggs,	1 Bread Knife	
520 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	3000 Clog nails	
1 cwt. of Salt,	4 Gallons of Barm,	2 pairs tailors Sciss	
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	1 Padlock & hasp	
120 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,	10,000 Shoe nails	
14 lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	1 Tin gallon	
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	1 Meal Scoops	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,		
lbs. of Pepper,	40 lbs Butter		

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 16 *day of* Dec. 18 92 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	26	19	0
In Kind, ...	1	2	6
Total	28	1	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
101	No. I.	Murphy	15:0:0		
102	No. II.	Dillon	13:0:0		
	Total, ...				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

				£	s.	d.
Establ.t	103	Roche	Salary	17	10	
"	104	Latham	"	7	10	
"	105	O'Connor	"	28	15	
"	106	Sheridan	"	31	5	
"	107	Irwin	"	12	10	
"	108	Scallan	"	6	5	
"	109	~~Stewart~~ Stafford	"	6	10	
"	110	Leahill	"	6	10	
"	111	Tobin	"	6	10	
"	112	Coyle	"	1	2	9
"	113	Kavanagh	"	5	7	3
"	114	McGrath	"	10	17	6
"	115	Irwin	"	7	10	
"	116	Tim	"	8	10	
"	117	Willians	"	2	10	
"	118	Kearns	"	3	15	
"	119	Marris	"	5	5	
"	120	Stone	"	3	15	
"	121	Brien	"	3	15	
"	122	Murphy	"	7	13	6
"	123	Dillon	"	10	.	.
Barrow	124	Boyd	"	28	15	
"	125	Murphy	"	2	10	
Bridgetown	126	Crean	"	28	15	
"	127	Barnewell	"	5		
Broadway	128	Whittaker	"	28	15	
"	129	Walker	"	5	.	
Crossabeg	130	Hadden	"	26	5	
	131	Ryan	"	5	.	

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				£	s.
Taghmon	132	Pigott	Salary	28	15
"	133	Kehoe	"	3	15
Wexford	134	Pierce	"	36	5
"	135	Webb	"	10	
Invoice	136	Kerwin	Meat	21	17
"	137	Rossiter	Eggs.	12	
				478	17

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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:—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All contractors made over 10 p.c.

The Pigs (10) are fat enough for Sale.
Ordered – Tenders to be invited by advertisement

There are a few tons of mangolds on the farm which I think it would be advisable to sell
Ordered – Tenders to be invited by advertisement.

There are six chests of tea to be examined by Committee
Ordered – Postponed to next Saturday.

I hope the Board will order the Inmates the usual Christmas fare.
Ordered – Allowed.

I lodged £4:3:0 to-day as follows:–
For Rags 2.1.9
" Bones 2.1.3
Total £4:3:0

Joseph Masnifold – Superintendent of Industry – applied for and obtained ~~One~~ day's leave of absence

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

No 256 M/82. 18 Dec '82. Requesting to be furnished with a Return (Form B) relating to the Expenditure in each District under the Medical Charities Act.

The Clerk states that he had furnished the Return, and he laid a copy of it before the Guardians

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No. 270 M/82. 20 Dec '82. Transmitting a copy of a General Order, dated 18th inst., which has been issued for regulating the Meetings and Proceedings of Boards of Guardians in Ireland, and the appointment and duties of Union Officers

The Order comes into immediate operation.

The Clerk read all the passages differing from the old General Order for Proceedings of the Board

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 37417. 20 Dec '82. Approving of the appointment of Miss Mary Magdalene Boyle as Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital at a Salary of £26 per annum – without rations

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Resolved – That the ten boys employed at the Envelope Industry, attend for instruction for a few weeks from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. each day

From John Fortune, Crossabeg claiming to be rated under the 110 sec of 13 & 14 Vic Cap 69, Act

Ordered – That his name be entered on the Rate Books

Proposals were received from five offices to insure the Workhouse Buildings & Goods against fire. They all agreed to do it at 1/6 per £100.

The Proposal of the Patriotic was accepted.

The Rate at which the house was formerly insured, ~~at~~, was 1/9 per cent.

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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	23
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	27
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	10
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	8
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	10

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the ____ ___day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Act.s

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

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

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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.
Taghmon	Dr Pigott	Sewer stopped in the Main Street of Taghmon.	
Ordered. – That the Sanitary Sub-Officer visit and report particulars by next meeting			

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the 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

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Michl Sinnott V.C.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 30th day of December 1882

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of December 1882

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,	731	482
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	37
Fever Sheds,		
TOTAL,	812	519

	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. 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.	15	24	145	139	52	40	38	24	39	516
Admitted during the week.	7	7	3	3	1	.	.	2	2	25
Born - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	22	31	148	142	53	40	38	26	41	541
Discharged during the week.	7	.	3	3	.	6	.	.	1	20
Died, - - - -	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	.	3	5	.	6	.	.	1	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15	31	145	137	53	34	38	26	40	519

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	201	In separate Wards.	28
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	37	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	238	Total,	28

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	2	5	1	8
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 455

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 30th day of December 1882 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	200	431			200	431
No. II.	148	264			148	264
TOTAL,	348	695			346	695

Comparative No. last year 734

Cost, £29 : 19 : 6

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PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Sinnott, Esq., V.C.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richard Ryan, John Walsh, John Redmond, Patk. McDonald, John Sinnott, Patk. Ryan, John Colleton, George Le Hunte Jr., Peter Cassin, James Kehoe, Patk. Chandler, Michl. Browne, William Pettit.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 5634 *to No.* 5657, *inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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, ... £ 231 : 16 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 324 : 2 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 173 : 3 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, or given back to Work. £	s.	d.
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	Tacumshane, - -	61			286	2	2
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	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	2 Saw files	
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	12 lbs Housewife thread	
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 doz teaspoons	
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	1 .. knives & forks	
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	70	doz. of Eggs,		
520	Gallons Newmilk,	12	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		
1	cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,		
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		
115	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,				

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2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd *day of* December 1882 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	27	7	0
In Kind, ...	1	3	0
Total	28	10	0

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
139	No. I.	Murphy	16·0·0		
140	No. II.	Dillon	14·0·0		
	Total, ...				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
	141	~~Cancelled~~ Kerwin Meat	49	18	1
Estab.	142	O'Reilly Insurance	6	7	6
Cattle Dis.	143	Malone Salary	9	11	9
			52	2	0

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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:—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

I had an inmate named Patrick White sent to the Asylum, Enniscorthy on the 22nd instant.

A Committee required to examine Frieze baize & Tea Messrs Redmond, Ryan & Chandler were appointed and reported the goods equal to samples.

There is a stove in one of the Female Infirm Wards which is very difficult to be kept in proper order; it is also dangerous; I would suggest to the Board, it would be well to have a brick chimney similar to those in the other Infirm Wards, built in its place.

Messrs Redmond Ryan & Le Hunte examined the stove and approved of the Master's suggestion

Ordered— That the chimney be built and the stove taken down.

Lodged to the Guardians Credit for Repayment of Relief as follows:—

Anne Fortune	(Union Charge)	3 months 7th. Dec.	£ 3 : 3 : 0
Margaret Fox	(Wexford ")		£ 0 3 : 0
		Total	3 : 6 : 0

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

No 38,037. 22 Dec '82. Requesting that the amount of Seed Rate due by the Guardians (£224:16:11) should be at once remitted

Ordered – That a Cheque be drawn for the amount on an early date – before the 1st of February.

No 255. U/82. 27 Dec. '82. Transmitting a Form to be duly certified and returned, relating to the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational purposes.

Ordered – To be filled, certified & returned.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 37,756. 29 Dec '82. Approving of the appointment of Joseph Manifold as Instructor and Superintendent of Industry at the rate of 15/- per week.

From Mr Courtenay Croker, Auditor, dated 27 December '82. Stating that with reference to the surcharge of Two Pounds made by him at his recent audit of the Accounts, he will not proceed any further in the matter and that the surcharge in question need not be paid.

Notice of Motion.

That believing the state of the labouring classes requires immediate attention from the Government, I will on this day fortnight propose a resolution for the purpose of bringing their condition before the Public

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The following tenders were accepted

			s d
Miss A Coghlin	(Irish) Linen thread	@	2:6 per lb
Mr John Ryan	Worsted (Irish)		2:3 "
"	Yarn	"	2:2 "

A tender received from Mr William Fortune was not considered.

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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	17
Ditto, disallowed	–
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	25
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	6
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	7
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	10

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

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Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

***Present*—In the Chair,**

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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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

stating that *dated*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

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

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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.
Taghmon	Mark Murphy	The Sewer not having a proper outlet in the village of Taghmon.	
Ordered – That ~~the~~ notices be served on the Landlord and tenants of those premises where the nuisance occurs.			

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the 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 :

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Edmond Hore. Ch. M.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Saturday~~ Friday, the 5th day of January 1883

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Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending ~~Saturday~~ Fri, the 5th day of January 1883

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. 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.
Workhouse.	731	472										
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Temporary Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	81	42										
TOTAL.	812	514										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			15	31	145	137	53	34	38	26	40	519
Admitted during the week.			4	3	3	-	-	1	-	2	-	13
Born - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL			19	34	148	137	53	35	38	28	40	532
Discharged during the week.			1	6	6	1	-	1	-	1	-	16
Died, - - - - -			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	6	6	2	-	1	-	2	-	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	28	142	135	53	34	38	26	40	514

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	203	In separate Wards.	29
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	42	In Wards with other lunatics	—
Total,	245	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	—	—	—	0
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 463

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th day of January 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	201	435			201	435
No. II.	152	277			152	277
TOTAL,	353	712			353	712

Comparative No. last year 747

Cost, £30 : 0 : 0.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on ~~Saturday~~, Friday, the 5th day of January 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Michael Sinnott V.C. Peter Cassin
Thomas Kehoe Thomas Cardiff Patk. McDonald
John Redmond James Kehoe D.V.C. John Walsh
George Le Hunte Jr. Richd. Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2731 *to No.* 2743 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 5657 *to No.* 5668 *inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

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, ... £ 108 : 6 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 207 : 17 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 73 : 16 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -				1141	5	9
	TOTAL, -				1141	5	9
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	7			120	6	4
	Ardcolm, - - -	7			117	2	5
	Artramont, - -				124	14	1
	Drinagh, - - -	8			144	15	2
	Killinick, - - -	21			220	10	6
	Kilpatrick, - -	40			69	14	2
	Kilscoran, - -	5			127	7	2
	Lady's Island, - -				67	19	3
	Mayglass, - -	7			124	12	6
	Rathaspeck, -	4			224	17	4
	Rosslare, - - -	6			136	5	6
	St. Helen's, -				154	12	1
	Tacumshane, - -				224	11	8
	TOTAL, -	105	.	.	1857	8	2
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				110	17	5
	Ballymitty, - -				140	11	1
	Carrig, - - -				122	9	5
	Forth, - - -				125	17	6
	Glynn, - - -				96	12	1
	Harperstown, - -				179		
	Kilbride, - - -				85	3	2
	Killurin, - - -				113	8	5
	Taghmon, - - -				451	2	4
	Whitechurch, - -				121	9	1
	TOTAL, -				1556	10	6
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				294	12	1
	Bridgetown, - -				246	12	3
	Duncormack, - -				191	6	2
	Harristown, - -				127	8	5
	Kileavan, - -				168	14	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				241	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	7	1
	TOTAL, -				1623	17	8
	TOTAL.....	105	.	.	6179	2	1

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close each Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	1037	18	1	1141	5	9
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	1037	9	6	1857	8	2
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	93	1	3	1556	10	6
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	491	7	7	1623	17	8
TOTAL.....		8838	18	6	2659	16	5	6179	2	1

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144 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 11 : 18 : 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 80 s. 6 d. 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	98	3	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...			
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	9
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	3
Hall Diet, ...		5	4
		2	6

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

801	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	70	doz. of Eggs,
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
112	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,		

400 bricks
3lbs twine
1000 Nails

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Dec 1883 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	27	18	6
In Kind, ...	1	1	0
Total	28	19	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
145	No. I.	Murphy	15.0.0		
146	No. II.	Dillon	14.0.0		
	Total, ...		29.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

				£	s.	d.
Clothing	147	Kehoe	Cadies	18	2	6
"	148	Cormick	Frieze	36	14	2
"	149	Coghlin	Tweed	4	2	6
"	150	Fitzhenry	Clog Soles	4	8	
Invoice	151	Walpole & Co	Soap	28	0	0
"	152	Cosgrove	Flour	109	10	3
"	153	Devereux	Groceries			5 7
"	154	Rossiter	Eggs &c		13	10
"	155	Byrne	Milk		11	5
"	156	Gill	"		18	10
"	157	Cleary	"	15	1	4
"	158	Maddock	"	23	.	8
Establt	159	O'Neill & Thompson	Med. app.	19	7	2
"	160	Leslie & Co	Medicines	48	13	8
Crossabeg	161	Kadden	Vac. fees	3	18	
Wexford	162	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Ex Maint.	163	Telford	Blind Girl	6	10	
"	164	Thornton	three blind boys	19	10	
"	165	O'Brien	Dumb Girl	6	10	
"	166	Gick	"	7	10	
Registration	167	Pigott	Fees	2	4	
"	168	Pierce	"	14	6	3
"	169	Stafford	"	2	7	3
Establt	170	O'Connor	John Pigs	16	5	.
				564	2	9

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

The roof of the Storehouse requires some improvement It would be well that a Committee should examine it. The ceiling, too, of the Drying Closet is broken and heat escapes which causes waste of coal

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All contractors made over 10 per cent.

An Inmate named Thomas Ryan has received or is entitled to receive two sums of money amounting to some Pounds from an Insurance and a Tontine Society. The man is an Imbecile

Ordered — That Ryan be now admitted by way of loan

A Committee required to examine soap & shawls.

Messrs Walsh, Kehoe and Leasin were ~~examined~~ appointed and reported that the articles were equal to samples.

The Master applied for and obtained leave of absence for Monday and Monday night

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

No 253. 27 Dec '82. Transmitting a Form to be duly certified and returned relating to the Parliamentary Grant for Sanitary Salaries.

No. 264. 3 Jany '83. Requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of cases of persons vaccinated in the Workhouse during the year ended 30th Sept. 1882

No 257. 29 Dec '82. Requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the number of persons admitted and treated in Workhouse and Workhouse Hospital during the year ended 29 September 1882

No 282. 30 Dec. 82. Sending the usual Statistics of Relief & Expenditure for the year ending 29th September last.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 284. M '82. Relating to payments to National School Teachers and requesting to be informed within Forty days if the Guardians are willing to become a contributory Union within the meaning of the "National School Teachers (Ireland) Act"

Ordered.— That the Guardians decline to become a Contributory Union.

No 31,024. 30 Dec '82. Requesting to be furnished with a Form showing the Valuation Expenditure and Poundage of Expenditure an Valuation of each Electoral Division in the Union.

A resolution from the Carrofin Union relating to the utility of Public Works as compared with Relief under the Poor Law Acts and one from the Croom Union regarding the re-afforesting of Ireland were adopted

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A communication from the Treasury, relating to Contributions in lieu of Rates on Government Property in the Union, was directed to be replied to.

Tenders were accepted as follows:—

Ten Pigs,	Mr L. Kerwin.	£48:5:0
Mangolds	Mr. N. Roche	£1:1:6 per ton

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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	13
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	13
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	12
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	8

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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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 (or Orders were made on them respectively) as follows :–

Read Letter from

stating that *dated*

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

Crossabeg. 6 cases

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

That the Relieving Officer ~~send~~ serve the usual notices

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 :

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 :

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 13th day of January 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of January 1883

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. 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.
House, Annex Buildings, Rational Workhouse, Annex Fever Hospital or Sheds.	731	482										
	61	38										
TOTAL.	792	520										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			18	28	142	135	53	34	38	26	40	514
Admitted during the week.			8	5	14	6	2	1	1	1	2	40
Born - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL			26	33	156	141	55	35	39	27	42	554
Discharged during the week.			7	3	6	2	6	6	2	1	-	33
Died, - - - - -			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	3	6	3	6	6	2	1	-	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			19	30	150	138	49	29	37	26	42	520

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	205	To separate Wards.	29
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	38	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	243	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	4	—	—	4
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 479

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of January 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	203	447			203	447
No. II.	152	277			152	277
TOTAL.	355	724			355	724

Comparative No. last year 762

Cost, £29 : 12 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 13th day of January 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Michael Sinnott V.C. — Richd. Ryan
John J. Wall — Thos. Barry — Thos. Kehoe
John Walsh — Patk. Murphy — Willm. Pellit
John Colclothan — James Kehoe D.V.C. — Peter Cassin
George Le Hunte J.P. — Chas. H. Peacocke J.P. — Nich. Murphy
John Redmond — Thos. Cardiff — Mich. Browne
Edmund White — Arthur Keating — John H. Boswell J.P.
Mich. Browne — Patrick Hore — James Devereux
James Sinnott

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2744 *to No.* 2783 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 5681 *to No.* 5707, *inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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, ... £ 455 : 16 : 3

Paid during the week, ... £ 533 : 4 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 9 : 11 : 8.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of Wk. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	1186	18	1	992	5	9
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	1124	10	11	1770	6	9
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	133	.	1	1516	11	8
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	545	.	.	1570	5	3
TOTAL.....		8838	18	6	2989	9	1	5850	9	5

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	149	.	.	992	5	9
	TOTAL, -	149	.	.	992	5	9
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	5			114	18	9
	Ardcolm, - - -	4			113	6	8
	Artramont, - -	8			116	7	7
	Drimagh, - - -	17			127	15	6
	Killinick, - - -	18			212	14	3
	Kilpatrick, - -	6			63	13	3
	Kilscoran, - -				127	7	2
	Lady's Island, - -				67	19	3
	Mayglass, - -	10			114	16	10
	Rathaspeck, -	10			214	11	10
	Rosslare, - - -	10			126	3	11
	St. Helen's, -				154	12	1
	Taemmshane, - -	9			215	19	8
	TOTAL, -	97			1770	6	9
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -	6	8	1	104	9	4
	Ballymitty, - -	2	1	2	138	9	11
	Carrig, - -				122	9	5
	Forth, - - -	4	19	4	120	18	2
	Glynn, - - -	2		6	94	11	7
	Harperstown, - -	2	19	4	176		8
	Kilbride, - - -		8	1	84	15	1
	Killurin, - - -				113	8	5
	Taghmon, - - -	21	2	4	430		
	Whitechurch, - -				131	9	1
	TOTAL, -	39	18	10	1516	11	8
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	18	19	5	275	12	8
	Bridgetown, - -				246	12	3
	Duncormack, - -	15	10	4	175	15	10
	Harristown, - -	6	6	8	121	1	9
	Kilcowan, - -	12	16	-	155	18	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	7	1
	TOTAL, -	53	12	5	1570	5	3
	TOTAL.....	339	11	3	5850	9	5

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amount

171 £ 5 · 4 · 6 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the was £ 89 *s.* 13 *d.* 1

	£	s.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.		
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	84 · 7 ·	
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.		
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	3 ·	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4 ·	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5 ·	
Hall Diet, ...	2 ·	

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

432 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 press lock
Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	100 Nails
14 Bags of Flour, 2 st " "	½ Barrel of Porter,	2 gross Porter Corks
1 Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	2 Lock brushes
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	10 doz brick broom
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	66 doz. of Eggs,	500 6d nails
520 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	500 8d
1 cwt. of Salt,	4 Gallons of Barm,	2 granite Blocks
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	6 doz Iron heels
120 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,	6 " Hemp
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday the 6th *day of* January 18

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28 ·	17 ·	0
In Kind, ...		19 ·	6
Total	29 ·	16 ·	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, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
172	No. I.	Murphy	17 · 0 · 0		
173	No. II.	Dillon	15 · 0 · 0		
	Total, ...		32 · 0 · 0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
Inv.	174	Kerwin Meat	22	17	6
"	175	Hayes Milk	16	8	8
			76	10	8

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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:—

STER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

Lodged £48:5:0 received from Mr L Herwin for 10 pigs

A Committee required to examine Ticken & Wincey Messrs Walsh, Barry and Redmond were appointed and reported the articles equal to samples

There is a gate required for the Pass-way leading from Workhouse Farm to the Newtown Road.
Ordered — To be advertised for.

Medical Officers Report. — I beg to call your attention to a girl at present in Union Hospital — by name Mary Browne, who is insane. I beg leave to recommend you to have her sent immediately to the Asylum.
Ordered — That the Doctor's recommendation be carried out.

Joseph Manifold, Superintendent and Instructor in Industry, wrote wishing to resign, and wanting a "Discharge." He also stated that he was, unable through ill-health, to attend to his business. He also applied for a week's wages although, he had not attended during the week. He ~~was~~ could not get a Doctor's certificate.
Ordered — The Guardians decline to pay him a week's wages unless he produce a Doctor's Certificate of ill-health. The Guardians will not object to him resigning if he wish, but they will give him employment for next week if he desire it.

The Schoolmaster asked that his son, a boy of 12 years of age - might be allowed to stop with him in his own room at night, as he was anxious to send him to school in Wexford.
Ordered — Allowed, and the Guardians hope the Local Government Board will not object to the arrangement.

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

No 13. 8 Jan '83. Requesting to be furnished with a Return relating to Children above two years of age who were in Workhouse on Saturd last – the 6th instant.

The Clerk states that he had furnished the Return and laid a copy of it before the Guardians

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No 283. 11 Jan. '83. Requesting to be regularly furnished with an Abstract showing the state of the Seed collection, when furnishing the ordinary Weekly Abstract of Rates collected & lodged.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 38731. 5 Jan. '83. Stating that it appeared from the Minutes of the 23rd Ult. that the few boys employed at the Envelope Industry were to attend for instruction from 8 O'C a.m. to 11 O'C p.m. each day, and presuming that an error has arisen in the entry ins question.

Ordered – The entry should have been from 8 O'C A.M. to 11 O'C A.M.

No 38731. 8 Jan '83. Enclosing a Form of Return relating to Insurance of the Workhouse Buildings and requesting the particulars as set forth therein may be entered and the Form then returned.

Ordered.– The Clerk to comply with the request when he receives the Insurance Policy.

No. 193. 12 Jan '83. Referring to the recommendation on Minutes of 30th Ult. that a Brick Chimney should be erected in one of the Female Infirm Wards in place of the stove at present in use, and stating

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the Guardians should give notice of the proposed change to the Insurance Company.

Ordered – The Clerk to give notice of the change.

No 38,532. 5 January 1883. Stating that they had received the Half-yearly Report on the Union, from their Inspector – Mr Hamilton; and that it is of a favourable character generally as regards the ~~tt~~ management of the Workhouse and the conduct of the Officers.

He states that the financial condition of the Union is not satisfactory owing to the cause pursued by the Guardians in reducing the Clerk's Estimate from £10,069 to £8,254:9:7, and that the rate will in all probability be inadequate to provide for the requirements of the Union till the 29th September next, but that the Guardians have given an undertaking to make further rates, if necessary. He states that in many parts of the Workhouse the wards are as full as is desirable and there is no available room in the able-bodied men's or aged men's departments, and that the sleeping accommodation for able bodied men is full.

The Ventilation of one of the Lunatic Wards requires improvement, the only window in it being close to a privy. and suggests the removal of the window and ~~p~~ top ventilation to be provided, and with a view to further improving the Ward and Infirmary Kitchen suggests that all the cells, except one, be removed.

The Arrangements for the Industrial training of the children are sufficient

Measles have been prevalent, and a few cases of Scarlatina from Wexford town have been admitted to the Hospital, but all the cases were either convalescent or going on well on the occasion of his visit

The Lunatics and Idiots are treated with proper care great improvement having been effected in the Female Lunatic ~~Department~~ Accommodation. Some of the Infirmary Floors are much worn in the gangways.

The Local Government Board request that the Guardians will be good enough to take the various matters adverted to in Mr Hamilton's Report into their favourable consideration.

A Committee consisting of Messrs Peacocke jr. Redmond, Byan, and Cassin, were appointed to conside

the different sections of Mr Hamilton's Report regarding the Workhouse, and the following resolution regarding his allusion to the Financial Condition of the Union was proposed by Mr Peacocke, seconded by Mr Pettit and passed unanimously

That we hope the Local Government Board will not consider the "Financial Condition of our Union is unsatisfactory". That we have at all times been desirous to strike a sufficient rate and we believe the rate for this year will not prove an exception. as we are quite satisfied that with strict economy it will carry us through.

The following resolution was proposed by Mr Pettit, seconded by Mr Browne and passed:-

That we are of opinion that in order to improve the condition of the Agricultural labourers it is desirable that the Land Commission should be empowered to take up garden plots and erect cottages thereon for the use of such labourers;- such plots to be sold to the labourers on the principle embodied in the land act of 1881- the instalments in repayment of the loan to be collected through the Post Office. (The following was added

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	36
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	40
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	10
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	5
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	30
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	4

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Wexford Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair, Eds

Other Guardians:—

as an addenda to this resolution):- That we the Guardians of Wexford Union view with alarm the impoverished condition of the country and beg to impress upon the Government the great necessity there exists in granting to Boards of Guardians larger powers for the administration of Out-door Relief.

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

The following resolution proposed by Mr Wall seconded by Mr Browne was also passed- Mr Peacocke dissenting.

That we the Members of the Wexford Board of Guardians express our deep sense of gratitude to Mr Robert Power and his patriotic fellow-guardians of the Enniscorthy Union for their unceasing efforts to do justice to the Ratepayers.

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 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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

Wexford — 42 cases, of which number 14 were unfit. The Doctor notes that this large number is due to the prevalence of Bronchitis occurring after Measles and Whooping Cough.

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows
The Relieving Officer to serve the usual notices

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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.
Mrs Mary Browne Murrintown, wrote stating that Mr Ruth entered on her lands without being duly authorized, and opened a drain, and hoped that if the Guardians thought it necessary to do so they will order a covered drain to be made so that her land may not be wasted. Ordered — ~~The Guardians~~ A covered drain to be made and that if necessary a Magistrates order be obtained to enter on the lands.			

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the 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 ·

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Mich. Sinnott V.Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 20th day of January 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of January, 1883

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, Permanent Buildings,	731	497
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	35
TOTAL,	812	532

	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.	19	30	150	138	49	29	37	26	42	520
Admitted during the week.	4	10	8	1	1	5	·	·	2	31
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL,	23	40	158	139	50	34	37	26	44	551
Discharged during the week.	6	3	1	2	2	·	·	1	·	15
Died, - - - - -	1	·	2	·	·	·	1	·	·	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	3	3	2	2	·	1	1	·	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	37	155	137	48	34	36	25	44	532

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	202	In separate Wards.	29
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	34	In Wards with other lunatics	—
Total,	236	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	1	6	1	8
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 475

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of January 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	206	450			206	450
No. II.	154	289			154	289
TOTAL,	360	739			360	739

Comparative No. last year 780

Cost, £29 : 17 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 20th day of January 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Sinnott Esq V.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs John Walsh, Richd. Ryan, John J Wall, Thos. Kehoe, Patk. McDonald, C. H. Peacocke JP, Nichs. Cooney, John Colloton, John Sinnott, Patk. Chandler, James Kehoe DVC, John Rowe, George Le Hunte JP, Michl. Browne, Edmund Staples, Michl. Browne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2784 *to No.* 2814 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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, ... £ 297 : 18 : 1

Paid during the week, ... £ 131 : 12 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 94 : 13 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	1254	18	1	924	5	9
PATRICK KEATING....	do.	2894	17	8	1193	5	9	1701	11	11
JAMES MURPHY,.....	do.	1649	11	9	171	4	9	1478	7	3
JAMES KEANE,..... ..	do.	2115	5	3	667	4	8	1448	.	7
TOTAL....		8838	18	6	3286	12	.	5552	5	6

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	68	.	.	924	5	9
	TOTAL, -	68	.	.	924	5	9
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				114	18	9
	Ardcolm, - - -	1	.	.	111	16	4
	Artramont, - -				116	7	7
	Drimagh, - - -				127	15	6
	Killinick, - - -	16			196	15	1
	Kilpatrick, - -	1			62	12	9
	Kilscoran, - -	16			111	2	1
	Lady's Island, - -				67	19	3
	Mayglass, - -	1			113	.	10
	Rathaspeck, -	9			205	15	7
	Rosslare, - - -	23			102	16	5
	St. Helen's, -				154	12	1
	Tacumshane, - -				215	19	8
	TOTAL, -	67	.	.	1701	11	11
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	7	19	7	96	9	9
	Ballymitty, - -	14	13	1	123	16	10
	Carrig, - - -				122	9	5
	Forth, - - -				120	18	2
	Glynn, - - -	2	18	11	91	12	8
	Harperstown, - -				176	.	8
	Kilbride, - - -	6	1	7	78	13	6
	Killurin, - - -	3	18	9	109	9	8
	Taghmon, - - -	2	12	6	427	7	6
	Whitechurch, - -				131	9	1
	TOTAL, -	38	4	5	1478	7	3
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	54		8	221	12	
	Bridgetown, - -	4	17	.	241	15	3
	Duncormack, - -	35	3	.	140	12	10
	Harristown, - -				121	1	9
	Kilcowan, - -	28	4	.	127	14	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	7	1
	TOTAL, -	122	4	8	1448	.	7
	TOTAL.....	295	9	1	5552	5	6

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

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176 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 5:13:0 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 143 *s.* 18 *d.* 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	87	12	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

672 lbs. of Meat,	4 lbs. Irish Bacon,		3 lbs twine
Ox-heads,	5 doz. of Wine,		6 doz. pint tins
14 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,		100 lbs Slitter leather
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,		50 " Kip
1 Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,		1 gross Spoons
70 Gallons Buttermilk,	67 doz. of Eggs,		4 lbs Snuff
520 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		
1 cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,		
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,		
110 lbs. of Sugar,	1/2 cwt. of Soda,		
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,		
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,		
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,		
lbs. of Pepper,			

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 13 *day of* January 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	15	6
In Kind, ...		16	8
Total	29	12	2

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
177	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
178	No. II.	Dillon	14.0.0		
	Total, ...		30.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
Inv.	179	Kerwin, Meat	21	.	.
B. Grounds	180	Whitty, Fencing	12	.	.
			68	13	.

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£ s. d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

The boards through one of the passages along the women's Wards are worn and ought to be renewed at once. It would be a great relief to the sick when just able to leave their beds, if backs were added to the seats, as has been done in the Infirm Wards. There are two carpenter inmates and the expense would be very trifling

George Le Hunte.

Ordered.— That the Master get the suggested improvements properly carried out.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

The Clothing Committee will please examine some blankets & leather supplied by Contractors

A Committee was appointed and reported the articles equal to samples.

Lodger £2 received from Mrs Doran for 20 tons of broken stones, and 9s from Mr J Vetcher, Soldier for maintenance in Fever Hospital.

All the available Sleeping places for Male healthy Inmates are now fully occupied: a few of that class are sleeping during past week in the Lodger's Department, for want of places in the main building.

It is the Male Infirm and Healthy Classes that have largely increased during past two months.

Ordered— That the Guardians approve of the Master's action in temporarily using the Lodgers Department for the healthy inmates, and that they are of opinion that the increase in those Classes ~~are~~ is only of a very temporary Character.

The Board will please direct me to whom am ~~I~~ I to apply for opinion or advice on the genuineness of the articles of food supplied by Contractors to the Workhouse in cases where I may have reason to doubt their purity of quality &c. I sent a sample of meat to the Medical Officer on the 16th instant, and he refused to look at it or give his opinion as to its fitness for food for the Hospital Patients.

Ordered— If the Master have any reason to doubt that the provisions &c are not up to the terms of Contract, he should return them at once to the Contractor, and have proper goods supplied in their place

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 1438. 18 January 1883. Stating that Mr Hamilton in his report says in his general remarks "the window should be removed" and that he inadvertently used the word "removed" for "moved" as he ~~only ~~ did not wish the window should be taken away, but that it should be changed to another portion of the ward.

The Committee (Messrs Peacocke Walsh & Ryan) agrees with Mr Hamiltons suggestion and it was ordered—

That the window be moved as suggested and that a ventilator be placed in the privy.

No 2053. 19 January '83. Referring to the proposal to allow the son of the Schoolmaster to reside with his father at night and requesting that they may be informed of the length of time for which this arrangement is likely to exist.

Ordered.— For probably a period of [illegible]

From Ballymoney Union. 16 January 1883. Stating that they have appointed a deputation from their Members to attend a proposed Conference to be held in Belfast on the 2nd Feb. next at 12 o'clock noon.

Ordered.— That this Board approve of such a Conference but consider Dublin as far more central for holding it

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From Mr Robert Power, Poor Law Guardian, Enniscorthy, ~~thanking~~ thanking the Guardians for their resolution with reference to him on last Saturday

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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	23
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	31
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	12
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	6
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	10

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

Bridgetown — 6 cases.

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

That the Relieving Officer serve the usual notices

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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.
Taghmon,	Mark Murphy	– There has been nothing done at the Sewer in Taghmon yet. The Clerk states that he has met the agent of the property on this morning who had told him the work would be done Ordered. – That the Sanitary Sub-Officer report again in a fortnight.	

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the 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 :

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 27th

day of January 1883

Signed, James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of January 1883

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. 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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	501										
	81	42										
TOTAL,	812	546										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			16	37	155	137	48	34	36	25	44	532
Admitted during the week.			15	4	10	5	1	8	2	.	.	45
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			31	41	165	142	49	42	38	25	44	577
Discharged during the week.			12	9	1	2	.	1	.	.	3	28
Died, - - - - -			.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	9	2	4	.	1	.	.	3	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			19	32	163	138	49	41	38	25	41	546

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	211	In separate Wards.	29
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	42	In Wards with other Inmates	-
Total,	253	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	7	3	4	14
No. in Workhouse at date				

No. at corresponding period last year 475

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of January 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	207	452			207	452
No. II.	154	280			154	280
TOTAL,	361	732			361	732

Comparative No. last year 790

Cost, £30 : 3 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 27th day of January 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Sinnott Esq V.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richard Ryan, John Redmond, Chas H Peacocke JP, Patk Chandler, Patk McDonald, John Walsh, John Sinnott, James Hayden, Thos Kehoe, James Kehoe D.V.C.

Mich Sinnott V.C.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2815 *to No.* 2859 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. ~ *to No.* ~, *inclusive, the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

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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, ... £ 267 · 8 · 9

Paid during the week, ... £ 94 · 7 · 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 267 · 15 · 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rates to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rates uncollected, or Arrears. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 18[illegible]	2179	3	10	1388	18	6	790	5	4
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	1298	9	2	1596	8	6
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	171	4	6	1478	7	3
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	667	4	8	1448		7
		8838	18	6	3525	16	10	5313	1	8
Total.....		~~3525~~	~~16~~	~~10~~	~~5313~~	~~1~~	~~8~~			

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	134	·	·	790	5	4
	TOTAL, -	134	·	·	790	5	4
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	11			94	6	1
	Ardcolm, - - -	13			99	3	7
	Artramont, - -				116	7	7
	Drinagh, - - -	11			116	6	6
	Killinick, - - -	13			183	19	3
	Kilpatrick, - -	10			52	11	9
	Kilscoran, - -				111	2	1
	Lady's Island, - -				67	19	3
	Mayglass, - -	11			102	3	10
	Rathaspeck, -	10			196	2	10
	Rosslare, - - -	5			98	1	5
	St. Helen's, -	9			145	4	2
	Tacumshane, - -	3			213	.	2
	TOTAL, -	96	·	·	1596	8	6
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				96	9	9
	Ballymitty, - -				123	16	10
	Carrig, - -				122	9	5
	Forth, - - -				120	18	2
	Glynn, - - -				91	12	8
	Harperstown, - -				176	·	8
	Kilbride, - - -				78	13	6
	Killurin, - - -				109	9	8
	Taghmon, - - -				427	7	6
	Whitechurch, - -				131	9	1
	TOTAL, -				1478	7	3
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				221	12	
	Bridgetown, - -				241	15	3
	Duncormack, - -				140	12	10
	Harristown, - -				121	1	9
	Kilcowan, - -				127	14	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	7	1
	TOTAL, -				1448	·	7
	TOTAL.....	230	·	·	5313	1	8

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting
181 £ 7 · 13 · 3 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 81 *s.* 18 *d.* 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	4	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	1
Hall Diet, ...		2	[illegible]

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

	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
70	Gallons Buttermilk,	66	doz. of Eggs,
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
112	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,
14	lbs. of Lump Sugar,	14	lbs. of Starch,
	cwt. of Rice,	2	lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,		

300 lbs butt leath
4 .. tip nails
10000 shoe nails
1 gal boiled oil
1 .. turpentine
7 lbs twine
400 bricks
100 yds frieze

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 20 *day of* Jan *18*[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	19	6
In Kind, ...		15	0
Total	30	14	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
182	No. I.	Murphy.	16 · 0 · 0		
183	No. II.	Dillon.	15 · 0 · 0		
	Total, ...		31 · 0 · 0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
184	Soady Seed Rate	224	16	11

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

STER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr Gill, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ; Mr. Maddock, 14

Mr. Malone, 11

A supply of straw required for the Hospital.

Ordered — The Master to purchase the quantity required.

Washing Boards required for the Laundry and some of the outer doors of the Workhouse require general repairs

Ordered — The Master to procure the Boards and to have the doors repaired.

The Children of John Hayes and John Bryan of Killinick are still in the Workhouse.

Ordered — That proper notices be served on them if they can be found.

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

No 7. 19 January '83. Transmitting 30 copies of the General Order for regulating Meetings and Proceedings of the Boards of Guardians and the appointment and duties of Union Officers.

Ordered— That the Local Government Board be requested to furnish the Guardians with 30 additional copies of the Order and also with 50 copies of the Order pointing out the duties of the remaining Officers— Master, Matron &c.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 1,075. 26 January '83. Referring to the Report of the Visiting Committee ~~on~~ on Minutes of the 5th instant, suggesting improvements in the roof of the Storehouse and the Ceiling of the drying closet, and requesting to be informed what action has been taken in these matters.

Ordered— The improvements are being carried out.

No. 2,377. 26 January '83. Replying to a Letter from the Clerk relating to the removal of a dangerous Lunatic from the Workhouse to the Enniscorthy Lunatic Asylum, and stating

1. That the Certificate of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse could not be taken by the Magistrate ~~but~~ and that the certificate of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District is necessary in such case

2. That the cost of conveying the Lunatic to an Asylum is a lawful charge to be paid out of the Rates according to act 6 & 7 Vic. Cap 92. Sec. 15

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No 2931. 26 January '83. Referring to the proposal to allow the son of the Schoolmaster to reside with his father at night and stating that under the circumstances they will raise no objection to the arrangement but that it must not be regarded as forming a precedent.

No 2931. Referring to the Master's Report regarding sleeping accommodation for the healthy inmates and pointing out that the Guardians attention has already been called to the subject: the Local Government Board hope that the Guardians will give their attention to it week by week and will direct their Medical Officer to do so likewise.

Ordered— That accommodation ~~not~~ for the healthy inmates not being sufficient we apply to the Local Government Board for powers for this Board to give Out-door- Relief to ~~the~~ able-bodied persons under the Act 10 Vic. Cap 31 Sec. 2.

Notice of Motion.

I beg leave to give notice that I shall next Saturday the 3rd February, bring under the attention of the Board of Guardians the advisability of giving Out-door Relief to able-bodied paupers through the medium of repaying the Relief so given, by breaking stones or by such other employment as the Guardians may appoint.

Charles H Peacocke

27 January 1883

From Dr Pierce, Medical Officer of the Wexford Dispensary District stating that he had received the Medecines ordered and that the Ether appeared to be manufactured from Methylated Spirit, instead of Rectified

Ordered— That the Guardians request Dr Pierce when henceforth he has reason to doubt the purity of the medecines, he will send them for analysis to Dr Cameron, and report the result to the Guardians.

From Mr Taylor Solicitor, enclosing his Bill of Costs – Amount £14:2:1.

Ordered – That Mr Taylor be asked to explain why such a large proportion of this sum, 7:10:7 is for expenses connected with the recovery of the late Clerk's defeciencies from his Sureties, when the Guardians understood that the Sureties were to pay all costs.

Proposed by Mr James Kehoe D.V.C., and seconded by Mr Thomas Kehoe, and passed Mr Peacocke dissenting,

That the conviction, under the Crimes Act, of an upright citizen, like Mr E. Walsh ex-Mayor of Wexford upon a frivolous charge fills us with alarm for the liberty of the subject in this part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, and that the course adopted by the Crown in procuring aforesaid conviction is calculated to shake the public confidence in the law and its administration.

There was one tender for an Iron Gate – which was considered too high and it was ordered – That the Master get a good wooden gate made.

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Ditto, disallowed	—
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Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	6
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	8
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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardions:—

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

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

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

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Edmond Hore,
Ch. Gn.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1883

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Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	520										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	35										
TOTAL,	812	555										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			19	32	163	138	49	41	38	35	41	546
Admitted during the week.			9	8	4	3	4	2	1	2	1	34
Born - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
TOTAL,			28	40	167	141	53	43	39	27	43	581
Discharged during the week.			9	4	6	-	2	-	-	-	1	22
Died, - - - -			1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	4	7	2	2	-	-	-	1	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	36	160	139	51	43	39	27	42	555

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	221	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	35	In Wards with other Inmates	-
Total,	256	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	-	-	3
No. in Workhouse at date	1	-	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year 474

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	209	462			209	462
No. II.	151	274			151	274
TOTAL,	360	736			360	736

Comparative No. last year 801

Cost, £30:12:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, 3rd the 3rd day of February 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Chas H Peacocke Jr. Richd Ryan
Matthew Parle Adam O'Neill John Redmond
John Sinnott Patk McDonald James Kehoe
Michl Browne John Rowe James Devereux
William Pettit Peter Cassin Thos Cardiff
Nichs Murphy James Hayden George Le Hunte Jr.
Arthur Keating William Stafford John Walsh
Michl Browne

Mr W. J. Hamilton, Local Government Board Inspector, was als present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2861 *to No.* 2894 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. ~ *to No.* ~ *, inclusive, the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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I beg to report that Mr Murphy Rate Collector sent in his Books by his son, and lodged £135:13:3 The Books were correct. Some of the writing in the Receipts was ~~not~~ written by a man named Kerwin but they were all signed by Mr Murphy Dr Pigott has sent a certificate that Mr Murphy would be unable to collect for at least another month more.

Ordered— That Mr Murphy be written to asking him to ~~appoint~~ name some person to collect the rates during his illness: that he obtain the consent of his Sureties ~~to the person~~ in writing, to the person whom he names and that he communicate with the Board by Saturday next

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Mr Keane Rate Collector should have attended during the week. He did not do so. He has sent a letter that he would come in on Monday next, and that the death of a friend prevented him from attending during the week

Ordered— Explanation considered satisfactory

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, ... £ 226:13:3

Paid during the week, ... £ 263·10·2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 230·18·4

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.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, either Wholly or Partly. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	1479	1	6	700	2	4
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	1298	9	2	1596	8	6
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	306	17	9	1342	14	.
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	667	4	8	1448	7	.
TOTAL.....		8838	18	6	3751	13	1	5087	5	5

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	91	.	.	700	2	4
	TOTAL, -	91	.	.	700	2	4
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				94	6	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				99	3	7
	Artramont, - -				116	7	7
	Drinagh, - - -				116	6	6
	Killinick, - - -				183	19	3
	Kilpatrick, - -				52	11	9
	Kilscoran, - -				111	2	1
	Lady's Island, - -				67	19	3
	Mayglass, - -				102	3	10
	Rathaspeck, -				196	2	10
	Rosslare, - - -				98	1	5
	St. Helen's, -				145	4	2
	Tacumshane, - -				213	.	2
	TOTAL, -				1596	8	6
JAMES MURPHY	*Ballywilliam,* - -	22	6		74	3	9
	Ballywitty, - -	40	19	11	82	16	11
	Carrig, - -	3	18	6	118	10	11
	Forth, - - -	22	3	7	98	14	7
	Glynn, - - -	5	7	11	86	4	9
	Harperstown, - -	18	5	3	157	15	5
	Kilbride, - - -	4	15	1	73	18	5
	Killurin, - - -	5	16	8	103	13	.
	Taghmon, - - -	9	18	4	417	9	2
	Whitechurch, - -	2	2	.	129	7	1
	TOTAL, -	135	13	3	1342	14	.
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				221	12	.
	Bridgetown, - -				241	15	3
	Duncormack, - -				140	12	10
	Harristown, - -				121	1	9
	Kilcowan, - -				127	14	3
	Killag, - - -				135	8	6
	Kilmore, - - -				271	9	1
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				114	7	1
	TOTAL, -				1448	.	7
	TOTAL.....	1226	13	3	5087	5	5

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting

185 £ 11 · 19 · 7 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the we was £ 61 s. 17 d. -

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	15	[illegible]
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	3	[illegible]	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	[illegible]	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	[illegible]	
Hall Diet, ...	2	[illegible]	

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

529 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	12½ yds Winsey
Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	1 lb honey
14 Bags of Flour,	½ Barrels of Porter,	2 lbs twine
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	3 .. Venetian Red
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	1 plate staple
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	65 doz. of Eggs,	1 Chisel
520 Gallons Newmilk,	12 lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	2¾ St Iron hoops
1 cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,	200 Slating nails
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	27¼ lbs lead
120 lbs. of Sugar,	½ cwt. of Soda,	60 pairs blankets
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,		

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk their accuracy having been previou 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 Relie ing Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained b 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 27 *day of* January 181 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	13	6
In Kind, ...		13	0
Total	30	6	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
186	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
187	No. II.	Dillon	15·0·0		
	Total, ...		32·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
bels.	188	Ryan Ticken	9	11	8
"	189	Fortune Blankets	54		
"	190	Doyle Leather	14	1	8
Inv.	191	Godkin & Co Meal	13	10	6
"	192	Hayes Milk	12	8	8
"	193	Maddock Milk	18	14	4
"	194	Gill "	11	5	8
"	195	Malone "	26	18	8
.	196	Cosgrove Flour	88	16	5
Ex Main.	197	Parker Blind Boys	13	6	8
Estab.	198	Harvey Rent	4	10	.
Bridgtown	199	Crean Vaccination	2	4	.
West Dis	200	Williams Salary	2	10	
Regstr.	201	Crean Fees	2	14	
"	202	Whittaker "	2	5	
.	203	Boyd .	1	12	6
Inv.	204	Rossiter Eggs	14	15	9
"	205	Cleary Milk	12	.	4
Estab.	206	Hughes Advertising	5		
"	207	Walsh "	5		
"	208	Mackey .	2	10	
.	209	Doyle Books	3	14	3
			365	9	8

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

STER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr Gill, 10 ; Mr. Hayes, 14 ; Mr. Maddock, 15

Mr. Malone, 12

The Meat contract will end on the 18th instant.

Ordered — To be advertised for, — with or without bone. Tenders addressed to the Chairman to be sent per post — to arrive by the early post on Saturday morning.

Fifteen pairs of blankets to be examined by Clothing Committee.

The Committee appointed reported that they were equal to Sample

The Bailer of the range in the Sisters' Department is broken — a new one required.

Ordered — The Master to procure a new one

Contractor Gill supplies the milk to the Fever Hospital. I tested his milk from two cans — one of them for Fever Hospital, the other for Workhouse — on the 29th, 30th, 31st & 1st, and I found the milk of the Workhouse Can made ~~to~~ respectively for said days 12, 12, 10 & 18, while the milk taken from Fever Hospital Can only made 8, 8, 9 & 10.

Ordered — That Mr Gill be requested to come before the Board on Saturday next and explain, and that the Matron of the Fever Hospital be supplied with a milk tester and furnish the Guardians at each meeting with the per centage

Medical Officer's Report — I beg to bring under the notice of the Board a boy named William Neill, lately returned from Opthalmic Hospital and respectfully suggest the advisability of sending him to the Blind Asylum to learn a trade.

M. J. Sheridan.

Ordered — That the boy be sent to a suitable Blind Asylum.

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

Mr. Peacocke's Notice of Motion regarding Out-door Relief to able-bodied paupers was considered and it was

Ordered – That the Local Government Board be again urgently requested to give powers to this Board to ~~act~~ give Relief under the Act 10 Vic Cap 31 Sec 2.— the able-bodied department of the house being now full

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

An application was made by a lad named Nicholas Hayes to be assisted with £3 or £4 to enable him to emigrate to Queensland. His Aunt had sent a passage ticket but the sum applied for was necessary to supply him with an outfit and pay his passage to Plymouth. The lad is an Orphan, was reared in the house, is 18 years of age. Left it some two years ago, and is a tailor by trade.

Ordered – That the Local Government Board be requested to give their consent to the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £4 for the above purpose

From Mr Taylor – Board's Solicitor. 2nd Feb. 83. Explaining that the costs alluded to were those payable between Solicitor & Client and could not be recovered from the Defendants – the late Clerks Sureties.

Ordered – That Mr Taylor's Bill be sent to the Local Government Board ~~requesting~~ with a request that it be examined and if the charges are fair to pay the

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approval of its payment. That Mr Taylor be written to directing him to lodge the amount of money he has in hands recovered from putative fathers, and that the Guardians think Mr Taylor should have lodged this amount immediately on its recovery – now nearly twelve months ago.

From Mr James Browne of Mulrankin drawing the Guardians attention to the fact that Mr Cliffe did not serve the legal notice on the Relieving Officer in the case of an Eviction on the lands of Mulrankin.

It having been stated that the eviction was only from land it was

Ordered – That Mr Browne be informed that notices are not necessary except ~~in~~ there is a dwelling house on the premises.

From the Clerk of the Enniscorthy Union, enclosing a resolution passed by the Guardians, thanking this Board for its resolution relative to Mr Power.

It having been verbally brought before the Guardians that the Lunatic Cell on the female side did not give satisfaction to the Medical Officer, it was,

Ordered – That the Medical Officer report on the Matter by next meeting of the Guardians.

The following resolution was proposed by Mr Ryan seconded by Mr Leasin and passed.

That we believe the imprisonment of Messrs Healy Davit & Quinn, is a most unconstitutional and tyrannical act on the part of the government and we think such acts must emphatically tend to bring the administration of the law in this country into contempt. We further believe that in no other civilized country in the world could such an unjust proceeding occur.

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

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

Bannow 11 Cases

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

That the Relieving Officer serve the usual notices

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.
Taghmon & Glynn	Dr Pigott	A house unfit for habitation at Coolstuff.	
Ordered – That notices be served on the Landlord.			

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:

From Mr Whitty, Contractor for fencing the Taghmon Burial Ground – stating that the work is nearly completed and asking ~~for~~ to have a committee appointed to inspect the work.

Ordered – That Messrs Prendergast, O'Neill and Cooney be appointed – to report as soon as inspected.

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

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Edmond Hore, Ch. In.

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Died, - - - -			1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	3
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Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary wards,	228	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	31	In Wards with other Inmates	-
Total,	259	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	5	2	1	8
No. in Workhouse at date	-	1	-	1

No. at corresponding period last year 474

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of February 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District.	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.	211	464			211	464
No. II.	148	272			148	272
TOTAL,	359	736			359	736

Comparative No. last year 789
Cost, £31 : 17 : 11

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 10th day of February 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Chas H Peacocke Jr.
Michael Simott V.C.
Nich. Cooney
Peter Cassin
Patk. McDonald
Patrick Chandler
John Colloton
William Pettit
John Rowe
Rich. Ryan
Thos. Kehoe
John Redmond
James Kehoe
Patk. Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2895 *to No.* 2929 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. — *to No.* —, *inclusive, the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

The Clerk reported that he was ~~absent~~ unavoidably absent from duties on Tuesday the 6th inst

Ordered — Allowed

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, ... £ 371 · 10 · 2

Paid during the week, ... £ 299 · 14 · 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 302 · 13 · 11

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.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	75	·	·	624	6	10
	TOTAL, -	75	·	·	624	6	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	11			82	10	2
	Ardcolm, - - -	3			96	4	4
	Artramont, - -	8			108	·	5
	Drinagh, - - -	3			113	6	2
	Killinick, - - -	14			169	14	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				52	11	9
	Kilscoran, - -				111	2	1
	Lady's Island, - -	10			57	12	3
	Mayglass, - -				102	3	10
	Rathaspeck, -	14			182	6	6
	Rosslare, - - -	2			96	5	8
	St. Helen's, -	24			121	6	10
	Tacumshane. - -	30			183	1	·
	TOTAL, -	119			1476	5	8
JAMES MURPHY	*Asghwilliam,* - -				74	3	9
	Ballymitty, - -				82	16	11
	Carrig, - -				118	10	11
	Forth, - - -				98	14	7
	Glynn, - - -				86	4	9
	Harperstown, - -				157	15	5
	Kilbride, - - -				73	18	5
	Killurin, - - -				103	13	
	Taghmon, - - -				417	9	2
	Whitechurch. - -				129	7	1
	TOTAL, -				1342	14	·
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	13	1	8	208	10	4
	Bridgetown, - -	33	13		208	2	3
	Duncormack, - -	22			118	12	10
	Harristown, - -	6	15	9	114	6	
	Kilcowan, - -	16	13	10	111	·	5
	Killag, - - -	13	3	1	122	5	5
	Kilmore, - - -	44	13	6	226	15	7
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -	7		10	107	6	3
	TOTAL, -	157	1	8	1290	18	11
	TOTAL.....	351	1	8	4734	5	5

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected either each Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	1554	17	·	624	6	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	1418	12	·	1476	5	8
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	306	17	9	1342	14	·
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	824	6	4	1290	18	11
	TOTAL....	8838	18	6	4104	13	1	4734	5	5

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amo
210 £6 · 2 · 10 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the arr the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the sam signature.

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the was £ 68 s. 7 d. 3

	£	s.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.		
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	87	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.		
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5
Hall Diet, ...		2

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

599 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	4 gals Colza oil
Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	12 lbs wax Candles
14 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	12 . Scale Candles
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 .. Charcoal
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	2 st White Lead
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	60 doz. of Eggs,	1 Sledge
530 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	12 lbs blacklead
1 cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,	4 doz Screws
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	1000 nails
112 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,	6 Whitewash brush
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	100 lbs Worsted
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	100 .. Yarn.
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,	50 lbs Molasses	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk their accuracy having been previous 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 30 day of Feb. 18
whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	11	0
In Kind, ...		19	6
Total	30	10	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
211	No. I.	Murphy	17 · 0 · 0		
212	No. II.	Dillon	14 · 0 · 0		
	Total, ...		31 · 0 · 0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
213	Kerwin	Meat	50	16	2
214	Whitty	Fencing Jaghmon Burial Ground	17	·	·
			104	19	·

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£ s.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

Medical Officers Report:— I beg to call the attention of the Board to the necessity that exists on the female side of the Hospital of having a proper cell in which a dangerous and alcoholic lunatic might be placed pending the time which must elapse before such person would be transferred to an Asylum.

Ordered— A Committee consisting of Messrs Peacocke Redmond and R Ryan were appointed to inspect the present cell and report on the possibility of improving it

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr Gill, 10 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ; Mr. Maddock, 13

Mr. Malone, 11

	s d
Mr Hayes fined	2·4
" Malone "	4·4
" Gill "	2·0

I beg to inform the Board that I have not received any of the money belonging to an Inmate Thos Ryan, which I brought under notice in my report of the 5th Ultimo.

Ordered— The Clerk to write to the Insurance Agent and to the Tontine Society, of which Ryan's wife was a Member, asking that the money due him may be handed over to the Guardians.

No eggs supplied to patients since 7th instant

Ordered— The Master should carry out the instruction given to him on 25th of November 1882 in a similar case

An inmate named Laurence Walsh died suddenly last night. I reported the matter to the Constabulary

Some Frieze to be examined by Committee.

Messrs Cooney, Kehoe, & McDonald examined it and reported that it was equal to sample

The following articles of Clothing were condemned by Committee and were ordered to be deducted from the Clothing Stock.

Bedding:— 23 Sheets, 22 blankets, 20 rugs 7 bolsters.
Mens:— 10 coats, 12 vests, 15 trowsers, 38 shirts, 33 stockings, 7 caps, 5 flamel W. coats, 20 drawers
Womens:— 15 wrappers, 29 petticoats, 21 shifts, 47 aprons, 8 Woollen neckerchiefs, 23 Stockings, 12 caps 4 bodies 5 shawls. Boys:— 37 coats, 16 vests, 13 Shirts, 16 stockings 15 Caps. Girls.— 24 frocks, 8 petticoats, 28 shifts, 56 bibs, 23 Stockings. Establishment:— 2 table cloths, 3 rollers & towels, 24 window blinds

The Shoemaker asked to be allowed to leave his work an hour earlier each evening for the next five weeks, and as an equivalent he would come an houre earlier in the morning

Ordered:— Allowed

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

No 4,567. 8th Feb. '83. Sending a Form for stating particulars as to the proposed emigration of Nicholas Hayes.

The Clerk stated that he had the form properly filled and sent back by return of post.

Ordered — Approved.

No 4324. 6th Feb. '83. A sealed order empowering the Guardians to administer relief in accordance with the Act 10 Vic, Cap 31, Sec 2.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 3749. 8 Feb. '83. Enclosing 5 copies of the General Order regulating the meetings and proceedings of Boards of Guardians and stating that additional copies may be purchased at 6d each from Messrs Thom, Abbey Street, Dublin

Ordered — The Guardians beg to thank the Local Government Board for the additional copies, and would ask the Board to be kind enough to furnish them with a few copies of the order pointing out the duties of the remaining officers viz:— Master Matron Schoolmaster &c.

No 4476. 9 Feb. '83. Returning the Bill of costs due to the Solicitor of the Guardians and stating that the examining or taxing of the costs in this case is not a matter with which they have any duty to discharge; also stating that the ordinary course of taxing costs should be followed before the costs are furnished to the Guardians for payment.

Ordered.— That the Bill be [illegible]

together with a copy of the letter from the Local Government Board, with a request that the bill be taxed and then presented again.

From Mr Taylor stating that he had lodged the money recovered in the putative father cases viz:— £20:8:6

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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	26
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	34
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	10
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	8
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	6

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the ____ ____day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

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

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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.
The Sanitary Sub Officer (Mr Murphy) reported that the drain is being properly cleaned up in Taghmon			

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the 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

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Edward Hore, Ch. M.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 17th day of February 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of February. 1883

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, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	731	515
	81	23
TOTAL.	812	538

	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.	21	36	163	141	47	42	39	26	41	556
Admitted during the week.	7	6	1	3	7	5	2	2	1	34
Born - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL.	28	42	164	144	54	47	41	28	42	590
Discharged during the week.	17	7	6	1	1	8	.	3	1	44
Died, - - - - -	.	.	4	1	.	.	1	.	2	8
Total Discharged and Dead,	17	7	10	2	1	8	1	3	3	52
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	11	35	154	142	53	39	40	25	39	538

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	224	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	23	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	247	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	2	2	2	6
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	3

No. at corresponding period last year 475

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of February 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	214	466			214	466
No. II.	150	274			150	274
TOTAL,	364	740			364	740

Comparative No. last year 771

Cost, £30: 3: 8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 17th day of February 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq P Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Chas. H. Peacocke J.P. Richd Ryan
John Walsh Patrick Chandler John Simott

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2931 to No. 2964 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. ~ to No. ~, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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I received a letter from Mr Huggard Solicitor, on the 12th stating that in the case of Edwards v Barry he had obtained judgment and applying for payment of the rent due by the Guardians for the Bannow Dispensary.

(The Guardians rented the Bannow Dispensary from Mr Barry, and Mr Edwards is Mr Barry's landlord or the agent of his landlord)

I wrote back to Mr Huggard to ~~#~~ state the amount due, so that I could bring it properly before the Guardians.

Mr Huggard replied in a letter dated the 15th of Feb. stating that if the Guardians books were correctly kept I should know the amount and directing me to send it to him by extract from the books of the Guardians together with a cheque.

I replied, stating that I thought it would be his duty when he made a demand for money to state the amount due, and declining to send him an extract from the Guardians Books, but that I would give him every facility for inspecting them.

Ordered — That the Guardians approve of the action of the Clerk in the matter

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I got no reply from the secretary of the Tontine Society regarding the money due to Thos. Ryan.

Ordered — To write again

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, ... £ 106 : 1 : 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 155 : 16 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 252 : 19 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected and returned as Unc. Wrk. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	1554	17	.	624	6	10
Patrick Keating.....	do.	2894	17	8	1418	12	.	1476	5	8
James Murphy.....	do.	1649	11	9	412	19	7	1236	12	2
James Keane.....	do.	2115	5	3	824	6	4	1290	18	11
Total.....		8838	18	6	4210	14	11	4628	3	7

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* -				624	6	10
	TOTAL, -				624	6	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				82	10	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				96	4	4
	Artramont, - -				108		5
	Drinagh, - - -				113	6	2
	Killinick, - - -				169	14	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				52	11	9
	Kilscoran, - -				111	2	1
	Lady's Island, - -				57	12	3
	Mayglass, -				102	3	10
	Rathaspeck, -				182	6	6
	Rosslare, - - -				96	5	8
	St. Helen's, -				121	6	10
	Tacumshane, - -				183	1	.
	TOTAL, -				1476	5	8
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	5	12	9	68	11	.
	Ballymitty, - -	16	1	5	66	15	6
	Carrig, -	25	6	11	93	4	
	Forth, - - -	8	11	4	90	3	3
	Glynn, - - -				86	4	9
	Harperstown, - -	16	2		141	13	5
	Kilbride, - - -				73	18	5
	Killurin, - - -	13	9	9	90	3	3
	Taghmon, - - -	14	17	6	402	11	8
	Whitechurch, - -	6		2	123	6	11
	TOTAL, -	106	1	10	1236	12	2
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				208	10	4
	Bridgetown, - -				208	2	3
	Duncormack, - -				118	12	10
	Harristown, - -				114	6	
	Kilcowan, - -				111		5
	Killag, - - -				122	5	5
	Kilmore, - - -				226	[illegible]	4
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				107	6	3
	TOTAL, -				1290	18	11
	TOTAL.....	106	1	10	4628	3	7

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
215 £ 7 : 12 : 0 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 77 *s.* 10 *d.* 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	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	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	4	
Hall Diet, ...	2	0	

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

612	lbs. of Meat,	4	lbs. Irish Bacon,		1000 Sewing needles
	Ox-heads,	6	doz. of Wine,		4 doz girls' hats
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		1 sledge
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		6 sheets Sand paper
1	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,		1 ½ inch gimlet
70	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,		8 lbs blasting powder
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		2 Coils fuse
1	cwt. of Salt,	4	Gallons of Barm,		1, 3 foot jumper
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		
120	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
½	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
14	lbs. of Pepper,				

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 10 *day of* Feb 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	19	6
In Kind, ...	1	11	6
Total	30	11	0

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
216	No. I.	Murphy	20.0.0		
217	No. II.	Dillon	14.0.0		
	Total, ...		34:0:0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
218	Kerwin Meat	23	12	6
219	Godfrey Leather	17	14	10
220	O'Connor Emigration of Hayes	4	.	.
		86	19	4

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

The Committee appointed to visit and report on the Lunatic Cell, (Female Side) reported:—
"We recommend that a nine inch partition "wall be placed between the Female Lunatic "Ward and the cell, and that the window in the "cell be closed and the roof ceiled".
Charles H Peacock
14 Feb 1883. Richd Ryan
Ordered — That the Master have the recommendation of the Committee carried out

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

Sundry Repairs required at Fever Hospital Roofs windows &c, and some of the Workhouse Chimneys. Ridge tiling &c require pointing — a Committee might examine and direct.
Ordered — The Master to get all necessary repairs properly executed — but that the pointing &c could be deferred until more suitable weather arrives.

Some Yarn worsted and leather require to be examined by a Committee.
Messrs Walsh Sinnott and Ryan were appointed and reported that the articles were equal to samples.

I have received estimates in Slate, Concrete, & wood, for the Laundry washing Troughs.
Ordered — The Master to get one properly made of wood.

The Chaplain asked that the children might be allowed to attend religious instruction during the Mission at present going on in Wexford.
Ordered — Allowed

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

No 5013. 14 Feb 83. A sealed Order consenting to the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £4 for assisting the Emigration to Queensland of Nicholas Hayes.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No. 5402. 16 Feb. 83. Forwarding five copies of the General Order for regulating the management of Workhouses, and the duties of Workhouse Officers

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From James Dimond, Sec to the Assurance Company, stating that he had no money belonging to Thomas Ryan.

Tender accepted:- For best Beef without bone at 8½d, and Aprheads @ 2:6 each, Mr James Gaul.

A communication from the Poor Law Conference, held in Belfast, enclosing resolutions passed, was read.

Ordered – That the Guardians approve of the resolution.

A Communication from the Dungarvan Union calling on Mr Healy M.P. to reconsider his decision of objecting to offer bail was marked "read"

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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	28
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	34
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	16
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	14
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	8

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

That the Medicines be ordered from the Contracts

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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Edward Hore, Cl. Bn.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 24th day of February 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of February 1883

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. 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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	625										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	17										
TOTAL,	812	642										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			11	35	154	142	53	39	40	25	39	538
Admitted during the week.			17	6	6	3	.	1	.	.	.	33
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			28	41	160	145	53	40	40	25	39	571
Discharged during the week.			10	5	4	.	.	5	1	1	.	26
Died, - - - - -			.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	5	5	.	.	6	1	2	.	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	36	155	145	53	34	39	23	39	542

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	231	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	17	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	248	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	11	1	1	13
No. in Workhouse at date	3	.	.	3

No. at corresponding period last year 487

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of February 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	217	477	10	17	227	494
No. II.	153	281	.	.	153	281
TOTAL,	370	758	10	17	380	775

Comparative No. last year 780

Cost, £27:19:0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 24th day of February 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Michael Sinnott V.C. Nich. Cooney
Rich. Ryan Chas. H. Peacocke Jr. Thos. Kehoe
Jas Hayden Thos. Barry John J Wall
James Cullen James Kehoe D.V.C. Adam O'Neill
John Redmond Patk. McDonald Peter Cassin
John Rowe William Pettit Mich. Browne

Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2965 *to No.* 2998 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

I have received a communication from Mr Huggard stating that as I declined to pay the amount due for the Barnow Dispensary, he should only take legal proceedings, the expenses of which must come out of the rates, "which it appears either you "or the Guardians or so ready to have so "squandered.

I replied on the 19th reminding him that I never declined to pay the amount due; that I only asked him to state the amount, and that he had not done so.

He answered by personal attack to which I sent an unoffical reply.

Ordered— That as Mr Huggard declines to state the amount due, and as it is quite possible that the person from whom we hold the Dispensary, may afterwards legally claim some rent at least, we decline to either state the amount due or make any payment to Mr Huggard, and that a Notice be served on Mr Edwards that the Guardians shall not require the Dispensary after the 29th September 1883.

I lodged £1.2.0 received from Mr Keane New Ross for Envelopes

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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, ... £ 214 . 11 . 4

Paid during the week, ... £ 87 . 17 . 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 379 . 13 . 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	1649		6	530	3	4
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	1516	13	7	1378	4	1
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	412	19	7	1236	12	2
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	905	9	10	1209	15	5
Total		8838	18	6	4404	3	6	4354	15	5

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	95	.	.	530	3	4
	TOTAL,	95	.	.	530	3	4
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan	12			70	11	2
	Ardcolm,	33			63	8	5
	Artramont,	10			98		11
	Drinagh,	20			93	9	10
	Killinick,	3			166	14	8
	Kilpatrick,				52	11	9
	Kilscoran,	6			105	6	10
	Lady's Is'and,				57	12	3
	Mayglass,	9			93	11	10
	Rathaspeck,	6			176	2	11
	Rosslare,				96	5	8
	St. Helen's,				121	6	10
	Tacumshane,				183	1	.
	TOTAL,	99			1378	4	1
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam,				68	11	
	Ballymitty,				66	15	6
	Carrig,				93	4	
	Forth,				90	3	3
	Glynn,				86	4	9
	Harperstown,				141	13	5
	Kilbride,				73	18	5
	Killurin,				90	3	3
	Taghmon,				402	11	8
	Whitechurch,				123	6	11
	TOTAL,				1236	12	2
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow,	19	12	8	188	17	8
	Bridgetown,	5	14	6	202	7	9
	Duncormack,	6	4	8	112	8	2
	Harristown,	15	4	6	99	1	6
	Kilcowan,				111		5
	Killag,	8	19	1	113	6	4
	Kilmore,				226	15	7
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard,	25	8	1	81	18	2
	TOTAL,	81	3	6	1209	15	5
	TOTAL	285	3	6	4354	15	

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

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221 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 8.18.4 *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 Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 74 s. 8 d. 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	86	9	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

438	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
1	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	66	doz. of Eggs,
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	4	Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
115	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,		

400 Bricks

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 17 *day of* Feb 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	2	6
In Kind, ...	4	3	0
Total	34	5	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
222	No. I.	Murphy	21.0.0		
224	No. II.	Dillon	15.0.0		
	Total, ...		36.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
Estab	223	James O'Connor, S. Books.	7	.	9
Clo.	225	Ellen Hayes, Straw,	7	17	6
			59	16	7

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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:—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr Gill, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ; Mr. Maddock, 13

Mr. Malone, 11

Mr Malone fine	2·6
Mr Gill "	1·4

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

No 51. M/83. 16 Feb 83. Relating to Provisional Orders — for Loans under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878.

No 756/83. Authorizing the Paymaster General to pay to the Treasurer of this Union as follows:—

For Teachers' Salaries	53:15:0
Medical Grant	265:7:11
Total	319:2:11

for half-year ending 29th September 1882.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

Mr John Walsh—one of the Guardians for the Electoral Division of Wexford— wrote to state that he declined to be put in nomination for next Board.

Proposed by Mr Pettit and seconded by Mr Ryan,— That all the able-bodied men in the House be put on No. 1. Diet, and that they be kept constantly either breaking stones or quarrying.

The tender of Mr Thomas Clooney for 100 tons of broken stones @ 2/6 per ton was accepted.

A resolution from the Naas Board of Guardians regarding Article 35 of the "General Order" lately issued by the Local Government Board, after some modification (it having been shown that a similar Order was always in force) was 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	30
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	38
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	22
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	12
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	30

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

That the Medicines be ordered from the 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 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

No 2932 · 23 Feb 83. Inquiring if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Crossabeg Wexford and Bridgetown Dispensary Districts have yet complied with the Law.

Ordered – The Relieving Officers to report by next Board Day.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

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

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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 :

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 ·

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Michl Simmott Ch. Mr

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 3rd

day of March 1883

Signed, James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of March, 1883

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,	731	500
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	8
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	781	508

	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. 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.	17	36	156	145	53	34	39	23	39	542
Admitted during the week.	15	2	1	5	1	3	·	·	·	27
Born - - - -	-	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL,	32	38	157	150	54	37	39	23	39	569
Discharged during the week.	19	9	3	3	12	9	·	1	·	56
Died, - - - - -	·	·	3	1	·	1	·	·	·	5
Total Discharged and Dead,	19	9	6	4	12	10	·	1	·	61
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	13	29	151	146	42	27	39	22	39	508

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	222	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	230	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	5	·	·	5
No. in Workhouse at date	3	·	·	·

No. at corresponding period last year 488

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March, 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	218	482	11	21	229	503
No. II.	155	291	·	·	155	291
TOTAL,	373	773	11	21	384	794

Comparative No. last year 794

Cost, £28: 16: 8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 3rd day of March, 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Simmott Esq V.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Nicho Cooney, Patrick Howe, Patk Chandler, Richd Ryan, Chas H. Peacocke J.P., John J Wall, John Redmond, James Devereux, James Kehoe D.V.C., John Simmott, Michl Browne, William Stafford, Thos Kehoe, John Rowe, Patk McDonald, Edmond White

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2999 *to No.* 3025 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the previous Board.

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, ... £ 604 : 6 : 11

Paid during the week, ... £ 63 : 16 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £1020 : 4 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	8	10	1750	18	2	428	5	8
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	14	8	1516	13	7	1378	4	1
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	601	6	10	1048	4	11
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	971	19	6	1143	5	9
Total.....		8838	18	6	4839	18	1	3999	.	5

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	101	~~18~~	~~2~~	428	5	8
	TOTAL, -	101	~~18~~	~~2~~	428	5	8
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				70	11	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				63	8	5
	Artramont, - -				98	.	11
	Drinagh, - - -				93	9	10
	Killinick, - - -				166	14	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				52	11	9
	Kilscoran, - -				105	6	10
	Lady's Island, - -				57	12	3
	Mayglass, - -				93	11	10
	Rathaspeck, -				176	2	11
	Rosslare, - - -				96	5	8
	St. Helen's, -				121	6	10
	Tacumshane, - -				183	1	.
	TOTAL, -				1379	4	1
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	8	2	1	60	8	11
	Ballymitty, - -	8	2	9	58	12	9
	Carrig, - -	14	8	2	78	15	10
	Forth, - - -	17	3	4	72	19	11
	Glynn, - - -	14	18	1	71	6	8
	Harperstown, - -	14	10	5	127	3	
	Kilbride, - - -	10	7	2	63	11	3
	Killurin, - - -	18	19	7	71	3	8
	Taghmon, - - -	54	18	5	347	13	3
	Whitechurch, - -	26	14	3	96	9	8
	TOTAL, -	186	7	3	1048	4	11
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	9	15	8	179	2	
	Bridgetown, - -	5	8		196	19	9
	Duncormack, - -	12	12		99	16	2
	Harristown, - -	9	9	7	89	11	11
	Kilcowan, - -	13	13	4	97	7	1
	Killag, - - - -	3	16	9	109	9	7
	Kilmore, - - -	11	14	4	215	1	3
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				81	18	2
	TOTAL, -	66	9	8	1143	5	9
	TOTAL.....	356	15	1	3999	.	5

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

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226 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 9:15:6 *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 Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 61 *s.* 4 *d.* 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	86.	7.	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.	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5.	4
Hall Diet, ...		2.	0

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

531	lbs. of Meat,	4	lbs. Irish Bacon,	50 yds Hexagon	
	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	1 gal linseed oil	
14	Bags of Flour,	1/2	Barrel of Porter,	1 .. turpentine	
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 gross hemp balls	
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	1 .. Iron heels	
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	68	doz. of Eggs,	10,000. Shoe nails	
540	Gallons Newmilk,	12	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	6 gross Card thread	
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	28 Coffins.	
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		
110	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,				

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 24 *day of* February 18 83 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30.	1.	0
In Kind, ...	5.	10.	10
Total	35.	11.	10

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
227	No. I.	Murphy	21.0.0		
228	No. II.	Dillon	15.0.0		
	Total, ...		36.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

				£	s.	d.
Clo.	229	Connick	Frieze	27	14	.
"	230	Lee	Shawls	5	4	.
	231	Ryan	Thread	22	3	10
Estab.t	232	Kavanagh	Bricks	2	9	.
Ex. Maint.e	233	Thornton	Blind Boy	6	7	6
Inv.	234	Godkin & Co	Meal	13	2	.
"	235	Rossiter	Eggs	17	8	10
"	236	Maddock	Milk	18	3	.
"	237	Hayes	"	13	16	8
"	238	Cleary	"	11	11	2
"	239	Gill	"	11	11	4
Wexford Dis.t	240	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
Inv.	241	Gaul	Meat	15	15	3
"	242	Cosgrave	Flour	80	5	4
				293	17	5

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

A Pauper Inmate named John Kelly was brought before the Guardians and a report from the Master on the Offence and punishment Book was read, that he refused doing any work and that he cursed officials and inmates during sleeping hours in the Dormitory.

The Guardians believed the man to be guilty and it was Ordered.— That he be given a task of work each day to break one ton of stones, and if he refuse to perform the task or disobey any lawful order, he is to be summoned before the Magistrates

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr Gill, 10½ ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ; Mr. Maddock, 15

Mr. Malone, 9½

	s. d.
Mr Malone fine	7:6
Mr Gill "	1:4

Lodged to the credit of the Guardians as follows:—

		£ s. d.
Mrs Doran	Broken Stones	3:0:0
Mr Somers	Small potatoes	1:11:3
Mr N Roche	Mangold	4:6:0
Messrs Lawler (£1·5·6) & Kennedy (10/6)	Cabbage	1:16:0
Mr P Ryan	Straw Envelopes	1:2:0
Relief by Loan (Carey)		1:16:0
	Total	13:11:3

A Committee required to attend at Fever Hospital to condemn some articles of Clothing (worn out), and to direct about some necessary repairs there.

Messrs Peacocke J.P., & Ryan consented to attend.

A supply of Whiskey required

Ordered— To be advertised for in the usual way.

Some Frieze to be compared with Sample.

Messrs Cooney & Browne were appointed and reported that the article was equal to sample.

An Inmate died on the 28th Ult; immediately before death he informed me that he had a considerable sum of money in the keeping of the Porter of the Workhouse. I found on applying to the Porter that he had £14.

The Porter wrote that the money came into his hands in the following manner:— About 3½ years ago Murphy handed me a half-sovereign and asked me to keep it for him. I inquired where he got it, and he told me it was the savings of his nephew a corn Porter in town who gave it to him to keep for the nephew. I asked what his object was in giving it to me and he told me that he was afraid he might lose it and that he did not like to refuse taking it from his nephew as if he left it with him, it might be spent. Under the circumstances I consented to keep it. After an

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

interval of two months he brought me another half sovereign and this continued at similar intervals until I now hold a sum of £14.

I am now afraid I have done wrong in keeping the money and I do not wish to hand it over to his nephew without informing the Guardians of the matter.

The deceased was the principal messenger for the House: he was a most trustworthy man and I had no reason whatever to doubt the truthfulness of his representations to me.

Edwd. J Kearns, Parter.

Ordered— That the Local Government Board be requested to state if the Guardians can legally claim the money under the circumstances — the Parter being quite willing to hand it over.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

Ordered— That the Local Government Board be requested to state for the information of the Guardians, if a Guardian ~~who~~ tenders to buy stones or pigs or farm produce from the Guardians, and that his tender is accepted, does he renders himself liable under 1 & 2 Vic Cap 56 sec 93.

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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	22
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	27
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	12
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	3
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	10
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	7

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 3rd day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

That the Medicines be procured from the 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 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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

Taghmon 6 cases

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

That the usual notices be served by the Relieving Officer

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.
Crossabeg	Dr Hadden	House unfit for human habitation at Crory Lower E.D. of Ardtramont.	
Ordered — That the Relieving Officer serve the usual notice on Landlord & Tenant			

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the 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 :

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Edmond Hore, M.D.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 10th day of March 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of March 1883

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. 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.
Workhouse,	731	511										
Permanent Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	9										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	520										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	29	151	146	42	27	39	22	39	508
Admitted during the week.			13	6	6	3	.	.	.	.	1	29
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			26	35	157	149	42	27	39	22	40	537
Discharged during the week.			7	3	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	14
Died, - - - - -			.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	3	2	2	1	1	1	.	.	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			19	32	155	147	41	26	38	22	40	520

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	222	In separate Wards.	132
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	231	Total,	132

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	7	.	.	7
No. in Workhouse at date	2	.	.	2

No. at corresponding period last year 503

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No. I.	216	474	.	.	216	474
No. II.	158	297	.	.	158	297
TOTAL,	374	771	.	.	384	771

Comparative No. last year 802

Cost, £29: 8: 2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 10th day of March, 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd Ryan, Patrick Ryan, Arthur Keating, John Walsh, Thos Kehoe, John H Boswell Jr, C H Peacocke Jr, John Sinnott, Peter Cassin, Patk McDonald, John Redmond, William Pettit, Nichs C Murphy, John Rowe, Michael Browne, Michl Browne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

That he had complied with the Orders given him by the previous Board.

I beg to report that Saturday the 17th of March will be a Holiday.

Ordered — That the usual weekly meeting be held on ~~the~~ Friday the 16th, and that the usual notice be sent to each Guardian

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, ... £352 : 9 : 8

Paid during the week, ... £253 : 11 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £1119 : 1 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

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	Total	8838	18	6	5129	8	10	3709	9	8

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,*	126	.	.	302	5	8
	TOTAL,	126	.	.	302	5	8
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan*	~~11~~			70	11	2
	Ardcolm,	16			47	7	1
	Artramont,	35			63		9
	Drinagh,	15			78	1	10
	Killinick,	8			158	15	8
	Kilpatrick,	9			50	8	6
	Kilscoran,	13			92	6	7
	Lady's Island,	4			54	5	5
	Mayglass,	14			79	14	2
	Rathaspeck,	6			169	18	10
	Rosslare,	13			83	1	11
	St. Helen's,	8			113	13	5
	Tacumshane,	26			156	8	.
	TOTAL,	160			1217	13	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,*				60	8	11
	Ballymitty,				58	12	9
	Carrig,				78	15	10
	Forth,				72	19	11
	Glynn,				71	6	8
	Harperstown,				127	3	.
	Kilbride,				63	11	3
	Killurin,				71	3	8
	Taghmon,				347	3	3
	Whitechurch,				96	9	8
	TOTAL,				1048	4	11
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,*				179	2	
	Bridgetown,				196	19	9
	Duncormack,				99	16	2
	Harristown,				89	11	11
	Kilcowan,				97	7	1
	Killag,				109	9	7
	Kilmore,				215	1	3
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard,				81	18	2
	TOTAL,				1143	5	9
	TOTAL	286	-	-	3709	9	8

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 11 : 3 : 9 *was produced and passed.*

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Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

528	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
15	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
2	St "		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Gin,
	Ton of Oatmeal,	67	doz. of Eggs,
50	Gallons Buttermilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
520	Gallons Newmilk,	2	Gallons of Barm,
4	cwt. of Salt,		Ton of Soap,
	Chests of Tea,		cwt. of Soda,
115	lbs. of Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
14	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Blue,
	cwt. of Rice,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Ginger,	2	gals Whiskey
	lbs. of Pepper,		

2 St red lead
2 " White "
2 lbs Black paint
2 gals Boiled Oil
5 bsls of Oats
4 st Bran
2 St Linseed Meal
200 yds 72" blay Calico
100 " Twilled "
20 bsls Seed Potatoes
100 yds flannel
2 doz Sheets pasteboard
100 yds check.

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 3 *day of* March 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	10	6
In Kind, ...	3	16	2
Total	34	6	8

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
244	No. I.	Murphy	20.0.0		
245	No. II.	Dillon	15.0.0		
	Total, ...		35.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
Invo. 246	Gaul, Meat	38	"	1
		84	3	10

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

Messrs Peacocke J.P., Ryan & Redmond visited the Fever Hospital on the 3rd instant and reported:— "We consider that the Doors of the Fever Hospital require painting and we recommend that one of the inmates of the House be employed to do the Work.

Ordered — The recommendation of the Committee to be carried out.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr Gill, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 13 ; Mr. Maddock, 15
Mr. Malone, 12

A good horse much required.

Ordered — To be advertised for — tenders to be considered on the 24th of March 1883.

The following articles were condemned by Committee of Fever Hospital on the 3rd of March 1883. :— 26 sheets, 16 shirts, 14 rugs, 39 blankets, 4 drawers, 29 shifts, 16 aprons, 8 stockings, 6 frocks & 6 neckerchiefs

Ordered — That those articles be deducted from the Clothing Stock

The following articles were condemned by Committee on 21st October :— 26 sheets, 35 blankets, 33 rugs, 17 ticks, 23 bolsters & Cases, 10 coats, 21 waistcoats, 20 trousers, 61 shirts, 14 shoes, 64 stockings, 10 hats 5 handkerchiefs, 6 flannel Waistcoats, 10 Drawers, Women's:— 37 gowns, 52 petticoats, 49 shifts, 104 aprons, 62 woolen handkerchiefs, 22 shoes, 42 stockings, 24 caps. Boys:— 12 coats, 20 Waistcoats, 10 trousers, 25 shirts, 19 shoes, 42 stockings, 30 hats. Girls:— 7 frocks, 6 petticoats, 22 shifts, 43 Bibs, 49 shoes, 35 stockings 3 table cloths, 7 rollers and towels, 5 window Blinds.

Ordered — That those articles be deducted from Clothing stock.

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

No 757. 8 March 83. An order for Sanitary Salaries — amount £31:5:0 — for half-year ended 29th September 1882.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 8133. 9 March 83. Referring to the inquiry on last Minutes regarding Guardians purchasing articles by tender, and stating that the 93 sec only provides against furnishing or supplying either directly or indirectly goods &c for the use of the Workhouse, but adding "That "in their opinion, it is by no means desirable "that a Guardian should be concerned in "dealings of such a character as that mentioned "in the resolution, with a Board of which he "is a Member".

No 8133. 9 March 83. Referring to the Master's Report on last Minutes, that an Inmate died possessed of a sum of £14 which had been kept for him by the Porter, and stating that unless the Relief given was by way of loan, they think the Guardians have no legal claim to the money. They further state that they consider the conduct of the Porter blameable

of censure and they request he may be cautioned against acting in such a manner on any future occasion.

The Porter was called before the Board and cautioned, when he expressed his sorrow for the error, and promised such a thing should never occur again

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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	22
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	29
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	10
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	12
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	8

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ___day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

That the Medicines be procured from the Contractor.

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the *Dispensary District* *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 Bridgetown *Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—*

Repairing Dispensary £3:0:0
1 strong Chair
1 small grate
A sum of 10/- was realized by the sale of the Hospital car, and it was ordered to be lodged to the credit of the Dispensary District.

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

All the Defaulters in the Bannow Bridgetown Crossalieg and Wexford Districts have complied with the Law

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

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.
Crossalieg.	Messrs Little & Nunn, on whom notices had been served, – regarding the house of D. Reck of Crany Lower – wrote stating that Reck holds under a Lease which binds him to keep the premises in proper repair, and adding that therefore the Landlord was not the person liable to repair the same.		

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

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

The Committee of the Crossalieg Dispensary District reported that the Screen Burial Ground was in a disgraceful state for want of proper fencing.
Ordered – A Committee consisting of Messrs Simott, Rowe & Colloton to inspect and report.

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

District.	Nature of Expenditure.	Amount. £	s.	d.

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Saturday~~ Friday, the 16th day of March 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of March 1883

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. 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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	731	518										
Fever Sheds.	81	6										
TOTAL,	812	524										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			19	32	155	147	41	26	38	22	40	520
Admitted during the week.			18	9	3	3	7	1	.	.	.	41
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			37	41	158	150	48	27	38	22	40	561
Discharged during the week.			19	7	2	1	1	1	.	.	1	32
Died, - - - - -			.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	5
Total Discharged and Dead,			19	7	6	2	1	1	.	.	1	37
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	34	152	148	47	26	38	22	39	524

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	216	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	222	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	12	3	3	18
No. in Workhouse at date	4	1	1	6

No. at corresponding period last year 497

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of March 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	205	473			205	473
No. II.	158	297			158	297
TOTAL,	363	770			363	770

Comparative No. last year 815
Cost, £27: 15: 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on ~~Saturday,~~ Friday, the 16th day of March 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Michael Simott, V.C., James Kehoe, D.V.C.
Jo. H. Peacocke, J.P., John Colleton, William Pettit,
Patk. McDonald Peter Cassin

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 counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. ~ to No. ~, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

The Minutes having been read and signed and the cheques examined and signed, it was proposed by Mr Peacocke JP, seconded by Mr Pettit and passed unanimously:—
"That as a mark of regret at the deaths "of the Very Reverend James Canon Roche P.P. "Wexford, Roman Catholic Chaplain of this "Workhouse, and Dr Crean for many years "Medical Officer of the Workhouse, this "Board do now stand adjourned until "Saturday the 24th instant"

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £ 201 · 16 · 8

Paid during the week, ... £ 127 · 0 · 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of *the Guardians was* £ 1193 · 18 · 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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The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected (Clear each Week). £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2000	·	10	179	3	·
PATRICK KEATING....	do.	2894	17	8	1677	4	4	1217	13	4
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	771	18	6	877	13	3
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	971	19	6	1143	5	9
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	5421	3	2	3417	15	4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	124	·	·	179	3	·
	TOTAL, -	124	·	·	179	3	·
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				70	11	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				47	7	1
	Artramont, - -				63		9
	Drinagh, - - -				78	1	10
	Killinick, - - -				158	15	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				50	8	6
	Kilscoran, - -				92	6	7
	Lady's Island, - -				54	5	5
	Mayglass, - -				79	14	2
	Rathaspeck, -				169	18	10
	Rosslare, - - -				83	1	11
	St. Helen's, -				113	13	5
	Tacumshane, - -				156	8	·
	TOTAL, -				1217	13	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -	14	14	3	45	11	8
	Ballymitty, - -	15	9	5	43	3	4
	Carrig, - -	15	15	6	63		4
	Forth, - - -	14	14	8	58	5	3
	Glynn, - - -	15	10	4	55	16	4
	Harperstown, - -	18	6	3	108	16	9
	Kilbride, - - -	7	15	1	55	16	2
	Killurin, - - -	12	8	6	58	15	2
	Taghmon, - - -	35	9	11	312	3	4
	Whitechurch, - -	20	4	9	76	4	11
	TOTAL, -	170	11	8	877	13	3
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				179	2	
	Bridgetown, - -				196	19	9
	Duncormack, - -				99	16	2
	Harristown, - -				89	11	11
	Kilcowan, - -				97	7	1
	Killag, - - -				109	9	7
	Kilmore, - - -				215	1	3
	Newcastle,				73	19	10
	Tomhaggard, -				81	18	2
	TOTAL, -				1143	5	9
	TOTAL.....	294	11	8	3417	15	4

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

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247 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 7 · 6 · 0 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 67 *s.* 9 *d.* 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	83	15	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

519	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	8 st Italian Grass Seed & Perennial
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	1 lb Onion Seed
15	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	1 lb. Parsnips.
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	6 yds rope
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	1 st red lead
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	70	doz. of Eggs,	2 lbs blue paint
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	2 lbs glue
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	½ pint Varnish
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	4 lbs Copperas
150	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	30 gals Whiskey.
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	
	lbs. of Pepper,			

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 10 *day of* March 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	7	11
In Kind, ...	1	3	0
Total	32	10	11

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
248	No. I.	Murphy	20·0·0		
249	No. II.	Dillon	15·0·0		
	Total, ...		35·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
250	Gaul Meat	18	12	7
251	Cousins Bridgetown Dis.	3	16	.
		64	14	7

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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	23
Ditto, disallowed	17
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	41
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	12
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 24th

day of March 1883

Signed, James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union.

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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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Edward Hore, Ch. Gn.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 24th day of March 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of March 1883

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,	731	520
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	7
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	527

	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.	18	34	152	148	47	26	38	22	39	524
Admitted during the week.	13	5	4	3	1	1	2	1	·	30
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	2
TOTAL	31	39	156	151	48	27	40	23	41	556
Discharged during the week.	12	4	4	·	·	2	·	·	1	23
Died, - - - - -	1	1	1	3	·	·	·	·	·	6
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	5	5	3	·	2	·	·	1	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	18	34	151	148	48	25	40	23	40	527

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	219	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	226	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	9	2	2	13
No. in Workhouse at date	5	·	·	5

No. at corresponding period last year 496

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of March 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	204	472			204	472
No. II.	164	317			164	317
TOTAL,	368	789			368	789

Comparative No. last year 713
Cost, £29 : 6 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 24th day of March 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Hore, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Patk. Ryan, George Le Hunte jr., Wm. Pettit, John J Wall, Richd. Ryan, John Redmond, John Simmott, Michael Browne, Jas Kehoe D.V.C., John Walsh, Peter Cassin, John Rowe

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3055 *to No.* 3127 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £ 124 · 0 · 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 63 · 7 · 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor *of the Guardians was* £ 1254 · 10 · 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, or Arrears. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2100	8	·	78	15	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	1890	3	10	1004	13	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	888	17	2	760	14	7
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1150	16	9	964	8	6
TOTAL.....		8838	18	6	6040	5	9	2798	12	9

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford, - -	100	8	-	78	15	10
	TOTAL, -	100	8	-	78	15	-
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan - -	27	18		53	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -	33	3	7	16	8	8
	Artramont, - -	41	15	6	21	19	10
	Drinagh, - - -	12	7	8	66	13	6
	Killinick, - - -	1	12	5	157	16	5
	Kilpatrick, - -	18	3	5	32	12	6
	Kilscoran, - -	7	18	11	84	19	-
	Lady's Island, - -	23	17	1	30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -	10	1	9	69	16	9
	Rathaspeck, -	7	1	4	163	9	9
	Rosslare, - - -	6	13	1	76	18	8
	St. Helen's, -	13	5	1	100	8	7
	Taeumshane, - -	27	11	8	129	14	6
	TOTAL, -	229	19	6	1004	13	10
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam, - -	2	6	-	43	5	8
	Ballymitty, - -	5	7	11	37	15	5
	Carrig, - -	22	-	4	41		
	Forth, - - -	3	8	8	54	16	7
	Glynn, - - -	21		2	84	16	2
	Harperstown, - -	8	16	4	100		5
	Kilbride, - - -	2	1	3	53	14	11
	Killurin, - - -	8	4	11	50	10	3
	Taghmon, - - -	38	14	1	273	9	3
	Whitechurch, - -	14	19	-	61	5	11
	TOTAL, -	126	18	8	760	14	7
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow, - - -	60	9	1	118	12	11
	Bridgetown, - -	68	1	6	128	18	3
	Duncormack, - -	7	10	8	92	5	6
	Harristown, - -	16	13	8	72	18	3
	Kilcowan, - -	10	17	4	86	9	9
	Killag, - - -				109	9	7
	Kilmore, - - -	6	10	2	208	11	1
	Newcastle,	7	14		66	5	10
	Tomhaggard, -	1	-	10	80	17	4
	TOTAL, -	148	17	3	964	8	6
	TOTAL.....	636	3	5	2798	12	9

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

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

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252 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 6 15 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 89 s. 0 d. 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	86	11	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	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	4	
Hall Diet, ...	2	0	

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

419	lbs. of Meat,	4	lbs. Irish Bacon,	70 lbs Molasses
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	1 bellows for F.H.
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	1 lb large pins
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	4 cwt meal for pigs
1	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,	
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1	cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,	
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	
120	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	
	lbs. of Pepper,	2	gals Whiskey	

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 27 day of March 1863 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	33	11	1
In Kind, ...	1	19	6
Total	35	10	7

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
253	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
254	No. II.	Dillon	13.0.0		
	Total, ...		29.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
255	Latham	Salary	7	10	
256	O'Connor	"	28	15	
257	Sheridan	"	31	5	
258	Irwin	"	12	10	
259	Scallan	"	6	5	
260	Stafford	"	6	10	
261	Cahill	"	6	10	
262	Tobin	"	6	10	
263	Coyle	"	6	10	
264	McGrath	"	10	17	6
265	Irwin	"	7	10	
266	Finn	"	8	10	
267	Williams	"	2	10	
268	Kearns	"	3	15	
269	Morris	"	5	5	
270	Stone	"	3	15	
271	Brien	"	3	15	
272	Murphy	"	12	5	
273	Dillon	"	10	15	
274	Boyd	"	28	15	
275	Murphy	"	2	10	
276	Siggins	"	2	10	
277	Hawlin	"	2	10	
278	Crean	"	28	15	
279	Barnewell	"	5		
280	Whittaker	"	28	15	
281	Walker	"	5		
282	Hadden	"	26	5	
283	Ryan	"	5		

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			£	s.	d.
284	Pigott	Salary	28	15	
285	Kehoe	"	3	15	
286	Pierse	"	36	5	
287	Webb	"	10		
288	Meldon	Oats	3	10	
289	Bookey	Potatoes	13	6	8
290	Rossiter	Eggs	11	2	1
	Walsh	(Duplicate) of 207)	5	.	.
			458	11	9

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

The Porter at Fever Hospital applied for liberty to till a small piece of ground attached to the F. Hospital.
Ordered.-Allowed.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

Calico & Check, Barragon, & Flannel to be examined by Committee.
Messrs Brown & Ryan were appointed and found the Calico check and Barragon equal to sample but the flamel inferior.
Ordered— The Contractor to supply flamel equal to sample.

A supply of coals required
Ordered— 30 tons to be advertised for.

The Board will please order the usual Easter Fare to the inmates.
Ordered — Allowed.

Medical Officer's Report:— Gentlemen, Whilst doing duty at the Workhouse on Sunday last I was called to visit a woman in the top infirm ward. Having seen her I gave instructions for her better safety to have her removed to the lower ward.

On Monday morning, seeing that my directions were unheeded, I had the Matron sent for and directed her attention to the matter. She positively refused in the presence of the nuns to carry out my orders. On Tuesday the matter being still unattended to, I sent for the Matron, who refused to come.

I would ask the Guardians to have any instructions I may think necessary to give for the welfare of the patients, properly and promptly carried out.

I am Gentlemen your obedient servant
March 24th 1883 M. J. Sheridan

Ordered— The Matron to carry out any directions the Medical may give for the welfare of the patients, and to send in a written explanation by next Board Day.

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

No/93. 22nd March '83. On the subject of Union Officers' Bonds and Warrants and enclosing copies of New Forms which should be used in future.

Ordered – In all future appointments the new forms to be used.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 4,567. 10 March '83. Requesting to be informed whether Collector Murphy resumed duty since the 3rd ~~inst~~ ultimo.

The Clerk stated that he received no communication from Mr Murphy in reply to the order made by the Board on the 3rd Ult. However, Mr Murphy lodged four times since that date the total of which lodgments is £591·19·5. In each case the Books were brought in by his son, who was accompanied by a man named Kerwin. The Books were always correct and the total amount collected was lodged. It having come to his (the Clerk's) knowledge that Mr Kerwin was collecting some rates as Mr Murphy's Deputy – the receipts being signed by Mr Murphy – he wrote to Mr Murphy's Sureties on the 7th of March, informing them of the fact, and asking them if they had any objection but had received no reply.

Ordered – That if Mr Murphy continue to employ a Deputy, he shall obtain the consent of his

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Sureties in writing, and send such consent to the Guardians by next Board Day.

No 5,402. 10 March '83. Requesting to be informed if an Inquest was held in the case of the inmate Laurence Walsh who died suddenly on the 10th of February.

Ordered – An Inquest was held and the Coroner's Jury found a verdict of "Died from "rupture of a blood vessel."

Proposed by Mr W. Pettit, seconded by Mr P. Ryan and passed unanimously:–

"That ~~Mr Kehoe~~ the Chairman do leave the Chair "and that Mr Kehoe D.V.C. be called thereto."

"That at this the last meeting of the old Board "we cannot separate without expressing our very "hearty thanks to the Chairman, Edmond Hore Esq.", "for the ability, dignity and impartiality with "which he filled the chair for the past year, and "which has reflected the higest credit on the "class from which he sprung."

Resolved – That the Local Government Board be requested to sanction a payment of the sum of £1 to Relieving Officer Murphy and a sum of 10/- to Relieving Officer Dillon for serving Vaccination notices on defaulters in their respective districts for the six months ending 25th March 1883.

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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	25
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	30
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	5
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	4

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Saturday, the ____ ___day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardions:—

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

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

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

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Mich Simmott

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 31st

day of March 1883

Signed, James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of March 1883

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, Permanent Buildings,	731	507
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	7
TOTAL.	812	514

	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.	18	34	151	148	48	25	40	23	40	527
Admitted during the week.	4	3	2	4	1	3	1	1	1	20
Born - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	22	37	153	152	49	28	41	24	41	547
Discharged during the week.	12	3	4	4	-	3	1	1	-	28
Died, - - - - -	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	5
Total Discharged and Dead,	12	3	4	8	-	3	1	2	-	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	34	149	144	49	25	40	22	41	514

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	7	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	219	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	226	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	–	–	–	0
No. in Workhouse at date	–	–	–	0

No. at corresponding period last year 495

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 18 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	207	419			207	419
No. II.	172	312			172	312
TOTAL,	379	731			379	731

Comparative No. last year 735

Cost, £29 6 6

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PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Simmott Esq and subsequently Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Other Guardians: Messrs A. Keating, Thos Colleton, Richd Ryan D.V.C., James Kehoe, Edmond Hore, Nichs Cooney, John Walsh, Patk McDonald, Edmond White, Jas. Hayden, George Le Hunte JP.

Jo H. Peacocke JP.	Peter Cassin	
Thos Cardiff	Wm. Stafford	
Edwd Kearns	John Walsh	
~~Michl~~ John Simmott	Nichs Cooney	
John J Wall	Edwd Leacy	
Adam O'Neill	James Cullen	
Michl Kavanagh	John Simmott	
Nichs Marshall	Jas Devereux	
John Redmond	Michael Browne	
J. H. Bopwell	John Rowe	

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 5708 *to No.* 5750, *inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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, ... £399 : 2 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £1453 : 8 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate now collected, also each Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2100	8		78	15	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	1890	3	10	1004	13	10
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JAMES KEANE,.....	do.	2115	5	3	1150	16	9	964	8	6
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	6040	5	9	2798	12	9

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -				78	15	10
	TOTAL, -				78	15	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				53	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				16	8	8
	Artramont, - -				21	19	10
	Drinagh, - - -				66	13	6
	Killinick, - - -				157	16	5
	Kilpatrick, - -				32	12	6
	Kilscoran, - -				84	19	
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -				69	16	9
	Rathaspeck, -				163	9	9
	Rosslare, - - -				76	18	8
	St. Helen's, -				100	8	7
	Tacumshane, - -				129	14	6
	TOTAL, -				1004	13	10
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				43	5	8
	Ballymitty, - -				37	15	5
	Carrig, - -				41		
	Forth, - - -				54	16	7
	Glynn, - - -				34	16	2
	Harperstown, - -				100		5
	Kilbride, - - -				53	14	11
	Killurin, - - -				50	10	2
	Taghmon, - - -				273	9	3
	Whitechurch, - -				61	5	11
	TOTAL, -				760	14	7
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				118	12	11
	Bridgetown, - -				128	18	3
	Duncormack, - -				92	5	6
	Harristown, - -				72	18	3
	Kilcowan, - -				86	9	9
	Killag, - - -				109	9	7
	Kilmore, - - -				208	11	1
	Newcastle,				66	5	10
	Tomhaggard, -				80	17	4
	TOTAL, -				964	8	6
	TOTAL.....				2798	12	9

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

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291 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £13 : 15 : 11 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 83 *s.* 5 *d.* 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	81	11	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

357	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,		40 lbs butter.
2	Ox-heads,	6	doz. of Wine,		7 lbs Ochre
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		2 st White lead
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		2 lbs Dryers
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,		6 doz Pint Tins
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,		4 gals boiled oil
510	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		7 lbs brown paint
1	cwt. of Salt,	4	Gallons of Barm,		2 lbs dryers
6	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		1 lb chrome
112	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		2 doz hairs
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		12 Coffins.
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,	1 cwt Malt 4 lbs hops			

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 24 *day of* March 18 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	10	0
In Kind, ...	2	10	6
Total	31	0	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s d.
1	No. I.	Murphy	13.0.0		
2	No. II.	Dillon	13.0.0		
	Total, ...		26.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

					£	s.	d.
Clo.	292	Coghlin	Check		7	5	.
Clo.	292	Comich	Calico		17	14	4
"	293	Joyce	Sheeting		10	16	8
Estab.	294	Harpur	Hardware		22	2	9
"	295	McGuire	Paints		2	6	5
"	296	Harpure	Candles		3		
"	297	Walsh	Timber		15	7	1
Inw	298	Doyle	Starch		4	2	10
"	300	Malone	Milk		25	14	4
"	301	Cleary	"		12	1	2
"	302	Hayes	"		14		8
"	303	Maddock	"		18	1	4
"	304	Gill	"		10		4
"	305	Byrne	"		10	12	10
"	306	Devereux	Whiskey		58	13	3
"	307	Cosgrove	Flour		91	17	6
"	308	Gaul	Meat		31	5	6
"	309	Scallan	Porter		6	6	
"	310	Wickham	Malt &c		3	16	
"	311	Gas Company	Gas		51	14	
"	312	Godkin & Co	Meal		13	2	
"	313	Rossiter	Eggs		6	13	9
Est.	314	O'Connor	Postage		2	3	7
Bur	315	Dempsey	Coffins		6	4	10
E.L.&c	316	Dillon	"	O.O.R	8	5	11
B town	317	Browne	Rent		2	10	
B Way	318	Joyce	"		2	8	9
C Beg	319	Dixon	"		5		
T. Mon	320	Ryan	"		3		
Coff	321	Cerish	"		7	10	.

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				£	s.	d.
Estab do	322	Hunt & Co	Medicines	109	7	6
Cattle Dis.	323	Malone	Salary	12	10	
E. Law & Co	324	Murphy	Coffins	8	15	11
Estab.	325	Hughes	Book	16	5	9
"	326	O'Connor	Poundage	62	3	1
B Way Dis.	327	Fortune	Rent	4	.	.

Courtenay Crother

27th May 1883

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

MASTER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

Lodged £11:12:6 received from the Managers of St Michael's Industrial School as payment for the Maintenance of pupils in Fever Hospital, 5/6 from Mr Doyle for Draw Envelopes, 9/- for maintenance of Mary Simott Forth E.D. 6/6 for a Coffin to Mrs C Purcell Barnow E.D.

The Matron wrote as follows :- Gentlemen, in reply to your orders regarding the Doctor's Report on me on Saturday last, I beg to state that the woman referred to has been a patient of his since she came to the house and one that I could not take proper care of down in the women's yard. The first and only intimation I got about her removal was a verbal one, from one of the inmates and I am not supposed to act on such in any matter of importance and did not know the Doctor had visited her that day until he had left the house and as there are four paid nurses with a large staff of Assistant nurses appointed to attend his patients, I thought they were the proper persons to carry out his orders regarding the sick. My reason for not going up on Tuesday was not out of any disrespect to the Doctor, but through respect for myself, as not being a subordinate Officer, my duty did not oblige me to go and when through courtesy I went on Monday it was only to receive a threat and gross insult in presence of the sisters for not having done what I believed to be their duty and that is the second time the Doctor has done the same to me in presence of Officers and inmates. I now most respectfully ask who in future am I to consider in charge of the patients, as my own duty as matron are as much as I can with justice attend to Hoping gentlemen that this will be considered satisfactory by the Board and for all past kindness I return you my most sincere thanks, Bridget Scallan, Matron.

Orders – That the following Committee be appointed to inquire into and report on the matter by next Board Day:- Messrs Casey, Peacocke, Ryan, J Walsh, McDonald.

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

Election of Chairman:- The following gentlemen were unanimously elected:-

Chairman:- Michael Browne, Esq.,
Vice Chairman:- Patrick Ryan, Esq.
Deputy Vice Chairman:- Richd Ryan, Esq.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 11,052. 30 March 1883. Referring to the application from the Porter of the Workhouse for liberty to till a piece of Ground attached to the ~~Workhouse~~ Fever Hospital and pointing out that any ground so tilled should be for the benefit of the Union.

Ordered.- A copy of the letter to be sent to the Porter of the Fever Hospital.

Mr Murphy, Rate Collector, wrote that he had dispensed with Mr Kerwin's services, now that his health was restored. He also sent the written consent of his sureties to the action which Mr. Kerwin had taken

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The Coffin contract having expired, it was Ordered.-

That as there are two carpenters ~~employed~~ at present inmates in the house, they be employed making a supply of coffins, and that any Coffins which are required for the Wexford Electoral Division, be given to the Relieving Officer free of charge.

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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	20
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	20
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	10
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	12
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	3

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the ____ __day of _____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Act.s

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

That the medicines be procured from the 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:—*

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee. Met on the 30th. inst. Rev J Alexander, in the chair. Also present:— Messrs Nolan, Stafford, Walsh, Browne, Power, Parle, Barry, French, W. Stafford & N. Stafford.

The Medical Officer, Dr Crean, wrote as follows:— 'In consequence of the death of my father, I have been advised by several friends to reside in Wexford. After mature consideration, I have made up my mind to do so, and it is with sincere regret I tender to you my resignation as Medical Officer of the Bridgetown Dispensary.

The Committee regretted his resignation and requested him to reconsider his determination of resigning. The Doctor agreed to postpone his resignation until the next meeting —the 6th instant.

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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 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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

District, . . £

District, . . £

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 Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, 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.

Barnow:- Messrs John McCarmich, Peter Furlong, John Breen, James E Mayler, M. K. Carish, N. Furlong, J. Murphy.
Bridgetown:- J French, Stafford, Mayler, Keating, Nolan Walsh, Codd, Day, Stafford, Power, Murphy, Parle, and Dr Cardiff and Rev. John Alexander.
Broadway:- Messrs. J Murphy, P Codd, J Murphy, ~~Cooney~~ Pettit, Rowe, Busher, Furlong, Simott, Davis, Reville, Harper, Doyle, Byrne, Furlong, P. Hore, Rowe, Murphy, Rowe & Boggan
Crossabeg:- Rev. J. J. Jacob, and Messrs Dixon, Furlong, Shortall, & O'Neill
Taghmon & Glynn:- Messrs Kehoe, Reville, Leacy, Carish, Meyler, Ryan, Doyle, Kehoe, Aspell, Fardy, Codd Roche & Henderson
Wexford:- ~~Lacy~~ Rev. M. Kelly C.C., V. Rev. M. Kavanagh, and Messrs Palk Chandler Lacy, Codd, ~~Fr~~ Roche & McGuire & Dr Sheridan.

Resolved:— That the Local Government Board be respectfully and earnestly requested to increase the Committee of the Barnow Dispensary District from 25 members to 30 members as twelve members of the present Committee are non-resident.

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 Local Government B *dated* 29 March 83 ~~*stating that*~~

Inquiring whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Barnow and Crossabeg Districts have complied with the Law

Ordered – It was stated on the Minutes of the 10th of March that those districts had complied with the law.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

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

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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 :

The Committee appointed to inspect the fencing of the Kilmore Burial Ground reports that ~~the~~ very little progress had been made with the work, and that trespass still continued.

Ordered – That the Contractor ~~the~~ and his sureties be reminded that the time for completing the Work expires on the 14th of April, and that in his tender he agreed to keep the Burial Ground free from trespass.

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 :

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Michael Browne Ch,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 7th day of April 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of April 1883

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, Permanent Buildings,	731	494
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	7
TOTAL,	812	501

	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.	10	34	158	164	41	29	40	17	21	514
Admitted during the week.	5	6	6	4	·	2	1	2	·	26
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	15	40	164	168	41	31	41	19	21	540
Discharged during the week.	6	9	8	3	·	5	1	·	3	35
Died, - - - - -	·	·	1	3	·	·	·	·	·	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	9	9	6	·	5	1	·	3	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	31	155	162	41	26	40	19	18	501

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	221	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	228	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	1	·	·	1
No. in Workhouse at date	·	·	·	0

No. at corresponding period last year 507

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of April 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	210	430			210	430
No. II.	156	398			156	398
TOTAL,	366	828			366	828

Comparative No. last year 740

Cost, £30 : 0 : 10

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 7th day of April 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq P, Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Patk McDonald, Richard Ryan D.V.C., John Walsh, Peter Cassin, Chas H Peacocke J.P., Nich Cooney Kils., Nichs Marshall, Edward Kearns, John Redmond, Michael Browne (Kill), John Sinnott (Forth), James Kehoe, John Colloton.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3148 *to No.* 3173 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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, ... £ 207 : 13 : 9

Paid during the week, ... £ 693 : 6 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 967 : 5 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected (either arrears or current). £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	1995	15	4	899	2	4
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	976	13	5	672	18	4
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	1150	16	9	964	8	6
	Total.....	8838	18	6	6238	7	6	2600	11	.

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	15	14	.	64	1	10
	Total, -	15	14	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	14			38	19	9
	Ardcolm, - - -	5			10	13	7
	Artramont, - -	10			11	11	11
	Drinagh, - - -	16			50	12	2
	Killinick, - - -	8			149	1	5
	Kilpatrick, - -	10			22	5	6
	Kilscoran, - -				84	19	
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -	3			66	9	5
	Rathaspeck, -	6			156	19	5
	Rosslare, - - -	13			63	4	3
	St. Helen's, -	3			97	7	4
	Tacumshane, - -	13			116	14	
	Total, -	101			889	2	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -	3[illegible]	10	2	39	15	6
	Ballymitty, - -	1	8	4	36	7	1
	Carrig, - -	15	5	6	25	14	6
	Forth, - - -	8	8	4	46	8	3
	Glynn, - - -	1	13	6	33	2	8
	Harperstown, - -	1	14	.	98	6	5
	Kilbride, - - -	2	10	.	51	4	11
	Killurin, - - -	2	10	2	48		1
	Taghmon, - - -	34	19		238	10	3
	Whitechurch, - -	5	17	3	55	8	8
	Total, -	77	16	3	672	18	4
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				118	12	11
	Bridgetown, - -				128	18	3
	Duncormack, - -				92	5	6
	Harristown, - -				72	18	3
	Kilcowan, - -				86	9	9
	Killag, - - -				109	9	7
	Kilmore, - - -				208	11	1
	Newcastle,				66	5	10
	Tomhaggard, -				80	17	4
	Total, -				964	8	6
	TOTAL.....	194	10	3	2600	11	0

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

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(3) *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £8 : 13 : 3 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 56 s. 19 d. 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	5	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	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	4	
Hall Diet, ...	2	0	

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

505	lbs. of Meat,	6	lbs. Irish Bacon,		1000 Carpenter's nails
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,		4 lbs Snuff
14	Bags of Flour,	½	Barrel of Porter,		4 " Copperas
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		4 " Powder
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,		1 Coil of fuze
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	66	doz. of Eggs,		1 doz. Oranges.
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,		
	Chests of Tea,	1	Ton of Soap,		
100	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,				

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 31 *day of* March 18 83 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	3	6
In Kind, ...	1	17	6
Total	32	1	0

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
4	No. I.	Murphy	18.0.0		
5	No. II.	Dillon	13.0.0		
	Total, ...		31.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

				£	s.	d.
Estab	6	Gas Co	Gasfittings	8	15	8
"	7	Simott	Chairs	6	1	6
Burial	8	Dempsey	Coffins	3	6	6
Wex. Dis	9	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Invoice	10	Gaul	Meat	31		6
Regs.	11	Stafford	Registration	2	3	1
"	12	Pierce	"	13	9	6
Estab.	13	McPartlan	Rent	3	13	6
Inv.	14	Rossiter	Eggs	3	10	5
				114	3	11

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£ s. d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All Contractors made over 10 per cent.

There is only one of the elected Sisters now doing duty in Hospital: I am not aware of the other three having the Board's leave of absence.

It having been ascertained that their places were supplied by Sisters from the Convent – it was

Ordered – That henceforth when any of the sisters require to be absent, they will report the matter to the Guardians, so as to obtain leave in the regular way.

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

No 126/ M 83. 5th April 83. Drawing attention to the Poor Law Commissioners' Circular of 82 relating to the appointment of Dispensary Committees and Wardens, and requesting that the necessary steps pointed out in that Circular will be taken.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 10,154. 4th April 83. Stating that they had received a Communication from Mr Nicholas C. Murphy tendering his resignation as Guardian for the Electoral Division of ~~Wexford~~ Tacumshane, and adding that his resignation had been accepted. They request to be informed whether the Board of Guardians deem it expedient that an Order should be issued for an election to supply the Vacancy Caused thereby.

Ordered— The Guardians think such a step expedient and hope the Local Government Board will issue such an Order at their earliest convenience.

No 11,207. 4 April 83. Expressing their sanction to the payment of £1 to Relieving Officer Murphy and 15/- to Relieving Officer Dillon as remuneration for their services under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in their respective Districts during the Half-year ended the 25th Ultimo.

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The Committee appointed to inquire into the matter concerning ~~not~~ the Matron ~~#~~ reported as follows:—

"We have examined into the entry on the Medical Officer's "Report Book, dated 24th March last, and have also taken "into consideration the Matron's letter to the Board of the "31st March.

"As regards that part of the Matron's letter asserting "that "a threat and gross insult' had been made to her "by the Medical Officer, we consider that no such "threat or insult was in any way intended by that "Officer.

"We consider that the Matron after having had a "personal interview with the Medical Officer should have "had the Infirm patient referred to removed at once.

"We recommend that in future whenever the Medical "Officer considers it necessary that any particular re-arrangement "of the disposal of the Infirm patients should be made, "a book should be provided for such orders or directions "to be entered in, and that the Board of Guardians direct "the Matron to see that the orders therein be carried out.

"Charles H Peacocke" "Richd Ryan" "Pat^k McDonald" "John Walsh" "Peter Cassin". The Report was adopted and the Matron was called before the Board, ~~and~~ the report read for her and she was directed to henceforth carry out the recommendations contained therein.

Mr Peacocke, J.P., stated that he had been informed that a sick boy named Kearns, had been refused admission to the Workhouse, notwithstanding that he had an order for admission to Hospital from the Workhouse Medical Officer, and asked the Master did he wish to offer any explanation.

The Master states that he did not know that the Boy was sick, that the boy told him that he was from the Taghmon District and that he had paid £1 to Dr Sheridan to go visit him, and that he did not consider a boy who could afford to do that, destitute.

(It afterwards transpired that it was the boy's employer who paid Dr Sheridan's fee) He read the Rules relating to the admission of Paupers, and pointed out that he was not bound to admit Kearns on the Order of the Medical Officer.

Ordered— That henceforth the Master is to admit

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patients on the recommendation of any Medical Officer in the Union, and if he afterwards find that there was any reason why the patient should not be admitted, he should report the circumstance to the Guardians.

The patient was admitted this day the 7th of april on a Relieving Officers Order.

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	25
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	26
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	10
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	6
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	4

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardions:—

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

That the Medicines be procured from the 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:—

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee :- Met on the 6th. Last year's Officers were reappointed. The Doctor stated that a Medical Relief Register was required. He also tendered his resignation and a resolution was passed unanimously accepting it with regret as he had given great Satisfaction and by his great ability, careful attention, Charity and Kindness, had won the esteem and regard of all classes.

Ordered – That the Secretary take the necessary steps by advertisement to have a qualified Doctor elected in place of Dr Crean resigned. Dr Crean agreed to do the duty of the District until his successor shall be appointed. The election to take place on the 7th of May next. A Medical Relief Register was supplied.

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *Statement of Salaries due*, as the case may be,) *under the Medical Chari[illegible] Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof* (or such other Directions as m[illegible] be given:)

_____ *Dispensary District,*

Account of Mr.	*for*	*Amount, £*

Taghmon & Glynn Dispensary Committee :- Met on the 2nd of April :- The following Officers were appointed :-

Chairman .- Mr Nicholas Codd
Vice Do .- Mr Richd Reville
Hon Secretary :- Mr. Stephen Kendergast
Hon Assistant Secretary .- Mr John R Doyle

Broadway Dispensary Committee: Met on the 6th April :- The Outgoing Officers were re-elected.

Wexford-Dispensary Committee :- Met on the 6th April The following Officers were elected :- Chairman .- Mr W. Coghlan Vice Chairman .- Dr Sheridan. ~~Hon~~ Honorary Sec- Rev M Kelly, C[illegible]

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

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

District,	. . .	£
District,	. .	£
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 Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, 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.

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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.

Wexford	42 cases
Crossabeg	5 "
Bridgetown	6 "

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

That the Relieving Officers serve the usual notices

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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.
Bridgetown	Dr Crean	Stating that a Covered Sewer would be better adopted to remove the nuisance at the back of the houses at Murrintown than the one at present constructed.	
Ordered – That a Notice be served on the the parties concerned to have a Covered Sewer constructed.			

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 :

From the Contractor for building the Boundary Wall at the Kilmow Burial Ground, Stating that the work would be much further advanced but for his ill-health. He now intends to push on the work and he will see that there shall be no further trespass.

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 :

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Michael Browne Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 14th day of April 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1883

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, Permanent Buildings,	731	489
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	8
TOTAL,	812	497

	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. 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.	9	31	155	162	41	26	40	19	18	501
Admitted during the week.	12	10	7	4	1	1	1	1	1	38
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	21	41	162	166	42	27	41	20	19	539
Discharged during the week.	11	7	7	3	3	1	2	1	3	38
Died,	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	.	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	7	8	4	3	2	2	2	3	42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	34	154	162	39	25	39	18	16	497

RETURN OF SICK & 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.	218	In separate Wards.	32
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	226	Total,	32

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	5	3	2	10
No. in Workhouse at date	.	1	.	1

No. at corresponding period last year 501

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	209	429			209	429
No. II.	152	288			152	288
TOTAL,	361	717			361	717

Comparative No. last year 756
Cost, £29:12:6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1883.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne Esq. Chairman
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd Ryan, Nichs Cooney, Michael Simott, C. H. Peacocke J.P., Patk McDonald, George Le Hunte 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. 3174 *to No.* 3211 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board

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, ... £ 185 · 12 · 6

Paid during the week, ... £ 121 · 19 · 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 1030 · 18 · 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, as above exc. Wards. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
Patrick Keating.....	do.	2894	17	8	1995	15	4	899	2	4
James Murphy,.....	do.	1649	11	9	976	13	5	672	18	4
James Keane,.....	do.	2115	5	3	1336	9	3	778	16	.
	Total....	8838	18	6	6424	.	.	2414	18	6

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -				64	1	10
	Total, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				38	19	9
	Ardcolm, - - -				10	13	7
	Artramont, - -				11	11	11
	Drinagh, - - -				50	12	2
	Killinick, - - -				149	1	5
	Kilpatrick, - -				22	5	6
	Kilscoran, - -				84	19	
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -				66	9	5
	Rathaspeck, -				156	19	5
	Rosslare, - - -				63	4	3
	St. Helen's, -				97	7	4
	Tacumshane, - -				116	14	
	Total, -				899	2	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -				39	15	6
	Ballymitty, - -				36	7	1
	Carrig, - - -				25	14	6
	Forth, - - -				46	8	3
	Glynn, - - -				33	2	8
	Harperstown, - -				98	6	5
	Kilbride, - - -				51	4	11
	Killurin, - - -				48		1
	Taghmon, - - -				238	10	3
	Whitechurch, - -				55	8	8
	Total, -				672	18	4
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	18	10	4	100	2	7
	Bridgetown, - -	20	10	6	108	7	9
	Duncormack, - -	6	2	4	86	3	2
	Harristown, - -	14	3	5	58	14	10
	Kilcowan, - -	14	15	.	71	14	9
	Killag, - - -	9	16	7	99	13	
	Kilmore, - - -	76	19	1	131	12	
	Newcastle,	8	5	4	58		6
	Tomhaggard, -	16	9	.	64	7	5
	Total, -	185	12	6	778	16	.
	TOTAL.....	185	12	6	2414	18	6

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

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15 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 6:6:9 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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 89 s. 11 d. 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	11	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

529 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,	200 yds Shrouding
2 Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	1 box lamp wicks
14 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1 Auger
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 Galvanized Can
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	2 Milk Saucepans
50 Gallons Buttermilk,	67 doz. of Eggs,	
520 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1 cwt. of Salt,	4 Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	
110 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,	
14 lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
cwt. of Rice,	2 lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,		

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 7th day of April 1883 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	0	7
In Kind, ...	2	5	0
Total	31	5	7

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
16	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
17	No. II.	Dillon	14.0.0		
	Total, ...		30.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

			£	s.	d.
Inv.	18	Gaul, Meat	18	19	8
Ds.	19	Irwin, Straw	5	"	"
			60	6	5

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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:—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All made over 10 per cent.

Capt. Hamilton, Local Government Board Inspector, visited and examined the House on yesterday.

A supply of straw required.
Ordered — That a Cheque for £5 be drawn in favour of the Master to enable him to purchase straw on the market.

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 12,210. 12 April 1883. Referring to the resolution of the Guardians on the 31st Ultimo requesting that the number of members of the Committee of Management of the Barnow Dispensary District might be increased from 25 to 30, and stating that they see no sufficient reason for the increase. They also point out that it is competent for the Guardians to appoint Wardens for the District, if they see fit.

Ordered — That the Local Government Board be again requested to comply with the wish of the Guardians in this matter, for the following additional reasons:— 1. Owing to the large number of non-resident members on the Committee it is very difficult to obtain a quorum and consequently, the ordinary business is frequently left undone. 2. The Valuation and Population of the District is far higher than that of the Taghmon & Glynn District — yet the Committee of Management of the latter, consist of 32 members.

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Resolved.— That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of the payment to the Rev. P. M. O'Leary (who has been performing the duties of Roman Catholic Chaplain since the death of the Rev. James Roche P.P., and who will continue to perform such duties until his successor is appointed) of a salary at the same rate of remuneration as that of the late Chaplain, namely, £70 per annum.

From the Granard Union, relating to the Seed Rate.

Ordered — That a special meeting of the Guardians be called for Saturday the 20th instant to consider this Circular.

From the Lord Mayor of Dublin requesting the Chairman to allow his name to be placed on the Committee of the National Tribute to Mr Parnell.

The Chairman stated that he had given the required permission

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	27
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Clerk of the Union.

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II. Public Health Acts

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Other Guardians:—

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

Bannow Dispensary Committee met on the 11th Inst.. The Officers appointed last year were reelected.

Crossabeg Dispensary Committee:- Met on the 13th.- Present - Messrs Le Hunte J.P., Shortall, McDonald, Rowe and Sinnott. The Officers of the previous year were re-elected. The Books were examined except the Register, which was written out. Some complaints against the Midwife having been made to some of the Committee, she was sent for, but being from home on professional duties - the Committee adjourned until the 20th instant,

Michael Sinnott Chairman

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Richd Ryan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 21st day of April 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	10	34	154	162	39	25	39	18	16	497
Admitted during the week.	6	9	4	5	7	3	·	3	·	37
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1
TOTAL,	16	43	158	167	46	28	39	21	17	535
Discharged during the week.	9	9	5	1	2	·	·	3	·	29
Died, - - - - -	1	·	2	·	1	·	1	·	·	5
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	9	7	1	3	·	1	3	·	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	34	151	166	43	28	38	18	17	501

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	211	In separate Wards.	32	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	–	
Total,	221	Total,	32	

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M.	F.	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	2	·	5
No. in Workhouse at date	1	·	·	1

No. at corresponding period last year 501

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of April, 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	211	432			211	432
No. II.	153	291			153	291
TOTAL,	364	723			364	723

Comparative No. last year 698
Cost, £27.19.6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 21st day of April 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richard Ryan, Esq., D.V.C.,
Other Guardians:

Messrs John J Wall, Chas H Peacocke J.P.
James Kehoe, John Redmond, Edwd Kearns
Matthew Parle, Michael Kavanagh, George Le Hunte J.P.
John Limoty, Adam O'Neill, John Walsh
John Rowe

Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3212 *to No.* 3248 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £188 : 15 : 5

Paid during the week, ... £107 · 17 · 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1111 · 16 · 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, to close each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	5	64	1	10
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	2118	19	10	775	18	3
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	1044	8	2	605	2	11
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	1336	9	6	778	16	
Total....		8838	18	6	6614	18	6	2223	19	

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	19			19	16	2
	Ardcolm, - - -	3			7	3	4
	Artramont, - -				11	11	11
	Drinagh, - - -	4			45	13	11
	Killinick, - - -	16			133	14	4
	Kilpatrick, - -				22	5	6
	Kilscoran, - -	14			70	9	11
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -	10			56	14	5
	Rathaspeck, -	4			152	10	.
	Rosslare, - - -	11			52	10	9
	St. Helen's, -	21			75	12	11
	Tacumshane, - -	19			97	10	6
	TOTAL, -	121	.	.	775	18	3
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	9	8	2	30	7	4
	Ballymitty, - -				36	7	1
	Carrig, - -				25	14	6
	Forth, - - -				46	8	3
	Glynn, - - -	10	7	1	22	15	7
	Harperstown, - -	15	16	5	82	10	
	Kilbride, - - -	6	7	3	44	17	8
	Kilturin, - - -	1	3	4	46	16	9
	Taghmon, - - -	23	10	2	215	.	1
	Whitechurch, - -	1	3		54	5	8
	TOTAL, -	67	15	5	605	2	11
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				100	2	7
	Bridgetown, - -				108	7	9
	Duncormack, - -				86	3	2
	Harristown, - -				58	14	10
	Kilcowan, - -				71	14	9
	Killag, - - -				99	13	
	Kilmore, - - -				131	12	
	Newcastle,				58		6
	Tomhaggard, -				64	7	5
	TOTAL, -				778	16	.
	TOTAL.....	188	15	5	2223	19	

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 10 : 4 : 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 Accounts.*
3. *The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.*

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 79 *s.* 6 *d.* 2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	5	0
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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

514	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 door latch
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	4 bolts & nuts
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	3 stone cut nails
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 hand saw & plain
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	4 doz screws
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	64	doz. of Eggs,	4 lbs Ochre
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	4 " Umber
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	7 " Pegs
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	3 " tip nails
100	lbs. of Sugar,	1	cwt. of Soda,	10,000 shoe nails
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,	14	lbs. of Starch,	4 doz scrub brushes
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	6 " Combs
	lbs. of Ginger,	50	Tons of Coal,	
	lbs. of Pepper,			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14 *day of* April 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	16	6
In Kind, ...		18	0
Total	31	14	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
21	No. I.	Murphy	17.0.0		
22	No. II.	Dillon	14.0.0		
	Total, ...		31.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
Inv. 23 Gaol. Meat	18	9	1
	59	13	10

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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

Two women Dudley and her daughter, very old inmates of the house complained that their clothes are not changed. They are habitually troublesome.

Trays are wanted in Ward 14 and Ward 8 of the Hospital. The bed clothes are soiled when soup &c are eaten without trays. The Laundry is not yet supplied with new troughs. The drying room is often of but moderate use. It is said the draught is bad when the wind is in certain points. This leads to a great waste of coal and ought to be remedied.

There are a great many young women in the house chiefly from Wexford. If there could be a Wexford Committee for the sole purpose of inquiring into the circumstances of this class, with a view to getting some occupation for them great benefit would accrue. The able-bodied men ought to break stones enough to pay for their support, or should be prosecuted.

18th April 1883 George Le Hunte

Ordered — That the Doctor, Master and Matron consult as to the best arrangement to be made regarding Dudley and her daughter. That the trays be supplied. The Master to attend to the Laundry Trough and the draft in the Drying Room. The able bodied men to be put to break stones and the Wexford Committee [illegible] to get places for the ~~able~~ young women

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All made over 10 per cent.

I think the services of the Assistant tailor may now be dispensed with.

It having been ascertained that all the boys had not yet a second suit made it was Ordered.

That the Assistant tailor be retained until every boy is provided with a second suit.

The Ten pigs are now quite fit for sale.

Ordered — Tenders to be invited by advertisement.

A boat of sand required.

Ordered — To be procured by the Master.

Some Chests of tea to be examined and compared with samples.

Messrs Wall Redmond & Kearns were appointed and reports them fully equal to sample.

An Inmate named Thomas Mackay died suddenly on the 19th. I informed the Police. An Inquest was held. The following was the finding of the Jury. "That Thomas Mackay was choked by the Meat sticking in his throat"

(Mem.— Mackay was supplied with a knife and fork to eat his dinner in the usual way. He did not use them, but took a large lump of meat which stuck in his throat and he was suffocated before the meat could be extracted)

A Committee will please examine the Coffins made during the week.

Messrs Redmond & Wall were appointed and reported that they were strong and well made

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

13,153. /83. 20 April 1883. Referring to the Minutes of the 7th Instant, respecting the allegis refusal of admission to the Workhouse Hospital of a boy named Kearns who had an order for admission from the Medical Officer, and pointing out that the Medical Officers have no authority to admit to the Workhouse or Workhouse Hospital. Also pointing out that the proper course to adopt in such cases, is to make the case known to the Relieving Officer. In a case of urgency and where the Relieving Officer cannot be found, a Medical Officer might give a letter of recommendation to the Workhouse Master for his guidance.

Ordered – That the Local Government be requested to state, if the Guardians exceeded their power in making the order relating to the above case on the 7th instant, and if the Master is to be at liberty to refuse admission to a patient similarly circumstanced

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No 14,184. 20 April 1883. Stating that they will not object to the proposed payment at the rate of £70 per annum to the Rev. P. M. O'Leary while acting as temporary Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse.

An able-bodied Inmate named Eliza Noy applied to the Guardians for a sum of £1 to assist her to emigrate. Her sisters, who paid her passage, are to meet her in New York, and as she was supplied with Clothing &c, she would only require ~~two~~ the amount named.

Ordered – That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of allowing Eliza Noy the above named sum.

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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	32
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	37
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	12
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	3
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	6
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	2

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 Electionn in every year).

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the____ __day of_____188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. Public Health Acts

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

Leroroalieg Dispensary Committee. Met on the 20th. Present.- Messrs, Sinnott (in the Chair) Le Hunte, Rowe Shartall, Dixon, McDonald, and the Rev. J G. Jacob.

Mrs Ryan the Midwife, states that the Reports circulated of her ~~t~~ neglect of poor persons, were false. The Committee told her that there should be no room for complaints of any sort, and it was decided that she should attend to the poor without payment. Also that tickets could be had from any member of the Committee or the Wardens.

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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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

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

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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 :

The Committee appointed regarding the Screen Burial Ground reported that they found it in a most disgraceful state and recommend that 11 perches of single wall to be 4½ feet high, with a batter of from 10 to 12 inches be built.

Ordered – That advertisements be issued inviting Tenders

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 :

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Michael Browne Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 28th day of April 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745 Present Net Annual Value, £108,039 14s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of April 1883

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. 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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	731	475										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	12										
TOTAL,	812	487										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			6	34	152	166	43	28	38	18	17	502
Admitted during the week.			8	3	5	2	1	2	1	1	1	24
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			14	37	157	168	44	30	39	19	18	526
Discharged during the week.			9	12	3	2	7	3	.	2	.	38
Died, - - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	12	3	2	7	3	1	2	.	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	25	154	166	37	27	38	17	18	487

RETURN OF SICK & 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,	212	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	12	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	224	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	–	–	3
No. in Workhouse at date	–	–	–	0

No. at corresponding period last year 493

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 28th day of April 1883 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	213	437			213	437
No. II.	153	291			153	291
TOTAL,	366	728			366	728

Comparative No. last year 697
Cost, £28 : 4 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 28th day of April 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Michael Simott, Nich. Marshall, Nich. Cooney, James Kehoe, George Le Hunte J.P., Richard Ryan, Chas H. Peacocke J.P., John Redmond, John Walsh, John Colloton, John Simott, Peter Cassin, John J. Wall, Edw. Kearns, Thos. Colloton

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3251 *to No.* 3274 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he had complied with the orders given him by the previous Board.

The Clerk states he was absent from ~~the~~ the Workhouse on Thursday and Friday, attending the New Ross Quarter Sessions where he was summoned to appear in the Case of Edwards v The Guardians for the Rent of the Barnow Dispensary. ~~Committee~~. The County Court Judge gave a decree for the rent due to 25th March 1883, namely £12.

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, ... £ 179 : 18 : 5

Paid during the week, ... £ 63 : 13 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £1228 : 0 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	Total Amount of Rates to be collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Total amount of Rate collected. £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate uncollected, or else exc. W. ck. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
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James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	1439	7	8	675	17	7
	Total....	8838	18	6	6804	17	11	2034	.	7

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	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
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	Ardcolm, - - -				7	3	4
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	Kilpatrick, - -	9	.	.	13	5	6
	Kilscoran, - -				70	9	11
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -				56	14	5
	Rathaspeck, -	66	.	.	86	10	.
	Rosslare, - - -	3	.	.	49	10	9
	St. Helen's, -	2	.	.	73	12	11
	Tacumshane, - -	4	.	.	93	10	6
	TOTAL, -	87	.	.	688	18	3
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				30	7	4
	Ballymitty, - -				36	7	1
	Carrig, - -				25	14	6
	Forth, - - -				46	8	3
	Glynn, - - -				22	15	7
	Harperstown, - -				82	10	.
	Kilbride, - - -				44	17	8
	Killurin, - - -				46	16	9
	Taghmon, - - -				215		1
	Whitechurch, - -				54	5	8
	TOTAL, -				605	2	11
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	11	2	11	88	19	8
	Bridgetown, - -	24	.	.	84	7	9
	Duncormack, - -	17	10	8	68	12	6
	Harristown, - -	3	13	9	55	1	1
	Kilcowan, - -	8	13	9	63	1	.
	Killag, - - -	9	3	7	90	9	5
	Kilmore, - - -	16	5	7	105	6	5
	Newcastle,				58	.	6
	Tomhaggard, -	12	8	2	57	19	3
	TOTAL, -	102	18	5	675	17	7
	TOTAL.....	189	18	5	2034	.	7

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2. *The Provision Check Accounts.*
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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 65 *s.* 18 *d.* 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	83	8	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		5	4
Hall Diet, ...		2	0

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

497 lbs. of Meat,	6 lbs. Irish Bacon,	60 yds Tweed	
2 Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	2 cwt Indian Meal for pigs.	
13 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1000 nails	
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 gross Iron Spoons	
1 Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,		
50 Gallons Buttermilk,	65 doz. of Eggs,		
510 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		
1 cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,		
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,		
105 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,		
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,		
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,		
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,		
lbs. of Pepper,			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 *day of* April 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	3	0
In Kind, ...	1	8	6
Total	31	11	6

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

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

	Relief District.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
25	No. I.	Murphy	18·0·0		
26	No. II.	Dillon	16·0·0		
	Total, ...		34·0·0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
27 Gaol Meat	17	16	11
	57	13	11

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£	s.	d.

Debit the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer 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 case* —

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 :—

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, ; Mr Gill, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, Mr. Malone,

All the Contractors made over 10 per cent.

Committee required to examine soap, tweed and bed rugs.

Messrs Ryan, Wall, and Walsh, were appointed and reported that the Soap and Tweed were equal to samples — all the bed rugs were not supplied.

Will the Board please allow a small quatity of tobacco weekly to the man making the Coffins.

Ordered — Allowed.

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

No. 14,185 / 83. 26th April '83. An Order increasing the number of Members of the Committee of Management of the Bannow Dispensary District from 25 to 30 members.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board, 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):—

No 15,085. 27th April '83. Relating to the admission of patients to the Workhouse Hospital and stating that if a Medical Officer consider a patient under his care requires admission to Workhouse Hospital and that he be of opinion that the case is of such urgency that it would not be prudent to incur the risk and delay which would result from having to apply to the Relieving Officer, then he should state the facts on his recommendation for the information of the Master of the Workhouse.

Ordered— That the Local Government be again requested to state if the Guardians exceeded their power in making the Order of the 27th Instant relating to the admission of Paupers to the ~~[illegible]~~ Hospital

A resolution from the Granard Union relating to the seed Rate was adopted, and on the motion of Mr Simott, seconded by Mr Redmond, Mr. Peacocke J.P. was requested to act on the Deputation to the Lord Lieutenant or Prime Minister, relating thereto, on behalf of this Union.

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The Tender of Mr Laurence Kervin for ten pigs for £45.5:0 was accepted

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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 and 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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

District,	.	£
District,	. .	£
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 Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, 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.

That the following additional names be added to the Bamow Dispensary Committee:—
Messrs, Andrew Cullen, R. Deneneux, John Breen, and Thomas White.

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

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been Vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. .

Bannow 6 cases

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

That the Relieving Officer serve the usual notices

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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 :

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 :

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Richd Ryan Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 5th

day of May 1883

Signed, James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union.

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