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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 May 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	480
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	81	13
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL.	812	493

	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.	5	25	154	166	37	27	38	17	18	487
Admitted during the week.	13	12	7	2	3	2	2	·	2	43
Born - - - -	-	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	3
TOTAL	18	37	161	168	40	29	40	17	23	533
Discharged during the week.	13	11	4	6	2	·	2	2	·	40
Died, - - - - -	-	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	-
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	11	4	6	2	·	2	2	·	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	5	26	157	162	38	29	38	15	23	493

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,	213	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	13	In Wards with other Inmates	·
Total,	226	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	10	5	2	17
No. in Workhouse at date	4	1	1	6

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 28th day of May 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.	212	437			212	437
No. II.	152	300			152	300
TOTAL,	364	737			364	737

Comparative No. last year 692

Cost, £27 : 12 : 6

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richard Ryan Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians: Messrs C. H. Peacocke jr. Edmond How, John Rowe, John Walsh, Patk. McDonald, Jas Kehoe, John Sinnott

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3275 *to No.* 3319 *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, ... £ 174 . 0 . 4

Paid during the week, ... £ 62 . 13 . 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £1339 . 7 . 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The 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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				16	15	2
	Ardcolm, - - -	1			7	4	6
	Artramont, - -	2			8	19	11
	Drinagh, - - -	4			42	8	3
	Killinick, - - -	52			72	7	3
	Kilpatrick, - -	2			20		6
	Kilscoran, - -				70	9	11
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -	27			27	8	3
	Rathaspeck, -				87	3	1
	Rosslare, - - -				49	5	9
	St. Helen's, -				73	9	2
	Tacumshane, - -	30			63	6	6
	TOTAL, -	118	.	.	571	2	10
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -	4	18	.	25	9	4
	Ballymitty, - -	2	9	10	33	17	3
	Carrig, - -				25	14	6
	Forth, - - -		8	8	45	19	7
	Glynn, - - -				22	15	7
	Harperstown, - -	3	12	8	78	17	4
	Kilbride, - - -	1	12	6	43	5	2
	Killurin, - - -	6	17	5	39	19	4
	Taghmon, - - -	25	10	5	189	9	8
	Whitechurch, - -		10	10	53	14	10
	TOTAL, -	46	19	14	559	2	7
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	115	6	5
	Newcastle,				58		6
	Tomhaggard, -	12	8	2	51	19	3
	TOTAL, -	102	18	5	675	17	7
	TOTAL.....	256	18	3	870	4	10

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

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, also Exc. Work. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2323	14	10	571	2	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1090	9	2	559	2	7
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1439	7	8	675	17	7
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	6968	13	8	1870	4	10

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28 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 7 : 11 : 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 £ 147 *s.* 13 *d.* 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	82	12	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	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:—

507	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 bbl of oats
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	12 bolts & nuts
13	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	2 tin tea pots
1	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	6 lbs copperas
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	2 " Ochre
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	66	doz. of Eggs,	4 " brown paint
510	Gallons Newmilk,	12	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	1 gal turpentine
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	1 lb. tobacco
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	200 lbs hut leather
100	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	200 yds Linsey
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	200 " Calico
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	200 " "
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	1 lb. turnip Seed
14	lbs. of Pepper,			½ lb. Mangold "
		15	doz Birch Brooms	1 oz Leek Seed

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* April 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	12	0
In Kind, ...	1	2	0
Total	32	14	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.
29	No. I.	Murphy	17.0.0		
30	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.
Estab.	31	McPartlan	Rent	3	13	6
"	32	Irwin	Pigs	11	13	9
	~~33~~	~~Walpole & Co~~				
Inv.	34	Gafney	Coal	42	3	9
"	35	Devereux	Tea &c	108	17	1
"	36	Marlow	Coal	10	8	
"	37	Godkin & Co	Flour	108	2	3
"	38	Rossiter	Eggs	14	3	10
Werf's &c	39	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Registr.	40	Boyd	Fees	2	15	
"	41	Pigott	"	2	6	
Estab.	42	Mackey	Advertising	2	10	
"	43	Kearns	Suit of Clothes	5		
Inv.	44	Gill	Milk	14	2	.
"	45	Malone	"	15	18	
"	46	Hayes	"	14	1	10
"	47	Maddock	.	21	9	
"	48	Gaul	Meat	18	4	1
"	49	Cleary	Milk	14	12	8
"	50	~~Walpole~~	& Co Soap	28	1	8
Burial Grounds	51	Howlin	Fencing	20	.	.
				509	4	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 : —

5th May 1883. We visited the House this day and found it in good order, excepting the ceiling of the large female ward which is in a dangerous state. A portion of it has fallen down and we recommend that the defective points be at once repaired. C. H Peacocke Richd. Ryan

Ordered — The Master to get the repairs on the ceiling properly executed.

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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. Cleary and Maddock high over it

Lodged £45 : 5 : 0 received for ten pigs

Bought 5 pigs on the 1st. for £11 : 13 : 9

Will the Board kindly grant me one half-dozen of Chairs
Ordered — Allowed.

The Ceiling of one of the Hospital Wards requires repairs.
Ordered — The Master to get the repairs properly executed

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

No 15,265. 1st May 1883. Consenting to the Emigration Expenses (amount £1) to New York of Eliza Noy, aged 22 years.

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 15,982. 4 May 83. Relating to the order for admission to Hospital of patients, made by the Guardians on the 7th instant and stating that the Guardians had no authority to delegate to Medical Officers, powers which they do not possess and consequently the Guardians so far exceeded their authority. With respect to the admission of patients in exceptional cases the Local Government Board have already advised the Guardians as to the proper mode of proceeding by the Medical Officer.

~~Order~~ There was no order made

The following Order was made regarding Visitors:—

That, as far as practicable, the visiting hours shall be daily from 11 to 12 o'clock, for persons from the country, or for persons having friends dangerously ill. But that the Master shall have discretion to admit persons at any time if he see a ~~proper~~ sufficient reason for doing so. That all

persons requiring admission outside of those hours, shall receive an order from the Master.

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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 10 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.

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 Tender of John Whitty and Patrick Morris for Building a Wall round the Screen Burial Ground as per advertisement, for a sum of £43, 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 Charges were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows .

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Michael Browne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 12th

day of May 1883

Signed, James 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 12th day of May 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, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	781	475										
	81	14										
TOTAL.	812	489										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			5	26	157	162	38	29	38	15	23	493
Admitted during the week.			16	3	2	2	3	3	·	2	·	31
Born - - - -			·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL			21	29	159	164	41	32	38	17	23	524
Discharged during the week.			16	9	4	·	1	·	·	·	2	32
Died, - - - - -			1	1	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	10	4	1	1	·	·	·	2	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			4	19	155	163	40	32	38	17	21	489

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.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other Inmates	-
Total,	226	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	8	2	4	14
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	—

No. at corresponding period last year 485

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 12th day of May 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.	219	459			219	459
No. II.	150	299			150	299
TOTAL,	369	758			369	758

Comparative No. last year 712

Cost, £28 : 10 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 12th day of May 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman,

Other Guardians:

Messrs Patk. McDonald, C. H. Peacocke, Jr., James Kehoe, George Le Hunte, Jr., Edmond Hore, John Walsh, Nicholas Marshall, John Walsh, John Simott, Thos. Cardiff, Nichs. Cooney, Patrick Ryan V.C., Richd. Ryan D.V.C., Michl. Simott, John Rowe, 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. 3321 *to No.* 3351 *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, ... £ 45 : 5 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 484 : 4 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour *of the Guardians was* £ 894 : 7 : 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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				16	15	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				7	4	6
	Artramont, - -				8	19	11
	Drinagh, - - -				42	8	3
	Killinick, - - -				72	7	3
	Kilpatrick, - -				20	.	6
	Kilscoran, - -				70	9	11
	Lady's Island, - -				30	4	7
	Mayglass, - -				27	8	3
	Rathaspeck, -				87	3	1
	Rosslare, - - -				49	5	9
	St. Helen's, -				73	9	2
	Tacumshane, - -				63	6	6
	TOTAL, -				571	2	10
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				25	9	4
	Ballymitty, - -				33	17	3
	Carrig, - -				25	14	6
	Forth, - - -				45	19	7
	Glynn, - - -				22	15	7
	Harperstown, - -				78	17	4
	Kilbride, - - -				43	5	2
	Killurin, - - -				39	19	4
	Taghmon, - - -				189	9	8
	Whitechurch, - -				53	14	10
	TOTAL, -				559	2	7
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				88	19	8
	Bridgetown, - -				84	7	9
	Duncormack, - -				68	12	6
	Harristown, - -				55	1	1
	Kilcowan, - -				63	1	
	Killag, - - -				90	9	5
	Kilmore, - - -				115	6	5
	Newcastle,				58	.	6
	Tomhaggard, -				51	19	3
	TOTAL, -				645	17	7
	TOTAL.....				1870	4	10

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	£	s.	d.	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	2115	17	8	9	2115	14	10	7	64	1	2	7
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2323	14	10	9	2323	10	2	8	571	2	10	7
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1090	9	2	8	1090	2	7	7	559	2	17	7
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1439	7	8	7	1439	7	8	7	645	17	7	7
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	6968	18	8	10	6968	18	8	10	1870	4	10	10

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

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

52 £ 12 · 19 · 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 £ 142 *s.* 10 *d.*

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	80	19	3
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:—

532	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 gross iron heels
2	Ox-heads,	5	doz. of Wine,	4 lbs Snuff
13	Bags of Flour,	½	Barrels of Porter,	2 Press & 1 Bad Lock
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	100 yds Linen
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	100 .. Winey
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	67	doz. of Eggs,	
510	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	
105	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	
14	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 5 *day of* May 181

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	6	0
In Kind, ...	1	4	6
Total	30	10	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	By Order on Contractors. Value. £ s. d.
53	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
54	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.
55	Gaol Meat	19	1	10
56	Taylor Decree & Costs, Barrow Dis.	14	11	.
		47	12	4

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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,

All contractors made over 10 per cent.

Bed Rugs to be examined by Clothing Committee.
The Committee appointed reported that the rugs were fully equal to sample.

A Committee will please examine the work being done on Hospital
Messrs Peacocke Jr., Ryan and Walsh were appointed and as it was stated that another Ward would probably require repairs, power was given to the Committee to get the required work done if they saw there was a necessity

The following Articles of Clothing have been given during the Half-year ended 25th March '83, to persons leaving the Workhouse for employment — the Board will please order them to be deducted from Clothing Stock :—
Mens' :— 2 coats, 2 vests, 2 trowsers, 5 shirts, 4 shoes and 4 stockings. Womens' :— 3 petticoats, 6 shifts, 2 shoes, 2 stockings, 1 bonnett and 2 shawls, Boys' :— 4 coats, 4 vests, 4 trowsers, 10 shirts, 8 shoes, 10 stockings & 6 caps. Girls' :— 4 frocks, 4 petticoats, 16 shifts, 4 biles, 5 shoes, 8 stockings, 3 jackets, 3 hats.
Ordered — That the above articles be deducted from the 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:—

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 from Mr Taylor for the sum of £14:11:0 amount of Decree and Costs in the Case of Edwards v The Guardians was read and it was ordered that a Cheque be sent for the amount.

Proposed by Mr Peacocke J.P., seconded by Mr Walsh, and passed unanimously — That the Rate Collectors be requested to close their collection, and submit their Arrear sheets by the 23rd June next.

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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	31
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	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 1

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 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:—*

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee. Met on the 7th instant. Present:- Rev J Alexander (Chairman), Dr Cardiff, Dr Boswell, Captain Walker, and Messrs W. Boswell, J.H. Boswell, Francis King, John Walsh, John Day, Matthew Mayler, Richd Murphy, W. Stafford, N Stafford, P. Parle, E. Staples, John Nolan, John Simott, Jas Cadd, Jas Power, P. Ffrench, J. Browne, Thos Cardiff, N. Keating, T. Stafford, & M Browne.

The Committee proceeded to elect a Medical Officer in place of Dr Crean, resigned. There were applications from two Candidates – Dr Magrath Foley and Dr Patk Donnellan. Their Diplomas having been examined it was proposed by Mr P. Ffrench and seconded by Mr. T. Stafford "That Dr Patrick Donnellan be appointed Medical Officer of

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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 District at a salary of £100 per annum with Vaccination and Registration Fees and £15 per annum as Medical Offier of Health." Dr Foley said that after consulting with his friends, he wished to withdraw his application and thanked the members of the Committee who came there to support him. Dr Domellan was then unanimously elected.

Dr Crean was appointed to do the duty of the District for two weeks pending the sanction of the Local Government Board to Dr Domellan's appointment. Dr Crean consenting on the understanding that he was to receive a Salary of 3 guineas per Week.

Ordered — That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of the payment of a sum of 3 guineas per

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,* . . £~~

week to Dr Crean for a period of two weeks.

Crossabeg Dispensary Committee :- Met on the 11th inst. Present - Rev G. H. Jacob and Mr Le Hunte. The Medical Offier reported one case of Scarlatina near Castlesow - the patient convalescent. Every precaution had been taken to prevent contagion

[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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Michael Browne Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 19th

day of May 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 19th day of May 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	478
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	14
TOTAL,	812	492

	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.	4	19	155	163	40	32	38	17	21	489
Admitted during the week.	9	8	10	4	2	1	·	2	·	36
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL,	13	27	165	167	42	33	38	19	21	525
Discharged during the week.	7	6	7	2	3	3	·	1	1	30
Died, - - - - -	1	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	6	7	3	4	3	·	1	1	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	5	21	158	164	38	30	38	18	20	492

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,	209	In separate Wards.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	223	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	5	1	3	9
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year 482

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of May 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.	219	456			219	456
No. II.	155	318			155	318
TOTAL,	374	774			374	774

Comparative No. last year 719

Cost, £ 28: 5 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 19th day of May 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians: Messrs John Redmond, Richd. Ryan, Michael Simott, John Simott, Edwd. Kearns, C. H. Peacocke J.P., Arthur Keating, John J Wall, Jas Hayden

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3352 *to No.* 3367 *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, ... £ 101 · 8 · 7

Paid during the week, ... £ 94 · 11 · 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 904 · 5 · 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 uncollected at close of Week. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2398	14	10	496	2	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1113	15	5	535	16	4
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1585	15	1	529	10	2
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	7213	7	4	1625	11	2

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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				16	5	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				7	4	6
	Artramont, - -				8	19	11
	Drinagh, - - -				42	8	3
	Killinick, - - -	15			57	7	3
	Kilpatrick, - -	7			13	.	6
	Kilscoran, - -	23			47	9	11
	Lady's Island, - -	13			17	4	7
	Mayglass, - -	2			27	8	3
	Rathaspeck, -	5			82	3	1
	Rosslare, - - -				49	5	9
	St. Helen's, -				73	9	2
	Tacumshane, - -	10			53	6	6
	TOTAL, -	75	.	.	496	2	10
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	1	19	1	23	10	3
	Ballymitty, - -	1	12	8	32	4	7
	Carrig, - -	5	19	6	19	15	.
	Forth, - - -	5	17	4	40	2	8
	Glynn, - - -		9	8	22	5	11
	Harperstown, - -		8	.	78	9	4
	Kilbride, - - -	1	15		41	10	2
	Killurin, - - -	2	8	5	37	10	11
	Taghmon, - - -	2	16	7	186	13	1
	Whitechurch, - -				53	14	10
	TOTAL, -	23	6	3	535	16	4
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	11	4	1	77	15	7
	Bridgetown, - -	24	16	6	59	11	3
	Duncormack, - -	6	16		61	16	6
	Harristown, - -				55	1	1
	Kilcowan, - -	15	3	8	47	17	4
	Killag, - - -	9	3	3	81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -	39	4	6	76	1	11
	Newcastle,	19	13	7	38	6	11
	Tomhaggard, -	20	5	10	31	13	5
	TOTAL, -	146	7	5	529	10	2
	TOTAL.....	244	13	8	1625	11	2

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
57 £ 5 · 19 · 8 *was produced and passed.*

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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.* 9 *d.* 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	81	10	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:—

517	lbs. of Meat,	6	lbs. Irish Bacon,	3 lbs twine
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	½ lb mangold seed
13	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	1 st cut nails
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	4 doz tablet rings
1	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	40 lbs Kip leather
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	67	doz. of Eggs,	40 " Slitter
520	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	2 st white lead
1	cwt. of Salt,	4	Gallons of Barm,	
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	
104	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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1. *The several Clothing Accounts.*
2. *The Medical Officers' Books.*

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 12 *day of* May 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	8	6
In Kind, ...	1	14	0
Total	33	2	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.
58	No. I.	Murphy	18 · 0 · 0		
59	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.
60	Irwin Straw	5	.	.
61	Gaul Meat	18	11	2
		63	8	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,

Lodged £1·19·4. payment for P. Furlong pensioner Taghmon E.D.
8·0 Vegetables sold to N Bailey
15·0 Two Coffins supplied to R.I.C. Union charges
£·12·4 Total

Calico, Winsey and Leather to be examined by Clothing Committee.
Messrs Ryan, Simott and Redmond were appointed and reported that the goods were equal to samples

I have again to remind the Board of the necessity of purchasing a good horse for the conveyance of Patients.
Ordered — To be advertised for

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

No 154. U. A copy of a Sealed Order issued for Election of Guardians to supply Vacancies. Tacumshane E. Division in this Union is included

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):—

From the General Valuation Office notifying that Mr John Farmer will attend to make the annual revision of the Valuation of this Union commencing on the 25th instant

A communication was read from the Granard Union stating that the Deputation regarding the Seed Rate from the different Poor Law Unions would wait on his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant on the 25th instant.

Ordered — That Mr Peacocke J.P. be requested to represent this Union.

Mr Peacocke consented.

At the conclusion of the regular business of the Board the following resolution was passed unanimously: —

"That we in this critical period of our history, once more express our entire confidence in the leadership of Charles Stuart Parnell; and to give practical effect to this resolution we hereby open a Subscription to the Parnell National Tribute."

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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 24

Ditto, disallowed ... ... —

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 36

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 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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(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 L.G. Board, No 13154 *dated* 18 May 83

requesting ~~stating~~ that

they may be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Wexford Crossabeg and Bridgetown Districts have yet ~~since~~ complied with the law

Ordered – The Relieving Officers to report next Saturday.

[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

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.
Mr Dillon reports that he had two houses in Broadway District thoroughly disinfected since Last Board Day			

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 26th day of May 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 26th day of May 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	468
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	10
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL,	812	478

	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.	5	21	158	164	38	30	38	18	20	492
Admitted during the week.	4	3	2	5	1	1		3	2	21
Born - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	9	24	160	169	39	31	38	21	22	513
Discharged during the week.	9	8	4	4	-	-	1	4	4	34
Died, - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	9	8	4	4	-	-	2	4	4	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	-	16	156	165	39	31	36	17	18	478

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards,	207	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date. In separate Wards. 31
	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates ~
	Total,	217	Total, 31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

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 26th day of May 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.	219	453			219	453
No. II.	157	322			157	322
TOTAL,	376	775			376	775

Comparative No. last year 716

Cost, £28 : 13 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 26th day of May 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd. Ryan D.V.C. Michael Sinnott
Patk. McDonald Patk Ryan V.C. Adam O'Neill
Peter Cassin Edmond Hore John Walsh
C.H. Peacocke JP. Nichs. Cooney Edwd. Leacy
James Devereux

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3388 *to No.* 3408 *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. Courtenay Cooke attended here on the 22nd and 23rd instant and audited the Accounts of the Union for the Half-year ended the 25th of March last.

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, ... £ 146 : 7 : 5

Paid during the week, ... £ 66 : 3 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 984 : 9 : 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.

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	2115	2	.	64	1	10
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	2398	14	10	496	2	10
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	1113	15	5	535	16	4
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	1585	15	1	529	10	2
Total.....		8838	18	6	7213	7	4	1625	11	2

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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				16	5	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				7	4	6
	Artramont, - -				8	19	11
	Drinagh, - - -				42	8	3
	Killinick, - - -				57	7	3
	Kilpatrick, - -				13	.	6
	Kilscoran, - -				47	19	11
	Lady's Island, - -				17	4	7
	Mayglass, - -				29	8	3
	Rathaspeck, -				82	3	1
	Rosslare, - - -				49	5	9
	St. Helen's, -				73	9	2
	Tacumshane, - -				53	6	6
	TOTAL, -				496	2	10
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				23	10	3
	Ballymitty, - -				32	4	7
	Carrig, - -				19	15	.
	Forth, - - -				40	2	3
	Glynn, - - -				22	5	11
	Harperstown, - -				78	9	4
	Kilbride, - - -				41	10	2
	Killurin, - - -				37	10	11
	Taghmon, - - -				186	13	1
	Whitechurch, - -				53	14	10
	TOTAL, -				535	16	4
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				77	15	7
	Bridgetown, - -				59	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				61	16	6
	Harristown, - -				55	1	1
	Kilcowan, - -				47	17	4
	Killag, - - -				81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -				76	1	11
	Newcastle,				38	6	11
	Tomhaggard, -				31	13	5
	TOTAL, -				529	10	2
	TOTAL.....				1625	11	2

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
62 £ 11 : 2 : 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 £ 64 *s.* 6 *d.* 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	81	2	3
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, ...	1	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:—

517 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,		10,000 Shoenails
2 Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,		4 lbs tip nails
14 Bags of Flour,	½ Barrel of Porter,		1 st Chloride of lime
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,		100 galvanized hooks
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,		
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	68 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,		
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 19 *day of* May 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	9	6
In Kind, ...		11	6
Total	31	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.
63	No. I.	Murphy	18·0·0		
64	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.
65 Gaol Meat	18	11	2
	63	13	2

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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,

Lodged as follows :-

	£ s d
Maintenance of Mrs Fox (Wexford Charge)	0·14·0
" of Law. Elliott "	0·10·8
Total	1·4·8

100 yds of linen to be compared with sample by Clothing Committee

Messrs Richard Ryan and Patrick Ryan were appointed and reported that the Article was equal to sample

It would be advisable to advertise for the winter supply of coals. Present stock may last until about the end of June.

Ordered — That 250 tons be advertised for, 50 tons to be supplied at once and the remainder in September.

Medical Officer's Report :- The Male Idiot Yard requires a quantity of sand to be placed upon it. In its present rough state, I am afraid that some of the Epileptics may injure themselves during a fit. There are two men named Kelly and Carley at present in the Idiot department. Kelly is insane and I would recommend his removal to the Lunatic Asylum. Carley is an Epileptic and his fits are of such a violent Character, that I believe it is very dangerous to have him in this department with the present Accommodation. I would suggest that, if possible he also be sent to the Lunatic Asylum.

Michael J Sheridan.

Ordered — The Master to get the yard overspread with sand, and to procure forms at once from the Medical Officer of the Lunatic Asylum for the purpose of having the above cases transferred to that Institution.

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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):—

The Tender of James Gaul for best beef without bone at 8½ per lb, ~~and for Cabbage~~ was accepted.
The Tender of Mr T. Rourke for Ax-heads at 2:0 each ~~were~~ was accepted

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Notice of Motion.– I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will move that in consequence of the very unpleasant relations between this Board and Mr Taylor we shall henceforth cease to consult him as our Solicitor.

Edmond Hore

26th May 83

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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	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	21
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	3
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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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 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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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively) as follows :–

Read Letter from L.G. Board, No 14,769 *dated* 22nd May 83 ~~*stating that*~~

Approving of the remuneration, namely Three Guineas a week proposed to be allowed Dr Crean for acting as Temporary Medical Officer of the Bridgetown Dispensary District.

No 14,5 74. 22nd May 1883. Enclosing a copy of a Letter which they had addressed to the Committee of Management of the Bridgetown Dispensary District expressing their approval of the appointment of Dr Patrick Domellan as Medical Officer of the District. Also instructing the Clerk to supply Dr Domellan with the List referred to in Form No 5, ~~referred to~~ in the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.

The Clerk states that he has furnished Dr Domellan with the Form.

No 15983. 25th May 83. Requesting to be informed if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Bannow Dispensary District had complied with the Law.

Ordered – The Relieving Officer to report on Bannow and Bridgetown Districts 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. .

Regarding Vaccination Defaulters

Mr Murphy Relieving Officer reports that in the Wexford District all that are fit have complied with the law, but that two had left the District. He also reported that all who are fit in the Crossabeg District have complied with the law.

Ordered – That notices be served by Registered Letter on the parents of the two cases which have left the District.

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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.

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 9,313. 19 May 83. Requesting that they may be furnished with a copy of the Report of the Committee appointed to inspect the Screen Burial Ground.

The Committee reported on the 21st of April (see Minutes) that they found this Burial Ground in a most disgraceful state, and they recommended that a single wall, 11 perches long, 4½ feet high, and with a batter of from 10 to 12 inches be built. Advertisements were accordingly issued, and a tender accepted for the performance of the work (for £43) on the 5th instant.

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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Permanent Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,	81	11										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL,	812	478										
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Admitted during the week.			10	6	8	3	.	1	.	1	2	31
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			20	24	168	158	30	32	45	18	14	509
Discharged during the week.			5	4	5	8	.	1	1	1	2	27
Died, - - - - -			.	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	5	7	8	.	1	2	1	2	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			15	19	161	150	30	31	43	17	12	478

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.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	216	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 488

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No. I.	220	455			220	455
No. II.	160	324			160	324
TOTAL,	380	779			380	779

Comparative No. last year 726

Cost, £29 : 11 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 2nd day of June 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq P., Chairman,
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd. Ryan D.V.C. Francis Marshall
Michael Simott John Walsh Edmond Hore
George Le Hunte J.P. John Simott John Redmond

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. ~ *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.

Rate Collectors Keating & Keane did not attend during the week.

Ordered — That these Collectors be requested to explain their non-attendance during the week.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £ 73 : 16 : 3

Paid during the week, ... £ 63 : 13 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 994 : 12 : 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.

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 week. £	s.	d.
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	Ballymitty, - -		12	7	31	12	.
	Carrig, - - -	1	6	2	18	8	10
	Forth, - - -	3	15	8	36	6	7
	Glynn, - - -	1	5	4	21	.	7
	Harperstown, - -	5	15	.	72	14	4
	Kilbride, - - -	16	12	.	24	18	2
	Killurin, - - -	7	12	3	29	18	8
	Taghmon, - - -	21	14		164	19	1
	Whitechurch, - -	6	16	6	46	18	4
	TOTAL, -	66	19	7	468	16	9
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				77	15	7
	Bridgetown, - -				59	11	9
	Duncormack, - -				61	16	6
	Harristown, - -				55	1	1
	Kilcowan, - -				47	17	4
	Killag, - - -				81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -				76	1	11
	Newcastle,				38	6	11
	Tomhaggard, -				31	13	5
	TOTAL, -				529	10	2
	TOTAL.....				1558	11	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 (66) £ 4 : 0 : 8 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 66 *s.* 2 *d.* 2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	80	0	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:—

500	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,	6	Bottles of Gin,
60	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,
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,		

500 Flooring brads
½ st. Cut nails
4 st. hoop iron
4 lbs. Copperas
4 .. twine (fine)
4 .. .. (Coarse)
1000 Carpenters' nails
6 doz screws
Saw file
2 gals Oil (boiled)
2 lbs green paint
12 lbs. Scale candles
1 lb Charcoal
1 lb incense.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 *day of* May 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	18	0
In Kind, ...	1	1	0
Total	32	19	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.
67	No. I.	Murphy	17.0.0		
68	No. II.	Dillon	16.0.0		
	Total, ...		33.0.0		

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.	69	Loughlan	Rugs	44	10	
"	70	Kehoe	Calico	8	15	
"	71	Ryan	Winey	3	6	8
Estabt	72	Elger	Rent	29	8	
"	73	Rent	"	13	14	6
"	74	McGuire	Oils	2	2	5
Inv.	75	Maddock	Milk	18	12	8
"	76	Cleary	"	12	2	8
"	77	Malone	"	13	1	4
"	78	Gill	"	11	18	6
"	79	Hayes	"	13	15	4
"	80	Godkin	Flour	83	2	3
"	81	Rossiter	Eggs	14	10	4
"	82	Cosgrove	Meal	11	1	
Wexf. Dis	83	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
Bridgetown "	84	Crean	"	19	16	11
Regsr	85	Whittaker	Regestration	2	10	6
Clo.	86	Godfrey	Leather	12		6
"	87	Doyle	"	8	17	5
Estab.	88	Hughes	Books	17	19	11
"	89	Malone	Horse shoeing	3	7	6
Inv.	90	Gaul	Meat	17	19	2
Estab	91	O'Connor	Horse	30	.	.
				432	3	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:—

The paving along the Women's wards is bad and lets water lie so as to become offensive.
Ordered — That a proper channel be made of cement.
It would be a comfort to the Infirm Women if backs were attached to the benches as was done on the men's side
23rd May 83 George Le Hunte

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.

Lodged £5 received from Mrs Hayden for road gravel and 12/- for Coffins supplied to Wexford Charges

Butt Leather to be examined by Committee.
Messrs Walsh Marshall Simott & Redmond were appointed and reported that the leather was equal to sample.

Mr Rourke refuses to supply the Ax-heads.
Ordered — That they be procured from Mr Gaul.

~~Mr Gaul reported~~ The Master reports that this was the season for setting the Fever hospital Field.
Ordered — The Master to be at liberty to set the field at the old rent.

The Assistant Shoemaker applied for leave of Absence for one month as he was obliged to attend the training of the Wexford Militia at Aldershot.
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:—

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 Taylor, Solicitor to the Board, wrote in reference to the costs due him, that as the principal part of his Bill is composed of County Court Costs, which the Taxing Masters do not ~~tax~~ tax, he would suggest referring the matter for ~~tax~~ taxing to Mr Meadows Clerk of the Crown and Peace for this County, or to the Clerk of the Peace for Dublin City or Dublin County, or any other Official selected

Ordered – That Mr Taylor be ~~do~~ requested to have his Bill ~~tax tax~~ taxed as far as possible by the taxing Masters and then submit it to the Guardians.

A Communication from the Newtownards Union relating to the payment of Chaplains Salaries was marked "read"

There were two tenders received for a horse. The Guardians having examined each of the horses concluded that neither would suit and it was

Ordered – That a cheque be drawn for £30 and that ~~one~~ the Veterinary Inspector be requested to attend Enniscorthy fair, and assisted by two of the Guardians if possible, buy a strong useful horse.

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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	31
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
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	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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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.

The Relieving Officer reported that all in the Bridgetown District had complied with the Law (Vaccination defaulters) and that all in Bannow except three cases.
Ordered – That those cases be again noticed and, if not complied with, within a week, they be prosecuted.

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.

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 9th

day of June 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 9th day of June 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	455										
	81	9										
TOTAL,	812	464										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			15	19	161	150	30	31	43	17	12	478
Admitted during the week.			7	5	6	.	1	1	.	1	1	22
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL,			22	24	167	150	31	32	43	18	14	501
Discharged during the week.			8	3	10	2	2	4	.	3	2	34
Died, - - - - -			.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	3	12	3	2	4	.	3	2	37
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			14	21	155	147	29	28	43	15	12	464

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,	207	In separate Wards.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates	2
Total,	216	Total,	31

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 493

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of June 188 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.	220	454			220	454
No. II.	162	327			162	327
TOTAL,	382	781			382	781

Comparative No. last year 721

Cost, £ 28 : 16 : 8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 9th day of June 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Nicholas Cooney, Richd Ryan D.V.C.
Edmond Hore, John J Wall, Thos Cardiff
John Walsh, Matthew Parle, Richd Revillo
James Kehoe, Patrick Ryan V.C., Nichs Marshall
James Hayden, George Le Hunte J.P., Michael Sinnott
Thos Colloton, Peter Carrin, James Stamaard J.P.
Nichs Cooney, Arthur Keating, James Devereux

Mr Hamilton L.G. Board Inspector was also present.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3440 *to No.* 3461 *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 Collector Keating attended on Monday last and lodged £104. I have not heard from Collector Keane since.

A Guardian stated that his ~~horse had~~ horse had died and that he was unable to get in with his Books until to-day.

(Note— Collector Keane lodges on this day—9th June— £49 : 3 : 10 but did not submit his Books for inspection as he had not time, but wrote to say he would certainly attend on Friday the 15th 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, ... £104 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £398 : 14 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £699 : 17 : 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.

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	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2994	17	8	2392	14	10	392	2	10
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1180	15		468	16	9
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1585	15	1	529	10	2
TOTAL.....		8938	18	6	7384	16	5	1454	2	1

The Ledgments 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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	1			15	15	2
	Ardcolm, - - -	1			6	2	10
	Artramont, - -	1			8	5	11
	Drinagh, - - -	3			39		3
	Killinick, - - -	10			47	12	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				13	7	5
	Kilscoran, - -	23			24	4	10
	Lady's Is'and, - -	5			11	9	10
	Mayglass, - -				27	7	7
	Rathaspeck, -	15			66	15	2
	Rosslare, - - -	5			44	3	6
	St. Helen's, -	22			52	.	.
	Tacumshane, - -	18			35	8	2
	TOTAL, -	104	.	.	391	13	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Ballygwilliam,* - -				22		2
	Ballymitty, - -				31	12	
	Carrig, - - -				18	8	10
	Forth, - - -				36	6	7
	Glynn, - - -				21		7
	Harperstown, - -				72	14	4
	Kilbride, - - -				24	18	2
	Killurin, - - -				29	18	8
	Taghmon, - - -				164	19	1
	Whitechurch, - -				46	18	4
	TOTAL, -				468	16	9
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				77	15	7
	Bridgetown, - -				59	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				61	16	6
	Harristown, - -				55	1	1
	Kilcowan, - -				47	17	4
	Killag, - - -				81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -				76	1	11
	Newcastle,				38	6	11
	Tomhaggard, -				31	13	5
	TOTAL, -				529	10	2
	TOTAL.....	104			1454	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.*

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(92) *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting* £ 9 : 0 : 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.* 19 *d.* 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	79	13	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	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:—

491	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,		1 gross thimbles
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,		200 yds Shrouding
14	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		1 doz Scissors
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		2 lbs blue
1	Ton of Oatmeal,	6	Bottles of Gin,		2 .. black paint
60	Gallons Buttermilk,	75	doz. of Eggs,		1 .. lamp black
500	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		2 .. Venetian Red
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,		4 .. Copperas
~~102~~	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		2 gross Pater Corks
104	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		100 Coopers rivets
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		2 doz Awl blades
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		1 Scythe handle & Rifle
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		1 bake pan
	lbs. of Pepper,				1 gridiron

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 2 *day of* June 1881 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	0	6
In Kind, ...		12	8
Total	31	13	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	Value. £ s. d.
93	No. I.	Murphy	16 0 0		
94	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.
Inv: 95 Gaol meat	17	12	9
	57	13	7

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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,

All contractors made over 10 per cent.

I bought a store pig on the fair on the 14th instant, having had some surplus feeding
Ordered – Approved.

It would be advisable to have the Fever Hospital limewashed.
Ordered – Tenders to be advertised for.

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

No 19,838. 8th June '83. Return to Order of House of Lords of the number of Ex-Officio Guardians (resident and non-resident), the number of Elected Guardians, the number of Electoral Divisions, and the Valuation of the Union.

The Clerk laid the Return filled before the Guardians.

No 161. U/82. 4th June '83. The usual half-yearly return of the Sanitary Salaries.

The Clerk submitted them filled. They were signed by the Chairman and directed to be 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):—

Mr Hore's Notice of Motion, "that in consequence of the very unpleasant relations between this Board and Mr Taylor, we shall henceforth cease to consult him as a Solicitor" was carried, an amendment proposed by Mr Le Hunte as follows, being rejected:-

"That we dispense with Mr Taylor's services as Solicitor to this Board as there has been delay in his mode of doing a portion of its business though the Board acknowledge that he zealously and successfully acted on other occasions.

Tenders accepted: Best Newport Red Ash Coal 250 tons @ 16s:8 per ton – Mr James Marlow. Best Scotch Coal 30 tons @ 14s:6 per ton – Mrs C. Gafney

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Mr Hamilton brought under the notice of the Guardians the desirability of repairing the two wards at female side of Workhouse.

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done with the others. He states that as their funds would not be sufficient to carry them through he would not press to have the work done now. He only asked that it should not be forgotten and suggested that the Clerk be directed to bring the matter under their notice again in August or September.

After some conversation on the propriety of doing the work at once it was ultimately agreed to adopt Mr Hamilton's suggestion.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the A
ection 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	22
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	9
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 R
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 Auth

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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 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 procured from 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 Monday the 4th. Present Messrs Browne & Parle. The Doctor reports:— "There is one family, seven in number, living in Redmondstown, suffering from Scarlatina. Three ill at present, the remainder Convalescent. The District is otherwise healthy. Several houses require whitewashing.

The Committee recommends that the whitewashing be done as soon as possible.

Ordered— That the Relieving Officer make out a list of the houses requiring whitewashing, ~~and~~ that notices be served on their Occupiers and landlords, and that the Relieving Officer again report in a fortnight.

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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 the L. G. Board No 19,377 *dated* 2nd June '83 ~~*stating that*~~

Forwarding a report which they had received from Dr Pierse, of Wexford Dispensary District, respecting the prevalence of Scarlatina and calling the attention of the Guardians to the 146 section of the Public Health Act.

Dr Pierse's letter states that Scarlatina was rather prevalent in his District and believes that the disease was spread by the following means. (1) Neglect of parents in reporting Cases, the disease being of a very mild type, and their objection to have their children removed to the Fever Hospital. (2) Sending children to school before their recovery. (3) Refusing to have children removed to the Fever Hospital as they become ill. The Doctor also states that he was obliged to threaten the enforcement of the 141 sec of the Public Health Act; that he believes the lower classes looked on it as a necessity to have Scarlatina, Measles, and Whooping cough and took no precaution to avoid the Contagion, and that "Simple Continued Fever" and "Diseases of the Respiratory System" are very prevalent.

[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.*~~

Ordered – That the Local Government Board be informed that the greater part of Dr Pierse's District is under the Urban Sanitary Authority.

That ~~the~~ 200 copies of the 146th sec of the Public Health Act be printed and distributed for posting at the different Dispensaries throughout the Union, and also to the several managers of National Schools, for exhibition in the different Schools under their management.

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.
Wexford	Dr Pierse	An accumulation of Dung at the Windmill Hills	

Ordered – That the Sanitary Sub-Officer serve notices on the owners thereof, in the usual manner, to have the dung removed within seven days, and to report the result to the Guardians next Board day

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 16th day of June 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 16th day of June 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	445										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	81	11										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL.	812	456										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			14	21	155	147	29	28	43	15	12	464
Admitted during the week.			3	5	11	4	1	2	5	.	.	31
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL.			17	26	166	151	30	30	48	15	13	496
Discharged during the week.			4	7	13	2	2	2	5	3	2	40
Died, - - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	7	13	2	2	2	5	3	2	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	19	153	149	28	28	43	12	11	456

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.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other inmates	.
Total,	222	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	2	4	4	10
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 16th day of June 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.	221	461			221	461
No. II.	162	323			162	323
TOTAL,	383	784			383	784

Comparative No. last year 710

Cost, £29 : 0 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 16th day of June 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richd Ryan Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs John Sinnott, Patrick McDonald, Michael Sinnott, James Kehoe, Edmond Hore, George Le Hunte JP, James Hayden, 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. 3463 *to No.* 3494 *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 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, ... £ 155 · 4 · 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 88 · 11 · 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 766 · 10 · 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, or given back. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2		64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING	do.	2894	17	8	2503	4	4	391	13	4
JAMES MURPHY	do.	1649	11	9	1286	16	.	362	15	9
JAMES KEANE	do.	2115	5	3	1634	18	11	480	6	4
TOTAL.....		8838	18	6	7540	1	3	1297	17	3

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* - -				15	15	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				6	2	10
	Arteamont, - -				8	5	11
	Drinagh, - - -				39	.	3
	Killinick, - - -				47	12	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				13	7	5
	Kilscoran, - -				24	4	10
	Lady's Island, - -				11	9	10
	Mayglass, - -				27	7	7
	Rathaspeck, -				66	15	2
	Rosslare, - - -				44	3	6
	St. Helen's, -				52		
	Tacumshane. - -				35	8	2
	TOTAL, -				391	13	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -		15	9	21	4	5
	Ballymitty, - -	7	14		23	18	
	Carrig, - -				18	8	10
	Forth, - - -	14	4	8	22	1	11
	Glynn, - - -	2	10	9	18	9	10
	Harperstown, - -	14	1		58	13	4
	Kilbride, - - -	16	18	9	7	19	5
	Kilburin, - - -				29	18	8
	Taghmon, - - -	37	14		127	5	1
	Whitechurch, - -	12	2	1	34	16	3
	TOTAL, -	106	1	.	362	15	9
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -	3	10	8	74	4	11
	Bridgetown, - -				59	11	3
	Duncormack, - -	13	8	4	48	8	2
	Harristown, - -	10	13	9	44	7	4
	Kilcowan, - -				47	17	4
	Killag, - - -				81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -	9	19	3	64	10	1
	Newcastle,	11	11	10	28	7	8
	Tomhaggard, -				31	13	5
	TOTAL, -	49	3	10	480	6	4
	TOTAL.....	155	4	11	1298	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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96 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amount* £ 2 · 11 · 9 *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 £ 64 s. 17 d. 7

	£	s.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.		
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	78 ·	16
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:—

522 lbs. of Meat,	6 lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 lb tobacco
2 Ox-heads,	6 doz. of Wine,	1 doz tin basins
12 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	500 battens
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	3 doz Clothes fastene
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	1 gallon tea-pot
60 Gallons Buttermilk,	64 doz. of Eggs,	1 mould board for pl
469 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	4 doz Chambers
1 cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	6 White Wash brush
Chests of Tea,	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,	50 Tons of Coal, (Newport)	
lbs. of Pepper,	30 " " Scotch	

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk their accuracy having been previ 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 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* June 18 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31 ·	2 ·	6
In Kind, ...		18 ·	0
Total	32 :	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.
97	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
98	No. II.	Dillon	16·0·0		
	Total, ...		33·0·0		

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 Gaol Meat	18	14	9
	54	6	6

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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,

All made over 10 p.c.

A Committee requires to condemn clothing and some household articles which are unfit for further use.
Ordered — That Messrs Le Hunte J.P. and Ryan be requested to kindly attend on Wednesday for the purpose.

Some of the Workhouse Chimneys require pointing.
Ordered — The Master to get the required pointing done.

The Shoemaker and tailor applied for and obtained leave of absence for Tuesday next the 19th instant.

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

162. M/83. 8 June 83. Enclosing the usual Forms for ascertaining the Grant for Medical and Educational purposes for half-year ended 25th March 1883.

Ordered – To be signed by the Chairman and returned.

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195. M/83. 9th June 83. Enclosing a copy of their Annual Report for the present year.

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):—

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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	21
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	31
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	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:—*

Bamow Dispensary Committee. Met on the 14th. Present: Messrs Corish (chairman), Parle, Mayler, White, Breen, Cullen, Furlong, and Kavanagh.

Resolved — That this meeting be adjourned to August, in order to give Mr Barry, landlord of the Dispensary an opportunity of making further arrangements with Mr Edwards

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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

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.
Wexford	Mark Murphy.	Some of the heaps of manure complained of at Windmill Hills are removed. The remainder will be removed early next week	

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 23rd day of June 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 23rd day of June 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	450
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	10
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. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	13	19	153	149	28	28	43	12	11	456
Admitted during the week.	6	4	12	5	.	.	3	.	3	33
Born - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL	19	23	165	154	28	28	46	12	15	490
Discharged during the week.	6	2	9	6	.	2	2	.	2	29
Died, - - - - -	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2	10	6	.	2	2	.	2	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	13	21	155	148	28	26	44	12	13	460

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,	206	In separate Wards.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	2
Total,	216	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	4	3	2	9
No. in Workhouse at date	.	1	.	1

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 23rd day of June 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.	223	470			223	470
No. II.	163	329			163	329
TOTAL,	386	799			386	799

Comparative No. last year 712

Cost, £29 : 13 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 23rd day of June 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd. Ryan D.V.C. Richd. Renille
Nichs. Marshall Chas H Peacke J.P. James Kehoe
Michl. Browne John Walsh James Hayden
James Devereux

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3495 *to No.* 3528 *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, ... £ – – –

Paid during the week, ... £ 56 : 17 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 709 : 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.

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 the end 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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				15	15	2
	Ardcolm, - - -				6	2	10
	Artramont, - -				8	5	11
	Drinagh, - - -				39	.	3
	Killiurick, - - -				47	12	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				13	4	5
	Kilscoran, - -				24	4	10
	Lady's Island, - -				11	9	10
	Mayglass, - -				27	4	4
	Rathaspeck, -				66	15	2
	Rosslare, - - -				44	3	6
	St. Helen's, -				52		
	Tacumshane, - -				35	8	2
	TOTAL, -				391	13	4
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				21	4	5
	Ballymitty, - -				23	18	
	Carrig, - -				18	8	10
	Forth, - - -				22	1	11
	Glynn, - - -				18	9	10
	Harperstown, - -				58	13	4
	Kilbride, - - -				4	19	5
	Killurin, - - -				29	18	8
	Taghmon, - - -				124	5	1
	Whitechurch, - -				34	16	3
	TOTAL, -				362	15	9
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				44	4	11
	Bridgetown, - -				59	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				48	8	2
	Harristown, - -				44	4	4
	Kilcowan, - -				47	17	4
	Killag, - - -				81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -				64	10	1
	Newcastle,				28	4	[illegible]
	Tomhaggard, -				31	13	5
	TOTAL, -				480	6	4
	TOTAL.....				1298	17	3

NOTE—A Total is to be inserted in *Rea 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 100 £ 6·11·8 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 60 *s.* 2 *d.* 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49	4	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	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:—

517	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,		1 4-gallon Saucepan
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,		1 door-latch
12	Bags of Flour,	½	Barrel of Porter,		2 Press Locks
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		1 Back band Chain
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,		6 sheets Emery paper
40	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,		300 3d battens
480	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		2 Coal Shovels
1	cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,		1 lb putty
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		½ grass hemp
100	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		2 oz hairs.
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
½	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,	110	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 16 *day of* June 1843 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	9	6
In Kind, ...	1	0	6
Total	31	10	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.
101	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
102	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.
Estab.	103	O'Leary	Salary	19	16	
"	104	Latham	"	4	10	
"	105	O'Connor	"	28	15	
"	106	Sheridan	"	31	5	
"	107	Irwin	"	12	10	
"	108	~~O'Connor~~ Callan	"	6	5	
"	109	Stafford	"	6	10	
"	110	Cahill	"	6	10	
"	111	Tolin	"	6	10	
"	112	Coyle	"	6	10	
"	113	McGrath	"	10	17	6
"	114	Irwin	"	4	10	
"	115	Finn	"	8	10	
"	116	Williams	"	2	10	
"	117	Kearns	"	3	15	
"	118	Morris	"	5	5	
"	119	Stone	"	3	15	
"	120	Brien	"	3	15	
"	121	Murphy	"	11	5	
"	122	Dillon	"	10		
Barmow	123	Boyd		28	15	
"	124	Murphy		2	10	
Bridgetown	125	Domellan		12	5	9
"	126	Barnewell		5		
Broadway	127	Whittaker		28	15	
"	128	Walker		5		
Crossabey	129	Hadden		26	5	
"	130	Ryan		5		
Tagheen	131	Pigott		28	15	

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				£	s.	d.
Taghmon	132	Kehoe	Salary	3	15	
Wexford	133	Pierce	"	36	5	
"	134	Webb	"	10		
Cattle Disease	135	Malone	"	12	10	
Estate	136	O'Reilly	Insurance	2		
				445	1	11

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,

All Contractors made over 10 per cent.

The six pigs are fat enough for sale.
Ordered.— To be advertised in the usual way.

There are about 30 tons of road gravel broken. The Board will please fix what price I may sell them at.
Ordered – The Master to sell them on the best terms he can.

I gave by the directions of the Committee some of the cast bed-clothing to a family who left the house last week.
Ordered – Approved.

The following Clothing was condemned by Committee:– Bedding:– 8 sheets, 31 blankets, 16 rugs, 10 ticks, 33 bolsters & cases. Men's Clothing:– 30 coats, 25 waistcoats 30 trowsers, 40 shirts, 22 shoes, 45 stockings, 13 hats, 11 handkerchiefs, 4 flannel waistcoats, 27 drawers. Women's Clothing:— 21 wrappers, 46 petticoats, 26 shifts, 66 aprons, 14 Woollen Neckerchiefs, 35 shoes, 46 stockings, 11 caps, 2 bonnets, 41 bodies, 9 shawls, Boys Clothing:— 10 coats, 13 vests, 13 trowsers, 9 shirts, 7 shoes, 26 stockings, 16 hats. Girls Clothing:– 22 frocks, 2 petticoats, 25 shifts, 74 bibs, 20 shoes, 36 stockings, 18 hats. 6 rollers and towels, 16 window blinds.

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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 21684. 22nd June '83. Stating that they had received the half-yearly report of Mr Hamilton on the union. in which he states that the condition of the Workhouse and the discharge of their duties by the several officers is of a generally satisfactory character.

He further states that every class of inmates appears to be well cared for and that he found all the Departments in their usual good order some of them — for instance the ~~Girls'~~ Infirmary, the Girls and Infants' schools respectively and the aged women's ward — being very creditable.

He further reports that the present financial condition of the Union is satisfactory but that the Union will probably be nearly £1000 in debt at the close of the Half-year.

Mr Hamilton further states that many parts of the Establishment are still quite as full as is desirable.

The following extracts from his report are deserving the consideration of the Guardians: —

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Cleanliness :— Duly observed in every Department; the Infirmary, the Girls' School, and the aged women's ward, are not second to any in my district.

Nursery Ward.— This ward intended to facilitate the seperation of married and unmarried mothers has been used for the industrial training ~~of~~ of a few boys in straw covers.

Sanitary Condition of Workhouse :— Satisfactory. In my last report I referred to the rate of mortality in the Workhouse for the 4 years ending 29th September 1882. In the Half-year ending 25th March '83 there were 86 deaths, and since the 25 of March there have been 33. Such a large number of deaths — most of them ~~too~~ shortly after admission — is, I think, prima facia evidence of the necessity for every possible effort being made by the Sanitary Authority, especially of the Urban District to trace the causes of any undue or excessive death rate and deal effectually with them

Children at Nurse :— The Relieving officers visit the children at nurse every month: their reports are satisfactory and are entered in a book, but sometimes at longer intervals than a month.

Sanitary Condition of the Union :— I have no very recent returns as to the Wexford Dispensary District, but in the Quarter ended 31st March last the mortality was nearly in excess of the rate in the corresponding Quarters of the three previous years — being 142 as against 114. Of these deaths, 19 were children under one year of age, and only 56 were persons aged 60 years and upwards. I cannot help fearing that the graveyards in the town of Wexford affect, more or less, its sanitary condition. I am aware that since the appointment of a Caretaker there has been marked improvement in some respects, but all experience proves that there is danger from interring the dead amidst the habitations of a town population. In the urban Sanitary District of Wexford the annual death rate per 1000 was 35·5 in the quarter referred to, being 12·1 over the death-rate of all Ireland.

(The Wexford Corporation is the Urban Sanitary Authority here)

From St Joseph's Blind Asylum. Dated 19th June '83. Stating that the boy William Neill from this Union had absconded on the 17th June. The Master stated that the boy had ~~left~~ arrived at the Workhouse here on the 21st.

Ordered – That the Institution be communicated with.

A Petition from the Limerick Corporation praying to have property invested in Funds &c, made liable to pay Poor Rates, was adopted.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	24
Ditto, disallowed	–
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	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	6
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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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 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 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 the L.G. Board *dated* 16 June 83 ~~*stating that*~~

19,678. Requesting to be informed if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Taghmon & Bridgetown Districts has yet complied with the law.

Ordered – Bridgetown has complied. The Relieving Officer to report regarding Taghmon 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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 30th day of June 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 30th day of June 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	444										
Permanent Buildings.												
Additional Workhouse.												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	7										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL.	812	451										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	21	155	148	28	26	44	12	13	460
Admitted during the week.			6	8	3	4	1	.	1	1	.	24
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL.			19	29	158	152	29	26	45	13	14	485
Discharged during the week.			10	10	3	6	1	.	.	.	.	30
Died, - - - - -			.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	10	7	6	1	.	.	.	.	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			9	19	151	146	28	26	45	13	14	451

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.	206	In separate Wards.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	213	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	7	.	10
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

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 30 day of June 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.	221	459			221	459
No. II.	167	352			167	352
TOTAL,	388	811			388	811

Comparative No. last year 712

Cost, £28:13:0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 30th day of June 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs. E. H. Peacocke J.P. Richd. Ryan
Patrick Ryan Patk. McDonald Thos. Cardiff
John Colloton James Kehoe John J Wall
John Walsh John Rowe Edmond Hore

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3529 *to No.* 3553 *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, ... £ 60 . 7 . 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 88 . 11 . 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 709 . 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.

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 lodged with Weekly Returns. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	2115	2	9	64	1	10
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	2689	15	9	205	1	11
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	1286	16	.	362	15	9
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	1634	18	11	480	6	4
Total.....		8838	18	6	7726	12	8	1112	5	10

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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	9	1	6	7	9	7
	Ardcolm, - - -	2	2	10	4	5	10
	Artramont, - -	3	8	9	5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -	37	13	4	2		2
	Killiniek, - - -	18	13	9	29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -	11	5	8	2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -	10	5	9	14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -	10	4	.	2		7
	Mayglass, - -	18	6	9	9	10	
	Rathaspeck, -	16	6	4	51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -	22	.	10	22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -	18	1	6	34	4	1
	Tacumshane, - -	16		10	19	13	8
	TOTAL, -	193	11	10	205	1	11
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				21	4	5
	Ballymitty, - -				23	18	
	Carrig, - -				18	8	10
	Forth, - - -				22	1	11
	Glynn, - - -				18	9	10
	Harperstown, - -				58	13	4
	Kilbride, - - -				7	19	5
	Killurin, - - -				29	18	8
	Taghmon, - - -				127	5	1
	Whitechurch, - -				34	16	3
	TOTAL, -				362	15	9
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				74	4	11
	Bridgetown, - -				59	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				48	8	2
	Harristown, - -				44	7	4
	Kilcowan, - -				47	17	4
	Killag, - - -				81	6	2
	Kilmore, - - -				64	10	1
	Newcastle,				28	7	8
	Tomhaggard, -				31	13	5
	TOTAL, -				480	6	4
	TOTAL.....	193	11	10	1112	5	10

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

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137 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 3 · 6 · 0 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 70 *s.* 0 *d.* 9

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	78	9	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	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:—

511 lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	4 gallon can of Colzali[illegible]
2 Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	4 st linseed meal
12 Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	6 lbs black lead
2 st Flour		Bottles of Brandy,	1 Frying Pan
Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Gin,	
Ton of Oatmeal,		68 doz. of Eggs,	
45 Gallons Buttermilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
480 Gallons Newmilk,		2 Gallons of Barm,	
1 cwt. of Salt,		Ton of Soap,	
Chests of Tea,		cwt. of Soda,	
102 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,			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 *day of* June 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	1	6
In Kind, ...	1	8	6
Total	32	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.
138	No. I.	Murphy	16 0 0		
139	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.
140 Gaol Meat	36	15	8
	71	1	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 :—

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.

I sent the Workhouse car for a man named Patrick Murphy, Crossakeg, at 5 o'clock on the evening of the 25th on receipt of a certificate from the Medical Officer requesting his removal. He died the same night.

Medical Officer's Report:— I beg to report that Patrick Murphy of Ballyshane, aged 70, was admitted to the Hospital on the 25th instant and died on the 26th. I had visited this man the day before at his home and finding him in a most destitute condition and without any attendance for his critical state, I urged the necessity of hospital treatment and gave an order for his admission to the union infirmary, where he had every comfort and attention in his last moments. I again saw him the night of his admission to the Workhouse.

The Schoolmaster applied for and obtained leave of absence from this evening (Saturday) to Monday the 2nd July — the Master to perform his duties

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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):—

From St Joseph's Catholic Male Blind Asylum, 26th June '83. Stating that he would leave it to the Guardians as to whether they would send back the boy William Neill to the Asylum or not.

Ordered — Postponed for a week — the boy to be tried at mat making in the meantime.

James Murphy of Bullingtown applies in accordance with the 110 Sec of 13 & 14 Vic Cap 69 to have his name put on the Rate Books.

Ordered — The application to be granted.

Mr John Stafford sent in his resignation of Registrar of Births Deaths and Marriages for the District of Crossabeg.

Ordered — New appointment postponed for a week.

Tenders accepted:— Mr James Gaul:- 6 pigs for £24.10.0. J. McDonald — Limewashing the Fever Hospital, £4:15:0.

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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	24
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	3
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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(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 Relieving Officer reported that all the Defaulters in the Taghmon & Glynn Districts had complied with the Vaccination Act.

[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

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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Michael Browne Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 7th day of July 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 July 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	432
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	9
TOTAL.	812	441

	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	19	151	146	28	26	45	13	14	451
Admitted during the week.	5	1	9	1	1	1	·	2	·	20
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	14	20	160	147	29	27	45	15	14	471
Discharged during the week.	7	4	7	4	1	3	1	3	·	30
Died, - - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	4	7	4	1	3	1	3	·	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	16	153	143	28	24	44	12	14	441

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.	200	In separate Wards.	31
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	209	Total,	31

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	3	1	2	6
No. in Workhouse at date	–	–	–	0

No. at corresponding period last year 505

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of July 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.	221	462			221	462
No. II.	171	365			171	365
TOTAL,	392	807			392	807

Comparative No. last year 726

Cost, £29 : 12 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 7th day of July 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Nich. Cooney, Richard Ryan D.V.C., Adam O'Neill, Nich. Cooney (Hils.), Nicholas Marshall, Patrick Ryan V.C., Thos. Colloton, James Kehoe, Matthew Parle, John Simott (Forth.), John Colloton, Mich. Simott, Rich. Reville, Peter Cassin, John Redmond, John Simott, Patk. McDonald, Arthur Keating, C. H. Peacocke J.P., Edmund White, Edw. Leacy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3554 *to No.* 3573 *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, ... £ 262 : 8 : 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 440 · 11 · 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 531 · 5 · 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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RATE RETURNS.

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 at each Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	2115	2		64	1	10
Patrick Keating	do.	2894	17	8	2699	7	3	195	10	5
James Murphy	do.	1649	11	9	1346	1	6	303	10	3
James Keane	do.	2115	5	3	1757	1	11	358	3	4
	Total. . . .	8838	18	6	7917	12	8	921	5	10

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 - -				5	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drimagh, - - -				2		2
	Killiaick, - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2		7
	Mayglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -				51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	Total, -				195	10	5
James Murphy	Aughwilliam, - -	8	4	9	12	19	8
	Ballymitty, - -		17	2	23	.	10
	Carrig, - -		13		17	15	10
	Forth, - - -				22	1	11
	Glynn, - - -	7			11	9	10
	Harperstown, - -	2	7		56	6	4
	Kilbride, - - -	2	14	1	5	5	4
	Killurin, - - -	10	6	6	19	12	2
	Taghmon, - - -	24	9	4	102	15	9
	Whitechurch, - -	2	13	8	32	2	7
	Total, -	59	5	6	303	10	3
James Keane	Bannow, - - -	18	19		55	5	11
	Bridgetown, - -	22			37	11	3
	Duncormack, - -	11	8	5	36	19	9
	Harristown, - -	18	2	3	26	5	1
	Kilcowan, - -	11	5	8	36	11	8
	Killag, - - -	7	11	10	73	14	4
	Kilmore, - - -	22	2	9	42	7	4
	Newcastle,	6	12	4	21	15	4
	Tomhaggard, -	4	.	9	27	12	8
	Total, -	122	3	-	358	3	4
	TOTAL.....	181	8	6	921	5	10

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting
141 £ 12 - 0 · 0 *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 week was £ 123 *s.* 8 *d.* 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	77	2	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:—

511	lbs. of Meat,	6	lbs. Irish Bacon,		2 st cut nails
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,		1 saw file
12	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		2 pencils
1	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		200 hard bricks
	Ton of Oatmeal.		Bottles of Gin,		6 lbs paint
40	Gallons Buttermilk,	64	doz. of Eggs,		6 " pitch
470	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		3 " resin
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,		200 tailor's needles
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		5000 Shoe nails
100	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		8 lb housewife thread
	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 30 *day of* June 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	4	6
In Kind, ...		19	0
Total	£30	3	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.
142	No. I.	Murphy	16·0·0		
143	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.
Clo.	144	Comich	Linsey &c	13	12	
Estab.	145	Irwin	Pigs	10	10	
Col. Pauper	146	Keating	Fees	56	4	9
E. Main	147	O'Brien	Dumb Girl	6	10	
"	148	Gich	"	7	10	
"	149	Thornton	Blind Boys	19	10	
"	150	Telford	" Girl	6	10	
Inv.	151	Rossiter	Eggs	18	6	2
"	152	Byrne	Milk	9	16	
"	153	Cleary	"	15	1	4
"	154	Malone	"	14	2	
"	155	Maddock	"	23	6	8
"	156	Gill	"	13	5	10
"	157	Gafney	Coals	21	18	4
Barmow Dis	158	Boyd	Vac. fees	5	4	
Ballygilton "	159	O'Flaherty	Rent	4		
"	160	Crean	Vac fees	6	6	
Taghmon "	161	Pigott	"	3	16	
Wexford "	162	Pierce	"	18	16	
"	163	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Registration	164	Crean	Registration	3	12	
"	165	Pierce	"	12	16	3
Estab.	166	O'Connor	Books	4	14	3
Invoices	167	Gaul	Meat	18	6	11
"	168	Godkin & Co	Flour	100	8	11
				458	16	5

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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: —

Masters Report – Some Linsey to be examined by Committee
Ordered – Found equal to sample

Will the Board allow me to buy a load of gravel for the Fever Hospital walks.
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, 10 ; Mr Gill, 10 ; Mr. Hayes, 10 ; Mr. Maddock, 11
Mr. Malone, 11

Three of the contractors are under percentage for the past week, owing I think, to the constant rains: Will the Board excuse them, or shall I impose the fines.
Ordered – Impose the fines.

I bought with a committee (Messrs Ryan Walsh and Collotan) eight pigs for £10:10:0. on the fair – the 3rd inst.
Ordered – Approved.

Received and lodged as follows: —

Repayment of Relief 4 Soldiers (Union)	3·9·4
Soldier's Children	11·0
"	3·0·0
Road gravel	1·16·9
Bottle Envelopes	·16·0
Cabbage Plants	
Total	9·13·1

I sent Bill by order of the Board last April to Mr Foley for £10:10:0 for maintenance of his child and to N. Redmond £1·6·0 for maintenance of his wife. Neither have since replied.
Ordered – The Clerk to write to Foley stating that unless the money is paid legal proceedings will be taken against him, and Redmond is to be prosecuted at Petty Sessions. ~~unless~~ if he does not pay at once.

There is a patient named Patrick Dempsey (Union charge) in the Workhouse Hospital since March last. He is a member of the Wexford Regiment and Army Reserve and is now entitled to £2:10:0 from the regiment.
Ordered – The Master to apply for payment and to lodge the sum as repayment of relief.

Thos. Murphy, who left the Workhouse on the 4th of June, has not taken out his children.
Ordered – Notices to be served in a week.

John Murphy child of Wm Murphy residing in Coolstuff is now in the healthy department of the house.
Ordered – Notice to be served on Wm Murphy

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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. 24354. 6 July '83. Requesting to be informed regarding the death of Patrick Murphy (reported in last minutes by the Medical Officer and Master) if any application was made on the man's behalf to the Relieving Officer

Ordered— There was no application made regarding Patrick Murphy to the Relieving Officer

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The Clerk submitted his Estimate of rates for the coming year.

Ordered— The Clerk to get a sufficient number of copies printed and sent to the Guardians, and that a special meeting of the Board be called for the 21st instant to consider it. A copy is to be also sent to 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	14
Ditto, disallowed	–
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	20
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	6
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	4
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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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 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 medecines be procured 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 :—*

Wexford Dispensary Committee. Met on the 6th. Present:- Messrs Ryan & Lacy. The Doctor reported that Scarlatina is still prevalent in the District. Five new cases since last report. Typhus Fever is also prevalent. There were several cases of simple continued Fever and Diseases of the Respiratory Organs.

Leave of absence for two weeks was granted to the Medical Officer, Dr John Crean having consented to perform his duties.

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee.- Met on the 2nd. Present.- Rev J Alexander (Chairman) and Messrs

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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 be given:)

_____ *Dispensary District,*

Account of Mr. *for* *Amount, £*

John Walsh & Michael Browne. "The "Doctor having complained that Red Tickets are "often presented to him at late and inconvenient "hours, thereby placing him under the necessity "of making perhaps three or four journeys to the "same district on the same day. The Committee "is of opinion that the Doctor is not bound to attend "on red tickets until the following day except those "presented to him before 10 o'clock in the morning "or at the dispensary during his hours of "attendance there, and except the ticket is marked "'urgent'".

Several houses in the District require limewashing very badly.

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, . . £

Ordered — The Guardians have no objection ~~to~~ to the arrangement regarding the Red Tickets and would ask the consent of the Local Government Board to it.

That notices be served on the Owners and Occupiers of those houses requiring limewashing

From C A Cameron, County Analyst, stating that he had examined a fluid extract of Cinchona sent to him from the Union and found the sample correct. The solid matter in the sample contained no articles likely to be used as adulterants.

[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 District 37 cases seven unfit.
Crossabeg 5 Cases One "

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.

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 14th

day of July 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 July 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	432										
	81	13										
TOTAL.	812	445										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			7	16	153	143	28	24	44	12	14	~~438~~ 441
Admitted during the week.			10	4	8	8	3	2	·	·	2	37
Born - - - -			·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL			17	20	161	151	31	26	44	12	16	~~478~~ 478
Discharged during the week.			9	2	11	5	1	1	·	1	·	30
Died, - - - - -			·	·	1	2	·	·	·	·	·	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	2	12	7	1	1	·	1	·	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			8	18	149	144	30	25	44	11	16	445

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,	195	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	13	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	208	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	8	4	1	13
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	3

No. at corresponding period last year 498

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of July 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.	222	470			222	470
No. II.	177	381			177	381
TOTAL,	399	851			399	851

Comparative No. last year 713

Cost, £28 : 16 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 14th day of July 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

In the chair previously:– Richd Ryan Esq D.V.C.

Messrs Richd Ryan D.V.C. John J Wall

Thos Cardiff Michl Simott John Redmond

Chas H Peacocke Jr. John Walsh John Roche

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3574 *to No.* 3610 *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.

I lodged 10/- overcharged to the Bridgetown Dispensary District in last half-year

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, ... £ 156·16·1

Paid during the week, ... £ 431:18:4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 256:3:8

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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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 at close of Week. £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
Patrick Keating.....	do.	2894	17	8	2699	7	3	195	10	5
James Murphy.....	do.	1649	11	9	1346	1	6	303	10	3
James Keane.....	do.	2115	5	3	1757	1	11	358	3	4
	Total....	8838	18	6	7917	12	8	921	5	10

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* - -				5	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killinick, - - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2		4
	Mugglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -				51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	TOTAL, -				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -				12	19	8
	Ballymitty, - -				23		10
	Carrig, - -				17	15	10
	Forth, - - -				22	1	11
	Glynn, - - -				11	9	10
	Harperstown, - -				56	6	4
	Kilbride, - - -				5	5	4
	Killurin, - - -				19	12	2
	Taghmon, - - -				102	15	9
	Whitechurch, - -				32	2	7
	TOTAL, -				303	10	3
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				55	5	11
	Bridgetown, - -				37	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				36	19	9
	Harristown, - -				26	5	1
	Kilcowan, - -				36	11	8
	Killag, - - -				73	14	4
	Kilmore, - - -				42	7	4
	Newcastle,				21	15	4
	Tomhaggard, -				27	12	8
	TOTAL, -				358	3	4
	TOTAL.....				921	5	10

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

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169 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting* £9 : 3 : 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 £ 68 *s.* 1 *d.* 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	76	5	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	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:—

506	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	8 oz Cabbage Seed
2	Ox-heads,	4	doz. of Wine,	4 lbs red paint
12	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	4 .. Green ..
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 hoo
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	6 doz Screws for Coffins
40	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,	1 .. lasts for shoes
470	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	6 .. Quarts (tins)
1	cwt. of Salt,	4	Gallons of Barm,	6 .. Pints (..)
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	2 st Linseed Meal
100	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,	14	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 7th *day of* July 18 [illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	15	6
In Kind, ...	1	7	6
Total	32	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.
170	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
171	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. 172	Gaol Meat	18	0	5

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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:—

REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 10 ; Mr Gill, 10 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ; Mr. Maddock, 13

Mr. Malone, 10

Hayes fined 2:0; Cleary, 1/2; Malone, 3/8; Gill 3/10.

I sent the Workhouse car to Whitty's Hill, Barrow, for a woman named Catherine Neville at the request of the Medical Officer of the District on the 10th instant. She was admitted to Hospital at seven o'clock p.m. and died at 4 o'c A.M. on the 11th.

Ordered — That the Medical Officer be requested to furnish his observations on the above case, and that the Relieving Officer send in a full report of his connection with it, if any.

There are a couple of tons weight of old books and papers lying in the clothing store, which have been removed from the Clerk's and Masters Office, during past years. As they are creating moths &c, the Board will please direct may I dispose of them.

Ordered — They are to be gone carefully over and any important records are to be kept and the remainder sold.

The father of the illegitimate child mentioned in my report of Saturday last, has since applied to me stating that he intends taking out the child. Is it legal for me to discharge the child to him, the mother consenting?

Ordered — That the Local Government Board be requested to reply

Mrs ~~Mahe~~ Morris, matron of the Fever Hospital, applied for two weeks leave of absence at her convenience.

Ordered — The Guardians have no objection if the Medical Officer can dispense with her services — the Clerk to communicate with the Medical Officer.

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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	24
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	37
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
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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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:—*

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Michael Browne

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 21st day of July 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 21st day of July 1883

	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, Buildings,	731	424										
Fever Hospital	81	14										
TOTAL,	812	438										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			8	18	149	144	30	25	44	11	16	445
Admitted during the week.			1	1	8	3	.	.	.	1	.	14
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			9	19	157	147	30	25	44	12	16	459
Discharged during the week.			3	3	5	4	1	1	.	.	2	19
Died			.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	3	6	4	1	1	.	1	2	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			6	16	151	143	29	24	44	11	14	438

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,	193	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	207	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 492

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of July 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.	219	466			219	466
No. II.	174	368			174	368
TOTAL,	393	834			393	834

Comparative No. last year 731

Cost, £29:19:0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 21st day of July 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Patrick Ryan V.C. Richd Ryan D.V.C.
Edmond Hore Patrick McDonald Richd Roville
Chas H Peacocke JP. James Stamard JP. James Kehoe
John Redmond Peter Cassin Nichs. Marshall
Michl Kavanagh Nichs Cooney Adam O'Neill
James Cullen John Simott Edwd Leacy
James Browne John Simott Edwd Kearns
John Walsh John Rowe James Hayden
John Walsh John J Wall William Boswell
Michael Browne John Colloton William Slaffon
James Devereux

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3611 *to No.* 3624 *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 I was absent from duty on Tuesday last – the Mayor having appointed me Presiding Officer in one of the Wards at the late contested Parliamentary Election in the Borough.

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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, ... £26-13-2

Paid during the week, ... £90-11-3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £192-5-7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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, - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan - -				5	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killiaick, - - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2		7
	Mayglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -				51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	TOTAL, -				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	Ardhaviilliam, - -	2	4	4	10	15	4
	Ballymitty, - -	9	11	4	13	9	6
	Carrig, - -				17	15	10
	Forth, - - -	5	1	8	31	4	11
	Glynn, - - -	3	4	9	8	5	1
	Harperstown, - -				56	6	4
	Kilbride, - - -		2	6	4	2	10
	Killurin, - - -		18	11	18	13	3
	Taghmon, - - -	5	9	8	97	6	1
	Whitechurch, - -				32	2	7
	TOTAL, -	26	13	2	290	1	9
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow, - - -				55	5	11
	Bridgetown, - -				37	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				36	19	9
	Harristown, - -				26	5	1
	Kilcowan, - -				36	11	8
	Killag, - - -				73	14	4
	Kilmore, - - -				42	7	4
	Newcastle,				21	15	4
	Tomhaggard, -				27	12	8
	TOTAL, -				358	3	4
	TOTAL.....	26	13	2	907	17	4

RATE RETURNS.

Date on which the Rate Book was produced, and the Total Amount of the Rate Book for collection was given to the Collector.

Name of each Collector.	Date.	£	s.	d.	Amount collected as per Rate Book. £	s.	d.	Amount collected. £	s.	d.	Amount due to the Collector. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	8	10	2115	2	10	64	1	10	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2699	7	5	195	10	5	195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY,.....	do.	1649	11	9	1757	1	4	358	3	4	358	3	4
JAMES KEANE,.....	do.	2115	5	3	1358	10	9	290	1	9	290	1	9
	TOTAL....	8838	18	6	7931	1	2	907	17	4	907	17	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
173 £ 5 · 1 · 0 *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 £ 59 *s.* 8 *d.* 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	4	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:—

508 lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	1 lb snuff
2 Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	6 doz Screws
12 Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	1 Press Lock
Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	14 lbs Blue Black
1 Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	1 bottle Altar Wine
45 Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,	4 lbs Ochre
475 Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1 cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	
100 lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	
14 lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	
cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,	4 lbs	Malt	
	2 "	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 14 *day of* July 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	1	3
In Kind, ...	1	2	2
Total	31	3	5

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.
174	No. I.	Murphy	17·0·0		
175	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.
176.	Gaol Meat	18	4	10
		55	5	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 : —

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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, 10½ ; Mr Gill, 10½ ; Mr. Hayes, 12½ ; Mr. Maddock, 11½

Mr. Malone, 9¾

Mr Malone fines	2·9
Mr Gill "	2·0
Mr Hayes	2 6
Total	4·3

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

No 207 M/83. Enclosing a copy of an Order which they have issued to Coast Guards, Boards of Guardians, Town Councils &c with a view to provide as far as possible against the introduction of Cholera.

Ordered.— That Dr Sheridan Medical Officer of ~~Health~~ Workhouse be appointed Medical Officer of Health and that he be allowed a remuneration of One Guinea per day as part of day, employed under this Order. That a Committee consisting of the following gentlemen be appointed to make further regulations as regards an hospital and infected ships, and that they meet at the Mayors Office, The Tholsel, at 12 O'clock on Monday:— Messrs C. H. Peacocke Jr, John Redmond, Patrick Ryan, Richd Ryan, William Coghlan Jr., Collector of Customs, Peter Cassin, John Walsh and Edwd Kearns.

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 25982. 20 July 1883. Stating that the Guardians have no legal authority to hand over the child referred to in the Master's Report on last Minutes to the ~~Local~~ putative father.

From the Treasurer, dated 18th July '83, and stating that the Directors have sanctioned the temporary advance to the Union of £2000, if required.

A petition from the Tipperary Union regarding the Cork Butter Market, was adopted.

A resolution adopted by the Waterford Board of Guardians relating to Emigration was adopted.

Mr Denis Dempsey wrote drawing the Guardians attention to the fact that there was no tenders invited for timber.

Ordered— The Master to [illegible]

quality which will be probably required for the coming year, and that advertisements be issued in the usual way.

Tender for a suit of Clothes for the Fever Hospital Porter was accepted from Mr William Connich for £2:12:6.

Regarding the woman Catherine Neville who died on the 11th inst, 9 hours after her admission, and reported by the Master in last minutes, Dr Boyd wrote as follows:—

I was asked to get her into the Infirmary as she was a travelling pauper, and was lying on some straw in a house where she was greatly in the way of a large family. I accordingly visited her on the 6th instant, but she refused to go. As she was weak, I ordered her stimulants and again visited her on the 9th, when I found her stronger, and she then consented to go, although I told her, she would never be able to return. She was supplied with stimulants for the road and every requisite care. I cannot see what better course could have been taken about the poor woman. There was no hurry and every consideration given to her under the circumstances.

The Relieving Officer visited her on the 9th and found her sitting up at the fire. He paid every attention to her.

Ordered— Approved.

The Clerk's Estimate of Rates was then considered and it was Resolved— That the Estimate be reduced by one-seventh, as the Guardians are satisfied that the sum thus realized will be sufficient.

The following Gentlemen were elected to select and recommend the Tenders to be accepted, the voting being as follows:— Mr Hore, 20; Mr Peacocke J.P., 18; Mr Browne, 16; Mr P Ryan, 14; Mr J J. Wall, 8.

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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	12
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	14
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	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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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 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 F 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.
			From the Committee appointed to inspect the Kilmow Burial Ground reported that the work was now properly finished. The old fence has been cleared away and a space is thus left which the Committee recommend the Guardians not to allow to be taken up by new graves, but have it as a walk round the Burial Ground Ordered — The recommendation of the Committee to be adopted.

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.

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 28th

day of July 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 July 1883

	No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	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.
In Workhouse Buildings.	731	420										
In Fever Hospital	81	21										
TOTAL.	812	441										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			6	16	157	143	29	24	44	11	14	438
Admitted during the week.			12	2	6	6	1	3	.	1	.	31
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			18	18	157	149	30	27	44	12	14	469
Discharged during the week.			11	1	4	4	.	2	.	.	.	22
Died.			.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	6
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	1	7	7	.	2	.	.	.	28
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			7	17	150	142	30	25	44	12	14	441

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.	190	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	21	In Wards with other lunatics	–
Total,	211	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	8	1	1	10
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	3

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 28th day of July 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.	220	464			220	464
No. II.	172	365			172	365
TOTAL,	392	832			392	832

Comparative No. last year 758
Cost, £29:19:0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 28th day of July 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs Patrick Ryan V.C. Richard Ryan D.V.C.
Edmond Hore Patrick McDonald Richard Rennie
Chas H Peacocke Jr. James Stannard Jr. James Kehoe
John Redmond ~~Peter Carvin~~ Nich. Marshall
Michael Sinnott Matthew Parle William Coghlan Jr.
James Hayden John J Wall

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3625 *to No.* 3655 *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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The Clerk drew the attention of the Guardians to the repairs suggested by Mr Hamilton on the Infirmary, and stated that as there were not many patients at present in the Infirmary, it might be a convenient time to get the work done

Ordered — Referred to the Visiting Committee

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, ... £ 0 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £105 : 19 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 86 : 5 : 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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				5	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killinick, - - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2		7
	Magglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -				51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	TOTAL, -				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				10	15	4
	Ballymitty, - -				13	9	6
	Carrig, - -				17	15	10
	Forth, - - -				31	4	11
	Glynn, - - -				8	5	1
	Harperstown, - -				56	6	4
	Kilbride, - - -				4	2	10
	Killurin, - - -				18	13	3
	Taghmon, - - -				97	6	1
	Whitechurch, - -				32	2	7
	TOTAL, -				290	1	9
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				55	5	11
	Bridgetown, - -				37	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				36	19	9
	Harristown, - -				26	5	1
	Kileavan, - -				36	11	8
	Killag, - - -				43	14	4
	Kilmore, - - -				42	7	4
	Newcastle,				21	15	4
	Tomhaggard, -				27	12	8
	TOTAL, -				355	3	4
	TOTAL.....				907	7	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.*

RATE RETURNS.

Date on which the Rate was made. | Part for collection was given to the Collector. | Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book. | Total amount of Rate collected. | Amount of Rate not lodged, viz.: Wks.

Name of each Collector.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10			
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2697	7	3	195	10	5			
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1358	10	.	358	3	4			
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1757	1	11	290	1	9			
TOTAL....		8838	18	6	7931	1	2	907	17	4			

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(177) *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 5 : 4 : 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 £ 80 *s.* 13 *d.* 9

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	76	4	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	9
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:—

508 lbs. of Meat,	4 lbs. Irish Bacon,	5000 Shoenails
2 Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	4 lbs Ochre
12 Bags of Flour,	½ Barrel of Porter,	2 gals Boiled oil
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	
45 Gallons Buttermilk,	66 doz. of Eggs,	
470 Gallons Newmilk,	12 lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1 cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	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 21 *day of* July 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	30	11	0
In Kind, ...		13	0
Total	31	4	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.
178	No. I.	Murphy	17.0.0		
179	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. 180	Gaol Meat	18	4	10
B. Grounds 181	Hawlin, Fencing Kilmore B. Ground	42	10	
		96	18	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 :—

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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, 10 ; Mr Gill, 9 ; Mr. Hayes, 9 ; Mr. Maddock, 11
Mr. Malone, 9

Mr Hayes	fined	9:6
Mr Malone	"	8:4
Mr Gill	"	6:0
Mr Cleary	"	2:2
	Total	1:6:3

Will the Board allow me to buy a boat load of gravel for the Workhouse Yards.
Ordered — Allowed

A supply of hay will be required.
Ordered — Consideration postponed for a month

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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):—

Thirty-six Ratepayers in the Borough of Wexford applied to have their names placed on the Rate Books in accordance with the Parliamentary Voters Act.

Ordered — That the application be granted.

Ordered — That Timber, Slates, and Cement be advertised for

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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	21
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	31
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	3
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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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:—

Broadway Dispensary Committee. Met on the 27th July 1883. Present,- Messrs Boggan (Chairman) Pettit and Doyle.

The Doctor reports a few cases of Whooping cough since last meeting.

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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. 23445. 25 July '83. Inquiring if the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Taghmon District had complied with the law since the 23rd Ultimo.

Ordered – The Relieving Officer to report next week.

[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 4 cases

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

That the Relieving Officers 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.
		The house of a man named Hall from Rathaspick was ordered to be disinfected.	
		The Committee appointed regarding the Cholera Circular met on the 23rd instant. Present:– Messrs R Ryan (Chairman) Redmond, Cassin, Kearns & Coghlan J.P.. Ordered – That we consider the	

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:

"Island Side" is the proper place to have all ships moored arriving at the Port having any person on Board affected with Contagious Disease.

Ordered – That the Report be adopted, it having the sanction of the Collector of Customs, Mr Coghlan, who was present.

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, the 4th

day of August 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 4th day of August 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, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Temporary Fever Hospital Other Sheds.	731	414
	81	20
TOTAL,	812	434

	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.	7	17	150	142	30	25	44	12	14	441
Admitted during the week.	10	2	4	4	3	1	2	1	-	27
Born - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	17	19	154	146	33	26	46	13	14	468
Discharged during the week.	11	2	8	3	-	4	2	1	1	32
Died, - - - - -	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	2	9	4	-	4	2	1	1	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	17	145	142	33	22	44	12	13	434

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,	188	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	20	In Wards with other Inmates.	-
Total,	208	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	7	1	2	10
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

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 4th day of August 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	463			218	463
No. II.	172	369			172	369
TOTAL,	390	832			390	832

Comparative No. last year 748

Cost, £29 : 16 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 4th day of August 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Edmond Kore, C. H. Peacocke Jr., Patk. Ryan V.C., Michael Simott, Richd. Ryan Q.V.C., Arthur Keating, John Redmond, John Walsh, Edwd. Kearns, John Simott, John J Wall, Peter Cassin, James Hayden, John Simott, William Stafford.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3656 *to No.* 3682 *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, ... £ 40 · 10 · 7

Paid during the week, ... £ 96 · 18 · 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of *the Guardians was* £ 29 : 17 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE LETTERS.

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 allowance etc. Work. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING	do.	2894	17	8	2699	7	3	195	10	5
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JAMES KEANE	do.	2115	5	3	1757	1	11	358	3	4
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	7970	11	9	868	6	9

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	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
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	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killinick, - - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2		7
	Mayglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, - -				51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	TOTAL, -				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				10	15	4
	Ballymitty, - -	9	6	1	4	3	5
	Carrig, - -		19		16	16	10
	Forth, - - -				31	4	11
	Glynn, - - -	1	17	4	6	7	9
	Harperstown, - -	16	6	4	40		
	Kilbride, - - -		9	1	4	13	9
	Killurin, - - -		8	2	18	5	1
	Taghmon, - - -	10	16	5	86	9	8
	Whitechurch, - -		8	2	31	14	5
	TOTAL, -	40	10	7	250	11	2
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				55	5	11
	Bridgetown, - -				37	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				36	19	9
	Harristown, - -				26	5	1
	Kilcowan, - -				36	11	8
	Killag, - - -				73	14	4
	Kilmore, - - -				42	7	4
	Newcastle,				21	15	4
	Tomhaggard, -				27	12	8
	TOTAL, -				358	3	4
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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
182 £ 7·19·10 *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 £ 60 s. 15 d. 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	74	16	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	4	
Hall Diet, ...	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:—

497	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,	5	doz. of Wine,
12	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
45	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,
480	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,	1	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,	90	Tons of Coal, (Newport)
	lbs. of Pepper,		

2 doz bass brooms
2 " Scrub brushes
2 " Sweeping "
1 " Shoe "
6 Tea tasters
2 Cream tubes
12 lbs pure wax Candles
12 " Scale "
1 Fire grate
2 lbs patent Grease
1 doz basins
1 " jugs, 12 bed rugs
6 bed pans, 300 brads
1 st blue black

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 28th *day of* July 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	3	8
In Kind, ...	1	0	0
Total	30	3	8

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.
183	No. I.	Murphy	17.0.0		
184	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.
Estab	185	Walsh	Advertising	5		
"	186	Hughes	"	5		
"	187	Mackey	"	2	10	
"	188	Hanney	Rent	4	10	
Inv	189	Rossiter	Eggs	14	7	2
"	190	Doyle	Soap	31	17	2
"	191	Marlow	Coals	208	6	8
"	192	Leard	Meal	41	14	.
"	193	Godkin & Co	Flour	75	5	.
"	194	Maddock	Milk	18	13	4
"	195	Gill	"	10	13	6
"	196	Hayes	"	24	18	4
"	197	Malone	"	9	11	
"	198	Gaul	Meal	17	17	
Crossabeg	199	Hadden	Vac fees	4	4	
Wexford	200	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Ques.	201	Boyd	Registration	2	12	
"	202	Whittaker		2	14	6
Inv.	203	Cosgrove	Meal	8	10	
Estab.	204	Roche	Salary	15	4	
Lawlor	205	Boyd	Lunacy fees	4		
				548	17	6

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 10 3/4 ; Mr Gill, 10 1/2 ; Mr. Hayes, 8 3/4 ; Mr. Maddock, 14

Mr. Malone, 9 1/2

		s d
Mr Hayes	fines	10:6
Mr Malone	"	5:10
Mr Gill	"	1:10
	Total	18:2

A Committee required to examine and compare with sample One ton of soap.
Ordered — Found equal to sample

Two of the Chimneys in the Fever Hospital require cementing
Ordered — Referred to visiting Committee.

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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 26,797. 1st August '83. Expressing their sanction to the proposed remuneration to Dr Sheridan the Medical Officer of Health for the Union under the Cholera Order of the 16th Ult.,— namely at the rate of one guinea a day or part of a day while employed under the order.

Proposed by Mr How, Seconded by Mr Peacocke, and passed — That an order for 12 bed rugs be sent to the Wexford Clothing Society at 11/- each.

The following Tenders were accepted:—

Mr Keating, Taghmon: — Candles (Scale) 8½d, Candles (pure wax) 2s:6d, Sugar soft, 3d per lb.

Mr Jasper Pierce;— Lump Sugar, 4d per lb., Snuff 4s:6d per lb.

Mr W. Devereux:- Candles (Dipt), 4½d per lb.

Mr P. Ryan;— Wine £1:8:0 per doz.

Mr S Doyle:— Rice 2/- per st; Salt, 5s:8d per cwt., Soap 29/- per cwt.

Mr D. Faris:— Pepper, 8d per lb.; Tea 2s/4d per lb.

Leverett & Frye:— Porter (Guiness's) £1:3:6 per 18 gallons.

Mr W. Scallan:— Starch £1:10:0 per cwt, Soda (Washing) 7/-, do.

Mr M. Somers:— Brandy @ £2:2:0 per doz; Gin, £1·10·0 per do.

Mr Cooney, Yolegrow, Poor Law Guardian for the Electoral Division of Taghmon, tendered his resignation of the office of Poor Law Guardian.

Ordered — That Mr Cooney be requested to send his resignation to the Local Government Board.

Mr Meyler, one of the Sureties of the late Clerk, applied for his Bond.

Ordered:— The Clerk to request Mr Taylor to forward the Bond.

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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	24
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	3
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 Rep 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 ***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 Relieving Officer reports that all the defaulters in the Taghmon District reported on 23rd of June had since 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

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.

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 11th

day of August 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 11th day of August 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	415
	81	17
TOTAL,	812	432

	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,	6	17	145	142	33	22	44	12	13	434
Admitted during the week.	14	1	5	1	1	3	2	2	2	31
Born - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	20	18	150	143	34	25	46	14	15	465
Discharged during the week.	11	.	5	6	3	3	2	.	2	32
Died, - - - - -	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	.	6	6	3	3	2	.	2	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	18	144	137	31	22	44	14	13	432

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,	194	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	17	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	211	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	13	1	3	17
No. in Workhouse at date	6	1	3	10

No. at corresponding period last year 472

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of August 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	465			217	465
No. II.	172	366			172	366
TOTAL,	389	831			389	831

Comparative No. last year 453

Cost, £30 : 9 : 7

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Other Guardians:

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Nich. Marshall Thomas Cardiff John Simott
Tho. Colloton George L. Hunte J.P. Peter Cassin
Michael Simott William Boswell J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £ 0 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £420 : 6 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in favour of~~ against *the Guardians was* £390 : 9 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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RATE RETURNS.

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	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,	1 lb Tobacco 4 lbs Snuff 100 yds Long cloth 1 gross Combs fine 1 do Coarse	

4 doz boys caps
200 yards Ticken
200 .. Winsey
500 .. Calico (36")
500 .. .. (31")
12 lbs Housewife thread
200 yds. Check
200 .. Navy Blue
200 lbs butt Leather
100 .. Kip ..
100 .. Slitter ..
1 gross Iron heels
1 .. hemp
6 oz hair

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	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	31	14	6
In Kind, ...		4	0
Total	32	1	6

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

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	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.
209	Gaol Meat	27	11	4
		56	15	·

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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, 11 ; Mr Gill, 13 ; Mr. Hayes, 10¼ ; Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 10

Mr Hayes	fined	2·4
Mr. Malone	"	2·0
Mr. Gill	"	1·8
	Total	6·0

A Committee will please examine leather supplied by Contractor

The Committee reported that the goods were equal to samples, but that there is a certificate required from the Manufacturer that the Butt leather is "Irish"

Ordered — That the Contractor be requested to supply the required certificate

I require money to buy straw.

Ordered — That a cheque be drawn for £5:0:0

Some of the Potatoes on the Farm are very good and ripe. Would the Board think well of giving them to the Inmates once or twice a week.

The Medical Officer also wrote stating that he had examined the Potatoes, found them excellent, and recommended that they be used by the Inmates (healthy) twice each Week.

Ordered — That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of this recommendation.

Lodged as follows:—

	£ s d
Gravel	9 : 4 : 0
Repayment of Relief (Union)	3 : 3 : 0
" (Wexford)	0 : 3 : 0
Burials Kilmore 7/6, Harristown 7/-	0 : 14 : 6
Total	13 : 4 : 6

Sister Stafford applied for leave of absence for a little time.

Ordered — One month 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 27,365. Enclosing a Form calling for a Return of Inmates in the Workhouse on the 24th day of February last, classified in certain cases as therein ~~stated~~ indicated.

The Clerk reports that he ~~ought~~ had filled in the required Return and sent it back. He laid a copy of it before the Guardians.

No 243. 8 August '83. Transmitting a copy of an Order which they have issued containing Rules and Regulations with reference to ships having on Board Bales of Rags exported from Egypt and consigned to this Country

Ordered — That a copy of the order be sent to the Medical Officer of Health, with a request that he will attend to the duties contained therein.

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 Thornton, Manager of the Catholic Blind Asylum, Drumcondra, wrote, dated 7th August 83, stating that John Mernagh is about to leave that Institution, in order to make a start in life for himself; and asking the Guardians to be so kind as to allow him the balance of the Half year pension yet remaining, and which has been paid to the 25th December next.

The boy came before the Board and having heard his statement, it was proposed by Mr Peacocke J.P., seconded by Mr. Ryan, and passed unanimously that the amount be allowed with the consent of the Local Government Board.

Tenders Accepted:—

Mr John Ryan:— Calico (Union), 7d per yd; Black Linsey 1:2 per yard; Ticken, 1:2 per yd; Wincey, 8d per yd; Worsted 2:2 per yd; Yarn, 2:0 per yd.

Mr P. Haynes:— Baragon, 2/- per yard; Calico (lay (31") 4½d per yard; Corduroy, 2/- [illegible]

Mr T O'Reilly:— Frieze 5/6d per yard

Mr J J Kehoe:— Calico (36") 5d per yd; Calico (Twilled) (36") 7d per yard; Long Cloth 6d per yd; Linen Thread 3/6 p. lb.

Mr William Cormich:— Calico (lelay 42") 1½d per yard; Calico (Twilled 42") 1½d per yd; Shrouding, 2d; Check, 9d; Flannel 1/-; Linen, 9d; Navy Blue, 6d; Woollen Neckerchiefs, 1/4; Cotton Neckerchiefs, 4d; Woollen Shawls 4/- each; Tweed 2/9 per yd; Tailors Machine Thread 6/- per doz Spools; Card Thread 4d per doz; Tape wide, 3/- per doz pieces; Tape (Narrow) 2/- per do; Boys Caps 1/- each; Tailors Thimbles, 8d per doz.

Messrs N & T Cadd:— Women's Machine Thread, 8½d per doz spools, Bass Brooms, 16d per doz; Sewing needles 4/- per 1000; Knitting needles, 8d per doz sets; Iron Spoons 2/- per gross; Women's Thimbles, 4d per doz.

Mr E. Godfrey:— Shoe nails (Cast) 1/- per 1000.

Mr P. Doyle:— Butt Leather 1½d per lb.; Nip Leather, 1/10d per lb.; Hemp Balls 2/- per doz.; Hairs 1/4d per oz.

Messrs Jones & Co:— Slitter Leather, 1/6d per lb.

Mr Matthew Harper:— Iron heels, 7d per doz; Pegs, 4d per lb.; Rasps, 9/- ea ~~per doz~~; Knives 4/- per doz; Shoe nails (hammered) 1/4d per 1000. Paint Brushes @ 5/- and 9/- per dozen; Sweeping do, 26/- per doz; Scrubbing do, 11/- per doz; Carpenters nails from 1/8 to 25/- per 1000; Black lead 8d per lb; Boiled oil 3/3d per gallon; Steel Scissors 9d per pair; Tins Qts 3/- per doz; Tins (pts) 2/- per doz; Tin plates 2/- per do.

Messrs Brien & Keating:— Tin Basins, 10/- per doz; Cut nails 1/9d per stone; White Lead 28/- per cwt

Mr Hugh McGuire:— Black Lead brushes, 9/- per doz; Limewash Brushes 27/- per doz.; Shoe brushes 8/6d per doz Linseed oil 3/2 per gallon.

Mr John Tighe:— Bones, 4/3d per cwt.

Mr Laur Atkins:— White Rags 16/- per cwt; Coloured do 5/6; Lead, 10/-

Mrs Vizer:— Glazing, (Workhouse) 2/10d per doz; F. Hos 1/8d each.

Mr John Colfer:— Sweep the chimneys £2:10d per year.

Mr Jas W Walsh:— At the prices named in Tender Form

Mr Michael Ennis:— Do Do

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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	31
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	6
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	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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(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 6th. Present Mr N Keating (Chairman) and Mr ~~Mr~~ M Browne. The doctor reported that a few cases of Scarlatina had occurred at Redmondstown, & that the patients were removed to Hospital.
A general meeting of the Committee will be held on the 3rd September to consider the advisability of putting a new pump in Ten acre

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

Read Letter from L.G.B. No 25,132 *dated* 8 Aug '83

stating that

Referring to the entry on Minutes of the 7th Ultimo, respecting the issue of Medical Relief Tickets in the Bridgetown Dispensary District and calling the Guardians attention to Paragraph 2, of the Poor Law Commissioners Circular dated 18th December 1869, and enclosing a copy thereof.

Ordered – A Copy to be sent to the Medical Officer of Bridgetown

[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 4 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.
Bridgetown	Dr Damellan	Houses in the Bridgetown District have not yet been whitewashed.	
Ordered – The Sanitary Sub Officer to summon the Landlords of those premises to the Duncormick Petty Sessions on Friday next			
A public pump in Tenacre requires to be renewed. Ordered – Referred to Dispensary Committee			

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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Michael Browne Ch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 18th day of August 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 18th day of August 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	413
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	81	14
TOTAL,	812	427

	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.	9	18	144	137	31	22	44	14	13	432
Admitted during the week.	4	6	5	3	1	1	·	·	1	21
Born - - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	13	24	149	140	32	23	44	14	14	453
Discharged during the week.	7	3	3	4	2	2	1	·	1	23
Died, - - - - -	·	·	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	3	6	4	2	2	1	·	1	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	21	143	136	30	21	43	14	13	427

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,	197	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other inmates	·
Total,	211	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 453

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of August 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	466			218	466
No. II.	171	370			171	370
TOTAL,	389	836			389	836

Comparative No. last year 750
Cost, £31 : 2 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 18th day of August 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne Esq. Chairman
Other Guardians:

Messrs Richard Ryan D.V.C. Chas. H. Cracoke, J.P.
Edmond Hore James Kehoe Patrick Ryan V.C.
Arthur Keating John Walsh William Coghlan J.P.
Edwd. Kearns John Redmond John Rowe
James Devereux

Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3714 *to No.* 3733 *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 I saw in one of the daily papers of Monday last what purports to be a letter from the Local Government Board to the Guardians of the Athlone Union, stating that Arrears of Seed Rate, due by persons owing Seed Rate only, could not be carried forward to next years Rate, in Unions, like ours, where the last instalment became due on the 1st instant.

Ordered – That the Rate Collectors be instructed to close their collection of the Seed Rate, at least, within a month from this date more especially to collect from those persons owing "Seed Rate" only, and that the Local Government Board be requested to state if the statement the Clerk saw in the newspapers is correct.

I beg to state that Mr Keane, rate collector, has not lodged any money since the 7th of July. He attended twice with his Books on Board days, when I had not time to thoroughly check them. He promised to attend on Tuesday last and lodge £60, which I ascertained from cursory checking his books on last Saturday evening, he had on hands. He failed to keep his promise and has written to state that he was detained at home on account of his wife's illness.

Ordered – The Clerk to write to Mr Keane directing him to attend and lodge the money in his hands during the incoming week.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £ 13 · 4 · 6

Paid during the week, ... £165 · 16 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £543 : 1 : 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:—

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	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2699	4	3	195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1399	.	7	250	11	2
JAMES KEANE,.....	do.	2115	5	3	1757	1	11	358	3	4
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	7940	11	9	868	6	9

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				5	11	1
	Ardcolm,				4	5	10
	Ardtramont,				5	11	1
	Drinagh,				2		2
	Killinick,				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick,				2	6	10
	Kilscoran,				14	13	3
	Lady's Island,				2		7
	Mayglass,				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck,				51	3	4
	Rosslare,				22	17	10
	St. Helen's,				28	4	5
	Tacumshane,				19	13	8
	TOTAL,				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	Anghwilliam,				10	15	4
	Ballymitty,				4	3	5
	Carrig,				16	16	10
	Forth,				31	4	11
	Glynn,				6	7	9
	Harperstown,				40		
	Kilbride,				4	13	9
	Kilturin,				18	5	1
	Taghmon,				86	9	8
	Whitechurch,				31	14	5
	TOTAL,				250	11	2
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow,				55	5	11
	Bridgetown,				37	11	3
	Duncormack,				36	19	9
	Harristown,				26	5	1
	Kilcowan,				36	11	8
	Killag,				73	14	4
	Kilmore,				42	7	4
	Newcastle,				21	15	4
	Tomhaggard,				27	12	8
	TOTAL,				358	3	4
	TOTAL.....				868	6	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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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
210 £ 4 : 3 : 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 £ 262 *s.* 10 *d.* 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	74	17	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:—

465 lbs. of Meat,	8 lbs. Irish Bacon,	13 lbs large twine
2 Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,	4 " small "
12 Bags of Flour,	½ Barrel of Porter, (18 gals)	1 doz Altar Wine
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	2 " Fly paper
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,	100 yds Tweed
45 Gallons Buttermilk,	60 doz. of Eggs,	200 " Linen
490 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	6 gross Card Thread.
1 cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	
224 lbs. of Sugar,	1 cwt. of Soda,	
28 lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
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 11 *day of* Aug 18[illegible] *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	17	0
In Kind, ...	16	0	
Total	29	13	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.
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	Gaul Meat	16	14	4
214	Irwin Straw	5	.	.
		56	17	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:—

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, 10 ; Mr. Maddock, 12

Mr. Malone, 10

	s. d.
Mr Hayes fines	5:6
Mr Malone "	5:0
	10:6

There are six chests of tea received from Contractor to be examined with sample by Committee.

The Committee (Messrs Peacocke & Brown) reported that the Tea was equal to sample.

Will the Board order the small potatoes on the farm to be sold or purchase small pigs to consume them.

Ordered – Messrs Walsh & Kehoe to purchase some small pigs on the fair of Taghmon, if possible.

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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 29 268. 16 August 83. Approving of the proposed use of potatoes twice a week in the Dietary of the healthy inmates of the Workhouse as recommended by the Medical Officer

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From Mr John Furlong, Crandaniel dated 17th August 83. Inquiring if the rates had yet been paid on certain farms in the Union as he was aware that there was sufficient chattels on them at present to pay the rates.

The Clerk stated that he could not say if the rates were paid on those farms and he was directed to write to the Rate Collectors requesting them to collect the rates due on them, if any.

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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	21.
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Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	–
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The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	0.

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

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

day of 18

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

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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

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	Mr Dillon	Stating that the Landlords of certain houses in Bridgetown had bought lime and brushes for to ~~wh~~ lime wash them. They had not yet commenced. Ordered — If they are not commenced by the 20th instant the Landlords are to be summoned to Wexford Petty Sessions.	

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 Thomas Leonard, Taghmon, stating that a person named Kennedy had taken charge of the Burial Ground in Taghmon put a lock and chain on the gate and debarred him and several others of free access to their family Burial Ground.
Ordered — Referred to the Dispensary Committee of Management, to report on by next Saturday.

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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James Kehoe

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.

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 August 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,	731	397
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	10
TOTAL.	812	407

	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.	6	21	143	136	30	21	43	14	13	427
Admitted during the week.	3	.	4	2	.	2	.	.	.	11
Born - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	9	21	147	138	30	23	43	14	13	438
Discharged during the week.	6	2	12	3	1	4	.	.	2	30
Died, - - - - -	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2	13	3	1	4	.	.	2	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	3	19	134	135	29	19	43	14	11	407

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,	189	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	~
Total,	199	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 461

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of August 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	469			218	469
No. II.	167	360			167	360
TOTAL.	385	829			385	829

Comparative No. last year 752

Cost, £30 : 16 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 25th day of August 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, ~~Adam O'Neill~~ James Kehoe Esq.

Other Guardians: and subsequently Richd. Ryan Esq.

Messrs Adam O'Neill, Richd. Reville, Peter Cassin, Chas H Peacocke J.P., John Simott, Patk. McDonald, Edwd. Kearns, George Le Hunte J.P., William Bopwell J.P., Nicholas Marshall, Michael Simott, Michael Browne, Edwd. White

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3735 *to No.* 3745 *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, ... £ 50 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 65 : 17 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £558 : 18 : 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,* - -				64	1	10
	TOTAL, -				64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -				5	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killinick, - - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2	.	7
	Mayglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -				57	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	TOTAL, -				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -				10	15	4
	Ballymitty, - -				4	3	5
	Carrig, - - -				16	16	10
	Forth, - - -				31	4	11
	Glynn, - - -				6	7	9
	Harperstown, - -				40		
	Kilbride, - - -				4	13	9
	Killurin, - - -				18	5	1
	Taghmon, - - -				86	9	8
	Whitechurch, - -				31	14	5
	TOTAL, -				250	11	2
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				55	5	11
	Bridgetown, - -				37	11	3
	Duncormack, - -				36	19	9
	Harristown, - -				26	5	1
	Kilcowan, - -				36	11	8
	Killag, - - -				73	14	4
	Kilmore, - - -				42	7	4
	Newcastle,				21	15	4
	Tomhaggard, -				27	12	8
	TOTAL, -				358	3	4
	TOTAL.....				868	6	9

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 declared to be owing. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188	2179	3	10	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2699	7	3	195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	16449	11	9	1399	.	7	250	11	2
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1757	1	11	358	3	4
	TOTAL....	8838	18	6	7970	11	9	868	6	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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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
215 £ 7 : 11 : 8 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 61 s. 15 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	73	6	4
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	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:—

517	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,		100 yds Frieze
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,		2 gross Corks
11	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		2 st. Sulphur
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		2¾ lbs Cabbage Seed.
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,		2 oz onion Seed
45	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,		20,000 shoe nails
590	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		16 feet of chain.
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,		2 large Bread Basket
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		1 Egg Baskets
	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,		Some timber.
	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 25 *day of* August 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	4	6
In Kind, ...		13	0
Total	29	17	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.
216	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
217	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.
218	Cancelled			
219	Harris Floating Cattle	3	.	.

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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:—

22 August 1883. The house is in good order. There was a resolution to ceil two of the Hospital Wards, but the work was postponed until Autumn. It would be well to consider the matter now. George Le Hunte

Ordered— Tenders to be invited for the Work, as also to cement two Chimney shafts at Fever Hospital.

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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, 13 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ; Mr. Maddock, 14
Mr. Malone, 10

Mr Malone fined s d 8:9.

A Committee required to compare with Contract Samples, Brushes, Thread, Calico, Check, Navy Blue, Linen & Winsey.

Messrs ~~Mill~~ C Donald O'Neill & White were appointed a Committee, and reported that the Check, Winsey Linen, Navy Blue, Calico, Thread, Sweeping Brushes and Scrubbing Brushes were equal to samples but that the Bass Brooms were inferior. Certificates that the Sweeping & Scrub Brushes are "Irish Manufacture" are required.

Ordered— The Bass Brooms to be taken back and the Contractor to supply ones fully equal to sample, and the Contractor for Sweeping & Scrubbing brushes to produce certificates as to their manufacture.

Received a half-barrell of Porter from Messrs Leverett & Frye guaranteed by contract to contain 18 gallons but on measuring found it only contained 16 gallons.

~~Ordered~~ Messrs Leverett & Frye wrote stating that they will supply the deficiency in any way the Guardians wish.

Lodged as follows:—

	£ s d	
Maintenance of Hallnook & Doran	2:18:0	£3:10:0
Cablages	12	

Catherine Morris, aged 10, is in the healthy department of the Workhouse, her mother living in town.
Joseph & Thomas Murphy are in the healthy department of the house, their father living in town.

Ordered— That the usual notices be served on Morris & Murphy.

An Inmate named John Murphy took suddenly ill last night; when removing him to hospital I found £4:2: in his clothes. I am informed that he holds land in the Taghmon E.D.

Ordered— That the Local Government Board be requested to state if the Guardians can now enter him by way of loan and hold the money as payment

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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. 29268. 24 August 1883. Regarding the Guardians proposal to make a gift of a sum amounting to about £5, to a blind boy who intends to leave the Drumcondra Blind Asylum and to whose maintenance therein the Guardians contribute; and stating in reply that the proposed expenditure is not authorized by any of the Poor Law Acts, and they would not accordingly feel justified in assenting to it

Ordered—"That the question be left as it is"

No 30,123. 24 August 83. Replying to the inquiry of the Guardians regarding the Seed Rate, and stating that as the Guardians have still to provide for the instalment of Seed Rate which became due on the 1st instant, the arrears should be carried forward.

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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 25,132. 24 August 83. Requesting to be informed if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Wexford & Crossabeg Districts had ~~[illegible]~~ yet complied with the law.

Ordered – The Relieving Officer 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.
Bridgetown	Mr Dillon	Mr Jeffares has limewashed his houses outside but the inside is not yet done. ~~[illegible]~~	
	This report will be considered next Board Day		

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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Patrick Ryan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 1st day of September 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 1st day of September 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	395										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	11										
TOTAL,	812	406										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			3	19	134	135	29	19	43	14	11	407
Admitted during the week.			6	·	7	6	·	1	·	·	·	20
Born			·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL			9	19	141	141	29	20	43	14	11	427
Discharged during the week.			6	·	7	3	1	2	·	·	·	19
Died,			·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	·	8	4	1	2	·	·	·	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			3	19	133	137	28	18	43	14	11	406

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,	187	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	198	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	6	·	·	6
No. in Workhouse at date	4	·	·	4

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 1st day of September 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.	219	466			219	466
No. II.	170	363			170	363
TOTAL,	369	829			369	829

Comparative No. last year 757

Cost, £30 : 7 : 0

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 1st day of September 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Ryan Esq. V.C.
Other Guardians:

Mess Patrick McDonald, Richd Ryan D.V.C., C. H. Peacocke J.P., Edmond Hore, James Kehoe, Matthew Parle, John Sinnott

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3746 *to No.* 3765 *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 will feel grateful if the Guardians will kindly allow me four days leave of absence next week. I have made arrangements that their business will not be neglected as regards my duties.

Ordered — Allowed.

Mr Nicholas Cooney, Yoligrow, the Guardian for the Electoral Division ~~has~~ is dead.

Ordered — That the Local Government Board be requested to order a new election to supply his place.

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, ... £ 66 · 17 · 1

Paid during the week, ... £ 69 · 17 · 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £562 · 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.

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	2115	2	.	64	1	10
PATRICK KEATING	do.	2894	17	8	2699	7	3	195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	do.	1649	11	9	1399	.	7	250	11	2
JAMES KEANE	do.	2115	5	3	1819	19	.	295	6	3
	TOTAL.....	8838	18	6	8033	8	10	805	9	8

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 - -				5	11	1
	Ardcolm, - - -				4	5	10
	Artramont, - -				5	11	1
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killiarick, - - -				29	2	8
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -				14	13	3
	Lady's Island, - -				2		7
	Mayglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -				51	3	4
	Rosslare, - - -				22	17	10
	St. Helen's, -				28	4	5
	Tacumshane, - -				19	13	8
	TOTAL, -				195	10	5
JAMES MURPHY	Aughwilliam, - -				10	15	4
	Ballymitty, - -				4	3	5
	Carrig, - -				16	16	10
	Forth, - - -				31	4	11
	Glynn, - - -				6	7	9
	Harperstown, - -				40		
	Kilbride, - - -				4	13	9
	Killurin, - - -				18	5	1
	Taghmon, - - -				86	9	8
	Whitechurch, - -				31	14	5
	TOTAL, -				250	11	2
JAMES KEANE,	Bannow, - - -	5	6		49	19	11
	Bridgetown, - -		8		37	3	3
	Duncormack, - -	2	15	3	34	4	6
	Harristown, - -	1	4	2	25		11
	Kilcowan, - -	7	9		36	3	11
	Killag, - - -	39	.	8	34	13	8
	Kilmore, - - -		16	10	41	18	6
	Newcastle,	5	9	2	16	6	2
	Tomhaggard, -	7	9	3	20	3	5
	TOTAL, -	62	17	1	295	6	3
	TOTAL.....	62	17	1	805	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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220 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to* £ 4 : 2 : 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 £ 62 *s.* 2 *d.* 9

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	74	19	3
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:—

488	lbs. of Meat,	6	lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
11	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	64	doz. of Eggs,
480	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,		

4½ sheets of Roofing Iron
400 - 12" nails
12 lbs black lead
4 " lamp black.

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* August 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	5	0
In Kind, ...	1	4	6
Total	29	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.
221	No. I.	Murphy	16 · 0 · 0		
222	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.
Clo	223	Cormick	Check	18	17	4
"	224	Hynes	Calico	9	18	5
"	225	Doyle	Leather	23	17	
"	226	Kehoe	Calico	14	8	4
"	227	Ryan	Winceey	6	13	4
"	228	Jones & Co	Leather	8	4	3
Estab.	229	McGuire	Oils	2	15	9
Inv.	230	Rossiter	Eggs	11	5	2
"	231	Godkin & Co	Flour	73	12	9
"	232	Devereux	Sugar	37	5	
"	233	Faris	Tea &c	73	3	
"	234	Scallan	Porter	5	14	1
"	235	Maddock	Milk	18	13	4
"	236	Cleary	"	23	11	4
"	237	Gill	"	9	4	.
"	238	Gaul	Meat	35	2	.
E. Law &c	239	Hughes	Jurors Lists	17	10	
Wex. Dis	240	Williams	Salary	2	10	
Con Dis Act	241	Coghlan	Burying Cattle	6	14	6
Estab.	242	Irwin	Pigs	12	.	.
				432	1	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 : –

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

MASTER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, 11¼ ; Mr Gill, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ; Mr. Maddock, 15

Mr. Malone, 10½

Mr Malone fined 3s : 3d

The covered cars requires new shafts, general repairs & painting
Ordered— The Master to get the requires repairs executed in the best and cheapest manner possible.

Slitter leather and Long Cloth to be examined by Committee.
Messrs Kehoe & McDonald reported that the goods were equal to samples.

Please appoint Committee to buy pigs on fair.
Ordered— Messrs McDonald & Kehoe were appointed.

A supply of whiskey will shortly be required
Ordered— To be advertised for in the usual way.

Will the Board kindly grant the School Children an excursion to Rosslare after their Annual Examinations on the 4th instant.
Ordered— Allowed.

Will the Board order the oats to be threshed next week.
Ordered— The Master to get them threshed at the first suitable opportunity.

A Committee will please visit the Infirmary ~~wards~~ wards to be ceiled, and direct how they are to be done before a specification be drawn.
Ordered— Messrs Peacocke & R. Ryan were appointed.

For some time past none of the sisters elected by the Board are doing duty in Hospital.
Ordered— The Clerk to write asking an explanation.

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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 29,303. 30 Aug 83. Stating that although the time allowed for the completion of the collection has long since expired, Poor Rates amounting to £430 still remain uncollected in the Union and that no progress had been made with the seed Rate collection since the 30th of June. Also pointing out that the Union is £390 in debt; and requesting the Guardians to insist upon all collectible outstanding rates being lodged to the credit of the Union without any further delay.

Ordered — That the Rate Collectors wind up their collection and attend with their arrears' sheets to be checked by the Clerk on the 14th instant, and they are to again attend the Guardians meeting on the 15 instant when their Arrears Sheets will be considered — the Guardians to be specially noted to attend.

Proposed by Mr. McDonald, seconded by Mr Kehoe and

Resolved — That this Workhouse, being situated in the Parish of Glynn, we recommend that the Local Government Board offer the office of Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Parish Priest of that Parish, namely — the Rev. John Parker P.P., Glynn, Wexford, at a Salary of £50 per annum.

Ordered — That the Clerk provide six copies of the "Labourers Bill"

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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	16
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	20
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	3
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	2
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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(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

Mr Murphy, Relieving Officer, reported that all the Defaulters under the Vaccination Act had complied with the law except eight cases who were "unfit" and one case who had left the District, in the Wexford District.
Crossabeg District.- All had complied.
Taghmon District.- All, except four, who were unfit.

[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.
Bridgetown	Mr Dillon, Relieving Officer,	reports that all the houses in this District had now been limewashed inside and outside.	

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 Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 8th.

day of September 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 8th day of September 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, Additional Workhouse,	731	393										
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	81	6										
TOTAL,	812	399										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			3	19	133	137	28	18	43	14	11	406
Admitted during the week.			3	1	6	1	4	.	2	.	.	17
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			6	20	139	138	32	18	45	14	11	423
Discharged during the week.			2	1	8	4	2	1	3	1	.	22
Died, - - - - -			.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	1	8	5	3	1	3	1	.	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			4	19	131	133	29	17	42	13	11	399

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,	189	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	196	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 451

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 8th day of September 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.	219	469			219	469
No. II.	170	368			170	368
TOTAL,	389	837			389	837

Comparative No. last year 762

Cost, £29 : 3 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 8th day of September 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richd Ryan Esq D.V.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs James Kehoe, Michael Sinnott, Patk. McDonald, C H Peacocke J.P., George LeHunte J.P., J. H. Boswell J.P., James Boggan, John Sinnott, Jas Devereux, Edwd. Lacy, 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. 3766 *to No.* 3782 *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, ... £ 0 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 0 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £562 · 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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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 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,* - -					
	TOTAL, -					
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -					
	Ardcolm, - - -					
	Artramont, - -					
	Drinagh, - - -					
	Killinick, - -					
	Kilpatrick, -					
	Kilscoran, - -					
	Lady's Island, -					
	Mayglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Templeshannon, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	Harristown, - -					
	Kilcowan, - -					
	Killag, - - -					
	Kilmore, - - -					
	Newcastle,					
	Tomhaggard, -					
	TOTAL, -					
	TOTAL.....					

No change since last week

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

243 £ 7 : 12 : 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 £ 58 *s.* 2 *d.* 9

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	72	5	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:—

469	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
11	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	65	doz. of Eggs,
480	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,		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	5	0
In Kind, ...		18	6
Total	30	3	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.
244	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
245	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.
246	Gaul Meat	16	17	2
247	Furney Cattle	559	11	.
		615	1	.

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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 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 bought with Committee on fair of 3rd instant six pigs for £11:10:0

Mr. R. Malone V.A. paid me £30, money given to him to buy a horse.

The Schoolmaster asked ~~th~~ that the school children be allowed a week's holidays — the annual examinations being now over

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 29,987. 5 Sept. 83. Enclosing a copy of an Order of the House of Commons requiring a return of the number of holdings exclusive of those in Parliamentary Boroughs in each Electoral Division of this Union valued at £11:10, £11:15, £11:18 and £11:19:0.

Orders— The Clerk to make out the required Return.

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 30.943, 7 September 83. Relating to the inquiry in Minutes of the 25th Ult as to whether the cost of Maintenance in the Workhouse of a man named John Murphy can now be charged to him under the circumstances mentioned, and stating that an order as to relief by way of loan cannot be made retrospective. The Guardians may however declare future relief in the case to be by way of loan.

The man was entered by way of loan on the date the money was found with him.

The Tender of Mr Patrick Curran for ceiling the Hospital Wards and Cementing the two Fever Hospital Chimneys was accepted for a sum of £7:10:0

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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	15
Ditto, disallowed	–
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	17
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	3
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	4
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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(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 3rd. Present Rev J Alexander (Chairman) and Messrs Keating, Power, Boswell, and Browne. The Doctor reports that he had three cases of Scarlatina and one of Measles since last Report and that the Sanitary condition of the District is fairly satisfactory.
Ordered – One ton of Coal to be procured

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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. 27618. 7 Sept. 83 - Requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Bannow District had ~~since~~ complied with the Law since 28th July last

The Relieving Officer reported that they had.

[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

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	The Dis. Committee recommend that a wooden pump be erected at Tenacre		
Ordered –	That a special meeting of the Committee be called to recommend an Area of Chargeability – to meet on Monday the 17th instant.		

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 15th

day of ~~July~~ September 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 15th day of September 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	731	396
Fever Sheds.	81	7
TOTAL,	812	403

	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.	4	19	131	133	29	17	42	13	11	399
Admitted during the week.	2	2	5	5	·	1	2	1	1	19
Born - - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	6	21	136	138	29	18	44	14	12	418
Discharged during the week.	3	·	5	2	1	2	·	·	·	13
Died, - - - - -	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	·	6	3	1	2	·	·	·	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	3	21	130	135	28	16	44	14	12	403

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,	190	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other inmates	·
Total,	197	Total	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	·	2	1	3
No. in Workhouse at date	·	·	·	0

No. at corresponding period last year 453

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th day of September 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.	220	470			220	470
No. II.	169	362			169	362
TOTAL,	389	832			389	832

Comparative No. last year 764

Cost, £27 : 2 : 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the [redacted] day of September 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Richd Ryan Esq, & subsequently Patk Ryan Esq V Chairman, and finally Michael Browne Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs. Edmond Hore, George Le Hunte jr, Jo. H. Peacocke jr, Thos Colloton, Matthew Parle, Edwd Kearns, Nicholas Marshall, Michael Simott, William Coghlan jr, Edwd White, John Simott, William Stafford, John Redmond, Nichs Cooney, Peter Cassin, John Rowe, Patk McDonald, Jas Devereux, 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. 3783 *to No.* 3801 *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, ... £598·3·8

Paid during the week, ... £1059·1·11

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £1029·7·1

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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	*Wexford,* - -	19	12	3	43	9	7
	TOTAL, -	19	12	3	43	9	7
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -	1	11	6	3	19	7
	Ardcolm, - - -		13	9	3	12	1
	Artramont, - -	1	10	11	4		2
	Drinagh, - - -				2		2
	Killinick, - - -	6	3	2	22	19	6
	Kilpatrick, - -				2	6	10
	Kilscoran, - -	2	14	3	11	19	
	Lady's Island, - -				2		7
	Mayglass, - -				7	19	8
	Rathaspeck, -	5	4	8	45	18	8
	Rosslare, - - -		17	6	22	.	4
	St. Helen's, -	2	15	3	25	9	2
	Tacumshane, - -	8	16	6	10	17	2
	TOTAL, -	30	7	6	165	2	11
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -	4	16	3	5	19	1
	Ballymitty, - -	1	8	.	2	15	5
	Carrig, - - -	6	10	3	10	6	7
	Forth, - - -	9	9	9	7	10	6
	Glynn, - - -		14	4	5	13	5
	Harperstown, - -	5	12	1	34	7	11
	Kilbride, - - -	3	16			17	9
	Killurin, - - -	4	9	4	13	15	9
	Taghmon, - - -	54	10	2	31	19	6
	Whitechurch, - -	3	13	9	28	.	8
	TOTAL, -	94	19	11	140	6	7
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -				49	19	11
	Bridgetown, - -	3		6	34	2	9
	Duncormack, - -				34	4	6
	Harristown, - -				25	.	11
	Kilcowan, - -				36	3	11
	Killag, - - -		10	6	34	3	2
	Kilmore, - - -				41	10	6
	Newcastle,		1	2	16	5	.
	Tomhaggard, -	1	19	8	18	3	9
	TOTAL, -	5	11	10	289	14	5
	TOTAL.....	150	11	6	638	13	6

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 Rates now declared to be due. £	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR	Sept. , 183	2179	3	10	2135	14	3	43	9	7
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.	2894	17	8	2729	14	9	165	2	11
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.	1649	11	9	1508	5	2	140	6	7
JAMES KEANE.....	do.	2115	5	3	1825	10	10	289	14	5
	TOTAL....	8838	18	6	8199	5	.	638	13	6

NOTE—A Total is to be inserted in *Rea Book* 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
248 £ 4 : 19 : 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 £ 63 s 18 d. 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	17	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	4	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:—

463	lbs. of Meat,	6	lbs. Irish Bacon,		30 gals. Whiskey
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,		2 St cut nails
11	Bags of Flour,	½	Barrel of Porter,		3 yds oil cloth
½	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		2 doz Screws
½	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,		Timber
40	Gallons Buttermilk,	60	doz. of Eggs,		8 barrels lime
440	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		1 bottle marking ink
1	cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,		
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		
224	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,	56 lbs 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 8 *day of* Sept 188

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	1	0
In Kind, ...		17	6
Total	28	18	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.
249	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
250	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.
251	Gaol Meat	17	12	9

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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 ventilation in the sleeping ward of the Infant School Children has been carried out with great success. The improvement at the door of the Nursery by laying down concrete instead of pavement has been done where ordered and is a very great improvement It would be well gradually to substitute concrete for pavement in other parts of the premises George Le Hunte

Ordered – The latter suggestion to be carried out.

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, 11 ; Mr. Maddock, 11

Mr. Malone, 11

Lodged £30 which I received from Mr Malone; also £10/- balance of a check which I received to buy pigs.

A Committee required to condemn some articles of clothing no longer fit for use.

Ordered – Messrs Peacocke and Ryan were appointed.

From Sister Stafford resigning her appointment as Hospital Nurse

Ordered – That a Nurse to supply her place be advertised for.

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

No 30,158. 8 Sept 83. Enclosing a copy of the Labourers Act and stating that any advice or assistance the Guardians may require in the exercise of their powers under the act the Local Government Board will be ready to give

Proposed by E. Peacocke JP. seconded by Edmond Hore and passed unanimously:—

That the members of this Board agree to take advantage of the Labourers Act so as to extend its provisions for the benifit of the Labouring Class of this Union

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No 31,730. 11 Sept 83. Transmitting a copy of an Election Arder to supply the vacancy in the Electoral Division of Taghmon

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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):—

From Mr. Wadsworth calling attention to his Collector's Manual.

Ordered.— All the Collectors are supplied with copies of the Manual.

Tenders accepted:— 30 gals whiskey 3 years old 14 o.p. @ 16/8 per gallon.
Beef without bone @ 7¾d per lb and offeads at 2/- each.

The tenders for milk were considered too high and it was ordered that advertisements be again issued.

The Rate Collectors attended and submitted their Arrears Sheets when it was resolved That Rate Collector Murphy's Books be returned to him as the Guardians believe that a large number of items returned as Arrears could have been collected long ago if ordinary diligence had been used and that the Inspector of the

Collector be written to informing them of the arrangement.

Resolved — That the following sums on each Electoral Division named be declared Arrears of Rate Lost as the different amounts are either due by ~~poor~~ beggars or persons owing seed rate and who are now out of possession of their former holdings, viz:—

	Ardcavan	1·3·10
	Ardcolm	1·0·7
	Astramont	2·8
	Grangegh	14·10
	Buckbinick	4·13·6
	Kilpatrick	17·4
	Kilscoran	1·4·10
	Lady's Island	18·[illegible]
	Mayglass	3·4
	Rathaspick	4·10·10
	Rosslare	4·3·0
	St Helens	14·10
	Tacumshane	10·10
	Bridgetown	5·13·3
	Duncormick	2·9·8
	Harristown	4·1
	Kilcowan	1·17·9
	Killag	8·2·10
	Kilmore	3·9
Vacant Houses	Wexford	30·4·2
	Total	69·17·0

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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	16
Ditto, disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	19
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	8
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	2
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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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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Michael Browne Ch,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 22nd

day of September 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 22nd day of September 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	407
	81	8
TOTAL,	812	415

	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.	3	21	130	135	28	16	44	14	12	403
Admitted during the week.	7	4	12	3	·	·	·	1	·	27
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1
TOTAL	10	25	142	138	28	16	44	15	13	431
Discharged during the week.	3	4	6	1	·	·	·	1	1	16
Died, - - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	4	6	1	·	·	·	1	1	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	21	136	137	28	16	44	14	12	415

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.	192	In separate Wards.	80
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	~
Total,	200	Total	80

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	6	4	1	11
No. in Workhouse at date	·	·	·	0

No. at corresponding period last year 452

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of September 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.	222	478			222	478
No. II.	169	362			169	362
TOTAL,	391	840			391	840

Comparative No. last year 767

Cost, £28 : 9 : 3

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 22nd day of September 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd Ryan D.V.C. Edwd Keans
Chas H. Peacocke J.P. Patk. Ryan V.C. James Boggan
James Kehoe John J Wall Michael Simmott
John Rowe Peter Cassin Richd Reville
John Simmott

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3802 *to No.* 3829 *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 the Rate Books are now ready for signature

Ordered — That the Rate Books be signed this day.

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, ... £ 30 : 7 : 6

Paid during the week, ... £ 51 : 12 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £1050 : 12 : 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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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,* - -					
	TOTAL, -					
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -					
	Ardcolm, - - -					
	Artramont, - -					
	Drinagh, - - -					
	Killiurick, - - -					
	Kilpatrick, - -					
	Kilscoran, - -					
	Lady's Island, - -					
	Mayglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck,					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Ballywilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	Harristown, - -					
	Kilcowan, - -					
	Killag, - - -					
	Kilmore, - - -					
	Newcastle,					
	Tomhaggard, -					
	TOTAL, -					
	TOTAL.....					

No changes since last week

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 Week.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR.....	Sept. , 188					
PATRICK KEATING.....	do.					
JAMES MURPHY.....	do.					
JAMES KEANE.....	do.					
	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 to

252 £4:12:0 *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 £ 76 *s.* 8 *d.* 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	4	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:—

464	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,	3	doz. of Wine,
11	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
45	Gallons Buttermilk,	60	doz. of Eggs,
424	Gallons Newmilk,	10	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	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,		

1 lb Tobacco
4 lbs Twine
½ St red lead
1 bottle Brunswick Black
1 gal turpentine
1 doz Sheets of Sandpaper
2 pairs of butt hinges
1 doz Spade handles
1 " brush "
Some timber lath nails and 4 bags of Cement

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15 *day of* Sep 1882 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	4	6
In Kind, ...		9	0
Total	29	13	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.
253	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
254	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.
255	O'Leary Salary	14	10	
256	Latham "	7	10	
257	O'Connor "	28	15	
258	Sheridan "	31	5	
259	Irwin "	12	10	
260	Scallan "	6	5	
261	Stafford "	6	10	
262	Cahill "	6	10	
263	Tobin "	6	10	
264	Coyle "	6	10	
265	McGrath	10	17	6
266	Irwin	7	10	
267	Firm	8	10	
268	Williams	2	10	
269	Kearns	3	15	
270	Morris	5	5	
271	Stone	3	15	
272	Brien	3	15	
273	Murphy	12	5	
274	Dillon	10	15	
275	Boyd	28	15	
276	Murphy	2	10	
277	Siggins	2	10	
278	Hawling	2	10	
279	Domellar	28	15	
280	Barnewell	5		
281	Whittaker	28	15	
282	M M Walker	5		
283	Hadden	26	5	

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			£	s.	d.
284	Ryan	Salary	5		
285	Pigott	"	28	15	
286	Kehoe	"	3	15	
287	Pierce	"	36	5	
288	Webb	"	10		
289	Kerwin	Meat	15	5	7
			458	5	1

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 over 10 per cent

A Committee will be required to take stock of Clothing at the Workhouse some day next week, and a committee to take stock of Provisions &c on the evening of the 29th — last day of half-year.

Orders — Messrs Peacocke Jr. & Ryan to take stock of Clothing on Wednesday the 26th instant, and a committee to take stock of Provisions &c ~~to~~ be appointed on 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:—

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 33,364. 21 sept. 83. Enclosing questions to be answered by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital

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No 32557. 21 sept. '83. Enclosing a letter which they received from the Right Revd Dr Warren Roman Catholic Bishop of Ferns relating to the appointment of Roman Catholic Chaplains to the Workhouse and requesting that the Board may be favored with the observations of the Guardians on the subject of Dr Warren's communication

Dr Warrens letter recommended that the Revd. Michael Kelly Adminstator in the Parish of Wexford be appointed to the Chaplaincy of the Workhouse and that the Revd. Luke Doyle be appointed to the Chaplaincy of the Fever Hospital. Dr Warren also added that the Workhouse, was, according to ecclesiastical

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arrangements, situated in the Parish of Wexford and that, a priest from another parish could not officiate therein.

Ordered.— The Guardians were under the impression that the Workhouse was situated in the Parish of Glynn, but seeing that they were mistaken, they have no objection whatever that Dr Warrens recommendations be carried out, and they beg to recommend that the Appointments suggested in his Lordship's letter be made at the following salaries:— Revd. Michael Kelly Adms. £50 per Annum and the Revd Luke Doyle Adms. at £20 per annum

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An Application from Fourteen Ratepayers in the Carrick Electoral Division to have Nineteen houses built under the Labourers' Act in that Division was considered, and it was

Ordered— That the Medical Officer of Health be requested to send in a Certificate as to the fitness of the present houses in that Division for human habitation; that fourteen days notice be given to each Guardian that the question will be considered at the meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 13th of October next, and that public notices be issued, of the Guardians intention, in the Wexford newspapers.

Ordered— That the Local Government be requested to state (1) If the Guardians have power under the Act to give half-a-Statute Acre of land to a Labourer who has already a suitable dwelling.

(2) Regarding the obtaining of funds for the purposes of the act, the Guardians do not quite understand the Rates mentioned in the Treasury Minute of 15th of August 1879 and will thank the L.G. Board for fuller information on this subject and also if the Guardians could borrow money from the Treasury so as to pay Principal and Interest in equal Annual instalments extending over a period of, say 40 years, and the amount of the Annual payments per cent would be in such a case

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Ordered – That a sum of £1 be allowed to Relieving Officer Keating and a sum of 15/- to Relieving Officer Dillon for their services in serving notices under the Compulsory Vaccination Act for the Half-year ending 29th September 1883 and that the Local Government Board be requested to approve of the allowance

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	16
Ditto, disallowed	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	27
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	3
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	4
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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(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*: –

Bamow Dispensary.– Committee met on 19th. Present Messrs Corish (Chairman) White Colloton, Breen, Furlong, Keating, Parle, Cullen and O'Neill.

Resolved – That as Mr Barry has been Landlord of the Bamow Dispensary for so many years and believing that he has been unjustly treated, ~~to~~ we resolve not to take Mr Edwards as the Landlord.

Ordered – That 12 months notice be served on Mr Edwards that the Guardians will at the end of that time surrender the Dispensary at Ballyfrory, and that as

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The following Accounts of Expenses (or *Statement of Salaries due*, as the case may be,) *under the Medical Chari Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof* (or such other Directions as m be given:)

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. *for* *Amount, £*

the Guardians have now no regular Solicitor the Clerk be empowered to employ one for the purpose of giving the aforesaid notice.
A regular Solicitor to be appointed on the 13th of October.

This at the end of each alt-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-y ended 18 *, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directe furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which h been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary Dist for the half year ended* 18

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

District, . . £

his to be entered on occasion of every ap- intment of a new Com tee, after the Annual ection of Guardians, and the occasion of any elec- n to fill any vacancies in a pensary Committee.

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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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 29th day of September 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 29th day of September 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.	Boys and Girls. 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	400										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	7										
TOTAL,	812	407										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			7	21	136	137	28	16	44	14	12	415
Admitted during the week.			3	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	8
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			10	21	139	139	28	16	44	14	12	423
Discharged during the week.			7	2	5	.	1	.	.	1	.	16
Died, - - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	2	5	.	1	.	.	1	.	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			3	19	134	139	27	16	44	13	12	407

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,	197	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	–
Total,	204	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 441

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of September 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	451			207	451
No. II.	135	232			135	232
TOTAL,	342	683			342	683

Comparative No. last year 758
Cost, £29: 17: 4

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 29th day of September 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne Esq
Other Guardians:

Messrs C. H. Peacocke J.P.
Patrick Ryan V.C. — John Simott — Richd Ryan D.V.C.
Matthew Parle — Adam O'Neill — Thos. Colloton
Mich^l Simott — John Rowe — Bartholmew Brennan
Edwd Lacy — Nich^s Marshall — James Kehoe
Nich^s Cooney — John Walsh — Edwd Kearns
Edmond Hore — Pat^k McDonald — John Redmond
William Stafford — Mich^l Browne — 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. 3830 *to No.* 3837 *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, ... £ 37 : 7 : 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 364 : 14 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £1346 : 13 : 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.	Amount of Rate uncollected at close of Week.
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, - - -					
	Killiaick, - - -					
	Kilpatrick, - -					
	Kilscoran, - -					
	Lady's Island, - -					
	Maggluss, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Aughwilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Kilturin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	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 to
290 £13 : 18 : 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. 0 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	18	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		4	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:—

489 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. Irish Bacon,		2 st White lead
2 Ox-heads,	doz. of Wine,		5 bundles of laths
10 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,		1½ St lath nails
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,		1 Sanctuary oil lamp
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles of Gin,		2 rolls of wax taper
45 Gallons Buttermilk,	56 doz. of Eggs,		1 hatchet and file
440 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt. Candles,		1 boat of sand
1 cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,		2 lbs ochre
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,		1 lb Venetian Red
224 lbs. of Sugar,	cwt. of Soda,		2 lbs Patent Dryers
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,		1 gal Linseed Oil
cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,		1 pint Varnish.
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 22 *day of* June 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	7	5
In Kind, ...		14	0
Total	30	1	5

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.
291	No. I.	Murphy	15·0·0		
292	No. II.	Dillon	11·0·0		
	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.
293	Malone Salary	12	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 : —

25 Sept 83

Stock was taken to-day. The grates in the Hospital Wards which are now being called are small and broken. It would be judicious to substitute iron plain barred grates in lieu of the cast iron ones now imperfect.

We recommend that the concrete pavement be gradually extended at once. In the hospital wards the change would be very salutary.

George Le Hunte

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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,

A lamp is much required at rere of hospital to throw light over the yards during darke evenings.

Ordered — The Master to ascertain the probable cost by next Board Day.

Lodged as follows : —

Road Gravel & Vegetables	4 : 5 : 0	17 : 8 : 3
Maintenance (Barlow)	1 : 6 : 0	
Shrouding	1 : 0	
Straw Cheque (Balance)	3 · 3 · 3	
Rags & Bones	8 : 13 : 0	

100 Yards of Frieze to be examined by Clothing Committee. The Committee reported the Frieze equal to sample.

The daily supply of eggs have not been sent by the Contractor during the week.

Ordered — The Contractor to be warned that if she fail to supply them, they will be bought in the market at her expense

The following articles were condemned by Committee and ordered to be deducted from Clothing Stock Bedding :— 20 sheets, 28 blankets, 33 rugs, 13 Ticks and 16 bolsters & Cases. Men's :— 45 Shirts, 16 stockings, 5 Flannel W. Coats. Women's :— 38 wrappers, 32 Petticoats, 20 shift, 61 aprons, 14 handkerchiefs, 24 stockings, 7 caps, 3 bonnets, 9 bodies. Boys' :— 22 shirts, 14 stockings, Girls' :— 48 Frocks, 24 petticoats 26 shifts, 48 bibs, 17 stockings, 9 rollers.

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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 34,252. 28 Sept. 83. Replying to the inquiry on last Minutes regarding the ~~power~~ ability of the Guardians to ~~grant~~ rent half a statute Acre of land to labourers who are already provided with suitable dwellings and pointing out that the 12 Section of the Act specifies "That there shall "be allotted to each dwelling to be erected a "plot of ground not exceeding half a statute Acre". and that this does not extend to the case referred to in the Minutes of last Saturday. Also stating that loans are made by the Commissioners of Public Works on terms calculated to cover both principal and interest the Annual payment being settled according to the circumstances of the case.

Ordered – That the Local Government be requested to state (1) In the case of a dwelling of an agricultural labourer which is out of repair but that a small outlay of say £5 would put m[illegible] an excellent dwelling of, would the Guardians

under the Labourers Act have power to purchase such a dwelling and annex to it half a statute Acre of land if the Owner of the dwelling was ~~[illegible]~~ disposed to sell.

(2). If the Guardians propose to take land compulsorily, and are opposed ~~to~~ by the owner or occupier of such land will the expenses of such opposition have to be paid by the Guardians.

Representations from the following Electoral Divisions were received from Ratepayers. ~~in the~~ under the Labourers' Act:–

Division	No of houses requires
Ardeolm	6
Aughwilliam	3
Ballymitty	8
Barnow	35
Bridgetown	11
Drinagh	5
Duncormick	24
Forth	2
Hearperstown	11
Harristown	14
Killiroe	2
Kilcowan	8
Killag	10
Lady's Island	24
Rudyglass	3
Rosslare	1
St Helens	7
Taghmon	30
Tomhaggard	9
Wexford	3

Orders – That those representations be considered on Saturday the 20th of October next and that the usual legal notices be given.

Tenders were received for milk but the Guardians considered that they were too high and it was

Orders – That advertisements be again issued and that the Medical Officer be consulted as to the practibility of substituting Condensed milk, or Cocoa, or Tea, or Coffee, for ~~the~~ New Milk

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The tender for pigs was rejected as it was considered too low and it was
Ordered – That the pigs be sold on the next fair of Wexford

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 5
Ditto, disallowed ... ... –
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 7
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 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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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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 6th day of October 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 6th day of October 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	405										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	9										
TOTAL,	812	414										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			3	19	134	139	27	16	44	13	12	407
Admitted during the week.			7	6	9	4	4	2	.	2	1	35
Born - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			10	25	143	143	31	18	44	15	13	442
Discharged during the week.			5	3	8	7	.	1	.	.	2	26
Died, - - - - -			.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	3	9	7	.	1	1	.	2	28
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	22	134	136	31	17	43	15	11	414

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards.	189	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date. In separate Wards. 30
	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates ~
	Total,	198	Total, 30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 447

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday,* the 6th day of October 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.	133	220			133	220
TOTAL,	344	684			344	684

Comparative No. last year .... 754 ~~464~~

Cost, £28 : 1 : 2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 6th day of October 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richd. Ryan, Michael Sinnott, Edmond Staples, Nichs. Cooney, Edmond Hore, Chas H Peacocke jr., John Rowe, Michl. Browne, John H Boswell, Arthur Keating, John Walsh, William Caghlan jr., Matthew Parle, Richd. Reville, John Redmond, James Kehoe

Copy of Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3838 *to No.* 3872 *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, ... £ 0 . 0 . 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 64 . 13 . 6

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 1480 . 7 . 8½

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 Week.
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, - -					
	Mayglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	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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294 £ 12·0·3 *The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to was produced and passed.*

R Cash No 1. 6·10·0 *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 £ 136 s. 12 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	11	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:—

489	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	4 lbs Copperas
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	4 .. Tip nails
	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	4 .. pegs
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	½ ll large needles
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	4 bags Cement
45	Gallons Buttermilk,	54	doz. of Eggs,	
460	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	
	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,	
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,	14	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 29th day of October 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	4	6
In Kind, ...		2	0
Total	28	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.
2	No. I.	Mark Murphy	15·0·0		
3	No. II.	F. Dillon	13·0·0		
	Total, ...		28·0·0		

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.
4	O'Reilly	Frieze	27	10	.
5	Cormick	Tweed	22	9	.
6	Pierce	Regis.r	10	3	.
7	Whitty	Fencing Burial Ground	20	.	.
295	Wickam	Malt & Hops	4	16	4
296	Kerwin	Meat	15	19	9
297	Leverett & Frye	Porter	2	7	.
298	Rossiter	Eggs	18	6	4
299	Devereux	Whiskey	25	3	9
300	Cosgrove	Meal	4	5	.
301	Leared	"	6	19	
302	Cleary	Milk	14	16	1
303	Hayes	"	27	2	1
304	Maddock	"	23	18	4
305	Gill	"	13	1	8
306	Malone	"	19	2	10
307	Byrne	"	7	7	.
308	Godkin	Flour	84	11	6
309	Ryan	Wine	11	7	8
310	Gas Co	Gas	27	12	11
311	O'Keeffe	Salt	2	12	.
312	Keating	Sugar	14	7	6
313	Irwin	Pigs	16	7	6
314	O'Connor	Postage	3	6	
315	Ennis	Timber	7	17	9
316	Harpur	Hardware	31	5	11
317	Walsh	Timber	33	12	4
318	Hughes	Books	31	14	3
319	Murphy	Coffins	3	1	4

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			£	s.	d.
320	Dillon	~~Rent~~ Coffins	6	2	6
321	Hunt & Co	Medicines	92	18	8
322	Browne	Rent	2	10	
323	Joyce	"	2	8	9
324	Fortune	"	4		
325	Ryan	"	2		
326	Corish	"	7	10	
327	Williams	Salary	2	10	
328	Freeman's Journal	advertising	3	2	6
329	Furney	Cattle drawing	18		
~~330~~	~~Dipon~~	~~Rent~~	~~5~~		

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,

Sold the Eight fat pigs on the fair for £32:10.
Bought ten pigs for £16:7:6.

100 yds tweed to be examined by Committee.
Reported equal to sample

The Contractor has finished the ceiling of the Hospital Wards. A Committee will please inspect them before he is paid the Balance of his account.

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

No 34,252. 3 October 83. A sealed Order appointing Rev Michael Kelly Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Wexford Union Workhouse at a Salary of £50 per Annum

No 34 252. 4th Oct. 83. A sealed Order appointing Rev. Luke Doyle Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Fever Hospital of the Wexford Union at a Salary of £20 per annum

No 31326. 29 September 83. Forwarding an Order of the House of Commons calling for a Return of One hundred of the largest Ratepayers in each County and requesting to be furnished with a List of one hundred of the largest Ratepayers in the Union

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 34 252. 4 Oct 83. Expressing their sanction of the payment of £1 to Mr Mark Murphy for his services under the Vaccination Act.

Ordered — That the Local Government Board be also requested to approve of the payment of 15/- to Mr Francis Dillon for similar services in his District for the half year ended 29th September 1883.

From the Irish Land Commission dated 4th October 1883 and stating that Schedules of the several Orders made by the Land Commission Court and the Civil Bill Courts for the erection of Labourers' Cottages and calling attention to the ~~Pow~~ power and duties of Guardians in such cases under the Labourers' Act

Sister A O'Brien ~~wrote~~ was unanimously elected to the office of Nurse of the Workhouse Hospital at a Salary of £20 per annum

Resolved — That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of the payment ~~to~~ of a sum of £20 to Mr James O'Connor, Clerk of the Union for his services under the Parliamentary Voters' Act.

Dr Sheridan Medical Officer of the Workhouse wrote in reply to a communication from the Clerk stating that he is of opinion that no substitute could be judiciously made for a pure new milk in our present Dietary Scale

As to the strength he would advise that it should be as near 10 per cent as can be got

The following articles were condemned by committee and ordered to be deducted from Clothing Stock:— Mens:— 14 coats 12 vests, 11 trowsers, 23 drawers, 18 caps, 18 shoes. Boys:— 7 coats 17 Vests, 20 trowsers, 23 Shoes, Womens:— 54 shoes. Girls:— 33 shoes

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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	27
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	35
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	3
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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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 Bannow Bridge Wellingtonbridge Taghmon *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 Contracter

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.
Bridgetown	The Dispensary Committee recommends that the well at Kilmore Quay be cleaned out, relined, and a new wooden pump erected and that the expense be charged to the townlands of Grossfarnage and Keemstown. The Committee also recommend that the expense of the Tenacre pump be charged to the townlands of Tenacre, Knocks, Littletown, Moortown Great & Little.		
Orders – That the Local Government Board be requested to forward a Form of Chargeability			

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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Michael Browne Ch

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

day of October 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 13th day of October 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	407
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	5
Fever Sheds.		
TOTAL.	812	412

	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.	5	22	134	136	31	14	43	15	11	414
Admitted during the week.	2	2	5	3	1	·	2	·	·	15
Born - - - -	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1
TOTAL	7	24	139	139	32	14	45	15	12	430
Discharged during the week.	1	1	4	3	2	1	3	1	·	16
Died, - - - - -	·	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	1	1	6	3	2	1	3	1	·	18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	23	133	136	30	16	42	14	12	412

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,	192	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates	~
Total,	197	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	4	2	3	9
No. in Workhouse at date	2	·	2	4

No. at corresponding period last year 444

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of October 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.						
No. II.	136	232			136	232
TOTAL,						

Comparative No. last year 738

Cost, £27 : 0 : 0

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne, Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Edmond Hore, John Simott, John J Wall, Michael Kavanagh, John Walsh, Nicho. Marshall, Michael Simott, Thos. Colleton, John Simott, Bartholmew Breman, Michael Browne, William Stafford, George Le Hunte JP, Joh. H. Peacocke JP, Patk. Ryan VC, Edwd. Kearns, Peter Cassin, Richd Ryan DVC, Thos. Cardiff, John Rowe, James Kehoe, John Redmond, Edwd. Lacy, Edwd. White, Edmond Staples, William H Bopwell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3874 *to No.* 3888 *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, ... £198 · 5 · 4

Paid during the week, ... £554 · 4 · 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £1836 · 6 · 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:—

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the Warrant for collection was given to the Collector.	£ s. d. Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book.	Total amount of Rate collected.	Amount of Rate uncollected, and why.
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,* - -	167	-	-		
	TOTAL, -					
PATRICK KEATING,	*Ardcavan* - -					
	Ardcolm, - - -					
	Artramont, - -					
	Drinagh, - - -					
	Killinick, - - -					
	Kilpatrick, - -					
	Kilscoran, - -					
	Lady's Island, - -					
	Maylass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	Harristown, - -					
	Kilcowan, - -					
	Killag, - - -					
	Kilmore, - - -					
	Newcastle,					
	Tomhaggard, -					
	TOTAL, -					
	TOTAL.....					

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

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

8 £3 : 8 : 0 *was produced and passed.*

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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 £ 59 *s.* 2 *d.* 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
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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

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489	lbs. of Meat,	8	lbs. Irish Bacon,
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,
22	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
¼	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
45	Gallons Buttermilk,	55	doz. of Eggs,
470	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
224	lbs. of Sugar,		cwt. of Soda,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,	14	lbs. of Starch,
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
14	lbs. of Pepper,		

300 yds Linsey
2 lbs black paint
2 .. dryers
2 .. Umber
1 .. Brown
2 lt white lead
2 gals boiled oil
12 lbs Scale candles
Some timber
2 doz bricks
4 pipes
200 hard bricks
1 gross spools 2 iron grat
2 locks, 100 dog nails

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	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	~~28~~	~~12~~	~~0~~
In Kind, ...	~~71~~	~~8~~	~~2~~
Total	29	0	0

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

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9	No. I.	Murphy	16.0.0		
10	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.
11.	O'Connor	Jurors Lists	43	9	9
12.	O'Connor	Voters Lists	20	.	.
13	Murphy	Poundage fees.	31	16	9
14	Keane	"	30	8	6
15	Dixon	Rent	5		
16	Domellan	"	2	19	9
			167	2	9

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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, 7 ; Mr. Hayes, 13 ; Mr. Maddock, 14

Mr. Malone, 11

I ceased taking milk from Mr Gill on Wednesday as I considered it too inferior having made only 7, 10, 5, 7 & 6 percentage on previous days. His milk delivered at the Fever Hospital since that date made 7, 20, 11, & 19.

Orders — The action approved of.

The Porter sometimes refuses admission to persons coming to see their sick and dying relatives in hospital contrary to printed regulations of the Board in the Lodge; and contrary to my directions. On the 7th instant a respectable man called to see a first cousin of his who was dying in hospital and had close on £200 to leave to his relations: he was refused admission by the Porter and did not see his relative who died on the 9th.

The Porter came before the Board and stated in reply that several persons had been to visit the sick man previously on that day; that he was not aware the applicant was a relative of the patient, and that it being after 4 o'clock he thought it would only annoy the patient to have any other visitor.

Ordered — The Porter was severely reprimanded and warned that the rule regarding visitors should be strictly carried out, and that any further infringement of that rule would be visited by the severest displeasure and punishment of the Guardians.

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

No 278. 6 Oct 83. Enclosing a copy of the "Epidemic and other Diseases Prevention Act 1883.

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 36069. Approving of the appointment of Sister Antonio O'Brien as Hospital Nurse in this Workhouse at a Salary of £26 per annum

No 36017. 12 October 1883. Sanctioning the payment of a sum of £20 to the Clerk of the Union for his services under the provisions of the Parliamentary Voters' Act.

From the Board of Public Works - dated 6th of October 1883 and stating that if the Treasury agree to loans under the Labourers Act being repaid by annuity, the annual payment in respect of a loan of £100 would be for

20 years	£ 7:0:8
30 "	5:12:2
40 "	5:1:0
50 "	4:17:2

and adding that 50 years is the maximum term

Ordered - That the Local Government Board be requested to state if it is possible to make the Cost incurred in carrying out the Labourers Act a Union Charge (Rural).

Tenders for milk were received, but the Guardians considered that they were too high and it was

Ordered - That advertisements be issued inviting tenders for six months.

Resolved - That Mr John R. Wolfe, New Ross, be appointed Solicitor to this 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	11
Ditto, disallowed	~
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	15
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	2
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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(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.
~~Bridgetown & Kilmore~~			

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 36,019. 12 October 83. Enclosing a Form of Descriptive List, respecting the Areas of Charge proposed for the expenses to be incurred in erecting Pumps at Kilmore Quay and Tenacre.
Ordered — That notices be issued to each Guardian of the proposed Area of Charge.

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 20th day of October 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD 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 20th day of October 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	414
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	5
TOTAL,	812	419

	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.	6	23	133	136	30	16	42	14	12	412
Admitted during the week.	2	2	6	4	1	2	3	1	1	22
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	8	25	139	140	31	18	45	15	13	434
Discharged during the week.	3	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	.	13
Died,	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	.	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	5	23	134	139	30	17	44	14	13	419

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,	193	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	198	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	2	2	2	6
No. in Workhouse at date	.	.	.	0

No. at corresponding period last year 448

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of October 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	447			206	447
No. II.	138	228			138	228
TOTAL,	344	675			344	673

Comparative No. last year 740

Cost, £27 : 6 : 0

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Ryan Esq V.C. and subsequently Michael Browne Esq Chairman

Other Guardians:

Messrs Richard Ryan, Chas H Peacocke J.P., Michael Sinnott, John Redmond, Nicht Cooney, George Le Hunte J.P., John Rowe, Thos Colloton, Michl Browne, Patk McDonald, James Stamard

Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3889 *to No.* 3910 *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, ... £199 : 10 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £231 : 13 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £1868 : 9 : 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.	£	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be collected as per Rate Book.	Total amount of Rate collected.	Amount of Rate uncollected as per 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, - -					
	Mayglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Taemmslane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Anghwilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	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 to
17 £5 : 4 : 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 £ 58 *s.* 5 *d.* 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	3	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:—

490	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,
1	Ox-heads,	6	doz. of Wine,
11	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
1	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
1	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	54	doz. of Eggs,
460	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	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,		

1 yd Lamp Wick
1 doz Spade handles
1 " Brush "
18 yd Blind Cord
1 st hoop iron
300 12d flooring brads
6 Limewash Brushes
6 Thermometers

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	0	0
In Kind, ...		19	0
Total	29	19	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.
18	No. I.	Murphy	17.0.0		
19	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.
20	Murphy	~~Bandage fees~~ Jurors' Lists	4	14	
21	Keating	" "	6	4	8
22	Whitty	Fencing Burial Ground (Screen)	23		
23	Leurran	Repairs	3	6	.
			70	8	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 :—

The nurses in the Infirmary complain that there is a difficulty in getting assistant nurses from the body of the house
Whenever feasible in a pecuniary point of view, a great improvement can be effected by doing away with the small Idiot beds on the male side.
Ordered— The Guardians consider the suggested improvement necessary, but postponed the consideration of it to a future date.

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 £32:10 payment for pigs sold on the 3rd inst.

An Assistat Tailor required for some time
Ordered — To be advertised for at piece work.

Linsey— 300 yds was ordered to be advertised for as the Contractor was unable to supply an article the same as Sample.

Will the Board allow me to employ a mason to have the Granite steps at Hall Door reset.
Ordered — Yes.

Four milk Contractors have written to me on Thursday last stating that they would charge 10d per gallon for their milk from that date.
Ordered— Consideration postponed to next meeting.

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

No 292. 19 Oct. 1883. Enclosing a Memorandum of Instructions as to applications to the Local Government Board for Provisional Orders under the Labourers Act.

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 35,104. 13 Oct 1883. Referring to the Guardians Minutes of the 29th Ult, and stating in reply: that the Labourers Act does not empower Guardians to repair existing cottages, and that costs incurred in opposition to the Compulsory taking of land by Owners and occupiers will ~~by~~ be dealt with by the Arbitrator appointed in pursuance of the Land Clauses Acts and that as a rule if such costs are reasonably incurred they will be allowed

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No 36942. 18 Oct. '83. Replying to the Guardians' Inquiry as to whether it is possible to make the costs incurred in carrying out the Labourers' Act a Union charge and stating that it does not appear to be the intention of the Act to do so.

No 36017. 19 Oct. '83. Approving of the payment of 15/- to Relieving Officer Dillon for his services under

the Compulsory Vaccination Act for the half-year ended 29th September 1882.

From Mr J R Colfer Solicitor Newross, thanking the Guardians for appointing him as their Solicitor.

Tenders accepted:— Flour, J. Lambert @ £1:9:5 per bag of 16 st. Godkin & Co:- Oatmeal @ £13:7:6 per ton. Richd Leard Indian Meal @ £7:14:9 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 16

Ditto, disallowed ... ...

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 22

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

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 3

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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(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.
Mr Thos Doyle of Spawell road Complained of the condition of the ~~Screen~~ Saunders court Burial Ground. Ordered – That the supposed Owner of Saunderscourt Burial Ground be communicated with requesting him to give up the management of it to the Guardians			

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 27th day of October 1883

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

200

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 October 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	414
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	81	7
TOTAL,	812	421

	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.	5	23	134	139	30	17	44	14	13	419
Admitted during the week.	1	6	7	6	1	.	.	.	.	21
Born - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL	6	29	141	145	31	17	44	14	14	441
Discharged during the week.	3	6	4	2	1	.	.	1	.	17
Died, - - - - -	-	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	6	4	5	1	.	.	1	.	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	3	23	137	140	30	17	44	13	14	421

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards,	189	In separate Wards.	30
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	~
Total,	196	Total	30

No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	M	F	Children under 15	Total
No. Relieved during week	1	6	.	7
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 27th day of October 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	463			211	463
No. II.	136	221			136	221
TOTAL,	347	684			347	684

Comparative No. last year 666

Cost, £27: 6 : 8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 27th day of October 1883

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Browne Esq. Chairman. Previously Richd Ryan Esq. D.L.C.

Other Guardians:

Messrs M. Simott, P. Ryan, J. Simott, J. J. Wall, C. H. Peacocke, ~~C. Carson~~, ~~W. Stafford~~, ~~Edwd Parke~~, ~~E. Doyle~~, J. Colloton, W. Boswell Jr., G. Le Hunte Jr., J. Power, P. McDonald, Jas Boggan, N. Marshall, E. Hore, T. Colloton, J. Redmond, A. O'Neill, M. Kavanagh, J. Walsh, J. H. Boswell, E. Lacy, J. Devereux, W. Coghlan, J. Hayden, A. Keating, B. Brennan, N. Cooney, J. Browne, Jas. Cullen, T. Cardiff, J. Simott, M. Browne, R. Revill, E. White, J. Kehoe, John Walsh, Edwd Kearns, F. Boswell, Sir John Power.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3911 *to No.* 3931 *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, ... £ 148 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 96 : 2 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1816 : 12 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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 Week.
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, - -					
	Mayglass, - -					
	Rathaspeck, -					
	Rosslare, - - -					
	St. Helen's, -					
	Tacumshane, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES MURPHY	*Ballywilliam,* - -					
	Ballymitty, - -					
	Carrig, - - -					
	Forth, - - -					
	Glynn, - - -					
	Harperstown, - -					
	Kilbride, - - -					
	Killurin, - - -					
	Taghmon, - - -					
	Whitechurch, - -					
	TOTAL, -					
JAMES KEANE,	*Bannow,* - - -					
	Bridgetown, - -					
	Duncormack, - -					
	Harristown, - -					
	Kilenwan, - -					
	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 to (24) £ 4 : 8 : 8 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 87 *s.* 14 *d.* 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	71	16	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:—

488	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. Irish Bacon,	12 doz Screws
2	Ox-heads,		doz. of Wine,	½ doz hearth brushes
	Bags of Flour,	½	Barrel of Porter,	86 pairs of hinges
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 doz pipings
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles of Gin,	7 lbs. Ochre
50	Gallons Buttermilk,	53	doz. of Eggs,	7 .. Umber
480	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt. Candles,	2 .. dryers
1	cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	1 lb. Chrome
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	4 lbs snuff
28	lbs. of Sugar,	1	cwt. of Soda,	4 st white lead
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	2 .. cut nails
	cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	2 gals hails oil
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	200 yds twills Calico
	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 27 *day of* Oct. 1883 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	29	7	8
In Kind, ...	1	14	10
Total	31	2	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	15·0·0		
	Total, ...		33·0·0		

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.

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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,

I had two simple Lunatics named Mary Simott Wexford and Susan Comor of Kilmow removed from Enniscorthy Asylum to the Workhouse on the 24th instant by request of the Medical Superintendent of Asylum

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

No 304. M/83. 25 Oct 83. Relating to Loans from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland.

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 37,257. Enclosing copy of a Report which the Commissioners of National Education receive from their District Inspector on the Workhouse Schools, and adding that the Results Fees which would accrue to the Teachers, were the Schools ordinary National Schools, and the Union Contributory would be as follows:-

James McGrath	£15:4:6
Margaret Irwin	8:17:9
Margaret Finn	4:10:0

The following are extracts from the Inspector's Reports.
"Male Department:- Generally satisfactory, pupils "well prepared on the essential subjects: more attention "is to be given to the theory of agriculture. The different "classes have made good progress since last examination"
"Female Department:- The pupils were well prepared. "Their answering was generally good. The teachers discharge "their duties efficiently. In consequence of the scarcity of labour "the children in the advanced classes had been taken out of "the house, judging from their ages they could not be of

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"much use at harvest work."
"Infant Department:- Quite satisfactory. Children carefully "taught. Teachers attentive and painstaking. The comforts "of the Infants are well provided for".

Tenders for Milk were received, but were not in accordance with the advertisement, and were therefore not accepted.
Ordered— That the Master procure milk on the best terms he can and that advertisements be again issued, for six months.

Resolved— That having considered the Representations made by the Ratepayers of the different Electoral Divisions of the Union we direct our Clerk to prepare a Scheme by the 10th of November to include the following Electoral Divisions as sections of Sanitary District with the number of Labourers Dwellings to be erected thereon under the Labourers Act as follows:-

	No of Dwellings		No of Dwellings		No of Dwellings
Ardcanan	4	Glynn	3	Ladystown	6
Ardcolm	2	Harperstown	10	Maygloss	10
Artramont	3	Harristown	15	Newcastle	3
Aughwilliam	3	Killside	5	Rathaspick	5
Ballymitty	4	Kilcowan	8	Rosslan	12
Barnow	11	Killag	1	St Helens	4
Bridgetown	10	Killmick	8	Tacumshane	7
Carrick	10	Killurin	4	Taghmon	10
Drinagh	5	Kilmow	20	Tomhaggard	4
Duncormick	6	Kilpatrick	3	Wexford	10
Forth	2	Kilscoran	9	Whitechurch	1
	Total	221.			

Resolved— That we allow our Clerk the sum of £10 to enable him to employ assistance for carrying out the Labourers Dwellings Act in the Union for the present year.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 14

Ditto, disallowed 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 21

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 3

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 2

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered 0

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).

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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 ***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.

Bamow 4 Cases

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.
		Tenders Accepted – Putting the Tenace Pump into thorough Repair, Mr F Cousins £5:0:0. Putting the Kilmore Quay Pump into thorough repair:– £9:0:0 and if it require sinking 5/– per foot for Clay and through Stone 10/– per foot.	Mr F. Cousins

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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Patrick Ryan N C

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 3rd

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Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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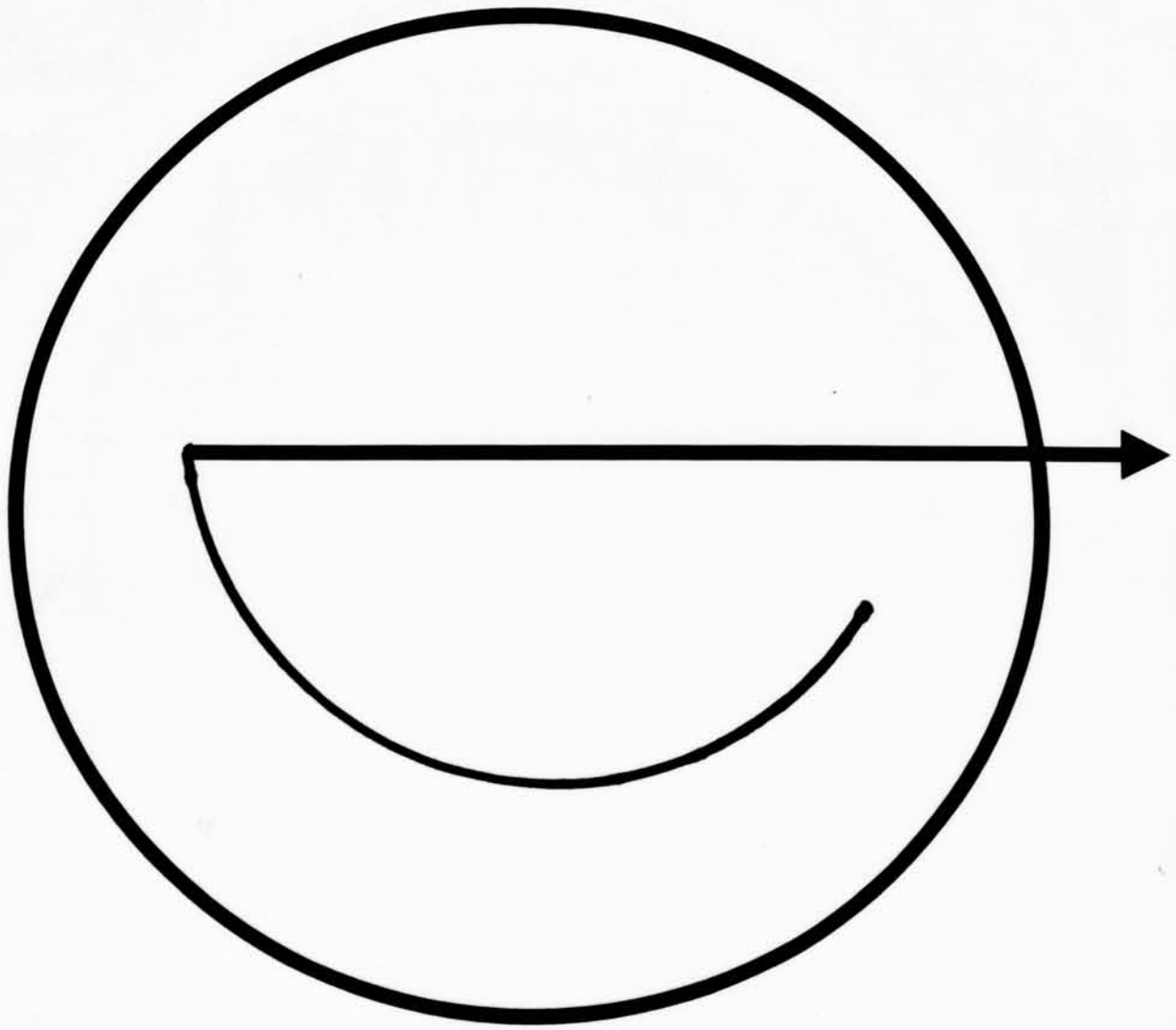

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