Board of Guardians minute book
Wexford Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745. *Present Net Annual Value,* £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of May 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	431	371										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	5										
Fever Sheds												
Total	512	376										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	2	134	141	22	9	11	11	33	368
Admitted during the Week,			15	10	10	8	3	1	4	5	-	56
Born												
TOTAL			20	12	144	149	25	10	15	16	33	424
Discharged during the Week,			18	10	10	3	3	-	1	1	.	46
Died,			.	.	1	1	.	-	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			18	10	11	4	3	.	1	1	.	48
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	2	133	145	22	10	14	15	33	376

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 173	In separate Wards, 24	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 5	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL, 178	TOTAL, 25	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	10	12	37
No. in Workhouse at date	.	.	.	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 401

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	254	545	254	545		
No. II.	161	323	161	323		
TOTAL	415	868	415	868		

Comparative No. last year, 760

Cost, £3 7 : 0 : 6

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* SATURDAY, *the* 22nd *day of* May 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Peter Prenche Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs John Barry V. C.

Laur. Byrne — Barth. Brennan — Geo. L. Hunt J. P.
Edmond Hore — James Kehoe — Walter Harper
Chas. H. Pacocke J.P. — Peter Cassin — Nichs Roche
Wm Coughlan J.P. — John Redmond — Bernard A. Rice J.P.
Patk Scallan — Patrick Lambert — James Keating
— — Patrick Chandler —

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2425 *to No.* 2480 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 44 : 6 : 6

Paid during the week £ 288 : 18 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 504 : 6 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, when each shall have 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 £ s. d.	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £ s. d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 188 ...			
Patrick Keating	Do. ...			
James Murphy	Do. ...			
Nicholas Moore	Do. ...			
	Total			

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
Michael J. O'Connor ...	Wexford		
	Total ...		
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan		
	Ardcolm		
	Artramont ...		
	Drinagh		
	Killiniek		
	Kilpatrick		
	Kilscoran		
	Lady's Island ...		
	Mayglass		
	Rathaspeck ...		
	Rosslare		
	St. Helen's ...		
	Tacumshane ...		
	Total ...		
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam ...		
	Ballymitty ...		
	Carrig		
	Forth		
	Glynn		
	Harperstown ...		
	Kilbride		
	Killurin		
	Taghmon		
	Whitechurch ...		
	Total ...		
Nicholas Moore ...	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.

The Treasurer is to credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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88 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 8 : 17 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	49	5	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	58	1	11
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	10

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:—

434½	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,	1000	Sewing needles
2	Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,	2	lbs of black lead
9	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	200	Yds. of Shrouding
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1	horse brush
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,	2	brls. of oat
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	57	Dozs. of Eggs,	2	lbs of ~~twine~~
420	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,	2	lbs of tobacco
1	Cwt. of Salt,	6	Gallons of Barm,	1	Doz of black lead brushes
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	1	hearth rug
224	lbs. of Sugar,		Cwt. of Soda,	6	Doz pieces of tape
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	2	Doz of wool Kerchiefs
	Cwt. of Rice,	4	lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,				

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th *day of* May 188-6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	14	0
In Kind,		14	
Total,	£ 34	8	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
89 No. I.	Murphy	18	-	-				
90 No. II.	Dillon	17	-	-				
TOTAL,		35	-	-				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
91	Rourke	Meat	10	1	-
92	O'Keefe	Cottages	267	-	-
93	Nolan	Land	2	6	8
			323	5	0

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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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. Boggan, 14 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

Irish white Rugs to be examined by Committee
The Committee appointed reported that the Rugs were not equal to Sample and they were ordered to be returned.

A woman named Margaret Bolger of Wexford was admitted to Hospital on Thursday evening and died on Friday morning. She was visited by the Doctor before her admission.

The Medical Officer stated that he received a ticket from one of the Committee of Management on Thursday at 3 O.C. P.M. and immediately attended the woman Margaret Bolger. She requested to be removed to the Workhouse and having examined her, he believed that she was in a fit state to be removed. He accordingly gave an order recommending her admission to Hospital. He does not think that the removal hastened the womans death. He believed the cause of death was Bronchitis accelerated by weakened heart.

The Relieving Officer stated that he received no intimation of the case whatever

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The Sisters state they require four Iron Beds for their own use.

Ordered – to be advertised for.

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

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

No. 21,240 17th May '86. Informing the Guardians that they propose to transfer Mr William L. Meeks who is acting as their Inspector in this District, to another District on the first of June, and that after that date the Union will be in charge of Mr Edmond Bourke.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... ... ...

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 22nd day of May 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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The following 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. 20,754. 18th May 1886. Expressing their sanction of the remuneration at the rate £115 per annum, proposed to be allowed to Dr. Pigott for his services as temporary Substitute for the Medical Officer of the Bridgetown Dispensary District.

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

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

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

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

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

No. 20,876. 19th May 86. Stating that they have received through the Office of the Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant, a letter from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, from which it appeares that arrangements have been made for one of the houses at Rosslare Fort to be repaired so as to render it fit for occupation by the Coast Guards when detatched from Rosslare Station for boarding duties in connection with Quarantine.

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

From the Office of Public Works 24th May 1886. Stating that they are precluded from enlarging the Period of repayment of the Loan under the Labourers Act. from 35 to 50 Years, and also pointing out that in any case the annuity per cent would be only reduced from £4:16:6 to £4:9:2 if the Guardians wish were complied with.

The consideration of the desirability of erecting the staircase in the Plan was postponed.

Peter Ffrench

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 29th day of May 188 6

Signed, J. O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of May 188 6

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	231	370										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	87	7										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total	82	377										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			2	2	133	145	22	10	14	15	33	376
Admitted during the Week,			11	7	7	11	2	3	5	3	2	67
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			13	9	140	156	24	13	19	18	35	427
Discharged during the Week,			9	9	6	6	1	2	4	5	3	45
Died,					1	4						5
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	9	7	10	1	2	4	5	3	50
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			4	.	133	146	23	11	15	13	32	337

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 169	In separate Wards, 24	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 7	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL 176	TOTAL 24	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	7	5	23
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 401

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	254	540	264	840		
No. II.	160	317	160	317		
TOTAL	414	857	414	857		

Comparative No. last year, 775

Cost, £32:10:0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 29th day of May 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter Ffrench Esq

Other Guardians:—

Messers John Breen, John Redmond, Nich[s] Harper, Bernard a Roice J.P., James Walsh, James Murphy, John McCormack, Michael Sinnott, James Kehoe Broketen, Nicholas Sinnott, James Stannard J.P., James Kehoe Moortown, Walter Codd, John Codd, Patrick Chandler, Thomas Rowe, James Daly, John Barry, John Wall, Charl H. Peacocke J.P., John Fortune, Edmond Hore, Wm Coughlan R.R.K. J.P., Laurence Byrne, Geo. Le Hunt J.P., Dennis Reed, Nicholas Roche, Nich[s] Codd, Patk Sealeau

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2481 *to No.* 2531 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

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

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 £260 : 13 : 7

Paid during the week £320 : 18 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £444 : 1 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy examined and 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...				89	1	6
	Total						
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan ...				68	13	8
	Ardcolm ...	11			11	11	
	Artramont	9			81	7	5
	Drinagh ...				66	4	6
	Killinick ...	13			73	8	1
	Kilpatrick ...	14			33	7	7
	Kilscoran ...	8			106	9	8
	Lady's Island	3			61	.	11
	Mayglass ...	12			60	14	5
	Rathaspeck	9			93	7	3
	Rosslare ...	21			56	3	8
	St. Helen's	8			80	6	1
	Tacumshane	12			62	4	6
	Total	130			804	18	9
James Murphy	Aughwilliam				59	10	1
	Ballymitty				89	14	7
	Carrig ...				132	6	6
	Forth ...				110	8	8
	Glynn ...				61	19	10
	Harperstown				109	13	9
	Kilbride ...				54	15	6
	Killurin ...				94	5	4
	Taghmon ...				291	1	6
	Whitechurch				94	2	5
	Total				1097	18	2
Nicholas Moore	Bannow ...	14	13	2	56	3	9
	Bridgetown	16	15	5	29		9
	Duncormack	12	9	4	66	15	7
	Harristown				14	12	3
	Kilcowan ...	9	8	7	9	8	7
	Killag ...	16	2	2	54	15	2
	Kilmore ...	32	18	6	60	3	3
	Newcastle ...	15	18	1	35	1	1
	Tomhaggard	11	9	-	30	13	3
	Total	129	4	3	356	13	8
	TOTAL	259	4	3	2348	12	1

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	89	1	6	2402	13	3	2491	14	9	Sept. 188
Patrick Keating	807	18	2	2497	13	0	3302	11	9	Do.
James Murphy	1077	18	8	686	19	0	1784	17	2	Do.
Nicholas Moore	358	13	8	1911	19	0	2268	12	8	Do.
	2348	12	1	7499	4	3	9847	16	4	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.

Enter the Treasurer's Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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(94) £ 7 : 19 : 5 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	38	13	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	52	12	2
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	10

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 :—

439 3/4	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,
2	Ox Heads,	5	Doz. of Wine,
9	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
1/2	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,
25	Gallons Buttermilk,	56	Dozs. of Eggs,
420	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,
1	Cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,
	lbs. of Sugar,	1	Cwt. of Soda,
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,
	Cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,		

1 bag of pig-meals
1 lb of Turnip Seed
1 Lock and Key
1 Latch
6 Pair of Hinges
500 6 nails
500 8d - do -
1 Meat mincer
4 Doz Chambers
2 Market baskets
4 Doz brick brooms

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.*

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The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 22 nd *day of* May 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	11	0
In Kind,		19	
Total,	£ 34	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
95 No. I.	Murphy	18						
96 No. II.	Dillon	17						
TOTAL,		35						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
97/98	Rourke	Meat	10	3	6
	Cousins	Catlap	24	.	.
			10 4	2	11

£	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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. Boggan, 14 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 15 ; Mr. Malone, 13 .

Lodged £1-4-0 for maintenance and 5-6 for cabbage plants

Navy blue to be examined by committee Messers. Scallan, Cullen & W. Codd were appointed and reported that the article was superior to Sample.

It is necessary to take down the belfry and rebuild it.
Ordered — The Master to have it taken down and rebuilt.

The services of the Assistant Tailor may be discontinued.
Ordered — The Assistant Tailor to get a weeks notice that his services will not be required.

The Committee appointed to examine the Bed Rugs. Recommended the Board to accept them as although they were not quite equal to Sample in substance, they consider they may wear as well.
Ordered — That the Bed Rugs be accepted.

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

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

No 22 M. 28th May 86. Enclosing a copy of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Act, 1886.

No 17,714. 27th May 86. Enclosing a Copy of their annual report for the present year and adding that the Appendix will be forwarded as soon as Copies are available.

Ordered – To be acknowledged with thanks

Tender Accepted :— Mr Patrick Maddock for New Milk (140 Gallons weekly) at 6d. per Gallon for the first three months and the remaining nine months at 6½d per Gallon.

There were six other Tenders at prices varying from 6½d. to 7d. and it was ordered that Tenders be again invited.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... ... ...

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 29th day of May 188 6

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee of Management:— met on the 24th th inst. Present— Rev^d J. Aleseander (Chairman) D^r Boswell and Messers W. Boswell Nicholas Strafford, Peter Frenche Patrick Rossitter - James Codd, Thomas Stafford and Michael Browne.

A letter was read from the Medical Officer requesting two additional weeks leave of absence on account of illness and enclosing Medical Certificates from D^r Lyster and D^r McCormack of Athlone.

Resolved - That D^r Duffs application be granted

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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~~ _____ ~~Funeral, &~~ _____

and that Dr Piggott be appointed locum tenens. Dr Duff having undertaken to pay him for that period. Dr Duff was also to be informed that the District could not be left longer than the fortnight without a resident Medical Officer.

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 *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* _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

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
Broadway	D. Costello	A nuisance caused by a quantity of Straw in a drain causing an accumulation of Sewage at the rere of Patrick Duggans house	
Ordered:—	That the Sanitary Sub Officer visit the place and report fully on the state of it		

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.
Bridgetown	Baldwinstown Pump Putting it into repair	2	10	0
Ordered —	To be referred to the Committee			

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

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Labourers (Ireland) Act.

The Board today proceeded to consider the "Representations from Ratepayers" in accordance with the notice sent to each Guardian on the 10th. May instant, and published in the Wexford "People" newspaper of the 12th May instant. The Guardians being satisfied of the truth of the ~~statements~~ representations and of the sufficiency of the resources of the Union unanimously passed the following resolution:—

"That an improvement Scheme ought to be made that the Executive Officers proceed with the necessary details, that next Saturday the 5th day of June 1886, be the day to which this meeting is adjourned for the purpose of making the Scheme and that three days notice of such adjourned meeting be sent to each member of the Sanitary Authority.

Peter Ffrench

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of June 188 6

Signed, James O'Connor Clerk of Union.

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Population in 1881—38,745. *Present Net Annual Value*, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of June 1886

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	363
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	6
Fever Sheds		
Total	812	369

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	4	·	133	146	23	11	15	13	32	379
Admitted during the Week	8	1	7	9	2	·	·	·	1	28
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	12	1	140	155	25	11	15	13	33	405
Discharged during the Week	10	1	12	8	2	·	·	·	2	35
Died	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	0	1
Total Discharged and Dead	10	1	13	8	2				2	36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	2	·	127	147	23	11	15	13	31	369

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 472 / Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6 — TOTAL 478	In separate Wards 24 / In Wards with other Inmates · — TOTAL 24	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	1	·	9
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 410

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	253	543	·	·	253	543
No. II.	169	314	·	·	169	314
TOTAL					422	854

Comparative No. last year, 791

Cost, £33 : 18 : 6

COPY OF MINUTES *of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on* SATURDAY, *the* 5th *day of* June 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Peter Ffrench Esqr

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Michael Sinnott, Edmond Hore, James Walsh, Dennis Peck, John Redmond, Nicholas Codd, Walter Codd, Burke Brennan, Patrick Scallan, Laur[c] Byrne, Nich[s] Sinnott, Geo. Le Hunt J.P., John Breen, Patk Chandler, James Murphy, Charles H Pakenham J.P., John Daly, John Fortune, Wm Coghlan R.N. J.P., Nich[s] Harpur, Patrick Lambert, James Cullen, Bernard A Roice, Nicholas Roche, Wm Boxwell, James Keating.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2532 *to No.* 2559 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

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

That he has complied with the orders given him by the previous Boards.

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 £ 326 · 5 · 2

Paid during the week £ 114 · 2 · 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 656 · 3 · 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, duly filled up, and 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...				89	1	6
	Total				89	1	6
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...				68	13	8
	Ardcolm ...				11	11	
	Artramont				31	7	5
	Drinagh ...				66	4	6
	Killinick ...				73	8	1
	Kilpatrick ...				33	2	2
	Kilscoran ...				106	9	8
	Lady's Island				61	·	11
	Mayglass ...				60	14	5
	Rathaspeck				93	7	3
	Rosslare ...				56	3	8
	St. Helen's				80	6	1
	Tacumshane				62	4	6
	Total				884	18	9
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam	25	17	5	33	12	8
	Ballymitty	10	11	9	79	2	10
	Carrig ...	18	7	1	113	19	5
	Forth ...	49	8	1	61	·	7
	Glynn ...	23	18	4	38	1	6
	Harperstown	34	10	11	75	2	10
	Kilbride ...	20	15	11	33	19	7
	Killurin ...	34	19	·	59	6	4
	Taghmon ...	50	·	5	211	1	1
	Whitechurch	24	4	3	69	18	2
	Total	322	13	2	775	5	10
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...				56	3	9
	Bridgetown				29	·	9
	Duncormack				66	15	7
	Harristown				14	12	13
	Kilcowan ...				9	8	7
	Killag ...				54	15	2
	Kilmore ...				60	3	3
	Newcastle ...				35	1	1
	Tomhaggard				30	13	13
	Total				356	13	8
	TOTAL	322	13	2	2025	18	11

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	89	1	6	840	13	3	249	14	9	Sept. 188
Patrick Keating	804	5	10	2491	13	·	3302	11	9	Do.
James Murphy	735	13	8	1094	12	2	1784	17	2	Do.
Nicholas Moore	356			1911	19	·	2008	12	8	Do.
	1984	11	6	6337	18	5	8347	16	4	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 and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 9 : 10 : 3 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	40	10	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	52	7	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	10

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 :—

43 3/4 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 lbs of Tobacco
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	1 Box of Lights
8 Bags of Flour,	1/2 Barrels of Porter,	3 Metal Saucepans
1/2 Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	4 Iron Beds
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	58 Dozs. of Eggs,	
410 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,	lbs. of Starch,	
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
	1 Stone of Malt	
lbs. of Pepper,	1 lb. of 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 29th *day of* May 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	24	12	1
In Kind,		11	6
Total,	£36	5	6

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
100	No. I.	Murphy	18	.	.				
101	No. II.	Dillon	17	.	.				
	TOTAL,		35	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
102	Doyle	Leather	26	2	.
103	Joyce	Navy blue	4	3	2
104	Conner	Rugs	41	3	.
105	Rourke	Meat	10	2	8
106	Rossiter	Eggs	16	18	4
107	Cosgrave	Flour	36	14	2
108	Boggan	Milk	16	6	8
109	Maddock	do	17	10	7
110	Cleary	do	16	2	5
111	Hayes	do	9	14	3
112	Malone	do	7	18	9
113	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
114	O'Flaherty	Rent	4	.	.
115	Egott	Sub^{s} for Dr Duff	13	4	8
116	Atkins	Delf	5	5	0
117	Murray	Lands.	19	7	10
			£91	13	11

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£	s.	d.

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

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

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

2nd June '86. — A complaint was made by an old man in Hospital that the meat is not boiled enough. The Beds were clean and fresh but too much straw is sometimes pushed into the mattresses, and there is often an absence of strings so that the ticken is torn. Some new oilcloth or other substitute is wanted in some wards. There are few ablebodied women to do sewing, but the committe was glad to find that in the Hospital there is help given on the womens side more than hitherto. The Boys going to work on the land had their jackets thrown about on the School Room floor. There ought to be hooks or other arrangements to for their Jackets and care should be taken to give them tidy habits. After washing the School Room, the women ought to carry the buckets to one of the Sewers; and not upset them over the yard.

George Lee. Hunt.

Ordered - The different things alluded to in the report to be referred to the different Officers concerned, with instructions to have the complaints looked to. The master to provide samples of oil-cloth or other substitute to be laid before the Guardians at next meeting to enable them to Select. Something for floor covering.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. Boggan, 13; Mr. Cleary, 12; Mr. Hayes, 11;
Mr. Maddock, 14; Mr. Malone, 14.

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

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

The following tenders were accepted :—
New milk according to advertisement —

Mr. Ryan	130	Gallons @	5¾d	for 1 Months and	6d	for 11 Months
Mr. Hayes	100	"	5½	" 6 "	"	6	for 6 Months
Mr. Malone	70	"	5¾	" 6 "	"	6	6 "
Mr. Cleary	70	"	5¾	" 3 "	"	6	9 "

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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... 19

Ditto disallowed 28

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 1

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 0

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year)

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WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

That the Medicines be procured from the Contractors.

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

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

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, 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 15,305 4 June 86. Inquiring whether defaulters under the compulsory Vaccination act in the Crossabeg and Wexford Districts have yet Complied with the law.

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

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

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
Broadway Ordered	J. Dillon inspected nuisance at Lady's Island. Nuisance caused by an open sewer being stopped, Recommended that a covered Sewer be made 7 yards long by 1 foot square, ~~that notice~~ be served on the Landlord to have a covered sewer made.		

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:—

Mr Dillon reported that the Burial Ground at Kilcavan required some repairs

Ordered:— Referred to a committee consisting of Mr Daly P.L.G. and several ratepayers residing Convenient to Burial Ground to report as to the necessary repairs and the best method of getting them done.

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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Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

The Collectors of Rents returned lists of the Houses which were left by the tenants of the new cottages, and it was ordered that immediate steps should be taken to have an order made for closing such of those houses as were unfit for human habitation

The Executive Sanitary Officer having stated that all the particulars of the Scheme were not yet quite ready it was

Resolved. That the making of an Improvement Scheme under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1883 and 1885. be further postponed to the 12 th of June 1886, to which date this meeting is adjourned for that purpose and that three days notice of such adjourned meeting be sent to each member of the Sanitary Authority.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 12 th day of June 188 6

Signed James O'Connor Clerk of Guardians

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 th day of June 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	731	361										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds	81	5										
Total,	812	366	2	.	127	147	23	11				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			2	.	127	147	23	11	15	13	31	369
Admitted during the Week,			7	2	4	4	3	.	1	.	.	21
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			9	2	131	151	26	11	16	13	31	390
Discharged during the Week,			7	2	3	7	1	1	.	1	.	22
Died,					1	1						2
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	2	4	8	1	1	.	1	.	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	.	127	143	25	10	16	12	31	366

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

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

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	7	.	.	7
No. in Workhouse at date	.	.	.	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 410

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	250	539			250	539
No. II.	172	320			172	320
TOTAL	422	859			422	859

Comparative No. last year, 803

Cost, £32 : 10 : 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 12 th day of June 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs

Michael Smith	Nicholas Codd	James Furlong
John Barry	Walter Harpur	Charles A Racocke J.P.
Patrick Chandler	Patrick Scallan	Dennis Reek
James Murphy	Nich[s] Roche V.C.	James Daly
James Kehoe	Nich[s] Harpur	Wm Coughlan J.P.
Geo. Le. Hunt J.P.	John Fortune	Patrick Lambert
Walter Cullen	James Kehoe	Bern[d] H Roche J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

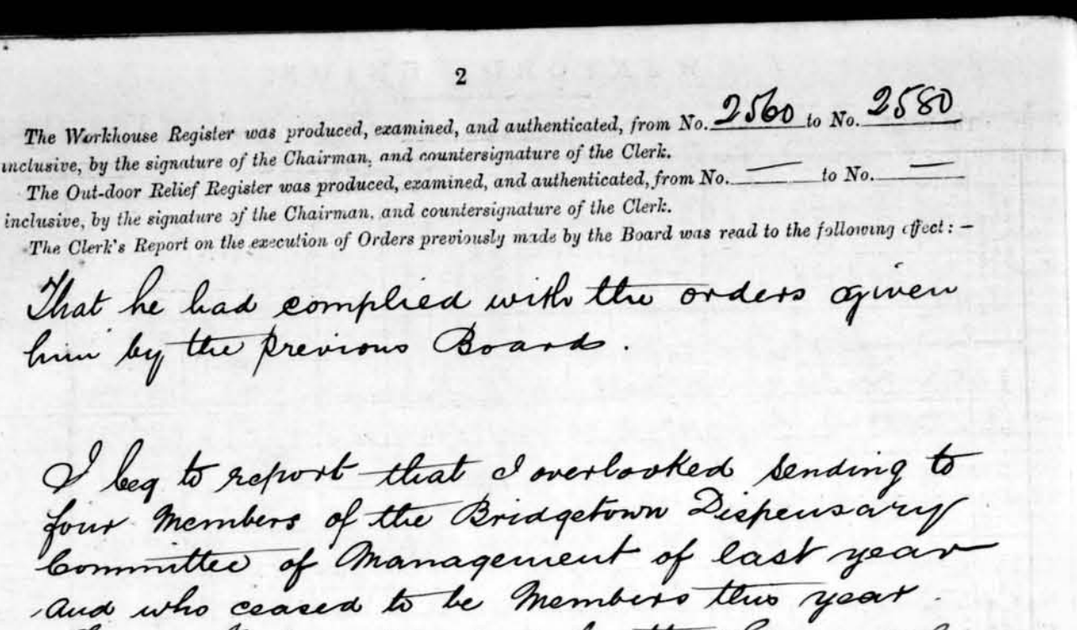
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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2560 *to No.* 2580
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — *to No.* —
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 overlooked sending to four Members of the Bridgetown Dispensary Committee of Management of last year and who ceased to be Members this year. Forms No 3 as required by the General Rules.

Ordered that the Form be sent to the four gentlemen attended to forthwith.



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 . . . . . £ 111 : 11 : 0
Paid during the week . . . . . £ 199 : 13 : 13
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 568 : 1 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board this day, which, being 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...				89	1	6
	Total				89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan	7			69	3	11
	Ardcolm	.			11	11	.
	Artramont	.			31	7	5
	Drinagh	16			50	2	2
	Killinick	4			68	10	1
	Kilpatrick	6			27	8	9
	Kilscoran	21			85	5	2
	Lady's Island	.			61	.	11
	Mayglass	16			45	6	4
	Rathaspeck	11			87	17	9
	Rosslare	5			57	1	7
	St. Helen's	3			77	5	1
	Tacumshane	10			52	18	8
	Total	99	.	.	704	18	10
James Murphy	Aughwilliam				32	12	8
	Ballymitty				79	2	10
	Carrig				113	19	5
	Forth				61	.	7
	Glynn				38	1	6
	Harperstown				75	2	10
	Kilbride				33	19	7
	Killurin				59	6	4
	Taghmon				211	1	1
	Whitechurch				69	18	2
	Total				775	5	.
Nicholas Moore	Bannow				56	3	9
	Bridgetown				29	.	9
	Duncormack				66	15	7
	Harristown				14	12	3
	Kilcowan				9	8	7
	Killag				54	18	2
	Kilmore				60	3	3
	Newcastle				35	1	1
	Tomhaggard				30	13	3
	Total				356	13	8
	TOTAL				1925	19	.

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. 18	2491	14	9	2402	13	3	89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Do.	3302	11	9	2597	12	11	704	18	10
James Murphy	Do.	1884	17	2	1009	12	2	775	5	.
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2268	12	8	1911	19	0	356	13	8
	Total,	9847	16	4	7921	17	4	1925	19	0

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

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 18 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	52	5	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	57	19	7
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	10

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 :—

487½ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	500	8 Nails
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	500	6 "
8 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1	file
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	2	Pencils
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	6	6 yds fatbage seed
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	59 Dozs. of Eggs,	2	Gross Porter Corks
420 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	8	Doz Porter Bottles
1 Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	6	Doz Grat tins
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	2	Rbls. Coke
224 lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	6	Lemons
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	28 lbs. of Starch,	14	Gross hemp balls
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	4	lbs tip nails
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 5th *day of* June 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	0	6
In Kind,		14	
Total,	£34	14	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
119 No. I.	Murphy	18	.	.				
120 No. II.	Dillon	17	.	.				
TOTAL,		35	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
121	Rourke	Meat	10	3	3
122	Kelloe	Cottages	30		
123	Moran	"	44		
124	Marley	"	45	9	
125	Pierce	Instalment	191	14	5
126	Rowe	Flour	15	3	4
			377	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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. Boggan, 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 10 ;
Mr. Maddock, 15 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Mr Hayes fined 8/10

Lodged for Rags £4·13·0

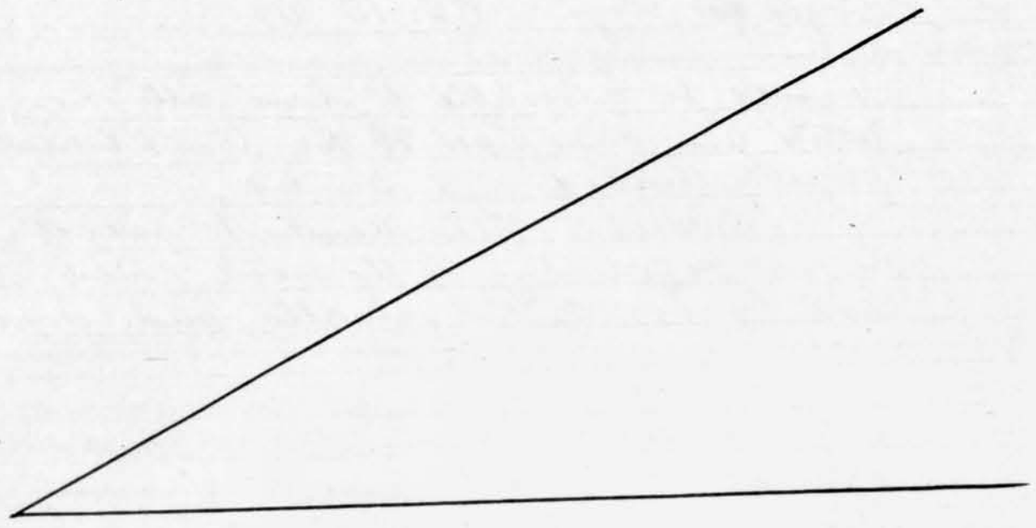
It would be advisable to have all the eave gutters and down pipes of the Workhouse properly cleaned and painted.

Ordered — The Master to ascertain by next board Day. if the work could be done by any of the inmates and report.

Miss Scallan Matron applied for and obtained three weeks leave of absence. Miss Finn Infant Schoolmistress to discharge her duties.

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



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

No. 10,389 11 June '86. ~~Stating~~ that they had received a Constabulary Report from the Office of the Chief Secretary of the Lord Lieutenant, which stated that on the 27th Ultimo. Patrick Lacy was evicted from his holding in the townland of Coolo in this Union and that due notice was not served on the Relieving Officer They also drew the Guardians attention to their powers under the Evicted Poor ~~Protection~~ Act-

The Clerk produced the notice which was served on the Relieving Officers by the Agents of the Landlord on the 20th April 1886 and the Guardians considering that under the circumstances they had no power to act as suggested by the Local Government Board - the matter was allowed to drop.

Tenders accepted - Mr. Matthew Harper.
4 Iron Beds (for Sisters) at £18/-/-

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... ... ...

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

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

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 12th day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 &c be procured from the Contractors

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 Present:— Messrs Stafford (Chairman) Harper and Browne. The Committee reported that the Medical Officer had resumed his duties. It was recommended that £3/- be paid to Mr Keeling for drawing coals to Dispensary. The Committee draw the guardians attention to the necessity of having the houses in the District limewashed — Especially those in Villages. The Chairman of the Committee (who was absent) sent a resolution which

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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 _____ Annual, £_____~~

was sent to him by the Coroner which complained that the present arrangements for carrying out the Medical Charities Act in the District were defective owing to the locum tenens of the Medical Officer (who was on sick leave) residing in Taghmon at a distance of ten miles from Kilmore.

The committee considered that they acted in the only way in which they could legally act: they appointed the Medical Officer of the adjoining District who was most convenient to the poorer side of this District and that not the slightest inconvenience was caused, And they could do nothing else except call on the Medical Officer to resign which they were not prepared to do. The committee considered

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts dated 25th November, 1869.)

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 188 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 _____ 188~~

~~_____ District - - - £~~

~~_____ District - - - £~~

~~_____ District - - - £~~

~~_____ District - - - £~~

that the resolution was passed not to benefit the sick poor, but to give annoyance to the Committee and to make the Medical Officer unpopular.

Ordered – That the Sanitary Sub Officer serve notice on the owners of those houses which require limewashing to have them attended to at once.

Broadway Dispensary Committee of Management met on the 7th Present – Messers Hore (chairman) Boggan and Petitt. The Doctor reported that the lock on the Dispensary Door is out of order, and that a new lock is required. The committee are of opinion that the Landlord should supply a new [illegible]

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

~~that~~ Committee reported that the Landlord of the Killinick Dispensary according to the minutes of the 13th and 27th May 1852 agreed to supply coals to the Dispensary, to give two Rooms for a Dispensary and to supply a Stable for Doctors Horse for a sum of £4.17.6 per annum.

Ordered – That the Landlord of the Broadway Dispensary be written to requesting him to supply a lock and key for door, and that the Landlord of Killinick Dispensary be written to asking him if he is prepared to act up to the terms of his aggreement.

Crossabey Dispensary Committee, Met on the 15th May. The Medical Officer complained of a vexatious delay in having the medicines transmitted.

Ordered that the Medicine Contractors be written to asking them to be more prompt in attending to the Boards Orders.

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

Ordered that the Local Government Board be informed that the defaulters under the Vaccination Act in the District of Wexford and Crossabeg, have complied with the law.

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of 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
Crossabeg Ordered –	Medical Officer requires fencing The Sanitary Particulars by this day week.	Ardcolm	Burial Ground Sub-Officer to report

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:—

Ordered that tenders be invited for repairing the Burial Ground of Kilcavan

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

The Improvement Scheme was today made by the Guardians and was accompanied by Maps, particulars and estimates. It provides that the land is to be taken compulsorily by purchase and that the area of cost shall be the Rural Sanitary District of the Wexford Union. The Scheme was then signed by the Chairman and Clerk of Union and the Union Seal was attached.

Resolved – That advertisements in compliance with the Act, that a Scheme has been made be published in the Wexford People and some other Paper on the 16th, 23rd and 30th of June, 1886.

James Kehoe

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 19th day of June 1886

Signed, James Lennon, Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of June 1886

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	231	351
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	81	3
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Other Sheds		
Total	312	354

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Male	Aged and Infirm Fem.	Boys above 9 and under 15	Girls above 9 and under 15	Children above 5 and under 9	Children above 2 and under 5	Infants under 2 years of age	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	2	127	127	143	25	10	16	12	31	366
Admitted during the Week,	17	2	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	29
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	19	2	133	147	25	10	16	21	31	395
Discharged during the Week,	11	1	10	12	1	1	1	.	1	38
Died,	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	1	11	13	1	1	1	.	1	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	8	1	122	134	24	9	15	21	30	355

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	161	In separate Wards,	24
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates,	—
TOTAL	164	TOTAL	24

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	18	—	—	18
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 413

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	250	540			250	540
No. II.	170	323			170	323
TOTAL	420	863			420	863

Comparative No. last year, 793

Cost, £33 : 12 : 9

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PRESENT: In the Chair— James Kehoe Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs —

Charles A. Peacocke J.P. John Redmond John J. Wall
Michl Sinnott Nichs Sinnott Peter Cassin
Patrick Callan Patrick Chandler James Walsh
Edmond Hore Bryan R. Rice William Copeland Jr.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2581 to No. 2609 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 . . . . . £ 277 . 14 . 11

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 290 . 6 . 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, this Account 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford ...		
	Total ...		
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan ...		
	Ardcolm ...		
	Artramont ...		
	Drinagh ...		
	Killiniek ...		
	Kilpatrick ...		
	Kilscoran ...		
	Lady's Island ...		
	Mayglass ...		
	Rathaspick ...		
	Rosslare ...		
	St. Helen's ...		
	Tacumshane ...		
	Total ...		
James Murphy	Aughwilliam ...		
	Ballymitty ...		
	Carrig ...		
	Forth ...		
	Glynn ...		
	Harperstown ...		
	Kilbride ...		
	Killurin ...		
	Taghmon ...		
	Whitechurch ...		
	Total ...		
Nicholas Moore	Bannow ...		
	Bridgetown ...		
	Duncormack ...		
	Harristown ...		
	Kilcowan ...		
	Killag ...		
	Kilmore ...		
	Newcastle ...		
	Tomhaggard ...		
	Total ...		
	TOTAL ...		

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 | Total Amount of Rate Collected | Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week

Michael J. O'Connor — Sept. 188 ... — £ s. d. — £ s. d. — £ s. d.
Patrick Keating — Do. ... — £ s. d. — £ s. d. — £ s. d.
James Murphy — Do. ... — £ s. d. — £ s. d. — £ s. d.
Nicholas Moore — Do. ... — £ s. d. — £ s. d. — £ s. d.
Total, — £ s. d. — £ s. d. — £ s. d.

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

£ 9 : 1 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	34	6	3
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49	16	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0
Hall Diet		1	8

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

412½ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	1000	Bricks
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	2	lbs Tobacco
10 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1	Scythe Rifle
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	500	12° Nails
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	1	Bolt
25 Gallons Buttermilk,	55 Dozs. of Eggs,	2	Brad awls
440 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	2	Galls Lamp oil
1 Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	1	lb of charcoal
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	4	lbs of Copperas
28 lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,		
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,		
Cwt. of Rice,	4 lbs. of Blue,		
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	14	lbs of Malt
lbs. of Pepper,		1	lb of 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 2 *day of* June 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	0	6
In Kind,		14	
Total,	£ 34	14	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
No. I.	Murphy	18	.	.				
No. II.	Dillon	17	.	.				
TOTAL,		35	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
130	Rourke	Meat	9	10	11
131	Kelly	Salary	12	10	.
132	Doyle	"	6	.	.
133	Latham	"	7	10	.
134	Connor	"	28	15	.
135	Sheridan	"	31	5	.
136	Irwin	"	12	10	.
137	Scallan	"	6	5	.
138	O'Brien	"	6	10	.
139	Cahill	"	6	10	.
140	Kane	"	6	10	.
141	Cleary	"	6	10	.
142	M'Grath	"	10	17	6
143	Irwin	"	7	10	.
144	Irwin	"	8	10	.
145	Williams	"	2	10	.
146	Kearns	"	3	15	.
147	Morris	"	5	5	.
148	Stone	"	3	15	.
149	Brien	"	3	15	.
150	Murphy	"	14	7	6
151	Dillon	"	13	2	6
152	Boyd	"	28	15	.
153	Murphy	"	2	10	.
154	Duff	"	28	15	.
155	Curran	"	5	.	.
156	Cockeltz	"	23	12	7
157	Walker	"	5	.	.
158	Madden	"	26	5	.
159	Ryan	"	5	.	.
160	Rigott	"	28	15	.
161	Mc Kendall	"	5	.	.

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			£	s.	d.
162	Pierce	Salary	36	5	.
163	Webb	"	10	.	.
164	Malone	"	12	10	.
165	Welbrook	"	2	5	6
166	O'Connor	School Book	5	7	8
167	Rochford	Fencing Col:	89	16	.
168	Doyle	Cottage	71	12	.
			643	3	6

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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Boggan~~ Ryan, 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 10 ;
Mr. Maddock, 15 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Thomas Higginbotham child of William Higginbotham Wexford, is now in the healthy part of the house.
Ordered that William Higginbotham be served with the usual notice

Lodged £12.12.0 for Maintenance of Mrs Moore. (Mary)

The Shoemaker and Tailor applied for and obtained leave of absence for Tuesday to attend the annual race meeting

The Agriculturist reported that the Meadow will be fit for cutting about the end of ensuing week.
Ordered - That he is at liberty to employ hands to get the meadow cut.

The Sisters of the Infirmary applied for ten days leave of absence to enable them to attend the annual Retreat. Sisters from the Convent will act as their substitutes.
Ordered - Allowed.

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

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

No 26,451 18th June 1886. Requesting the Guardians to call upon the Relieving Officer for an explanation in writing of his action in informing the Constabulary that no notice was served on him in the case of a man named Patrick Lacey who was evicted from his holding in the townland of Cools, while it appears from the Guardians minutes that notice was served on the Relieving Officer on the 20th April last.

Relieving Officers explanation :— I beg to report that I informed the Constabulary in reply to their inquiry that I believed I had not received any notice in January. In handing in from same Landlord some fifteen notices on 24th of last April this particular notice escaped my memory and I beg to add that I ~~could~~ did not at all [illegible]

to the Constabulary that I had not received the notice.

The Guardians cautioned the Relieving Officer to be more particular in the future about the information he supplies.

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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	29
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	3
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 19th day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— The Clerk Reported that there was a vacancy each on the Committees of Management of the Broadway and Wexford Dispensary Districts owing to the deaths of Mr John Sinnott and Colonel Alcock

Ordered — That Mr Patrick Burke of Benuettstown be appointed on the Broadway District, and that the vacancy on the Wexford District be supplied on next Board Day.

Proposed by Mr Peacocke & Seconded by Mr Walsh that our Clerk be directed to convey to

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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, £*_____

Mrs John Simotts family their regret at his demise.

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 *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* _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from L. G. Board *dated*

stating that

No 25,316. 18 June 1886 Relating to their letter of the 4th instant respecting the defaulters under the compulsory Vaccination Act in the Crossabeg and Wexford Dispensary Districts upon which no order appears to have been made and requesting the Guardians attention to the matter -

Ordered:- The Local Government is referred to the Guardians Minutes of the 12th instant for the order made in the report of their Relieving Officer viz- That the defaulters had complied with the law.

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

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

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
Crossabeg	Mr Murphy	Fence of Ardcolm Burial Ground	visited and requires repairs. He would recommend postponement until the adjoining meadows are mown.
Ordered -	Consideration postponed to the end of July.		

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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Labourers (Ireland) Act

The Executive Sanitary Officer reported that the Guardians Estimate of cost of erecting the Labourers Cottages under the Scheme which was now drawing to a close was considerably inadequate. The Guardians had paid under the Labourers Act to this date a sum of £11813.5.1 And they had only received from the Board of Works a sum of £9468 so that the sum of £2345.5.1 was advanced out of the rates. The entire cost of the Scheme would be about £13,800 while the amount of Loan which had been sanctioned by the Local Government Board and the amount which the Guardians only asked for was £11,353. The Guardians would therefore require a Supplementary Loan of £2,447 or thereabouts.

Ordered that the Executive Sanitary Officer be directed to apply for a Supplementary Loan as above.

John Barry

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of June 1886

Signed, James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of June 1886

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	731	351										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	81	3										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total,	812	354										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	1	122	134	24	9	15	12	30	355
Admitted during the Week,			7	4	11	7	2	.	3	3	1	38
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL			15	5	133	141	26	9	18	15	32	394
Discharged during the Week,			14	4	7	4	4	.	3	1	3	40
Died,			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,			14	4	7	4	4	.	3	1	3	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	1	126	137	22	9	15	14	29	354

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	168	In separate Wards,	24
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates,	—
TOTAL,	171	TOTAL,	24

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	6	3	4	13
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	—

No. at corresponding period last year, 412

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of June 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	250	538			250	538
No. II.	168	321			168	321
TOTAL	418	859			418	859

Comparative No. last year, 802

Cost, £ 33 16 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of June 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— John Barry Esq.

Other Guardians:— Messrs —

Nicholas Codd, John J. Wall, Patrick Scallan, Edmond Hore, Charles H. Peacocke J.P., James Daly, Wm Congdan R.M. J.P., Michael Simmons, Walter Codd, William Stafford, Walter Cullen, Patrick Chandler, Nicholas Roche, Andrew Cullen, John Fortune

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2610 *to No.* 2648 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 438 . 10 . 1

Paid during the week £ 796 . 7 . 5

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 67 . 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.

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 each Week £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 188	991	14	9	702	13	3	89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Do.	3302	11	9	2737	17	9	564	14	-
James Murphy	Do.	1854	17	2	1286	14	3	548	2	11
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2668	12	8	1978	15	-	889	1	8
	Total,	9847	16	4	6858	-	3	1491	16	1

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford ...				89	1	6
	Total				89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan ...	13			48	14	7
	Ardcolm ...	.			11	11	.
	Artramont	9			22	19	5
	Drinagh ...	.			50	2	2
	Killinick ...	19			50	.	1
	Kilpatrick ...	12			15	7	5
	Kilscoran ...	15			70	4	8
	Lady's Island	.			61	-	11
	Mayglass ...	18			26	15	10
	Rathaspeck	.			81	17	9
	Rosslare ...	27			24	11	8
	St. Helen's	11			66	11	8
	Tacumshane	18			34	16	10
	Total	142	0	0	564	14	0
James Murphy	Aughwilliam	14	2	4	19	10	4
	Ballymitty	5	5	5	73	17	5
	Carrig ...	57	1	11	62	17	6
	Forth ...	21	19	10	39	.	9
	Glynn ...	18	14	6	19	7	.
	Harperstown	12	13	7	62	9	3
	Kilbride ...	16	19	2	17	.	5
	Killurin ...	23	17	.	65	9	4
	Taghmon ...	25	14	6	185	6	7
	Whitechurch	36	13	10	33	4	4
	Total	227	2	1	548	2	11
Nicholas Moore	Bannow ...	5	17	9	50	6	.
	Bridgetown	7	12	4	21	8	5
	Duncormack	22	6	.	44	9	7
	Harristown	2	19	9	11	12	6
	Kilcowan ...	.	.	-	9	8	7
	Killag ...	2	18	11	57	16	3
	Kilmore ...	12	13	6	47	9	9
	Newcastle ...	12	7	9	22	13	4
	Tomhaggard	.	.	.	30	13	3
	Total	66	16	0	289	17	8
	TOTAL	435	18	1	1491	16	1

Name of each Collector: Michael J. O'Connor ... Patrick Keating ... James Murphy ... Nicholas Moore

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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And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0
Hall Diet		1	8

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

408¼	lbs. of Meat,		12 lbs of Scale candles
2	Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	2 Cwt Barley meab
10	Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	6 Bottles of Soda water
	Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 Stone of Red Lead
	Ton of Oatmeal,	6 Bottles Gin,	1 Stone of White Lead
24	Gallons Buttermilk,	53 Dozs. of Eggs,	6 Doz of pint tins
410	Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1 Mortar riddle
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,		

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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 19th *day of* June 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	18	11
In Kind,	2	15	0
Total,	£36	13	11

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
170	No. I. Murphy	20	.	.				
171	No. II. Dillon	16	-	.				
	TOTAL,	36	.	-				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
172	Rourke	Meat	9	9	1
173	O'Reilly . . .	Insurance	2	.	.
174	Kehoe . . .	Cottages	30	.	.
175	Rossiter . . .	Fencing	13	.	.
			95	4	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Boggan~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 13 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 10 .

There are four pigs fit for sale
Ordered :— To be sold at the next fair
Messers Racvoke and Scallan to value the pigs

Patrick Briew Porter at Fever Hospital applied for and obtained one weeks leave of absence — his wife to perform his duties

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

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

No. 27,522. 25th June 1886 Relating to the action of one of the Relieving Officers in giving incorrect information to the Constabulary relating to the Serving of notice in the case of the Eviction of Patrick Lacy of Cools, and requesting the Guardians to direct him to keep a record in future of all the notices of Eviction which he may receive and to be in a position to furnish accurate information to the Constabulary authorities on the subject -

Ordered:— That the Relieving Officers be directed to keep a record as ~~directed~~ requested.

Tender accepted :— Messrs Brien & Keating
40 yards of Linolium @ 3/1 per yard.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... 25

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 38

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was .

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

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from L. G. Board dated ~~stating that~~

No. 2/835. 25th June 1886. Stating that they had received the Report of their Inspector Dr Burke relating to his recent inspection of the Broadway, Bannow & Laghmon & Glyn Districts in which he states that the Meetings of the Committees of Management of the two latter districts are not held regularly and requested the Guardians to use their influence to induce the Members to meet more regularly.

The following extract from Dr Burke's Report was enclosed:—

"The out Station at Killinick continues to be kept in a very irregular manner."

"On the day of my inspection immediately on the departure of the Medical Officer I found it quite open to the world without a lock on the outer door even, and the surgery door in a similar condition to which I had to advert in my inspection last year."

Ordered – the Guardians are at present negotiating for the putting of the Killinick Dispensary into thorough repair, and they will report from time to time as the work proceeds.

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

The Secretaries of the Dispensary Districts alluded to, to be requested to have the meetings held more regularly.

From L. G. Board. No. 18,560. 24th June 1886. Inquiring if the defaulters in the ~~Ex~~ Bannow District under the Compulsory Vaccination Act had yet complied with the law.

Ordered – The Relieving Officer to report next Saturday

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:—

Tender accepted:—Cleaning and Fencing the Burial Ground of Kilcavan for the sum of £1.10.0 Thomas Morgan.

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

No 27,329 25th June 1886. Enclosing Forms on which application may be made for Sanction to a Supplementary Loan required by the Guardians to complete the Improvement Scheme at present in progress.

Also Enclosing Forms showing in the case of each Electoral Division the amount paid and the Estimated further Sum required.

Ordered:- The Forms to be prepared for Signature.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of July 1886

Signed James O'Connor

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of July 1886

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	731	354										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	2										
Fever Sheds												
Total,	818	356										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	1	126	137	22	9	15	14	29	354
Admitted during the Week,			8	3	7	6	1	3	2	1	2	33
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL			9	4	133	143	23	12	17	15	32	388
Discharged during the Week,			6	3	12	4	2	1	1	.	.	29
Died,					2	1						3
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	3	14	5	2	1	1	.	.	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			3	1	119	138	21	11	16	15	32	356

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	168	in separate Wards,	24
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	in Wards with other Inmates,	—
TOTAL,	170	TOTAL,	24

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	8	3	2	13
No. in Workhouse at date,				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 400

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	249	540			249	540
No. II.	166	313			166	313
TOTAL	415	853			415	853

Comparative No. last year, 794

Cost, £34 13 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs -

Nicholas Codd, Barth. Brennan, Patrick Chandler, Wm. Coughlan R.N.R.J.P., John Redmond, James Murphy, John Breen, James Walsh, Charles H. Peacocke J.P., Thomas Rowe, Bernard H. Roche Jr., Nicholas Harper

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2649 *to No.* ——
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. —— *to No.* ——
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 115 : 14 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account agamst *the Guardians was* £ 186 : 19 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, [illegible] and 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam		
	Ballymitty		
	Carne ...		
	Forth ...		
	Glynn ...		
	Harperstown		
	Kilbride ...		
	Killurin ...		
	Taghmon ...		
	Whitechurch		
	Total ...		
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...		
	Bridgetown		
	Duncormack		
	Harristown		
	Kilcowan ...		
	Killag ...		
	Kilmore ...		
	Newcastle ...		
	Tomhaggard		
	Total ...		
	TOTAL ...		

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			
Patrick Keating ...	Do. ...			
James Murphy ...	Do. ...			
Nicholas Moore ...	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 £ 5 : 15 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	35	7	2
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	11	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0
Hall Diet		1	8

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

440½ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 pair T. Hinges
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	1 Doz. bass brooms
9 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	2 Galls of machine oil
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	½ Gross Heel plates
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	a Rat Trap.
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	52 Dozs. of Eggs,	
400 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	
1 Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	¼ 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,	
4 lbs. of Pepper,	14 lbs of Malt 1 lb of 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 26th *day of* June 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	35	11	3
In Kind,		15	6
Total,	£36	6	9

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
177 No. I.	Murphy	17	-	-				
178 No. II.	Dillon	16	-	-				
TOTAL,		33	-	-				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
179	Rourke	Meat	9	10	.
180	Somers	Tobacco	2	14	3
181	Godkin	Flour	19	18	.
182	Rossiter	Eggs	13	.	2
183	Malone	Milk	4	18	7
184	Maddock	Milk	13	17	9
185	Hayes	Milk	6	19	4
186	Boggan	Milk	3	-	8
187	Byrne	Milk	3	10	7
188	Reece	Vacc. & Regn	26	1	3
189	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
190	Browne	Pump	2	.	.
191	Codd	Rigo	5	5	.
192	Vizer	Glazing	2	5	2
193	Hadden	Vacc.	2	14	.
194	Boyle	Cottages	170	1	.
			327	1	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 cases:—

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

Dr Nugent. Inspector of Lunatics. Reported
I this day visited the Lunatic Wards of the Wexford Bor, they contain between both sexes 94 inmates, all with one exception apparently hopeless cases. A Female of the name of Gorman was recently admitted. I think application should be made to the Asylum for her admission. There is no admission paper forms otherwise I should give an order for her reception. The patients are evidently treated with a kind consideration by the religious ladies in charge of them, and are well nourished and their personal clothing & bedding are good. The rooms which they occupy are cleanly and well ventilated.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan, 11 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 13 ; Mr. Malone, 10 .

Mr Malone joined on the 2nd inst. S/3.

Four Pigs sold at the Fair today for £12.0.0

Four Pigs bought at the Fair today for £5.5.0

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

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

From the Treasurer dated 2nd July 1886.
Stating that the Directors of the National Bank have approved of the advance of £2000. applied for by the Guardians

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	20
Ditto disallowed	
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	33
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election to every year).

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of July 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

The Landlord of the Kilmuck Depot of the Broadway Dispensary District wrote that he would put the premises into thorough repair at once

Ordered – That the Medical officer be requested to report if the Depot is now in a satisfactory State

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 the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Bannow District had all complied with the Law except three who are in an unfit state to be Vaccinated

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

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

Bridgetown 88 Cases
Carnsabeg 2 "
Wexford 25 " (7 of whome are unfit & 3 have left the District)

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

That the Relieving Officers Serve the usual notices forthwith and that every effort be made to find the whereabouts of the three that have left the [illegible]

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts

The Executive Sanitary Officer laid the forms of Application for a Supplementary Loan before the Guardians.

Ordered that the Forms be signed by the Chairman.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 10th day of July 1886

Signed James O'Connor. Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of July 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	731	355										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Werkhouse	81	5										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total	812	360										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			3	1	119	138	21	11	16	15	32	356
Admitted during the Week,			6	4	11	8	4	5	4	3	2	47
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			9	5	130	146	25	16	20	18	34	403
Discharged during the Week,			7	4	10	6	2	4	3	4	1	41
Died,			.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	4	10	8	2	4	3	4	1	43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	1	120	138	23	12	17	14	33	360

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	65	In separate Wards,	23
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates,	—
TOTAL	70	TOTAL,	23

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	6	-	-	6
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 412

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	252	543			252	543
No. II.	167	308			167	308
TOTAL	419	851			419	851

Comparative No. last year, 802

Cost, £34: 4: 8

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 10th day of July 1886

PRESENT: *In the Chair*— Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs —

James Walsh, Edmond Hore, John Fortune, James Kehoe, John M'Cormick, Walter Codd, James Keating, Denis Reck, Patrick Scallan, William Coughlan R.R.R.J.P., Michael Sinnott, Patrick Lambert, John Codd, Charles H. Peacocke J.P., John Redmond, Patrick Chandler, James Daly, Geo. Le Hunt J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2683 *to No.* 2729
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 102 . 12 . 7

Paid during the week £ 314 . 16 . 8

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 395 . 8 . 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board this day, and duly audited, 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 £	s.	d.	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 188	2491	14	9	2402	13	3	89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Do.	3302	11	9	2908	.	11	394	10	10
James Murphy	Do.	1784	17	2	1320	.	10	464	16	4
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2268	12	8	1978	15	.	289	17	8
	Total,	9847	16	4	8609	10	.	1238	6	4

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor ...	Wexford						
	Total ...				89	1	6
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan	36	16	9	12	6	7
	Ardcolm	6	11	.	5	19	8
	Artramont ...	15	7	9	7	12	4
	Drinagh	9	6	4	40	18	2
	Killinick	10	11	1	39	18	6
	Kilpatrick	5	2	9	10	13	10
	Kilscoran	14	15	10	56	4	7
	Lady's Island ...	26	17	7	35	3	3
	Mayglass	9	8	1	18	5	.
	Rathaspeck ...	11	18	.	70	18	8
	Rosslare	7	11	7	17	4	7
	St. Helen's ...	8	9	7	58	9	8
	Tacumshane ...	14	6	5	20	16	.
	Total ...	177	2	9	394	10	10
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam ...	4	4	1	15	6	3
	Ballymitty ...	15	8	11	58	8	6
	Carrig	4	4	.	58	13	6
	Forth	5	18	9	33	2	5
	Glynn	3	18	9	15	8	3
	Harperstown ...	5	10	2	56	19	1
	Kilbride	4	10	5	12	10	.
	Killurin	1	19	9	33	9	7
	Taghmon	34	9	5	150	17	2
	Whitechurch ...	3	2	9	30	1	7
	Total ...	83	6	7	464	16	4
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow						
	Bridgetown ...						
	Duncormack ...						
	Harristown ...						
	Kilcowan						
	Killag						
	Kilmore						
	Newcastle						
	Tomhaggard ...						
	Total ...				289	17	8
	TOTAL ...	260	9	4	1238	6	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.

You are to Debit the Collectors, 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

(195) £ 6 : 1 : 9 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 35 : 8 : 6
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 47 : 4 : 9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 8
Average Cost in Infirmary : 3 : 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 5 : 10
Hall Diet : 1 : 8

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

416¾ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	1 Auger
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	2 Bolts
9 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	2 lbs of Snuff
½ Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	500 6 nails
½ Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	2 lbs of Tobacco
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	57 Dozs. of Eggs,	3 Drs of Bath Brick
400 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,	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 3rd *day of* July 188 6
whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	7	11
In Kind,		15	4
Total,	£ 34	3	3

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
196 No. I.	Murphy	18	.	-				
197 No. II.	Dillon	16	.	-				
TOTAL,		£34	-	-				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
198	Rourke	Meat	9	18	.
199	Piggott	Vacc. & Regist	4	16	6
200	O'Keefe	Cottages	344	.	.
201	Keating	Collectors Poundage (Rates)	61	12	9
202	O'Connor	Lab. Act.	30	.	.
			490	4	0

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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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Reggan~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 12 ; Mr. Malone, 10 .

Mr Malone fined 8/6d

Lodged £11.8.0 for Rgs

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

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

Mr Keating Rate Collector came before the Board and was allowed to close his Collection. he giving a promise that he would lodge £100 of the outstanding rates in one month

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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... ... ... 4/0

Ditto disallowed 1/47

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 3/

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ...—0

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was /

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 10th day of July 188 6

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— Bridgetown Dispensary Committee met on the 5th instant. Present Revd J. Alexander (chairman) Messrs Stafford, Boxwell, Harpur, Furlong, French, Stafford & Cullen. Dr Duff applied for a months leave of absence on account of illness, A Medical Certificate from Dr Sheridan was handed in, certifying the Doctor's inability to do duty, and leave was unanimously granted to 21st July. Dr Sheridan of Riverstown agreed to do the duty during that time without any remuneration from the Ratepayers.

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of ag 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
Taghmon & Glynn	Dr Pigott	The house of Richard Harpur of Bulgan is unfit for human habitation owing to dilapidation &c.	
	Ordered —	The owner of the house to be served with a notice to have it put into a proper state of repair forthwith.	

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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Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

No 29,665. 8th July 1886. Acknowledging the receipt of applications for sanction of Supplementary Loans to carry out Improvement Schemes made by the Guardians

No 29,666. 8th July 1886. Acknowledging the receipt of Schedules B. relating to the Expenditure of the Loans already issued for Improvement Schemes.

Two communications were received from two Insurance Companies relating to the insuring against fire, of the Cottages now built, and offering to insure them at the rate of $^{s}1/6^{}$ per £100.

Ordered - That inquiries be made from some other offices as to their terms.

Elizabeth Furlong of Rathyark complained that the 'Privy' of one of the Cottages was too near her dwelling and that it was a nuisance.

Ordered - That the Sanitary Sub-Officer be requested to report.

Peter Ffrench

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 14th day of July 1886

Signed James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of July 1886

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	
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	
Fever Sheds		
Total	818	

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	2	1	120	138	23	12	17	14	33	360
Admitted during the Week,	11	2	10	6	.	.	2	1	1	33
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	13	3	130	144	23	12	19	15	35	394
Discharged during the Week,	10	3	5	9	1	2	4	4	1	39
Died,	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	4
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	3	8	10	1	2	4	4	1	43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	3	.	122	134	22	10	15	11	34	351

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

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

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	10	2	—	12
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 399

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of July 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	254	557			254	557
No. II.	167	312			167	312
TOTAL	421	869			421	869

Comparative No. last year, 811

Cost, £35 15 6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 14th day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter Ffrenche Esq^{r}

Other Guardians:—

Messrs	Nicholas Roche	Nicholas Codd
Michael Linnott	Charles H Peacocke J.P.	Wm Coughlan R.R.D.P.
Patrick Scallan	John Reek	John Barry
Denis Reek	Thomas Rowe	James Furlong
James Kehoe	Walter Cullen	Walter Harpur
Peter Cassin	Bernard H Rice J.P.	James Keating
Nicholas Harpur	James Breen	Andrew Cullen

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2730 *to No.* 2763
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £ 188 : 9 : 9

Paid during the week £ 500 : 8 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 708 : 7 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam ...						
	Ballymitty ...						
	Carrig						
	Forth						
	Glynn						
	Harperstown ...						
	Kilbride						
	Killurin						
	Taghmon						
	Whitechurch ...						
	Total ...						
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow						
	Bridgetown ...						
	Duncormack ...						
	Harristown ...						
	Kilcowan						
	Killag						
	Kilmore						
	Newcastle						
	Tomhaggard ...						
	Total ...						
	TOTAL ...						

Name of each Collector | Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week (£ s. d.) | Total Amount of Rate Collected (£ s. d.) | Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book (£ s. d.) | Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector

Michael J. O'Connor ... Sept. 188
Patrick Keating ... Do.
James Murphy ... Do.
Nicholas Moore ... 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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(203) £4 : 4 : 3 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	46	11	0
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	47	4	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	9
Hall Diet		1	8

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

424	lbs. of Meat,		1000 Nails (6d)
2	Ox Heads,		5000 Shoe nails
9	Bags of Flour,		6 lbs of Blue paint
	Ton of Indian Meal,		4 paint Brushes
	Ton of Oatmeal,		2 Galls. Colza oil
20	Gallons Buttermilk,		1 brl. oats
400	Gallons Newmilk,		
1	Cwt. of Salt,		
	Chests of Tea,		
	lbs. of Sugar,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		
1/4	Cwt. of Rice,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		
	lbs. of Pepper,		
	lbs. of Irish Bacon,		
	Doz. of Wine,		
	Barrels of Porter,		
	Bottles of Brandy,		
	Bottles Gin,		
50	Dozs. of Eggs,		
	lbs. of Dipt Candles,		
2	Gallons of Barm,		
	Ton of Soap,		
	Cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Starch,		
	lbs. of Blue,		
	Tons of Coal,		
1/2	lb butter		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th *day of* May 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	5	6
In Kind,	13	6	
Total,	£34	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
204 No. I.	Murphy	18	-	-				
205 No. II.	Dillon	16	-	-				
TOTAL,		34	-	-				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
206	Rourke	Meat	9	15	6
207	Ryan	Clerk of Works	30	-	-
208	Moran	Cottages	94	4	-
209	Kehoe	Cottages	20	-	-
			192	6	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Boggan~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 13 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

I sent Mary Gaul, Tacumshane, and Anne French Tagoat, to the Enniscorthy Lunatic Asylum

Lodged £8/6 for maintenance of Peter Barlow (Union) and £ 17/6 for cabbages sold. T. Lawler

Coals Required -
Ordered - 200 Tons of Newport (Redash)
and 20 tons of Scotch to be advertised for

Mr Thomas O'Brien Baker applied for and obtained two weeks leave of absence to be taken at his convenience. he having arranged for a competent Baker to perform his duties.

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

№ 27. 119. 14th July '86. Transmitting an extract from the 9th section of the Contagious Diseases (animals) Act 1886. which transfers to the Local Government Board the powers hitherto vested in the Lord Lieutenant and Privy Council, of making general or special orders relative to Dairies, Cowsheds, & Milkshops. Also forwarding copy of the order of Privy Council of the 9th August 1879. which deals with the construction and Sanitary state of Dairies, Cowsheds, and other matter. and which order still remains in force,

Also enclosing a copy of an order now made for making regulations as to the registration of persons employed in the trade of Milkselling or producing for the inspection of cattle, for the lighting, ventilation &c. of Dairies, and the protection of milk against infection or contamination.

Ordered that advertisements be issued requiring persons engaged in the trade of Cow-keepers &c. to register their names as required by the order 9th August 1879.

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	21
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	33
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of August 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

Bannow Dispensary Committee of Management met on the 14th of July 1886. Present Messrs Cullen (Chairman) Wade & Breen.

Recommended that a clothes rack be procured for the public waiting Room, and also that two Wardens be appointed.

Ordered - That the Secretary be requested to supply a clothes rack, and that Mr Andrew Devereux of Ambrosetown and Mr John Murphy of Kilcavan be appointed Wardens.

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

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
Ne Bannow		Dispensary Committee	recommended that a concrete floor be put around Bannowastle pump, to prevent nuisance Ordered - That the Secretary get the floor made at an expense not exceeding fifteen shillings,

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 29.737. 12th July 886. Enclosing a copy of order made (Cholera regulations) with respect to Ships having on board Bales of Rags imported from Italy
Ordered. That the Medical Officer of Health be Supplied with a copy of the order and that he be requested to study it and see that the terms of it are properly carried out.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
Wm Dillon	Sanitary Sub-Officer reported that he visited the alleged nuisance at Sheephouse and that no nuisance whatever exists on the premises			

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

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Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

№ 14659. 15th July '86. Enclosing account of the costs of an Inquiry &c held held under the Labourers (Ireland) Act. 1883. on the 18th April '85. as follows:—

		£.	s.	d.
Local Inquiry	Advertising Notices	6	11	0
	Shorthand writers Account.	7	0	0
Preparation of order – Counsels fee		2	2	0
Confirmation of order – Parliamentary Agents		9	12	7
Total		25	5	7

And requesting a cheque for the amount.

Ordered – That a cheque be sent on the first Saturday in August. (Finance day)

№ 152 M. 12th July 86. Enclosing copy of the Lab^rs (Ireland) Act 1886. amending the previous acts of 1883 & 1885.

Ordered – To be acknowledged with thanks.

From the Manager of the Victoria Slate Quarries asking the Guardians to have Irish Slates Specified and used for the Cottages to be built.

Ordered – That the Specification be amended and that "Irish" Slates be only used.

The Tender of Thomas Fortune was accepted for house at Kilmannon at 5/- per week rent.

Peter Sfrench

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 24th day of July 188 6

Signed, James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of July 188 6

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	273	356
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	81	6
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	892	362

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	3	·	122	134	22	10	15	11	34	351
Admitted during the Week,	12	2	11	5	3	·	1	1	·	35
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	15	2	133	139	25	10	16	12	34	386
Discharged during the Week,	13	1	2	4	3	·	1	·	·	24
Died,	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	1	2	4	3	·	1	·	·	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	2	1	131	135	22	10	15	12	34	362

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	168	In separate Wards,	22
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL	174	TOTAL	22

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	12	1	1	14
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	—

No. at corresponding period last year, 382

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	258	559			258	559
No. II.	164	309			164	309
TOTAL	422	868			422	868

Comparative No. last year, 800

Cost, £ 34 : 6 : 6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 24th day of July 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter Sfrench Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs—

Edmond Hore	Nicholas Codd	Nicholas Roche
John McCormick	Barth^w Brannan	James Murphy
James Kehoe	Nicholas Sinnott	James Walsh
Patrick Scallan	Laurence Byrne	John Redmond
Nicholas Harpur	Wm Cughlan R.N.R. J.P.	Ch^s H. Peacocke J.P.
Nicholas Sinnott	James Furlong	Walter Codd
James Daly	Peter Cassin	John Codd
John Barry	Patrick Chandler	Geo. Le'Hunte J.P.
Patrick Lambert	James Keating	John Fortune.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2764 *to No.* 2798 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 194 . 6 . 9

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 902 . 14 . 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, duly audited, and signed, 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam						
	Ballymitty						
	Carrig ...						
	Forth ...						
	Glynn ...						
	Harperstown						
	Kilbride ...						
	Killurin ...						
	Taghmon ...						
	Whitechurch						
	Total						
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...						
	Bridgetown						
	Duncormack						
	Harristown						
	Kilcowan ...						
	Killag ...						
	Kilmore ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Tomhaggard						
	Total						
	TOTAL						

Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week — £ s. d.

Total Amount of Rate Collected — £ s. d.

Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book — £ s. d.

Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector — Sept. 188 ... Do. ... Do. ... Do. ... Total,

Name of each Collector — Michael J. O'Connor ... Patrick Keating ... James Murphy ... Nicholas Moore ...

Save as 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 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) £ 6 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	40	10	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	47	18	1
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	10
Hall Diet		1	8

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

432¾	lbs. of Meat,		1 Gallon measure
2	Ox Heads,	2	Doz. of Wine,
10	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	53	Dozs. of Eggs,
400	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,
	Cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,
14	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,		14 lbs. of Malt- 1 lb. of Hops ½ lb. of Butter.

			2 lbs of Tobacco

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 14th *day of* July 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	32	6	6
In Kind,		15	
Total,	£32	16	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
211 No. I.	Murphy	19	.	.				
212 No. II.	Dillon	15	.	.				
			.	.				
TOTAL,		34	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
213	Rourke	Meat	10	.	4
214	Costello	Reg^n & Vacc^n	5	12	9
215	Browne	Reg^n	2	5	6
216	Boyde	Reg^n	2	5	.
217	Murray	Arrest of Fortune	5	.	6
		£	65	10	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan 11 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 10 ;
Mr. Maddock, 12 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

Some whiskey will soon be required.

Ordered – 30 Gallons to be advertised for.

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

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

The Clerks laid his Estimate of Rates before the Guardians.

Resolved that the Clerks' Estimate be adopted and that a copy of it be 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... 21

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 35

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 24 day of July 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

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
Resolved:—	That we hereby appoint Edward Higgins of Maudlintown to the office of Caretaker of the Maudlintown Burial Ground. That in case of trespass, the said Edward Higgins report to the Guardians, and that in cases where the Guardians direct prosecution the said Edward Higgins be authorized to appear at Petty Sessions in behalf of 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:—

In the case of an unsanitary house at Bulgan it was resolved.

That Mr John Cullinore be summoned for the unsanitary state of the house at Bulgan, and that the Magistrates be asked to make an order to close the house until it is put into a state fit for human habitation, and that Mr James O'Connor Executive Sanitary Officer be appointed to represent the Guardians in the case.

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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Labourers' (Ireland) Acts

From the Local Government Board. No. 31. 989. 23rd. July 1886. Stating that they see no objection to the Guardians proposal to use Irish Slates for the Cottages to be erected in the Union on the Labourers (Ireland) Acts

The following tenders were accepted for the Erection of Cottages, Piers, & Gates and Fencing:—

Mr Philip Doyle Cottage, Piers & Gate at Castlebridge £77.5. and Fencing at s7/6 per Irish perch.

M. Corlican £81.15 for Cottages &c. and at s7/6. per Irish perch for fencing.

Mr Nicholas Parle. Cottage, Piers, & Gate at Dunagh and Killinick for £73.10 each and Fencing s8/- per Irish perch.

Mr Benjamin Underwood - Cottage at Rosslare £79. and St Helens £75.10 and Fencing at s8/- per Irish perch.

Mr James O'Keefe Doyle, Cottage &c at Ballingloe £79.15 and at Kilmore £76.5 and Fencing at s7/9- per Irish perch

Mr James Walsh - Cottage at Kilcowan £75. and Fencing at s8/- per Irish perch.

Nicholas Revelle

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 31st day of July 1886

Signed, James Clooney, Chairman.

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of July 1886

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	231	365										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	87	9										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Other Sheds												
Total	318	374										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	1	131	135	22	10	15	12	34	362
Admitted during the Week,			9	3	5	7	2	2	1	1	1	31
Return			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
TOTAL			11	4	136	142	24	12	16	13	35	393
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	8	2	1	2	1	1	"	19
Dead,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	8	2	1	2	1	1	"	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	2	128	140	23	10	15	12	35	374

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
169 / 10		

Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	169	In separate Wards,	12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates,	10
	TOTAL 179		TOTAL 22

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	9	3	—	12
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	—

No. at corresponding period last year, 388

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	257	556		-	257	556
No. II.	164	309			164	309
TOTAL	421	875			421	875

Comparative No. last year, 872

Cost, £ 35 5 3

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 31st day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs — Edmond Hore, Patrick Scallan, Nichs Roche, James Walsh, Nichs Codd, James Kehoe, Michael Sinnott, Wm. Coughlan R.N.R.S.P., James Keating, John Barry, Bernard A. Roice J.P., Peter Cassin, Walter Cullen, Thomas Rowe, David Reek, John Redmond, John Reek, James Kehoe, Patrick Lambert, Patrick Chandler

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2799 *to No.* 2829. *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 70 = 1 = 11

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 972 = 16 = 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and struck out, and the 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	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £ s. d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £ s. d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £ s. d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor				Sept. 188
Patrick Keating				Do.
James Murphy				Do.
Nicholas Moore				Do.
				Total,

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam		
	Ballymitty		
	Carrig ...		
	Forth ...		
	Glynn ...		
	Harperstown		
	Kilbride ...		
	Killurin ...		
	Taghmon ...		
	Whitechurch		
	Total ...		
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...		
	Bridgetown		
	Duncormack		
	Harristown		
	Kilcowan ...		
	Killag ...		
	Kilmore ...		
	Newcastle ...		
	Tomhaggard		
	Total ...		
	TOTAL ...		

Same as 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 Receipts, 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 £ 3 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	26	18	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	46	16	7
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	9
Hall Diet		1	8

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

440 3/4 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	12 Yards of Rope
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	3 Metal Saucepans
9 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1 Gridiron
1 Stone of Flour for Fever Hospt	Bottles of Brandy,	4 Doz tin plates
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles Gin,	
Ton of Oatmeal,		
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	5½ Dozs. of Eggs,	
400 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	
1 Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	1 Ton of Soap,	
lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
	20 Tons of Scotch Coal	
lbs. of Ginger,	200 Tons of Coal, Newport.	
4 lbs. of Pepper,	½ Ct of Butter	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th *day of* July 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	9	6
In Kind,		17	0
Total,	£ 35	6	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
(219) No. I.	Murphy	19						
220 No. II.	Dillon	16						
TOTAL,		35	0	0				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

		£	s.	d.
21	Rourke Meat	0	4	0
22	McFarlan - Rent.	3	13	6
		32	17	0

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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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Bagnall~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 12 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

Tea delivered by Contractor to be examined by ~~Contractor~~ Committee.
Messrs - French, Codd, Kehoe & Hore were appointed, and reported that the tea was equal to sample.

Would the Board think well of buying Six pigs (Stores) on next fair.
Ordered:- Three pigs to be bought.

It would be advisable to buy two or three tons of Hay as the Workhouse farm supply is insufficient.
Ordered:- Three tons to be advertised for

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

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

The following tenders were accepted for 1 Year.

Mr James Kelly:- Pure wax candles at $2/4$ d per lb.

Mr Wm Devereux:- Lump Sugar at $2\frac{1}{2}$ d per lb.

Mr James Keating:- Brandy at $42/-$ per doz.

Mr William Scallan:- Blue at 9d per lb.

Mr Luke Cowman:- Wine at $24/-$ per doz.

Miss M. Smith:- Candles dips at 4d per lb

Mr Matthew Somers:- Snuff at $4/6$ d per lb

Walpole & Co.:- Sale Candles at 8d per lb

Alter wine at $24/-$ per doz.

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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...	29
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	31
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

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WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 31st day of July 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— Bridgetown Dispensary Committee of management met on 27th July 86. Present:- Rev^d J. Alexander (Chairman) Dr Cardiff & Messrs Hore, Busher, Stafford, Barry, Harpur Stafford Meade Furlong. Codd, Browne & Stafford. Dr Duff applied for further leave of absence and enclosed a medical certificate as follows:— I have this day visited Dr Duff and hereby certify that he requires at least another months leave of absence I am aware that it has been stated that Dr Duff is insane this is an absolute falsehood. His recovery is merely a matter of time.

J. R. Cardiff M. D.
18th July '86.

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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, £*_____

Leave of absence until the first Monday in September was granted. Dr Sheridan to discharge his duties as heretofore, and no ~~additional~~ expense to be placed on the rates. Dr Duff having arranged as regards payment with Dr Sheridan.

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

*An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended*_____ 188 *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*_____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

*Order dated*_____ *(state subject.)*

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

Read Letter from L. G. Board *dated* 30th July '86.

~~stating that~~

Inquiring if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Bridgetown Crossabeg & Wexford Dispensary Districts have yet complied with the law.

Ordered:— Referred to the Relieving Officer to Report by next Board day.

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

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

Bannow District 5 Defaulters (1 unfit)

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 Clerk Stated that the special Sanitary rate in the four townlands adjoining the village of Kilmuckridge would be 8/1d for erecting a pump in the Village and it was directed that 7d be apportioned this year and 6d in the pound next year.

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts

№ 30,002. 26th July 1886. Referring to the Guardians application for a Supplementary Loan under the Labourers Act. and stating that as the increase is so large it would be necessary to publish for three successive weeks a notice of their intention to apply for a Supplementary Loan.

Ordered advertisement as requested to be issued at once

№ 32,364. 30th July 1886. Referring to the Tenders accepted for erection of Cottages on last minuted & requesting that the number and townlands in which the Cottages are situated may be stated

№ 2	Castlebridge	Ardcavan Ed.	P. Doyle	£77. 5.
" 9	Ballingcee	Ballymitty "	J. Okeefe	79. 15
" 25	Kellystown	Drinagh "	N. Parle	73. 10
" 79	Newtown Beg.	Kilcowan "	J. Walsh	75. 0
" 86	Ballysheen	Killincor "	N. Parle	73. 10
" 92	Coolcaw	Killincor "	P. Doyle	81. 15
" 108	Ballygrangans	Kilmore "	J. Okeefe	76. 5
" 143	Ira of Lyng	Rosslare "	R. Underwood	79. 0
153	Ballygillane Little	St. Helens "	— D —	75. 10

The Guardians will thank the Local Government Board for Loans for the above Cottages.

The Local Government Board is also requested to state if the Guardians have power to make the expenses of the above Cottages Union Charges

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The Tender of Johanna Finn was accepted for the House № 138 at Murintown Lower at a rent of 3/- per week.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of August 1886

Signed, James O'Connor

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of August 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	431	342										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	7										
Fever Sheds												
Total	518	349										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			9	2	128	140	23	10	15	12	35	374
Admitted during the Week.			15	2	5	3	1	2	2	3	1	34
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL			24	4	133	143	24	12	17	15	36	408
Discharged during the Week.			14	4	14	9	4	4	4	3	3	59
Died.			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead.			14	4	14	9	4	4	4	3	3	59
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			10	-	119	134	20	8	13	12	33	349

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 161 / Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 8 / TOTAL 169	In separate Wards, 23 / In Wards with other Inmates, - / TOTAL 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

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

No. at corresponding period last year 379

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week. ended Saturday, the 7th day of August 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	288	576			288	576
No. II.	164	305			164	305
TOTAL	422	881			422	881

Comparative No. last year, 807

Cost, £34 1 6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs—

Wm Coughlan J.P. D.N.R. Nichs Roche Charles H Pierce J.P.
Nichs Harper Michl Sinnott Patrick Chandler
John Redmond James Keating

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2833 *to No.* 2863 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 74 = 6 = 8

Paid during the week £ 159 = 6 = 9

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 957 = 16 = 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, [illegible] and 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 each Week £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 188	2491	14	9	2402	13	3	89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Do.	3302	11	9	2908	0	11	394	10	10
James Murphy	Do.	1787	17	2	1320	0	10	464	16	4
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2268	12	8	2053	1	8	215	11	0
	Total,	9847	16	4	8683	16	8	1163	19	8

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford				89	1	6
	Total				89	1	6
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan				12	6	7
	Ardcolm				5	19	8
	Artramont				7	12	4
	Drinagh				40	18	2
	Killinick				39	18	6
	Kilpatrick				10	13	10
	Kilscoran				56	4	7
	Lady's Island				35	3	0
	Mayglass				18	5	0
	Rathaspeck				70	18	8
	Rosslare				17	4	7
	St. Helen's				58	9	8
	Tacumshane				20	16	0
	Total				394	10	10
James Murphy	Aughwilliam				15	6	3
	Ballymitty				58	8	6
	Carrig				58	13	6
	Forth				33	2	5
	Glynn				15	8	3
	Harperstown				56	19	1
	Kilbride				12	10	0
	Killurin				33	9	7
	Taghmon				150	17	2
	Whitechurch				30	1	7
	Total				464	16	4
Nicholas Moore	Bannow	7	3	7	43	2	5
	Bridgetown		11	3	20	17	2
	Duncormack	23	18	10	20	10	9
	Harristown	6	2	6	5	10	0
	Kilcowan	2	18	6	6	10	1
	Killag	5	6	2	46	10	1
	Kilmore	13	2	1	34	7	8
	Newcastle	7	8	9	15	4	7
	Tomhaggard	7	15	0	22	18	3
	Total	74	6	8	215	11	0
	TOTAL				1163	19	8

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 6 : 14 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	38	15	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	48	7	8
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	8

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

439 3/4	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2	Stone of White Lead
2	Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,	2	Galls. Boiled oil
9	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	2	Galls. Linseed oil
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	2	lbs of Staves
1/2	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,	32	Screws.
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	58	Dozs. of Eggs,	20	Yds 1 Sash Cord
400	Gallons Newmilk,	10	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	100	4d Battons
1	Cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	2	Pulleys
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	2	lbs Putty
224	lbs. of Sugar,		Cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
1/4	Cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,	1/2	Ct of Butter		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th *day of* July 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

In Money,	34	3	8
In Kind,		7	6
Total,	£ 34	11	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
224	No. I.	Murphy	19	0	0				
225	No. II.	Dillon	16	0	0				
	TOTAL,		35	0	0				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
226	Rourke	Meat	10	3	6
227	Ryan	Straw	5	12	6
228	Rossiter	Eggs	15	4	7
229	Ryan	Milk	18	12	0
230	Malone	Milk	5	2	8
231	Maddock	Milk	17	16	10
232	Leared	Meal	8	9	9
233	Cosgrave	Flour	90	15	9
234	Kallaw	Wine &c.	37	16	0
235	Faris	Tea &c.	185	15	2
236	Moore	Pennsage	43	0	11
237	Telford	(Blind girl)	6	10	0
238	O'Brien	(Dumb girl)	7	0	0
239	Lyck	Dumb Boy	7	10	0
240	Fahey	Blind Boys	23	15	0
241	Wilson Hughes	Boy & Girl	9	8	0
242	Williams	Salary	2	10	0
243	Richd Keefe	Peris &c.	6	10	0
244	Mary Brady	Caretaker	3	4	0
		Total.	544	11	2

£	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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan, /2 ; Mr. Cleary, /2 ; Mr. Hayes, /2 ;
Mr. Maddock, /2 ; Mr. Malone, /2 .

Tow of Soap to be examined by Committee.

The Committee who were appointed reported that the Soap was equal to sample.

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The following tenders were accepted:—

Mr M. Devereux:- 30 Gallons of Whiskey @ s16/4d per Gall.
Mr P. Joyce :- Barragon @ s2/- Calico (Blay) 72 in. Wide @ s1/2d. Calico (twilled) 72 in. wide s1/2d Check @ 9d Corduroy @ s2/- Navy blue @ 5d. and Ticken at 9d per yd.
Mr P. Hynes :- Linen thread at s2/6d per lb.
Mr W. Cornick:- Flannell @ 10d Long cloth at 6d Mineey @ 8d per yard. wide Tape at s3/- narrow Tape s2/- Per doz pieces Boys caps at s1/- each
Mr John Ryan :- Calico (Blay) 31 in. wide @ 4½ Frieze @ s5/6d Linsey at s1/2d per yd. Linen @ 9d per yard worsted at s.2/- per lb.
Miss Coughlan :- Calico (Blay) at 5d per yard, Woolen neckerchiefs @ s1/4 each
Mr John J. Kehoe :- Calico (Twilled) 36 in. Wide @ 6d per yard. Union Calico @ 6d & Tweed @ s2/6 per yard.
Messrs N. & T. Codd. Womens Machine thread at 8½ per Mz. and Card @ 4d per doz- Black Lead Brushes at s.1/2- Linewash Brushes at s2/7- Shoe Brushes @ s1/6 per doz

Galvanized Basins at s10/- per doz- Black Lead at s.10/- per doz. Sewing Needles at s4/- per 1000.
Mr Matthew Harpur:- Iron heels at 6d per doz. wooden pegs at 4d per lb. Rasps at s8/- per doz. Shoemakers knives at s4/- per doz. Carpenters Nails at half prices. Cerza oil at s3/8d per gall. Spoons at s9/- per gross. & Scissors at 9d per pair.
Mr Patrick Hamilton:- hammered Shoe nails at s1/4d per 1000.
Mr Patrick Doyle:- Butt Leather @ s1/2 Kip (do) at 1/10 Slater at s1/6d per lb. Hemp balls @ s.2/- per doz. and Nails at d1/4 per oz.
Mr John Stone:- Quart tins @ s3/- Pint tins @ 2/- and tin Plates @ s2/- per doz.
Mr Hugh Maguire:- Paint brushes assorted @ from 2d to s1/8 per doz. Scrubbing brushes s11/- per doz. Sweeping Brushes @ s29/- per doz. Bass Brooms at s16/- Per doz. Boiled oil @ 2/3 per gall. Linseed oil @ s32/- Per gall. White Lead at s.28/- Per cwt.
Mrs W. Cornick:- Knitting needles @ 9d per doz Set Thimbles at 8d per doz. Womens Thimbles @ 4d per doz-
Mrs Rossiter:- Eggs @ s1/2 per doz.
Mr John Gurley:- Sweeping Chimneys @ £3. Per annum
Mr James Marlow:- Scotch coals @ s13/9d per ton for 20 tons. Best Newport @ s15/10 per ton for 200 tons.
Mr Laurence Atkins:- Rags (purchase) white @ s.5/- per cwt. Colored at s2/- per cwt. Lead @ s8/- per cwt Old Iron @ s1/4d per cwt. Bones at s2/4d per cwt.

Notice of Motion

I beg to give notice that I shall on this day fortnight move that the advertisements of the Union be given to the Wexford People, Wexford Independent & Wexford Constitution Newspapers for the ensuing year.

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From Local Government Board:-
No 34153 6th August 1886. Forwarding a letter which they had received from Mr Richard Hayes complaining with respect to contracts recently entered into for the Supply of certain Articles to the Workhouse and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians observations thereon.

Ordered The Guardians advertise for the annual supplies fixing a price for nearly every article.

They also stated in the advertisement, that only one sample and at the price stated, would be considered. Mr Hayes did not comply with the Guardians advertisement and consequently his tenders was not considered. The Guardians find the plan they have adopted to work very well and competition has more than doubled since the System was introduced.

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That the Medicines be ordered from the Contractors.

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 of Management met on the 2nd. Inst. Present- Messrs Boggan (chairman) Byrne & Petitt. The Doctor handed in some tickets to be cancelled and their consideration was postponed. The Medical Officer (Dr Costello) applied for 15 days leave of absence from the 9th of August on urgent private business - Dr. Sheridan of Riverstown having undertaken to act in his absence without expense to the Ratepayers. The leave of absence was granted.

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 the Defaulters in the Crossabeg District had Complied with the law and that in the Wexford District all had complied except three who were "unfit" and two who have left the District no trace of whome can be found

The Relieving Officer Dillon asked to be allowed another week to report as regards the Bannow and Bridgetown Districts and he was

Ordered. To report against next meeting

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

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

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts

The Executive Sanitary Officer submitted the Petition and accompanying documents, which were signed by the Chairman Countersigned by the Executive Sanitary Officer and ordered to be sent to the Local Government Board.

Resolved that we strongly recommend to the Local Government Board the desirability of restricting the Inspector whom they propose appointing to hold the Inquiry to the Employment of a Local reporter as we are aware that the work can be satisfactorily performed at a cheaper rate, a local man having given satisfaction to Captain Hamilton on the occasions of his holding the last Inquiry here.

The above resolution was proposed by Mr. Peacocke J.P. and seconded by Mr. Redmond.

Mr Le. Hunte J.P. wrote stating that the ratepayers of Artramont E.D. wish to try by co-operation if the Labourers Cottages can be built cheaper than the money paid for, them up to this that they therefore proposed to carry out the work. Erecting Cottages Piers, & Gates, and making fences the cost not to exceed £74. and if the work can be done less the Division to have the credit of it.

Ordered – That Mr L'Hunte & the Committee of ratepayers in the Artramont Electoral Division be allowed to make the required experiment on the terms stated.

Peter Ffrench

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 14th day of August 1886

Signed, James Connor

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of August 1886

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	338
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	89	7
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	820	345

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	10	·	119	134	20	8	13	12	33	349
Admitted during the Week,	3	·	9	2	1	3	1	1	·	20
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	13	·	128	136	21	11	14	13	33	369
Discharged during the Week,	10	·	3	4	·	2	1	1	1	22
Died,	·	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	·	4	5	·	2	1	1	1	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	3	·	124	131	21	9	13	12	32	345

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 163; Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 7; TOTAL 170	In separate Wards 11; In Wards with other Inmates 12; TOTAL 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	2	0	0	2
No. in Workhouse at date				

No. at corresponding period last year, 347

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	258	576			258	576
No. II.	163	384			163	384
TOTAL	421	880			421	880

Comparative No. last year, 873

Cost, £33: 10: 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 14th day of August 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter Ffrench Esqr.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs:—

Wm Vaughan R.R.R.I.P.	Peter Cassin	Nicho Harpur
Michl Kinsella	Andrew Cullen	Patk Chandler
James Kehoe	Chas H. Peacocke J.P.	John Redmond
Nichs Kinsella	David Reck	James Breen
Edmond Rowe	Thos Rowe	Laurc Byrne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2864 *to No.* 2883
both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 100 " 9 " 2

Paid during the week £ 435 " 8 " 1

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1292 " 15 " 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, [illegible] 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	Total Amount of Rate Collected	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week	Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 188	249 14 0	240 13 3	6 1 6	Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford ...	[illegible]	89 1 6
Patrick Keating	Do.	1302 11 9	999 1 1	89 8 8		Total ...	[illegible]	
James Murphy	Do.	484 17 2	320 0 11	354 1 54	Patrick Keating	Ardcavan ...		12 6 7
Nicholas Moore	Do.	6268 12 8	5013 1 8	464 16 0		Ardcolm ...	1 7 9	4 11 11
	Total,	9847 18 4	8774 5 10	1073 10 6		Artramont	4 15 0	2 17 4
						Drinagh ...	18 15 2	22 3 0
						Killinick ...	6 0 0	33 18 6
						Kilpatrick ...	. . .	10 13 10
						Kilscoran ...	20 3 6	36 1 1
						Lady's Island	11 5 10	23 17 5
						Mayglass ...	1 11 6	16 13 6
						Rathaspeck	8 4 3	62 14 5
						Rosslare ...	3 0 3	14 4 4
						St. Helen's	15 5 11	43 3 9
						Tacumshane ...		20 16 0
						Total ...	90 9 2	304 1 8
					James Murphy	Aughwilliam ...		15 6 3
						Ballymitty ...		58 8 6
						Carrig ...		58 13 6
						Forth ...		33 2 5
						Glynn ...		15 8 3
						Harperstown ...		56 19 1
						Kilbride ...		12 10 0
						Killurin ...		33 9 7
						Taghmon ...		150 17 2
						Whitechurch ...		30 1 7
						Total ...		464 16 4
					Nicholas Moore	Bannow ...		43 2 5
						Bridgetown ...		20 17 2
						Duncormack ...		20 10 9
						Harristown ...		6 10 0
						Kilcowan ...		6 10 1
						Killag ...		46 10 1
						Kilmore ...		34 7 8
						Newcastle ...		15 4 7
						Tomhaggard ...		22 18 3
						Total ...		215 11 0
						TOTAL ...		1073 10 6

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

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 13 : 9 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	56	15	7
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	48	1	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	8
Hall Diet		1	8

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

436¼	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,		2 Check Measures
2	Ox Heads,	4	Doz. of Wine, (Port)		12 Gross of Studs
8	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,		1 Doz Fly Paper
½	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,		2 Doz W. Wash Brushes
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,		1 Doz. Shoe -do.
24	Gallons Buttermilk,	58	Dozs. of Eggs,		2 Doz. - Scrub -do -
400	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,		2 Doz. - Sweeping-do -
1	Cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,		5000 Shoe nails
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,		1 Brl. of Oats
28	lbs. of Sugar,		Cwt. of Soda,		3 lbs of Cabbage Seed
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
	Cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,	½ lb of Butter 30 Galls. of Whiskey			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the up to the *day of* August *188* 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	13	6
In Kind,		10	0
Total,	£ 35	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
246	No. I.	Murphy	19	0	0				
247	No. II.	Dillon	16	0	0				
	TOTAL,		35	0	0				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
248	Rourke	Cleat	10	7	11
249	O'Connor	Invoice Lists	44	4	0
250	Le Hunte	Cottages Labacet.	30	0	0
			122	19	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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan 13 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Miss Sealean Matron applied for and obtained one days leave of absence.

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

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

The following tenders were accepted :—

Mr Wm Cormick Woolen Yarn (Irish) @ 5/6 per lb.

There were two tenders for Books & Forms - Mr Hughes Wexford & Mr Dollard Dublin. The lowest tender for each article was accepted and where each offered at equal prices Mr Hughes was to get the Preference.

Mr Lacy of Bulgan Hay (3 tons) at £1.13.0

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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... 18

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 20

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 14th day of August 188 6

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

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
Crossabeg	Dr Hadden	The village pump at Castlebridge is out of order and the water appear to be contaminated	
Ordered – That the Committee of Management met at once and inspect the matter and have the necessary repairs made			

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:—

Dr Pierce Medical Officer of Health of the Wexford District reported that the houses at Ferrycarrig the property of the Railway Company were unfit for human habitation

Ordered – That the Secretary be at once communicated with apprising him of the state of the houses.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
The Executive Sanitary Officer stated that he attended the Petty Sessions Court and represented the Guardians in their case against Mr Cullimore of Bulgan. For having a house unfit for human habitation the Magistrates made an order that the house should be closed and not allowed to be again inhabited until it was made fit for habitation under a penalty of £1.00 per day (the person who occupied it removed during the week into one of the Guardians new Cottages).				

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

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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

№ 33,678 10th August 86. Stating that the Electoral Division is specified as the area of charge (in the case of the houses about being built by the Guardians) in the Provisional Order authorizing the Improvement Scheme.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 21st day of August 1886

Signed James O'Connor

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of August 1886

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	347
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	87	3
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	812	350

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	3	·	124	131	21	9	13	12	32	345
Admitted during the Week.	14	2	8	7	2	1	2	1	1	38
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL	17	2	132	138	23	11	15	13	33	383
Discharged during the Week,	11	2	7	5	4	·	2	·	1	32
Died,	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	11	2	7	6	4	·	2	·	1	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	6	·	125	132	19	10	13	13	32	350

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	166	In separate Wards,	23
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL	169	TOTAL	23

OBSERVATIONS.

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NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	4	—	—	4
No. in Workhouse at date				

No. at corresponding period last year, 352

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of August 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	257	575			257	575
No. II.	163	304			163	304
TOTAL	420	879			420	879

Comparative No. last year, 873

Cost, £ 33 4 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 21st day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs—

Patrick Scallan	John Redmond	Denis Reck
Walter Codd	Mich[l] Synnott	Wm Stafford
Laur[e] Byrne	James Kehoe	Bernard Rice J.P.
Walter Harper	Wm Coghlan R.N.R. J.P.	Peter Cassells
Edmond Hore	John McCormick	Barth[w] Brennan
Patrick Chandler	James Breen	John Reck
James Daly	James Furlong	John Fortune

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2884 *to No.* 2921 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 - - - - - £ 133 . 4 . 1

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 228 . 18 . 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1388 . 9 . 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...				89	1	6
	Total				89	1	6
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...				12	6	7
	Ardcolm ...				4	11	11
	Artramont				2	17	4
	Drinagh ...				22	3	0
	Killinick ...				23	18	6
	Kilpatrick ...				10	13	10
	Kilscoran ...				36	1	1
	Lady's Island				23	17	5
	Mayglass ...				16	13	6
	Rathaspeck				62	14	5
	Rosslare ...				14	4	4
	St. Helen's				43	3	9
	Tacumshane				20	16	0
	Total				304	1	8
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam	8	17	3	6	9	0
	Ballymitty	30	2	3	28	6	3
	Carrig ...	9	4	10	19	8	8
	Forth ...	6	2	3	27	0	2
	Glynn ...	1	1	10	14	6	5
	Harperstown	4	12	2	52	6	11
	Kilbride ...				12	10	0
	Killurin ...	6	17	0	26	12	7
	Taghmon ...	52	0	0	98	17	2
	Whitechurch	10	18	6	19	3	1
	Total	129	16	1	335	0	3
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...				43	2	5
	Bridgetown				20	19	2
	Duncormack				20	10	9
	Harristown				5	10	0
	Kilcowan ...				6	10	1
	Killag ...				46	10	1
	Kilmore ...				34	7	8
	Newcastle ...				15	4	7
	Tomhaggard				22	18	3
	Total				215	11	0
	TOTAL	129	16	1	943	14	5

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	89	1	6	2402	15	3	2491	14	9	Sept. 188
Patrick Keating	327	1	8	2965	10	1	3302	11	9	Do.
James Murphy	335	0	3	1449	16	11	1784	17	2	Do.
Nicholas Moore	215	11	0	2053	1	8	2268	12	8	Do.
	943	14	5	8869	1	11	9847	16	4	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 Collectors with, 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 £ 2 : 13 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	27	15	11
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	6	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

42½ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	4 Milk Crocks
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	4 lbs Snuff
9 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1 Auger
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	2 Doz Screws
Ton of Oatmeal,	½ doz Bottles Gin,	4 lbs Copperas
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	57 Dozs. of Eggs,	100 3½ Nails
400 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	100 doz Nails
Cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,	6 Reaping Hooks
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	2 lbs Tobacco
lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	4 lbs patent grease
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,	½ lb Butter.	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st *day of* August 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

In Money,	35	1	6
In Kind,		8	0
Total,	£35	9	6

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
252	No. I.	Murphy	19	0	0				
253	No. II.	Dillon	16	0	0				
	TOTAL,		35	0	0				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
254	J. Rourke	Meat	9	17	4
255	J. Kehoe	Cottages	26	5	6
256	Ed. Leacy	Hay	5	6	9
		Total	80	3	5

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£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 10 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

Lodged £2.19.6 received for maintenance of Myles Doran Pensioner Wexford. also 5/6 for Cabbage

There are three Pig's fit for Sale.
Ordered to be advertised.

Pierce Leamon admitted at 1 Oclock P.M. on 14th. instant. died at 4. 30' Oclock P.M. on Same day. The Constabulary were informed and an inquest held when the jury found that the man died of heart disease.

The deceased left home in an ass's Car in charge of his own Son and called at the Doctor's residence (in Wexford) on his way to the Workhouse, the Doctor saw him and gave him some stimulant.

The Doctor had not seen him for a fortnight previous to his calling and the Relieving Officer did not see the man at all.)

Mr Bourke Local Government Board Inspector visited and examined the Workhouse and Fever Hospital on the 16th and 19th instant.

I beg to inform the Board that I want to be absent from Workhouse to-night and to-morrow owing to death of a relative.
Ordered – Absence allowed.

Miss Finn Infant Schoolmistress applied for one months leave of absence owing to illness Mrs Irwin Schoolmistress to discharge the duties She enclosed a Certificate from the Medical Officer – Dr Sheridan.
Ordered – That the application be granted.

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

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

No 153. M. 86. 12th August 1886. Enclosing one copy of the Appendix to their Fourteenth Annual Report.
Ordered – The receipt to be acknowledged with thanks.

No 35,141 19th August 1886. Forwarding a letter and enclosures which they received from Mr Richard Hayes relating to contracts recently entered into for the Supply of certain articles to the Workhouse and requesting that they may be furnished with the Guardians observations thereon.
Ordered – That the Local Government Board be informed that the Guardians Appoint a Committee each year to revise the Prices for Supplies ~~each year~~. that the Committee met this year and made their revision, that regarding the White Lead and oil, they are only got in small Quantities (2 Stone White Lead and 2 Galls. of oil during the past Six months) and that they were informed that the White Lead could not be got in such quantities as

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rate than what they advertised for.
The Guardians are glad to have the information conveyed in Mr Hayes Communication and will take care to use it at the next revision.
The Guardians are fully satisfied that they have adopted the best possible system for getting the best value and greatest competition
(The Clerk wished to state for the information of the Local Government Board, that Mr Hayes' Tender and Letter were submitted to the Committee precisely the same as all the other Tenders, but he not having complied with the Guardians Advertisement, his tender with some others were ordered not to be considered)

Mr Patrick Chandler proposed and Mr John Redmond seconded "that the advertisements for the ensuing year be given to the "Wexford People", Wexford Independent" and "Wexford Constitution". Mr Stafford proposed and Mr Michael Sinnott seconded as an amendment That the Advertisements of the Union be continued as last year in the "Wexford People" and Dublin "Weekly News".
On a division the Amendment was carried
The following Guardians were against it.
(all the other Guardians voting for it)
Messrs – Chandler, Redmond, Roche and Coughlan.

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	34
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	28
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 21 day of August 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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The following 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

With reference to the letter of the Local Government Board No 29.567. 30th July 86. the Relieving Officer reported that all the defaulters in the Bridgetown District had Complied with the law.

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

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

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
From the Secretary of the Dublin Wicklow and Wexford Railway with reference to the unsanitary state of their houses situated near Ferrycarrig and stating that the Company's Engineer had been asked to report on them.			

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

From Local Government Board No 34,959 August 14th 1886. Acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians Petition for confirmation of an Improvement Scheme made by them under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts

The Clerk of Works reported that all the houses Contracted for the Summer of 1885. (131) would be completed on the first of September next.

Ordered – That the Local Government Board be requested to send their Inspector to report on the buildings so as to enable the Guardians to take up the final Instalment with the least possible delay as they are anxious the Scheme (so far as it relates to those 131 houses) should be completed in every way by the 29th of September.

John Barry

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 28th day of August 1886

Signed, James Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. *Present Net Annual Value*, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of August 1886

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	353
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	87	1
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	818	354

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	6	·	25	32	19	10	13	13	32	350
Admitted during the Week,	9	2	9	8	2	3	2	3	·	38
Born										0
TOTAL	15	2	34	40	21	13	15	16	32	388
Discharged during the Week,	10	1	7	6	4	1	1	3	1	34
Died,	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	1	7	6	4	1	1	3	1	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	5	1	27	34	17	12	14	13	31	354

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 163; Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1; TOTAL 164	In separate Wards, 23; In Wards with other Inmates, ; TOTAL 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	-	·	8
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 350

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of August 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	255	523			255	523
No. II.	163	358			163	358
TOTAL	418	881			418	881

Comparative No. last year, 801

Cost, £ 33.16.0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 28th day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— John Barry Esqr

Other Guardians:—

Messrs— James Murphy
John Redmond — Charles H Peacocke JP — Nicht Sinnott
James Kelwe — Denis Reck — Patrick Scallan
Wm Coghlan RM RJP — Michael Sinnott — Patrick Chandler.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2922 *to No.* 2959 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 = 4 = 2

Paid during the week £ 82 = 6 = 8

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £1470 = 11 = 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...		
	Total		
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...		
	Ardcolm ...		
	Artramont		
	Drinagh ...		
	Killinick ...		
	Kilpatrick ...		
	Kilscorau ...		
	Lady's Island		
	Mayglass ...		
	Rathaspeck		
	Rosslare ...		
	St. Helen's		
	Tacumshane		
	Total		
James Murphy ...	Ausbwilliam		
	Ballymitty		
	Carrig ...		
	Forth ...		
	Glynn ...		
	Harperstown		
	Kilbride ...		
	Killurin ...		
	Taghmon ...		
	Whitechurch		
	Total		
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...		
	Bridgetown		
	Duncormack		
	Harristown		
	Kilcowan ...		
	Killag ...		
	Kilmore ...		
	Newcastle ...		
	Tomhaggard		
	Total		
	TOTAL		

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £ s. d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £ s. d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £ s. d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor				Sept. 188
Patrick Keating				Do.
James Murphy ...				Do.
Nicholas Moore				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. *Let the Treasurer credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.*

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(257) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 5 : 5 : 1 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	34	19	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	46	12	3
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	4
Hall Diet		1	7

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 :—

43 3/4	lbs. of Meat,		1 Stone of Raster
2	Ox Heads,		1 Press Lock
8	Bags of Flour,	1/2	Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	56	Dozs. of Eggs,
400	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,	1/2	lb Butter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st *day of* August 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	0	6
In Kind,		8	0
Total,	£ 34	8	6

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
258	No. I.	Murphy	19	0	0				
259	No. II.	Dillon	16	0	0				
	TOTAL,		35	0	0				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
260	Rourke	Meat	9	11	8
261	Pierce	Piers &c Labour	13	8	0
262	Irwin	Pigs	16	0	0
			63	4	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 cases:—

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

We visited the whole of the Union Workhouse of Wexford this day 27th August 1886 in Company with Mr Coghlan and we found everything as clean neat and orderly as could be desired.

A. Leidig
Gf. Leidig

16 Lewisham High Road
New Cross
London.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Some Brushes to be examined by Committee Messrs - M. Sinnott, P. Scallan, & J Kehoe were appointed and reported the Scrub, Floor, Shoe and Lime wash Brushes were not as good as samples.

Ordered — to be returned.

During last week we had some batches of very inferior Bread - small and bad coloured. The Baker stated it was owing to the flour. I wrote to the Contractor but got no satisfactory explanation.

The Baker came before the Board and stated that he believed the flour to be same as sample sent Drecher

Ordered — That the Contractor be written to requesting him to get in such a supply as will prevent complaints as to the freshness of the flour.

I recommend the potatoes for dinner once a week to the healthy inmates

Michael J. Sheridan Med. Officer

Ordered - That a sample of the Potatoes be prepared and submitted to the Medical Officer by Saturday next.

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

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

№ 36,983. 27th August 86, Enclosing for the Guardians Information and attention extracts from the report their Inspector Mr Bourke.

Financial – Mr Bourke considers that the financial condition of the Union is sound, as although the Guardians are about £1900. in debt. Yet when they will receive £2400. which they borrowed from the rates to carry on the Labourers Acts, they will have a good Credit – at the end of the current financial year.

Stock was last taken on 9th September 1885.

In female aged and infirm Ward the wooden frames of some of the window sashes are rotten. In Day Room female infirm Ward the window sill is Rotten and the quadrant bars in the Girls Dormitary are in some instances wanting. The interior woodwork generally of doors and window sills especially in male side of house want painting badly. The interior also of the iron window sashes in Drying Room of Laundry are half eaten away by rust.

of not having been painted regularly. The Locks and Window fastenings are in order.

In female aged and infirm Ward No. 2. the interior of the walls is in want of slight repairs and the lower part of the walls in all the aged and infirm wards of the house, want to be freshly distempered. I think it would be a great improvement if the walls which at present are in the rough were plastered up to about five feet from the ground. The expense would not be large and it would then be so much easier to keep them clean and bright.

If the Room at present occupied as Nursery were boarded it would be a great advantage as the tiled floor must be very cold in winter

On Inspection I found that a large room the floor of which was several inches if not a foot below level of yard and the ventilation of which was faulty, had been some time ago at Mr Hamilton's suggestion converted into a Nursery it having been originally a Workroom. This was done at a time when the number of infants in the house was abnormally large and I am confident it was only meant to be a temporary arrangement. I therefore advised the Master to put the Children of whom there now only seven back again into the smaller room which is far brighter and better ventilated and which I now recommend to be boarded.

The back wall of new wing of Fever Hospital gets quite soaked through when the rain comes from a certain quarter, unless something is done to remove this (say weather Slating) the wall will I think soon be in danger of Collapsing.

Ordered – That a Committee Consisting of Messrs Peacocke, Leyhlan, Redmond and Chandler, be appointed to visit on Wednesday next at 10 o'clock and report and recommend on the matters referred to above.

№ 36,815 27th August '86. Relating to the death of Peice [illegible] and requesting to be informed

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whether
this man was under treatment as a Dispensary Patient and that the Guardians will be good enough to obtain from the Medical Officer a full report of the case by next Board Day.

Tenders accepted – Mr Laurence Kerwin for three Pigs the Sum of £9.2.6.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	30
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	38
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 28th day of August 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 Contractors,

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

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

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

Resolved – That the sum of £1-1-0 be allowed Dr Rigatt for attending from Taghmon at the Wexford Petty Sessions to give evidence as to the Unsanitary Condition of the House at Bulgan – reported in minutes of August 14th. and that the Local Govt. Board be requested to approve of the Payment

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

No 34.959. 27th August '86. Requesting that the Board may be furnished with a copy of the public notice issued in respect of the meeting of the Sanitary Authority at which the Representations were considered (See. 4. Act 1889)

The Executive Sanitary Officer stated that he posted the required notice on the back of the notice given to each guardian and which will be found attached to the Representations forms copies of which were sent.

Ordered - that another copy be sent.

No 36.684. 27 August '86. Enclosing Forms to be filled and signed by Executive Sanitary Officer and Architect relating to the Final Instalment of Loan under Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

Ordered To be filled and returned as early as possible.

No. 36714. 27 August 86. Referring to the Guardians application for a supplemental Loan under the Labourers Ireland Act and observing that they can take no action in the matter until the expiration of the month from the publication of the first advertisement of the intention to apply for the Loan. Such advertisements appeared on the 4th August and a month would not expire until the 3rd September. but in consequence of the last paragraph of the advertisement no action can be taken until after the 6th September.

Ordered - The Guardians were under the impression that the legal construction of giving one months notice was that it excluded both intermin ab days. and hence they extended the time to the 6th September. They thank the Local Gov. Board for the correction - when the Guardians expressed a hope that matters would be expediated as much as possible they only meant that there should be as little delay as possible after the 6th of September.

Mr Whelan Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 4th day of September 1886

Signed, James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of September 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	431	347										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	1										
Fever Sheds												
Total	812	348										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			5	1	127	134	17	12	14	13	31	354
Admitted during the Week.			15	1	8	9	2	5	5	2	.	47
Born											1	1
TOTAL			20	2	135	143	19	17	19	15	32	402
Discharged during the Week.			15	1	7	12	2	7	4	5	.	53
Died.						1						1
Total Discharged and Dead.			15	1	7	13	2	7	4	5	.	54
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	1	128	130	17	10	15	10	32	348

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 364	In separate Wards, 22
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In Wards with other Inmates,
Total 365	Total 22

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	15	1	4	20
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	—

No. at corresponding period last year, 359

OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week. ended Saturday, the 4th day of September 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	254	572			254	572
No. II.	162	307			162	307
TOTAL	416	879			416	879

Comparative No. last year, 790

Cost, £ 3. 8. 6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 4th day of September 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— William Coghlan J.P. subsequently Nichs Roche Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs— Charles H. Peacocke Esq.

Jas Kehoe, John Redmond, Redmond Hore, Patrick Scallan, Thos Rowe, James Breen, Patrick Chandler, John Roche, John Fortune

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2960 *to No.* 3007 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 149 : 4 : 3

Paid during the week £ 88 : 5 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1409 : 12 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and severally audited, as 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...	12	14	7	76	16	11
	Total ...	12	14	7	76	16	11
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...				12	6	7
	Ardcolm ...				4	11	11
	Artramont				2	17	4
	Drinagh ...				22	3	0
	Killinick ...				33	18	6
	Kilpatrick ...				10	13	10
	Kilscoran ...				36	1	1
	Lady's Island				23	17	5
	Mayglass ...				16	13	6
	Rathaspeck				62	14	5
	Rosslare ...				14	4	4
	St. Helen's				43	3	9
	Tacumshane				20	16	0
	Total ...				304	1	8
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam				6	9	0
	Ballymitty	3	3	3	25	3	0
	Carrig ...	24	18	10	24	9	10
	Forth ...	11	.	1	16	.	1
	Glynn ...	1	1	7	13	14	10
	Harperstown	9	2	7	43	4	4
	Kilbride ...	5	11	4	6	18	8
	Killurin ...	11	19	4	14	13	3
	Taghmon ...	22	10	8	76	6	6
	Whitechurch	6	3	5	12	19	8
	Total ...	95	11	1	239	9	2
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...	4	13	3	38	9	2
	Bridgetown	5	15	4	15	1	10
	Duncormack	1	10	6	19	0	3
	Harristown		9	4	5	0	8
	Kilcowan ...	1	7	2	5	2	11
	Killag ...	1	7	9	45	2	4
	Kilmore ...		11	.	33	16	8
	Newcastle ...	2	3	9	12	10	10
	Tomhaggard				22	18	3
	Total ...	18	8	1	197	2	11
	TOTAL ...	126	13	9	817	.	8

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	76	6	11	745	7	10	2491	14	9	Sept. 188
Patrick Keating	64	1	8	2998	10	1	3302	11	9	Do.
James Murphy ...	239	9	2	1545	8	0	1784	17	2	Do.
Nicholas Moore	197	2	11	2071	9	9	2268	12	8	Do.
	817	0	8	9630	15	8	9847	16	4	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.*

(262) £ 9 : 8 : 5 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	37	10	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	46	5	11
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	7

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 :—

415¾ lbs. of Meat,	4 lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 lbs Tobacco
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	1 oz of Onion Seed
10 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	6 lbs Wax Candles
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	12 lbs Scale - Do -
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	2 galls. Colza Oil
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	59 Dozs. of Eggs,	1 Spirit Pump. 4
400 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	Weighing Machine
1 Cwt. of Salt,	Gallons of Barm,	Sledge hammer
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	4 lbs Lamp black
lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	4 lbs Clip nails
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	300 lbs Butt Leather
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	50 lbs of Kip - do -
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	100 lbs of Letter - do -
lbs. of Pepper,	½ lb of Butter	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of December 188 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	24	0	0
In Kind,		11	8
Total,	£ 24	11	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively :—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
263 No. I.	Murphy	18	0	0				
264 No. II.	Dillon	17	0	0				
TOTAL,		35	0	0				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
265	J. Rourke	Meat	9	2	17
266	M'Elroy	Granite	2	10	0
267	Cosgrave	Flour	37	13	10
268	Marlow	Coals	172	1	8
269	Godkin & Co	Meal	18	10	0
270	Cowman	Wine	4	16	0
271	Devereux	Whiskey	24	15	10
272	Ryan	Milk	9	17	5
273	Maddock	Miers	14	4	3
274	Malone	Miers	3	17	0
275	Rossiter	Eggs	13	8	8
276	Williams	Salary	2	10	0
277	Sheridan	Vacc[n] fees	5	4	0
278	Cousins	Cottages	116	14	0
			480	3	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan 10 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 15 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

Lodged £9.2.6 for Pigs
" 8.0 for Cabbages
9.10.6

Bought 9. Pigs = £17.0.0

The quality and size of bread have improved since my last report I intend to report on it weekly in future.

I have received the 200 tons of coals from the contractor & believe it fully equal to contract sample.

Committee required to condemn clothing and other articles no longer fit for use, previous to Stocktaking a committee was appointed

Medical Officer's Report :— I examined a sample of potatoes this day and reccommend them for dinner once a week to the healthy inmates. I beg to call the boards attention to the windows in the female idiot Ward which cannot be opened and hope they will give instructions to have them put in order at once
4th September 1886. M. J. Sheridan.

Ordered — The potatoes to be used as reccommended and the windows to be put in a proper state of repair at once.

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

No 32, 141. 28th August '86. Authorizing the Guardians to appoint Inspectors for the execution and enforcement of any Regulations which may be made by the Urban Sanitary Authority in pursuance of Order of July the 7th.

No 36,498. 26th August '86. Cholera regulations extending the date of Prohibition relating to the importation of rags from Spain until the 1st of October 1886.

Ordered:- That Copies be supplied to Medical Officers

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

No 36.983. 27th August 1886. The Committee appointed to consider the report of Mr Burke - the Inspector reported as follows:-

1. We consider that it will be necessary to have the insides of all the wooden sashes thoroughly washed before winter and to have any decayed woodwork repaired.

2. In reference to the Quadrant bars of windows in Girls' Dormitory we find that the alternate windows were purposely left without Quadrants so as to prevent the upper portion of these windows being opened.

3. We recommend the Board to instruct the Master to have the interior of the window sashes in the Dining Room and other places painted at such times as he may have skilled labour in the house.

4. We find that it is the Masters intention to have all the Infirm Wards coloured within current month. We do not consider it necessary at present to incur any expense in plastering the walls referred to.

5. The healthy day Nursery meets all the wants of those who occupy it, there is a fire kept burning in it during

during the entire year. The Master states that he has carried out the suggestion in Mr Bourke's report in having the Children removed from ward lying on low level, to the Ward adjoining which is on a higher level.

6. It will be necessary to have Tinic weather slips placed on bottom of sashes of windows at Fever Hospital: We recommend the Guardians to take into consideration the desirability of weather slating the wall of new building at Fever Hospital.

Charles H. Peacocke.
Patrick Chandler.
William Geoghegan.

1st Sept 1886.

Ordered:- That the several recommendations of the Committee be carried out and that advertisements be issued inviting tenders for the weather slating of the wall alluded to at Fever Hospital.
Victoria Quarry Double (Slates) to be used.

No 36, 815. 29th August 86. Relating to the death of Peirce Connors. The Medical Officer wrote that the deceased was a regular attendant at his Dispensary. He was labouring under a bad form of valvular disease of the heart. I had frequently suggested to him to go into some hospital. He preferred to come over to the Dispensary - and did so up to a short time before his death. The daughter called on me and told me her father had decided to go into the Union Infirmary the following.

I met them on their way to Hospital and finding him very weak gave him some whiskey and water and an order for admission to Union Infirmary. I next saw him dead having visited the Workhouse for Dr Sheridan. Owing to the condition of this man's heart I would not have been surprised to hear of his death at any moment.

David Hadden.

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From the Flour Contractor Mr Cosgrave stating that owing to the terms of his contract Viz :—
"Flour to be delivered direct from the mill with Certificate" he was prevented from supplying flour at a proper age. If the Guardians rescind the above order he will supply it without complaint.

Ordered — That we approve of the master's action in the matter and that we authorize Mr Cosgrave to supply the flour from his own store with Certificate of same, but that he is to be held strictly to Sample and the flour is to be of proper age.

Tender accepted :— Suit of Clother for Porter of Fever Hospital according to Sample cloth £3.3.0
Mr Wm Comiskey —

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 4th day of September 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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	47
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year.)

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

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

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

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

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
Crossabeg	Dr Hadden	Sent a bottel of water taken from the Spout at Crossabeg and asked to have it analysed.	
	Ordered—	That it be sent to Dr Cameron for analysis.	

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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Labourers' (Ireland) Acts.

The Bill of Mr Colfer Solicitor was received during the Sitting of the Board and it was ordered. That the Clerk go over the items and report by next Board Day.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 11th day of September 188 6

Signed, James Clemmot

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of September 188 6

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	431	362
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	1
Fever Sheds		
Total	872	363

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	5	1	128	130	17	10	15	10	32	348
Admitted during the Week.	7	5	7	8	.	1	.	1	.	29
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	12	6	135	138	17	11	15	11	32	377
Discharged during the Week.	5	2	4	2						13
Died.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead.	5	2	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	4	130	136	17	11	15	11	32	363

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 168; Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1; TOTAL 169	In separate Wards, 20; In Wards with other Inmates, 3; TOTAL 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	7	3	—	10
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 359

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	252	570			252	570
No. II.	163	307			163	307
TOTAL	415	877			415	877

Comparative No. last year, 796

Cost, £32 : 10 : 4

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 11th day of September 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esq.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Nicholas Codd

Charles H Peacocke J.P. John Reamno Nicholas Roche
Michael Lennett Patrick Chandler George Le Hunte J.P.
Wm Coghlan R.R.R.J.P. Barth. Brennan Nicholas Harpur

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3008 *to No.* 3036 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 85 · 11 · 9

Paid during the week £ 478 · 12 · 8

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 1802 · 13 · 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their contents 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...				76	6	11
	Total ...				76	6	11
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...	9	14	.	2	9	2
	Ardcolm ...	2	4	8	2	7	3
	Artramont ...	2	.	.		17	4
	Drinagh ...	16	2	8	6	0	4
	Killinick ...	3	5	9	30	12	9
	Kilpatrick ...	2	6	7	8	7	3
	Kilscoran ...	1	11		34	10	1
	Lady's Island ...	13	18	3	10	9	2
	Mayglass ...	6	7	11	10	5	7
	Rathaspeck ...	6	6	8	56	7	9
	Rosslare ...		13	6	13	10	10
	St. Helen's ...	15	12	9	27	11	.
	Tacumshane ...	5	15	.	15	1	.
	Total ...	85	11	9	218	10	7
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam ...						
	Ballymitty ...						
	Carrig ...						
	Forth ...						
	Glynn ...						
	Harperstown ...						
	Kilbride ...						
	Killurin ...						
	Taghmon ...						
	Whitechurch ...						
	Total ...				239	9	2
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...						
	Bridgetown ...						
	Duncormack ...						
	Harristown ...						
	Kilcowan ...						
	Killag ...						
	Kilmore ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Tomhaggard ...						
	Total ...				197	2	11
	TOTAL ...				731	9	7

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	291	14	9	215	1	10	76	6	11
Patrick Keating	Do.	3302	11	9	3084	1	2	218	10	9
James Murphy ...	Do.	1484	14	2	1345	8	.	139	6	2
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2288	12	8	2091	9	9	197	2	11
	Total	9467	16	4	9116	6	9	731	9	7

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 1 : 11 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	44	5	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	46	15	1
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	4

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

412½ lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,	6 Boxes of wicks
2 Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,	3 pair Butt Hinges
10 Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	200 4d Battons
Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	10 lbs Twine
1/2 Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,	1 Doz Scissors
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	55	Dozs. of Eggs,	300 12d Nails
400 Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,	200 8d "
1 Cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	1 Barrell of Oats
Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	10,000 Shoe nails
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,	
½ lbs. of Pepper,			14lb Malt 1 Ct Hops 1/2 lb Butter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th *day of* September 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	34	12	0
In Kind,			9
Total,	£35	1	9

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
280	No. I.	Murphy	18						
281	No. II.	Dillon	17						
	TOTAL,		35						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
282	Rourke	Meat	9	11	0
283	J. Harvey	Rent	4	10	.
284	M. J. O'Connor	Jurors Lists	8	12	4
285	P. Ryan	Clerk of Works	45	.	.
			107	15	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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Beggan~~, Ryan 11 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 11 .

I have got all the eaves gutters, and down pipes properly repaired; they now want painting.
Ordered – To be advertised for.

Leather and Linolieum to be examined by Committee
~~The Committee appointed~~ reported that the articles were equal to samples.

I had an Inmate named Peter Bolger arrested on sworn informations on the 9th. instant. for a savage assault on myself and threatening to take my life.
Ordered – The Guardians approve of the Masters action in the matter.

We had excellent bread as to quality and size for past week.

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

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

No. 38.109. 10th September 1886. Enclosing a copy of a further letter which they received from Wm Richard Hayes relating to contracts recently accepted and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians' observations, especially as regards the statement that "Supplies" were advertised for "far beyond the prices they could be supplied for."

Ordered — The Guardians have already furnished the Local Government Board with any observations they think necessary in the minutes of the 7th & 21st of August and they must ask the Local Government Board not to trouble them with any further letters of Wm Richard Hayes.

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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... 19

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 29

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 11th day of September 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

That the medicines be procured from the Contractors.

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 Committee of Management met on the 6th. Present Rev. J. Alexander (Chairman) Messrs Rossiter, Parle, French, Furlong, Codd, Harpur, J. Stafford, Boxwell, N. Stafford & Browne,

Medical Officers Report:— No sickness of an epidemic character has come under my notice. Tonsilitis prevelant amongst the young;

Dr. Duff applied for another months leave of absence and sent medical certificate. Leave was granted until the first Monday in October. Dr Sheridan has been taken to continue the duties as heretofore

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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, £*_____

I was understood that if Dr. Duff would not be able to resume duty on the 1st October 1886. he would resign.

Bamow Committee of Management met on the 5th instant. Present Messrs Cullen (Chairman) Crosbie & Brien.

The Doctor reported that there was no infectious disease.

Some Bills were presented for payment and were recommended to be paid by the Committee.

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

*An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended*_____188 *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*_____188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

*Order dated*_____ **(state subject.)**

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

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.

Irish Land Commission

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

Relating to the Samaurscourt Burial Ground and stating that the Commissioners have no power to take any action until recommended by the Lord Lieutenant in Council and asking that Mr. Kane should apply to the Privy Council for directions to invest the burial Ground (which is on his property) in himself or in the Board of Guardians.

Ordered — That Mr. Kane be requested to act as suggested.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount £	s.	d.
The Guardians would thank the Local Government Board to approve of the Payment of £1.1.0 to Dr. Riggs for evidence given at Wexford Petty Sessions in the case of an unsanitary house at Bulgan, as requested on minutes of 28th. August.				

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

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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

No 37.775. 7th. September 1886. Acknowledging the receipt of Schedules B. and C. relating to the Loans under the Labourers Acts; and stating that they have instructed their Engineering Inspector Mr L. E. H. Deane to make an Inspection of the houses in Course of erection

The Executive Sanitary Officer Submitted some applications for Loans in the cases of the ten houses lately Contracted for. The applications were Signed by the Chairman and directed to be sent to the Local Government Board.

The Amounts asked for were as follows:—

	£		£
Shracavan E.D.	100	Killinick E.D.	98
Artramont "	90	Killurin "	103
Ballymitty "	96	Kilmore "	98
Dinagh "	97	Poolark "	101
Kilcowan "	93	St Helens "	92

Peter French

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

day of.....188

Signed,.....

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of September 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	731	360										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse	81	1										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
Total	812	361										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			7	4	130	136	17	11	15	11	32	363
Admitted during the Week.			9	2	12	6	2	2	1	1	.	35
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL			16	6	142	142	19	13	16	12	33	399
Discharged during the Week.			11	4	11	6	2	.	1	1	1	37
Died.			.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	4	11	7	2	.	1	1	1	38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			5	2	131	135	17	13	15	11	32	361

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	174	In separate Wards, 23
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates, .
TOTAL	175	TOTAL 23

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	9	-	-	9
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 367

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of September 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	249	563			249	563
No. II.	161	295			161	295
TOTAL	410	858			410	858

Comparative No. last year, 883

Cost, £31 : 15 : 2

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 18th day of September 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:— Messrs — John McCormick

John Fortune, Edmond Hore, Wm. Coghlan J.P.
John Redmond, Peter Cassin, Mich. Sinnott
James Kehoe, George La Hunte J.P., Barth. Brennan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3037 *to No.* 3072 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 313 . 7 . 11

Paid during the week £ 102 . 6 . 11

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 1591 . 12 . 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and, 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford				76	6	11
	Total ...				76	6	11
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan				2	9	7
	Ardcolm				2	7	3
	Artramont ...					17	4
	Drinagh				6	.	4
	Killinick	10	9	.	20	3	9
	Kilpatrick				8	7	3
	Kilscoran				34	10	1
	Lady's Island ...		18	6	9	10	8
	Mayglass				10	5	7
	Rathaspeck ...		19	6	55	8	11
	Rosslare				13	10	10
	St. Helen's ...				27	11	.
	Tacumshane ...				15	1	.
	Total ...	12	7	.	206	3	7
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam ...	1	5	3	5	3	9
	Ballymitty ...	16	4	6	8	18	6
	Carrig	15	17	5	8	12	5
	Forth	1	1	11	14	18	12
	Glynn	5	6	6	7	18	4
	Harperstown ...	2	17	10	40	6	6
	Kilbride	4	4	7	2	14	1
	Killurin	3	10	8	11	2	7
	Taghmon	26	1	4	50	5	2
	Whitechurch ...	3	14	4	9	15	4
	Total ...	80	4	4	159	4	10
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow	5	5	9	33	3	5
	Bridgetown ...				15	1	10
	Duncormack ...				19	.	3
	Harristown ...				5	.	8
	Kilcowan	1	17	1	3	5	10
	Killag				45	2	4
	Kilmore				33	16	8
	Newcastle				12	10	10
	Tomhaggard ...	15	18	4	6	19	11
	Total ...	23	1	2	174	1	9
	TOTAL ...	115	12	6	615	17	1

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	76	6	11	2445	7	10	2491	14	9	Sept. 188 ...
Patrick Keating	205	3	7	3096	8	2	3302	11	9	Do. ...
James Murphy ...	459	4	10	1625	12	4	1784	17	2	Do. ...
Nicholas Moore	174	1	9	2094	10	11	2268	12	8	Do. ...
	915	15	1	9231	19	5	9847	16	4	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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286 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £14 : 0 : 7 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	45	2	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	47	12	2
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	10
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

423½	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 doz. Commode pans
2	Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,	1 " Tumblers.
	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	1 Spring Latch
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	4 lbs twine
	Ton of Oatmeal,	72	Bottles Gin,	6 belts
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	57	Dozs. of Eggs,	2 lbs tobacco
420	Gallons Newmilk,	10	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1 Stone of Oatmeal
1	Cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,	
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	
228	lbs. of Sugar,		Cwt. of Soda,	
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	
1/4	Cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	
	lbs. of Pepper,			14 lbs Malt 1 lb Hops 1/2 lb Butter

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th *day of* Sept. *188*6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	4	0
In Kind,		11	0
Total,	£33	15	0

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
287	No. I.	Murphy	18						
288	No. II.	Dillon	16						
	TOTAL,		34						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
289	Rourke	Meat	9	16	.
290	Sullivan	Adverts.	7	10	
291	Walsh	Printing &c	18	3	6
292	Keating	Surrs. lists	6	9	
293	Le Hunte	Cottages	30	.	
294	O'Keefe	"	625	.	8
295	Alex[r] Thom & Co.	Adverts &c.	7	6	3
			752	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 cases:—

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

Mr George Le Hunte J.P. visited on the 15th and reported:—

The draft of the Drying Room chimney is not always good, and an opinion of some expert would be advisable. The chimney of No 10 Infirm Ward womens side was Smoking.

The able-bodied womens Day-Room requires whitewashing. The window frames in Ward No. 17. are rotten and the inside metal Sashes require painting. The attention of the board is directed by the Committee to the recommendation that the Nursery should be boarded. There was no water in the closet.

Ordered - The Master stated he would see to the chimneys at once and that he was having the womens day room. lime-washed - which was approved of.

The metal sashes and windows generally are being overlooked and repaired. The Guardians postponed the consideration of the boarding of the Nursery; and the Master is directed to have a constant supply of water kept in the closet.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

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

all made over ten per cent

Lodged:		£	s	d
Maintenance of Anne Murphy (Union)		10	8	0
" Mary Moore (Wexford)		2	12	0
Total		13	0	0

Bread good for past week.

Agriculturist Report:— The oat is ready for threshing. If it is to be threshed with a machine I would require a days leave on the land.

Ordered — That a Machine be employed and that the days leave be granted.

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

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

A Resolution from the Ballymena Board of Guardians urging that the Government would give a similar grant to that of last year for payment to Union Officials for their services under the Representation of the People Act. was adopted unanimously and Copies were ordered to be Sent to to the chief Members of the Government.

Tender Accepted — To weather-slate the Fever Hospital for a Sum of £11-0-0

The Rate Collectors came before the Board and Submitted their Arrear and discharge sheets.

In the case of Mr Michael J. O'Connor Collector of Wexford E.D. there was discharged a Sum of £57-16-6 for vacant houses and stores and these were ordered to be carried forward as arrears £18-10-5

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In the case of Mr Keating Rate collector the following sums were discharged (vacant houses and farms where there are over two years rates due — the excess of two years rates — there being no goods or chattels on them, and seed rate) and carried over as arrears :—

E. Division	Discharged	Arrears
Ardcavan	£ 1-9-11	£ 0-19-8
Ardcolm	3-8	2-3-7
Artramon	9-0	8-4
Duniaghe	0	6-0-4
Killincick	0	20-3-9
Kilpatrick	11-7	7-15-8
Kilscoran	4-1	34-6-0
Lady Island	0	9-10-8
Mayglass	0	10-5-7
Rathaspick	1-6-11	54-2-0
Rosslare	4-4-6	9-6-4
St Helens	5-9-0	22-2-0
Tacumshane	0-0-10	15-0-2

In the case of Mr Nicholas Moore the following sums were discharged for vacant houses and for farms where over two years rates were due — there being no goods or chattels on them. — (the amount over two years rates being only discharged) and carried over as arrears :

E. Division	Discharged	Arrears
Bannow	£ 0-11-9	£ 32-11-8
Bridgetown	6-18-5	15-1-10
Dunenmick	1-0-6	17-19-9
Harristown	1-3-1	3-17-7
Kilcowran	2-9-10	16-0
Killag	0	45-2-4
Kilmore	8-5	33-8-6
Newcastle	3-9	12-7-1
Tomhaggard	2-8	6-17-3

In the case of Mr James Murphy there being nearly £40 due on the Harperstown property and a large number of Cattle being on the land it was ordered that Mr Murphy's Books be returned to him and that if the amount due on this property be not lodged by Friday next — the Guardians shall call upon Mr Murphy to [illegible] Situation

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... 26

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 35

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 18th day of September 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

No 26, 714. 15th September 1886. Relating to the Supplemental Loans and stating that they had received no objection to their and they accordingly expressed their sanction as follows

E. Division		E. Division	
Aradavan	£ 44	Kilcowran	£ 39
Ardcavan	64	Kilmuck	159
Aughwilliam	27	Kilmore	335
Bannow	301	Lady's Island	21
Bridgetown	122	Mayglass	39
Carrick	127	Newcastle	48
Drinagh	234	Rosslare	279
Duncormick	73	St. Helens	92
Glynn	68	Taghmon	378
Harristown	200	Tombaffard	118
Kilbride	120	Wexford	68

No 39,680 15th Sept. 86. Acknowledging the receipt of the applications for sanction to Loans for the purpose of erecting Cottages under the Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 25th day of September 1886

Signed, James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of Sept^r 1886

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	431	357
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	3
Fever Sheds		
Total	518	360

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	5	2	131	135	14	13	15	11	32	361
Admitted during the Week.	8	2	10	7	1	1	1	2	1	33
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	13	4	141	142	18	14	16	13	33	394
Discharged during the Week.	10	3	7	6	-	4	-	3	-	33
Died.	-	.	1	.	.	-	.	-	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead.	10	3	8	6	-	4	-	3	-	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	3	1	133	136	18	10	16	10	33	360

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 1/75	In separate Wards, 23	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In Wards with other Inmates,	
TOTAL 178	TOTAL 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	2	-	10
No. in Workhouse at date				

No. at corresponding period last year, 361

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week. ended Saturday, the 25th day of Sept^r 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	254	574			254	574
No. II.	179	284			179	284
TOTAL	433	858			433	858

Comparative No. last year, 800

Cost, £ 32 : 7 : 6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 25th day of Sept^r 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Peter French Esq^r.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs.

Patrick Scallan, Nich^s Roche, Nich^s Codd, Wm. Coghlan J.P., John Barry, Bernard H. Roice, Walter Cullen, Patrick Chandler, Michael Lynch, James Rehoe, Patrick Lambert, James Keating, James Breen

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3073 *to No.* 3105 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 115 - 12 - 6

Paid during the week £ 760 - 18 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 2236 - 18 - 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, the accuracy whereof was 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: Michael J. O'Connor; Patrick Keating; James Murphy; Nicholas Moore

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor ...	Wexford ...						
	Total				46	6	11
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...						
	Ardcolm ...						
	Artramont						
	Drinagh ...						
	Killinick ...						
	Kilpatrick ...						
	Kilscoran ...						
	Lady's Island						
	Mayglass ...						
	Rathaspeck						
	Rosslare ...						
	St. Helen's						
	Tacumshane						
	Total				206	3	7
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam				5	3	9
	Ballymitty				8	18	6
	Carrig ...	2	6	2	6	6	3
	Forth ...	1	7	4	13	10	10
	Glynn ...				7	18	4
	Harperstown	28	4	10	12	1	8
	Kilbride ...				2	14	1
	Killurin ...				11	2	7
	Taghmon ...	20	8	5	29	16	9
	Whitechurch				9	5	2
	Total	52	6	9	106	18	1
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...						
	Bridgetown						
	Duncormack						
	Harristown						
	Kilcowan ...						
	Killag ...						
	Kilmore ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Tomhaggard						
	Total				141	1	9
	TOTAL				563	10	4

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	241	14	9	235	7	10	16	6	11
Patrick Keating	Do.	3302	11	9	3096	8	2	206	3	7
James Murphy	Do.	1484	17	2	1677	19	1	106	18	1
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2268	12	8	2094	10	11	174	1	9
	Total	7296	16	4	7033	6	0	563	10	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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296 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 10 : 0 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	27	0	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	48	18	1
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	6
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

432 3/4	lbs. of Meat,		2 Gross Potter Corks
2	Ox Heads,		2 Coal Buckets
10	Bags of Flour,		1 Cwt Torbay Paint
	Ton of Indian Meal,		2 lbs Sewing Twine
	Ton of Oatmeal,		2 Meat Carvers for Hosp.
25	Gallons Buttermilk,	56	Dozs. of Eggs,
420	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,	8	lbs. of Blue,
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,
	lbs. of Pepper,	1/2	lb Butter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th *day of* September 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	35	6	5
In Kind,		12	
Total,	35	18	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
297	No. I.	Murphy	14	.	.				
298	No. II.	Dillon	16	.	.				
	TOTAL,		33	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
299	Thos Rourke	Meat	10	0	4
300	Revd M Kelly	Salary	12	10	
301	" L. Doyle	"	5		
302	" Canon Latham	"	7	10	
303	James Connor Clerk	"	28	15	
304	M. J. Sheridan Doctor	"	31	5	
305	John Irwin Master	"	12	10	
306	B Scallan	"	6	5	
307	Sister O'Brien	"	6	10	
308	" M. Cahill	"	6	10	
309	" V. Kane	"	6	10	
310	" M V. Clancy	"	6	10	
311	James M Grath	"	10	17	6
312	Margt Irwin	"	7	10	
313	Miss Finn	"	8	10	
314	Ellen Williams	"	2	10	
315	Ed. J Kearns	"	3	15	
316	Margt Morris	"	5	5	
317	Jane Stone	"	3	15	
318	Patrick Brien	"	3	15	
319	Fk Dillon	"	13	17	6
320	Mark Murphy	"	15	7	6
321	James Boyde	"	28	15	.
322	Mary Murphy	"	2	10	.
323	Johanna Liggins	"	2	10	.
324	Bridget Hawkin	"	2	10	.
325	Patrick Duff	"	28	15	.
326	Catherine Curran	"	5	.	
327	J. J. A Costello	"	28	15	
328	Margt M. Walker	"	5	.	
329	Daniel Hadden	"	26	5	

			£	s.	d.
330	Mary Ryan	Salary	5	.	
331	John C. Pigott	"	28	15	
332	Bridget Marshall	"	3	5	
333	Thomas Pierce	"	36	5	
334	Richd C. Webb	"	10	10	
335	Richd Malone	"	12	10	6
336	John Halbrook	"	2	5	6
337	Nichs Moore	Surveyorship	5	4	4
338	James Murphy	"	4	18	4
339	James Murphy	Poundage & fees	34	19	2
			532	15	6

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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Boggins~~ Ryan 12; Mr. Cleary, 12; Mr. Hayes, 12;
Mr. Maddock, 14; Mr. Malone, 12.

A Committee required to take Stock of Provisions &c on evening of 29th inst.

The Committee appointed were Messrs, N. Roche P. Chandler & Wm Coghlan J.P.

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

No. 24. 496, 22nd Sept 86. Enclosing Paymasters Generals order for £31. 5. 0 being one half Salaries of Officers Under the Public Health Act.

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

No 40, 864. 24th Sept 86. Relating to Mr Burke's recommendation that the floor of the Nursery should be boarded, and requesting the Guardians to take the matter again into consideration

Ordered – That the Medical Officer be requested to report on the desirability or otherwise of having the floor boarded

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There was a list of vacant farms laid before the Board from which no rates have been received for some years and it was ordered – That the matter be referred to the Solicitor with instructions to recover the rates if possible.

The Clerk stated that the Rate Books were ready for signature.

Resolved that the Rate Books be Signed.

Tender Accepted :– Mr James Carroll the painting of the Roofs & downpipes of the Workhouse for a Sum of £4 "10.

Resolved – That Mr Mark Murphy and Mr Francis Dillon Relieving Officers be allowed a Sum of £1. and 15/– respectively for their services in Serving Vaccination notices on defaulters under the Act. for the half-year ended 29th Sept 86.



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 23

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 33

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 0

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 25th day of September 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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The following 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 175. 14 Sept. 86 Circular enclosing a revised form of Tender for Medicines.

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

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

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. 39.770. 22nd September 86. Stating that their Sanction is not necessary to the payment of a fee of one Guinea to Doctor Pigott Medical Officer of Health for attending as a witness at a Sanitary Prosecution

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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Wexford Union.

Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

No. 39,680. 24th Sept. 1886. Stating that they had before them the application of the Guardians for Sanction to Loans for the purpose of Carrying out Improvement Schemes under the Labrs (Ireland) acts and expressing their sanction to the Loans applied for except in the cases of the Electoral Divisions of Kilcowan and Killurin in which the Cottages proposed to be erected have been provided for in the Loans already sanctioned. In the cases of these two divisions if the former Loans have proved insufficent the Guardians Should apply for Supplemental Loans in the usual way. The Loans now Sanctioned will be repayable in a period of 50 years and are as foleows

Scheme 1883 & 4	Ardcavan	Electoral	Division	one house	£ 100
	Ballymitty	"		one "	96
	Drinagh	"		one "	97
	Killiniske	"		one "	98
	Kilmore	"		one "	98
	Rosslare	"		one "	101
	St. Helens	"		one "	92
1884 & 5	Artramont	"		one "	90

Resolved that advertisement be issued inviting tenders for the ceiling of the Cottages already erected in the Union. the work to be completed by the 10th of December next.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day of October 1886

Signed, James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of October 1886

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	231	356
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		2
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	
Fever Sheds		
Total	318	358

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	3	1	133	136	18	10	16	10	33	360
Admitted during the Week,	11	8	4	5	1	1	2	1	1	34
Born	.	.	.	-	.	.	-	.	-	.
TOTAL	14	9	137	141	19	11	18	11	34	394
Discharged during the Week,	8	6	9	8	.	.	.	2	-	33
Died,	-	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	-	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	6	10	9				3		36
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	6	3	127	132	19	11	18	8	34	358

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	164	In separate Wards,	23	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates,	-	
TOTAL	166	TOTAL	23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	11	6	-	17
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 356

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of October 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	243	547			243	547
No. II.	162	287			162	287
TOTAL	405	843			405	843

Comparative No. last year, 794

Cost, £ 32-4-6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day of October 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esq.

Other Guardians:—

John Barry	Patrick Scallan	Nicholas Codd
James Murphy	Nicholas Harpur	Patrick Chandler
Denis Reck	Thos Rowe	Wm. Coghlan J.P.
John Redmond	Edmond Rowe	George Le Hunte J.P.
Nicholas Sinnott	James Kehoe	Nicholas Roche
Michael Sinnott	James Daly	James Furlong

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3106 *to No.* 3139 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 140 " 5 " 0

Paid during the week £ 483 " 10 " 6

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 2580 " 3 " 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, duly signed, 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam						
	Ballymitty						
	Carrig ...						
	Forth ...						
	Glynn ...						
	Harperstown						
	Kilbride ...						
	Killurin ...						
	Taghmon ...						
	Whitechurch						
	Total ...						
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...						
	Bridgetown						
	Duncormack						
	Harristown						
	Kilcowan ...						
	Killag ...						
	Kilmore ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Tomhaggard						
	Total ...						
	TOTAL ...						

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor ...										Sept. 188 ...
Patrick Keating										Do. ...
James Murphy ...										Do. ...
Nicholas Moore										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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(340) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £17 : 1 : 11 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	35	18	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	40	17	8
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

437¼	lbs. of Meat,	4	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 lbs	Tobacco
2	Ox Heads,	4	Doz. of Wine, (Port)	2 Galls	Parafin oil
9	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	6 doz	Curtain rings
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	3 lbs	twine
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,	500	Sailors needles
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	54	Dozs. of Eggs,	5 doz	Thimbles
420	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1	Pair of Upholstering Needles
2	Cwt. of Salt,		Gallons of Barm,	4 lbs	copperas
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	1000	yards of Calico 5d
	lbs. of Sugar,		Cwt. of Soda,	1000	" " 4½
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,	200	" " Blay Double
	Cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,	200	" " Twilled Single
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,	200	" " Double
	lbs. of Pepper,			200	" Union
				100	" Flannell
				100	" Linsey
				200	" Linen
				200	" Navy blue
				100	" Ticken
				100	" Wincey
				100 lbs.	of Yarn
				20 lbs.	Linen thread
				12 Doz.	Card thread
				1 Gross	of Spools (Womens)
				2 Doz.	of Boys Caps.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th *day of* September 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	93	1	9
In Kind,	13	0	
Total,	£33	14	9

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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
1	No. I. Murphy	14						
2	No. II. Dillon	16						
	TOTAL,	33						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
341	Colgee	Rent	29	8	
342	Maguire	Paint &c	5	19	4
343	Harper	Hardware	47	17	2
344	Kenins	Timber	21	2	7
345	Hughes	Books &c	14	1	6
346	Hunt & Co	Medicines	122	3	3
347	Corcoran	Medical Appliances	80	14	6
348	Dollard	Books &c	29	11	11
349	Finn & Cameron	Advertising	4	10	6
350	Cormick	Clothes &c	3	17	.
351	Codd	Brushes &c	2	1	4
352	Farris	Groceries	2	17	4
353	Irwin &	Do & Baem	7	19	2
354	Lovegrave	Flour	44	4	10
355	Gas Co.	Gas & fittings	27	8	5
356	Rourke	Meat	6	15	3
357	Scallan	Soap &c	24	12	8
358	Rossiter	Eggs & Butter	10	1	2
359	Godkin & Co	Meal & Barm	7	3	3
360	Keating	Sugar	18	13	4
361	Wickham	Malt & Hops	3	1	.
362	Byrne	Milk	3	12	9
363	Maddock	"	17	3	6
364	Ryan	"	11	4	3
365	Malone	"	4	9	10
366	Cleary	"	19	2	.
367	Hayes	"	23	11	2
368	Murphy	Coffins &c	2	10	.
369	Dillon	"	5	2	.
370	Irwin &	Rent	5	.	.
371	Browne	Rent	2	10	.
372	[illegible]	Rent	2	8	9

				£	s.	d.
373	Fortune	Rent		4		
374	Dixon	"		5		
375	Ryan	"		2		
376	Corish	"		7	10	
377	Murphy	Law[rs] act		70		
378	Local Gov. Board	"	Inquiry	25	5	7
379	J R Colfer	"	Solicitor	119	10	9
3	Browne	Registration		2	10	
4	Rourke	Meat		3	5	2
				£ 330	1	2

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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Borgen~~, Ryan 12; Mr. Cleary, 12; Mr. Hayes, 11;
Mr. Maddock, 14; Mr. Malone, 12.

Messrs- Leoghlan, Chandler & Roche ~~took Stock of~~ Provisions &c on 29th.

A Committee will be required to take clothing Stock on week ending the 16th inst.
Appointment Postponed.

2nd October 1886 Medical Officers Report:—
Having inspected the childrens nursery by the directions of Mr Connor, I beg leave to report that in my opinion the removal of the present flooring of tiles and the substituting in its place of boarding would tend very much towards the health and comfort of the little ones.
M. J. Sheridan.

Ordered – That the Nursery floor be boarded as recommended.

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

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

The clerk stated that the Auditor had attended and audited the Union Accounts for Half year ended 25th March 1886, on the 28 + 29th September 1886. He left the following observations on the Ledgers:—

The amount due by the Late Collector Keane £22.12.7 has not yet been lodged to the credit of the Guardians and legal proceedings should at once be instituted against the sureties to recover the amount.

Antramont E.D. O.D. Relief No 330. Patrick Reek one shilling over paid by the Relieving Officer in excess of the amount authorised.

Union at Large No 232. Bridget Leigh twelve weeks relief at 5/6 per week overcharged by Relieving Officer.

I therefore disallow the sum of 5/9/- and I hereby Surcharge same against Mr Humphrey Recieving Officer

I observe that the following sums are due for broken Stones :- £3.4.2 (due since August 1884) and £5.19.2. also for Relief by way of Loan £4.16.0 If the amounts are not paid on application being now made, I would suggest that legal proceedings should at once be instituted to recover them.

The Expenditure under the Labourers Acts referred to in my last audit of accounts has now been satisfactorily vouched with the exception of an overpayment in one case (which can be rectified by being deducted from the next acct. And one item of £2.6.8 the receipt for which has been mislaid. With reference however to the expenditure under the Labourers Act this half-Year I do not consider that it is sufficiently vouched to enable me to certify for its correctness and therefore so far as the expenditure under this head is concerned the audit is incomplete. I am aware that the account will be finally closed and vouched at the close of the current half-years accounts and I therefore reserve to myself, ~~and I therefore reserve to myself~~ the right of disallowing any or all of the expenditure at my next audit of the accounts of the Union, if unsupported by adequate Vouchers.

Courtnay Cr & Rer
Auditor. 29th Sept- 1886.

Ordered that with reference to the case of Collector Keane's defalcations a full statement be sent to Mr Colfer Solicitor with instructions to recover the amount

Relating to the Out door Relief Surcharge the error occurred through the Relieving Officer accidentally putting 5/1/- on the application and Report Book instead of 5/2/6 per week. The Guardians intended that the Woman Leigh should get 5/2/6 per week for the twelve weeks alluded to; as she is still getting that amount. The Guardians hope the Local Gov. Board will ask the Auditor not to enforce the Surcharge.

That application be at once made for the amount due for stones and relief and that the result be reported to the Guardians.

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The Auditor also reported that one of Mr Michael J. Osmond's (Rate Collector) Sureties was dead, and was also one of Mr James Murphy's (Rate Collector) and that Mr Francis Dillon's Bond was not produced

Ordered - That Mr Osmond and Mr Murphy Submit a surety each for the Guardians approval and that their Bonds be completed as soon as possible afterwards.

The Clerk Stated that Mr Dillon's Bond was in the hands of the Solicitor in order to be registered.

Tender accepted :— Best Beef (without bone) 5½d. per lb. Best Mutton @ 5½d per lb. and ox-heads at 2/- each. Mr Thomas Rourke.

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	133
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day of October 188 6

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Ramow *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 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 :—*

Wexford Dispensary Committee of management met on the 1st inst. Present Messrs Coghlan (Chairman) J.P.) Chandler, Dr Sheridan and Revd M. Kelly Admrs

The Doctor reported that the measels were prevelant in Drinagh and that otherwise the District was healthy.

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

Crossabeg - Nil defaulters.

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
			Letter received from Sir C. Cameron enclosing analysis of water taken from spout at Crossabeg. Sir Charles adds that "this is a moderately hard and good water."

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts

From Local Gov. Board. 28th Sept. 1886 Stating that they had recommended the Board of Works to issue the following Instalments under the Labourers Acts to carry out Improvement Schemes 1883 – 4.

The third and fourth instalments in the Electoral Division of Aughwilliam, Bridgetown, Duncormick Kilcowan and St. Helens. The third Instalment in Jacumshane, and half of the third Instalment in Rathaspick

The fourth Instalment in the following Cases:- Ardcavan, Bannow, (Balance of £20) Carrick, Drumagh Glynn, Harristown, Kilbride, Killurin, Kilmore, Lady's Island, Mayglass, Rosslare, (Balance of £20) Taghmon (Balance of £25). Lombaggard and Wexford.

Also calling attention to the fact that Sites № 127 & 128 having been acquired but not built on should be reconveyed under the conditions of Sec. 15 of the Act 1883.

Ordered - the Suggestion regarding Sites 127 & 128 be carried out.

From the Office of Public Works stating that they awaited the recommendation of the Local Gov. Board before taking any action in the issuing of the Loans.

Ordered – The Guardians were under the impression that the Local Government Board had recommended the Loans to be issued and that the latter Board be again communicated with on the matter.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of October 188 6

Signed, James Cleary

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of October 188 6

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	231	346										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	2										
Other Sheds												
Total,	318	348										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	3	127	132	19	11	18	8	34	358
Admitted during the Week,			4	1	5	4	1	2	1	1	-	19
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL			10	4	132	136	20	13	19	9	34	377
Discharged during the Week,			8	4	7	4	.	.	1	2	.	26
Died,			-	.	1	1	-	.	-	.	1	3
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	4	8	5	-	-	1	2	1	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	.	124	131	20	13	18	7	33	348

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	160	In separate Wards, 23
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates, —
	Total, 162	Total, 23

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	4	1	0	5
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 374

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of October 188 6 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	244	549			244	549
No. II.	164	294			164	294
TOTAL	408	843			408	843

Comparative No. last year, 794

Cost, £31: 18: 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of October 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:— Messrs

Nicholas Roche, John Barry, Patrick Scallan, Michael Sinnott, John J. Wall, Patrick Chandler

James Walsh, Geo. Le Hunt J.P., Wm. Coghlan R.M. J.P., John Redmond, James Murphy, Nich. Codd

John Reck, Bernard H. Roice J.P., Peter Cassin, James Kehoe, Patrick Lambert, Nicholas Harpur

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3140 *to No.* 3158 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 - - - - - £ 154 : 1 : 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 739 : 6 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 1473 : 9 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and the accuracy thereof 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	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor										Sept. 188
Patrick Keating										Do.
James Murphy										Do.
Nicholas Moore										Do.
										Total,

Since last week

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam ...						
	Ballymitty ...						
	Carrig						
	Forth						
	Glynn						
	Harperstown ...						
	Kilbride						
	Killurin						
	Taghmon						
	Whitechurch ...						
	Total ...						
Nicholas Moore ...	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.

Also the Amount lodged to the credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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(5) The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ 4 : 4 : 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	48	10	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	60	13	4
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

416¼	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2	galls Colza oil
2	Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,	2000	flooring brads
9	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	200	Slating nails
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	4	lbs pitch
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,	4	lbs resin
20	Gallons Buttermilk,	56	Dozs. of Eggs,	4	lbs copperas
420	Gallons Newmilk,		lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1	brl of oats
2	Cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	200	yds shroudings
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	4	lbs Snuff
	lbs. of Sugar,	1	Cwt. of Soda,		
	lbs. of Lump Sugar,		lbs. of Starch,		
	Cwt. of Rice,		lbs. of Blue,		
	lbs. of Ginger,		Tons of Coal,		
	lbs. of Pepper,	½	lb Butter		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2 nd day of October 188 6 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	32	5	0
In Kind, ...		9	
Total, ...	£32	14	9

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
6 No. I.	Murphy	17	.	.				
4 No. II	Dillon	16	.	.				
TOTAL,		33	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
8	Rourke	Meat	9	14	9
9	Thom & Co	Elections	4	8	5
10	Cowman	Wine	4	16	.
11	Rossiter	Eggs	6	8	4
12	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
13	Doyle	Cottages	74	.	.
14	Walsh	"	24	.	.
15	Underwood	"	40	.	.
16	Cuffe	Land	29	.	.
17	O'Connor	"	86	19	.
			322	1	5

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£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Boggan~~ Ryan ; Mr. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ;
Mr. Maddock, ; Mr. Malone,

all the milk Contractors made over 10 per cent.

The following articles of clothing have been given by boards orders to persons leaving the workhouse during half year ended — 29th September: the Board will please order them to be deducted from clothing Stock.

Mens Clothing:— 1 Coat, 1 Vest, 1 Trousers, 2 Shirts, 4 Shoes, 1 Stocking 1 Drawers

Womens Clothing:— 3 Shifts, 2 Shoes, & 2 Stockings.

Boys Clothing:— 6 Coats, 6 Vests, 6 Trousers 10 Shirts, 10 Shoes, 9 stockings, 5 Caps.

Girls Clothing:— 4 Frocks, 5 Petticoats, 8 Shifts, 5 bibs, 6 Shoes, 7 ~~Stockings~~, 1 Hat= ordered — That the above articles be deducted from clothing Stock.

A Committee required to take the clothing Stock next week.

Messrs - Coghlan & Chandler were appointed.

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

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

No 41646 6 October 1886. Sanctioning the payment of a sum of £1. and 5/- to Relieving Officers Murphy & Dillon respectively as remuneration for their services under the compulsory Vaccination act.

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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	19
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of October 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

Bridgetown Dispensary Committee of Management met on the 4th October. Present:— Revd J. Alexander (Chairman) and Messrs— Keating and Boswell. Furlong. French. Browne and Dr Boswell.

Doctor reported District healthy. Sanitary condition satisfactory. Dr Duff wrote sending in his resignation as Medical Officer of the District: Proposed by Mr French seconded by Mr Furlong and passed unanimously:— Board regret to hear that Dr Duff's health

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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 £

health has not made the improvement it was hoped it would, and as he has been obliged to send in his resignation through his inability to perform the duty, we hereby accept it and wish to express our appreciation of his attention and kindness to his patients for the short time he was able to do the duty.

Resolved – That Dr P. J. Sheridan be reappointed locum tenens of the Dispensary District at the ordinary Salary until the Election of Medical Officer.

Resolved – That the Election take place on Tuesday the 2nd Nov.r at one oclock and that the ordinary advertisements be inserted.

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 *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* _____ 188

_____ District - - - £

_____ District - - - £

_____ District - - - £

_____ District - - - £

Crossabeg Dispensary Committee of Management met on the 8th inst.

Mr Le Hunte reported that the well which supplied Castlebridge pump, was opened and found to admit dirt from above. A stout concrete roof was laid over the well and the water is now good.

The water which supplies Crossabeg was again submitted to Dr. Cameron who reports it as now good. His condemnation of it before was probably in consequence of the soakage from houses near it it seems advisable that a concrete roof should be placed over this well and and some low ground over [illegible]

Ordered – Referred to the Dispensary Committee.

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from *dated*

stating that

The following tenders were accepted for ceiling the houses erected :-

Messrs Morris & Whitty - 9 houses in Drinagh Ed. Div. at £1:8:6. 6 in Killimick @ £1:9:6. 6 in Mayglass @ £1:10:0.

Mr Patrick Rossiter - 10 houses in Taghmon @ £1:15:0 each.

Messrs Cullen & Doyle - 8 houses in Kilmore @ £1:17:6 and 1 house in Tombaggard @ £1:17:6.

Mr Wm Rochford - 11 houses in Bannow @ £1:16:0 9 houses in Harriestown @ £1:18:6 and 2 houses in Duncormick @ £1:16:0 each

Mr James Brien - 3 houses in Rathaspick at £1:9:6 and 3 in Tombaggard @ £1:14:6 each

Mr Patrick Moran - 3 houses in Kilscoran at 4 in St. Helen's and 2 in Tacumshin @ £2. each

Mr James O'Keefe - 8 houses in Bridgetown, 5 in Kilscoran, 2 in Newcastle at £1:9:6 each 1 in Aughrilliane & 3 in Kilmore at £1:14:6 each & 1 in Harperstown at £1:17:6.

Mr James Redmond - 2 houses in Ardcavan @ £1:14:6 each

Mr Philip Doyle - 5 houses in Carrick @ £1:19:0 each

Mr John Gordon - 2 houses in Wexford @ £1:18:0 each

Mr Peter Keane - 1 house in Duncormick @ £2:0:0 -

Reports (Form F containing the names of Children born in the District during the previous month of ; and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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

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
Broadway	Dr Costello	Sewer in a very Unsanitary State at Ladys Island.	
Ordered -	That notices be served on the Owner and occupier of the premises to have the nuisance abated		
Tender accepted :-	Mr James Murphy to draw 20 tons of stones from the workhouse to Ardcavan Burial Ground at 2/6 per ton.		

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts

From Local Government Board No. 42,306. 7oct. '86. Referring to the Supplemental Loans Sanctioned on the 15th ultimo. and stating that the Board have now recommended the Commissioners of Public Works to grant them to the Guardians, each Loan to be issued in one instalment, and repayment thereof to be spread over a period of 50 Years.

The Board also recommended the Loans Sanctioned on the 22nd ultimo in instalments as follows:—

Electoral Division	Amount of Loan	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
	Scheme 1883 & 4.				
Ardcavan	£100	£23	£33	£33	£11
Ballymitty	96	16	34	34	12
Drinagh	97	24	32	32	9
Killiscar	98	25	32	32	9
Kilmore	98	22	33	33	10
Rosslare	101	22	34	34	11
St Helens	92	17	33	33	9
	Scheme 1884 & 5				
Artramont	£90	£15	£33	£33	£9

Relating to the 10 houses in course of Erection the Clerk of Works reported:—

Out of the 10 houses contracted for on the 30th July (to be finished by the 31st Oct.) there are five of them very forward one is just commenced, and four not commenced. Mr. O'Keefe has commenced one and nothing has been done to the other house. Mr Parle has has not commenced either of his houses yet: and Mr Underwood has not commenced one. Ordered that the Contractors be written to. informing them that they will be strictly held to their bonds if the houses be not finished within the appointed time.

See page 334 Lab. Act cont.

Nicholas Roche

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 16th day of October 188 6

Signed, James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day October 188 6

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	431	368										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	2										
Fever Sheds												
Total	872	370										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			2	·	124	131	20	13	18	7	33	348
Admitted during the Week.			8	2	8	8	1	4	3	3	·	37
Born			·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL			10	2	132	139	21	17	21	10	33	385
Discharged during the Week.			4	·	3	3	1	2	1	1	·	15
Died.			·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Total Discharged and Dead.			4	·	3	3	1	2	1	1	·	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			6	2	129	136	20	15	20	9	33	370

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 162 / Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 2 / TOTAL 164	In separate Wards, 23 / In Wards with other Inmates, — / TOTAL 23

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	2	2	12
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 386

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 188 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	246	557			246	557
No. II.	164	291			164	291
TOTAL	410	842			410	842

Comparative No. last year, 788

Cost, £31:7:6

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 16th day of October 188 6

PRESENT: In the Chair— James Kehoe Esq. & Subsequently Nichs Roche Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs.	Michael Sinnott	Edmond Hore
John Redmond	Walter Harper	Bernard H Roche J.P.
James Murphy	Bartle Brennan	Nicholas Sinnott
Patrick Chandleer	James Daly	Andrew Cullen
Wm Coghlan RNR J.P.	Nichs Harper	Nichs Codd

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3159 *to No.* 3195 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 . . . . . £ 15 : 2 : 6

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 340 : 16 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 2099 : 2 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accounts 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
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 ...	Aughwilliam						
	Ballymitty						
	Carrig ...						
	Forth ...						
	Glynn ...						
	Harperstown						
	Kilbride ...						
	Killurin ...						
	Taghmon ...						
	Whitechurch						
	Total ...						
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...						
	Bridgetown						
	Duncormack						
	Harristown						
	Kilcowan ...						
	Killag ...						
	Kilmore ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Tomhaggard						
	Total ...						
	TOTAL ...						

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									
Patrick Keating	Do.									
James Murphy	Do.									
Nicholas Moore	Do.									
	Total,									

Time as last

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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(18) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £4 : 1 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	50	15	8
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49	0	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	9
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	11

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

415½ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 Metal Saucepans
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	2 lbs Tobacco
9 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	1 Yard Tweed
½ Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 Cwt White Lead
½ Ton of Oatmeal,	6 Bottles Gin,	½ Ground Black
20 Gallons Buttermilk,	55 Dozs. of Eggs,	2 falls of Oil
420 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	
Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	
lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	
224 lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,	14 lbs Malt 1 lb Hops ½ lb Butter	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th *day of* October 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	8	0
In Kind,		13	
Total,	£ 34	1	0

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
14	No. I.	Murphy	18						
20	No. II.	Dillon	18						
	TOTAL,		36						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
21	Rourke	Meat	9	12	4
			49	13	4

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£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :— Ryan

Cream per centage :—Mr. Boggan, 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

A woman named Mary Carty Aughwilliam E.D. is in the healthy department of the house, her husband is an ablebodied man living in Trinity.

Ordered — The husband afterwards came before the board and said he would take out his wife the next fine day

Messrs Coghlan & Chandler took the clothing Stock on the 14th instant.

Calico Flannell, & Yarn to be examined by Committee

Messrs Smith, Kehoe, Harpur & Codd were appointed and reported the articles were equal to samples.

The Healthy Nursery has been boarded and the weather-seating of the Fever Hospital is nearly finished. the other things mentioned in Mr Bourke's report are also done.

Eliza Reilly & two children & Margaret Carroll & four children are in the house their husbands being outside.

Ordered - That notices be served on the Husbands

John Byrne aged 10 Years is in the school his mother lives in town.

Ordered — That the usual notice be served.

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

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

N° 42604 12th October 1886. Referring to the Auditors Report and the Guardians remarks, and stating that they had learned from Mr Croker that under the circumstances set forth in the Minutes of the 2nd instant he does not think the surcharge need be enforced. The Board also requested to be informed whether the amount due for broken stones and for Relief given by way of loan have since been paid.

Ordered – Portions of the amounts due have been paid and the remainder have been promised by the middle of November.

Mr Murphy Rate Collector submitted Mr Georg[illegible] Parle of Coolrahreen and Mr Michael Cullen of Dungeer as his sureties and they were approved of.

From Mr Colfer Solicitor, dated 15th October and relating to the Guardians desire to proceed against the owners of vacant farms for Poor Rates due. He advised that it would not be expedient to proceed except against resident Landlords at present.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was... 25

Ditto disallowed ... ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 37

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 3

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was .

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

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

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WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 16th day of October 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

From Local Government Board.
No. 42,605. 13 October 1886. Requesting the Guardians to obtain a further report from the Medical Officer of Health as to the prevalence of measels in his District at Drinagh.

The Clerk stated that he forwarded this letter to Dr Pierce and requested him to report on it by today. The Doctor had reported as follows:—

Measels have dissapeared from Drinagh. The [illegible] came under my notice were of a very mild type.

Wexford Union

Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

Patrick Quirk tenant of the Labourers Cottage at Crossabeg. wrote asking that his rent be reduced to the same amount as every other tenant is paying namely $1/- per week.

The matter was referred to Messrs Reck and Le Hunte J.P. Guardians in the district.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of October 1886

Signed, James Connor

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of October 1886

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	231	392
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	81	1
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	312	393

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	6	2	129	136	20	15	20	9	33	370
Admitted during the Week.	8	5	9	7	2	3	3	5	1	43
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	14	7	138	143	22	18	23	14	34	413
Discharged during the Week.	7	5	2	7	2	7	4	3	1	38
Died.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead.	7	5	2	7	2	7	4	3	1	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	2	134	136	20	11	19	11	33	373

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 160 / Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1 — Total, 161	In separate Wards, 23 / In Wards with other Inmates, — — Total, 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	8	5	-	13
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 386

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of October 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	246	540			246	540
No. II.	165	295			165	295
TOTAL	411	835			411	835

Comparative No. last year, 778

Cost, £32: 8: 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of October 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter Zfrenche Esqr

Other Guardians:—

Messrs —		
Edmond Hore	James Kehoe	Patrick Chandler
Nicholas Codd	William Coghlan J.P.	Wm Stafford
Michael Sinnott	Walter Cullen	Nich Sinnott
Patrick Scallan	James Walsh	Geo. Le Hunte J.P.
John Redmond	Denis Reck	Bernard H. Rice J.P.
Nich Harpur	Peter Casey	Nich Roche
	Patrick Lambert	John Reck

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3196 *to No.* 3237 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 322 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week £ 90 : 10 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1867 : 13 : 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford	322	-	-			
	Total ...	322	0	0			
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan						
	Ardcolm						
	Artramont ...						
	Drinagh						
	Killinick						
	Kilpatrick						
	Kilscoran						
	Lady's Island ...						
	Mayglass						
	Rathaspeck ...						
	Rosslare						
	St. Helen's ...						
	Tacumshane ...						
	Total ...						
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam ...						
	Ballymitty ...						
	Carrig						
	Forth						
	Glynn						
	Harperstown ...						
	Kilbride						
	Killurin						
	Taghmon						
	Whitechurch ...						
	Total ...						
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow						
	Bridgetown ...						
	Duncormack ...						
	Harristown ...						
	Kilcowan						
	Killag						
	Kilmore						
	Newcastle						
	Tomhaggard ...						
	Total ...						
	TOTAL ...						

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor										Sept. 188
Patrick Keating										Do.
James Murphy										Do.
Nicholas Moore										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.

(22) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 16 : 8 : 2 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	40	11	0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	50	10	3
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	7

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 :—

428¾ lbs. of Meat,		½ Cwt Bran	
2 Ox Heads,		1 Stench trap	
10 Bags of Flour, 1 Stone – for Fever Hosp.		½ Barrels of Porter,	1 Chest Lock
Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 Dr Minges
Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,	6 Yds of Damask
30 Gallons Buttermilk,		55 Dozs. of Eggs,	
530 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,	14 lbs of Malt
lbs. of Pepper,			1 " Hops ½ lb Butter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th *day of* October 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	11	3
In Kind,			6
Total,	£33	11	9

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
23	No. I.	Murphy	19	.	.				
24	No. II.	Dillon	16	.	.				
	TOTAL,		35	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

				£	s.	d.
25	Jas Redmond	Weather Slating		6		
26	Mr Pierce	Registration		9	8	6
27	Mc Partlan	Rent		3	13	6
28	Rourke	Meat		9	18	6
29	O'Connor	Rep Peoples act.	(Voters Lists)	80		
				160	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 cases:—

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

Wm Le Hunt Visited on the 20th instant and reported:— The surface sewerage from the mens side into the Laundry yard requires a thorough reformation: A small shed in the yard ought to be tarred. The drying room chimney does not draw occasionally and inconvinence is the result. Peter Byrne complained of the Medical Officer who he said spoke roughly and inconsiderately to him when he complained of a sprain. Byrne is a young man in the prime of life paralized by injury to the shine, He came here from Liverpool Is a native of Laghmon. George Le Hunte.

The Medical Officer reported as follows:- As I understand Wm Le Hunte has reported that I spoke roughly and inconsiderately to a pauper named Byrne. I beg to state that on the contrary I have been very kind to him. He has been suffering from Locomotor Ataxy for years and is quite incurable. Some time ago the Guardians at Byrnes request ordered a magnetic belt at a cost of £1:10. I at that time stated it would not be of any use, but as he was so anxious to get it I did not further object. I put him on hospital diet although I knew he was not a case for Hostital treatment. On Monday last he came to me at the Dispensary and complained of his legs, knowing that I could do nothing for him I told him to retire, when he became most excited and in the presence of one of the Sisters used very impertinent language. I have nothing further to add esccept that I think it a great hardship to have any name dragged before the Public on the word of a pauper and without the slightest inquiry at to the truth or falsehood of the Statement.

Order. Signed

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Beggan~~, Ryan. ; Mr. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ;

Mr. Maddock, ; Mr. Malone, .

All made over ten per cent.

I was obliged to employ a horse on the 22nd to go for a patient to Duncormick. the Workhouse horse being sick.

Ordered:- The Guardians having heard the Doctors statement Consider his explanation perfectly satisfactory. They also wish to add that they have every confidence in him and that they believe the care and attention which he bestows on the Sick in hospital could not be excelled.

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

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

No. 43,661 24 Oct 86 Calling the Guardians attention from the Auditors Observations that one of the Sureties of Collector O'Connor and one of the Sureties of Collector Murphy had died, and referred them to Article 37. of the General Regulations.

Ordered:— The Collectors have submitted Sureties, of whome the Guardians approve, and instructions have been sent to their Solicitor to prepare bonds and have them perfected.

Resolved:— That the Clerk of the Union be allowed a sum of £80. for his services under the Representation of the People Act. (no remuneration being allowed by the government this year) and that each of the Rate Collectors be allowed a sum equal to that allowed them by the Government last year

Resolved:— That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of the above payments and that they also be requested to state the amounts which the Government allowed each of the Rate Collectors. Messrs. O'Connor, Murphy, Devine &

and Murphy, last year for their services under the Representation of the People Act.

The above resolutions were passed unanimously

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	30
Ditto disallowed	.
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	43
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of October 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ *dated* _____

stating that

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

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

Broadway 99 Cases

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

That the Relieving Officers Serve the usual notices forthwith

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
Broadway	Sanitary sub Officer Dillon reported that he served a notice on Mr Mc Hugh to abate a nuisance complained of at Airdonnes and that Mr Mc Hugh had cleared the watercourse as requested.		

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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Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

From the Board of Works dated 16th October 1886 and stating in reply to a telegram from the Chairman that they would at once apply for Treasury Sanction to the Loan under the Labourers Act recommended by the Local Government Board. They also add that no issue can be made until the Legal and other preliminaries have been completed.

Ordered - The Guardians having made application for this Loan on the 6th July last and having complied at once with every formality they were requested to Comply with and their being indebted to their Treasurer at present in a Sum of £1867. hope that there will be no further delay made in Completing the Loan.

Tenders were accepted for ceiling Cottages:

Mr Philip Doyle	Cottages in Artramont E.D. at	£2.0.0	each
" Keefe	" Killurin " "	1:18:6	"
James Doyle	" Glynn " "	1:17:6	"
Mr Wm Sinnott	" Rosslare " "	1:15:0	"
Mr Kuffe	" Ladyisland " "	1:19:0	"
	Kilbride	1:14:6	

Peter Fpeuch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 30th day of October 1886

Signed, James O'Connor

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of October 1886

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	331	369
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	81	—
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	412	369

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	7	2	134	136	20	11	19	11	33	373
Admitted during the Week.	7	4	7	3	6	-	-	-	-	27
Born										
TOTAL	14	6	141	139	26	11	19	11	33	400
Discharged during the Week.	8	3	8	2	7	-	-	-	-	28
Died.	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total Discharged and Dead.	8	3	9	4	7	-	-	-	-	31
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	3	132	135	19	11	19	11	33	369

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 159	In separate Wards, 23	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 0	In Wards with other Inmates, -	
TOTAL 159	TOTAL, 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	4	4	2	11
No. in Workhouse at date,				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 396

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of October 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	246	538			246	538
No. II.	162	291			162	291
TOTAL	408	829			408	829

Comparative No. last year, 771

Cost, £32:12:2

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 30th day of October 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter Fpeuche Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. John Redmond, Nich Roche, Wm Coghlan RM R JP, James Furlong, Patrick Chandler, Jas Kehoe, Bernard H Roche J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3238 *to No.* 3253 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 - - - - - £ 269 : 14 : 5

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 267 : 14 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 1765 : 13 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, the Arrears 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	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.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	2147	18	1	522	.	.	1625	18	1	Sept. 188
Patrick Keating	3032	11	10	.	.	.	3032	11	10	Do.
James Murphy	1743	8	9	68	9	5	1543	8	9	Do.
Nicholas Moore	2163	13	6	570	9	5	2095	4	1	Do.
Total,	8887	12	2	590	9	5	8297	2	9	

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford	200	.	.	1625	.	.
	Total	200			1625	18	1
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan						
	Ardcolm						
	Artramont						
	Drinagh						
	Killinick						
	Kilpatrick						
	Kilscoran						
	Lady's Island						
	Mayglass						
	Rathaspeck						
	Rosslare						
	St. Helen's						
	Tacumshane						
	Total						
James Murphy	Aughwilliam						
	Ballymitty						
	Carrig						
	Forth						
	Glynn						
	Harperstown						
	Kilbride						
	Killurin						
	Taghmon						
	Whitechurch						
	Total						
Nicholas Moore	Bannow	9	7	9	383	17	4
	Bridgetown	5	16	5	190	3	5
	Duncormack	4	11	6	244	.	8
	Harristown	6	6	3	126	19	9
	Kilcowan	35	5	4	181	5	9
	Killag	.	.	.	189	10	9
	Kilmore	3	19	2	466	6	7
	Newcastle	.	.	.	104	19	10
	Tomhaggard	3	3	.	208	.	.
	Total	68	9	5	2095	4	1
	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 £ 11 : 15 : 6 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	38	19	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	52	7	4
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

412 3/4	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,
2	Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,
9	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,
	Ton of Oatmeal,		Bottles Gin,
30	Gallons Buttermilk,	54	Dozs. of Eggs,
430	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,	1/2 lb Butter.	

4 lbs Sise
1 brl oats
3 Sheets Corrugated Roofing
2 lbs Tobacco
2 Gall. Boiled oil.
1 Gall. Turpentine
12 lbs Black Lead
2 lbs Twine

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd *day of* October 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	24	5	10
In Kind,		9	6
Total,	£ 34	15	4

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
31	No. I.	Murphy	18	.	.				
32	No. II.	Dillon	16	.	.				
	TOTAL,		34	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
33	Rourke	Meat	9	11	2
34	Underwood	Cottages	30	.	.
35	Ryan	Calico	26	5	.
36	Walsh	Straw	4	3	.
37	Redmond	Slating	5	.	.
38	O'Connor	Voters List	5	.	.
			177	14	7

	£	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Beggan~~ Ryan 12 ; Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Lodged $ 9/- received from New York for maintenance of Thomas Burke. $ 15/- for road gravel Mr. P. Hayes. $ 1/- for road gravel Mr N. Bailey.

Sheeting Calico, Linen, Ticken and Brushes to be examined by Committee.

The Committee appointed were Messrs. Furlong Kehoe, and Roche and reported they were all equal to samples.

The Medical Officer reported :- I beg to call the attention of the Board to the fact, that the chimney of the Fever Hospital (next Summerhill) does not draw.

Ordered :- That the Master see to the matter as soon as possible.

The Agriculturist reported that he found it impossible to get a threshing machine and that the corn might be loosing. He suggested having it threshed in the Day Room as there were ablebodied men enough in the house to thresh it.

Ordered :— That Mr Colfer's machine be applied for and that the matter be reported again on next Saturday.

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

No 202. M. 29th October 1886. Enclosing Copies of Some suggestions of Mr Charles Whitehead F.L.S. F.E.S. for dealing with the Hessian Fly. which, it has been represented has made its appearance in England.

Ordered:— That Copies of the Suggestions be handed to the press with a view to its Publication to enable parties interested to see the best means for its destruction

the Board will be prepared to Sanction it.

Ordered:— That we vote a further sum of £5 7. to the Clerk to enable him to grant remuneration to the Rate Collectors for their services under the Parliamentary Voters acts as above.

Tenders Accepted:— Flour. Mr Howard Rowe at £1.1.7 per bag of 16 St. Oatmeal. Mr R. H. Learoid @ £11.0.0 per ton. Indian Meal - Sarah Godkin &Co. at £6:5:0 per ton.

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

No 45, 654. 29th October 1886. Addressed to the Presiding Chairman and Approving of the resolution allowing £80. to the Clerk of the Union for his Services under the Parliamentary Voters Act. and Sanctioning payment thereof.

And Stating that the following Sums were allowed the Rate Collectors under the Registration Act 1885:—

Collector	O'connor	21
"	Keating	17
"	Moore	12
"	Murphy	7
	£	57

And further adding that if the Guardians desire to vote the further Sum of £57. to the Clerk of the Union to enable him to grant the Poor Rate Collectors the amounts above set forth and remuneration for their services under the Parliamentary Voters Acts during 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... 16

Ditto disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 27

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 1

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 0

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 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 Election in every year.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of ~~Guardians~~ at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 30th day of October 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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

*Read Letter from*_____ *dated*

stating that

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

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

Bannow — 13 Cases
Bridgetown — 119 "
Wexford — 10 "

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
Taghmon	Dr Piggott	A stopped Sewer at the rere of Philip Chapmans House.	
	Ordered —	That a notice be served on the Landlord and occupier to abate the nuisances.	

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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Wexford Union.

Labourers (Ireland) Acts

No. 14.948. & 215. M. 28 October 1886. From the Local Government Board and requesting the Clerk to furnish them with a complete List of the names and addresses of the Owners reputed Owners, Lessees, or Reputed Lessees and Occupiers served by the ~~Sanitary~~ Authority with Notices in pursuance of Section 7 of the Act of 1883. who have dissented or who have not replied

The Clerk stated that he supplied the information by return of Post.

From the Office of Public Works :- 27th October 1886. Stating that her Majestys Treasury had been pleased to authorize the Board of Works to make an advance under the Labourers (Ireland) acts, a Sum of £3728. to be repaid in 50 Years at 3¾ per cent. And will be issued in instalments. Also asking a Sum of £18/9ᵈ to meet expenses

Ordered :- That the amount (£18/9ᵈ) be lodged to the credit of the Board of Works forthwith.

A Receivable Order. From Board of Works № 58 &c. dated 30th October, a Sum of £232:2:0 for repayment of Loans under the Labourers Acts

Ordered - That a cheque be sent when the Supplemental Loans are received -

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Edmund Hore.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 6th day of November 1886

Signed James Comyn

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Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of Nov - 1886

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	431	367
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	9
Fever Sheds		
Total,	518	376

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	6	3	132	135	19	11	19	11	33	369
Admitted during the Week.	8	2	7	6	4	2	1	.	2	32
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	14	5	139	141	23	13	20	11	35	401
Discharged during the Week,	6	2	3	3	3	2	3	.	1	23
Died,	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	2	4	4	3	2	3	.	1	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	8	3	135	137	20	11	17	11	34	376

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	162	In separate Wards, 12
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates, 11
TOTAL,	171	TOTAL, 23

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week,	8	2	2	12
No. in Workhouse at date,				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 398

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of November 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	246	539			246	539
No. II.	165	268			165	268
TOTAL	411	807			411	807

Comparative No. last year, 774

Cost, £81:3:11

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 6th day of November 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Edmund Hore Esq J.P. Subsq^t John Barry Esq

Other Guardians :— Messrs.

John Reek, Nicholas Hastings, John Redmond,
Patrick Chandler, Michael Sinnott, Nicholas Codd,
Thomas Rowe, John Barry, James Nichol

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3266 *to No.* 3297 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 92 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week £ 1171 : 14 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account Guest *the Guardians was* £ 1851 : 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.

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

RATE RETURNS

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...	92	0	0			
	Total	92	0	0			
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...						
	Ardcolm ...						
	Artramont						
	Drinagh ...						
	Killinick ...						
	Kilpatrick ...						
	Kilscoran ...						
	Lady's Island						
	Mayglass ...						
	Rathaspeck						
	Rosslare ...						
	St. Helen's						
	Tacumshane						
	Total						
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam						
	Ballymitty						
	Carrig ...						
	Forth ...						
	Glynn ...						
	Harperstown						
	Kilbride ...						
	Killurin ...						
	Taghmon ...						
	Whitechurch						
	Total						
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...						
	Bridgetown						
	Duncormack						
	Harristown						
	Kilcowan ...						
	Killag ...						
	Kilmore ...						
	Newcastle ...						
	Tomhaggard						
	Total						
	TOTAL						

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor										Sept. 188
Patrick Keating										Do.
James Murphy ...										Do.
Nicholas Moore										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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(29) £ 5 : 8 : 10 *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to was produced and passed.*

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	41	2	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	57	11	1
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	0
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

420½	lbs. of Meat,		lbs. of Irish Bacon,	4 lb of Copperas
2	Ox Heads,		Doz. of Wine,	1 Tar Brush
10	Bags of Flour,		Barrels of Porter,	100 Yds of Frieze
	Ton of Indian Meal,		Bottles of Brandy,	1 Fender & Fire Irons
½	Ton of Oatmeal,	6	Bottles Gin,	1000 6d Nails
30	Gallons Buttermilk,	53	Dozs. of Eggs,	1000 8d Nails
440	Gallons Newmilk,	10	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1 Pair Hinges
	Cwt. of Salt,	2	Gallons of Barm,	4 doz pieces Wide tape
	Chests of Tea,		Ton of Soap,	½ Cwt Brass
	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,			½ lb Butter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20th day of October 188 6 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	32	6	10
In Kind,		8	6
Total,	32	15	4

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
40 No. I.	Murphy	18	.	.				
4 No. II.	Dillon	16	.	.				
TOTAL,		34	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
42	Rourke	Meat	9	14	8
43	Bent	Rent	13	14	6
44	Cooper & Co	Lime	4	19	2
45	Cosgrave	Flour	40	19	2
46	Maddock	Meat	16	13	8
47	Ryan	"	10	11	.
48	Malone	"	4	14	5
49	Rossiter	Eggs	12	19	.
50	Doyle	Leather	33	17	.
51	Hynes	Thread	2	11	10
52	Coghlan	Calico	20	16	8
53	Joyce	"	32	13	7
54	Connick	Flannell	18	9	4
55	Williams	Salary	2	10	.
56	Codd	Brushes &c	3	19	11
57	Sheridan	Salary & Vacc.	11	12	9
58	Ryan	Linsey	5	16	8
			286	9	3

	£	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 cases:—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:—

Cream per centage:—Mr. ~~Doggan~~, Ryan; Mr. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ;

Mr. Maddock, ; Mr. Malone, .

All made over ten per cent.

John Byrne aged 8. Joseph Bolger aged 10. and Thomas Connors aged 13. are in the Healthy Department of the House – the mothers live outside.

Ordered – That in the case of Byrne the Medical Officer be consulted, and that notices be served on the mothers of Bolger and Connors.

I sent an Inmate named Eliza Murphy as assist. Nurse to the Fever Hospital on the 4th Instant. nine patients being admitted during the week.

Ordered – Approved.

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

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

No. 46, 697. 5th November 1886. Expressing their Sanction to the payment of a sum of £57. to the clerk of the Union to enable him to remunerate the Poor Rate Collectors of the Union for their services under the Parliamentary Voters Acts during the present year.

Tenders Accepted – Wm. W. A. Ennis for cement @ s14/3d per bag and flooring at prices named in Tender.

Mr. Jasper W. Walsh for all other kinds of timber for Slates and Pipes at prices mentioned in Tender

Resolved – That while congratulating our Treasurer Mr. M. Devlin on his promotion to the management of the National Bank at Waterford, we cannot allow him to sever his connection with our Board, without expressing our appreciation of the courtesy and great business capacity [illegible]

displayed as our Treasurer, and our regret at his official severance from this Board

Resolved – That we heartily congratulate Messrs Sexton and McCarthy M.P.s. on their magnificent triumphs in Belfast and Derry, and although we have no sympathy with persons who are guilty of personation, we cannot but compare the manner in which the miserable law breakers in Belfast have been treated with that in which the bribers and intimidators in Derry have been let off.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	20
Ditto disallowed	
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	32
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year)

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WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 6th day of November 188 6

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

That the medicines be procured from the Contractors.

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 of Management met on the 2nd Instant. Present Rev. John Alex^r (chairman) Dr Cardiff and messrs Harper J. Lead, J. Stafford, N. Stafford, Keating, W. Stafford Parle, James Codd, French, Barry, Furlong Hore, Rossiter, J. Stafford, Busher & Browne.

Resolved- That Dr. P. J. Sheridan be elected Medical Officer of Bridgetown Dispensary District at a Salary of £100. per annum with £15. per annum as Medical Officer of Workhouse. It was ordered that the bill

~~*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, £* _____

of the Proprietors of the Wexford Constitution newspaper for advertising be paid.

Guardians Order – That the Guardians gave no directions to have advertisements inserted in the Constitution, and that the Secretary be asked how such an advertisement came to be inserted

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 *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* _____ 188

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

_____ *District* - - - £

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

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

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

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

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

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

~~*Read Letter from* dated~~

~~*stating that*~~

No. 45,459. 4 Nov. '86. Extending to the 1st April. 1887. the operation of the General Order (18 July 1886.) Relating to the importation of rags from Italy.

No. 45,458. 4 Nov. '86. An order containing Rules and Regulations with reference to ships having on board Bales of rags exported from Austria Hungary and consigned to this country

Ordered – That the Medical Officer of Health be supplied with a copy of the rules with instructions to have them strictly carried out should occasion arise.

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

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

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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Wexford Union

Labourers (Ireland) Acts

To

From the Office of Public Works 2nd Nov. '86. Enclosing thirty Draft Deeds of Mortgage to be submitted for the approval of the Board.

Ordered - There are one or two clerical errors to which attention is to be called and that otherwise the Guardians approve of the Deeds - which are to be returned.

Clerk of Works Report :- Of the ten houses now being built, 5 are nearly finished, 3, are Considerably advanced, and 2, have not yet been commenced.

Ordered - The Guardians will thank the Local Government Board to state when the Local Inquiry into the scheme, (the Petition for Provisional Order of which was transmitted to the Local Government Board on the 10th of last August) will be held.

Nicl Lennott

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 13th day of November 1886

Signed, J. O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of November 1886

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	231	386
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse		
Permanent Fever Hospital	87	11
Other Sheds		
Total	318	397

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	8	3	135	137	20	11	17	11	34	376
Admitted during the Week,	10	2	10	12	1	2	4	3	1	45
Born									1	1
TOTAL	18	5	145	149	21	13	21	14	36	422
Discharged during the Week,	12	4	4	2	0	.	1	1	.	24
Died,	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	12	4	5	2	.	.	1	1	.	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	6	1	140	147	21	13	20	13	36	397

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	11	In separate Wards,	23
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other Inmates,	-
TOTAL	182	TOTAL	23

OBSERVATIONS.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	9	2	0	11
No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-	0

No. at corresponding period last year, 394

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 13th day of Nov^r 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	246	539			246	539
No. II.	165	268			165	268
TOTAL	411	807			411	807

Comparative No. last year, 764

Cost, £32 3: 8

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 13th day of November 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Michael Lennott Esq. & afterwards Nich^s Roche Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians :— Messrs :-

John Codd	Wm. Coghlan R.R.S.I.	James Kehoe
James Murphy	Denis Reck	Laurence Byrne
John Redmond	Patrick Chandler	Nich^s Roche
John Fortune	James Daly	

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3298 to No. 3343 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 . . . . . £ 259 : 6 : 0

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 224 : 8 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1816 : 10 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, duly accurately cast and 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...	109	.	.	424	13	8
	Total						
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...	18			174	3	1
	Ardcolm ...	.			175	8	2
	Artramont ...	1			191	8	8
	Drinagh ...	11			189	11	4
	Killinick ...	.			363	8	4
	Kilpatrick ...	11			143	16	4
	Kilscoran ...				273	14	5
	Lady's Island ...				276	1	10
	Mayglass ...				183	11	8
	Rathaspeck ...				323	1	5
	Rosslare ...				180	6	9
	St. Helen's ...				198	5	.
	Tacumshane ...				283	11	9
	Total	41	.	.	2989	19	3
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam ...				116	2	6
	Ballymitty ...				197	5	4
	Carrig				146	13	9
	Forth				115	18	4
	Glynn				93	15	4
	Harperstown ...				144	13	2
	Kilbride				96	10	5
	Killurin				137	12	1
	Taghmon				388	2	9
	Whitechurch ...				106	14	10
	Total				1543	8	9
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow	13	17	.	370	.	4
	Bridgetown ...				190	3	5
	Duncormack ...	35	3	11	208	16	9
	Harristown ...				126	19	9
	Kilcowan				181	5	9
	Killag				189	10	9
	Kilmore	53	6	5	409	.	2
	Newcastle				102	19	10
	Tomhaggard ...	2	18	8	205	1	4
	Total	109	6	.	1985	18	1
	TOTAL ...	259	6	.	7943	19	9

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector	188
Michael J. O'Connor	1424	13	8	753	4	5	2147	18	1	Sept.	...
Patrick Keating	2989	18	3	42	12	7	3032	11	10	Do.	...
James Murphy ...	1543	8	9	177	15	5	1743	8	9	Do.	...
Nicholas Moore	1985	18	1	170	13	5	2163	13	6	Do.	...
	7943	19	9	943	12	5	8887	12	2	Total,	

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3298 *to No.* 3343 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 - - - - - £ 259 : 6 : 0

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 224 : 8 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 1816 : 10 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and the Accounts therein 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 each Week £ s. d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Sept. 188	2147 18 1	733 4 5	1424 13 8
Patrick Keating	Do.	2032 11 10	42 12 7	1989 18 3
James Murphy	Do.	1543 8 9	177 15 5	1365 8 9
Nicholas Moore	Do.	2163 13 6	177 15 5	1985 18 1
	TOTAL,	8887 12 2	943 12 5	7763 19 9

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.
Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford	109 - -	424 13 8
	TOTAL	109 - -	424 13 8
Patrick Keating	Ardcavan	18 - -	174 3 1
	Ardcolm	- - -	175 8 2
	Artramont	1 - -	191 8 8
	Drinagh	11 - -	189 11 4
	Killinick	- - -	363 8 4
	Kilpatrick	11 - -	143 16 4
	Kilscoran		273 14 5
	Lady's Island		276 1 10
	Mayglass		183 11 8
	Rathaspeck		323 1 5
	Rosslare		180 6 9
	St. Helen's		198 5 -
	Tacumshane		283 11 9
	TOTAL	41 - -	2989 19 3
James Murphy	Aughwilliam		116 2 6
	Ballymitty		197 5 4
	Carrig		146 13 9
	Forth		115 18 4
	Glynn		93 15 4
	Harperstown		144 13 2
	Kilbride		96 10 5
	Killurin		137 12 1
	Taghmon		388 2 9
	Whitechurch		106 4 10
	TOTAL		1543 8 9
Nicholas Moore	Bannow	13 17 -	370 - 4
	Bridgetown		190 3 5
	Duncormack	35 3 11	208 16 9
	Harristown		126 19 9
	Kilcowan		181 5 9
	Killag		189 10 9
	Kilmore	57 6 5	409 - 2
	Newcastle		102 19 10
	Tomhaggard	2 18 8	205 1 4
	TOTAL	109 6 -	1985 18 1
	TOTAL	259 6 -	7943 19 9

The Totals to be entered in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

(59) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 6 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	38	19	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	52	10	5
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
Hall Diet		1	7

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 :—

434 lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	2 lbs of Tobacco
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	4 lbs of Copperas
10 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	4 lbs of Paint
½ Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	1 bbl of oats
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	2 Gross of iron heels
30 Gallons Buttermilk,	53 Dozs. of Eggs,	4 Oz hairs
430 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1,000 Shoe nails
Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	4 lbs Paint
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	200 of 5½ Nails
224 lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	200 of 5½ "
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	200 of 4 "
Cwt. of Rice,	4 lbs. of Blue,	200 of 3 "
lbs. of Ginger,	½ lb Butter Tons of Coal,	
¼ lbs. of Pepper,	14 lbs Malt 1 ℔ 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 6th *day of* November 1886 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	33	5	2
In Kind,		5	0
Total,	£ 33	10	2

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

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

	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
60	No. I.	Murphy	18						
61	No. II.	Dillon	16						
	TOTAL,		34						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely :—

			£	s.	d.
62	Rourke	Meat	10	.	11
63	Parle	Cottages	40	.	.
			90	13	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Bergan~~ Ryan, 14 ; Mr. Cleary, 13 ; Mr. Hayes, 13 ;
Mr. Maddock, 16 ; Mr. Malone, 12½ .

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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...	34
Ditto disallowed	
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	45
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 13th day of November 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

From the Secretary Bridgetown Dispensary Committee explaining (with reference to the bill for advertising in the Wexford Constitution) that he had consulted with the Reverend Mr. Alexander and that they agreed to have the advertisements inserted twice in the Wexford Constitution, and that a large meeting of the Committee approved of the payment of it

Ordered – That the Bill be paid.

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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

From Local Government Board No. 46,938. 11th Nov. 86. Enclosing a copy of a communication which they had sent to the Secretary of the Bridgetown Dispensary Committee, approving of the appointement of Dr Patrick J. Sheridan as Medical Officer of that District at a Salary of £100. per annum, commencing on the 2nd inst.

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

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

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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Wexford Union

Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

From Local Government Board No 37650. 10th Nov '86. Stating that they have instructed their Inspector Mr. E. Bourke to hold a Local Inquiry under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1883. & 1885. at the Board Room Wexford Union at 11 Oclock a.m. on Wednesday the 24th. Inst. and requesting the Sanitary Authority to be prepared to give the necessary evidence at the Inquiry in support of their Petition.

Ordered – That the Executive Sanitary Officer be directed to make every necessary preparation for the Inquiry.

Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of November 1886

Signed, James Hughes Clerk of the Union.

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of Nov. 1886

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	390
Permanent Buildings		
Additional Workhouse	81	10
Permanent Fever Hospital		
Fever Sheds		
Total	812	400

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
	Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	6	1	140	147	21	13	20	13	36	397
Admitted during the Week.	5	2	6	8	.	.	3	4	2	30
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL	11	3	146	155	21	13	23	17	38	427
Discharged during the Week.	6	2	2	6	.	2	2	2	.	22
Died.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	5
Total Discharged and Dead.	6	2	3	10	.	2	2	2	.	27
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	5	1	143	145	21	11	21	15	38	400

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 368	In separate Wards, 23	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 10	In Wards with other Inmates, —	
TOTAL 378	TOTAL, 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	2	3	10
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 401

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of November 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	248	549			248	549
No. II.	164	266			164	266
TOTAL	412	815			412	815

Comparative No. last year, 759

Cost, £32 18 10

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of November 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs James Walsh, Nicholas Codd, Patrick Lambert, Michael Sinnott, Denis Reck, John Codd, Patrick Scallan, John Reck, James Kehoe, James Furlong, Nicholas Harpur, Edmond Hore, John Redmond, Peter Cassin

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3344 *to No.* 3373 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 82 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week £ 149 : 11 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account against *the Guardians was* £ 1884 : 2 : 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	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector	Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor										Sept. 188	Michael J. O'Connor	Wexford ...	82	-	-	1342	13	8
Patrick Keating										Do.		Total ...	82			1342	13	8
James Murphy										Do.	Patrick Keating	Ardcavan ...						
Nicholas Moore										Do.		Ardcolm ...						
										Total,		Artramont						
												Drinagh ...						
												Killinick ...						
												Kilpatrick ...						
												Kilscoran ...						
												Lady's Island						
												Mayglass ...						
												Rathaspeck						
												Rosslare ...						
												St. Helen's						
												Tacumshane						
												Total ...						
											James Murphy	Aughwilliam						
												Ballymitty						
												Carrig ...						
												Forth ...						
												Glynn ...						
												Harperstown						
												Kilbride ...						
												Killurin ...						
												Taghmon ...						
												Whitechurch						
												Total ...						
											Nicholas Moore	Bannow ...						
												Bridgetown						
												Duncormack						
												Harristown						
												Kilcowan ...						
												Killag ...						
												Kilmore ...						
												Newcastle ...						
												Tomhaggard						
												Total ...						
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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.*

(64) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 5 : 15 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	44	7	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	34	11	3
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		9	10
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	9
Hall Diet		1	2

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

441½ lbs. of Meat,	lbs. of Irish Bacon,	1 Box Iron
2 Ox Heads,	4 Doz. of Wine,	2 Stone White Lead
10 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	4 lbs Ochre
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	2 " Umbre
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	4 " Venitian Red
30 Gallons Buttermilk,	54 Dozs. of Eggs,	2 " Patent driers
430 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	1½ doz. Lemonade
1 Cwt. of Salt,	6 Gallons of Barm,	100 Shovel nails
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	1000 8ᵈ nails
lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	1000 6ᵈ nails
lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	14 lbs Sledge hammer
3 Stone Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	2 Stone Hoop Iron.
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,	½ lb Butter 2 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 12th *day of* November 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	32	19	8
In Kind,		11	0
Total,	33	9	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
65 No. I.	Murphy	18	.	.				
66 No. II.	Dillon	16	.	.				
TOTAL,		34	.	.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

		£	s.	d.
64	Rourke Meat	10	4	4
68	Connor Loans	4	11	3
69	Whitty & Morris Ceiling Lab. Act.	13	.	.
70	Murphy Graveyard Stones & Erection	2	10	.
		30	1	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Boggan~~ Ryan 14 ; Mr. Cleary, 13 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ;
Mr. Maddock, 15 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Tweed, Lunsey and Calico to be examined by Committee .

A committee consisting of Messrs — Harpur, Furlong, & Codd reported that the different articles were equal to samples.

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

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

A Resolution from the Dublin Corporation recommending the preserving of the American Mail Service for the Irish route was unanimously adopted.

Wexford Union

Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

From the Local Government Board No 228. M 18th Nov. '86. Drawing the Guardians attention to the fact that the costs of the Provisional Order obtained in April 1885. Amount £25:5:7 had not yet been paid, and pointing out that the Guardians promised to forward a cheque for the amount on the first Saturday in August, and requesting payment without further delay –

Ordered – The Guardians drew a cheque for the amount on the 2nd October but directed that it be held over until the Loan under the Provisional Order referred to should be obtained, and which Loan had been applied for in July last, Although that Loan has not yet been completed we direct that the Cheque be forwarded.

(The Cheque is sent herewith)

Thirty engrossed Deeds of Mortgage were forwarded by the Solicitor of Public Works.

The following resolution was proposed by Mr John Redmond seconded by Mr Edmonde Hore and passed unanimously.

That inasmuch as this Board does not immediately require from the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland the total amount of the sums mentioned in the thirty Deeds of Mortgage to them, this day executed by this Board, but prefer to receive the same by Instalments as as occasion may require, it is resolved that the Requisitions for each advance shall be intimated to said Commissioners by the Chairman of this Board for the time being countersigned by the Clerk of the Union, And that each such Requisition shall be forwarded to the Accountant of the said Commissioners, and that all such advances shall be lodged to our account as Poor Law Guardians of the Wexford Union in the Wexford Branch of the National Bank.

It was moved by Mr John Redmond and seconded by Mr Edmond Hore and passed unanimously.

Resolved – That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of Mortgage of this date now read

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read, whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, for the repayment of sums amounting together to three thousand seven hundred and twenty eight Pounds sterling proposed to be advanced by them to us under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1883.

A Receivable Order from the Office of Public Works in Ireland was received to enable the Guardians to lodge £4:11:3 expenses of Deeds of Mortgage under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts

The following Persons were accepted as Tenants for the Cottages now erected:—

Michael Kerwin	House at	Garrycleary	Kilrammon E.D.
Patrick Kasper	"	Newtown Big	Kilcowan E.D.
John Bolger	"	Corlecan	Killurin ED
Rich Connick	"	Gortnamnoge	Rathaspick Ed
Charles Byrne	"	Ballygillane	St Helens Ed

The rent was fixed at 5/- per week.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	20
Ditto disallowed	10
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	30
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	2
Do. 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	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election to contain)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of November 1886.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

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Peter French

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day of November 1886

Signed, James Glamvill Clerk of the Union

Population in 1881—38,745. Present Net Annual Value, £108,207 11s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of November 1886

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 Male	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.
Workhouse	731	392										
Permanent Buildings												
Additional Workhouse												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	11										
Fever Sheds												
Total	812	403										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	1	143	145	21	11	21	15	38	400
Admitted during the Week,			4	6	5	11	2	3	·	1	1	33
Born			·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL			9	7	148	156	23	14	21	16	39	433
Discharged during the Week,			6	6	5	5	2	1	2	1	·	28
Died,			·	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	6	7	5	2	1	2	1	·	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			3	1	141	151	21	13	19	15	39	403

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS.
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 170; Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11; TOTAL 181	In separate Wards, 23; In Wards with other Inmates, -; TOTAL 23	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	4	6	6	16
No. in Workhouse at date				0

No. at corresponding period last year, 406

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of November 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1.) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of cases relieved.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in Sec. 1.) Number of Persons, including applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons.
No. I.	248	543			248	543
No. II.	166	268			166	268
TOTAL	414	811			414	811

Comparative No. last year, 733

Cost, £31 : 7 : 0

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of November 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Peter French Esqr.

Other Guardians:— Messrs— Thomas Rowe, Nichs Harpur, James Kehoe, Michael Sinnott, John Redmond, Barth Brennan, Patrick Chandler, Nichs Sinnott, Andrew Cullen, Wm Coghlan J.P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3374 *to No.* 3406 *both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.*

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

The Clerk's Report on the execution of 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 £ 335 : 13 : 0

Paid during the week £ 95 : 6 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 1643 : 16 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

RATE RETURNS

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged £	s.	d.	Remaining £	s.	d.
Michael J. O'Connor...	Wexford ...	100			223	14	10
	Total ...	100			323	14	10
Patrick Keating ...	Ardcavan ...	4			173	0	10
	Ardcolm ...				175	8	2
	Artramont	6			185	16	4
	Drinagh ...	6			184	2	7
	Killinick ...	17			346	6	11
	Kilpatrick...	10			163	9	3
	Kilscoran ...				273	14	5
	Lady's Island	29			246	8	9
	Mayglass ...				183	11	8
	Rathaspeck	20			302	8	11
	Rosslare ...				180	16	9
	St. Helen's				198	5	.
	Tacumshane	1			282	10	4
	Total ...	93	.	.	2895	19	11
James Murphy ...	Aughwilliam				116	2	6
	Ballymitty				197	5	4
	Carrig ...				146	13	9
	Forth ...				115	18	7
	Glynn ...				93	15	4
	Harperstown				144	13	2
	Kilbride ...				96	10	5
	Killurin ...				137	12	1
	Taghmon ...				388	2	9
	Whitechurch				106	14	10
	Total ...				1543	8	9
Nicholas Moore ...	Bannow ...	31	1	7	338	18	9
	Bridgetown	5	13	3	184	10	2
	Duncormack				208	16	9
	Harristown	9	14	6	117	5	3
	Kilcowan ...				181	5	9
	Killag ...				189	10	9
	Kilmore ...	36	17	.	372	3	2
	Newcastle ...				104	19	10
	Tomhaggard	35	.	8	170	.	8
	Total ...	118	7	.	1867	11	1
	TOTAL ...	311	7	.	7630	14	7

Name of each Collector	Amount of Rate Uncollected at close each Week £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate Collected £	s.	d.	Total Amount of Rate to be Collected, as per Rate Book £	s.	d.	Date on which the Warrant for Collection was given to the Collector
Michael J. O'Connor	1323	14	10	804	3	3	947	18	1	Sept. 188
Patrick Keating	2895	19	11	136	11	11	3032	11	10	Do.
James Murphy ...	1573	8	9	296	2	8	1873	8	9	Do.
Nicholas Moore	1867	11	1	296	2	8	2163	13	6	Do.
	7630	14	7	1256	19	7	8887	12	2	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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(71) *The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to* £ 5 : 2 : 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.*

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was — *Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.*	47	16	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was — *Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.*	54	3	3
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	9
Hall Diet		1	7

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:—

433 lbs. of Meat,	4 lbs. of Irish Bacon,	1 Pair Locks
2 Ox Heads,	Doz. of Wine,	1 pair of Hinges
10 Bags of Flour,	Barrels of Porter,	2 lbs of Tobacco
Ton of Indian Meal,	Bottles of Brandy,	4 lbs of Snuff
Ton of Oatmeal,	Bottles Gin,	1 Jar of Burnovick Black
30 Gallons Buttermilk,	55 Dozs. of Eggs,	200 of Bricks
440 Gallons Newmilk,	lbs. of Dipt Candles,	2 Galls of Colza Oil
2 Cwt. of Salt,	2 Gallons of Barm,	12 lbs of Scale Candles
Chests of Tea,	Ton of Soap,	1 Doz Shoe brushes
lbs. of Sugar,	Cwt. of Soda,	12 Paint brushes
28 lbs. of Lump Sugar,	lbs. of Starch,	
Cwt. of Rice,	lbs. of Blue,	
lbs. of Ginger,	Tons of Coal,	
lbs. of Pepper,	½ lb Butter 14 lbs Malt 1 lb 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 20th *day of* November 188 6 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

In Money,	£	33	15 d. 6
In Kind,		14	0
Total,	£	47	15 6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £	s.	d.	By Order on Contractors — Article and Quantity	Value £	s.	d.
72	No. I. Murphy	18						
73	No. II. Dillon	17						
	TOTAL,	35						

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

			£	s.	d.
74	Rourke	Meat	10	.	5
75	Cowman	Wine	4	16	.
76	Ryan	Grocery	27	10	.
		Total	82	8	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 cases :—

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :—

Cream per centage :—Mr. ~~Boggan~~ Ryan 13 ; Mr. Cleary, 11 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ;
Mr. Maddock, 14 ; Mr. Malone, 12 .

Lodged £1. for part payment of Anne Fortune
" 6s. Shillings for a Coffin both Union Charges

I will want to buy four Store Pigs on the fair of 3rd proxcimo.
Ordered - To be bought.

Frieze to be examined by Committee.
Messrs - Sinnott, Cullen, & Kehoe were appointed and reported that the Frieze was not equal to Samples.
Ordered - That the Contractor be requested to supply an article equal to Sample.

The Schoolmaster has been absent from the 22nd. to the 27th inst. he left to bury his daughter.
Ordered - Approved of.

Medical Officers Report :- I have to suggest to the Board the advisability of having William Codd of Idiot Department removed as soon as possible to the Asylum.
This boy has recently shown symptoms of becoming dangerous, Yesterday he knocked down an old man and kicked him injuring him seriously and also struck another inmate a severe blow across the face. He has on some other occasions exhibited similar attempts at violence.
27th Nov. 1886. M. J. Sheridan M.D.

Ordered - That the necessary forms be prepared and that the man be sent to the Lunatic Asylum with the least possible delay.

The following articles were condemned and ordered to be destroyed viz. clothing Shell Viz. 40 Blankets =

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

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

Tender Accepted :— Wm Gabriel Hanton
for seven pigs £24 : 0 : 0

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Wexford Union

Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

From Local Government Board No 49. 704. 24th Nov. 1886. Acknowledging the receipt of a cheque for £25.5.7 Amount of Costs due in connection with a Provisional Order obtained by the Guardians in April 1885. under the Labourers Acts.

Tender accepted - John Devereux as Tenant for House at Castlebridge, Ardcavan E.D. at a weekly rent of one shilling.

The Executive Sanitary Officer reported that Mr E. Bourke Local Government Board Inspector held an Inquiry under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts on Wednesday and Thursday last.

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	33
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	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 Election in every year).

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WEXFORD UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of November 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

No business transacted under these Acts.

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:—

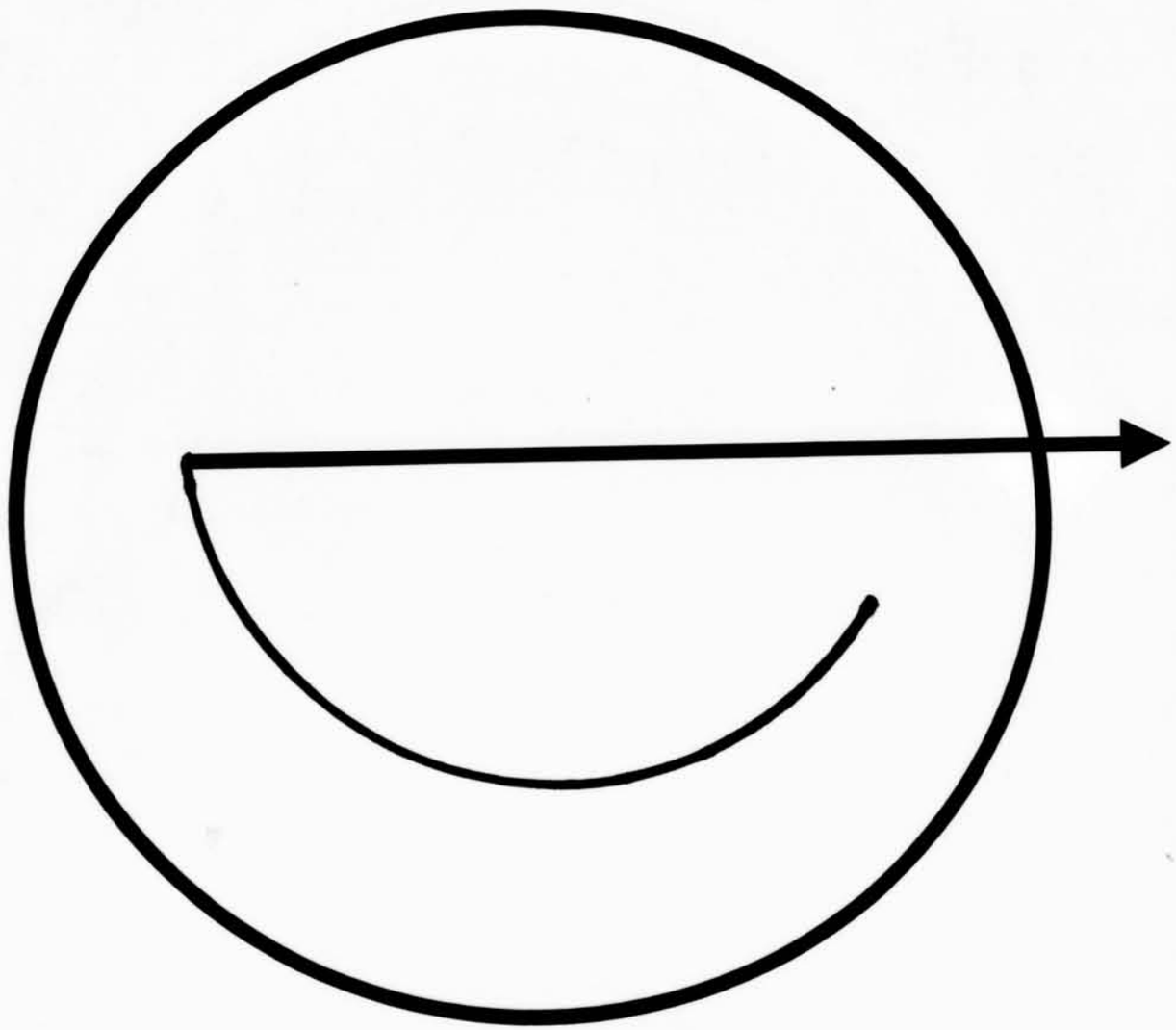
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Nicholas Roche

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 4th day of December 1886

Signed, James Flannery

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