

Board of Guardians minute book
Wexford Union

WX/BG 162/1/82

31 December 1887 – 23 June 1888

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of December 1887

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on each date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
				Males	Fem.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse.	731416	731416	Able-bodied.								
Perman. Buildings.											
Additional Workhouse.											
Permanent Fever Hospital.	812	812									
Free Sheds.											
TOTAL.	812418	812418									
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	17	4	136	153	28	17	26	11	31	423	
Admitted during the week.	18	9	8	8	3	3	3	3	-	55	
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0	
TOTAL.	35	13	144	161	31	20	29	14	31	478	
Discharged during the week.	19	7	10	8	2	3	5	5	.	59	
Died	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	
Total Discharged and Dead.	19	7	10	8	2	3	6	5	.	60	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	6	134	153	29	17	23	9	31	418	No. at corresponding period last year 411.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 31st day of December 1887 / authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1, under 10 Vie. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Cases.	Persons.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	Number of Persons, including Apparient and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Apparient and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.			
No. I.	265	511					265 511
No. II.	176	283					176 283
TOTAL.	441	794					441 794

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 31st day of December 1887

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Simott Esq.
Other Guardians:

Patrick Scallan	Messrs.—	Patrick Chandler
Bartha Brennan	James Kehoe	James Kehoe
Nichs. Roche	Chas H. Beauchamps J.P.	John E. Barry J.P.
Denis Reek	Nichs. Simott	Peter Cassin
Wm Coghlan J.P.	Nichs. Codd	John Redmond
James Daly	Patk Codd	Andrew Denvereux
Thos. Kehoe	Patk Lambert	Bernard H. Roche J.P.
	James Cullen	James Keating

Patrick
O'Driscoll

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 53 to No. 590 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Judgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as following.

RATE RETURNS.

Name of each Collector.	Date on which the War Rate 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 of Week.	Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£	s.	d.			£	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,.....	Sept. 188				MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford, -		
PATRICK KEATING,.....	do,					TOTAL, -		
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH,.....	do,				PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan		
NICHOLAS MOORE,.....	do,					Adelcam,		
						Artemont,		
						Drenagh,		
						Killinick,		
						Kilpatrick,		
						Kilscuran,		
						Lady's Island,		
						Magglass,		
						Rathaspeck,		
						Rosslare,		
						St. Helen's,		
						Tawnishane,		
						TOTAL, -		
					NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilium,		
						Ballymitty,		
						Carraig,		
						Forth,		
						Glynn,		
						Harperstown,		
						Kilbride,		
						Killurie,		
						Taghmon,		
						Whitechurch,		
						TOTAL, -		
					NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,		
						Bridgetown,		
						Duncormack,		
						Harristown,		
						Kilesvan,		
						Killag,		
						Kilmore,		
						Newcastle,		
						Tomhaggard,		
						TOTAL, -		
						TOTAL, -		

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 £ 61 : 14 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £165 : 11 : 8
The Book was signed by the Chairman £151 : 10 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy being here
attested and authentication given.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of his Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 10 : 9 : 8 was produced and passed.

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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.

2. The Provision Check Accounts.

3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 53 s. 15 d. 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 50 : 13 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

2 : 4

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

3 : 8

Average cost in Infirmary, ...

5 : 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...

1 : 7

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:-

50 5 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

9 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

40 Gallons Buttermilk,

450 Gallons Newmilk,

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,

500 6^d Nails

1 Barrel of Porter,

500 8^d "

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

51 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

3 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

30 lbs Butter

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.

2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of December 1887 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	36	2	6
In Kind,	7	0	
Total	$\text{£ } 36$	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, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:-

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
				Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
157	I.	MURPHY.	20.0.0		
158	II.	DILLON.	17.0.0		
		Total,			37.0.0

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
159 Rourke Meat	10	13	8
160 Almonor Coal	13	8	4
161 Barry Insurance	6	7	6
162 Ryan Valuing Clerk of Works	30	-	
	$\text{£ } 107$	19	2

F.	s.	d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this 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. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, ;
Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

All made over ten per cent.

*A supply of whisky will soon be required.
Ordered — 30 galls to be advertised for in
the usual manner.*

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

From Veterinary Department. 29 Dec. '87.
Stating that a sum of £ 44 : 14 : 0 had been lodged to the credit of the Union—
being half the amount of payments made under the Cattle Diseases acts, from March 1886 to March 1887.

if, under the circumstances mentioned, the Enniscorthy Board of Guardians acted legally in the matter, and would this Board be likely to recover the cost of maintenance of the child in a court of law.

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

No 52,406. 30 Dec. 1887. Enclosing a notice in pursuance of the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act 1875¹ requiring the Guardians to state, within forty days, if they are willing to become a Contributory Union, within the meaning of the Act. The probable amount, which would be required, is not expected to exceed £ 572.

Ordered—The Guardians are not willing to make the Union a Contributory Union.

Resolved—Referring to a statement relating to the admission of an illegitimate child recorded in Minutes of 10th December page 8, the Guardians respectfully ask the Local Government Board to state

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

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Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 31st day of December 1887
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Michael Simmott Esq,

Other Guardians:—Messrs:—Chandler, Scallan, Kehal (Moortown), Kehal (Brog), Brennan, Peacocke J. P., Barry J. P., Roche, N. Simmott, Caesir, Reek, N. Codd, Redmond, Coghlan, P. Codd, Dennergurk, Daly, Lambert, Kelle 2. P. Thos. Kehal, Cullen and Keating.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	... ...	15
Ditto, disallowed	... ...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	... ...	40
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	... ...	0
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	... ...	1
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	... ...	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	... ..	0

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (thus on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year). (3)

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

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

day of

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Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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 26 Dec 87. Present—Rev J. Alexander and Mr. H. Browne. Doctor's Report:—I have met with one case of Scarletina in Rattangan and two cases of Measles in Murintown. The condition of the district during last month is healthy, no disease of an infecting nature prevalent, excepting Measles and Whooping-Cough and these are on the decline. The Sanitary condition of the district is fairly good.

Bills recommended for payment:—
Coal £ 0 : 19 : 6. Repairs £ 2 : 5 : 0.

Ordered—Bills to be paid.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 591 to No. 692 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.
		£	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	112	.	878 15 6
	TOTAL,	112	.	878 15 6
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcahan	3	176 8 9	
	Ardcolm,	4	157 9 9	
	Artramont,		163 17	
	Dringagh,		148 9 1	
	Killinick,	7	237 6 8	
	Kilpatrick,	4	110 1 11	
	Kilsoran,	39	154 11 3	
	Lady's Island,		226 11 1	
	Mayglass,	18	152 7 10	
	Rathaspeck,	29	228 15 11	
	Rosslare,	8	135 5 8	
	St. Helen's,		124 15 3	
	Tacumshane,	5	151 8	
	TOTAL,	117	.	2173 8 2
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,	5	99 2 4	
	Ballymitty,	3	155 18 6	
	Carrig,	17	14 8 102 6 3	
	Forth,		103 1	
	Glynn,		84 8 4	
	Harperstown,	1	13 10 144 7 1	
	Kilbride,		87 16 6	
	Killurin,		122 7 8	
	Taghman,	16	14 7 218 7 8	
	Whitechurch,		102 1 8	
	TOTAL,	39	16 5 1217 16	
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Banow,	16	13 8 219 8 11	
	Bridgetown,	8	3 3 169 4 7	
	Duncormack,	25	3 1 192 9 11	
	Harristown,	3	1 10 124 19 2	
	Kilcoyan,	2	3 10 90 16 3	
	Killag,	3	19 8 177 3 6	
	Kilmore,	39	19 9 267 4 4	
	Newcastle,		50 6 8	
	Tomhaggard,	8	3 3 109 14 1	
	TOTAL,	107	8 4 1399 4 5	
	TOTAL.....	396	4 9 8669 9 1	

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, £376.4.9

Paid during the week, £119.2.2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £409.13.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 weekly Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 7 : 19 : 5 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 4 5 s. 19 d. 4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 58 : 3 : 6

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 : 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:-

4 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

1/2 Ton of Oatmeal,

4 5 Gallons Buttermilk,

4 5 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

53 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

3 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

1 lb Hops

3 lbs Tobacco

2 doz Knives & forks

4 lbs Turnips

300 3 d Buttons

300 4 d "

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	Article and quantity £ s. d.
164	No. I. MURPHY.	20 -	
165	No. II. DILLON.	14 -	
	Total, ...	£ 37 -	

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	8	15	7
Maddock	13	6	5
Malone	10	15	1
Ryan	8	19	1
Claary	8	15	.
Hayes	11	11	11
Byrne	6	10	4
Casgrain	2	16	3
Rowe	52	1	8
Sims th	21	16	1
Pierce	25	1	6
Williams	2	10	.
O'Connor	50	.	.
Hughes	5	9	4
	Total - £	273	7 8

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 31st day of December 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	36 : 5 : 6
In Kind,	... ...	10 : 0
Total	... ...	£ 36 : 15 : 6

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

£	s.	d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination will read—(this 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. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, ;
Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan, .

All made over ten per cent.

I had the pleasure of giving Mr Peacock his treat to the children last evening, for which I have to thank him sincerely, on the part of the children.

Proposed by Mr ~~Fedcock~~ Coghlan J.P., seconded by Captain Chandler, and passed unanimously.

That the best thanks of this Board are due and hereby given to Chas. H. Peacocke Esq^{rs}. for his continued kindly thoughtful annual gift to the children of our Workhouse.

Mr. Peacocke returned thanks.

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

that we are of opinion that the reductions given are wholly inadequate to meet the state of the country. We feel that the County of Wexford is particularly badly treated — no reduction being allowed for year 1885.

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

No 272. 6 January '88. Relating to the admission of the child Stanton to this workhouse and stating that they had forwarded a copy of the Minutes of 10th Ult. to the Board of Guardians of the Enniscorthy Union for their observations

Mr. Roche's Notice of Motion, relative to the Wexford Electoral Division was postponed, (owing to an informality in the circular calling the meeting), to the 21st inst.

A circular from the Irish Land Commission together with two copies of a schedule showing temporary alterations made in judicial rents

Proposed by Mr. P. Codd, "seconded by Mr. Michael Simott and passed unanimously."

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

Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians.

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

That the medicines be procured from the Contractors

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	...	...	38
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	42
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of January 1888

14th

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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

Read Letter from
stating that

Labourer's (Ireland) Acts.

From the Local Government Board No 32. 6. Jan. '88
Forwarding extracts from the report of their Engineering Inspector, Mr Deane, relating to the cottages in course of erection, and stating that they will ~~see~~ recommend the Board of Works to issue the Guardians a sum of £580 which will make up £100 per house in respect of the 49 houses proceeded with.

Extract from Mr Deane's Report.

of the 120 houses under the order 49 sites have been acquired - 47 are completed and 2 in progress.

The works have been carried out in strict accordance with the plan and specification, under the careful supervision of Mr Ryan, Clerk of Works appointed by the Board of Guardians. There are complaints from several of the occupiers in reference to Chimneys not drawing the smoke properly. This defect might possibly be remedied by erecting a partition at the ~~end~~ side of the hearth opposite to screen wall of porch.

Ordered - That the experiment suggested by Mr Deane be tried in a few cases. That application be made therewith for the £ 1580.

(for Continuation see page 6)

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

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2 cases
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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.

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]

An application to allow a tenant some remuneration for making a fence by the roadside, the effect of which would be to materially increase the plot area of the plot, was refused.

The following tenders for the erection of cottages in the Union were accepted. The work not to commence until the 1st of March '88 and to be completed by the 6th October 1888:-

James Doyle Tullieanna, 26 houses varying from £63:10 to £66:10.

Philip Doyle Bantown 11 houses varying from £66:15 to £79:10.

Nich. Parke Holdtown Hardtown 8 houses varying from £64 to £68:10.

Patrick Morris Mayglass 6 houses varying from £66 to £75

Wm Simott Lady's Island 4 houses varying from £63:10 to £68

James O'Keeffe Mulrankin 4 houses varying from £67:10 to £83:10

William Mc Coughlin Kilrane 2 houses at £57:57 £58:10

Benjamin Underwood Tullieaerl 2 " £66:10 & £69:10

Richard O'Keeffe Bantown 1 house £66:5:0

John Doyle Teneare 1 " £68:0:0

James Simott Randalstown 1 " £66:10:0

James Doyle Toletown 1 " £69:10:0

Fencing:- James Pierse of Ballymacane to fence the plots in Ladys Island, Deanshane & Tomhaggan electoral Divisions at 6:6 per Irish perch.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 14th day of January 1888

Signed,

Mc Coughlin

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of January 1888.

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.	Age'd 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
				Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	731429												
Persons sent Buildings.													
Additional Workhouse.	81	5											
Permanent Fever Hospital.													
Fever Sheds.													
TOTAL.	872434												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	14	6	140	160	29	19	25	13	31	437		Under Medical treatment in Ordinary Wards.	778
Admitted during the week.	7	7	11	10	1	.	1	1	1	39		Wards.	123
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0		Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.	5
TOTAL.	21	13	151	170	30	19	26	14	32	476		Total, 23	
Discharged during the week.	7	5	12	5	1	3	2	2	1	38			
Died.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	4		No. Received during week.	6
Total Discharged and Dead.	7	5	12	9	1	3	2	2	1	42		No. in Workhouse at date.	0
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	14	8	139	161	29	16	24	12	31	434		No. at corresponding period last year	417

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of January 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vie. c. 31, &c.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		Cases.	Persons.	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.			
No. I.	266	512					266 512
No. II.	175	285					175 285
TOTAL.	441	797					441 797

Comparative No. last year 913
Cost, £35.11:8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

14th of January 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Coghlan Esq. J.P. R.R.

Other Guardians: Messrs: Charles H. Peacocke J.P. Patrick Chander. Nicholas Simott. James Kehoe. James McGrath. Denis Reek. Peter French. Patrick Codd. James Codd.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 633 to No. 671 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Lodged £ 27 : 10 : 0, rent of Stonebridge premises, and 8s restitution money, received from Rev. A. Crowe. C. C. Mayglass.

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				878	15	6
	TOTAL,				878	15	6
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan				176	9	9
	Ardcolm,				157	9	9
	Artramont,				163	17	.
	Drinagh,				148	9	1
	Killinick,				237	6	8
	Kilpatrick,				110	1	11
	Kilsoran,				154	11	3
	Lady's Island,				226	11	1
	Mayglass,				152	7	10
	Rathaspeck,				228	15	11
	Rosslare,				135	5	8
	St. Helen's,				124	15	3
	Tacumshane,				157	8	.
	TOTAL,				273	8	2
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,				97	2	4
	Ballymitty,				155	18	6
	Carraig,				102	6	3
	Ferth,				103	1	.
	Glynn,				84	8	4
	Harperstown,				144	7	1
	Kilbride,				87	16	6
	Killurin,				152	7	8
	Taghmon,				219	7	8
	Whitechurch,				102	•	8
	TOTAL,				121	16	.
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,				10	11	8
	Bridgetown,				7	10	1
	Duncormack,				6	17	11
	Harristown,				4	1	4
	Kilcoyan,				11	19	10
	Killag,				1	10	•
	Kilmore,				2	7	5
	Newcastle,				2	11	9
	Tomhaggard,				2	10	8
	TOTAL,				50	•	8
	TOTAL.....				50	•	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.

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, ... £ 77 : 18 : 8

Paid during the week, ... £ 254 : 4 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 232 : 7 : 1
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, and were retained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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The Clerk's Account of his Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 4 : 12 : 0 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 4 1 s. 5 d. 10

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

52 : 7 : 9

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

2 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

3 : 8

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

5 : 7

Average cost in Infirmary,

1 : 7

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

1 : 7

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:-

14 2 5 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

13 Bags of Flour,

1/2 Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

4 0 Gallons Buttermilk,

4 5 0 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

2 2 4 lbs. of Sugar,

2 8 lbs. of Lump Sugar,

1/4 Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

7 lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,	
Barrels of Porter,	2 lbs of Snuff
30 Gallons of Whiskey,	2 gross porter Corks
Bottles of Brandy,	2 doz 1/2 pint tins
6 Bottles of Gin,	2 doz Bath Bricks
5 3 Dozs. of Eggs,	1 stone of Nails
lbs. Dipt. Candles,	
3 Gallons of Barm,	
Ton of Soap,	
1 Cwt. of Soda,	
lbs. of Starch,	
lbs. of Blue,	
Tons of Coal,	
14 lbs. Malt,	
11 lbs. Hops,	

2 lbs of Snuff
2 gross porter Corks
2 doz 1/2 pint tins
2 doz Bath Bricks
1 stone of Nails

183	Rourke	Meat	9 . . 2
184	Lester & Co	Medicines	3 3 . . 6
185	Pigott	Vale & Reg.	3 13 . 9
186	Costello	"	4 8 . 6
187	Hassett	"	2 10 . 6
188	Hadden	Vaccination	2 8 . .
189	Gick	Dumb Girl	7 10 . .
190	O'Brien	Dumb Boys	12 10 . .
191	Fahey	Blind Boys	2 8 9 . .

	£	s.	d.
	145	2	5

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of January 1838 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	35.9 . 6
In Kind,	... ...	13 . 6
Total	... ...	£ 36 : 3 : 0

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
181	J. MURPHY.	20 -		
182	H. DILLON.	17 -		
	Total, ...	37 -		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

£	s.	d.
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Paid the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

January 11th 1888. The house as far as visited is in good order.

The South Wall of New Laundry Building is very damp. All such walls in this country require weather slating.

George Lepante.

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

MASTER'S REPORT :

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

All made over 10 per cent.

I received 37 gallons of extra milk from Mr. Malone, during the week, at 9^d per gallon.

The following articles of clothing were given by Board's Order to persons leaving the Workhouse during half year ended 29th Sept '87. The Board will please order that they be deducted from Clothing Stock.

Mens :— 2 Shirts, 2 pair shoes, 3 pair Stockings and 2 small waistcoats.

Boys :— 7 coats, 7 vests, 7 pairs trousers, 13 shirts, 8 pair shoes, 15 pair stockings, 7 caps.

Womans :— 2 petticoats, 6 Shifts, 3 pair shoes and 1 shawl.

Girls :— 13 frocks, 14 petticoats, 23 Shifts, 16 Bibs, 4 pair shoes, 10 pair stockings, 1 jacket and 1 Hat.

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

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

No 4. M/188. 12 January 1888. The usual circular relating to the annual election of Guardians.

Tender accepted:— Whiskey (3 years old)
17 O. P. at 16/- per gallon—
Mr William Deneux.

A communication from the Reception Committee of the visit of the Marquis of Ripon and Mr John Morley M.P. was received and a number of Guardians gave their names for attachment.

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 14th day of January 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,*Other Guardians*:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	...	...	10
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	29
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

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

day of

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Signed,

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
stating that

dated

Labourers' (Ireland) Acts.

From Board of Works - An Order for £15 80, a further instalment under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

Ordered - To be signed and lodged.

A letter was received from Mr James Doyle Tullicanna, (who was last week declared Contractor for the erecting of 26 cottages at prices varying from £6 3:10 to £6 6:10) stating that he should decline to carry out his contract.

Ordered - That these 26 houses be again advertised and that Doyle's letter and tender be sent to the Board's Solicitor to ask him if a ~~prosecution~~ prosecution would lie against him.

See page 6.

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

Broadway.

75 Cases.

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

That the Relieving Officer sends the usual notices and report again in a month.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
			/

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

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

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

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

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

From L.G. Board No. 1252. 13 January 1888.

Requesting to be furnished with a list showing in each case the Reference No of the Site (as in Provisional order) and the amount of tender accepted. Also requiring a Sketch and Specification of the fences.

The following is the information required leaving out the 26 cottages which are ordered to be readvertised in the 2nd minute on page 4. :-

No.	Cost of House	Zincing	No	Cost of House	Zincing
2	£75 : 0	7/6	14	£73 : 10	6 : 6
3	£75 : 0	7/6	16	£73 : 10	6 : 6
4	£75 : 0	7/6	38A	66 : 5	7 : 6
5	£75 : 0	7/6	38B	67 : 10	6 : 6
6	£75 : 0	7/6	39	65 : 0	7 : 6
7	£83 : 10	7/6	40	64 : 0	7 : 6
53A	£74 : 0	6..6	92	64 :	6 : 6
64	£70 : 0	6..6	92B	63 : 10	6 : 6
64A	£70 : 0	6..6	95	66 : 15	6 : 6
75	£68 : 0	7..3	96	66 : 15	6 : 6
78	£79 : 10	6..6	99	57 : 5	
79	£77 : 0	6..6	100A	69 : 10	6 : 9
80	£75 : 0	6..6	100B	58 : 10	
81	£73 : 10	6..6	101	68 : 0	6 : 6
84	£68 : 10	7..6	101A	67 : 10	6 : 6
85	£68 : 10	7..6	102A	68 : 0	6 : 6
86	£66 : 0 : 0	7..6	103	67 : 10	6 : 6
87	£69 : 19 : 6	6..6	103A	68 : 0	6 : 6
88	£69 : 19 : 6	6..6	110	66 : 0	6 : 6
89	£66 : 10 : 0	6..10	111C	66 : 10	6 : 6
89A	£67 : 0 : 0	6..10			

A Sketch and Specification of Fences are sent herewith.

The Executive San^t. Officer laid before the Board applications for change of sites Nos. 55 & 89 A. in the townlands of Rochestown and Ballymacushin and it was Ordered - That the documents be sent to the Local Govt. Board requesting their approval of the change. (documents sent herewith)

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

day of January 1888

Signed,

Edward Rose, James Morris

[Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

WEXFORD UNION.

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Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

21st day of January 1888.

Number of females for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accorded in each building in each building	Total No. in each building as the above date	Aged and In- firm persons, and adult per- sons, 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Able-bodied.	Total.	
Work house.	731436									
Perman. Buildings.										
Additonal Workhouse.	87	7								
Permanent Fever Hospital.										
Fever Sheds.										
TOTAL.	872443									
Remaining on Previous Su- turdays, as per last return.	14	8	139 161	29 16	24	12 31	434	Under Medical treatment In Wards.	181	In separate Wards.
Admitted during the week.	17	2	14 3	1 1	2	1	41	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.	0	In Wards with other lunatics.
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	0	Total.	188	Total 23
TOTAL.	31	10	153 164	30 17	26	13 31	475	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
Discharged during the week.	14	4	3 4	2	.	1	28	No. Re-levell during week	14	1 0 15
Died.	.	.	2 1	.	.	1	4	No. in Workhouse at date	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead.	14	4	5 5	2	.	2	32		.	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	17	6	148 159 28	17 26	11	31 443		No. at corresponding period last year	422	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the

21 day of January 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, &c.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in see. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, in- cluding Ap- plicant and Family, de- pendent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, in- cluding Ap- plicant and Family, de- pendent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	265	510			265	510
No. II.	178	297			178	297
TOTAL.	443	807			443	807

Comparative No.
last year 905

Cost, £36 : 15 : 8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 21st day of January 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Rose Esq.
Other Guardians:

Nicholas Roche	Charles H. Peacocke JP
Patrick Chander	James Rehal
William Coghlan JP	Bernard H. Roche JP
Stephen Rowe	Nicholas Simott
James Codd	Thomas Rehal
James Furlong	Nicholas Codd

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 672 to No. 711 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.
		£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	102	.	.	777 4
	TOTAL,	102	.	.	777 4
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcahan	18			158 8 9
	Ardeolin,	7			150 9 9
	Arramont,				163 17
	Druagh,				148 9 1
	Killinick,	12			225 6 8
	Kilpatrick,				110 1 11
	Kilsoran,	14			140 11 3
	Lady's Island,	10			216 11 1
	Magglass,				152 7 10
	Rathaspeck,	7			221 15 11
	Rosslare,	10			125 5 8
	St. Helen's,				124 15 3
	Tacumshane,	12			145 8 2
	TOTAL,	90	.	.	2083 8 4
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,	8	4	9	88 17 7
	Ballymitty,	4	8	5	151 10 1
	Carraig,				102 6 3
	Furth,				103 1
	Glynn,				84 8 4
	Harperstown,	14	15	4	129 11 9
	Kilbride,				87 16 6
	Killuria,	7	7	6	115
	Taghmon,	12	9	9	205 17 11
	Whitechurch,				102
	TOTAL,	47	5	7	1170 10 3
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannew,				206 17 3
	Bridgetown,				161 14 6
	Duncormack,				185 12
	Harristown,				120 17 10
	Kilevan,				78 16 5
	Killag,				175 13 6
	Kilmore,				264 16 11
	Newcastle,				47 14 11
	Tomhaggard,				107 3 5
	TOTAL,				1349 6 9
	TOTAL.....	239	5	9	5380 9 4

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, £ 1819 : 5 : 9

Paid during the week, £ 137 : 8 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 1914 : 4 : 5.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and found to have been obtained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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 pecul Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting £ 6 : 2 : 8 . was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 4 6 s. 0 d. 8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoive Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 53 . 2 . 9

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 . 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5 . 0

Hall Diet, 1 . 1

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 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

12 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

45 Gallons Buttermilk,

450 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

1 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

53 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

6 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

14 lbs. Malt,

1 lb. Hops,

12 doz lbs of Wax Candle

12 lbs of Scale

3 doz of Scrub Brushes

$\frac{1}{2}$ doz Lemons.

2 Gallons of Oil

4 lbs of Copperas

4 lbs of Venetian Red

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
193	I. MURPHY.	20-		
194	II. DILLON.	17-		
Total, ...		£ 37-		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	9	6	5
Boyd	11	8	6
Barry	2	10	6
Parle	13	4	.
Simott	20	7	6
Doyle	174	.	.
	£ 273	19	7

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 January 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	36	1	0
In Kind,	1	2	0
Total	£ 37	3	0

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

£ . s.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

All Contractors made over ten per cent.

There are six pigs fit for sale.
Ordered — To be advertised.

Lodged on the 20th £ 3 : 9 : 0 for Maintenance of
John Roche (Union)
Lodged on the 20th £ 2 : 12 : 0 for Mrs Mary Moore,
Wexford.

£ 6 : 1 : 0

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

A child named Mary A. Walsh died, on the morning of the 17th. She not being a patient in hospital, I informed the Police. An Inquest was held on the 19th. Finding of the Jury.—
"That Mary A. Walsh died from Choleric Diarrhoea"
Ordered — (On the motion of Mr Peacocke Esq.)
That henceforward, the Master be instructed to consult the Medical Officer before taking steps to have a Coroners Jury.

A man named Myles Doyle, a former inmate of the Workhouse, returned from Prison on the 17th Inst. Immediately on entering the Lodge, he threw large stones at the Clock and destroyed it. He then threw stones at the Porter's door and was near killing the Porter. Afterwards he made his way, without permission up to the house, entered the Provision Store, behaved very disorderly and refused to leave. I then removed him by force when he attempted to tear my clothes and strike me. By my directions the Porter swore informations against him and the same evening had him arrested. He was brought before the Magistrates on Wednesday: for breaking the clock, he got a fortnight's imprisonment; for the attempt on the Porter's life, one month; and for his disorderly conduct in the Provision store — nothing.



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

Mr. Roche's Notice of Motion was considered; and moved by him and seconded by Mr. Nicholas Codd.

Mr. Chander proposed as an Amendment, that no separation be made between the Urban and Rural districts. This was seconded by Mr. Cassin.

Mr. James Codd proposed and Mr. Coghlan J.P. seconded the following Amendment, which was passed:

That the Local Government Board be requested to separate the Wexford Electoral Division into a Rural and Urban district, for the purposes of Representation, but no change be made in the division for Taxation purposes.

(Communications were received from the Corporation of Wexford, The Harbour Commissioners and the National League, objecting to any separation as it meant additional taxation on the Urban district.)

From Thom & Co. stating that they were bringing out a Compendium of Irish Poor Law by Dr. Mooney.

The Clerk was directed to order one Copy.

A resolution relating to the Amalgamation of Unions in Ireland was received from the Omagh Union, and was marked "Read."

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

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 21st day of January 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Edmond Hore Esq.
Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Dispensary

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 15

Ditto, disallowed 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 36

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 0

Ditto, ditto, 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 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).

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the

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

On application of the Committee of Management of the

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

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

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

day of

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Signed,

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

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.

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

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

Bannow

9- (3 unfit)

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

That the Relieving Officer serve the usual Notices.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883-1886.

WEXFORD UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

Population in 1881—38,745
STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the28th day of January 1888

Number of Lancets for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	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.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.		
Work house, Person next Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	131436	87 11															
TOTAL	82447																
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	14	5	151	160	28	17	26	11	31	443					Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards,	184	In separate Wards, 23
Admitted during the week.	10	5	11	8	3	2	3	2	·	44					Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other lunatics
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	0					Total, 195	Total 23	
TOTAL	24	10	162	168	31	19	29	13	31	487					NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
Discharged during the week.	13	5	11	4	3	·	3	·	·	39					No. Received during week	10	M 4 F 3 Total 17
Died	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	1					No. in Workhouse at date	·	· · 0
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	5	11	4	4	·	3	·	·	40							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	11	5	151	164	27	19	26	13	31	444					No. at corresponding period last year	414	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the

28th day of January 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in see. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	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.
No. I.	266	514	266	514
No. II.	179	299	179	299
TOTAL.	445	813	445	813

Comparative No. last year 904
Cost, £35 18 11COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 28th day of January 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Moore Esq.
 Other Guardians: Messrs.— Charles H. Peacocke Esq.
 Patrick Scallan Patrick Chandler
 Michael Simott. Nicholas Codd Michael Simott.
 John Redmond. Wm Coghlan Jr. Patrick Codd
 James Kelso Bernard H. Roche Peter Cassin
 James Codd. Nicholas Roche James Daly
 Nicholas Prendergast. John Redmond. Michael Simott.

Edmond Moore.

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

day of January 1888.

Signed,

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 13 to No. 756 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Auditor attended here on the 26th and 27th inst. He went very minutely into the accounts and left the following notes on the Ledger:-

The Relieving Officers have as yet given no security for the collection of rents under the Labourers Acts and they should be required to do so at once.

With two exceptions only, none of the conveyances of land taken for the purposes of the Labourers Acts, have been stamped: this matter should receive immediate attention.

Mr Colfer, Solicitor, has received £150 to pay the owners of site of Labourers Cottages, but no Vouchers have been produced to support of this payment.

I therefore reserve to myself the right of disallowing the entire or any portion of the sum mentioned, at my next Audit of the Union account should adequate Vouchers not be produced to me.

One year's rent of Fever Hospital field now due should be applied for.

With the exception of the Collector for Wexford E.D. the closing of the collection by all the Collectors was by no means satisfactory: Collector Moore's collection of £1865.4.7 out of £2163.13.6 showed a great want of energy and should he not show a decided improvement, in this respect, serious notice should be taken of his conduct.

Ordered — That bonds be prepared and completed for the collection of rents: that the conveyances be stamped: that the rent of the Fever Hospital field be applied for: and, that copies of the Auditors observations be sent to all the Collectors — except Mr O'Connor, Collector of the Wexford District.

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, ... £137.18.9

Paid during the week, ... £292.18.1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1759.5.1
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accounts having been maintained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.
		£	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	774	11	777 4 .
	TOTAL,			777 4 .
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan	158	8 9	
	Ardcalm,	150	9 9	
	Arramont,	163	17 .	
	Druagh,	148	9 1	
	Killinick,	225	6 8	
	Kilpatrick,	110	1 11	
	Kilsoran,	140	11 3	
	Lady's Island,	216	11 1	
	Mayglass,	152	7 10	
	Rathaspeck,	221	15 11	
	Rossure,	125	5 8	
	St. Helen's,	124	15 3	
	Tacnashane,	145	8 2	
	TOTAL,			2083 8 4
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,	88	17 7	
	Ballymitty,	151	10 1	
	Carraig,	102	6 3	
	Forth,	103	1 .	
	Glynn,	84	8 4	
	Harperstown,	129	11 9	
	Kilbride,	87	16 6	
	Killurin,	115	2 .	
	Taghmon,	205	17 11	
	Whitechurch,	102	8 .	
	TOTAL,			1170 10 3
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Banow,	14	3 1	192 14 2
	Bridgetown,	5	7	156 13 11
	Duncormack,	8	7 10	182 4 2
	Harristown,	6	9 9	114 8 1
	Kilevaran,	8	13 2	70 3 3
	Killay,	42	16 7	132 16 11
	Kilmore,	25	3 10	239 13 1
	Newcastle,	.	.	47 14 11
	Tomhaggard,	11	2 11	96 . 6
	TOTAL,			116 17 9 232 9 .
	TOTAL.....			116 17 9 5263 11 9

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

The Clerk's Account of his Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting £ 9 : 2 : 10 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 6 s. 12 d. 7

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 53 · 5 · 9

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 · 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:-

453 3/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bgs of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

45 Gallons Buttermilk,

450 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

54 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

3 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

15 lbs. Butter.

3 lbs Tobacco.

3 doz. Screws.

200 23 Nails

200 15 "

1 gallon par. oil

200 Slating Nails

1 lb Charcoal.

2 Stone Hoop iron

6 doz. pt. Tins.

7 lbs Red Lead.

1 Stone White "

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
202	I. MURPHY.	20-		
203	II. DILLON.	17-		
Total, ...		£37-		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
204	Rourke	9	12	1
205	O'Ruble	125	.	.
206	O'Gorman	3	3	7
		183	18	6

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of January 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	36	1	0
In Kind,	1	8	0
Total	£37	9	0

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

I had to give tea with Butter to all healthy classes for supper on the 27th — the supply of milk being deficient.

Ordered — The contractor whose supply fell short to pay the difference.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

I admitted a woman named Sarah Brien, and two children (Casuals) on Monday Evening. One of the children was ill with Measles. I sent for the Medical Officer, who ordered their immediate removal to the Fever Hospital. They came from Tagmon.

The agriculturist applied for eight stone of early potatoes, for sowing purposes, and was allowed them.

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

be elected for the Rural portion of the Wexford Division and four for the Urban Portion. The grounds upon which they make the application are—that the Urban portion of the Electoral Division of Wexford is not taxed by this Board under the Sanitary Acts, Burial Grounds acts or Labourers (Ireland) acts, while the five Guardians representing the Wexford Electoral Division take part in the administration of these Acts. It is to put an end to the anomaly of representation without taxation that the Guardians desire the change, as of course under the proposed system, only the Guardian elected for the Rural District could act on the Sanitary Board.

Relating to the letter from the Town Clerk of Wexford, the Guardians have only to state, that for the purposes of taxation they do not desire any change.

Mr. Busker sent in a tender of £ 20:5:0 for the six pigs.

It was considered too low, and the Master was directed to sell them on the fair—Friday next, the third of February.

The following Resolution was proposed by Mr. Nicholas Codd, seconded by

Mr. Michael Simott and passed unanimously:

"That we look upon the apathy of the Land Commission in fixing the date for sitting of the court, for the fixing of fair rents in this Union, as entailing great inconvenience to the tenant-farmers, especially to the lease-holders: many tenants too who have ejectments pending against them for rent are necessarily harassed by this delay."

No. 2,343. 27 January 1888. Referring to the Guardians' Resolution, requesting a division to be made in the Wexford Electoral Division for the purposes of Representation and stating that they do not understand from the Resolution the precise nature of the change desired: they ask to be furnished with an explicit statement of the proposed alterations, and the grounds upon which the application is made. They also enclose a copy of a communication received from the Wexford Town Clerk, objecting to any division being made as it would eventually cause an increase of the poor rate on the Borough.

The following order was adopted by the Board of Guardians—Messrs. Cassin and Chandler dissenting:—

The Guardians recommend that all Guardians

14 & 15 Vic. c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 28th day of January, 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, *Edmond Hore Esq.*

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	44
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

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

day of

18.

Signed,

[Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

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

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

WEXFORD UNION.

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Tenders for erecting the following Cottages
were accepted.

No	Cottage	Fence	Accepted Tenders	No	Cottage	Fence	Accepted Tenders
20.	66 15.	6 6	Mr James O'Keeffe #66	66 15.	6.	Mr Jas. O'Keeffe	
21.	63 10.	6.	Mr Patrick Doyle #67	66 15.	6.		do
44.	64 10.	7.	Mr Wm Rochford #68	66 .	6.	Mr Peter Keane.	
47.	66 10.	7 6	Mr Richd. Keeffe #69	66 .	6.		do
48.	70 .	7.	Mr Phil Doyle #70	67 15.	6.	Mr Jas. O'Keeffe	
49.	70 18.	7 6	Mr Patti Rossiter 75	66 10.	7.	Mr John Keeling	
50.	70 15.	7 6	do	104	67 .	6.	Mr Pat. Doyle
50A.	70 10.	7 6	do	105	67 .	6.	do
51.	67 5.	7 6	Mr Richd. Keeffe 106	68 .	7 6	Mr Pat. Rossiter	
55.	65 15.	6 6	Mr Francis Stafford 107	68 .	7 6		do
56.	64 15.	7.	Mr Jas. O'Keeffe 113	62 4	3.	Mr B. Pierce	
57.	65 10.	6 6	Mr Frank Stafford 119	62 4.	3.		do
61.	66 15.	6 6	Mr James O'Keeffe 120	62 4.	3.		do

* The tender for fencing these plots (66, 67, 68, 69, 70) at 6/- per Irish perch was accepted - Mr Morgan Connolly.

Mr William Mc Loughlin wrote declining to carry out his contract for Cottages Nos. 99 and 100B at the proposed prices viz: £ 57:5:0 & £ 58:10:0 respectively.

Ordered - That the cottages be advertised inviting tenders again.

From Local Government Board. No 2.307. 24 January. 1881
Stating that they see no objection to the Specification
and sketch of Fencing proposed to be constructed
round the plots attached to Cottages erected under
the Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

Edmund Low

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of *February* 18⁹⁸.

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Signed

Digitized in 1881—38.745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Present Net Annual Value £108,332 18s.
4th day of February 1880

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.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Work house,	731	432								
Temporary Buildings,										
Admission Workhouse,	81	9								
Permanent Fever Hospital										
Fever Sheds.										
TOTAL.	872	444								
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	11	5	157	164	27	19	26	13	31	447
Admitted during the week.	16	2	7	5	.	2	.	.	.	32
BORN	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL.	27	7	158	169	27	21	26	13	31	479
Discharged during the week,	15	1	8	4	1	2	2	2	1	36
DIED,	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,	15	1	8	6	1	2	2	2	1	38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	12	6	150	163	26	19	24	11	30	441
Under Medical treatment in Hospital wards.									72	To separate Wards.
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital									9	In Wards with other inmates
TOTAL.									181	Total 23
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.										
No. Received during week								M	F	Children under 15 Total
No. in Workhouse at date								16	2	- 18
								.	.	0
										412
										No. at corresponding period last year

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the
4th day of February 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, in- cluding Ap- plicant and Family, de- pendent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, in- cluding Ap- plicant and Family, de- pendent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	267	578			267	578
No. II.	182	303			182	303
TOTAL,	449	821			449	821

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the Board of Education, at Boston,
the 4 the - day of February 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Edmunds More Esq.*

Other Guardians: *Sellers* = Charles & Peacock Jr.

James Codd Nicholas Roche William O'Gorman J.P.
Michael Finnerty John Redmond Thomas Heavey
Patrick Scallan Patrick Chandler James Heavey
Denis Reck John Fortune Bernard H. Roche J.P.
James Furlong James Keating Martin Murphy

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 257 to No. 288 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.
		£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	160	-	-	616 11 6
	TOTAL,	160	-	-	616 11 6
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan	36	122	2 6	
	Ardcolm,	22	128	7 6	
	Artramont,	17	147	3 -	
	Drinagh,	-	148	9 1	
	Killinick,	10	216	4 6	
	Kilpatrick,	-	110	1 11	
	Kilscoarn,	14	127	1 8	
	Lady's Island,	20	196	14 5	
	Mayglass,	9	143	7 3	
	Rathaspock,	-	22	18 7	
	Rosslare,	6	118	18 8	
	St. Helen's,	-	124	15 3	
	Tacumshane,	7	138	14 3	
	TOTAL,	141	-	-	1943 18 7
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aghwilliam,	9	8	9 10	
	Ballymitty,	16	1	11 2	
	Carraig,	-	102	6 3	
	Forth,	-	103	1 -	
	Glyn,	24	82	4 4	
	Harperstown,	8	13	9 18	
	Kilbride,	-	87	16 6	
	Killurin,	49	1	110 1 1	
	Taghmon,	14	18	6 5	
	Whitechurch,	-	102	- 8	
	TOTAL,	55	16	0 14 3	
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Banow,	-	192	14 3	
	Bridgetown,	-	156	13 11	
	Duncormack,	-	182	4 2	
	Harristown,	-	114	8 1	
	Kilevaran,	-	70	3 3	
	Killag,	-	132	16 11	
	Kilmore,	-	239	13 1	
	Newcastle,	-	47	14 11	
	Tomhaggard,	-	96	- 6	
	TOTAL,	1232	9	0	
	TOTAL.....	£	356	16	0 14907 13 4

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, ... £ 300 = 0 = 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 70 = 5 = 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2000 = 11 = 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, and authen-

ticated and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

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

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The Clerk's Account of petit Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting £ 5:10:2 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 49 s. 9 d. 1

£ s. d.

55:17:1

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invenice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ...

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

Average cost in Infirmary, ...

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...

Half Diet, ...

2:7

3:8

5:0

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:-

448 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ton of Oatmeal,

40 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

Doz. of Wine,

 $\frac{1}{2}$ Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

56 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

14 Malt,

1 Hops,

12 lbs of butter

3 lbs of blue paint

1 doz. Shoe lasts

 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Shoe Knives

1 bre. of oats

1 Pint of brunswick black

200 yds of tinned Single Calico

1 Hatchet.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity
208	No. I. MURPHY.	20:0:0	
209	No. II. DILLON.	17:0:0	
Total, ...		£ 37:0:0	

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
210 Rowse	meat	9	9
211 Cosgrave	Indian meal	2	16
212 Rowe	Flour	46	17
213 Cleary	Milk	7	
214 Ryan	"	7	
215 Hayes	"	9	19
216 Malone	"	11	13
217 Maddock	"	11	12
218 Simott	"	17	15
219 Devereux	Whiskey	25	19
220 Lambert	Oat meal	9	18
221 Williams	Salary	2	10
222 Kearns	Pump & Reservoir Taphouse	25	
223 Irwin	Pigs	9	
224 Harvey	Rent	4	
225 Telford	Blind fil. Ex main-	5	
226 Rockford	Fencing Lab Cottages	23	14
227 Colfer	Extras "	10	12
228 Cahill	" "	8	16
229 O'Leary	Prayer Books	5	
	£	4	11

In Money, ...	... 37:8:6
In Kind, ...	... 17:6
Total ...	£ 38:6:0

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Clancy, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, ;
Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

I am receiving 20 gallons of milk over quantity contracted for weekly from Mr. Malone at 9/- per gallon.
Ordered - approved.

Tea with Butter given to the healthy inmates for supper on the 30th Ult. for want of milk.
Ordered - Approved.

The services of the Assistant Tailor may be discontinued
Ordered. To receive a weeks notice that he will not be further required for the present.

One of the Pigs got sick on Tuesday morning last. I sent for Mr. Malone V.S. He ordered it to be killed at once. I sold the other five on yesterday for £19:0:0. I bought four stores for £9:0:0.
Ordered - Approved.

Agriculturists Report:—Kindly let me know if I will keep what seed potatoes will be required to sow on the Farms this Spring. There are a lot of excellent Cabbage plants grown on the farm which may be sold.

Ordered - To keep the necessary quantity of seed potatoes from the present store. The cabbage plants to be advertised for sale.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

The Committee recommended that the drying closet should be ceiled and that a Louvre be inserted in the roof.

Ordered:—The Master to make out an estimate and specification by next Board Day.

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Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on
 Saturday, the 4th day of February 1888.
 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

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	...	...	32
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	1
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	1
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Offices' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	2
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	0

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 theron as follows:—

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the having been received from in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 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.

Dispensary District

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

Wexford Dispensary Committee of Management met.— on the 3rd. Present Commander Coghlan J.P. in the Chair John E Barry J.P. & Revd Mr Kelly Donegal Medical Officers Report.— The sanitary state of the District is satisfactory.

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

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

day of

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Signed,

Mr Peacocke reported that he had gone over the rent Collectors Books and that he found the following tenants in arrears as shown:-
 Michael Connors - Dunshtown - Dunmore R. due since 8th October 1887.
 Patrick Williams - Kilcaucas - Harristown. " " 8th October 1887.
 Henry Roche - Ballysestkin - Kilmore. " " 18th June 1887.

The Collector having explained that he thought Williams (who has a very large family) and Roche (whose wife was sick for the past nine months) would clear up in a little time. But that he thought that Connors would not pay.

It was ordered - That Connors be served with a "Notice to Quit" at once and that Williams and Roche be noticed to pay or proceedings will be taken against them.

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Edmund Gore.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of February 1888.

Signed, James O'Farrell

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

11th day of Feb 1888

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Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided,	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. accommodated in the above date	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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Work house.	731422													
Persons sent Buildings.	87	11												
Additinal Workhouses.														
Permanant Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	812433													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	12	6	150	163	26	19	24	11	30	441			171	In separate Wards, 23
Admitted during the week.	9	1	12	15	2	3	7	1	0	50				
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0			
TOTAL.	21	7	162	178	28	22	31	12	30	491				
Discharged during the week.	12	2	20	9	4	3	3	3	1	57				
Died.	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead.	12	2	20	10	4	3	3	3	1	58				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	9	5	142	168	24	19	28	9	29	433				No. at corresponding period last year 409

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of February 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in set. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in set. I.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.	
No. I.	265	516			265	516
No. II.	184	309			184	309
TOTAL.	449	825			449	825

Comparative No. last year 911
Cost, £ 37: 3: 8

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

11th of February 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmund Gore Esqr.

Other Guardians:- Messrs - Nicholas Codd, Charles H. Peacocke J.P., Wm Foghland J.P., Bernard H. Roche J.P., Stephen Rowe, Michl Murphy, Patrick Codd, Nick Prundergast, Patrick Scallan, William Petitt, James Rehal, Thos. Rehal, Patrick Lambert, Michl Simett, James McGrath, Patrick Chandler.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 789 to No. 839 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.			
		£	s.		£	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	666	4		616	11	6
	TOTAL,				616	11	6
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavau	-	-		122	2	6
	Ardealm,	-	-		128	7	6
	Arteamont,	-	-		147	3	.
	Drinagh,	-	-		148	9	1
	Killinick,	-	-		216	4	6
	Kilpatrick,	-	-		110	1	11
	Kilscuran,	-	-		127	1	8
	Lady's Island,	-	-		196	14	5
	Magglass,	-	-		143	7	3
	Rathaspeck,	-	-		221	18	7
	Russlare,	-	-		118	18	8
	St. Helen's,	-	-		124	15	3
	Tacumshane,	-	-		138	14	3
	TOTAL,				1943	18	7
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,	-	-		78	8	10
	Ballymitty,	-	-		135	8	2
	Carraig,	-	-		102	6	3
	Forth,	-	-		103	1	.
	Glynn,	-	-		82	4	4
	Harperstown,	-	-		120	18	.
	Kilbride,	-	-		87	16	6
	Killarin,	-	-		110	11	1
	Taghmon,	-	-		190	19	5
	Whitechurch,	-	-		102	.	8
	TOTAL,				114	14	3
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	-	-		33	3	11
	Bridgetown,	-	-		23	.	6
	Duncormack,	-	-		20	1	7
	Harristown,	-	-		5	7	4
	Kilevaran,	-	-		6	5	5
	Killag,	-	-		5	8	6
	Kilmore,	-	-		56	2	4
	Newcastle,	-	-		47	14	11
	Tomhaggard,	-	-		1	16	8
	TOTAL,				151	6	3
	TOTAL.....				151	6	3
					4756	7	1

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, ... £ 247. 1. 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 274. 16. 5.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and received, being certified and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(230) £ 6.12. 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 41 s. 4 d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invisice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 55:14:8

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. 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5. 0

Hall Diet, 1. 9

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:-

45 2 4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bags of Flour,

1 Stone of "

1/2 Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

45 Gallons Buttermilk,

470 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

22 4 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

58 Dozs. of Eggs,

10 lbs. Dift. Candles,

3 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

7 lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

14 lbs Malt,

16 Hops,

3 lbs Tobacco

1 doz quart jugs

6 doz Curtain rings

4 lbs red lead.

1 gal. Turpentine

2 Chisels

2 Plough-Plane Irons

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.	
	231	I. MURPHY.	20:0:0		
	232	II. DILLON.	17:0:0		
Total, ...			£37:0:0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
233	Rourke	9	11	5
234	Murphy	4	3	.
	Total	£ 5	7	6 5

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th day of February 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	... ...	37	11	6
		19	0	
Total	... ...	£38.10.6		

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

£ s. d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this 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. Cleary,	; Mr. Hayes,	; Mr. Maddock,	;
Mr. Malone,	; Mr. Ryan,		

The estimated cost of ceiling and putting a Louvre in Laundry would be £ 5 : 5 : 6.

Ordered — *The Master to get the work done.*

The Master received a letter from Mr P. Furlong tenant of Fever Hospital Field, stating that he was quite willing to pay the rent due at a reduction, namely £ 3 : 10 : 4, if he received back the key of the Field, and get it at the same rent.

Ordered — *That the Clerk be directed to write to Furlong, informing him that the Field will be advertised for letting, and that if he does not pay up at the reduced rent — £ 3 : 10 : 4, proceedings will be taken against him.*

The field to be advertised in the mean time.

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

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

No. 3,095. 3 Feb. 89. Enclosing a copy of an Order prescribing a Form of Contract for supplies to Workhouses.

The Clerk having stated that Mr Nichols Roche a Guardian for Wexford Electoral Division died since last Meeting of the Board, Mr Peacocke J.P. proposed, Captain Chandler seconded, and it passed unanimously:

"That we desire to tender our deepest sympathy to the wife and Family of Mr Roche, on account of the great loss they have sustained in his death. He was for many years a respected and much esteemed member of this Board, and we desire to place on record our great regret at his demise."

14 & 15 Vic. c 68.

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Edmund Hore Esqr.

Other Guardians:

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

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	...	...	50
Ditto, disallowed	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	43
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...

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

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

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

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Signed,

Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

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

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

Barrow Dispensary Committee of Management—Met on the 8th inst. Present—Messrs—Daly, Crossbie & Green. Medical Officer reported two cases of Scarletina since last Meeting — but not spreading.

Broadway Dispensary Committee of Management. Met on the 6th inst. Present Messrs—Busker (Chairman) Hore, Murphy & Petitt. Doctor's Report — With the exception of Measles and colds contracted from undue exposure of Children recovering from that disease, I can report satisfactorily on the health of the District. There have been no deaths from Measles.

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

Read Letter from
stating that dated

No. 3.085. 3. February 1888, Enclosing a copy of an Order prescribing a Form of Contract for the supply of Medicines &c for the use of Dispensaries.

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.

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

Bridgetown

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

41 Defaulter.

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

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows
That the Relieving Officers serve the usual notices.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883-1886.

No. 2238. 9 February 1888. Forwarding
10 copies of an Order which the Board have
made, empowering the Sanitary Authority to
exchange the sites and plots of ground
described in the Schedule to the Order.
The sites are 2A, 55A and 89A.

Ordered:— That the rent Collectors make out on the First Saturday in each Month a list of all tenants in Labourers' Cottages who owe more than five weeks rent, and lay same before the Board with dates and particulars.

Edward Hone.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of *February* 1888

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—38,745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Present Net Annual Value £108,332 18s.
18th day of February 1882

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Able-bodied.	Total.	
Work houses,										
Temporary Buildings,										
Additional Workhouses,										
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	14								
Fever Sheds,										
TOTAL,	81	457	Males. Fem. Males Fem. Boys Girls							
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return,	9	5	142 168	24 19	28	9	29 443	Under Medical treatment in separate Wards.	178	23
Admitted during the week.	18	.	13 8	3 2	1	1	1 47	In Wards with other inmates	14	3
Born	-	-	.	.	.	.	1	Total	192	Total 23
TOTAL,	27	5	155 176	27 21	29	10	31 481	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
Discharged during the week,	13	.	7 1	.	.	.	21	M		
Died,	-	-	1 2	.	.	.	3	F		
Total Discharged and Dead,	13	0	8 3	.	.	.	24	Children under 15		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	5	147 173 27 21 19	10 31	457			Total		
								No. at corresponding period last year	447	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the
18th day of February 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		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, in- cluding Ap- plicant and Family, de- pendent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, in- cluding Ap- plicant and Family, de- pendent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	267	518			267	518
No. II.	187	321			187	321
TOTAL,	454	839			454	839

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

18th of February 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmund Gore Esqr. Chairman.
 Other Guardians - Messrs:- Wm Coghlan J.P.
 Patrick Scallan Michael Sinnott V.C. Patk. Chandler
 Nicks Sinnott Bernard H. Roche J.P. Walter Codd
 James Codd James Daly Peter French.
 John Breen Michael Murphy

aturday, the 18th

Signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 839 to No. 886 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector,	Name of Electoral Division,	Collected and Lodged,	Remaining,
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	£ 122 - - -	494 13 -
	TOTAL,	122 - - -	494 13 -
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcaran	3 - - -	118 11 3
	Ardcolm,	4 - - -	124 11 9
	Artramont,	10 - - -	136 11 -
	Druagh,	16 - - -	132 9 10
	Killinick,	35 - - -	181 2 2
	Kilpatrick,	- - -	110 1 11
	Kilsoran,	16 - - -	110 12 7
	Lady's Is'taud,	- - -	127 4 8
	Mayglass,	16 - - -	196 14 5
	Rathaspeck,	68 - - -	153 14 9
	Rosslare,	15 - - -	104 6 -
	St. Helens,	- - -	124 15 3
	Taumshane,	15 - - -	123 13 10
	TOTAL,	198 - - -	744 9 5
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,	- - -	78 8 10
	Ballymitty,	- - -	135 8 2
	Carraig,	- - -	102 6 3
	Forth,	- - -	103 1 -
	Glyn,	- - -	82 4 4
	Harperstown,	- - -	120 18 -
	Kilbride,	- - -	87 16 6
	Killucin,	- - -	110 11 1
	Taghmon,	- - -	190 19 5
	Whitechurch,	- - -	102 8
	TOTAL,	1114 14 3	
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannew,	- - -	159 10 3
	Bridgetown,	- - -	133 13 5
	Duncormac,	- - -	162 2 7
	Harristown,	- - -	109 9
	Kilcooman,	- - -	63 17 10
	Killag,	- - -	127 8 5
	Kilmore,	- - -	188 10 9
	Newcastle,	- - -	47 14 11
	Tomhaggard,	- - -	94 3 10
	TOTAL,	1081 2 9	
	TOTAL.....	320 - - -	434 19 5

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, £ 320:0:0

Paid during the week, £ 86:0:5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2206:15:7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, and authenticated by the Clerk.

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 weekly Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 6 : 11 : 6 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 43 s. 8 d. 7

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ...

55 : 12 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

£ s. d.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

2 . 6

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:-

38 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

12 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

40 Gallons Buttermilk,

470 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

4 Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

57 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt Candles,

3 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

30 lbs Molasses

1 2 gallon can.
2 galls Colza Oil.
1 cwt Fire Clay
200 12d Nails
2 Pencils

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
236	I. MURPHY.	21:0:0		
237	II. DILLON.	17:0:0		
Total, ...		£ 38:0:0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders

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

		£ s. d.
238	Kourke Meat	8 2 .
239	Ryan Clerk of Works	10 . .
240	G Charlton Straw.	6 2 3
Total £ 68 15 9		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of February 1898 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	... 37 . 16 . 6
In Kind, ...	... 3 . 0
Total ...	£ 38 : 19 : 6

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

£ s. d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this 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. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, ;
Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

All made over ten per cent.

A man named James Barry Mulgannon admitted to Hospital on 17th instant.

A sovereign was found with him: shall it be kept for his maintenance, or again given to him when leaving.

Ordered — Barry to entered by way of loan.

The tailor was unable to attend to his duties during the week.

It was understood that he was at home attending to a dying daughter, and no order was made.

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

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

It was reported that use is now being made of the Farm at Tardystown Rathaskirk C.D., and the following order was made (There are six years Rates due on the Farm);—

That our Solicitor be communicated with and that he be requested to take immediate steps to recover the rates: that our Rate Collector be directed to keep a sharp look out on the Farm with the view to recovering the rates by seizure.

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, the 18th day of February 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Edmund Gore Esqr. Chairman.

Other Guardians: Messrs. Coghlan Esq., Scallan, M. Simott V. Esq., Chandler, N. Simott, Roche J. P., Walter Good, James Good, Green, Daly, Murphy, and Peter French.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	... ...	47
Ditto, disallowed	... ...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	... ...	40
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	... ...	0
Ditto, ditto, 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	... ...	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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 25th day of February 1888.

Signed,

Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

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

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

Wexford Dispensary Committee of Management met on the 16th; an adjourned meeting called for the purpose of "taking into consideration the conduct of the Medical Officer—Dr Pierse". Present—Messrs. Coghlan Esq. (Chairman) Peacocke Esq., Redmond, Lacy Simott Ryan, O'Connor, Chandler, Scallan, Harpur, P. Scallan, Walsh, Redmond, Dennehy, Colonel Huson and Revd Michael Kelly. Administer.

Dr Pierse got notice of the meeting but was unable to attend. Two medical men—Drs Green and Holden—stated that he was unable to

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 may be given):—

Dispensary District.	for	Amount, £
Account of Mr.		

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr.

attend, and also that any communication from the meeting would be most injurious to him. In consequence of this report the Committee adjourned until 15th March. The Hon. Sec. stated that after consulting with the Chairman on Saturday evening the 11th inst., they had come to the conclusion that Dr. Pierce was incapacitated from attending to his duties and accordingly engaged Dr. Crean to do the work and Dr. Crean has been doing it since. The Committee approved of the action of the Chairman and Hon. Sec. Proposed by Mr. Peacocke, seconded by Mr. Walsh and Passed unanimously:—

"That Dr. John Crean be appointed to attend to the district for one month".

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

This at the end of each ended 18th, 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

General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

18

District,	£
District,	£
District,	£
District,	£

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

Order dated

(state subject).

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

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. 648/88. 16 Feb. 1888. Enclosing a copy of the Open Spaces Act 1887.

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 -

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

Two applications were made to change sites— one in No 119, the other in No. 75.

Ordered— The Clerk to make out the necessary documents to have the change perfected.

WEXFORD UNION.

65

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

25th day of February 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building as the above date	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Able-bodied.	Total.	
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings	731439									
Additional Workhouse	81 17									
Permanent Fever Hospital										
Fever Sheds										
TOTAL	892456									
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	14 5	147173	27 21 29	10 31 457						
Admitted during the week.	4 8	7	2 2 1	• 24						
Born	•	•	•	•						
TOTAL	18 5	155180	27 23 31	11 31 481						
Discharged during the week.	7 6	6 1 2	•	• 22						
Died	• 3	•	•	• 3						
Total Discharged and Dead.	7 9	6 1 2	•	• 25						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	11 5	146174	26 21 31	11 31 456						
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 25th day of February 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	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.	
No. I.	267 576				267 576
No. II.	188 328				188 328
TOTAL,	455 844				455 844

Comparative No. last year 916
Cost, £36 13 6

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

25th the Twenty-fifth day of February 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Michael Simmott esq. Vice Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs:-

Charles H. Peacocke J.P. Patrick Scallan
Andrew Devereux James Codd
Michael Murphy John Fortune

Nicholas Codd
Patrick Chandler
Patrick Codd.
James Keating.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 25th
day of February 1888.

Signed,

James O'Connor
Clerk of the Union.

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Copyright: Wexford County Archive The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 884 to No. 910 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. 2 to No. 2, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 147. 16 - 11

Paid during the week, £ 78. 13 - 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2,275. 18 - 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and have been examined and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
		£	s.		
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	51	.	443	12.
	TOTAL,	51	.	443	12.
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan	-	-		
	Ardealm,	-	-		
	Artramont,	-	-		
	Drinagh,	-	-		
	Killinick,	-	-		
	Kilpatrick,	-	-		
	Kilsoran,	-	-		
	Lady's Island,	-	-		
	Mayglass,	-	-		
	Rathaspeck,	-	-		
	Rosslare,	-	-		
	St. Helen's,	-	-		
	Tacnushane,	-	-		
	TOTAL,			1744	9 5
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,	21	14	3	57 14 7
	Ballymitty,	4	19	2	130 9
	Carrig,	-	-	102	6 3
	Forth,	2	9	9	100 11 3
	Glynn,	-	-	82	4 4
	Harperstown,	17	11	11	103 6
	Kilbride,	1	2	4	86 14 2
	Killurin,	2	8	3	108 2 10
	Taghmon,	23	14	3	167 5 2
	Whitechurch,	1	17	.	100 3 8
	TOTAL,	75	16	11	1038 17 4
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannew,	-	-		
	Bridgetown,	-	-		
	Duncormack,	-	-		
	Harristown,	-	-		
	Kilewan,	-	-		
	Killag,	-	-		
	Kilmore,	-	-		
	Newcastle,	-	-		
	Tomhaggard,	-	-		
	TOTAL,			1081	2 9
	TOTAL.....	126	16	11	4308 1 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.

(241) £ 6 : 11 : 10 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 38 s. 14 d. 1/-

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

52 . 13 . 8

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

2 . 6

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:-

44 43 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

40 Gallons Buttermilk,

470 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

2 lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

3 lbs Tobacco

Barrels of Porter,

3 " Wire.

Bottles of Brandy,

1 lb. 6 log nails.

Bottles of Gin,

200 2/6 ..

55 Dozs. of Eggs,

4 oz. Hairs.

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

1 doz Galvanized Basins.

3 Gallons of Barm,

2 doz. Saucepans.

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

14 lbs Butter

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	I.	MURPHY.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
242	No.	I.	MURPHY.	22			
243	No.	II.	DILLON.	18			
Total,				£ 40			

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
244 Rourke Heat	9	6	8
Total £	55	18	6

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28th day of February 1888, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	36 . 15 . 0
In Kind,	2 . 9 . 0

Total £ 39 . 4 . 0

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

£	s.	d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this 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. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, ;
Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

All made over ten per cent.

An old man named James Barry was admitted on the evening of the 17th and died on the evening of the 18th.

An inmate named Nicholas Cousins took suddenly ill at 1.30 o'clock on the 18th and died at 8 o'clock the same evening.

The Medical Officer stated, that it was not necessary to have an inquest in either case.

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

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

From the Secretary of the Irish Land Commission, stating that a Sub-Commission will commence its sittings for Wexford County next April.

Proposed by Mr James Codd, seconded by Mr Nicholas Codd and passed nem. con.— "That we heartily congratulate Mr Edward Walsh - whose sentence to three months imprisonment by the "Renovabiles", has been quashed by order of the Court of Exchequer - on his great triumph over Balfour and Colclough."

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 25th day of March 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,

Michael Sinnott Esq. Vice Chairman.

Other Guardians:

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 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 24

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 3rd
day of March 1888.

Signed,

J. O'Connor
Clerk of the Union

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An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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:—

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the 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 District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

Dispensary

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

No. 2236. 24th Feb. '88. Inquiring if the defaulters under the compulsory Vaccination Act, in the Broadway Dispensary had yet complied with the Law.

Ordered - The Relieving Officer to report by next Board day.

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.

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

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

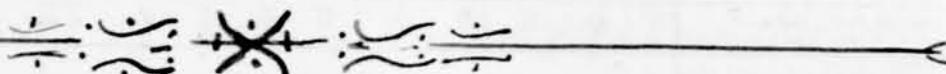
were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows

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Tenders for building the following cottages were accepted.

No. 99. Ballyaddagh. St Helens E.D. Mr. Richard Murphy £65
 No. 100B. Garrison. " Mr. James Doyle £66



Population in 1881—38,745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

3rd day of March 1888.

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	Aged and Infirmary 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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		Observations.
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Total	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	Observations.	
Work house,	731	453													
Persons sent Building,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	18													
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	812	471													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return,	11	5	146	174	26	21	31	11	31	456					
Admitted during the week,	18	4	8	10	4	3	4	1	1	53					
Born	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2					
TOTAL,	29	9	154	184	30	24	35	12	34	511					
Discharged during the week,	15	4	8	5	2	2	2	.	.	38					
Dead	..	..	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2					
Total Discharged and Dead,	15	4	9	6	2	2	2	.	.	40					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	14	5	145	178	28	22	33	12	34	469					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Yrs. 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 Appointee and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Appointee and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	267	577			267	577
No. II.	190	338			190	338
TOTAL,	457	855			457	855

Comparative No. last year 915
Cost, 365 7.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 3rd day of March 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Edmond Gore Esq. Chairman

Messrs: Wm Coghlan J.P.

Thomas Kehoe	Patt Chandler	Walter Codd
John Codd	Nich. Simmott	Char. H. Peacocke J.P.
John Redmond	James Codd	Peter French
James Daly	Patt Codd	James Keating
Bernard H. Roche J.P.	Patt Scallan D.V.C.	Nich. Prendergast.
James Cullen		

Edmond Gore.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 3rd.
 day of March 1888.

Signed,

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Clerk of the Union.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 911 to No. 965 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	66	.	.	877	14	10
	TOTAL,	66	.	.	377	14	10
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan	6	.	.	112	17	3
	Ardcolm,	34	.	.	90	19	4
	Artramont,				136	11	.
	Drinagh,				132	9	10
	Killinick,				181	2	2
	Kilpatrick,	28	.	.	82	5	5
	Kilsoran,				110	12	7
	Lady's Is'land,	17	.	.	179	15	1
	Mayglass,	22	.	.	105	7	.
	Rathaspeck,				153	14	9
	Rosslare,				104	6	.
	St. Helen's,	4	.	.	120	19	7
	Tuamshane,	17	.	.	106	12	10
	TOTAL,	128	.	.	1617	12	10
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,				57	14	7
	Ballymitty,				130	9	.
	Carraig,				102	6	3
	Forth,				100	11	3
	Glynn,				82	4	4
	Harperstown,				103	6	1
	Kilbride,				86	14	2
	Killarin,				108	2	10
	Taghmon,				167	5	2
	Whitechurch,				100	3	8
	TOTAL,				1038	17	4
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	31	14	2	127	16	1
	Bridgetown,	28	1	.	105	18	5
	Duncormack,	3	13	4	158	9	3
	Harristown,	7	3	2	101	17	7
	Kilevan,	6	8	5	57	9	5
	Killag,	26	4	8	101	3	9
	Kilmore,	8	17	10	174	12	11
	Newcastle,	3	6	3	44	8	8
	Tomhaggard,	.	.	.	94	3	10
	TOTAL,	115	8	16	965	13	11
	TOTAL.....	309	8	103	999	18	11

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, £ 309: 8: 10

Paid during the week, £ 55: 18: 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2,529.8.8
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, and found to be correct, and contained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(245) £9. 6. 9. was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 52 s. 0 d. 9.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 54. 19. 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

Average cost in Infirmary, 3. 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5.

Hall Diet, 1.

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 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

13 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

1/2 Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

6 Bottles of Gin,

58 Dozs. of Eggs,

Ibs. Dipt. Candles,

Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

56 lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

144 lbs. Malt,

1 lbs. Hops,

14 lbs. Butter.

200 yds Flannel.

20 lbs Linen Thread.

50 gross Horned Buttons

6 .. Coat do

12 Wall Books

400. 12^d. Nails

200. 8^d ..

1 bale. Oats (for horse)

2 lbs Wine.

10 000 Shoe Nails.

1 doz Scissors

2 haircutting scissors

1 lb Wine.

4 gross Card Thread.

4 doz Neckerchiefs

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
246	No. I. MURPHY.	22.0.0		
247	No. II. DILLON.	18.0.0		
Total, ...		£40.0.0		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£ s. d.
Burke	Meat 9. 14. 7
Gonnick	Calico &c 12. 11. .
Sinnott	Eggs &c 17. 5. 8
Cosgrave	Meal 2. 16. 3
Doyle	Wine 4. . .
Roue	Flour 45. 18. .
Maddock	Milk 11. 16. 8
Ryan	" 6. 19. 4
Leary	" 6. 18. .
Malone	" 12. 14. 6
Williams	Salary 2. 10. .
Total £182 10 9	

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.

2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	£ s. d.
In Kind,	... ...	37. 3. 6
Total	... ...	3. 17. 0
		£ 41. 0. 6

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

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

successful cases —

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read — (this in every month) — number of

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :— Mr. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Madcock,

Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

Mr Michael Cleary has refused to send milk to the Fever Hospital, although bound by the terms of his contract to do so.

The Clerk produced Mr Cleary's Bond which stated that he was bound to deliver the milk at either "The Fever Hospital or the Workhouse" and was directed to write to Mr Cleary's sureties informing them that the terms of the Bond would be strictly adhered to.

The work on the Laundry has been completed : A mason is required to reline the flues of the Kitchen Boilers and to make some necessary alterations on the furnace of the drying room.

Ordered : Referred to a Committee consisting of Messrs - Peacocke J.P. and Redmond.

The Infant Schoolmistress has been absent since the 24th Ult.

It was understood that her aunt had died and that her mother was seriously ill during the past ten days and the absence was allowed.

Some Calico to be examined by Committee.

Messrs - Coghlan and French were appointed and reported it equal to sample.

Lodged £4 for Broken stones.

The following persons are in the healthy department of the house, their husbands living outside

Elijah Reilly and 2 Children.

Sime Broadway and 1 Child.

Cath Savage and 2 Children.

Martha Delaney and 1 Child.

Ordered : That the Relieving Officers make every inquiry as to the whereabouts of the husbands and report.

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

are left uncollected" remains still unanswered. The Clerk stated that he had asked the Rate-Collectors to state definitely why the arrears and rates were not collected in each case.

~~Arrears - Bellary.~~ All due by small holders rated at or under £4. Mr Boxwell is agent for the ~~the~~ property and has refused to pay the rates.

~~Lingstown Lower -~~ Due by a wretched tenant who was actually starving. The people in the locality got up a raffle for a horse belonging to the man, and out of that raffle he paid one year's rates. A guardian stated that he understood that this man paid over the remains of the raffle (nearly £30) to Mr Boxwell for rent.

~~Reedstown -~~ Mr Boxwell owed the arrears due on this townland, and has since paid them.

~~Present Rate -~~ The great majority of the current rates on these townlands are due by Mr Boxwell, who ~~is~~ has been asked for them on several occasions and has refused to pay.

One of Union Rate Collectors having

actually to summon Mr Boxwell for Rates.

Ordered - That the particulars as above stated be forwarded to the Local Government Board.

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

No. 7. 915. 29 February 1888. Relating to rates due on certain townlands in the Wexford Union and forwarding a copy of a further letter which they have received from Mr F. Boxwell, and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians' observations thereon.

(The Clerk stated that he had received a former letter (No. 5.925) from the Local Government Board requesting him to furnish certain information required by Mr. F. Boxwell a copy of whose letter they enclosed. He further stated that he had furnished particulars of the amount due on certain holdings and Townlands named in Mr Boxwell's letter).

Mr Boxwell now writes saying that part of his letter of the 11th inst. in which he asked "why such a large amount of

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Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,

Edmond Gore Esq. Chairman.

Other Guardians:

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

That the medicines be procured from the contractor.

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	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	53
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	1
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	0

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 10th day of March 18⁸⁸.

Signed,

[Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.]

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Vaccination.

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~~-----~~
The Relieving Officer reported that only 25 defaulters had complied with the law in the Broadway District — owing to the cold season.

Ordered : To report again in a fortnight.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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

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

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

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

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

A representation form was received from 12 Rate payers in the Artrammont Electoral Division, stating that a house was wanted in Thommore: Its consideration was indefinitely postponed.

Mr Murphy, rent collector, reported that three tenants in his collection owed more than 4 weeks rent. He was directed to press on the collection in the ensuing month.

Edmund Gore.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 10th
day of March 1888.

Signed,

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Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.
10th day of March 1888.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building as on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, 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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
Work house.	731439																
Persons next Buildings.																	
Additonal Workhouse.	81 23																
Prisoners Poor Hospital																	
Fever Sheds.																	
TOTAL.	812462																
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	14 5	145 178 28 22 33 12 34 471															
Admitted during the week.	20 7	17 2 2 1 3 1 . 53															
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL.	34 12	162 180 30 23 36 13 34 524															
Discharged during the week.	26 5	7 8 2 1 4 5 1 59															
Died.	.	2 1 3															
Total Discharged and Dead.	26 5	9 2 1 4 5 1 62															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	8 7	153 171 28 22 32 8 33462															

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of

18 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1, not comprised in sec. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	No. of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Ap- plicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	No. of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Ap- plicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	268	518			268	518
No. II.	190	344			190	344
TOTAL.	458	862			458	862

Comparative No.)
last year 916
Cost, £ 36 : 6 : 6.

Edmund Gore Esq. Chairman.

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Messrs.— Wm Coghlan, R. N. Brd P.
Michl Simmott V. C. Patti Scallan
Charle Peacocke T.P. Niel Codd
Patti Chandler Niel Simmott
Tho's Kehoe James Kelso (B)
Patrick Codd Andrew Devereux

John Redmond
John Fortune
Wm Pettitt
James Codd
Martin Murphy

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 966 to No. 1018 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

I beg to state that Saturday the 17th March will be a Holiday.

Ordered - That notices be sent to the Guardians that the next meeting will be held on Friday the 16th Inst.

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.
		£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	93	.	.	285 · 6
	TOTAL,	93	.	.	285 · 6
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcahan	-	-	-	112 17 3
	Ardcolm,	-	-	-	90 19 4
	Artraman,	-	-	-	136 11 ·
	Drinagh,	-	-	-	132 9 10
	Killinick,	-	-	-	181 2 2
	Kilpatrick,	-	-	-	82 5 5
	Kilsoran,	-	-	-	110 12 10
	Lady's Island,	-	-	-	179 15 1
	Mayglass,	-	-	-	165 7 ·
	Rathaspock,	-	-	-	153 14 9
	Rosslare,	-	-	-	104 6 ·
	St. Helen's,	-	-	-	120 19 7
	Taenmshane,	-	-	-	106 12 10
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	161 7 12 10
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Asghwilliam,	-	-	-	57 14 9
	Ballymitty,	-	-	-	130 9 ·
	Carraig,	-	-	-	102 6 3
	Forth,	-	-	-	100 11 3
	Glynn,	-	-	-	82 4 4
	Harperstown,	-	-	-	103 6 1
	Kilbride,	-	-	-	86 14 2
	Killuria,	-	-	-	108 2 10
	Taghman,	-	-	-	167 5 2
	Whitechurch,	-	-	-	100 8 8
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	1038 7 4
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannew,	-	-	-	127 16 1
	Bridgetown,	-	-	-	105 12 5
	Duncormack,	-	-	-	158 9 3
	Harristown,	-	-	-	101 17 7
	Kileoran,	-	-	-	57 9 5
	Killag,	-	-	-	101 3 9
	Kilmore,	-	-	-	174 12 11
	Newcastle,	-	-	-	44 8 8
	Tomhaggard,	-	-	-	94 3 10
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	965 3 11
	TOTAL.....	93	.	.	390 7 4 7

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, ... £ 107 · 0 · 0

Paid during the week, ... £ 285 · 5 · 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2351 · 9 · 9
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and duly examined and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(259) £ 11. 6. 0 The Clerk's Account of his Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting £ 11. 6. 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 40 s. 15 d. 11.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

56. 1. 5

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ...

2. 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

3. 7

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

5. 4

Average cost in Infirmary, ...

1. 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...

1. 8

Hall Diet, ...

100 lbs Butt Leather.
1 Stone Sulphur.
200 Bricks.
3 lbs Tobacco.

684 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

13 Bags of Flour,

1 Ton of Indian Meal,

1 Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

$\frac{1}{8}$ Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

2 lbs. of Irish Bacon,

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.
			£ s. d.	Article and quantity
	260	I. MURPHY.	22 -	
	261	II. DILLON.	20 -	
Total, ...			£ 42 -	

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
262 Bourke	10	3	1
263 Walsh	7	10	.
264 Sullivan	7	10	.
265 Sharpe	3	18	4
Meat Advertising Co. Cess.			
Total £	82	8	3

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 March 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	... 38. 4. 0
In Kind, ...	... 3. 4. 6
Total ...	... £ 41. 8. 6

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

£ s.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

Received from Mr. Malone during the week
40 gallons over his contract at 9^d per gallon;
and from Mr. Hayes 10 gallons over his contract
at 9^d per gallon.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of
successful cases —

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

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

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

From Mr Patrick Furlong, Main St South, Wexford, offering £3.10.4 for the grazing of the field at the Fever Hospital due up to last December and also £3.10.4 for next year's grass.
The offer was accepted.

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 10th day of March 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians

Edmond Hare Esqr. Chairman.

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 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 53

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

Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians —

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was —

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered —

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday, the 16th
day of March 1889.

Signed,

Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 having been received from in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 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 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 officers (or Orders were made on them respectively) as follows : -

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.
Wexford		A stopped sewer at Manalintown. It appeared that the sewer was the property of the grand jury - and it was directed that the County Surveyor be communicated with requesting him to have the matter remedied.	

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.

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

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

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

The Clerk stated that he had seen the Draft Award of Mr. Pasnett, and went over a number of the Awards.

Ordered — That the Clerk and Clerk of Works go over the award and select the cases in which appeals will be made at the next sitting of the Arbitrator — 10th April next.

Mr. Dillon, rent collector, laid a statement of the arrears of rent before the Board, from which it appeared that 17 tenants owed more than 4 shillings in rent.

Ordered — That the rent collector press on the collection vigorously during the next month.



Edmund Hore.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday, the
day of March 1888.

Signed,

16th

WEXFORD UNION.

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Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

17th day of March 1888.

Population in 1881—38,745
STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be in each building	Total No. accommodated on the above date	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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.	
				Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
Workhouse.	731441		Able-bodied.										
Persons sent Buildings.													
Additional Workhouse.													
Permanent Fever Hospital.	81 30												
Fever Sheds.													
TOTAL	812471												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	8	7	153 171	28	22	32	9	33 462					
Admitted during the week.	14	6	12 5	4	3	2	2	48					
Born	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
TOTAL	22	13	165 176	32	25	34	10	33 570					
Discharged during the week.	18	4	4 2	2	1	2	2	35					
Died	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Discharged and Dead.	18	4	6 2	2	1	2	4	39					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	4	9	159 174 30	24	32	6	33 471						

Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards. 182 In Seminars Wards. 123
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital. 30 In Wards with other inmates
Total. 212 Total. 23

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
	M	F	Children under 15 Total
No. Received during week	13	5	6 24
No. in Workhouse at date	—	—	—
No. at corresponding period last year	422		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of March 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1, not comprised in sec. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		Cases.	Persons.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	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.	Number of cases relieved.			
No. I.	271 530				271	530	Comparative No. last year 913
No. II.	191 350				191	350	Cost, £35: 19: 0.
TOTAL	462 880				462	880	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Friday, the 16th day of March 1888.

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

Chas H. Peacocke J.P.
Patt Scallan D.V.C.
Nick Simmott V.C.
Stephen Rowe
Patt Codd

Wm Coghlan R.N.R + J.P.
Patt Chandler
John Redmond
Peter Cassin
James Kehoe (B)
James Keating

Nick Simmott
Bernard G. Roche P.P.
John Fortune
James Furlong

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1019 to No. 1066 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. to No. , inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:-

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 2 89 : 6 : 2.

Paid during the week, £ 89 : 13 : 6.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2,550 : 15 : 10.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and examined, and found to be correct, and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.
		£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	101	.	.	183 18 .
	TOTAL,	101	.	.	183 18 .
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcaran	11	.	.	110 13 3
	Ardeholm,	90	19	4	
	Arramont,	136	11		
	Druagh,	14	118	4 2	
	Killinick,	47	183	17 8	
	Kilpatrick,	82	5	5	
	Kilsoran,	110	12	7	
	Lady's Island,	6	173	3 10	
	Mayglass,	9	96	8 6	
	Rathaspeck,	153	14	9	
	Russlare,	8	95	17 8	
	St. Helen's,	120	19	7	
	Tacumshane,	30	76	14 5	
	TOTAL,	125	0	1491 2 2	
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,	57	14	9	
	Ballynatty,	14	13	9	115 15 3
	Carraig,	2	11	10	99 14 5
	Forth,	5	11		94 19 6
	Glyn,	4	11		77 13 4
	Harperstown,	5	9	1	97 17 0
	Kilbride,	5	16	4	80 17 10
	Killarina,	3	8	10	104 14 0
	Taghmon,	8	15	2	158 10
	Whitechurch,	1	16		98 7 8
	TOTAL,	52	13	9	986 3 7
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Banow,	3	13	5	124 2 8
	Bridgetown,				105 12 5
	Duncormack,	18	3	11	140 5 4
	Harristown,				101 17 7
	Kilevan,	3	10	6	53 8 11
	Killag,	6	19	2	94 4 7
	Kilmore,	6	10	6	168 2 5
	Newcastle,				44 8 8
	Tomhaggard,	24	8	8	69 15 2
	TOTAL,	63	6	2	902 7 9
	TOTAL.....	341	19	11	3563 11 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.

(266) £ 11 : 0 : 0 . was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45 s. 7 d. 2 .

Debit Provision Account and Credit Inveice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 57 : 1 : 2

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 : 4

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:-

473 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

6 Bgs of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

60 Dozs. of Eggs,

Ibs. Dpt. Candles,

4 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

Ibs. of Starch,

Ibs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

1426 Malt,

12 Hops,

1 Gross Screws

500, 12^d Nails

200, 4^d "

500, bricks

12 stone hammers

4 Clothes baskets

1 egg

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
267	L. MURPHY.	22		
268	IL. DILLON.	20		
Total, ...		£ 42		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
269. Bourke Heat	10	0	4
Total = £	63	0	4

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17 day of March 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	... 38 : 19 : 0
In Kind, ...	... 2 : 0 : 6

Total ... £ 40 : 19 : 6 .

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

£ s.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

A few wards are without presses and cannot be kept quite tidy. A press can be put up for half-a-crown. We recommend that the Master should have them made, where he finds them wanted. A basket for one or more wards, to carry out clothes for the Laundry, would be an improvement. They are now and have been hitherto carried out in sheets. A blind boy sent from the house to learn basket-making is now carrying on the trade.

George Le Hunte

14th March 1888.

Ordered—That presses be made when required and baskets be procured.

Mr Cleary has been delivering the milk at the Fever Hospital since the 13th.

Catherine Ryan and child were brought on removal warrant from Preston Union, on the 14th; and Anne Dempsey from the Brownlow Hill Union on the 15th.

Ordered—That the warrants of removal and the replies given to the Heads of Inquiry be sent to the Local Government Board.

(Sent herewith)

Lodged £3:9:0 for maintenance of Industrial School children in Fever Hospital; 7/6—burial expenses of James Barry and £1:1:7 for Stones.

A committee required to condemn worn-out clothing and some household articles no longer fit for use.

Messrs: Peacocke J.P. and Coghlan J.P. were appointed.

E. Burke Esq. L.G.B. Inspector visited and examined the Workhouse on the 13th.

Four children of James Turlong, Crossabeg, have been transferred from Fever Hospital to the Healthy Department of the Workhouse.

Ordered—That the usual notices be served on the Father of all children.

Oats will be required for the horse.

Ordered—The Master to buy in the market.

Coals will soon be required.

Ordered—80 tons to be advertised for.

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

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

The following resolution was proposed by Mr. Michael Simott, seconded by Mr. Gas Keating and passed:—

"That we are greatly disappointed at the action of the Land Commissioners in only setting down one hundred and thirty seven cases for hearing in this Union at the Forthcoming Sub-Commission, whereas we understand that nearly one thousand applications from the Union to fix fair rents were made before the 1st November 1887; and that Mr. Healy M.P. be requested to bring the matter under the notice of Parliament.

14 & 15 Vic. c 68.}

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 16th day of March 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair,

Edmond Gore Esq. Chairman.

Other Guardians:

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	24
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	48
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	2
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 24th day of March 1888.

Signed,

Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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. Present:—Messrs Denevera (Chairman), Crosbie and Green. Medical Officer reported two cases of Mild Scarletina since last meeting and a number of cases of Bronchitis.

An adjourned meeting of the Wexford Dispensary Committee of Management was held on the 15th for the purpose of taking into consideration the conduct of the Medical Officer—Dr Pierse.

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.	for	Amount, £
Account of Mr.		

Present - Messrs: - Coghlan J.P. (Chairman),
Peacocke J.P., Barry J.P., T. Redmond, P. Scallan, J. O'Brien,
P. Ryan, T. Redmond, W. Codd, T. Lenehan, Chandler,
E. Walsh, Lacy, Zygle, Scallan and Mr. Harper.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read, Dr Purse was called before the meeting. The Chairman drew his attention to several cases of neglect of duty in not attending visiting tickets. The Committee considered the cases of neglect proved.

Dr Purse having expressed regret and promised that it would not occur again, the Committee came to the decision of allowing him to continue his official duties.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1868, 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, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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District,	£
District,	£
District,	£
District,	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Dispensary District, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee, 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:—

95
Dispensary District, Mr.

No business under those acts

WEXFORD UNION.

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Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

24th day of March 1888.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. accommodated on the above date	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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse	731	427	Able-bodied.													
Persons sent Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Provisional Fever Hospital	81	19														
Fever Sheds.																
TOTAL.	812	446														
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	4	9	159	174	30	24	32	6	33	471						
Admitted during the week.	21	3	6	7		2	1	2		42						
Born																
TOTAL.	25	12	165	181	30	26	33	8	33	513						
Discharged during the week.	21	4	11	12	2	5	4	4		63						
Died.					3				1		4					
Total Discharged and Dead.	21	4	11	15	2	5	4	5		67						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	4	8	154	166	28	21	29	3	33	446						

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the
24th day of March 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1, not comprised in sec. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		Caser.	Persons.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	No. of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	No. of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.			
No. I.	270	526					270 526
No. II.	190	350					190 350
TOTAL.	460	876					460 876

Comparative No. last year 917
Cost, £36:15:6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 24th day of March 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Edmond Gore Esquire, Chairman.

Other Guardians:

John Fortune	Michael Simott V.C.	Stephen Bowe
Bernard H. Royle J.P.	Francis Prendergast	William Pettit
John Redmond	John Breen	Patrick Codd
Patrick Chandler	James Codd	Nicholas Codd
James Kehoe		

Messrs.— Charles H. Peacocke J.P.
 Michael Simott V.C.
 Francis Prendergast
 John Breen
 James Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 24th
day of March 1888.

Signed,

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Chair of the Board

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1067 to No. 1088 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

I beg to submit Form K (Elections) to the Guardians. There were two contested Electoral Divisions viz - Wexford and Kilpatrick.

The following is the record of voting -

Wexford C. D. (Five Guardians).

Elected	Mr John Redmond	498 Votes
	Mr Edward Walsh	472 "
	Mr Patrick Chandler	458 "
	Mr Hugh McGuire	422 "
	Mr Peter Cassin	410 "
	Mr Richard Walsh	284 "
	Mr John "Gyge	262 "
	Mr Amb. R. Fortune	243 "
	Mr John Dennehy	224 "

Kilpatrick C. D. (one guardian)

Elected	Mr Patrick Lambert	53 Votes
	Mr William Simmott	41 "

The Ledgers made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:-							98	
Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.	£	s.	d.	£	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	-	-	113	19	5	70	12
	TOTAL,	-	-	113	19	5	70	12
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan	-	-				101	13 3
	Ardalm,	-	-				90	19 4
	Arreamont,	-	-				136	11
	Drisagh,	-	-				118	4 2
	Killinick,	-	-				133	17 8
	Kilpatrick,	-	-				82	5 5
	Kilsoran,	-	-				110	12 7
	Lady's Island,	-	-				173	8 10
	Magglass,	-	-				96	8 6
	Rathaspeck,	-	-				153	14 9
	Rosslare,	-	-				95	17 8
	St. Helen's,	-	-				120	19 7
	Tacumshane,	-	-				76	14 5
	TOTAL,	-	-				1491	2 2
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Angullivan,	-	-				57	4 7
	Ballymitty,	-	-				115	15 3
	Carrig,	-	-				99	14 5
	Forth,	-	-				94	19 6
	Glyn,	-	-				77	13 4
	Harperstown,	-	-				97	17
	Kilbride,	-	-				80	17 10
	Killurin,	-	-				104	14
	Taghmon,	-	-				158	10
	Whitechurch,	-	-				98	7 8
	TOTAL,	-	-				786	3 7
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	-	-				124	2 8
	Bridgetown,	-	-				105	12 5
	Duncormack,	-	-				140	5 4
	Harristown,	-	-				101	7 7
	Kilcoavan,	-	-				53	18 11
	Killag,	-	-				94	4 7
	Kilmore,	-	-				168	2 5
	Newcastle,	-	-				44	8 8
	Tomhaggard,	-	-				69	15 2
	TOTAL,	-	-				902	7 9
	TOTAL.....						113	19 5 8450 5 6

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, £ 473 : 13 : 8

Paid during the week, £ 78 : 0 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2,946 : 9 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were duly examined and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 8 : 18 : 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 48 s. 12 d. 1.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 56 : 15 : 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2 : 0
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3 : 0
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:-

497 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

2 Cwt. of Indian Meal,

2 Cwt. of Oatmeal,

70 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

60 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dpt. Candles,

48 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

1 lb Parsnip Seed

1 .. Onion "

2 .. Leek "

2 Slop Cans for T.H.

2 gross Porter Corks

4 lbs Lamp Black

3 .. Tobacco.

½ doz Altar Wine.

2 Stone White Lead.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ <u>0</u> d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
271	No. I. MURPHY.	22		
272	No. II. DILLON.	20		
Total, ...			<u>£ 42</u>	

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	10	10	2
Kelly	12	10	
Doyle	5		
Lathams	"		
O'Connor	7	10	
Sheridan	28	15	
Irvine	31	5	
McCallan	12	10	
Eleeson (Sister)	6	5	
Cahill	6	10	
Farrell	6	10	
Clancy	6	10	
McGrath	10	17	6
Irvine	7	10	
Zinn	8	10	
Williams	2	10	
Kearns	3	15	
Morris	5	5	
Stone	8	15	
Brien	15	7	6
Murphy	13	17	6
Dillon	28	15	
Boyd	2	10	
Murphy	2	10	
Gowlin	2	10	
Siggins	2	10	
Hassett	28	15	
Doyle	5		
Kello	28	15	

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 24th day of March 1898, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	... 38 : 6 : 6
In Kind, ...	... 1 : 7 : 0

Total ... 39 : 13 : 6.

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

302 Walker
 303 Hadden
 304 Bryan
 305 Pigott
 306 Marshall
 307 Pierse
 308 Webb
 309 Malone
 310 Hollbrook
 311 O'Connor
 312 Walsh
 313 Joyce
 314 Whitty

Salaries

	£	s.	d.
	5		
	26	5	
	5		
	28	15	
	5		
	36	5	
	10		
	12	10	
	2	5	6
	6		
	2	16	6
	12	9	10
	3	15	10
Total	<u>423</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>:4</u>

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this 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. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ; Mr. Maddock, 12 ;
 Mr. Malone, 11 ; Mr. Ryan, 12 .

Lodged years rent of Fever & Hospital Field—
 £3:10:4, and 17/5 for broken stones.

A Committee required to take Provision stock on the evening of the 25th inst; a Committee to condemn Clothing &c from last week, and a Committee next week or following week to take Clothing stock.

Ordered — That Messrs. Peacocke & Co. and Chandler be requested to attend.

The Committee appointed to lay out a place for Stone-breaking, directed me to nail a place near the Pump-house - 18 yards by 12, at a cost of about £3:10:0.

Ordered — That the directions be carried out.

The Baker has been ill during the week. I appointed a man named Thomas Williams, who has given satisfaction.

Four pigs fit for sale.

Ordered — To be advertised.

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

"cannot fail, if it become customary, to afford additional inducement to able-bodied paupers to enter the Workhouse".

Ordered — Regarding the stocktaking see order in Master's Report. Nearly all the children suffering from measles have returned to the School — well. That the latter part of Mr Bourke's report be referred to the Medical Officer for his observations.

Resolved — That the Local Government Board be requested to approve of the payment of £1 and 15 shillings to Mr Mark Murphy and Mr Frank Dillon respectively for their services in serving Vaccination Notices for the half-year ended 25th March 1888.

The following tenders were accepted:—		
Mr Lambert	Flour as per sample @ per bag	£ 1. 2. 0
Mr H. Rouse	" "	1. 0. 9
Mr R. H. Leared	Best Indian meal @ per ton	6. 6. 5
Mr S. Godkin & Co	Best oatmeal @ per ton	11. 7. 0
Mr Thos. Rourke	Beef @ per lb.	6
	Overheads @ each	1. 3

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

No. 10.584. 22 March 1888. Stating that they had received Mr Bourke's half-yearly report on the Union, which is of a generally satisfactory character as regards the observance of Cleanliness and the maintenance of due order in the Workhouse. Some of the children were suffering from measles. Stock of Provisions, Clothing &c was not taken since 3rd February 1887. The aged and infirm inmates is 152, but this statement, (says Mr Bourke) "is calculated to convey a false impression of the exact facts of the case — this number includes about 60 able-bodied men and women under 50 years of age and in no way incapacitated from doing work, who have been placed by the Medical Officer's orders on Infirmary Diet. The Medical Officer has I presume, in those cases special reasons for adopting a course,

from the Irish Land Commission:— An order respecting a Labourer's cottage directed to be erected by Mr Richard Neville of Coolraheen.

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 24th day of March 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Edmund St. Leger Chairman.

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Ballymore 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.

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 42

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

Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered -

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

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

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

day of March 1888

31st

Signed,

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Clerk of the Union.

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From Local Government Board -
Circular No. 32. 23 March 1888. Impressing
on Sanitary Authorities the importance
of affecting and maintaining an Insurance
on each Cottage built or acquired by them
under the Labourers Acts.

Ordered - In this Union all
the Cottages completed are insured
against fire.

WEXFORD UNION.

105

Population in 1881-38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

31st day of March 1888

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Males.	Fem.	
Work house,	731434	Able-bodied.								
Parish neat Buildings,										
Additional Workhouse,										
Parochial Fever Hospital	81 29									
Fever Sheds.										
TOTAL,	812463									
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return,	4 8 154 166 28 21 29 3 33 446									
Admitted during the week,	12 10 12 12 3 7 5 3 2 66									
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	16 18 166 178 31 28 34 6 35 512									
Discharged during the week,	11 7 9 11 1 3 3 . 1 46									
Died,	.	2 1	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,	11 7 11 12 1 3 3 . 1 49									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	5 11 155 166 30 25 31 6 34463									

Under Medical treatment in
Infirmary wards,
Under Medical treatment in
Fever Hospital

In Wards
with other inmates

Total, 205 Total, 23

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

No. Received during week	M	P	Children under 15	Total
11	7	9	27	
No. in Workhouse at date	.	.	.	0

No. at corresponding period last year 416

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 31st day of March 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in see. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	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.	268 517				268 517	
No. II.	188 346				188 346	
TOTAL,	456 863				456 863	

Comparative No. last year 940.
Cost, £36:12:0.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 31st. day of March 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edmond Gore Esq & subsequently Park Codd Esq, Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Members:- Chas H. Peacocke J.P.,
Patrick Scallan,
John Codd,
Peter French,
Francis Prendergast,
William Pettit,
Patrick Chandler,
Thomas Cashen,
John Simott.

Edward Walsh,
Michael Browne,
Matthew Dunham,
James Codd.
Martin Murphy,
John Fortune,
Thomas Kehoe,
John Redmond,
Wm Coghlan J.P.,
John E. Barry J.P.,
James Keehe (M)

Edmund Gore.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 31st
day of March 1888.

Signed,

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Clerk of the Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 111⁷ to No. 111⁴ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector,	Name of Electoral Division,	Collected and Lodged,			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,						
	TOTAL,						
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcahan	2	2	100	7		
	Ardcolm,	3	15	1	85	13	
	Artramount,	3	10	1	133	14	4
	Druagh,	4	6	7	114	15	10
	Killinick,	15	2	133	17	8	
	Kilpatrick,	13	13	9	69	6	3
	Kilsoran,	6	11	10	104	11	8
	Lady's Island,	17	5	173	3	10	
	Mayglass,	5	2	11	91	12	11
	Rathaspeck,	4	19		149	2	6
	Rosslare,	10			95	17	8
	St. Helen's,	3	15		117	12	7
	Tacumshane,	6	11		76	14	5
	TOTAL,	52	3	9	1446	9	8
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,	13	9	57	10		
	Ballyquatty,	12	18	6	102	16	9
	Carraig,	7	18	4	91	16	1
	Forth,	4	11		90	8	6
	Glynn,	15	73	3	62	1	
	Harperstown,	10			97	7	0
	Kilbride,	17	3	63	4	10	
	Killurin,	5	15	4	98	18	8
	Taghmon,	13	5	11	145	4	2
	Whitechurch,	11	18	6	86	9	2
	TOTAL,	90	17	7	895	6	1
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Banow,	9	16	7	114	6	1
	Bridgetown,	2	7	9	103	4	8
	Duncormach,	8	77	3	131	8	1
	Harristown,	4	4	1	97	13	6
	Kilevaran,	5	13	9	48	5	2
	Killag,	2	4	8	91	19	11
	Kilmore,	11	14	6	156	7	11
	Newenstle,	1	1	9	43	6	11
	Tomhaggard,	3	19	8	66	75	6
	TOTAL,	50	—	—	852	7	9
	TOTAL.....	193	1	4	3264	15	6

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, £ 197 : 9 : 1.

Paid during the week, £ 291 : 2 : 6.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2,852 : 15 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined and authentica-

ted and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(315) The Clerk's Account of peculiar Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 12 : 4 : 1 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 50 s. 6 d. 4

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ...

64 : 1 : 10

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 : 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:-

403 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

22 Bags of Flour,

$\frac{1}{2}$ Ton of Indian Meal,

$\frac{1}{2}$ Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

470 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

$\frac{1}{4}$ Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

2 lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

70 Doz. of Eggs,

10 lbs. Dpt. Candles,

Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

Ibs. of Starch,

Ibs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

80 lbs Molasses

300 yds shrouding.

200 bricks.

500 8d Nails.

1 doz boxes blacking.

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 31st day of March 1838 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

		£	s.	d.
In Money,	...	37	7	0
In Kind,	...	1	7	0
Total	...	38	14	0

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT. No.	Name of Relieving Officer. I. MURPHY. II. DILLON.	By Check on Treasurer. £ 2 d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
1	I. MURPHY.	22		
2	II. DILLON.	20		
	Total,	42		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£ s. d.
Rourke	Meat 1 15
Hayes	Milk 20 19 3
Maddock	" 14 4 6
Malone	" 13 0 4
Ryan	" 8 12 5
Cleary	" 7 5 3
Byrne	B. Milk 3 9 6
Wickham	Malt & Hops 34 8 7
Rome	Flour 2 3
Marlow	Salt 2 14 9
Cosgrave	Ind. Meal 15 9 5
Lambert	Oatmeals 2 9 2
Godwin & Co	Barm 3 8
Scallan	Eggs &c 18 6 1
Simott	Gas 32 7 11
Gas Company	Straw 7 10 6
G. Harton	Tastago 2 17 2
OBriorn	Gronnongery 55 7 10
Harper	Timber 15 15 11
Walsh	" 14 9 8
Ennis	Medicines 53 2 8
Hunt & Co	Books 11 1 4
Hugles	Coffins 2 4 6
Murphy	Rent Bannar 5
Simott	" Broadway 4
Gartane	" Killinch 2 8 9
Poss	" Cattbridge 5
Dixon	" Lynn 3
John	Ryan rents &als 3

347	Burish Rent Wenford Dispensary	
348	Doyle Fencing Lals. Cottages	
349	Sinott ..	
350	O'Keefe ..	
351	Dillon Goppins ..	
3	Rourke Meat	
4	Connolly Fencing	
5	Keeffe Cottages	
6	Underwood ..	
7	O'Connor Land	

	£	s.	d.
	7	10	
	74	12	6
	48	8	
	69	4	6
	6	2	1
	590	7	8
	8	9	1
	7		
	16		
	16		
	60		
	Total £	149 9 1	

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this 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. Cleary, ; Mr. Hayes, ; Mr. Maddock, ;
Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

The Assistant Shoemaker died on the 29th inst.; another can't be well done without.

Ordered—Another to be advertised for.

The Bread—Mr. Lambert's Contract—has not given satisfaction during the week. I complained to the Contractor and he has written an explanation.

Ordered—That clr. Rowes bread be tried for the Hospital next week.

Lodged Balance of Straw Account £ 2:1:10.

I received a note last evening from Dr. Tiers, at 9 o'clock, requesting the car to be sent for a Scarletina Patient in the Main Street—when the Car went there the patient would not leave.

Ordered—That Dr. Tiers be requested to give particulars of the case so as to enable the Guardians to see if it came within the Compulsory Removal Powers of the sanitary act.

The Agriculturist applied to be allowed to employ a horse for a few days to assist in the framework, and his application was granted.

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

The following letter was received from the Medical Officer regarding Mr Bourke's Report.

"I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter requesting my observations on that part of Mr Bourke's report in which he states that '60 able-bodied men and women under 50 years of age and in no way incapacitated from doing work have been placed by the Medical Officers Orders on Infirm Diet.' I beg to inform you that this statement is altogether inaccurate — Of the able-bodied people at present in the house, I certainly did not give orders for more than 20 — and in each and every case I carefully examined the person and found a change absolutely necessary, as, Women nursing children, persons suffering from Diarrhoea, and persons who had been for a very long time on half-diet.

"I think that before Mr Bourke made such a report to the Local Government Board, he might have at least consulted me as to 'the facts.'

Michael J. Sheridan

Ordered — That the Medical Officer's Letter be inserted on the Minutes for the information of the Local Government Board.

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

The Minutes of the preceding having been read and signed (Mr Horne in the Chair), the election of Chairman for the ensuing year was proceeded with, when on the motion of Mr French seconded by Mr Cassin, the following appointments were made—

Chairman : Patrick Goad Esqr

Vice-Chairman : Martin Murphy Esqr

Deputy Vice Chairman : Patt Scallan Esqr

On the motion of Mr Horne a vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs E. Auger Gray on the death of her husband, and the Clerk was directed to write to Mrs Gray conveying the vote to her.

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 31st day of March 1882
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esqr, Chairman.

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	...	...	<u>31</u>
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	<u>58</u>
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was confirmed 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	...	...	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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of April 1888.

Signed,

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for Amount, £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every Annual Election of a new Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

Bannow District:—Messrs.—W. Cullen, Duncormick; John Breen, Carrig; Denis Crosbie, Graigue; Nick Byrne, Gurlin; J. G. Mayler, Harristown; Cullen, Knockline; Keating, Carrig; Cullen, Bannow; Garman, Ballymitty; White, Nickaree; Cullen, Graigue; Wade, Bannow; McCornack, Arnestown; and Kavanagh.

Bridgetown District:—Messrs.—Keating, Denistown; Stafford, Baldwinstown; Hore, Tilledavine; Keating, Sars hill; Barry, Island; Furlong, Braestown; Stafford, Ballygrangans; Parle, Quay; Rossiter, Plot; Busker, Little Graigue; Cullen, Silver spring; Rev. J. Alexander and Dr. Cardiff, Kilcowan.

Broadway District:—Messrs.—Emond, Talbotstown; Rowe, Jonastown; Cooney, Fineacre; Murphy, Muckranstown; Brown, Ballysheen; Busker, Ballyhit; Furlong, Hayesland; Fortune, Rosebank; Murphy, Coddstown; Marshall, Bush; Harpur, Pollrankin; Hore, Maytown; Burke, Bennettstown; Rowe, Hilltown; Murphy, Hilltown; Carne, Wall; Ballyfone; Boggan, Milltown; Doyle, Brittas; Roche, Summerstown; and Byrne of The Botts.

Crossabeg District:—Messrs.—Rowe, Ballymore; Dixon, Pollregan; Colletow, Ballyboggan; Shortall, Castlebridge; Redmond, Monmore; Shortall, Crony; Mull, Kilmacoe and Byrne, Kilmister.

Zaghmon & Glynn District:—Messrs.—Codd, Holmestown; Renville, Coalane, Boggan, Timaneura; Roche, Barnoney;

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 date

Date issued

Meyler, Blackhall; Ryan, Toncool; Roche, Pollmarl; Neval, Ballyvaloge; Roche, Christown; Keating, Zaghmon; Prendergast, Zaghmon; Ryan, Culmintra; Doyle, Harristown; Ryan, Ballygonan; Boggan, Gowtown.

Wenford District:—Messrs.—Lacy, Main St.; Rev. M. Kelly; Very Rev. M. Kavanagh; J. J. Devereux, Dunagh; O'Connor, Main St.; Codd, Newtown; Ryan, Westgate; Ryan, Ballygonan; Harpur, Main St.; Scallan, Main St.; Redmond, Clarence House, and Farby, Main St.

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

Read Letter from
stating that dated

Postmaster. Generals Order for Sanitary
Salaries for half-year. £31:5:0 received.
Ordered - To be signed and Lodged.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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

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

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

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

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

7th day of April 1888.

Number of females for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. accommodated on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Able-bodied.	Total.	
Work house,	731	408								
Temporary Buildings,										
Additional Workhouse,	81	32								
Permanent Fever Hospital										
Fever Sheds,										
TOTAL,	812	440								

Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	5	11	155	166	30	25	31	6	34	463	Under Medical treatment, Incurable wards.	179	In separate Wards.	123
Admitted during the week.	9	3	6	7	2	2	1	2	·	32	Under Medical treatment, Fever Hospital.	32	In Wards with other lunatics.	1
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	Total,	211	Total,	23
TOTAL,	14	14	161	173	32	27	32	8	35	496	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Discharged during the week.	8	5	20	9	2	4	4	1	2	55	No. Received during week	6	M	1
Died,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	No. in Workhouse at date	.	P	1
Total Discharged and Dead,	8	5	20	9	2	4	4	2	2	56	Total	0	Children under 15	Total
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	9	141	164	30	23	28	6	33	440	No. at corresponding period last year	423		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the

7th day of April

1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	(Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		(Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	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.	
No. I.	268	516			268 516
No. II.	189	348			189 348
TOTAL,	457	864			457 864

Comparative No. last year ... 965
Cost, £37 9:6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the Seventh day of April 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs:- Edmond Moore,
 Chas. H. Peacocke, Mick Simott,
 James McGrath, John J. Hayes,
 Hugh McGuire, Patti Chandler,
 William Pettit,
 Wm Coghlan Jr.,
 Edward Walsh.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the Seventh
day of April 1888

Signed,

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Clerk of the Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1176 to No. 1207 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector,	Name of Electoral Division,	Collected and Lodged,		Remaining.
		£	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	-	-	70 12 .
	TOTAL,	-	-	70 12 0
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardearan	-	-	100 7
	Ardealm,	-	-	85 13
	Artramong,	-	-	133 14 4
	Drinagh,	-	-	114 15 10
	Killinick,	-	-	133 17 8
	Kilpatrick,	-	-	69 6 3
	Kilscuran,	-	-	104 11 8
	Lady's Island,	-	-	178 8 10
	Mayglass,	-	-	91 12 11
	Rathaspeck,	-	-	149 2 6
	Rosslare,	-	-	95 17 8
	St. Helens,	-	-	117 12 7
	Tacumshane,	-	-	76 14 5
	TOTAL,	-	-	446 9 8
NICHOLAS O'H WALSH	Aughwilliam,	-	-	67 10
	Ballymitty,	-	-	102 16 9
	Carraig,	-	-	91 16 1
	Forth,	-	-	90 8 6
	Glyn,	-	-	62 - 1
	Harcroftown,	-	-	97 7
	Kilbride,	-	-	63 4 10
	Killarin,	-	-	98 18 8
	Taghmon,	-	-	145 4 2
	Whitchurch,	-	-	86 9 2
	TOTAL,	-	-	895 6 1
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	-	-	28 19 10 85 6 3
	Bridgetown,	-	-	5 15 97 9 8
	Duncormack,	-	-	131 8 1
	Harristown,	-	-	5 18 6 91 15
	Kilcoran,	-	-	9 1 10 39 3 4
	Killag,	-	-	3 5 2 88 14 9
	Kilmore,	-	-	156 7 11
	Newcastle,	-	-	2 19 9 40 7 2
	Tomhaggard,	-	-	3 11 4 62 4 2
	TOTAL,	-	-	59 11 5792 16 4
	TOTAL.....	-	-	59 11 5320 5 4 1

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, ... £ 136 : 8 : 3

Paid during the week, £ 822 : 1 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2,167 : 2 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and have been examined and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(8) The Clerk's Account of his Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting £ 9:18:0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 38 s. 12d. 1.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

£ s. d.
48:17:6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

£ s. d.
2:9

Average cost in Infirmary,

£ s. d.
3:9

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

£ s. d.
5:6

Hall Diet,

£ s. d.
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:-

580 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

12 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

40 Gallons Buttermilk,

460 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,	3 lbs Tobacco.
Barrels of Porter,	2 Pair of Hinges
Bottles of Brandy,	150 Pieces of Larch
6 Bottles of Gin,	1 Pair wheels.
70 Dozs. of Eggs,	2 Handles.
lbs. Dipt. Candles,	2 bags of Cement.
4 Gallons of Barm,	1 Sausepans.
Ton of Soap,	
Cwt. of Soda,	
lbs. of Starch,	
lbs. of Blue,	
Tons of Coal,	
14 lbs Malt,	
1 " Hops,	

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
9	No. I. MURPHY.	21		
10	No. II. DILLON.	20		
Total,		£ 41		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£ s. d.
Meat	14 12 7
Registration.	10 18 10
Rates (Labs Acto.)	5 12 7
Pigs.	4 16
Salary.	2 10
Oils &c	4 12 3
Cottages	20
"	40
Land (Labs Acto.)	40
Postage on Reg Forms	10
Total £ 203 19 5	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7 day of April 1888, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	38:2:6
In Kind,	1:6:0

Total £ 39:8:6.

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

£ . s.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

*I sold 4 pigs on the fair of the 3rd for £13:7:6,
 and bought 4 for £4:16:0.*

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

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

how he could have given the Inspector such figures and wrote his explanation as follows:—

"I stated to Mr Bourke that of the 150 people on Infirm Diet that 60 of these were Healthy people.

- I have no recollection of using the word "able-bodied".
- There were not over thirty able-bodied in the house at
- on that date, 12 of which were on No 1 and 2 Diet."

The Clerk was then directed to submit the above statement to the Medical Officer and to insert ~~is~~ on the Minutes any statement he (the Medical Officer) should wish to make. The following is the Doctor's reply:

"I have no further statement to make except that I now hope Mr Bourke will see that his figures were not "approximately correct". It is a great hardship for an Officer who has always endeavoured to do his duty, to be brought without the slightest cause before the Local Government Board and the Public."

M. J. Sheridan M. D.

Tender accepted —

Mrs Gaffney - 80 tons of Best Newport Coal
at 13⁹/₉ per ton.

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

No 12.701. 4 April 1888. Expressing their approval to the payment of sums of £1 and 10⁹/₀ to Relieving Officers Murphy and Dillon respectively for their services under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, for the half-year ended 20th March 1888.

No. 13.860. 6 April 1888. Referring to the Medical Officer's explanation in last Minutes respecting the number of Healthy Inmates placed on Infirm Diet by the Medical Officer, as referred to in Mr Bourke's report; and stating that the numbers were given to him by the Master, and that Mr Bourke still thinks that they were approximately correct on the date of his inspection. Mr Bourke never doubted that the Medical Officer had good reasons for acting as he did, and that he had only called attention to the matter in order to prevent any chance of the practice becoming an abuse. The Clerk.

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

Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, *Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.*

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 Clerk stated that he heard from Dr. Pierce that Dr. Tigott, Medical Officer of Taghmon District was very ill with Fever, and was being attended by Dr. Cardiff and Dr. Pierce—The latter of whom has been performing his duties since Monday.

Ordered—The Clerk to communicate with the Secretary of the Committee, informing him of the facts. The Committee are summoned for the 16th inst.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	24
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	82
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	—
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	—
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	—
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	—

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of April 1888

14th

Signed,

(Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the District, having been received from

him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same, or reported that he had

forwarded the same, (as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the

use of the Guardians.

Dispensary

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

Wexford Committee of Management, met on the 6th.
Present—Messrs. Coghlan (Chairman), Greene, T. J. Redmond,
John Redmond, Ryan, Chandler, Lacy, Farley, O'Brien,
Peacocke Esq., Walsh, Revd. Kelly and Dr. Sheridan.

The following Elections were made:—

Chairman:—Wm Coghlan Esq. R.N.R + J.P.

Vice-Chairman:—Captain Chandler.

Hon. Secretary:—Rev. M. Kelly.

Hon. Ass't Sec:—T. J. Redmond, Esq.

Medical Officer reported, nine cases of Scarletina came under his notice during the past couple of weeks, one of which proved fatal in a few hours after its onset. The District is at present free from the

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.

Disease. Whooping Cough prevails among
the young children.

This to be entered on The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, and to appoint, after the Annual 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 on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee. was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr.

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

No 6,258 . 4 April 1888 . Requesting to be informed if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, in the Bridgetown District have yet complied with the Law,
Ordered:- The Relieving Officer to report by next Board-Day.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Wenford - 62 cases 9 unfit.
Crossabeg - 10 cases 4 unfit.

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows
That the Relieving Officers serve the usual notices

Mr Murphy - Rent Collector reported that two of the tenants in his District were in arrears

ordered - That these tenants be pressed to reduce their arrears.

Applications for change of sites were received in Nos. 42, 75 and 119 and the Guardians approved of the alternate sites offered; they directed what steps be taken to have the changes carried out.

Patrick Codd

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

day of April 1888

Signed,

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.
14th day of April 1888.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.	
								Able-bodied	Males Fem. Males Fem. Boys Girls	Total	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse	731	420										
Temporary Buildings												
Infirmary Workhouse	81	25										
Permanent Fever Hospital												
Fever Sheds												
TOTAL	812	445										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	6	9	141 164 30	23 28	6	33 440						
Admitted during the week.	14		10 10 2		1	37						
Born												
TOTAL	20	9	151 174 32	23 28	7	33 477						
Discharged during the week.	7	2	8 6 2	2 2 2			29					
Died			2									
Total Discharged and Dead.	7	2	10 6 2	2 2 2	9	32						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	13	7	141 168 30 21	26 6	33 445							
												No. at corresponding period last year 414

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of April 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	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.	Number of cases relieved.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	268	518			268	578
No. II.	189	345			189	345
TOTAL.	457	863			457	863

Comparative No. } last year } 975

Cost, £38: 8: 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 14th day of April 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esqr. Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs: - Wm Coghlan R.T.R.,
Chas H. Peacocke P.P., Patti Scallan,
Peter Cassin, James Kehoe,
John Hayes, Bernard H. Roche P.P.,
Stephen Rose, John Breen,
Nicholas Simott,
Hugh McGuire,
Patti Chandler,
Mick Browne.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1208 to No. 1244 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,		70 12
	TOTAL,		70 12 0
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan	10	89 11 9
	Ardcolm,	14	70 17 6
	Artramong,	13	120 3 1
	Drinagh,	-	114 15 10
	Killinick,	14	119 13 7
	Kilpatrick,	4	64 7 6
	Kilscuran,	-	104 11 8
	Lady's Island,	51	122 3 4
	Mayglass,	-	91 12 11
	Rathaspeck,	-	149 2 6
	Rossare,	11	84 9 8
	St. Helen's,	-	117 12 7
	Tucumshane,	6	70 7 8
	TOTAL,	123 0 0	1319 9 7
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,	1 10 6	55 10 4
	Ballymitty,	16 12 8	86 4 1
	Carraig,	9 10 4	82 5 9
	Forth,	5 8 6	85
	Glynn,	5 10 6	56 9 7
	Harperstown,	14 7	83
	Kilbride,	9 4 8	54 2
	Killucin,	4 3 1	94 15 7
	Taghmon,	14 1 7	131 2 7
	Whitechurch,	5 18 9	80 10 5
	TOTAL,	86 7 7	808 18 6
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannew,	-	85 6 3
	Bridgetown,	-	97 9 8
	Duncormack,	-	131 8 1
	Harristown,	-	91 15
	Kilcrean,	-	39 3 4
	Killag,	-	88 14 9
	Kilmare,	-	156 7 11
	Newcastle,	-	40 7 2
	Tomhaggard,	-	62 4 2
	TOTAL,	-	792 16 4
	TOTAL.....	209 7 7	299 16 5

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, £ 222 : 13 : 1

Paid during the week, £ 294 : 7 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2115 : 8 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were found to have been correctly contained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(21) £ 7 : 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 £ 50 s16 d3.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

£ s. d.
69 : 2 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

£ s. d.
3 - 0

Average cost in Infirmary,

£ s. d.
3 - 11

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

£ s. d.
5 - 6

Hall Diet,

£ s. d.
2 - 0

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

479 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

12 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

460 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

7 lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

6 Bottles of Gin,

72 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dpt. Candles,

4 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

4 lbs. of Blue,

83 Tons of Coal,

4 lbs. Malt,

1 " Hops,

4 lbs Snw B.
20 Pieces Linen
4 St. Nails
4 Planks

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
22	I. MURPHY.	20		
23	II. DILLON.	19		
	Total, ...	£ 39		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£ s. d.
Rourke	Meat. 12 2 1
Doyle	Leather. 8 3 3
Caravan	Med. App. 28
Boyd	Registrations 2 6 6
Thom & Co	Labs. acts. 2 14
Ogle	Co. Cess 3 9 10
Rosetta	Cottages 30
Sinnott	" 30
Wall	Reclaiming 2 10
	Total - £ 165 7 5

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.

2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14th day of April 1888, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, 38 : 8 : 6
In Kind, 9 : 6
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Total 38 : 18 : 0

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

Mr. Malone, ; Mr. Ryan,

Sale made over ten per cent during the week.

Committee required to take clothing stock.
Messrs. Peacocke J.P., Coghlan J.P., Chandler and
Maguire were appointed and kindly consented to
act on Thursday the 19th inst.

Stone yard completed as ordered by Committee.

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

*The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month.)—number of
successful cases —*

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

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

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

One of the Rate Collectors (Mr Nicholas Moore) attended and had his Books inspected by a Committee of the Guardians. There were several cases pointed out to him that in the Guardians opinions ought to have been collected — and he was ordered to attend in 3 weeks time and again submit his Books.

The other Collectors are to attend next Saturday.

There were four applicants for the office of Assistant Shoemakers. Mr Laurence Brew was elected at the following prices:—

		s d
Men's Shoes :-	at	1: 6
		per pair
Women's Shoes :-	"	1: 4
		" "
Boys' Bustards:-	"	1: 3
		" "
Girls' Boots:-	"	1: 3
		" "

14 & 15 Vic. c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, *Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman of the Board.*

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	30
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	2
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

Matriot, Two Rate Collectors and Two Relieving Officers Bonds are not properly executed or are informal.

Ordered—New Bonds to be made out and perfected.

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

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

21st

day of April

1888

Signed,

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr.	for	Amount, £
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Bannow Committee of Management:

Met on the 11th and elected the following Officers:-

Chairman :-	James E. Mayler.
Vice Do :-	Arthur Keating.
Hon sec :-	John Breen.
Assis. Do :-	Vacant.

This to be entered on The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, and to the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual 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.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 18th, 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 had been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District, dated 29th November, 1869.]

18

District,	£
District,	£
District,	£
District,	£

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).

WEXFORD UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883-1886.

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Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

Population in 1881—38,745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

21st day of April 1888

Resolved — That application be made to the Local Government Board for a further Instalment of the loan of £12,000, the mortgage of which was made on the 24 September 1887.

(The Guardians have already received a sum of £4,900 of this loan and have built and completed 49 houses which are now occupied. They have accepted Contracts for 71 houses and they now apply for the First Instalment for these 71 houses).

The Clerk of Works reported that the Work was going on satisfactorily except in two cases — one, where an inferior quality of Slating Nails were used, and the other where there appeared to be a bad "settle" in a house which had been built first high. He recommended that the Contractor be obliged to strip and properly reslate that part of the house where Inferior slating Nails had been used — and that where the "settlement" occurred, the work to be taken down.

Ordered — The Clerk of Works recommendation to be carried out.

Mr Dillow, Rent Collector reported that 27 tenants were in arrears of more than 5 shillings.

Ordered — That the Rent Collector visit each tenant and get an explanation as to when the arrears shall be cleared off and submit it to the Board within 2 weeks.

Patrick Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the Twenty-first
day of April 1888.

Signed,

[Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

Clerk of the Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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Number of females 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 5 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 2 years of age.		Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.
					Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.			
Work house, Barns next Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Peter Sheds.	731422	81 25	Able-bodied.										
TOTAL	812 447												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	13	7	141	168	30	21	26	6	33	445	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards	181	In separate Wards
Admitted during the week.	10	1	8	5	1	2	1	1	28		Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	25	In Wards with other inmates
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		Total	206	Total 222
TOTAL	23	8	149	173	30	22	28	7	33473				
Discharged during the week.	11	2	5	3	-	-	2	-	1	24	No. Received during week	9	-
Died	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	No. in Workhouse at date	-	-
Total Discharged and Dead	11	2	5	3	-	-	2	1	1	26			0
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	6	143	170	30	22	26	6	32447		No. at corresponding period last year	403	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of April 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1, not comprised in sec. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1, not comprised in sec. I.		Cases.	Persons.
	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.		
No. I.	268	518			268	518
No. II.	192	350			192	350
TOTAL.	460	868			460	868

Comparative No. last year ... 965
Cost, £37: 11: 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the Twenty-first day of April 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

James Kehoe,	Chas H. Peacock Esq.	Thomas Kehoe.
Patk Chandler,	Hugh McGuire,	Matthew Durhan.
Mickl. Browne,	John Hayes,	Edward. Walsh.

Messrs: — William Coghlan J.P.,
Chas H. Peacock Esq.
Hugh McGuire,
John Hayes,

Thomas Kehoe.
Matthew Durhan.
Edward. Walsh.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1245 to No. 1272 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.
		£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				70 12 .
	TOTAL,				70 12 .
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcaran				89 11 9
	Ardcolm,				70 17 6
	Artramont,				120 3 1
	Drinagh,				114 15 10
	Killinick,				119 13 7
	Kilpatrick,				64 7 6
	Kilsoran,				104 11 8
	Lady's Island,				122 3 4
	Mayglass,				91 12 11
	Rathaspeck,				149 2 6
	Rosslare,				84 9 8
	St. Helen's,				117 12 7
	Taumshane,				70 7 8
	TOTAL,				1319 9 7
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,				55 10 4
	Ballynatty,				86 4 1
	Carrig,				82 5 9
	Farth,				85
	Glyn,				56 9 7
	Harperstown,				83
	Kilbride,				54 2
	Killuria,				94 15 7
	Taghman,				131 2 7
	Whitechurch,				80 10 5
	TOTAL,				808 18 6
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,				85 6 3
	Bridgetown,				68 . 8
	Duncormack,				131 8 1
	Harristown,				91 15
	Kilevyan,				7 7 1 31 16 3
	Killag,				18 8 9 70 12
	Kilmore,				35 17 3 120 9 8
	Newcastle,				40 7 2
	Touhaggard,				10 17 8 57 6 6
	TOTAL,				101 19 9 691 . 9
	TOTAL.....				101 19 9 2890 . 8.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £101 : 19 : 9.

Paid during the week, £136 : 8 : 4.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £2,081 : - : 2.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, for every County having been presented and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(33) The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 7 : 15 : 3 . was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 51 s. 5 d. 9 .

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoive Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 58 : 12 : 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 : 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5 : 1

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:-

472 $\frac{1}{4}$ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

$\frac{1}{2}$ Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

5 Doz. of Wine,

$\frac{1}{2}$ Barrels of Porter,

4 $\frac{1}{2}$ Doz. " "

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

65 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dpt. Candles,

Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

3 lbs Tobacco.

2 pair Hinges.

2 Locks.

1 Bolt

2 Galvanized Cans.

6 Candles.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
34	I. MURPHY.	20		
35	II. DILLON.	19		
Total,		£ 39		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	11	18	7
Gassett	5	2	
Browne	2	10	
Kearns	5		
Marlow	2	6	3
Gaffney	55	14	2
Allen	5	11	8
Whitty & Morris	50		
Doyle	30		
Total	£ 214	17	11

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21st day of April 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	... 37 : 3 : 6
In Kind,	... ...	... 1 : 0 : 0

Total £ 38 : 3 : 6
Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases.—

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

Messrs Peacocke J.P., Chandler and McGuire took Clothing Stock on the 19th.

The following were condemned and ordered to be taken off the Clothing Bads:—

Bedding:—118 sheets, 22 Blankets, 38 Rugs, 13 Tickets,
69 Bolsters & cases.

Men's Clothing:—14 Vests, 33 Trousers, 78 Shirts, 15 Shoes,
47 Stockings, 10 Caps & Hats, 4 Handkerchiefs, 32 Gammill
Waist Coats, 17 Drawers.

Women's Clothing:—25 Wrappers, 67 Petticoats, 57 Shifts,
90 aprons, 22 Neckerschiefs, 41 Shoes, 38 Stockings, 7 Caps,
18 Bodies, 12 Shawls.

Boy's Clothing:—15 Coats, 10 Vests, 13 Trousers, 7 Shirts,
11 Shoes, 13 Stockings, 12 Caps.

Girls' Clothing:—16 Frocks, 31 Petticoats, 17 Shifts, 63 Bibs,
15 Shoes, 29 Stockings and 14 Hats.

Sundries:—5 Table Cloths, 15 Rollers & Towels
and 20 Window Blinds.

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

Boys are clean and well-behaved, the Room clean and in good order.

Female School:— The six girls examined had made satisfactory progress during the year and had evidently been taught with care. They were scrupulously clean as was also the Schoolroom.

The Guardians expressed satisfaction at the report.

No. 16,089. Approving of the appointment of Mr Lawrence Breen as Assistant Shoemaker of the Workhouse.

Mrs Dwyer Gray wrote (April 19th '88) thanking the Guardians for their vote of sympathy on the occasion of the death of Mr Gray.

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

No. 16,420. 20 April 1888. Enclosing copies of Communications which they have received from the Commissioners of National Education relating to their Inspector's report on the Workhouse Schools:—

Infant School:— They have been carefully taught during the year. They appear to be kindly treated and happy. Both Children and Schoolroom were clean and tidy.

Male School:— The progress during the past eleven months may be described as satisfactory, and the attainments of all classes are higher than at the beginning of that period. The Subjects in which the proficiency is still low are Grammer and Agriculture. The Discipline appears to be good.

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.}

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 21st day of April 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Patrick Codd Esqr. Chairman.
Present—In the Chair,

Other Guardians.

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	...	...	9
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	<u>—</u>
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	28

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	<u>—</u>
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	<u>—</u>

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	<u>—</u>
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The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	<u>—</u>
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the Twenty Eighth
day of April 1888.

Signed,

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An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 theron as follows:—

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Dispensary District having been received from in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 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.

Dispensary

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

Tigheen + Glynn District. Committee of Management met on the 16th. There were 11 members present, when the following Officers were elected for the incoming year.

Chairman:— Mr. John Ryan.

Vice-Chairman:— Mr. John Roche.

Hon Secretary:— Mr. S. Prendergast.

Hon Assis. Sec:— Mr. Bartle Brennan.

The first Fair-day in each Month was appointed the day of meeting. Hours - 2 o'clock P.M.

The following Certificate was received concerning Dr. Tigott's illness — certify that Dr. Tigott is now slowly

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):—

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount, £
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"recovering from his recent severe attack of Low Fever, and Congestion of Lung and that he will not under the most favourable circumstances be able to resume duty in less than a month."

Joseph R. Cardiff. M.D."

"14th April 1888"

Ordered— That Dr Pigott have leave of absence for a month from this date and that Dr Pierse, who is doing duty for him be allowed remuneration for his services.

Dr Pierse commenced doing Dr Pigott's duty on the 2nd of April and the Guardians recommend that he be allowed a sum of 3 guineas per week for his services until the 14th of May; which sum the Local Government Board is respectfully requested to sanction.

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

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

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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

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District,	£
District,	£
District,	£
District,	£

[This to be entered on The Board elect the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return according to the Local Government Board, and to appoint of every new Dispensary District, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return according to the Local Government Board, and to point after the Annual 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 on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee, 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.

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

Order dated

(state subject).

No. 16. 224. Acknowledging the Receipt of the Guardians application for a further instalment of the Loan of £12,000, and stating that they have recommended the Commissioners of Public Works to issue to the Guardians a further sum of £3,325.

A formal Application was then prepared and signed by the Chairman and Clerk.

Patrick Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the Twenty-Eighth

day of April 1888.

Signed,

James D'Arcy

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.
28th day of April 1888.

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Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
				Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Works over, Persons next Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheets.	731429	81 8	Able-bodied.													
TOTAL,	812437															
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	12 6	143 170	30 22 26	6	32 447											
Admitted during the week.	11 4	4 4	6 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	30				
Born	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -	-				
TOTAL,	23 10	147 174	36 23 26	6	32 447											
Discharged during the week.	12 5	5 6	1 5 2	1	1 38											
Died	- - -	- - -	1 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,	12 5	6 7	1 5 2	1	1 40											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	11 5	141 167	35 18 24	5	31 437											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 28th day of April 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1, not comprised in sec. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. I.		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.	267	516			267	516
No. II.	195	355			195	355
TOTAL,	462	871			462	871

Comparative No. last year ... 987
Cost, £37: 7: 0.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 28th day of April 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esqr, Chairman.
Other Guardians:

Messrs:-	Chas. H. Peacocke J.P.,	Patrick Scallan
Nicks Prendergast	Wm Coghlan J.P.	Mickl. Linnott
John Codd	Edmund Moore	John Redmond
James Kehoe (B)	Matthew Durkan	Patk Chandler
James Codd	Martin Murphy	Bernard H. Roche J.P.
Stephen Rouse	John Linnott	
James Kehoe (M.)	Mickl. Murphy	

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1273 to No. 1302 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector,	Name of Electoral Division,	Collected and Lodged,	Remaining,
		£ s. d.	£ s. -
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,		70 12 -
	TOTAL,		70 12 -
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan	15	74 8
	Ardcolm,	70 17	6
	Artramong,	80 18	8
	Drinagh,	114 15	10
	Killinick,	9	110 3
	Kilpatrick,	10	55 5
	Kilscaran,	26	78 9
	Lady's Island,	23	98 16
	Magglass,	7	84 7
	Rathaspeck,	16	149 2
	Rosslare,	68 2	6
	St. Helen's,	117 12	7
	Tacumshane,	10	60 11
	TOTAL,	155 -	1163 12 1
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,		55 10
	Ballymitty,	4 1	86
	Carrig,	5 9	82
	Forth,	-	85
	Glynn,	9 7	56
	Harperstown,	83	
	Kilbride,	2	54
	Killarin,	15 7	94
	Taghman,	2 7	131
	Whitechurch,	10 6	80
	TOTAL,		808 18 6
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	6 3	85
	Bridgetown,	7 8	97
	Duncormack,	8 1	131
	Harristown,	15 -	71
	Kilcrean,	3 4	39
	Killag,	14 9	81
	Kilmore,	7 11	156
	Newcastle,	7 2	40
	Tomhaggard,	4 2	62
	TOTAL,		792 16 4
	TOTAL.....	155 -	2835 18 11

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 155 : 0 : 0.

Paid during the week, £ 192 : 7 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2043 : 12 : 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.

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
(45) £ 5 : 8 : 0 . was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 56 s. 12 d. -

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. ... 56 : 8 : 4

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ...

2 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. ...

3 : 6

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...

5 : 0

Average cost in Infirmary, ...

1 : 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...

5 : 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:-

470 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

1/2 Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

28 lbs. of Lump Sugar,

1/2 Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

63 Dozs. of Eggs,

28 lbs. Dipt. Candles,

4 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

6 lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

14 Malt,

1 Hops,

300 yds Blay Calico.

4 lbs Pitch

4 " Resin

25 lb white Lead

4 lbs Shoe Nails

6 " Pegs

500 8" Nails

2 Latches

2 gall Colya Oil.

12 doz Black Lead

6 " Pink Tins

1 " Washing Boards

2 " Clothes Pins

2 " Fresh for the

Half a cwt for Hospital

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28th day of April 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	36	6	0
In Kind,	2	3	6
Total	38	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, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:-

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
46	I. MURPHY.	20		
47	II. DILLON.	19		
Total,		£39		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
48 Cowke	Meat	11	17
49 O'Connor	School Boards	8	15
50 Parle	Cottages	116	5
51 Underwood	"	47	
52 Doyle	"	20	
53 Power	Chimney (Lab's Cott)	3	15
		254	9

	£	s.	d.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

A mason required for a couple of days to
repair flagging of Laundry Floor, &c.
Ordered : That a Mason be employed.

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

*The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of
successful cases —*

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

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

5th -

day of May 1888.

Signed,
John Morris
Clerk of the Union.

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

14 & 15 Vic., c 68. }

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

Saturday, the 28th day of April 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, *Patrick Codd Esqr. Chairman.*

Other Guardians: Messrs: Peacocke, &c., &c., &c.,
&c. &c.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 15

Ditto, disallowed —

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 30

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

Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians —

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was —

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered —

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

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

On application of the Committee of Management of the 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
stating that

dated

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

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

Bannow

7 Cases.

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

That the Relieving Officer serve the usual Notice.

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 : -]

From the Office of Public Works, Dublin.
In order for First and second Instalments
of a Loan for 71 houses - amounting to £ 3,325.
It was signed by the Chairman and Clerk and
Lodged to the credit of the Union.

Patrick Codd

WEXFORD UNION.

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Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

5th day of May 1888.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirmary persons, 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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.	OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Total	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	Total	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.					
Work house, Permanent Buildings,	731	734	Able-bodied.														
Additional Workhouse,																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	81	7															
Fever Sheds,																	
TOTAL,	812	441															
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	11	5	141	167	35	18	24	5	31	437	179	122					
Admitted during the week.	32	8	8	10	-	2	4	2	-	66							
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3							
TOTAL,	43	13	149	179	35	20	28	7	34	506							
Discharged during the week.	21	6	14	11	3	4	4	1	-	64							
Died,	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1							
Total Discharged and Dead,	21	6	15	11	3	4	4	1	-	65							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	122	7	134	166	32	16	24	6	34	441							

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 5th day of May 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1		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 Ap- plicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Ap- plicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	266	512			266	512
No. II.	196	361			196	361
TOTAL,	462	873			462	873

Comparative No. last year 987

Cost, £ 38 : 8 : 9.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 5th day of May 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs:- Edmond Hare,
James Codd
Francis Prendergast
Patrick Lambert
Thomas Kehoe
James Daly
Patrick Scallan
Thomas Cashin
Mick Sinnott
William Pettitt
John Fortune
Chas H. Peacocke J.P.
James M. Grath
John Sinnott

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

5th

day of May 1888

Signed,

James O'Farrell
Clerk of the Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1304 to No. 1371 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	-	-	-	70	12	-
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	70	12	-
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan	-	-	-	74	8	
	Ardealm,	-	-	-	70	17	6
	Artemont,	-	-	-	80	18	10
	Drinagh,	-	-	-	114	15	10
	Killinick,	-	-	-	110	3	9
	Kilpatrick,	-	-	-	55	5	3
	Kilsoran,	-	-	-	78	9	10
	Lady's Is'and,	-	-	-	98	16	8
	Mayglass,	-	-	-	84	7	5
	Rathaspach,	-	-	-	149	2	6
	Rosslare,	-	-	-	68	2	
	St. Helen's,	-	-	-	117	12	7
	Tucumshane,	-	-	-	60	11	11
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	1163	12	1
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughueilliam,	-	-	-	3	13	4
	Ballymitty,	-	-	-	28	8	1
	Carrig,	-	-	-	15	14	4
	Forth,	-	-	-	9	15	3
	Glyn,	-	-	-	3	3	6
	Harperstone,	-	-	-	16	1	4
	Killbride,	-	-	-	19	19	.
	Killuvin,	-	-	-	5	15	5
	Taghmon,	-	-	-	14	2	
	Whitechurch,	-	-	-	22	15	6
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	139	6	11
					669	11	7
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	-	-	-	6	10	5
	Bridgetown,	-	-	-	2	-	1
	Duncormack,	-	-	-	31	9	10
	Harristown,	-	-	-	32	17	7
	Kilevaran,	-	-	-	3	12	2
	Killag,	-	-	-	9	7	
	Kilmore,	-	-	-	13	3	
	Newcastle,	-	-	-	1	-	3
	Tomhaggard,	-	-	-	16	-	9
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	116	9	4
					574	7	3
	TOTAL.....	-	-	-	255	16	3
					2478	2	11

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, £ 3. 580 = 0 = 0.

Paid during the week, £ 282 = 17 = 6.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 5. 3 4 1 = 11 = 5.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, after being having been examined and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
(54) £ 5 : 12 : 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 98 s. 1 d. 1.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 56.17.5

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, £ 3.7

Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 5.0

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:-

454 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

1 Stone of "

1 Ton of Indian Meal,

1 Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

62 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

5 Gallons of Barm,

1/2 Ton of Soap,

1 Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

1 Quarrying Drill.

4 lbs Blasting Powder.

1 Box Lamp Wicks.

2 pr Hinges.

1 Latch.

4 Bolts.

2 Files.

3 Dog Screws.

1 Plank.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. <i>A</i>	By Order on Contractors.	
				Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
55	I.	MURPHY.	20		
56	II.	DILLON.	19		
Total ...			£ 39		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	11	9	7
Malone	13	7	1
Maddock	14	12	11
Kayes	11	16	9
Ryan	10	1	6
Cleary	8	4	10
Doyle	5		
Rowe	42	5	3
Godkin & Co	11	7	
Simott	28		4
Connick	4	4	
Williams	2	10	
Bank of Ireland Loans	429	19	3
O'Reiffe	24		
Lambert	24		4
O'Connor	70		
Total £	755	10	10

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 May 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	1	14	0

Total £ 38.7.6.

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 12 ; Mr. Maddock, 10½ ;
Mr. Malone, 12 ; Mr. Ryan, 11

Isaac Noy - an ablebodied Inmate - struck
a man named Michael Connolly, this
morning and cut his face.

Ordered — To be summoned before the
magistrates

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of
successful cases —

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

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

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

From General Valuation Office . 1 May 1888.

Stating that the Annual Revision of the Valuation of the Union will be commenced by Mr John Farmer on the 16th May.

Ordered - That advertisements be issued notifying the facts.

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 5th day of May 1888.
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esqr., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

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	...	...	38
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	66
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	3
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

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

12th

day of May 1888

Signed,

[Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.]

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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:— Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the 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. Dispensary District

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

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board
stating that

No. 17401. 2 May 1888. Expressing their sanction of the remuneration of £3 : 3 : 0. a week proposed to be allowed to Dr Purse for his services as temporary substitute of Dr Pigott, of Yaghonow, under the circumstances stated in the Minutes.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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

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

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

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

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

Mr Murphy, Rent Collector reported that one tenant was in arrears.

Ordered - That the tenant be requested to pay 2 shillings per week until the arrears are paid up.

Patrick Codd

WEXFORD UNION.

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Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of May 1888

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	Aged and Infirm persons, 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Able-bodied.	Total.	
Workhouse,	781	421								
Fever and Buildings, Permanent Workhouse,										
Temporary Fever Hospital	81	3								
Fever Sheds,										
TOTAL.	812	424	Males. Fem. Males Fem. Boys. Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.			
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	22	7	134 166	32 16	24 6	34 441				
Admitted during the week.	19	6	9 8	2 4	3	1 52				
Born	-	-	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -			
TOTAL.	41	13	143 174	34 70	27 6	35 493				
Discharged during the week.	28	8	10 10	1 2	3	4 2	68			
Died,	-	-	1 -	- -	- -	- -	1			
Total Discharged and Dead.	28	8	11 10	1 2	3	4 2	69			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	13	5	132 164	33 18	24 2	33 424				No. at corresponding period last year 391

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 12th day of May 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

12th day of May

1888

May

1888

authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vie. 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.	Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	
No. I.	266	515			266 515
No. II.	197	364			197 364
TOTAL.	463	879			463 879

Comparative No. } last year ... 987.
Cost, £37:17:6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 12th day of May 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs: Wm Coghlan J.P.R.N.R.	Richd. Simott	Richd. Simott
Andrew Denereux	James Codd	Jathk Scallan
Edmund Rose	Peter Cassin	Stephen Rowle
Hugh Gillane	James Kehoe	James Furlong
Wm Petitt	James Breen	John Hayes
Patt Chandler	John Simott	Chas H. Peacocke J.P.
Michael Murphy	Mickl. Browne	Edward Walsh
Bernard H. Rose J.P.		

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

day of May 1888

Signed,

James O'Conor

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1372 to No. 1423 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.	
		£	s.	d.	£	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				70	12.
	TOTAL,				70	12.
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcaun				74	8
	Ardeholm,	-	-	-	47	3 1
	Artraman,	-	-	-	80	18 10
	Drinagh,	-	-	-	36	78 11 6
	Killinick,	-	-	-	7	103 12
	Kilpatrick,	-	-	-	8	46 9
	Kilsoran,	-	-	-		78 9 10
	Lady's Island,	-	-	-	17	81 19 7
	Mayglass,	-	-	-		84 7 5
	Rathaspeck,	-	-	-	13	135 16 2
	Rosslare,	-	-	-	25	48 12 8
	St. Helens,	-	-	-	24	90 1 11
	Tacumshane,	-	-	-		60 11 11
	TOTAL,				157	- - 1006 1 11
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,	-	-	-		57 17 4
	Ballymitty,	-	-	-		57 16 .
	Carraig,	-	-	-		66 11 5
	Forth,	-	-	-		75 4 9
	Glynn,	-	-	-		53 6 4
	Harpstown,	-	-	-		66 18 8
	Kilbride,	-	-	-		34 1 2
	Killuria,	-	-	-		89 . 2
	Taghmon,	-	-	-		117 . 7
	Whitechurch,	-	-	-		57 14 11
	TOTAL,					669 11 7
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	-	-	-		78 15 10
	Bridgetown,	-	-	-		66 . 7
	Duncormack,	-	-	-		99 18 3
	Harristown,	-	-	-		58 17 5
	Kilcoole,	-	-	-		28 4 1
	Killag,	-	-	-		60 19 .
	Kilmore,	-	-	-		107 7 8
	Newcastle,	-	-	-		39 6 11
	Tomhaggard,	-	-	-		34 17 6
	TOTAL,					574 17 3
	TOTAL.....				157	2320 7 9

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, £ 175.0.0.

Paid during the week, £ 765.16.7.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 4750.14.10.

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.

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.

(73) £ 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.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 53 s. 19 d. 7.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invenice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 53 . 4 . 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 . 6

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5 . -

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:-

438 3/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

1/2 Ton of Oatmeal,

50 Gallons Buttermilk,

480 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

7 lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon.

Doz. of Wine,

1/2 Barrell of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

6 Bottles of Gin,

58 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

4 Gallons of Barn,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

3 lbs Tobacco.

1 Flag 4 1/2 x 2 1/2 ft

6 dog Screws.

20 lbs Scale Candles.

1 Bellows and one

Frying pan for T. H.

4 lbs Blasting Powder

1 Coil of Fuse.

RELIEF DISTRICT. No.	Name of Relieving Officer. I.	By Check on Treasurer. £	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
74	I. MURPHY.	20		
75	II. DILLON.	18		
Total,		£ 38		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	11	1	10
Murphy	30		
Whitty & Morris	30		
Simott	46		
Underwood	30		
Rossiter	10		
Pierce	10		
Total	209	1	4

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last weekend Saturday, the 12th day of May 1888, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	... 37 : 1 : 6
In Kind,	... ...	1 : 1 : 6

Total £ 38 : 3 : 0

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT :

Cream per centage :—Mr. Cleary, 12 ; Mr. Hayes, 11 ; Mr. Maddock, 11 ;
Mr. Malone, 11 ; Mr. Ryan, 9½ .

Messrs. Ryan's, Cleary's and Hayes's milk is delivered an hour too late in the morning.
Ordered — That the Contractors be cautioned to have the milk in time henceforth.

Isaac Toy was brought before the Magistrates on Wednesday and got three days Imprisonment.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

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

Circular relating to the correct Registration of the religion of each pauper.

Ordered — The Master to attend to the Instructions contained therein.

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

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.}

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 12th day of May 1888.

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq. Chairman of the Board.

Other Guardians:

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 52

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

Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians -

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered -

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 19th
day of May 1888

Signed,

Dispensary

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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:—

Dispensary District

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the 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.

Dispensary

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

Dispensary

Dr Pierce reported that Dr Pigott was still very weak and unable to perform his duties.

Ordered — That the communication be sent to the secretary of the Dispensary Committee and that in the meantime he be allowed another week's leave of absence until the Committee meet.

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Burial Grounds :

The tenders of Michael Newport to do the fencing on the Boundary of Tomhaggars Burial Ground for a sum of £ 6:15:0 was accepted.

A Committee was appointed to meet on Thursday evening next to inspect and report as to the necessity of fencing the Ardavon Burial Ground.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject.	Particulars.

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

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

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

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

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

WEXFORD UNION.

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Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

19th day of May 1888

The tender of Laurence McLoughlin to become a tenant for the House at Carristown - Killrude E.D. was accepted at 1 shilling per week.

Mr Dillon, rent-collector, reported 8 tenants in arrear and was ordered to collect the rents and if not report in three weeks.

A complaint was lodged that the materials employed in building the House at Ballina Ardeavan E.D. was not according to specification.

A Committee was appointed to inspect and report by next Board-day.

Patrick Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of May 1888

Signed,
James O'Connor

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
								Males.	Fem.		
Work house,	731	415	Able-bodied.								
Temporary Buildings,											
Additinal Workhouse,	81	2									
Permanent Fever Hospital											
Fever Sheds.											
TOTAL.	812	417									
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	13	5	132	164	33	18	24	2	33	424	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary and Workhouse
Admitted during the week.	24	6	3	8	2	5	1	5	·	54	176 in separate wards.
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	In Workhouse with other patients
TOTAL.	37	11	135	172	35	23	25	7	34	479	Total Hospital 22
Discharged during the week.	25	8	5	5	3	4	4	·	6	60	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital
Died,	·	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	Total 178 Total 22
Total Discharged and Dead.	25	8	7	5	3	4	4	·	6	62	No. Received during week 18 5 4 27
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	3	128	167	32	19	21	7	28	41	No. in Workhouse at date · · · 0
											No. at corresponding period last year 389.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 19th day of May 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in see. I.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in see. I.		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.	
No. I.	265	518	·	·	265 518
No. II.	196	369	·	·	196 369
TOTAL.	461	587	·	·	461 587

Comparative No. last year 998.
Cost, £37 4 : 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 19th day of May 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esqr, Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Francis Prendergast	Patk Scallan	Messrs — Michael Sinnott, Nick Sinnott,
James McGrath	John Fortune	Martin Murphy
John Hayes	Mathew Druhan	James Kehoe
Chas H. Peacocke	Patk Chandler	John Redmond.
Patk Lambert	William Petitt	James Codd.

Signed,

James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1425 to No. 1478 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector,	Name of Electoral Division,	Collected and Lodged,	Remaining.		
			£	s.	d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,		70	12	.
	TOTAL,		70	12	.
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan		74	8	.
	Ardealm,		47	3	1
	Artramount,		80	18	10
	Drinagh,		78	11	6
	Killinick,		103	12	.
	Kilpatrick,		46	9	.
	Kilscuran,		78	9	10
	Lady's Island,		81	19	7
	Mayglass,		84	7	5
	Rathaspeck,		135	16	2
	Rossare,		43	12	8
	St. Helens,		90	1	11
	Taughishane,		60	11	11
	TOTAL,		1006	1	11
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,		57	17	4
	Ballymitty,		57	16	.
	Carraig,		66	11	5
	Forth,		75	4	9
	Glynn,		53	6	7
	Harristown,		66	18	8
	Kilbride,		34	1	2
	Killineen,		89	.	2
	Taghmao,		117	.	7
	Whitechurch,		57	14	11
	TOTAL,		669	11	7
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,		5	13	10
	Bridgetown,		9	6	57
	Duucormack,		21	4	10
	Harristown,		31	19	3
	Kilcarren,		1	6	8
	Killag,		1	18	9
	Kilmore,		14	15	5
	Newcastle,		2	12	3
	Tomhaggard,		7	17	11
	TOTAL,		96	9	5
	TOTAL.....		497	17	10
			96	9	5
			222	4	3
			4		

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, £ 96 : 9 : 5.

Paid during the week, £ 300 : 4 : 0.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 4. 547 : 0 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, and found to be in order, and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Account of his Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
83. £ 7 : 4 : 9. was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 48 s. 3 d. 2.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Inweise Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 50 . 12 . 4

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 . 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:-

426 3/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

30 Gallons Buttermilk,

460 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

57 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dpt. Candles,

3 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

3 pieces of Pitch pine.

1 Smoothing Iron.

4 lbs of Powder.

1 Coil of Fuse.

1 Board.

2 lbs Turnip Seed.

1 doz Bass. Brooms.

1 .. Sweeping Brushes.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
84 No. I.	MURPHY.	20		
85 No. II.	DILLON.	18		
Total,		£ 38		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
86	Rourke	10	15	10
87	Doyle	40	-	-
88	Pierce	10	-	-
Total £ 106		106	-	7

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 weekend Saturday, the 19th day of May 1888. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ...	... 37 : 2 : 6
In Kind, ... ...	... 1 : 0 : 6
Total ... ...	... £ 38 : 3 : 0 .

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

A graph on a grid background showing a linear relationship. The vertical axis is labeled 'f.' and the horizontal axis is labeled 'd.'. A straight line is drawn through the origin, representing a direct proportionality between f and d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination will be ready—(this 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. Cleary, $12\frac{1}{2}$; Mr. Hayes, $10\frac{1}{2}$; Mr. Maddock, 11 ; Mr. Malone, $11\frac{1}{2}$; Mr. Ryan, 10 .

Lodged as follows :

All Union Charges	Rep. of Relief.	John Roche	2 : 14 : 10.
	"	M. Daly	16 . 0.
	"	Pat. Berry	4 : 0.
	"	P. Kehoe	2 : 0.
	Clothing	Rags	1 : 9 : 4.
	Total £		5 : 2.

The Sisters require a table and piece of oil-cloth for their sitting-room.

A Committee (The Chairman and Mr Peacocke) were appointed to purchase a suitable table.

Some Scotch coal required.

Ordered— To advertise for 20 tons

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

No. 17, 187. 5 May '88. Issuing an order under the "Contagious Diseases Animals Acts 1878" assessing a sum of £ 14,497: 9: 4 on the different Unions in Ireland.
The proportion to be paid by this Union is £ 112 - 16 - 8 3/4.

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

No. 10, 209. 18 May 1888. Referring to the Guardians proposal (21st & 28th January 1888) to have separate representation for the Urban and Rural portions of the Wexford Electoral Division and stating that the proposed course would not affect the system of taxation at present in force and that it was clearly contemplated by the Legislature in Cases of Electoral Divisions partly within and partly without an Urban District.

Further adding that they are not disposed to alter the existing arrangements during the current year, but, that they will be prepared to deal with the matter before the next Annual Election of Guardians shall take place.

Ordered: The Receipt to be acknowledged with thanks.

A Resolution from the Waterford Board of Guardians relative to the deportation of Paupers from Great Britain was unanimously adopted.

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 19th day of May 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Pattr Codd Esqr. Chairman of the Board.
Other Guardians:

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	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	54
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	—

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

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

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

26th

day of May 1888.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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:—

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 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.

Dispensary District
having been received from

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

Dispensary

Taylour & Glynn Dispensary District Committee of Management. Met on the 12th May. Present:—
Messrs. John Ryan (Chairman), James Keating, Brennan and Prendergast.A medical Certificate was read that Dr Pigott was still unable to resume his duties.
Ordered: That he be allowed a further leave of absence for 2 weeks.

Dispensary

The Committee appointed to inspect the work done at the House at Ballina (Messrs M. Sinnott, N. Sinnott and O'Neill) reported that the Mortar used in the House was bad.

The Clerk of Works believed it was fully equal to Specification.

Ordered:—That no further work be done at the house until the Inspector from the Board of Works comes down, and that the whole matter be laid before him and that he be asked to report specially on this cottage.

Patrick Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 26th day of May 1888.

Signed, James O'Connor

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Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

26th day of May 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		No. of Inmates and Hospital on the above date.	No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Works house, Fever next Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds.	731 417	Able-bodied.													
	81 7														
TOTAL	812 424														
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	12 3	128 167	32 19	21 7	28 417								177	122	
Admitted during the week.	26 8	7 7	4 3	5 5	65										
Born	-	-	-	-	-										
TOTAL	38 11	135 174	36 22	26 12	294 83										
Discharged during the week.	23 4	10 10	2 2	4 1	57										
Died	-	-	1 1	-	-										
Total Discharged and Dead.	23 4	11 11	2 2	4 1	59										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15 7	124 163	34 20	22 11	284 24										No. at corresponding period last year 392

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 26th day of May 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Cases.	Persons.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	No. I.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	No. of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.			
No. I.	264 515				264 515		
No. II.	195 367				195 367		
TOTAL	459 882				459 882		

Comparative No.) 797
last year
Cost, £37: 9: 0.

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the 26th day of May 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians: Messrs:

Wm Coghlan J.P.	Chas. H. Peacocke J.P.
Bernard A. Roche J.P.	Michael Sinnott
Hugh McGuire	Michael Browne
John Hayes	Patrick Chandler
John Sinnott	William Stafford
Edward Walsh	Stephen Rowe
Patrick Lambert	

Edmond Hore
James " Urlong
John Redmond
Thomas Kehoe
John " Fortune

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1479 to No. 1544 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.	
		£	s.	d.	£	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				70	12.
	TOTAL,				70	12.
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeacan				59	18 3
	Ardeacan,				47	3 1
	Artraman,				62	3 6
	Drinagh,				44	7 9
	Killinich,				103	12
	Kilpatrick,				46	9
	Kilscoran,				78	9 10
	Lady's Is'tud,				33	48 10 5
	Mayglass,				6	77 13 11
	Rathaspeck,				18	117 13 7
	Rosslare,				43	12 8
	St. Helc's,				32	57 8 7
	Tacumshane,				28	32 6 3
	TOTAL,				3	819 8 10
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,				7	3.
	Ballymitty,				54	16.
	Carrig,				5	14 3
	Forth,				11	9 9
	Glynn,				4	18 3
	Harperstown,				10	12.
	Kilbride,				34	1 2
	Killurin,				89.	2
	Taghmon,				2	7 10
	Whitechurch,				1	13 6
	TOTAL,				43	18 9 625 13.
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Barrow,					73 2.
	Bridgetown,					57.
	Duncormack,					78 13 5
	Harristown,					26 18 2
	Kilevran,					26 17 5
	Killag,					59.
	Kilmore,					92 12 3
	Newestale,					36 14 8
	Tomhaggard,					26 19 7
	TOTAL,					477 17 10
	TOTAL.....					227 18 1 1993 11 8

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, ... £ 240 : 4 : 9

Paid during the week, ... £ 262 : 9 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 4524 : 18 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were being kept in safe custody and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to
89 £ 9 : 7 : 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 £ 39 s. 18 d. 6.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 49. 7. 7

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
Average cost in Infirmary, 2. 9
Average cost in Fever Hospital, 3. 6
Half Diet, 5. 0
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:-

423 3/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

30 Gallons Buttermilk,

440 Gallons Newmilk,

Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

57 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

20 Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

3 lbs Tobacco

2 gallons Colza Oil.

6 Planks.

10,000 Shoe Nails

4 lbs Powder

1 Coil of Fuse

6 Lime-wash Brushes

500, 60 Nails

30, 040 "

2 Brad Awls

1 cwt Pig Meal.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
90	I. MURPHY.	20		
91	II. DILLON.	17		
Total,		£ 37		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	10	14	4
Parle	100		
Doyle	54		
Doyle	26		
Rossiter	18		
Connolly	8		
Power	3	15	
Whitty & Morris	20		
Total	286	17	1

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26th day of May 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... ...	36 : 8 : 6
In Kind,	... ...	1 : 0 : 0
Total	£ 37 : 8 : 6

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

£ .
s .

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 13 ; Mr. Hayes, 10 ; Mr. Maddock, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$;
 Mr. Malone, 11 ; Mr. Ryan, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$.

*There are four pigs fit for sale.
Ordered — To be advertised.*

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

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

The following resolution was passed unanimously:
 — "That the Wexford Board of Guardians hereby endorse the resolutions passed on the 17th Inst. by the Catholic Members of Parliament, with reference to the recent rescript from Rome to the Irish Bishops".

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

The following Tenders for supplying the Workhouse and Fever Hospital with New Milk, as per Advertisement were accepted:—

Mr Patrick Ryan: 90 gallons weekly at 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ d for 3 months and 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for nine months. (All to be taken).

Mrs Maria Maddock: 105 gallons weekly at 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for 3 months and 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for nine months. (All to be taken)

Mr Laurence Hayes: 100 gallons weekly at 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for 1 month; 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for 5 months, and 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for 6 months.

Mr Michael Cleary: 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for 2 months, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for four months, and 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for six months.

Two others tendered and were considered too dear and it was ordered to advertise again for the remaining quantity (165 gallons).

Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 26th day of May 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq^r, Chairman.

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	...	...	<u>46</u>
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	<u>—</u>
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	<u>65</u>
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	<u>2</u>
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	<u>—</u>
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	<u>—</u>
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	<u>—</u>

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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of June 1888.

Signed,

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

Read Letter from Local Govt Board dated
stating that

No. 9.243. 25 May 1888. Inquiring
if the defaulters under the compulsory
Vaccination Acts in the Broadway District
had yet complied with the Law.

Ordered : - The Relieving Officer to report
by next Board Day.

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

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

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

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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 : -]

The following tender was accepted for the
House at Johnstown, Duncormick E. & the
Tenancy to commence on the 2nd of June at
1 shilling per week:- Peter Crowley.

WEXFORD UNION.

177

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

2nd day of June 1888.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Total	No. of Lunatics and Hospital on the above date.	No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Work house, Permanent Fever Hospital	781 404	Able-bodied.											
Persons not Building, Additional Workhouse, Fever Sheds.	81 9												
TOTAL	812 413												

Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	15	7	124	163	34	20	22	11	28	424	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards,	478	In separate Wards, 22
Admitted during the week.	24	7	6	4	-	-	-	2	-	43	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	To Wards with other lunatics
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Total,	182	Total, 22
TOTAL	39	14	130	167	34	20	22	13	28	467			
Discharged during the week.	31	6	4	7	1	-	2	2	53				
Died	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Total Discharged and Dead.	31	6	5	7	1	-	2	-	2	54			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	1	8	8	125	160	33	20	20	13	26 43	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 2nd day of June 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	261	510			261	510
No. II.	192	360			192	360
TOTAL.	453	870			453	870

Comparative No. last year 798.
Cost, £37: 4: 0.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 2nd day of June 1888.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq., Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Messrs: - Nichols Prendergast, Nichols Sinnott,
Chas A. Peacocke JP. Mr Coghlan JP.
James Kehoe John Redmond
Matthew Druhan Ber. H. Roche JP.
Pats Chandler John Arthur
Peter Cassin Mickel Sinnott James Codd.

Patrick Codd Chairman

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

2nd

day of June

1888

Signed,

James O'Gorman

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1545 to No. 1587 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.
		£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				70 12 -
	TOTAL,				70 12 -
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan				60 18 3
	Ardcolm,				47 3 1
	Artramount,				62 3 6
	Drinagh,				44 7 9
	Killinick,				103 12 -
	Kilpatrick,				46 9 -
	Kilscuran,				78 9 10
	Lady's Island,				48 10 5
	Mayglass,				77 13 11
	Rathaspeck,				117 13 7
	Rosslare,				48 12 8
	St. Helen's,				58 8 7
	Tacnushane,				32 6 3
	TOTAL,				821 8 10
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,				21 11 3 23 3 1
	Ballymitty,				4 17 - 52 19 -
	Carraig,				22 19 3 37 17 11
	Forth,				29 10 - 34 5 -
	Glynn,				19 19 4 28 9 -
	Harperstown,				14 18 4 41 8 4
	Kilbride,				6 10 8 27 10 6
	Killurin,				20 15 10 68 4 4
	Taghmon,				26 19 10 87 12 11
	Whitechurch,				7 8 9 48 12 8
	TOTAL,				175 10 3 450 2 9
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Banor,				73 2 -
	Bridgetown,				31 15 6 25 4 7
	Duncormack,				17 13 9 60 19 8
	Harristown,				26 18 2
	Kilevan,				5 2 2 21 15 3
	Killay,				4 6 54 14 3
	Kilmore,				4 3 6 88 8 9
	Newcastle,				15 10 9 21 3 11
	Tomhaggard,				1 16 10 25 2 9
	TOTAL,				80 8 6 397 19 4
	TOTAL.....				255 18 9 1740 2 11

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, ... £ 255 : 18 : 9.

Paid during the week, ... £ 286 : 17 : 1.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 4.494 : 0 : 3.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, every account being checked and attested and authenticated by the Clerk.

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.

(100) £ 5:12:2 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 38 s. 1 d. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invesice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 49:16:4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... £ 2:7:7

Average cost in Infirmary, ... £ 3:5

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... £ 5:3

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:-

427³/₄ lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

10 Bags of Flour,

½ Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

36 Gallons Buttermilk,

450 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

Bottles of Gin,

55 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dpt. Candles,

4 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

16 lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

Malt,

Hops,

12 lbs Wax Candles
4 .. Venetian Red
2 doz Bolts
3 .. Fire Brick
4 lbs Powder
1 gross Combs, Fine
1 Coarse.
2 Sancepans
20 yds Navy Blue

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
101	J. MURPHY.	20		
102	H. DILLON.	17		
	Total, ...	37		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rourke	10	15	
Hayes	9	5	
Maddock	12	11	7
Ryan	9	2	6
Gleary	7		
Malone	7	11	8
Faris	9	17	
Lambert	21	16	8
Simott	17	7	
Bent	13	14	6
Williams	2	10	
Pierce, as Subs. for Dr Pigott	25	4	-
Keane	18		
Stafford	20		
Pierce	10		
Rouer	22	12	10
Total	£ 260	1	11

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of June 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	... 35:17:0
In Kind, ...	... 15:0
Total ...	36:12:0

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

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, 13; Mr. Hayes, 11; Mr. Maddock, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$;
Mr. Malone, 11; Mr. Ryan, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

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

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

Tenders accepted:— Buttermilk at 3d per gallon—
Mr Thomas Byrne, to 2nd June 1889.
Scotch Coals:— C. Gaffney & Co at 13/4 per
ton (20 tons).

Mr Patrick Keating, Rate Collector (who is very seriously ill), applied that his son Mr Philip Keating might be allowed to proceed with his collection.

Ordered :— That the Guardians do not object provided the sureties of Mr Keating give their consent in writing.

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	...	...	43
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	2
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

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

9th

day of June

1888

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 2nd day of June 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esqr Chairman

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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 District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

Wexford Dispensary District Committee of Management met on 1st inst. Present: Mr Coghlan Esq JP (Chairman) and Rev Mr Kelly.

Medical Officers report: Diseases of the Respiratory organs have been prevalent during the past few weeks. The District is free from Gynaecological Diseases.

Bannow District—Medical Officers Report—
A few cases of Scarletina have occurred in Bannow Division, also 4 cases in one house in Duncormick Division during past month. I sent the cases to Hospital.
The Executive Sanitary Officer stated

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

Linguistic Toolkit

Account of Mr.

that he had sent a number of Cautionary Notices (Sec. 156 Public Health Act) to have posted throughout the District - and Dr Boyd had got them posted.

Ordered :- Approved

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, and to submit, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee. The Board elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively :—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts —The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees ; namely :—

Dispensary District, Mr.

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

District,
District,
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District,

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

Order dated

(state subject).

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

*Read Letter from Local Government Bd. dated
stating that*

No. 15.103. 1 June 1888. Inquiring if
the defaulters under the Compulsory
Vaccination Acts, in the Bridgetown,
Crossabeg and Wexford Districts had
yet complied with the Law. (Since 9th April
last)
Ordered : - The Relieving Officers to report
by next Board-day.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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

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

*The tender of Joseph Omonde for
fencing the Ardavan Burial Ground for a
sum of £ 1¹/2 : 10 : 0 was accepted.*

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

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

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

WEXFORD UNION.

185

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

of the 190 cottages set, the following are
in arrears:-

John Roche, Ballinagee, Wexford - - - 1:0:0

James Cleary, Longridge, Kilcoole - - - 1:12:0

Barry Roche, Ballyseskin, Kilmore - - - 1:9:0

All the other tenants are satisfactory.

Ordered - That instructions be sent to our
solicitor to recover the rents.

Population in 1881—38,745

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

9th day of June 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building	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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.	
			Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Hospital on the above date.	Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731 412	Able-bodied.												
TOTAL,	812 421													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	8	8	125 160	33	20	20	13	26	413					
Admitted during the week.	10	5	8 5	1	2	4	2	-	37					
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0					
TOTAL,	18	13	133 165	34	22	24	15	26	450					
Discharged during the week.	11	2	6 6	1	1	-	1	-	28					
Died	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1					
Total Discharged and Dead.	11	2	7 6	1	1	-	1	-	29					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	11	126 159	33	21	24	14	26	421					
														No. at corresponding period last year 390.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 9th day of June 1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1, 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 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.	259	508			259	508
No. II.	191	359			191	359
TOTAL.	450	867			450	867

Comparative No. last year 815.

Cost, £37: 6: 0.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the Ninth day of June 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd, Esq., Chairman of the Board.

Other Guardians:

Messrs:- Edmund Gore, James Codd.	Patrick Scallan	
Wm Coghlan RVR & JP.	John Simms	James Kehoe
Peter French	John Fortune	Hugh McGuire
John Fortune	Nickel Murphy	Andrew Devereux
		James Kehoe

Patk. Scallan
Martin Murphy
James Daly
Wm Pettitt
Nickl. Browne

Patrick Codd, Chairman,

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

day of June

1888.

Signed,

James O'Gorman

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1588 to No. 1624 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.
		£	s.	
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,			70 12 -
	TOTAL,			70 12 -
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardcavan			60 18 3
	Ardcolm,	26	-	21 6 7
	Artramont,			62 3 6
	Drinagh,			44 7 9
	Killinick,	16	-	87 3 4
	Kilpatrick,			44 7 9
	Kilsoran,	25		87 3 4
	Lady's Island,			53 1 5
	Mayglass,	14		41 2 1
	Rathaspeck,			64 5 10
	Rosslare,	16		117 13 7
	St. Helen's,			27 6
	Taunumshane,			32 6 3
	TOTAL,	107	-	714 10 11
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Aughwilliam,	2	14 9	20 8 4
	Ballymitty,	2	3 2	50 15 10
	Carraig,	12	8 11	25 9 -
	Forth,	5	5 5	28 19 7
	Glynn,	1	19 3	26 9 9
	Harperstown,	6	5 8	35 2 8
	Kilbride,			24 10 6
	Killurin,	4	17 3	63 17 1
	Taghman,	15	18 10	71 14 1
	Whitechurch,			48 12 8
	TOTAL,	51	13 3	398 9 6
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannew,			73 2
	Bridgetown,			25 4 7
	Duncormack,			60 19 8
	Harristown,			26 18 2
	Kileawan,			21 15 3
	Killag,			54 14 3
	Kilmore,			88 8 9
	Newcastle,			21 3 11
	Tomhaggard,			25 2 9
	TOTAL,			397 19 4
	TOTAL.....	158	13 3	1581 11 9

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, ... £ 181 : 13 : 3.

Paid during the week, ... £ 229 : 0 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 4.446:13:3
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined and authen-

tailed and authenticated by the Clerk.

(119) £ 7 : 9 : 8, was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 4 8 s. 5 d. 8.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 49 : 10 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	2 : 5
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3 : 4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5 : 6
Hall Diet, ...	1 : 6 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:-

430 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

1/2 Ton of Oatmeal,

40 Gallons Buttermilk,

450 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,

Barrels of Porter,

Bottles of Brandy,

6 Bottles of Gin,

52 Dozs. of Eggs,

lbs. Dipt. Candles,

4 Gallons of Barm,

Ton of Soap,

Cwt. of Soda,

lbs. of Starch,

lbs. of Blue,

Tons of Coal,

14 Malt,

1 Hops,

3 lbs Tobacco.

4 " Powder.

1 coil Fuse.

16 Coffin Planks.

1. Beam 31 ft long

2 Bags Cement + 100 Slates)

100 Hard Bricks

3 doz Fire Bricks for 7.2

1 doz Bolts

1 gross Scourers.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ £ d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value, £ s. d.
120 No.	I. MURPHY.	2 0		
121 No.	II. DILLON.	1 7		
	Total, ...	3 7		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£ s. d.
Rourke	10 17 7
Oleomor	7 8 2
O'Keeffe	16 0
Underwood	3 5
Whitty & Morris	2 0
Power	5
Zwin	5 2
Ryan	6 5
Oleomor	6 0
Meat Elections Cottages	
Chimneys Pigs Calico Land	
Total £ 360 2 5	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last weekend Saturday, the 9th day of June 1888, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	... 35 : 9 : 0.
In Kind, ...	... 16 : 6.

Total ... £ 36 : 5 : 6.

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

£ s. d.

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

Cream per centage:—Mr. Cleary, $12\frac{1}{2}$; Mr. Hayes, $11\frac{1}{2}$; Mr. Maddock, $11\frac{1}{2}$;
Mr. Malone, $11\frac{1}{2}$; Mr. Ryan, 10

Two inmates — Edward Sinnott and Myles Doyle, were sentenced by the Magistrates, at Petty Sessions, on the 16th inst. — to imprisonment — Sinnott, to two months, and Doyle, to one month, for repeated acts of insubordination.

I sold 4 Pigs on the fair of the 4th inst. for £12:10:0, and bought 3 for £5:2:0.

Some Calico to be examined by a Committee.
Ordered — Messrs. French, Chandler and James Codd examined it and found it equal to sample.

A Committee — Messrs. Coghlan, Peacocke, Redmond and Chandler visited the Fever Hospital on the 6th and recommended some repairs, &c.

The Committee reported that they found the ends of the flooring rafters under some of the Windows on the South side of the Hospital, in a state of decay. They recommended that stone corbels be inserted in the wall, and a piece of timber stretched from one corbel to the other to support the joists.

The Laundry Boiler requires resetting.

The Roof of Dead-House is in need of repairs.

The junction of roof of long shed with main building should be repaired and tarred.

The walls of Nutritive room and of Doctor's dispensing room are in need of paper.

Ordered — The master to get the recommendations of the Committee carried out with the least possible delay.

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

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

No. 23,805. 8 June 1888. Referring to the temporary appointment of Mr Phillip Keating, to proceed with the Collection of Rates during the illness of his father Mr Patrick Keating, Rate Collector, and stating that the Collector cannot collect the rates by deputy, and that if a person is to be appointed to collect the outstanding portion of the rates, the appointment must be made by the Guardians, and a new warrant given to such person, who should be required to give security.

Ordered—That a copy of the letter be sent to the Messrs Keating.

"Tender accepted: 100 gallons of New Milk weekly at 5½d for 1 month, 6d for 5 months and 6½d for the remainder of the time — Mr William Malone.

14 & 15 Vic., c 68.}

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

Saturday, the 9th day of June 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, P. Codd Esq. Chairman

Other Guardians.

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

that the medicines be procured from the Contractors.

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	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	37
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Ditto, ditto, 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	...	...	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).

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of June 1888

16th

Signed,

(Wexford—Printed at THE INDEPENDENT Office.

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

On application of the Committee of Management of the 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
stating that dated

All the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, in the Bridgetown and Wexford districts, have since complied with the law, except a few in Bridgetown, and 8 in Wexford which were unfit.

See in Crossabeg District have complied with the Law.

In Broadway District the Medical officer did not think it judicious to vaccinate except in a few cases, owing to an epidemic of Measles which was preceded by whooping Cough.

However the epidemic was fast disappearing and he hoped to have very few defaulters after next report.

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY. 192

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]

No Business under
these acts.

WEXFORD UNION.

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Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

16th day of June 1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
								Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, Perpetual Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	931 403	Able-bodied.	81 6	Males Fem. Males Fem. Boys Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	No. of Ju-	
TOTAL.	812 409									
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	7 11	126 159 33 21 24 14 26 421								
Admitted during the week.	13 9	5 2 - 5 4 4 - 42								
Born	- -	- - - - -								
TOTAL.	20 20	131 161 33 26 28 18 27 464								
Discharged during the week.	12 11	11 3 1 6 8 1 2 55								
Died,	- -	- - - - -								
Total Discharged and Dead.	12 11	11 3 1 6 8 1 2 55								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	8 9	120 158 32 20 20 17 25 409								
										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

16th day of June

1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	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.	
No. I.	258	506			258 506
No. II.	193	371			193 371
TOTAL.	451	877			451 877

Comparative No. last year 804.
Cost, £36: 3: 6.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 16th day of June 1888

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq. Chairman.

Other Guardians:

Thomas Kehoe
Patt Chandler
Edw. Walsh
Nicks Simmott

James Kehoe
Mick Murphy
Thomas Cashen
Ber. H. Roche Jr.

Chas H. Peacocke Jr.,
Patt Seallan
Matthew Durhan
William Pettitt.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the
day of June 1888

Signed, James O'Connor

Clerk of the Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1625 to No. 1667 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.	
		£	s.	d.	£	s.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,				70	12 -
	TOTAL,				70	12 -
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan				60	18 3
	Ardcolm,				21	6 7
	Artramont,				62	3 6
	Drinagh,				44	7 9
	Killinich,				87	3 4
	Kilpatrick,				44	7 9
	Kilsoran,				53	1 5
	Lady's Island,				41	2 1
	Magglass,				64	5 10
	Ruthaspeck,				117	13 7
	Rosslare,				27	6
	St. Helen's,				58	8 7
	Tacumshane,				32	6 3
	TOTAL,				714	10 11
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Ashwilliam,				20	8 4
	Ballymitty,				50	15 10
	Carraig,				25	9 -
	Forth,				28	19 7
	Glyn,				26	9 9
	Harperstown,				35	2 8
	Kilbride,				27	10 6
	Killurin,				63	7 1
	Taghmon,				71	14 1
	Whitechurch,				48	12 8
	TOTAL,				398	9 6
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,	-	-	-	13	13 7
	Bridgetown,	-	-	-	10	15 14 9 7
	Duncormack,	-	-	-	15	4 9 45 14 11
	Harristown,	-	-	-	10	17 10 16 - 4
	Kilcoyan,	-	-	-	5	8 7 16 6 8
	Killag,	-	-	-	5	13 2 49 1 1
	Kilmore,	-	-	-	16	1 3 72 7 6
	Newcastle,	-	-	-	5	8 2 15 5 9
	Tomhaggard,	-	-	-	25	2 9
	TOTAL,	-	-	-	83	12 4 313 17 -
	TOTAL.....	-	-	-	83	12 4 449 9 5

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, ... £ 96 : 2 : 4.

Paid during the week, ... £ 376 : 19 : 1.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 4166 : 15 : 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 stated and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to (131) £ 9 : 4 : 1 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 53 s. 11 d. 4.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 50 : 8 : 9.

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 2 : 5.

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3 : 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 5 : 6

Hall Diet, ... 1 : 6

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

434 1/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

12 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

45 Gallons Buttermilk,

450 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

224 lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,	2 Bags of Cement.
Barrels of Porter,	500, 8 ⁰ Nails.
Bottles of Brandy,	500, 6 ⁰ "
Bottles of Gin,	2 Bolts + Wedge.
52 Dozs. of Eggs,	1 doz Sand paper.
Ibs. Dipt. Candles,	4 Planks,
Gallons of Barm,	7 lbs Venetian Red
Ton of Soap,	4 - olsbre.
Cwt. of Soda,	
Ibs. of Starch,	
Ibs. of Blue,	
Tons of Coal,	
Malt,	
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 16th day of June 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	... 35 : 11 : 6
In Kind,	... 19 : 6
Total	£ 36 : 11 : 0

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. <i>F. d.</i>	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
132	J. MURPHY.	20		
133	II. DILLON.	17		
Total, ...		£ 3 1/2		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
134 Rowke Meat	10	19	7
135 Doyle Cottages	62		
136 Simott	44		
137 Pierce	20		
138 Rossettes	40		
139 Connally Fencing	4	10	
140 Power Chimneys	3	15	
141 Ryan Clerk of Works	60	-	
142 White Short Hand Notes.	8	5	8
Total £	294	14	4

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

MASTER'S REPORT:

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

ordered: That tenders be invited by advertisement for the papering of Fever Hospital.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this in every month)—number of successful cases —

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

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

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

The following Certificate relative to the illness of Rate-Collector Keating was read:—

"I certify that Mr Patrick Keating, Prospect, is seriously ill with an abscess in his lung. I am of opinion he will not be able to resume duty for two months."

"M. J. Sheridan, M. D."

Proposed by Mr Peacocke Jr., seconded by Mr Walsh and passed unanimously:—

"That Mr Phillip Keating be appointed to collect the rates in Rate-Collector Keating's District."

Mr Phillip Keating offered as his sureties Messrs John Keating and Miss. Kavanagh, and they were approved of and a form of Bond was directed to be perfected.

Proposed by Mr James Kehoe, seconded by Mr James Codd and passed unanimously:—

"That Mr Phillip Keating's warrants be given to him and handed to him for Collections"

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Wexford Union.

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

Saturday, the 16th day of June 1888
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

Present—In the Chair, Patrick Codd Esq. Chairman

Other Guardians:

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 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 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	42
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The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Ditto, ditto, 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
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The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

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

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

23rd

day of June

1888

Signed,

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

*Read Letter from Local Govt. Board dated
stating that*

No. 18,375. Inquiring if the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, in the Bantry District had complied with the Law since last report. (28th April, 1888)

Ordered : - The Relieving Officer to report by next Board Day.

Sir Chas. D. Cameron's Report on two samples of water sent.

No. 1. (Carcur) "This water deposits a sediment chiefly composed of oxide of Iron. The amount of Ammonia is much larger than is present in good waters, and on the whole, this one is suspicious, and is at best, a second-class water."

No. 2. (Ballyboggan) "Is somewhat turbid. It is not up to the standard of a First-class water, but, it is a tolerably good one."

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

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

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS AS THE RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

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

District.	Name of Officer.	General Subject,	Particulars.

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

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

A Committee of Ratepayers recommended that £2 additional would be spent in setting quicks in the fence and levelling a mound in "Zonbaggard Burial Ground.

Ordered : - To be expended as recommended.

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]

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883-1886.

Mr Huggard, Solicitor, wrote on behalf of Mr William O'Brien, cautioning the Guardians, against taking more land in plot 57 than they are by law entitled to.

Ordered - That Mr Ryan C. E. be consulted as to the survey he has made of the plot.

Mr Ryan Clerk of Works reported that of the 68 houses contracted for, there were,
finished. 12
nearly finished, 13
Mason work completed, 5
do do joist high, 3
not yet commenced, 29
Commenced 6

He also reported that the Contractor for 111c had left the country and was not likely to return.

Ordered : That tenants be invited for the 12 houses finished; that the tender of the Contractor for 111c be cancelled, and, that tenders be again invited for its erection.

Patrick Codd

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

23rd

day of June

1888

Signed,

James O'Brien

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1881—38,745

Present Net Annual Value, £108,332 18s.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

23rd day of June

1888

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	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.		RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.
Work house.	731401	Able-bodied.										
Temporary Buildings.												
Additional Workhouse.												
Permanent Fever Hospital	81 5											
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL.	812406											
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	8 9 120 158 32 20 20 17 25 409											
Admitted during the week.	19 17 13 1 5 4 8 2 - 69											
BORN	- - - - -											
TOTAL.	27 26 133 159 37 24 28 19 26 479											
Discharged during the week.	19 18 8 6 6 7 5 2 - 71											
DIED	- - - - -											
Total Discharged and Dead.	19 18 8 7 6 8 5 2 - 73											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	8 8 125 152 31 16 23 17 26 406											

Under Medical treatment in separate wards. In Wards with other inmates.

Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital. Total.

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

No. Received during week.

No. in Workhouse at date.

No. at corresponding period last year.

1888 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

23rd day of June

1888

RETURNS of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the

23rd day of June

1888

Comparative No. last year 799

Cost, £35:14:6.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1688 to No. 1737 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
MICHAEL J. O'CONNOR,	Wexford,	70 12 -	70 12 -
	TOTAL,		
PATRICK KEATING,	Ardeavan	9	52 18 3
	Ardcolm,	21	6 7
	Artrasiont,	33	28 15 3
	Drinagh,	7	37 2 9
	Killinick,	26	61 3 3
	Kilpatrick,	44	7 9
	Kilscoan,	53	1 5
	Lady's Island,	41	2 1
	Mugglass,	33	30 14 7
	Rathaspeck,	25	92 7 5
	Rosslare,	27	6
	St. Helen's,	58	8 7
	Tacumshane,	3	29 13 3
	TOTAL,	136	578 7 6
NICHOLAS O'H. WALSH	Anghwilliam,	5	5 3 1
	Ballymitty,	21	18 10 28 17 -
	Carrig,	4	3 21 8 9
	Forth,	4	6 9 24 12 10
	Glynn,	3	18 3 22 11 6
	Harperstown,	5	18 6 29 4 2
	Kilbride,	8	18 - 18 12 6
	Killuria,	24	15 7 38 11 6
	Taghmon,	5	5 6 6 9 1
	Whitechurch,	15	9 33 11 11
	TOTAL,	99 7 2	299 2 4.
NICHOLAS MOORE,	Bannow,		59 8 5
	Bridgetown,		14 9 7
	Duncormack,		45 14 11
	Harristown,		16 - 4
	Kilcaron,		16 6 8
	Killag,		49 1 1
	Kilmore,		72 7 6
	Newcastle,		15 5 9
	Tomhaggard,		25 2 9
	TOTAL,		313 17 -
	TOTAL.....	235 4 2	1261 18 10.

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, £ 242 : 15 : 2.

Paid during the week, £ 294 : 14 : 4.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £4.114 : 17 : 4.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and their correctness confirmed and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to (143) £ 12 : 1:7. was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therin 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 £ 39 s.14d.4.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ 49 - 9 - 9.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 2 : 4 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account. 2 : 10 : 0

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 4 : 0

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 1 : 3 : 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 1 : 3 : 0

Hall Diet, ... 1 : 3 : 0

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

402 3/4 lbs. of Meat,

2 Ox Heads,

11 Bags of Flour,

Ton of Indian Meal,

Ton of Oatmeal,

45 Gallons Buttermilk,

460 Gallons Newmilk,

1 Cwt. of Salt,

Chests of Tea,

lbs. of Sugar,

lbs. of Lump Sugar,

Cwt. of Rice,

lbs. of Ginger,

lbs. of Pepper,

lbs. of Irish Bacon,

Doz. of Wine,	3 lbs Tobacco.
Barrels of Porter,	3 gallo. Colza Oil.
Bottles of Brandy,	8 Bolts
Bottles of Gin,	4 lbs Powder
49 Dozs. of Eggs,	1 Coil of Fuge.
Ibs. Dipt. Candles,	2 Sewer traps + grate.
3 Gallons of Barm,	25 Sewer Pipes.
Ton of Soap,	1 Box Wicks
Cwt. of Soda,	1 Drawer Lock.
Ibs. of Starch,	3 lbs Venetian Red
Ibs. of Blue,	2 gallo. Boiled Oil.
Tons of Coal,	2 " Linseed Oil.
14 Malt,	1 " Turpentine.
I Hops,	4 lbs Blue Paint.
	4 " Red Paint.
	2 Stone White Lead.
	100 lbs Butt Leather
	5 dozen of Hemp.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of June 1888 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	35	10	0
In Kind,	1	3	0
Total	£ 36	13	0

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
144	I. MURPHY.	2 0		
145	II. DILLON.	1 6		
	Total,	£ 36		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

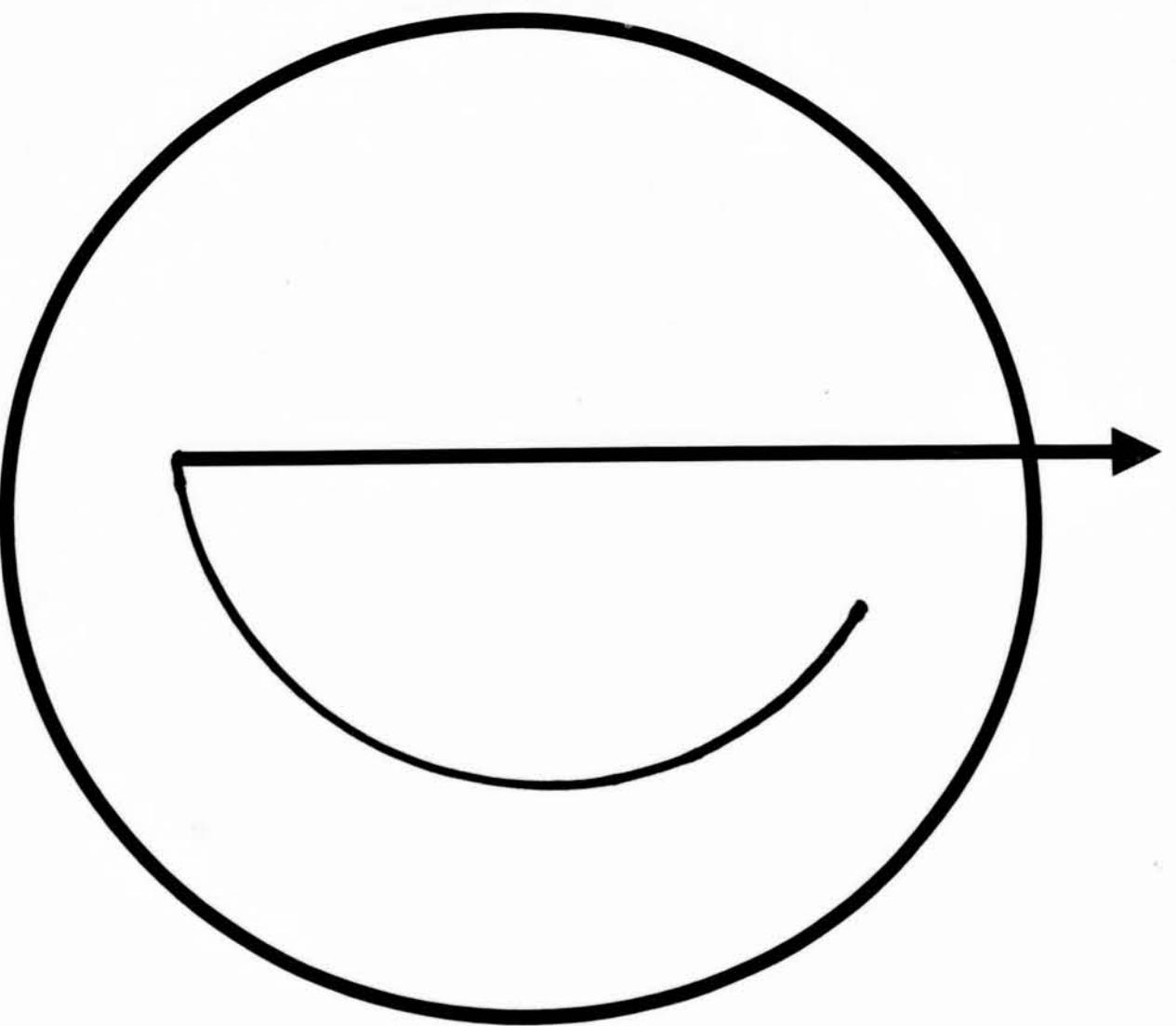
	£	s.	d.
Roweke	10	3	10
Kelly	12	10	
Doyle	5		
Lathams	7	10	
Connor	28	15	
Sheridan	31	5	
Irwin	12	10	
Scallan	6	5	
Gleeson	6	10	
Cahill	6	10	
Farell	6	10	
Clancy	6	10	
McGrath	10	17	6
Irwin	7	10	
Williams	8	10	
Kearns	2	10	
Morris	3	15	
Stone	5	5	
Briew	3	15	
Murphy	14	7	6
Dillon	13	2	6
Boyd	28	15	
Murphy	2	10	
Hassett	28	15	
Doyle	5		
Costello	28	15	
Walker	5		
Mcadden	26	5	

		Salary	£	s.	d.
175	Ryan		5		
176	Pigott		28	15	
177	Marshall		5		
178	Pierce		36	5	
179	Webb.		10		
180	Malone		12	10	
181	Holbrook		2	5	6
182	Colfer	Land	250		
183	Keffe	Cottages	24		
184	Ó'Gorman	Req. Forms	4	6	8
185	O'Flaherty	Rent.	4		
186	Gaffney	Coals.	13	6	8

paid the different Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums mentioned.
Total £ 781 : 16 : 9

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this 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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