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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127961.13/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of February, 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	580	249															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	10															
Fever Skols	—	—															
TOTAL	660	259															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			62	33	48	60	-	7	22	13	9	257	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	96	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	30	17
Admitted during the Week			46	7	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10		10	
TOTAL,			108	40	53	61	-	7	22	13	11	315	TOTAL,	106	TOTAL,	40	
Discharged during the Week			48	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			48	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	56	No. Relieved during week	40	4	-	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			60	35	50	61	-	7	22	13	11	259	No. in Workhouse at date	10	-	-	10
													No. at corresponding period last year,				288

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of February 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	108	John D. Edge
No. II.	79	122	John Manley
No. III.	213	320	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	99	126	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	435	676	= 740

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 24th day of February 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Colonel Tottenham & L. Chr.
Other Guardians:-

- Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
- " Harry A. Donle AF
- " Edward Ellison
- " Pat. Carey

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4107 to No. 4222 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in Favour* the Guardians was £ 2951 : 4 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	38	19	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	48	18	-
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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 :—

1060 Loaves Bread
 257 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Buttermilk
 20 lbs Butter
 470 " Meat
 39 Hearts
 12 cwt Oatmeal
 20 Doz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of February 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	36	13	6
In Kind			1	0
Total	£	36	14	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON J. Johnson	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON L. Murphy	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
M Byrne	Bread	24	9	3
J Sulton	Patens fl. Oats &c	10	14	4
do	fls.	5	2	9
M Byrne	on a/c Drainage Cont	35	2	6
do	do	4	17	6
V Snell	Compew. for Land &c	12	7	6
	In fav. Clerk to pay			
J Sulton	Stink	1	8	-
W Farrell	Making flitches	14	2	-
A Dunne	Post-Var Reps	12	6	-
L Murphy	Exp	3	9	-
		2	18	5

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 23rd instant from the Local Government Board requesting to be informed whether there is any foundation for the statement made by a pauper inmate of the Work-house named Lawler to the effect that the Wash-house is allowed to be used as a receptacle for slops and every description of nuisance.

Order -

The Guardians believe that there is no foundation for this statement as to nuisance in the Wash-house made by Matthew Lawler:

Members of the Board who had recently gone over the house without notice testified at last meeting when Lawler's complaint was read that they had found every part of it clean and in good order.

Read Letter from same Dated the 23rd instant, in reference to the state of health of the Shoemaker of the Workhouse, Mr. Edward Dallen;

The LG Board state that the Guardians should call on this Officer to resign, as it is apparent he is no longer capable of performing his duties with efficiency; They also point out that sanction has not been given to the proposal contained in their minutes of the 3rd instant to extend the leave granted to Mr. Dallen by three months and to pay a substitute for him during that period.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison - seconded by Mr. Farley. = That Mr. Dallen be called on to resign, and that the sanction of the LG Board be asked to a gratuity of £20 to be given to him by the Board.

Read circular from same of same date, calling for a return showing the number of ratings contained in the rate books of the Union and the actual number of persons by whom such ratings are occupied.

Read Letter Dated the 21st instant from Mr. Grace Newson V.D. asking for a few days leave of absence, Mr. Malone of Gorey, having consented to do ~~the~~ duty for him during his absence

Leave granted

Mr. Newson reports that he inspected the following sheep which he found affected Sheep Scab. viz

Abraham Manly, Keeloge. — 6 Sheep
" Edw^d Reilly, Ballinmish - 15 "

Order - Infected animals to be isolated: —

Read Letter from Mr. Michael Byrne, of Rathdrum applying for £50. on account of his contract for sewerage of the Workhouse.

Order - To be paid £40. as certified by the engineer

Read Letter Dated the 20th instant, from Mr. James Spence M.P. for West Wicklow, acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians Letter forwarding the resolutions passed by them on the 10th instant relating to the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, which shall have his earnest attention.

Read Letter Dated the 22nd instant from Mr. Wm. Giffney Contractor for building Labourers Cottages under Improvement Scheme No. 2, resigning his contract, on account of the Guardians having delayed over 2 years in going on with the building of the Cottages.

Order -

Advertise for Contracts to build the Cottages included in No. 2 Improvement Scheme, except the 5th Cottage on Timmore; Tenders to be sent in before noon on the 17th proximo.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Ledger and Abstracts of the Accounts of the Union for the half year ended the 29th Sept. last, as audited by Mr. Drury L. J. Auditor on the 14th and 18th Ultimo.

The Abstracts were signed by the Chairⁿ.

Mr. Drury recharged Relieving Officer Johnson with a sum of 9/- being 16 weeks out door Relief given to an able bodied widow

with one child depending on her, she not being legally qualified to receive relief under this head.

Mr. Johnson submitted the following explanation statement to the Board.

I beg to bring under your notice the fact that Mr. Drury L. B. Auditor at the last audit surcharged me 9/- in the case of one Biddy Bourke under the following circumstances.

The woman mentioned was entered on the Relief List when I received the Books after my appointment in January '92, and for a number of years before that, as an able-bodied widow with two children dependent on her.

During the week ending August 20th '92 one of the children died, and I did not think it necessary to alter the heading under which she was receiving relief for the remaining six weeks of the half year as she was in reality qualified to receive relief on the grounds of sickness and infirmity; this the local Guardian I am sure testify. The Auditor surcharged me for those six weeks above mentioned for in fact having a destitute woman relieved under a wrong heading.

I would respectfully ask that the Board would explain the circumstances to the L. G. Board with a view to having the order for surcharge withdrawn.

Your Obedient Servant
Samuel Johnson R.O.

Order - The Board forward this letter to the L. G. B. and state that they believe the facts of the case to be as stated, and recommend the surcharge to be cancelled; The Board has suffered no loss by Mr. Johnson's mistake.

The following claims to be rated were read:

- ✓ ^{vis:} Mr. Wm Fogarty, Anghrim v Dep. Owen Fogarty
- ✓ " Jap. Kavanagh, Raffield v Chas. Kavanagh jun
- ✓ Mrs. Mary & Munday, Ballymacahon v Anne McCall

Ordered to be rated accordingly being adequately vouched

The following other claims to be rated were read but were not complied with, not being adequately vouched

- ✓ ^{vis:} Mr. John Flynn, Newtownbarnell. v Denis Flynn
- ✓ " James Brady, Milltown v Mr. Sharp
- ✓ " Michael Behan, do v James Brady

As amended.

W. J. Pottulahan
Chair

3/3/93

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 (1)

Ditto disallowed -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was (1)

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians (

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 3rd day of March 1893

(Signed) W. J. Pottulahan
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~WEDNESDAY~~,
the 24th day of February 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

Colonel Tottenham DL Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see page 1—

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

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractors:

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

Dispensary District.

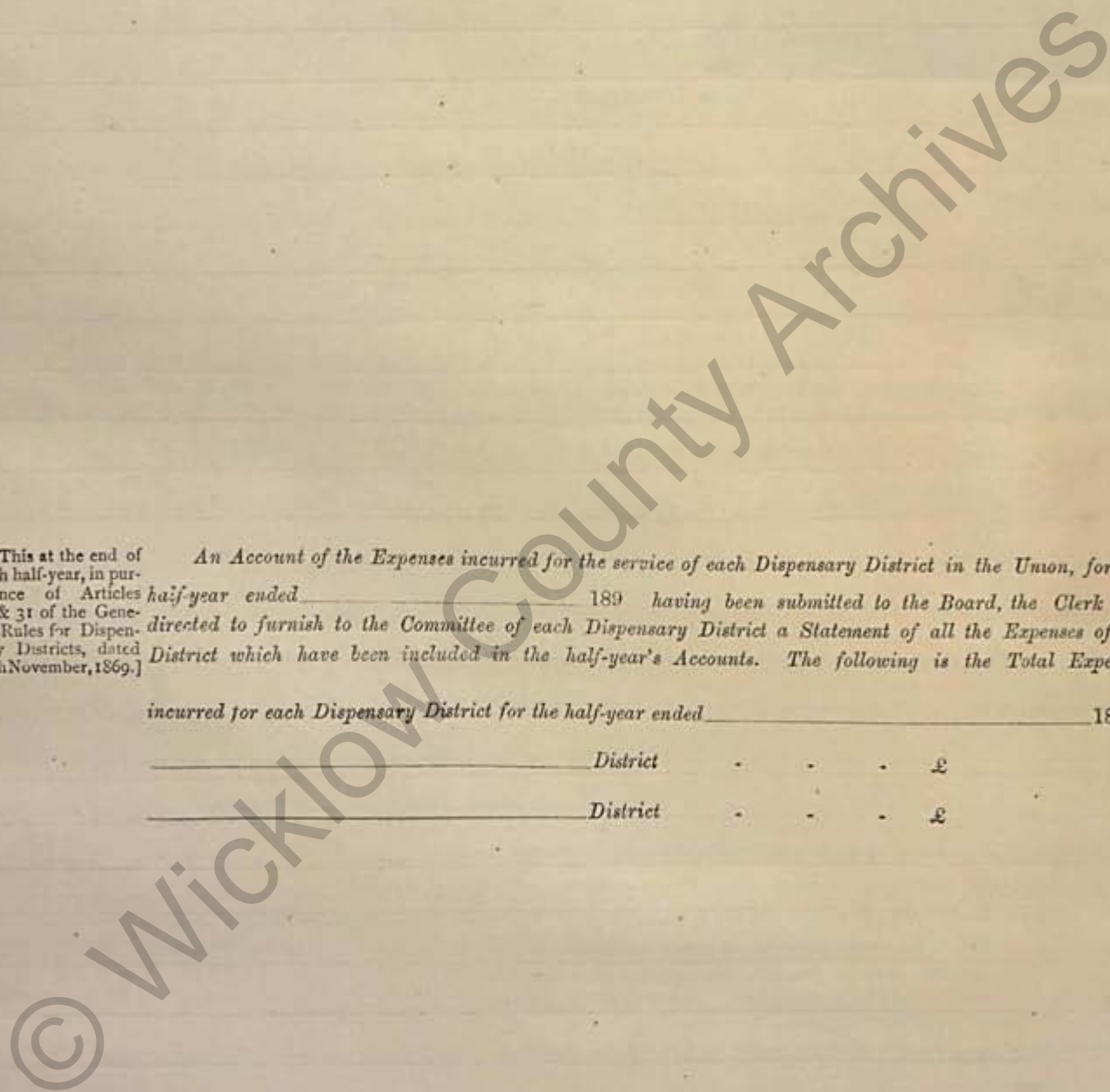
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____	District	-	-	-	£
_____	District	-	-	-	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 22 February 1893 stating that they have received from Dr. Gardiner, Medical Officer of Arklew Disp. Dist. a letter explaining the circumstances under which he obtained the services of Dr. Halpin in consultation respecting the case of Thomas White, a dispensary patient, and with reference thereto they desire to state that they do not consider the case was one of sufficient urgency to warrant Dr. Gardiner in procuring extra professional assistance without an order from the Relieving Officer of the Dist. They will not however on the present occasion withhold their sanction to the payment of a fee of £0:2:0 to Dr. Halpin, but on the distinct understanding that the sanction in this instance is not to be regarded as a precedent.

Read minutes of proceedings of Arklew Disp. Comtee on the 16th Feb 93. members present Mr Alex^r Taylor in the chair, Mr. Jas Hanagan; Dr. Gardiner was also present.

Medical Relief Register was examined. 156 Medical Relief tickets were issued since January 19th 1893. — Cancelled the ticket issued to Peter

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

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

Waddock, 12 Gregg Hill.

Examined Vaccination Register, and Medical Dept Book. — The Secretary was directed to employ Mr. J. B. Hall to repair the Medicine Chest at the Dispensary.

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

J. B. Hanagan, Secy

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

At a meeting of the Arklow Committee, held on the 16th of February 1893 a letter was read from Mr Peter Kavanagh, of Upper Main Street Arklow, complaining that the new wicket gate at the Arklow Cemetery is still kept locked during the day time, notwithstanding the order of the Board to the contrary.

The Committee request the Guardians to give directions to the caretaker of the Cemetery to comply with their instructions.

Received an application from the Cemetery caretaker asking an increase of salary of £10 a year.

The Committee are of opinion that there is no reason for any increase of salary in this case.

J. P. Hanagan Hon. Secy.

Order—

The caretaker to be directed to leave the wicket gate open during the day time, but to lock it at night:

Cl D
24/2/93

Cl Cottahan
3/3/93

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 3rd
day of March 1893

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 129561.13/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of February 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	289	273															
Temporary Buildings	-																
Additional Workhouse	-																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9															
Fever Sites	-																
TOTAL	609	282															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			60	35	50	61	-	7	22	13	11	259	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 57	In separate Wards 30	13		
Admitted during the Week			74	2	5	1	-	-	-	1	-	83	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 9	In Wards with other inmates 10			
TOTAL			134	37	55	62	-	7	22	14	11	342	TOTAL 106	TOTAL 40			
Discharged during the Week			55	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	58	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			55	1	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	60	No. Relieved during week	68	1	1	70
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			79	36	54	60	-	7	22	13	11	282	No. in Workhouse at date	19	1	1	21
													No. at corresponding period last year, 286				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of February 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 81, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	108	John D. Edge
No. II.	78	118	John Manley
No. III.	207	320	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	83	134	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	432	680	= 738

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 3rd day of March 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Colonel Tottenham D. K. Chin

Other Guardians:—

Mr. H. P. Innell P
 " H. D. Lambert P
 " M. Knight P
 " John Byrne
 " Miles Byrne
 " Owen Byrne

Mr. Edw. Ellison
 " Edw. Hanney
 " John Doyle
 " Wm. Cullen
 " Pat. J. Carey
 " J. R. Keane

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 1 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 1 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

£ 135 : 15 : 6

£ 115 : 5 : 5

£ 2971 : 14 : 10

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	.	.	.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	.	.	.
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	.	.	.
Average Cost in Infirmary	.	.	.
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	.	.	.

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of February 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	38	s. 12	d. 6
In Kind			2	0
Total	£	38	14	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
J. P. Evans	10	-	-
M. New	5	-	-
D. Garland	5	6	-
B. Ireland	-	17	6
D. Halpin	2	2	-
Leslie Ho	3	8	-
Metimes			

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 2nd instant from the Local Government Board in reference to the Guardians proposal to allow a gratuity of £20. to Mr Edw. Dallon the Northwase Phoenician on his retiring from his Office.

The L.G. Board state that the Guardians have no power to grant such gratuity out of the rates of the Union.

The Clerk of the Union informed the Board that he had written to Mr. Dallon conveying to him the Guardians request that he should resign his office; When Mr. Dallon stated that his health was so far restored that he would resume the duties of his office at once.—

Read Letter Dated the 24th Ultimo, from the Commissioners of Public Works informing the Guardians that the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury have authorized the issue of a loan of £360 to the Guardians for the purpose of carrying out their Improvement Scheme No 3; and they request that a sum of 17/6 may be lodged to their credit in the Bank of Ireland to cover the expenses of the Loan.

Order - A Cheque for 17/6 to be drawn accordingly

Read Letter Dated the 27th Ultimo from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry: -

1. That the Guardians will be safe in paying £70 compensation to Mr. Colclough Byrne and taking his receipt in due form for the amount.

2 - The Guardians having paid the compensation in the case of Mr. Dopping Depenstal, they do not run any great risk, but they ought to obtain the owners signature to a receipt in the form mentioned:

3 - Mrs. Snell should be asked how she represents Mrs. Snell who is returned on the Arbitrators award.

4 - He would like to consider a little the case of the O'Byrne Estate.

Order - Mr. Dooney to apply to Mr. Depenstal for a Receipt.

Read Letter Dated the 27th Ultimo from Mr. Sweetman M.P. for East Wicklow acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians resolution relative to

to the tediousness of the procedure under the
 Harbour (Ireland) Acts, which he promises will
 receive his best attention:

Read the following claims to be rated:

Patrick

23.
 ✓ Mr. John H. Parnell, Avondale. v Mr. Chas S Parnell
 ✓ Mr. Murray A. Hoole, Inghinim v " Jerk. Hoole
 * Mr. Eateny Connor, Ballymacabarn v Mrs. Emory Connor
 x " Michael Behan, Milltown v James Brady
 x " James Brady " " v Mr. Sharpe

Ordered to be rated, being adequately vouched:

Charles. Otterham

10/5/93.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 ~~Wednesday~~, the 10th day of March 1893

(Signed) P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ ^{Friday}the 3rd day of March 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair

Colonel Tottenham D^r Clerk

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 21

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

Dispensary District.

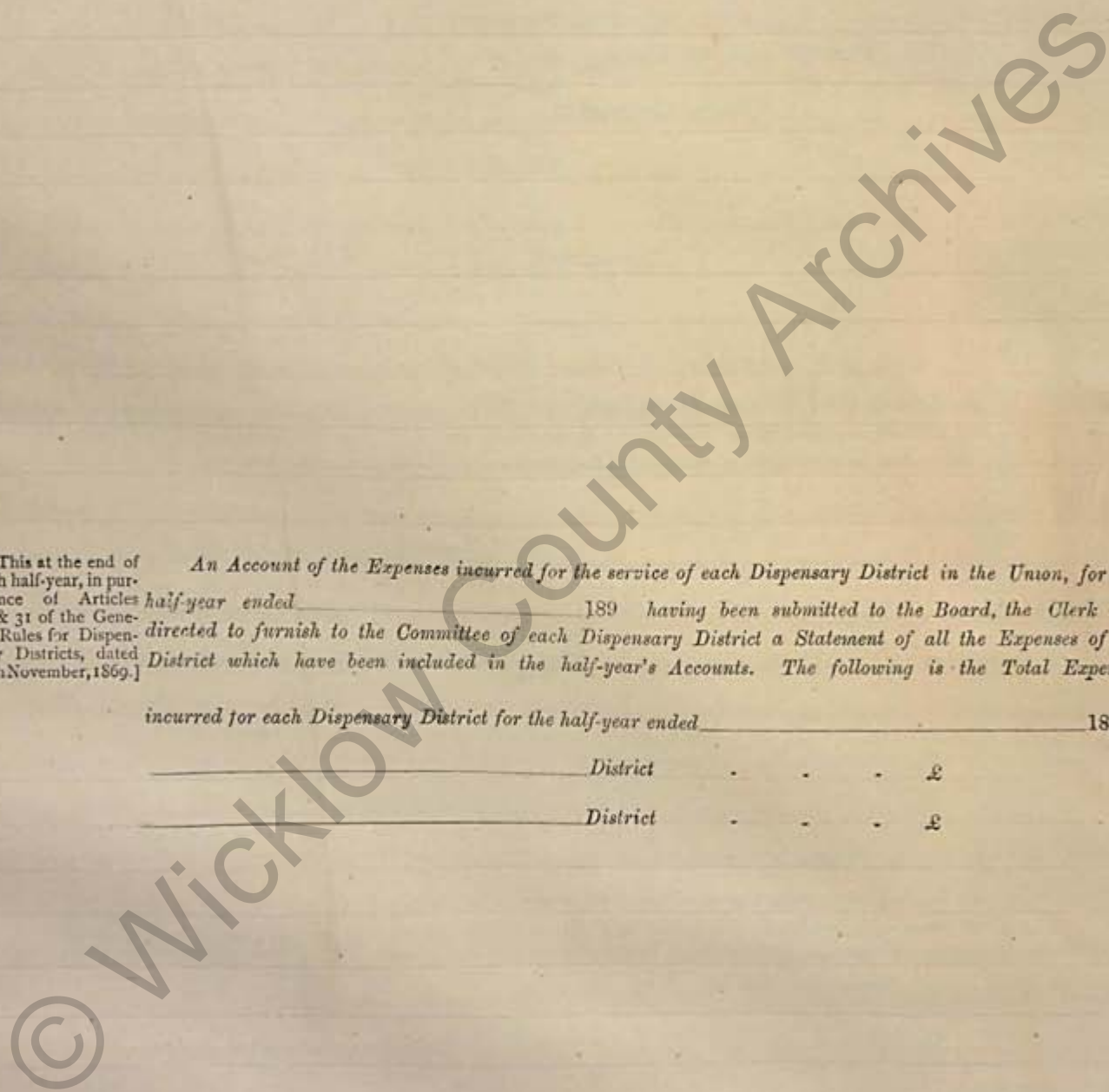
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

	District	.	.	.	£
	District	.	.	.	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 2nd instant
~~stating that~~ transmitting for the information of the Guardians
 a copy of a letter which they have addressed to the
 Wicklow Dispensary Committee expressing their
 approval of the appointment of Mrs Mary Anne
 McFlurg as midwife, in that District, on the
 terms named: viz £15 a year, and a fee of 5/-
 for each midwifery case.

These Reports are
 to be made up and
 forwarded by the
 Medical Officers to
 the Board of Guar-
 dians quarterly, viz.,
 on the 31st March,
 30th June, 30th Sep-
 tember and 31st De-
 cember.]

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

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

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

Read Report from Mr. L. Murphy SSC relative to the cleaning out of the Killeader Tank, which he expects to get done for £5, the manure taken out of the tank will fetch £2.

Mr. Murphy asks for instructions regarding the quantity and nature of the disinfectants to be used.

Order — Mr. Murphy to consult with Dr. Lovernick as to the disinfectants which can be procured from the Contractor, Messrs. Leslie & Co.

— Martin J. Cotterham
Chair

10/3/95.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 10th
day of March 1893

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 129561:13/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of March 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	263													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	7													
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	669	270													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			79	36	54	60	—	7	22	13	11	282	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 105 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 7 TOTAL, 112	In separate Wards 20 In Wards with other inmates 10 TOTAL 40	
Admitted during the Week			64	10	4	—	—	2	6	4	4	94			
TOTAL,			143	46	58	60	—	9	28	17	15	376			
Discharged during the Week			77	9	5	—	—	2	5	4	2	104			
Died			—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2			
Total Discharged and Dead			77	9	5	2	—	2	5	4	2	106			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			66	37	53	58	—	7	23	13	13	270	No. Relieved during week 59 No. in Workhouse at date 9 No. at corresponding period last year, 267		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of March 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	108	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	105	John Manley
No. III.	204	306	Joseph Levingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	83	134	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	426	653	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Friday~~ ^{Wednesday} the 10th day of March 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D. C. Chris
Other Guardians:—

- Mr. Innell A
- Mr. Lamb A
- Mr. Burke A
- Mr. J. Byrne
- Mr. Ellison
- Mr. Robinson
- Mr. H. Doyle
- Mr. J. J. J. J.
- Mr. J. J. J. J.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4221 to No. 4240 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in Favour* the Guardians was £ 264 : 101 : 9 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

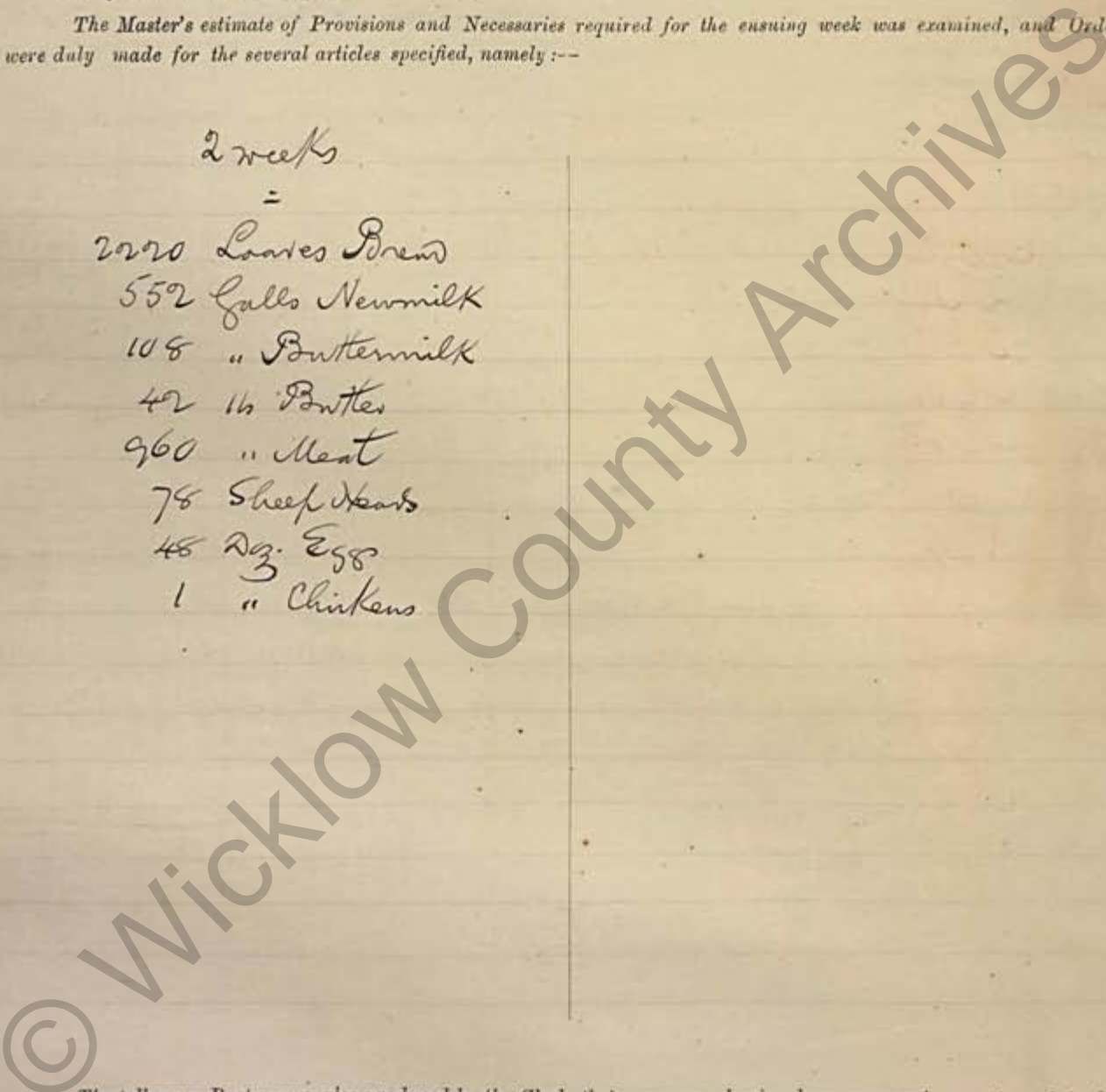
1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	.	.	.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	.	.	.
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	.	.	.
Average Cost in Infirmary	.	.	.
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	.	.	.

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

2 weeks
=

2220 Loaves Bread
 552 Galls Newmilk
 108 " Buttermilk
 42 lb Buttes
 960 " Meat
 78 Sheep Heads
 48 Doz. Eggs
 1 " Chickens



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 March 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	s.	d.
	38	18	10
In Kind		4	0
Total	£	39	2.10

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheques on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
M Byrne	Bread	24	13 10
L Byrne	Milk	22	- 8
E Shurt	"	18	12 8
R Hill	Meal	7	4 -
M Byrne	on a/c of contract	55	- -
N	Balance of "	4	- -
W Hall	Fencing grave n ^d	20	- -
	In fav of Clerk to pay		
Clerk	Orders	1	19 -
Wilson	Fencing for n ^d		18 2
C Ellis	Repts		8 -
M New	Repts		9 3
		3	14 5

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 7th instant, from the Local Government Board forwarding to be laid before the Board a further letter which they have received from an inmate of the Workhouse named Matthew Lawler in which he complains of the condition of the Workhouse.

The L.G. Board request that the Guardians will be so good as to call upon the Master & Medical Officer of the Workhouse for their observations in writing on the matters complained of in the letter.

Order — To be referred to the Master and Medical Officer.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 8th instant in reference to the surcharge by Mr. Drury L.G. Auditor of a sum of 9/- against Mr.

Johnson R.O. out door relief given to a widow named Bridget Rouke, - Under the circumstances now set forth by the Guardians, the surcharge will not be enforced.

Read Letter from same dated the 9th inst. in reference to the entry on the Guardians minutes of the 3rd instant, of a Certification from Mr. Edw^d Dallow, Workhouse Shoemaker, to the effect that he is willing to resume his duty at once;

The L^y Board state that having regard to the fact that this man is 88 years old, and to the Medical Officers opinion, the Guardians should insist on their resolution of the 24th ultims being carried into effect.

Order - Adjourned to this day week:

Read Letter from same of same Date, forwarding for the Guardians information two Communications received from the Commissioners of National Education relating to their District Inspectors last report on the Workhouse Schools.

The Reports were considered to be of a highly satisfactory character, and John Small gave notice that on the 31st instant he will move that the usual results fees be given to the Teachers; Mr. Robinson notified his intention of seconding the proposal.

Read Letter Dated the 9th instant from Mr. Newson V^d notifying that he has been called on to attend in London to give evidence before the Departmental Committee on the subject of Sowing

Fever, and will be absent for a couple of Days during which time he shall ask Mr. Malone V.S. to do duty for him.

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Read Letter from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, stating that he had performed a serious operation in the W.H. Infirmary which required the administration of an anæsthetic, and should feel obliged by the payment to Dr. Ryan of the usual fee for such cases.

Order £2.00 to be paid to Dr. Ryan:

Read Letter Dated the 7th instant from Sir Peter Barrington Esq., Dublin, Solicitor for Mess^{rs} Broadwood, applying for payment of the amount awarded as compensation for a plot of land proposed to be taken by the Guardians on the townland Ballyrogan, the property of Mess^{rs} Broadwood, for the purposes of the Dubliners (Ireland) Act.

Order - The Guardians are only waiting for the proofs of Mess^{rs} Broadwoods title and their consent to the award.

The list of the Union laid before the Board the Returning Officers list of Candidates duly nominated for the office of Poor Law Guardians in this Union for the year ending the 25th of March 1894:

Mr. Newson V.D. reported the following sheep to be affected with Sheep Scab - viz:

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	..	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was				

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was —

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 17th
day of March 189³

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday},
the 10th day of March 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm.*

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 41

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

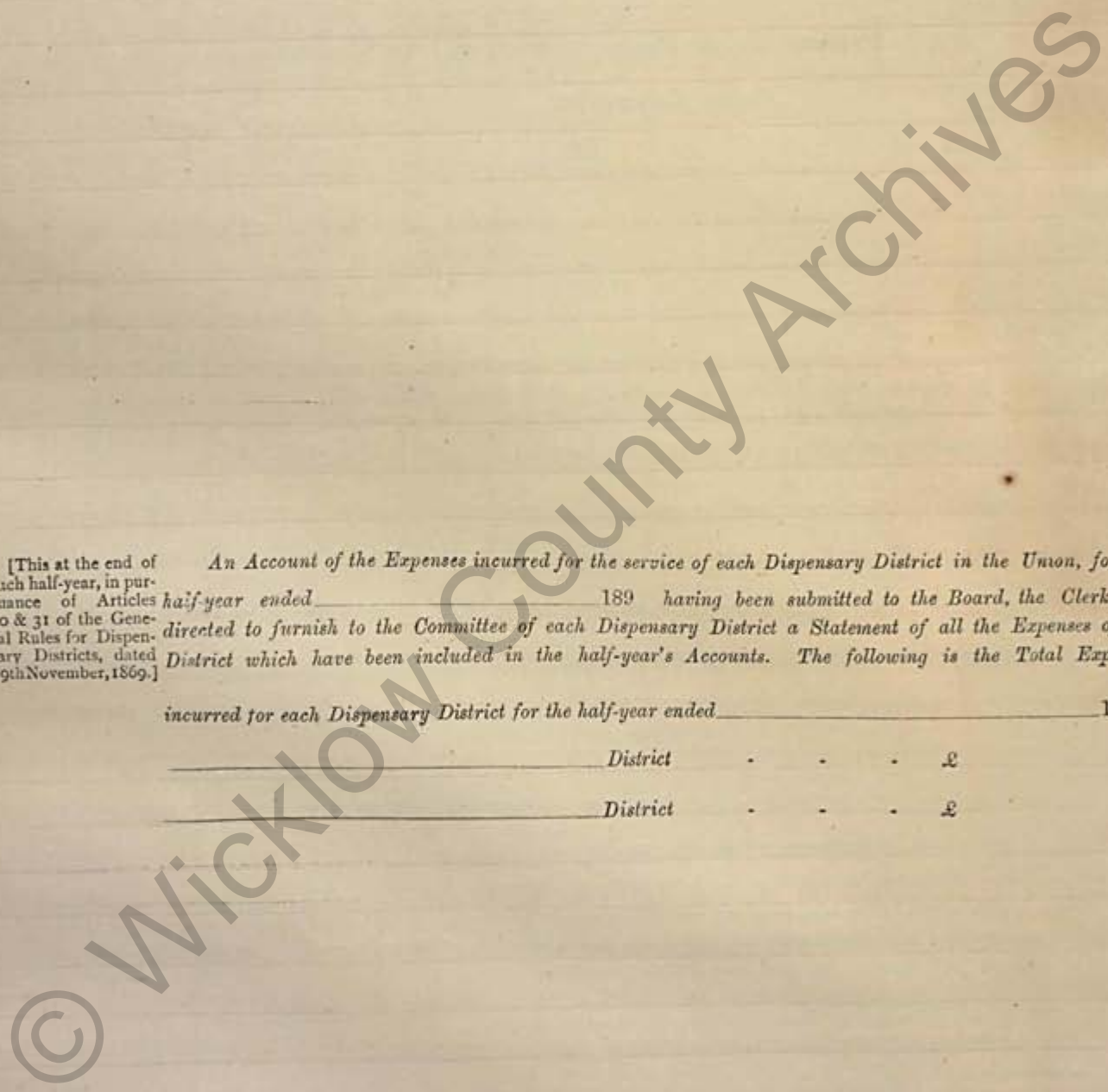
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 dated 9th instant stating that they are desirous that the minutes of proceedings of Board of Guardians under the Medical Charities Act, and their proceedings when acting as a Rural Sanitary Authority under the Public Health Acts should be forwarded separately in future.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 9th inst. from Mr. Mr. Jones. Hon. Sec. Newbridge Disp. Fund relative to the Public Pump at Ferrybank which he states requires some further improvements which Mr. Little P. promised to explain to the Board.

Mr. Little who was in attendance stated that a stone trough and a grating connected with the Pump encroached somewhat on the public roadway, and should be moved back 2 or 3 feet, which was ordered to be done.

Read Letter from Mr. Wm. Hall, stating that he has completed his Contract for fencing the old grave yard at Temple Michael, and requesting payment of the amount of his Contract, £75.

Mr. Johnson S.S.C. and Mr. Manley P.L.G. for the Electoral Division of Kilbride certified that the works are fairly well done.

Order—£70 to be paid, the balance to be retained for 3 years, during his Contract for maintenance.

Mr. Ellison P.L.G. by leave of the Board post-^{tille the 7th inst.} joined his motion in reference to the water supply of Rathdrum, in consequence of the death of Mr. Cowley, wife of his colleague in the representation of the E.D. of Rathdrum.

And on the motion of Mr. Robinson seconded by Mr. Carey a letter of condolence & sympathy was written and signed by the mover & seconder and the Chairman, and directed to be forwarded to Mr. Cowley:

= Charles Robinson.
Chairman.
17/3/93.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~, the *17th*
day of *March* 189*3*

Signed, *B. Manning*
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1881—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 129,961.13/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	580	239													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9													
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	660	248													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			66	37	53	58	—	7	23	13	13	270	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 107	In separate Wards with other inmates 30	18
Admitted during the Week			23	5	4	—	—	1	3	2	—	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 9		
TOTAL			89	42	57	58	—	8	26	15	13	308	TOTAL 116	TOTAL 40	
Discharged during the Week			35	6	5	—	—	2	6	5	—	59			
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			35	6	6	—	—	2	6	5	—	60			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			54	36	51	58	—	6	20	10	13	248	No. in Workhouse at date 4	No. at corresponding period last year, 267	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of March 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	108	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	105	John Manley
No. III.	204	296	James Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	83	134	Michael Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	426	643	= 766

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 17th day of March 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham & L. Chm
 Other Guardians: J. Small, H. McJohn, J. Cowley, D. V. C.
 Major Tottenham, Mr. E. Ellison
 Mr. H. A. Dunne, Mr. Wm. Grant
 Mr. M. Knight, Mr. E. Robinson
 Mr. J. J. Grehan, Mr. Martin Doyle
 Mr. Sam. Douse, Mr. Pat. J. Carey
 Mr. L. Wolohan, Mr. Pat. Miley
 Mr. A. Sheehan, Mr. C. Merrigan
 Mr. D. Somers, Mr. Wm. Cullen
 Mr. J. Byrne, Mr. Miles Byrne
 Mr. O. Byrne

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ~~4340~~ to No. 4358 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 3209 - 0 - 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	35	15	5
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	50	19	2
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		4	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:—

1060 Loaves Bread
 276 Gallons Newmilk
 150 " Buttermilk
 21 lbs Butter
 480 " Meat
 39 Heads
 2 cwt Sugar
 26 Doz Eggs
 ½ " Chickens
 1 Roll Tobacco

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of March 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	35	9	6
In Kind ...		1	12	0
Total ...	£	37	1	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Em Linnik	109	1	2
M. Payne	20	-	-
D. O'Brien	7	10	-
J. D. Lumsden	26	6	6
Herb	2	10	3

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant from the Local Government Board transmitting an Order on the Paymaster General for payment to the Guardians Credit of a sum of £531:18:0 on account of Sanitary Salaries paid by the Guardians during the half year ended the 29th of September 1892:

2

Read Circular from Dublin, Dated the 16th instant, forwarding for the information of the Guardians a statement which they have prepared from a Return ordered by Parliament last session showing the average expenditure per head of inmates on spirits, wine and malt liquor in each Workhouse in Ireland during the year 1891.

Read Letter from Mr. Lawley D.V.C. of the Board, thanking the Guardians for their kind vote of sympathy with him in his bereavement by the death of his wife.

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Read Letters from the Medical Officer and Master of the Workhouse in reference to the complaints made by a pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Matthew Fowler in reference to the condition of the mens Washhouse.

The letters were ordered to be sent on to the Local Government Board.

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Read Letter from the Master of the Workhouse stating that in consequence of being laid up with an attack of influenza he is obliged to ask for the assistance of the Workhouse Schoolmaster which he will require until the end of April, as the sanitary drainage of the Workhouse will not be finished before that time, and the extra work caused by these works is very considerable.

Order - The Master allowed 30/- a week for four weeks.

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Read Letter from the Receiver of Wreck, Custom House Dublin, asking for a refund of 7/6, expenses incurred in burying carcasses of animals washed ashore in the Union.

Order - Job paid 7/6:

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Read claim to be voted as follows

2/3
 Jense Graham & Eliza Graham v Patrick Graham
 Ballylusk, which was ordered to be complied
 with, being adequately vouched.

Two other claims from Thomas Fuller and John
 Fuller were not complied with, not being properly
 vouched.

Mr. Newsum v D reported that 6 sheep the
 property of Mr. Jas. Sheehy of Knockanoda have
 recovered from the Sheep Peak from which they
 had been suffering; and the restrictions were
 consequently ordered to be removed.

The following contracts were declared
 for 3 months

Mr. McGinck	Best Mutton	@ 6 p lb
"	" Beef	" 5 1/2 "
"	" Ox Heads	" 2/- each
"	" Sheep "	" 6 "
Mr. Mary Byrne	" White Bread	" 5 1/2 p 4 lb
Mr. Roger Hill	" Fatmeal	" 7 1/2 10/2 2 1/2
Men Derry & Quinn	" Bacon	" 7 1/2 p lb

For 6 months

Mr. M. J. Byrne	Best Black Tea	" 1/6 p lb
" J. Fassant	" "	" 2/4 "
Men Kelly Bros	" Fat wine	" 14/- " Deg
"	" Marsala	" 13/6 "
"	" Gin	" 27/- "
"	" Brandy	" 52/6 "
"	" Whiskey	" 15/9 " Gal
"	" Pepper	" 6 " lb
Mr. J. B. Smyth	" X X Butter	" 21/- " 2 B "
"	" "	" 11/- " 4 "
"	" Soft Sugar	" 12 " lb
"	" Tobacco	" 3/3 " "

Men^r Derry & Quinn - Salt @ 1/6 of cwt.
 Mr Mulhern Eggs " 9 - Doz.

Men^r Ryan & Co. Tipperary were declared
 contractors for supplying the Workhouse and
 Dispensary Districts with Medicines for one
 year from the 25th instant at prices set forth
 in their tender.

Men^r Poilean & Boyd were declared contractors
 for supplying the Workhouse and Dispensary
 Districts with Medical and Surgical appli-
 cances and Instruments for one year from the
 25th instant at prices set forth in their tender.

A tender was accepted from Mr. John Ryan of
 Knockroth: proposing to pay £4:11:6 for the
 stop & refuse of the Workhouse kitchen for the en-
 -suing three months.

The following tenders were received for building
 labourers cottages under No. 2 Scheme -

Mr. Michl. Clark -	4 cottages at Dinnane	£90	Each	
	The remaining 13 at	£97:00/-	each	
Mr. Thomas Hall -	4 Cottages at Dinnane	for	£446:16:4	
" Michl. Kavanagh -	2 " on Dinnane	South	@ £99	Each
" Andrew Kavanagh -	7 " " "	"	£103 " "	
" Michl. Payne -	2 " " "	"	£111 " "	
" " " -	4 " " "	"	115 " "	

The Guardians accepted Mr. Clarkes tender.

Read Letter Dated the 16th instant, from
 Mr. John Waldron of Bullinacra, requesting
 payment of the sum awarded to him as Com-

provisions for the land proposed to be taken from him for the purposes of the Laburers Acts:

Adjourned

Recd letter from Jallertin Dowling stating that two of the Guardians tenants for the Laburers Cottages at Milltown in Gleneady ED refuse to pay any more rent until their plots are properly fenced

Order - Referred to Mr E Storey P.H. for the Division

Proposed by Mr. McDoyle, seconded by Mr. W. Fuller - Resolved -

That Patrick Bergin and Robert Kelly be accepted as tenants of the two Cottages in Dringth South ED at 1/- per week.

James
Wicklow
Chair

24/3/93.

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	..	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	2
Do. 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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(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 Friday, the 24th day of March 1893

(Signed) P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ ^{Friday}
 the 17th day of March 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 61

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

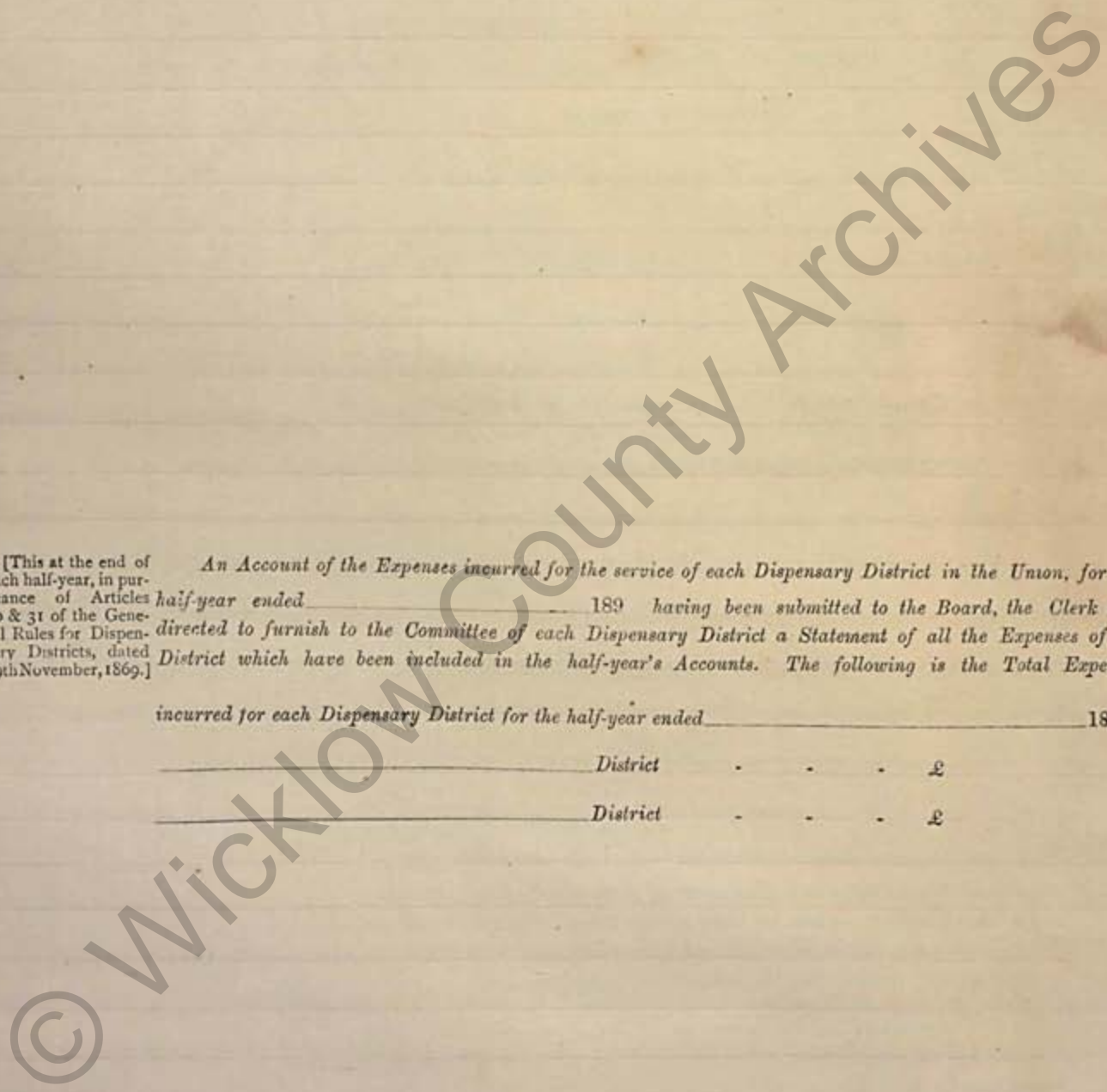
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 Wicklow Dispensary Committee
 stating that the Medical Officer reported at their monthly meeting on the 14th instant, that the waiting room attached to the Dispensary has been in his possession since September 1892, and that all damp has been removed from the Dispensary room

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

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

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
Newcastle	J. Liverock	<p>Report relative to the tank at Kiepedder which is dangerous to the public health by polluting the stream from which several families are supplied with water including Major Dattenham of Woodstock</p>	<p>Order - Refered to the Rural Committee to consider & recommend the best mode of remedying any nuisance that may exist.</p> <p>Ordered - That the Sanitary Pub. Officer proceed at once to Kiepedder to take steps to prevent any further nuisance, and to report to the Board as to the state of the stream below Major Dattenham's bounds.</p> <p>In the mean time to require Duffy (the contractor) to clean it, and in his default to have it cleaned at his charge.</p>

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read the following Resolutions passed by the Wicklow Dispensary Committee at their monthly meeting on the 14th instant,

Resolved — That the field on Major John Cunningham's property lately selected for a Cemetery having been fully tested is considered unsuitable for the requirements of burial, and we hereby withdraw our recommendation

That the Secretary communicate with J Brooke Esq relative to a field adjoining Bollarney Lane for a joint Cemetery.

That the Secretary's account now produced and signed by the Chairman be paid (£ 1: 10: 3)

approved CJD 17/3/93

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant, from Mr Mulhull, Solicitor, Wicklow, requesting on behalf of Mr Wm Hall, payment of the balance (£5) due to him for fencing the old grave yard at Temple Michael together with 6/8 cost of letter:

Mr Hall is willing to give security for the maintenance of the fence for 3 years, according to his contract if the Guardians require him to do so.

Mr Woldahan Esq. gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that the resolution of the 10th instant be rescinded, and that Mr Hall be paid the balance of his contract, on giving security for the maintenance of the work for three years.

In accordance with notice Mr Ellison proceeded to propose his resolution with regard to an improved water supply for the upper portion of the

town of Rathdrum, which was seconded by Mr. John Byrne and passed unanimously as follows.

Resolved — That the town supply of water for Rathdrum be obtained from Ballygannon and pipes be laid into the town through the main street; and that the town of Rathdrum and the townland of Ballygannon be made chargeable with the expenses of said water supply.

17/3/93
 J. J. Tottenham

The Guardians accepted a tender from Martin Byrne of Arklow for scavenging the streets and lanes of that town for the ensuing twelve months at £5.15.0 per month.

Charles Tottenham
 Chairman

16/3/93.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 24th
~~Wednesday~~
 day of March 1893

Signed,

P. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127966:13/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of March 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	569	237	54	36	51	58	-	6	25	13	13	248			
Temporary Buildings	-	-													
Additional Workhouse ..	-	-													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	7													
Fever Sheds	-	-													
TOTAL	649	244	78	40	54	60	-	7	25	12	14	250			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			66	37	53	58	-	7	23	13	13	270	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 103	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates 30	24
Admitted during the Week			24	4	3	2	-	1	5	2	1	42	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 7		
TOTAL			78	40	54	60	-	7	25	12	14	250	TOTAL 110	TOTAL 40	
Discharged during the Week			21	8	-	3	-	-	5	4	2	43	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died			1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3			
Total Discharged and Dead			22	8	1	4	-	-	5	4	2	46	No. Relieved during week 18		18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			56	32	53	56	-	7	20	8	12	244	No. in Workhouse at date 7		7
													No. at corresponding period last year, 279		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of March 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	108	John D. Edge
No. II.	77	111	John Manley
No. III.	204	286	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	134	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	428	639	= 766

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 24th day of March 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm

Other Guardians:-

- Captain Drought D.V.C.
- Mr. John J. Conley D.V.C.
- Major Tottenham F.
- Mr. W. A. Dumble F.
- " Edw. Storey
- " Edw. Ellison
- " R. Grayson

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4359 to No. 4380 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

£ 211. 18. 0

Paid during the week £ 250. 3. 0

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 3170. 15. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	42	14	6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	50	0	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

- 960 Loaves Bread
- 270 Galls Newmilk
- 140 " Buttermilk
- 22 lbs Butter
- 4 cwt Sugar
- 4 " Pan Lard
- 2 Boxes Candles
- 4 cwt Salt
- 3 " Bacon
- 6 Chickens
- 26 Doz Eggs

Order -
The Master to provide the usual Breakfast, Dinner and Supper for the inmates on Easter-day.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of March 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	36	1	6
In Kind			10	6
Total	£	36	12	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON S. Johnson	30	.	.
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON L. Murphy	20	.	.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Des. R. Guinness	10	-	-
" P. Cahery	20	-	-
S. R. Reeper	25	-	-
D. Manning	25	-	-
J. Flower	20	-	-
M. Flower	10	-	-
A. Byrne	8	15	-
C. Byrne	8	15	-
M. Kenny	5	-	-
J. O'Leary	5	-	-
A. Fitzgerald	3	15	-
W. Reever	3	15	-
J. Deane	8	15	-
J. Manley	8	15	-
S. Johnson	8	15	-
L. Murphy	8	15	-
E. Tallon	5	-	-
S. Jobe	4	-	-
J. M.	2	10	-
S. Garland	30	-	-
" Gardner	26	12	10
" Byrne	25	17	6
" Satchwell	25	-	-
" Anderson	30	-	-
" Liverock	25	-	-
" Ryan	25	-	-

		£	s.	d.
S. Halpin	Sal	25	-	-
Dispy Servants	Wages	10	10	-
R. O'Brien	Sal	5	-	-
J. O'Connell	"	5	-	-
M. M. O'Connell	"	1	-	6
Rep of Booth	Rent	5	5	-
J. Woodburne	"	2	15	-
B. Payne	"	5	-	-
J. S. Diche	"	4	-	-
E. Hopkins	"	4	10	-
J. Newson	Sal	75	-	-
B. Manning	"	5	-	-
L ^r	"	6	5	-
M. New	"	3	15	-

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 16th instant from the Local Government Board sanctioning the proposed payment of £2.2.0 to D. Ryan for assisting the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in a surgical operation.

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Read Letter from same Dated the 23rd instant sanctioning the payment of 30/- a week for 4 weeks to the Schoolmaster of the Workhouse for assisting the Master in the discharge of his duties under the circumstances mentioned in the Guardians minutes of the 17th instant.

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Read Letter from same of same Date. in reference to the reports of the Medical Officer and Master of the Workhouse relative to the

Complaints made by an inmate named Mathewson regarding the condition of the wash-house; and in reference thereto the L.G.B. state that the Guardians should call upon the Contractor to proceed more rapidly with the alterations in the Workhouse Sewerage, as confusion is caused in the management of the institution by the delay in the progress of the works; the L.G.B. also state that they are of opinion that the suggestion of the Master as to providing a small shed for night buckets might with advantage be adopted.

Read letter from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse reminding the Guardians that on the 7th and again on the 27th of September 1892, he gave expression to his opinion as regards the Workhouse Sewerage system and urged upon them the necessity for prompt measures to remedy the present unsanitary condition of affairs within the Workhouse premises.

In compliance with their request he now again urges upon them the necessity of erecting conveniences for the large number of aged and infirm inmates, and removing the large privies from under the Infirmary roof.

The Guardians are almost solely depending upon pumpers (who are often infirm and always unreliable) for the carrying away of buckets, cleaning privies &c. and the M.O. would therefore suggest that whatever system of sewerage be adopted it should be worked upon the simplest and surest methods, so as to secure its sanitary efficiency.

The other matters in connection with

the Washhouse drainage, the Guardians will find fully reported upon by the M.O. in September last.

Mr. Little C.E. attended before the B^d and explained a Plan which would remedy the defects pointed out by the Medical Officer and Master of the Washhouse.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison seconded by Mr. Drought T
Resolved -

That the plan proposed by Mr. Little for the closets and washhouses of the Washhouse be adopted; and that Adams' flushing closets be used (4 seats each) in the men's and women's sides, with winal in men's side; and that 6 lavatory basins be erected in each washhouse.

That Mr. Little be empowered to erect two sets of lavatory basins in the respective wash-houses.

That tenders be invited for the erection of the closet troughs with 4 seats to each according to Mr. Little's Specification, to be submitted to the Board on the 7th prox.
Papers - C.P.

Read letter from the Commissioners of Public Works, dated the 21st instant forwarding for the approval of the Guardians 3 draft Deeds of Mortgage in relation to the Loans sanctioned for the purposes of the Labourers (Ireland) Acts in pursuance of the Guardians Improvement Scheme No 3.

The Deeds were approved by the Board and ordered to be returned for encroachment.

Read Letter from Edward Darcy, Labourer, asking the Guardians to build a cottage for him under the Labourers Acts in Rathdrum Electoral Division.

Order -

Darcy to be informed that no cottages are now being built in the Rathdrum E.D. Lords Fitzwilliam and Meath having respectively undertaken to provide any accommodation necessary.

Read letter from Mr. W. Giffney, Contractor, Rathnew, proposing to fence the plots of land attached to two of the Guardians cottages at Milltown in Glencady E.D. with posts & wire railing and erect a wooden gate, supplying all materials for the sum of £6.

Order -

The Board won't give more than £5.5.0. If Mr. Giffney will do the work in this sum he can at once commence it.

Read report from Mr. Newson V.I. stating that there are 2 sheep belonging to Mr. Sam. Steadman of Ballinahese still suffering from sheep scab, the other 7 having recovered.

Charles Latham
Chair.
31/3/93.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 4
 Ditto disallowed -
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 1
 Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1
 The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ the 31st
 day of March 1893

(Signed) Tomanning
 Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 63.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 24th day of March 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Colonel Tottenham D L Chm
see page 81

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoices 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 may be given:

Dispensary District.

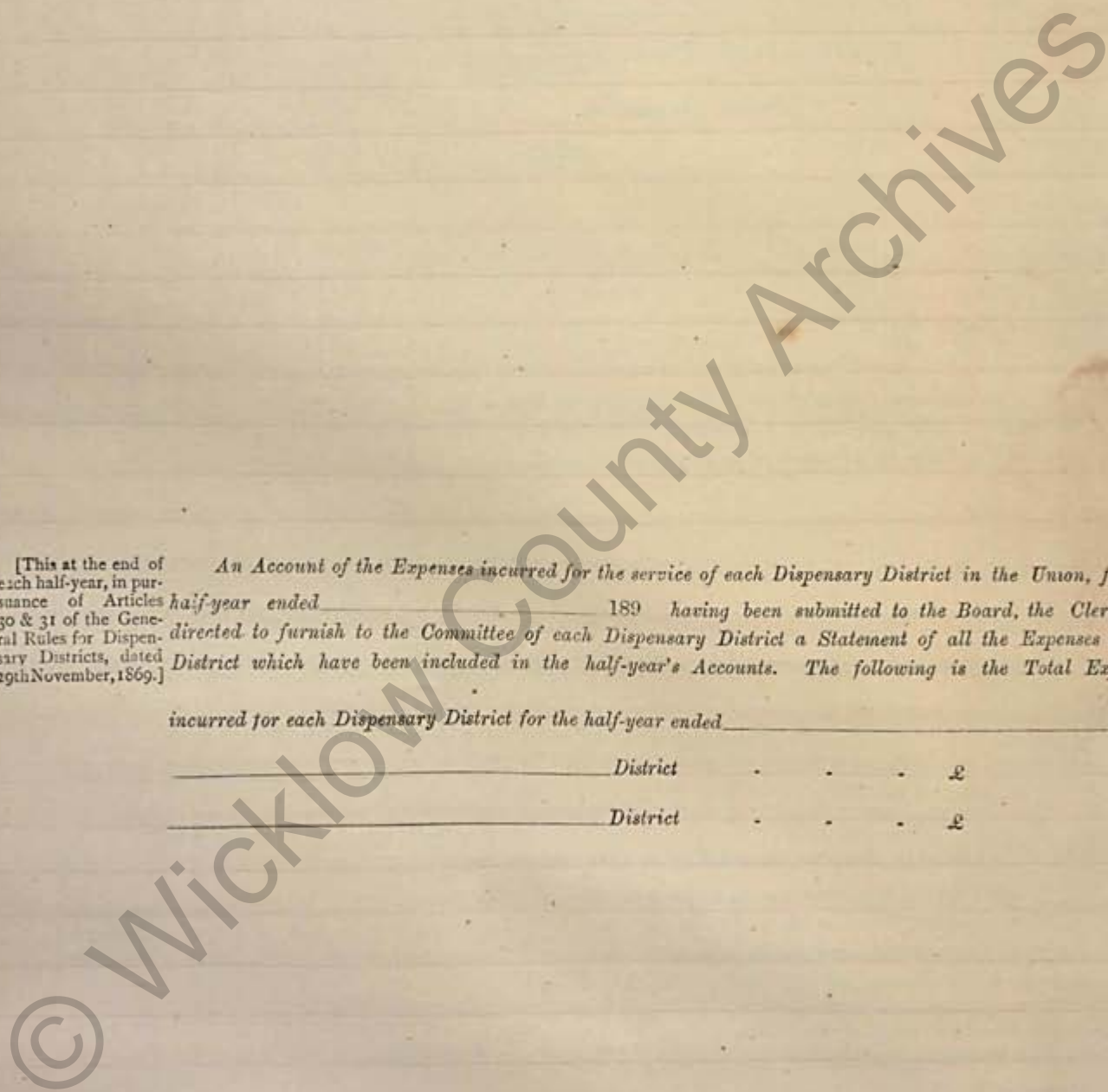
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

	District	.	.	.	£
	District	.	.	.	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

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

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount			
		£	s.	d.	
Drum	J Manning	3	15	-	
	S. Leeper	2	10	-	
	J D Edge	8	15	-	
	J Manley	5	-	-	
	S Johnson	5	-	-	
	L Murphy	7	10	-	
	J Kram	7	10	-	
	P Cartz	2	10	-	
Dispensaries	S. Garland	3	15	-	
	" Gardiner	2	13	3	
	" Byrne	3	15	-	
	" Satchwell	2	10	-	
	" Hudson	3	15	-	
	" Loverock	2	10	-	
	" Ryan	2	10	-	
	" Halpin	6	5	-	
	S. Ryan	Consultation Fee	2	2	-
	M Johnson	Milk	26	12	4
	M Byrne	Bread	24	12	5
	S Johnson	Relief	30	-	-
	L Murphy	"	20	-	-
	"	Dairy Ex	5	-	-
	In fav of k to pay				
Penson & Dany	Coal	1	15	3	
S Johnson	Dag	1	5	-	
E Cole	Dent	18	-	-	
L Murphy	"	10	-	-	
L Balfe	Drill Cases	7	6	-	
		4	15	9	

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

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

Read report from Mr. Murphy SSO. stating that he inspected the waterway leading by Kilpedder tank to Major Dottenham's boundary and found the upper portion immediately at the tank in a very bad state the matter carried out by the overflow since its construction lying from 18 to 30 inches deep for a distance of 500 or 600 yards.

He has had 8 men on it for 3 days and got this portion along with about 300 yards lower down scoured up and flushed, the remaining portion of the stream shows some slight deposits throughout but will present no great difficulties with the exception of a pond at Ballyronan turn into which the brook runs and in which there may be a large deposit. The work up to the present has cost £3.3.0.

A cheque for £5 to cover expenses was drawn in favour of Mr. Murphy —

Proposed by Major Dottenham, seconded by Mr. Ellison —
Resolved —

That the Newcastle Dispensary Committee be authorized to obtain the assistance of an Engineer to advise them as to the remedying the nuisance created by the tank at Kilpedder.

Passed CJO

Proposed by Mr. Dumble H. seconded by Mr. Ellison —
Resolved —

That advertisements be issued inviting tenders from competent Engineers for Plans, Specifications and Estimates for the proposed water supply to the town of Rathfrum, and also to take charge of the works, to be submitted to the Board on the 21st prox.

Passed CJO

Charles G. Dottenham
31/3/93. Char

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~, the *Friday* *31st*
day of *March* 189*3*

Signed, *P. Manning*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of March 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	223															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	7															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	230															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			56	32	53	56	—	7	20	8	12	244	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	102	In separate Wards	30	16
Admitted during the Week			27	3	4	—	—	1	2	1	—	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	40	
TOTAL			83	35	57	56	—	8	22	9	12	282	TOTAL	109	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week			32	4	4	1	—	2	4	2	—	49	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			32	4	7	1	—	2	4	2	—	52	No. Relieved during week	21	1	—	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			51	31	50	55	—	6	18	7	12	230	No. in Workhouse at date	6	—	—	1
													No. at corresponding period last year,				258

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of March 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	62	106	John D. Edge
No. II.	76	110	John Manley
No. III.	204	286	Joseph Livingston S Johnson
No. IV.	84	129	Richard Ellison R Murphy
TOTALS,	426	631	= 769

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 31st day of March 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham & L. Chm
 Other Guardians:—Capt. Damsfort P VC - Mr. John J. Crowley DRC
 S. H. J. Innell P Mr. E. V. Wymme P Mr. M. Doyle
 Mr. J. Lament P " M. Paresford P " E. Chamney
 " J. F. Meade P " R. Philpot P " E. Storey
 Lt. Col. W. P. Dockett P " R. Grayson " J. Crofton
 Major A. J. Welch P " L. Wolohan " J. Murphy
 Mr. A. Daylin P " D. Somers " E. Robinson
 " J. Dowling P " P. J. Carey " W. Grant
 " CH Wade P " J. Byrne " S. Daise
 " L. N. Doyle P " O. Byrne " J. Short
 " H. A. Tombe P " M. Byrne " E. Cullen
 " E. H. C. Wellesley P " S. Linnam " J. Keane
 " A. Burke P " C. Merrigan " M. H. Jones
 " M. Knight P " J. Graham " E. Ellison
 Lt. Col. J. S. Storey " H. Shepard " W. Cullen

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4381 to No. 4520 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

This being the 1st meeting of the new Board, the Guardians proceeded to the election of a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Deputy-Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.

Proposed by Mr. Forement F. seconded by Dr. Small R. and by Mr. J. Curriam P. H.

Resolved—

That the outgoing Chairmen be elected to the several Chairs namely

Colonel Tottenham D.C. as Chairman
Mr. Dromholt P. as Vice-Chairman
Mr. Cowley as Deputy-Vice-Ch.

Carried unanimously — Charles J. Tottenham. Chrs

Colonel Tottenham, Mr. Dromholt & Mr. Cowley severally returned thanks.

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Retiring Officers Return of Guardians elected for the ensuing year.

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklów ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	32	13	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	49	17	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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 :—

1000 Loaves Bread
 264 Galls Newmilk
 40 " Porter
 22 lbs Potatoes
 480 " Meat
 36 Hens
 10 cut meal
 1/2 Chest Tea
 1/4 lb Blue
 1/2 cut Sugar
 30 doz Eggs
 1/2 " Chickens

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25th day of March 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
	35	19	0
In Kind		1	6
Total	<i>£</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>0 : 6</i>

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	...	...	...
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	...	...	...
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	...	...	...

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Em. Quinn	Ment	19	9	11
N. Byrne	Bread	9	13	5
M. Grant	Milk & Butter	16	11	2
C. Byrne	Mill	7	13	4
E. Shute	"	5	11	4
Andrew Ho	Whiskey &c	10	17	6
N. Hopkins	Tobacco	9	1	2
J. Smith	Eggs &c	29	11	11
J. Sutton	clothing	13	15	4
J. Keenan	"	36	12	7
L. Byrne	Leather	3	1	1
E. Fallon	Shoes	7	10	-
J. Whelan	Straw	3	14	1
Deane & Co	Summers	12	12	4
J. Ryan	"	4	2	5
J. Flower	Timber &c	2	11	3
J. Connor	Paper	4	13	9
F. Wardwell	Dag	2	12	8
Wm. O'Neil	Offices	2	6	-
W. J. Fitzgibbon	Adverts	9	1	6
S. Gantner	Coal	5	7	-
" Ryan	Sun Fees	2	2	-
L. Murphy	"	2	2	-
M. Byrne	Pen &c	5	-	-
W. K.	on etc Cont.	60	-	-
	Small purg	13	-	-

£ s. d.

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

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

Read Circular from the Local Government Board Dated the 24th Ultimo in reference to the annual appointment of Dispensary Committees & Wardens.

Read Letter from Same Dated the 30th Ultimo requesting that they may be furnished with the plans Specifications and estimates received by the Guardians in connection with the proposed alterations in the Sanitary arrangements of the Workhouse.

Ordered to be furnished.

Read Letter from Same of same date, informing the Guardians that they have received a Communication ~~The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—~~

from the Commissioners of National Education certifying that the full amount of results fees which would accrue to the teachers of the Workhouse schools consequent upon the examination held on the 26th of January last if the school were an ordinary national school and the Union contributory under the National School Teachers Act would be as follows:—

Andrew Byrne	74-6-3
Catherine Byrne	8-18-9

Proposed by D. Drnell, seconded by Mr. Robinson —
Resolved —

That the results fees as reckoned in the aforesaid letter be paid to the Schoolmistress and Schoolmaster respectively.

Passed unanimously. B.S.

Read Letter Dated the 27th Ultimo from the Chief

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

Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle, informing the Grant that the Governor & Company of the Bank of Ireland have been authorized to pay to the Treasurers of the Union the sum of £412.6.1, being payable on account to the Guardians in respect of the Probate Duty Grant for the year ending the 31st March 1893.

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

The several Dispensary Committees were appointed by resolutions for the ensuing year, and Wardens for the respective Districts as follows:—

Arklow

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|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1- Earl of Lonsdale P.P. | 8- Mr. Dan. Jones P.D. |
| 2- Alex ^r Taylor Esq P.P. | 9- " Dan Conner " |
| 3- Rob ^t Hudson Esq P.P. | 10- " Edw ^d Ellison " |
| 4- Rob ^t Chulpot Esq P.P. | 11- " Lewis Payne " |
| 5- Mr. M ^r Jones P.D. | 12- " Jas ^s Hanagan " |
| 6- " L. Molohan " | 13- " James Hill " |
| 7- " A. Sheehan " | |

Wardens

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| 1 - Rev. Jas ^s Dwyer P.P. | 6 - Mr. Pat ^k Kavanagh |
| 2 - " Rich ^d Hallows | 7 - " Robert Mowatt |
| 3 - Mr. Timothy Lane | 8 - " David Bradford |
| 4 - " Grace Kearon | 9 - " Terence Payne |
| 5 - " Hugh Payne | 10 - " Lewis Hanagan |

Days of Meeting 3rd Thursday each month, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Annamoe ✓

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|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1 - Lord Powerscourt FT | 12 - Mr. John Trip |
| 2 - Major Funningham FT | 13 - " Wm Murphy |
| 3 - Wm G Morris Esq FT | 14 - " Edw Moran |
| 4 - Dr R Drought Esq FT | 15 - " Matt Mason |
| 5 - Mr. Pat ^k Keely P ^l Esq | 16 - " Mame Byrne |
| 6 - " Jas. Murphy " | 17 - " J W Murphy |
| 7 - " James Keane " | 18 - " Jas Dawson |
| 8 - " S. Cunningham " | 19 - " John Fanning |
| 9 - " C. Merigan " | 20 - Let Jas Manning P ^l |
| 10 - " Saml Edge | 21 - Mr. James Pielok ✓ |
| 11 - " Wm Coleman | |

Wardens

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| 1 - Rev ^d Wm Dokes | 4 - Mr. James Healy |
| 2 - " Byrne | 5 - " Edward Dolan |
| 3 - Mr. Denis Byrne | 6 - " M ^d Childers ✓ |

Days of meeting 1st Saturday each month, at 11 O'clock a.m.

Aughrim ✓

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|---|---------------------------------|
| 1 - Earl of Meath FT | 12 - Mr. James Phelan |
| 2 - Baron DeRoberk FT | 13 - " Richard Butler |
| 3 - Colonel Kemmis FT | 14 - " Andrew Burke |
| 4 - Thomas Acton Esq ^r FT | 15 - " Mich ^l Somers |
| 5 - Major Funningham FT | 16 - " William Fogarty ✓ |
| 6 - Robert Patten Esq FT | 17 - " John Byrne |
| 7 - Robert J Ellis Esq FT | 18 - " Andrew Merigan |
| 8 - Mr. Matt ^r H. Jones P ^l Esq | 19 - " James Byrne |
| 9 - " John Byrne " | |
| 10 - " Owen Byrne " | |
| 11 - " Pat ^k J Carey " | |

Wardens

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| 1 - Rev ^d J O'Mullon P ^r P ^r | 4 - Mr. John Fleming |
| 2 - " Wm Jeffares | 5 - " Patrick Carty |
| 3 - " M Power CC | 6 - " Mich ^l Byrne ✓ |

Days of meeting last Monday each month, at 2 O'clock p.m.

Dungannon

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|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Thomas Acton Esq FF | 11. Mr. Bernard Byrne |
| 2. Robert J Ellis Esq FF | 12. " George Blake |
| 3. Henry O. Druell Esq FF | 13. " John Flanagan |
| 4. Capt C Wade Esq FF | 14. " Mrs W Bourne |
| 5. Robert Hudson Esq FF | 15. " R ^d Bradshaw |
| 6. Major R J Welch FF | 16. " John Johnson |
| 7. Mr. Henry Shepard PLG | 17. " John Fogarty |
| 8. " David Byrne " | 18. " Wm Costello |
| 9. " Edw Chamney " | 19. " Wm J Shepard |
| 10. " Martin Doyle " | 20. " W C Byrne |

Wardens

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| 1. Rev John Milner | 5. Mr. John Richardson |
| 2. " Pierce Donnell PP | 6. " Wm Byrne |
| 3. Mr. Denis Byrnes | 7. " Jas Valentine |
| 4. " John Byrne | |

Days of meeting first Monday each month, 12 O'Clock -

Newbridge

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Colonel E R Bayly FF | + 10. Major Funningham FF |
| 2. Lt. Col. R H Brooke FF | 11. Mr. Patrick Miley PLG |
| + 3. Major R J Welch FF | 12. " Daniel Condon " |
| 4. Marcus F Peresford Esq FF | 13. " William Luke |
| 5. Robert Shelpot Esq FF | 14. " George Duke |
| 6. Mr. Matthew H Jones PLG | 15. " John C Ruskele |
| 7. " Isaac Manley " | 16. " Robert Henth |
| 8. " Mark Conley " | 17. " Joseph Conell |
| 9. " John J Conley " | 18. " David Wheatley |

Wardens

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| 1. Rev: Mrs Dolan PP | 4. Mr John Kelly |
| 2. " John M Robinson | 5. " Rich ^d O'Neill |
| 3. Mr Simon Cullen | 6. " R ^d Bradshaw |

Days of meeting first Monday each month, 12 O'Clock

Newcastle ✓

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|---------------------------|--|
| 1 - Earl Fitzwilliam P | 11 - Mr Rich ^d Grayson P Lg |
| 2 - Henry P Drmelly P | 12 - " Samuel Dorse " |
| 3 - Joseph P Mender Esq P | 13 - " James Short " |
| 4 - Major Funningham P | 14 - " Edward Fullen " |
| 5 - Major Tottenham P | 15 - " Jas D Graham " |
| 6 - Mrs Dawling Esq P | 16 - " Edw ^d Robinson " |
| 7 - Wm G Morris Esq P | 17 - " Joseph Keene " |
| 8 - Esq Wellerley Esq P | 18 - " Alexander Keene " |
| 9 - Henry Saunders Esq P | 19 - " Jas ^o Williams " |
| 10 - Lt Col Stoney P P Lg | 20 - " John Lawrenson " |
| | 21 - " Lawrence Banke " |

Wardens

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| 1 - Rev Henry N Gayer | 5 - Mr James O'Brien |
| 2 - " James Walsh P | 6 - " Robert Belle |
| 3 - " Henry Darwin | 7 - " James Byrne |
| 4 - Mr Samuel Livesley | |

Days of meeting 1st & 3rd Mondays each month, 11 o'clock

Rath drum ✓

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|------------------------------|--|
| 1 - Earl Fitzwilliam P | 10 - Mr. Edw ^d Ellison P Lg |
| 2 - Earl of Meath P | 11 - " Miles Byrne " |
| 3 - Thomas Acton Esq P | 12 - " William Grant " |
| 4 - Colonel Bayly P | 13 - " William Comerford " |
| 5 - Major Funningham P | 14 - " Lawrence Byrne " |
| 6 - Lawrence Han Byrne Esq P | 15 - " Joseph Ellison " |
| 7 - Maurice Knight Esq P | 16 - " Bernard Doyle " |
| 8 - Albert A Burke Esq P | 17 - " Wm A Saunders " |
| 9 - Mr. John J Cowley P Lg | |

Wardens

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| 1 - Rev R W Guinness | 4 - Mr Thomas Fullen |
| 2 - " Philip Carbery | 5 - " Maurice Merragh |
| 3 - Mr Arch ^d Manning | |

Days of meeting 2nd Monday each month at 2 o'clock p.m.

Wicklow

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| 1. Earl Fitzwilliam FT | 14. Mr. Henry Shepard Phly |
| 2. Colmel Tottenham FT | 15. " John Doyle " |
| 3. Lt. Col. J S Dighe FT | 16. " Wm Fuller " |
| 4. Henry P Jewell Esq FT | 17. " Edw Storey " |
| 5. Robert F Ellis Esq FT | 18. " Jas Crofton " |
| 6. Rich ^d R Drought Esq FT | 19. " John Fowler " |
| 7. William Magee Esq FT | 20. " Edw Robinson " |
| 8. Julius Jagemant Esq FT | 21. " Arthur Robb " |
| 9. Henry Seagrave Esq FT | 22. " John J Drinn " |
| 10. Major Funningham FT | 23. " Wm Desaix " |
| 11. Henry St Doble Esq FT | 24. " J R Smyth " |
| 12. Edw N Wynne Esq FT | 25. " Wm Payne " |
| 13. Japt R L Halpin FT | John Hope |

Wardens

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| 1. Rev. Henry Rooke - Canon | 6. Rev. M Clarke CC |
| 2. " James Dillon PP | 7. " M Curry CC |
| 3. " John Locke SD | 8. " M Payne CC |
| 4. " James Roche PP | 9. Mr. John Roberts |
| 5. " W H Mews | 10. " Nathl Hopkins |

Days of meeting, 2nd Tuesday each month, 11 o'clock

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
 Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~, the *Friday* 7th day of *April* 1893

(Signed) *P. Manning*
 Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,the 31st day of March 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractors.

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

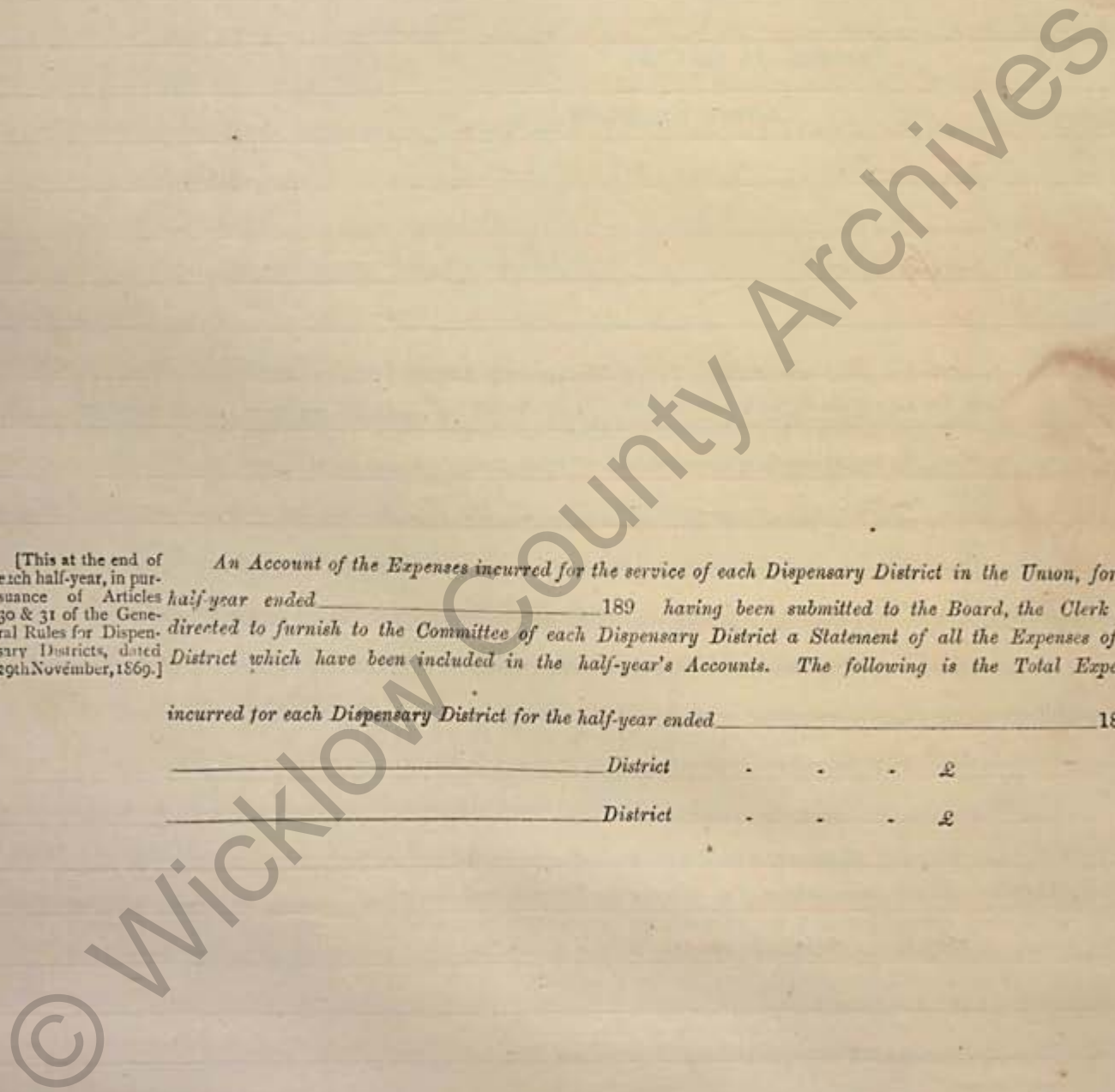
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	189
_____ District	£
_____ District	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

Rathdrum

Read the following resolution passed by the Rathdrum Dispensary Committee at an extraordinary meeting held on the 27th of March 1893 to consider the question of restoring Dr. Ryans Salary to its former figure under the Board of Guardians — members present

Lawrence Doyle Esq. Chairman
 Messrs Albert Burke P., Wm. Comerford, Joseph Ellison,
 Miles Doyle, Edw. Ellison, Lawrence Doyle, Bern^d Doyle
 and John J. Cowley —

Proposed by Mr. Edward Ellison, seconded by Mr. Bernard Doyle
 Resolved — That Dr. Ryans Salary be restored to its former amount under the Board of Guardians viz to £135 per annum, to cover Medical & Sanitary Emoluments —

Three small accounts were passed for supplies to the Dispensary, Coal &c.

John J. Cowley
 Secy. Ser.

The addition to Dr. Ryans Salary abt. approved
 by a show of hands

J. P. Tottenham
 31/3/93

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 _____ The following notice of Matters was served: —

We hereby give notice that on the 5th day of May 1893 we shall move that the resolution of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union reducing the salaries of the Medical Officers 20% on filling new appointments be rescinded

Edw.

James J. Grehan
 Edward Ellison

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 Govern't Board dated 29th March 1893
~~stating that~~ requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the compulsory Vaccination Act in Wicklow Dispensary Dist. reported in February last have since complied with the Law.

Referred to Med^l Offr

Read Letter from same, of same Date informing the Guardians that their attention has been called to the fact that dances are held at night in the Round Dispensary premises, and that the persons who attend there have can have easy access to the Medicines, and they request that the Guardians will be so good as to give directions that this serious irregularity may be at once discontinued.

Ordered That the Constable of the Roundwood Dispensary be warned to allow no such irregularity as that complained of to be permitted on that part of the premises ^{occupied} ~~used~~ by the Guardians for the Dispensary.

Charles J. O'Sullivan
 7/4/93
 Chm.

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

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

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

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

Recd Letter Dated the 30th March 1893 from the Local Government Board; forwarding a form of Descriptive List respecting the area of Charge proposed for the expenses incurred in improving the water supply of the town of Rathdrum:

Order to be complied with:—

Mr Edward Ellison obtained leave to perform the duty for receiving Plans Specifications &c for the above works from the 21st of April to the 5th of May next.

Recd Letter Dated the 29th of March 1893 from the Newcastle Dispensary Committee stating that the Com^{ee} had under their consideration the best mode of remedying the nuisance arising from the Kilpedder Drainage tank. Mr Little C.E. attended and explained three plans by any of which the nuisance maybe removed;— and after a very full discussion the following resolution was passed—

That Plan No 3 proposed by the Engineer be recommended to the Board of Guardians as the best available mode of rectifying the sewage tank at Kilpedder.

The Guardians referred this matter to a Conference of the members of the Dispensary Committee present— viz. Mr. Meade, Dr. Duell, Mr. Graydon, Mr. Wellarley, Mr. Darling, Colonel Stoney and the P. O.

Proposed by Colonel Stoney, seconded by Mr. Meade—

Resolved—

That Scheme No 3 be adopted, which in the first instance provides for altering the course of the stream; and that the Dispensary Committee be given a discretion in conjunction with Mr Little as to the details of the method of disposing of

any overflow. — Paper of Tottenham

Read Letter from Major Gunningham A
protesting against the construction of a tank
in Mount Kennedy Demesne.

Read Circular from Local Govern^t Board
calling for a Return relating to operations under
the Harbour (Ireland) Acts, up to the 31st of March
1893.

Read Letter from Edward Dany, Lubmer
in reference to the order made by the Guardians
in his previous letter applying to have a cottage
built for him:

Received a Representation for a Lubmers
Cottage in Ballinacorn V.D.

Outpost

Maury. Tottenham
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 7th
day of April 1893

Signed,

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977.11/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of April 1893.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	240														
Temporary Buildings ..	-															
Additional Workhouse ..	-															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5														
Fever Skels	-															
TOTAL	669	245														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	27	77	69	5	6	12	9	13	230	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 101	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates 30	440	
Admitted during the Week			36	9	3	4	-	4	9	5	3	73	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 5	TOTAL 40		
TOTAL			48	36	80	73	5	10	21	14	16	303	TOTAL 106	TOTAL 40		
Discharged during the Week			28	8	4	2	-	1	6	3	3	55	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			28	8	6	2	-	1	6	4	3	58	No. Relieved during week 26	2	5	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	28	74	71	5	9	15	10	13	245	No. in Workhouse at date 8	-	-	8
													No. at corresponding period last year,			255

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of April 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	60	104	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	109	John Manley
No. III.	206	286	Joseph Lovington
No. IV.	84	124	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	424	623	S. Johnson L. Murphy

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of April 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Colonel Tottenham D.R. Chm.
Other Guardians:-

Mr. John Hewley D.V.C.
" James J. Graham

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4671 to No. 4600 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in fms.* the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING... ..	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	54	5	=
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	48	17	6
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	8½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	60

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:—

980 Loaves Bread
 258 Galls Newmilk
 40 " Pontlarnilk
 264 lbs Butter
 480 " Meat
 36 Hens
 5 Galls Whiskey
 10 lbs Pepper
 30 doz Eggs
 4 Chickens

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 1st day of April 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
In Money	35	19	0
In Kind		1	6
Total	£ 36	0	6

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

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

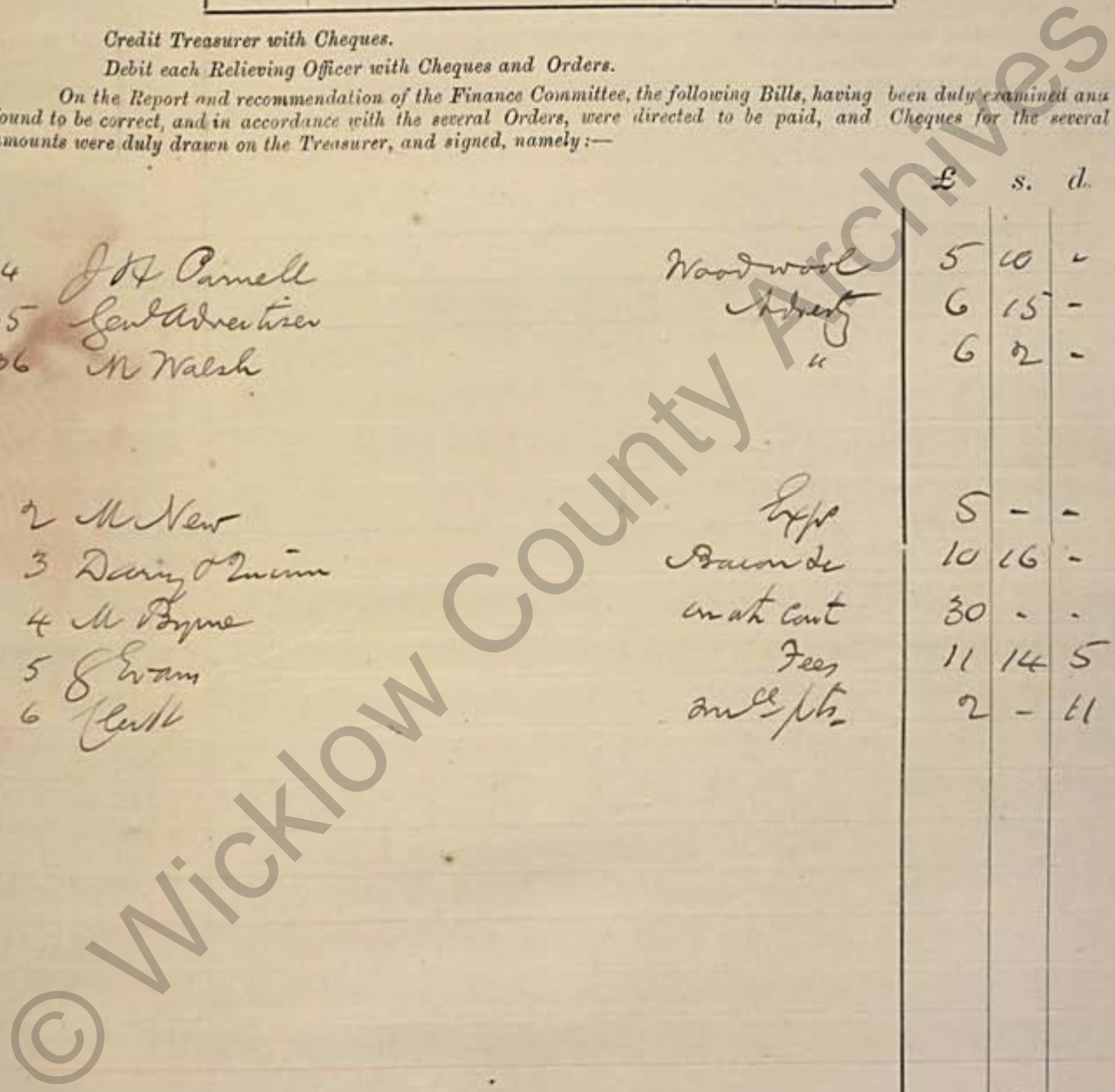
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. J. Ansar</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.	
334	<i>J. H. Carnell</i>	Wood wool	5	10	-
335	<i>Genl. Advertiser</i>	<i>Advert</i>	6	15	-
336	<i>M. Walsh</i>	"	6	2	-
2	<i>M. New</i>	<i>Exp</i>	5	-	-
3	<i>Dairy & Milk</i>	<i>Bacon &c</i>	10	16	-
4	<i>M. Payne</i>	<i>in the cart</i>	30	-	-
5	<i>J. Evans</i>	<i>Fees</i>	11	14	5
6	<i>Clark</i>	<i>and 1/2</i>	2	-	11



£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 5th instant from the Local Government Board calling for the usual Quarterly Rate Return.

Read Letter Dated the 4th instant from Mr. Joshua Joseph Pinn of Bannamstown House, Co. Dublin, requesting to have his name inserted on the Rate Books of the Union in respect of premises at Ballinaborney and Ballinacloyagh in General P.D. instead of his late Father, Mr. James J. Pinn.

Order accordingly.

Read Letter Dated the 6th instant from Mr. Louis Balfe, Receiver of Wreck, Customs House, Dublin, requesting a refund of 8/- paid by him for the burial of the carcass of a bullock washed ashore near Wicklow.

Payment ordered

Read Letter from Mr Michael Byrne
Contractor for carrying out the Drainage works on
the Workhouse premises, applying for payment
of £40 on account of his Contract.

Mr. Little C.R. certified for £30 which was
ordered to be paid.

The Guardians accepted a tender from Mr
Michael Byrne, proposing to execute the required
works connected with the Sanitary arrangements of
the Workhouse, - viz. vesting closets &c. for the
sum of £99.7.6 each according to Plan and Spec-
ification.

Mr. Newsome V.D. reported that all the sheep
reported by him as suffering from Sheep Scab, have
recovered from the disease with the exception of 3
belonging to Mr. Samuel Steadman, Ballinakeere,
Arklew.

Other - Restrictions to be removed except in the
case of Mr Steadman.

P.P. Drought
Ch. M.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 Friday, the 14th day of April 1893

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY,~~ ^{Friday}

the 7th day of April 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Tottenham DR Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*Mr John J Cowley Jvc
" James J Gleason*

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

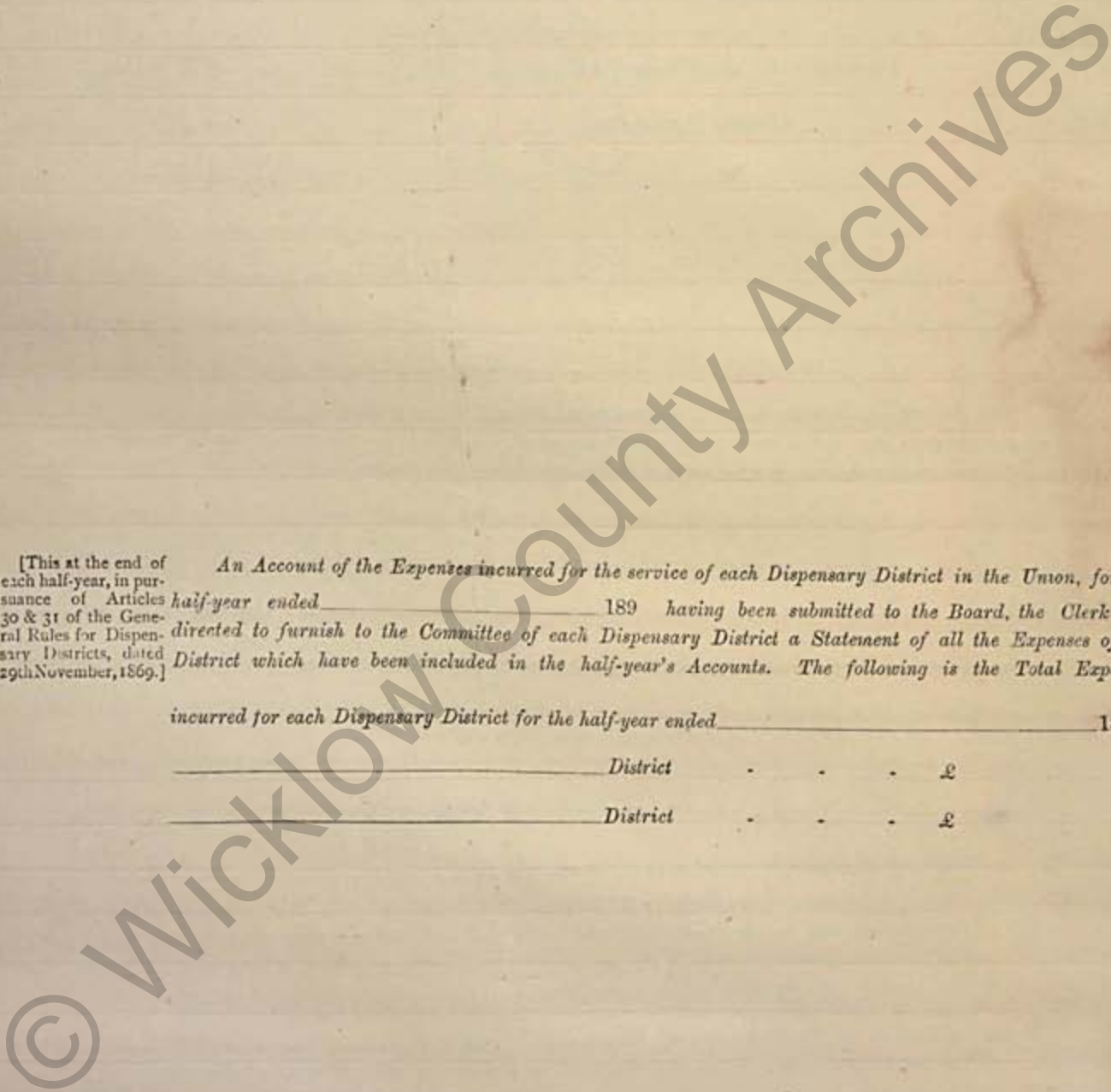
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	189
_____ District - - -	£
_____ District - - -	£



[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Inverness	S. Garland	Report relating to the general state of the sewerage of Roundwood which is unsatisfactory owing to the want of proper communication between the main sewers at the Upper and Lower parts of the town.	Order - Referred to the District Committee.
S	S	Report relating to the unsatisfactory state of the house occupied by Mr. McDonald at Roundwood - Flemings Gate Hs.	Order - Notice to be served on the owner to repair the house.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Recd Letter Dated the 5th instant from Doctor Gardiner, Medical Officer of Health of Mullow Disp^y District stating that in conjunction with the Sanitary Inspector he examined the general sanitary condition of the town of Mullow.

The sewers are, he is assured, in good condition having been examined and where necessary repaired not long before his coming to the District.

He examined the water of each pump & well by putting a sample in a bottle, corking and sealing it, and leaving it by for 10 days; when in no case did he find the slightest trace of decomposition, this was all he considered necessary as there is no disease prevalent in the town nor has he come across a single case of illness which could be traced to the water supply.

The old houses (built before the passing of the Public Health Act 1878) inhabited by the working classes, are without any privy accommodation, which is sufficient to render them unfit for human habitations and would present the most favourable nidus possible for the propagation of such diseases as Cholera and Typhoid Fever. — Many of these houses have no garden at all, and consequently no place in which to put a privy. Most of them have been or are being whitewashed outside & inside, and considering the general poverty of the inhabitants are well kept.

Order — a copy of the last paragraph of this Report to be sent to Mr Dairgair —

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The Guardians appointed Sanitary Com^{rs} — mittees for Mullow and Rathburn as follows: —

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Arklow

- Mr. Jackson P*
- Mr. Philpot P*
- Mr. D. Condon P Lh*
- Mr. D. Somers P Lh*
- Dr. C. R. Gardner*

Rathdown

- Mr. Cowley P Lh*
- Mr. Ellison P Lh*
- Mr. W. J. Mansford*
- Mr. John Speares*
- Lt. J. D. Ryan*
- Lt. R. R. Keiper*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* ~~Wednesday~~, the *14th* day of *April* 189*3*

R. R. Doughty Signed, *J. Manning*
Chairman Clerk of the Union.

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Present Net Annual Value, £127577.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of April 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	207															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	212															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	28	74	71	5	9	15	10	13	245	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	105	In separate Wards	30	
Admitted during the Week			25	7	3	—	—	2	4	2	3	46	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates	10	
TOTAL			45	35	77	71	5	11	19	12	16	291	TOTAL	110	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week			38	11	4	1	—	3	10	6	4	72	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	No. Relieved during week	22	Males	3	
Total Discharged and Dead			38	11	4	2	—	3	10	7	4	79	No. in Workhouse at date	6	Females	—	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	24	73	69	5	8	9	5	12	212	No. at corresponding period last year,	259	Children under 15	—	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of April 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
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No. II.	74	108	John Manley
No. III.	208	288	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	82	117	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	422	615	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 14th day of April 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Captain Drought P VC

Other Guardians:—

- Mr John J Cowley DVC
- Majr Tottenham TP
- Mr H A Dumble TP
- “ Edward Ellison
- “ Edw^d Robinson
- “ Martin Doyle

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

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	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennecilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	47	6	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	60	5	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		4	6
Average Cost in Infirmary		5	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	-

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

950 Loaves Bread
 252 Galls Newmilk
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 24 lbs Butter
 480 .. Meat
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 4 Chickens

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

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	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	19	10
In Kind		1	6
Total	£ 36	0	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD HILLISON <i>R. Hillison</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>J F Evans</i>	10	-	-
<i>M Byrne</i>	24	3	1
<i>R Hill</i>	6	5	-
<i>M Byrne</i>	20	-	-
<i>Infers Coll to pay</i>			
<i>W Smith</i>	1	15	-
<i>Collis</i>		14	2
<i>J W Kelly</i>		11	4
	3	-	6
<i>337 B E Ireland</i>	12	16	-
<i>338 M Byrne</i>	4	6	3
<i>339 C Byrne</i>	8	18	9
<i>340 J Dallas</i>	30	6	8

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 12th instant from the Local Government Board in reference to the Return of Rating over £10. called for by their Circular of the 29th Ultimo, which is now required to be furnished in an amended form.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 13th instant requesting to be informed whether three clear days elapsed between the date of the Return of the Election of Guardians of the Union and the meeting at which the Chairman, Vice Chairman and Deputy Vice Chairman for the coming year were elected:

Order - Three clear days did elapse. R R D -

Read Letter Dated the 7th instant,

informing the Guardians that authorized Inspectors will be in attendance at the Royal Dublin Society's Spring Cattle Show to issue licences for the movement of Cattle from the Show premises to the Country after due inspection.

Read Letter from Dr. Reeper, Med. Offr of the Workhouse calling the attention of the Board to the present condition of the Fever Hospital, the Laundry and privies of which are in a very unsanitary condition, He would strongly recommend glazed earthenware troughs to be put in both the Laundries which are much cleaner and more sanitary than the present wooden ones which can never be properly cleaned and must always be a source of danger when used to wash infected clothes; Mr Little C^r has informed him that the necessary improvement can be carried out at a trifling cost.

Order - Mr Little to report on the 21st inst.

Received Representation from 14 Ratepayers of Arklow E.D. stating that a Labourers Cottage is required to be provided for a Labourer named Denis Whelan on the farm of Mr. James Kavanagh, at Johnstown Lower.

Order - Postponed.

= Charles J. Tottenham
21/4/93
Chair

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto disallowed
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~, the 21st day of April 1893

(Signed) P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~,the 14th day of April 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT.—In the Chair

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Capt R R Drought D. V. C.
See page 141.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

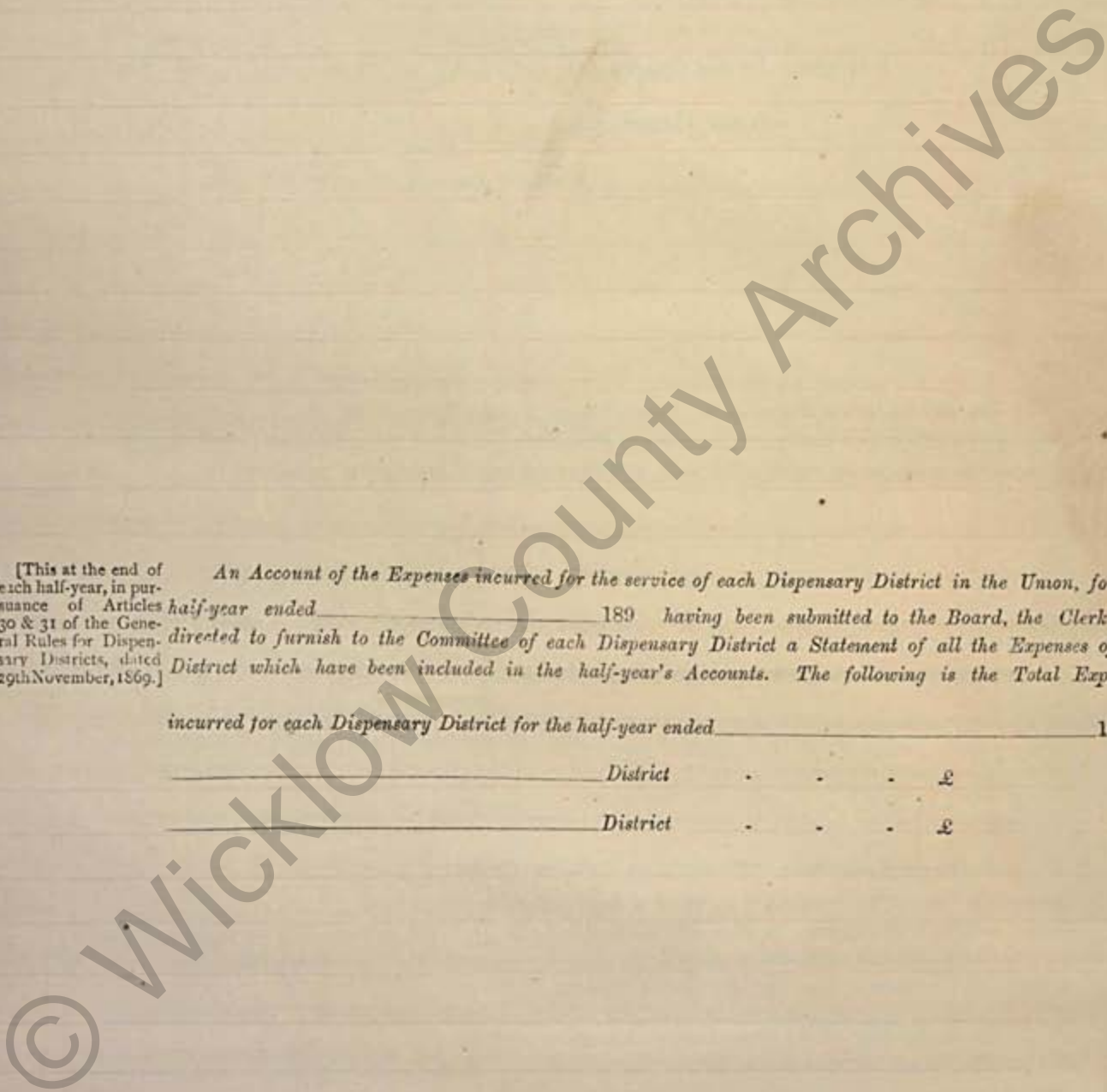
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	189
_____ District £	
_____ District £	



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 *Henry Seery Rathfriland Dispensary Committee* stating that at an extraordinary meeting of the Rathfriland Dispensary Committee held on the 10th instant, called by requisition of the Clerk of the Union to appoint *Hon. Officers* for the ensuing year - members present - *Messrs Wm Comerford & John J Cowley* -

Resolved - That the *Honorary Officers* for last year be appointed for the ensuing year.

The *Medical Officer* was in attendance, had his *Medical Relief Register* examined & found to be correct and signed by the *Chairman*.

Read Communication from the *Hon. Secretary of Wicklow Dispensary Committee* stating that the following *Honorary Officers* have been appointed for the ensuing year: viz

H P Drnell Esq P Chairman
E N Wynne Esq P Vice Chm
M W Desaut Hon. Sec.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Sanz Sub Officer Evans, Arklow, suggesting to the Guardians the advisability of having the Sanitary Ash-pits in the town of Arklow cleaned out 13 times a week during the Summer months as an extra precaution against any threatened Epidemic

Order — Referred to the Dispensary Committee:

Major Tottenham called the attention of the Board to the fact that the pollution of the stream which supplies his house and others in his neighbourhood, of which he complained some time ago has not been remedied up to the present, and if something is not done at once with this view he will reluctantly be obliged to institute proceedings in the matter.

Order — That the Sanz Sub Officer expend a sum not exceeding 25/- in preventing the pollution of the stream at Dripedder by stopping the overflow and cleaning the stream.

D R Drought
chr= 14/4/93

Wm. Tottenham Man
21. 4/93.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 2nd
day of June 1893

Signed, B Manning
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1881 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of April 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	210													
Temporary Buildings	—	—													
Additional Workhouse	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	214													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			7	24	73	69	5	8	9	5	10	212	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 103 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4 TOTAL, 107	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 30 10 40	28
Admitted during the Week			25	7	8	1	—	2	6	4	3	56			
TOTAL			32	31	81	70	5	10	15	9	15	268			
Discharged during the Week			25	6	7	1	—	4	4	2	2	51			
Died			—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	4			
Total Discharged and Dead			25	6	9	3	—	4	4	2	2	54	No. Relieved during week 24 No. in Workhouse at date 10	8 1	1 11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	25	73	67	5	6	11	7	13	214	No. at corresponding period last year, 271		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of April 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	57	99	John D. Edge
No. II.	76	110	John Manley
No. III.	205	284	Joseph Livingston E. Johnson
No. IV.	81	106	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	419	609	= 763

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}

the 21st day of April 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D. C. Chas

Other Guardians:—

- Mr. John J. Cowley D. C.
- " John Payne
- " Edw. Ellison
- " Edw. Robinson

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4646 to No. 4650 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in four* the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL	Altidore									
	Kilcoole									
	Killiskey									
	Newcastle Lower									
	„ Upper									
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Brockagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East									
	„ South									
	„ West									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly									
	Kilbride									
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Ovoca									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim									
	Ballinaclash									
	Ballinacor									
	Ballinderry									
	Knockrath									
	Rathdrum									
	Trooperstown									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	36	6	3
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	12	60
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	9½
Average Cost in Infirmary		5	=
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	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:—

- 850 Rawses Bread
- 246 Galts Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 23 " Butter
- 470 " Meat
- 24 Hens
- 10 cut Rice
- 37 Eggs
- 4 cut Sugar
- 3 ½ Pm Paper
- 1 Roll Tobacco

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th day of April 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	26	10	11
In Kind	1	0	0
Total	£27	10	11

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>W Hall</i>	<i>Bal Cont giving for</i>	5	-	-
<i>M Byrne</i>	<i>on acc. Cont.</i>	50	-	-
<i>J Nolan</i>	<i>Infors Clerk to jury</i>	1	8	-
<i>J Flower</i>	<i>Depos</i>	1	1	11
	<i>Exp's</i>			
		2	9	11

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 19th instant from the Local Government Board requesting to be informed whether the Guardians have taken any further action with the view of carrying into effect their resolution of the 24th of February last calling upon Mr. Dallon, Shoemaker of the Workhouse for his resignation of that Office.

Order—

Dallon is continuing his work efficiently, and seems to be in quite renewed health.

Read Letter from Dr. Leeper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse recommending that a new artificial leg be provided for a pauper inmate of the Workhouse, to enable him to earn his living:
Granted.

Read Letter from Mr. Little C.E. stating that as requested by the Guardians he examined the Fever Hospital and as far as he can see the present piped sewer is good but would require to have all openings trapped and about 60 yards of new drain made to down pipes Laundry & Privy with traps also ventilated at end of sewer.

The present laundry troughs are of wood and old, he would recommend them to be removed and replaced by white enamel fire clay with iron waste pipes.

The two yards would be much improved if they were concreted as in their present state it is hard, if not impossible to keep them clean. It would also be a great improvement if the present privies were changed into "Pail closets" as at present used in the house, the total cost of this work excluding concrete would be £35.7.6, and of concrete £29.7.0.

Order - Mr. Little to prepare a specification of this work, and advertisements to be issued inviting tenders to be considered on the 12th of May.

Mr. Payne Contractor for the Workhouse drainage works applied for payment of £80 on account of his Contract.

Ordered £50. Being the amount certified for by Mr. Little.

Read letter from Mr. Clarke Contractor for building Labourers Cottages under Improvement Scheme No. 2, asking to be informed if the Guardians have possession of any of the sites, and when he may expect to commence his contract

Order

On getting Mr. Hepenstals receipt for the compensation for the occupiers interest at the Brittas site, the contractor may be given the possession of the field.

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Read letter from Mr. Andrew Kavanagh, asking permission to commence the building of the ~~the~~ labourers cottages at Ballyvaltrou.

And proposing to erect gate and posts & fence the plot for an extra sum of £16.

Order - write to Mr. R. Denton to ask if Mr. Quintin Dick accepts the award in the Ballyvaltrou case.

z Charles J. Tottenham
Chair

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 28th day of April 1893

(Signed) J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}
 the 21st day of June 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Colonel D. Henham D.L. Chm.
See page 161

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 (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.*

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

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
Newcastle	St Lovelock	<p>Relating to the tank at Kilsedder, & recommending that immediate steps be taken to make the sewerage of Kilsedder complete and sanitary; and that the heaps of stuff be removed at once from the close proximity in which they are now in from the pond</p>	<p>Owen - The Sanitary Officer to require Mr. Pearce to remove the stuff at once, and if he declines to take the manure away and sell it.</p>

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Recd Letter Dated the 20th instant from Mr Alex^r. Dailymon, Agent to Lord Carysfort stating in reply to the Guardians communication relative to the want of privy accommodation to a large number of cottages in the town of Arklow, that this subject has been frequently considered both by Lord Carysfort and himself, and from a lengthened knowledge of the class of cottages referred to and the habits of the people who occupy them, they are convinced that the fact of putting privy accommodation to these houses, instead of being an improvement on the present satisfactory sanitary condition of the town, would be the very means of making each of them a nidus for the propagation of Typhoid and other such diseases.

The present sanitary scavenging of the town of Arklow is so satisfactory that the Fever Hosp. is practically patientless, and the statistics of the death rate in the town compare favourably with any other town in the United Kingdom.

Lord Carysfort built 50 cottages in the town to each of which was attached the necessary privy accommodation, with the result that they became such an intolerable nuisance that they had to be closed up.

There are a number of cabins in Arklow no doubt unfit for human habitation but these are not on Lord Carysfort's estate, but as far as his property is concerned he is trying by degrees to get rid of the worst of the cottages of which he is the owner.

Order — This letter together with the doctors report to be referred to the District Committee.

Recd Letter from the Hon^{ble} Sec^y of the

Newcastle Dispensary Committee forwarding for the information of the Guardians a sketch of a plan for abating the nuisance arising from the sewage tank at Kilpedder

Order -

The Party Sub Officer to get a pump for use by Mrs Deperstal in keeping down the contents of the tank,

Read letter from Colonel Stoney, a member of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee stating that the Committee recommended the adoption of the plan above referred to by the Guardians, not because they think it a better plan than the one submitted by Engineer (Mr. Shan) but because this latter plan is approved by the Council, and the one now recommended is much simpler and can be more expeditiously carried out.

Read letter from Major Cunningham requesting to be informed as to the proposed site of the new tank which the Guardians contemplate constructing for the reception of the drainage of Kilpedder, when he will be able to say whether he will give his consent or not.

Order -

Major Cunningham to be informed that the Board are most anxious to meet his views in regard to the situation of the tank, and would like to know from him where it can be most conveniently placed without incurring great cost.

28/4/93

Charles J. Attwood
Chair

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 28th

day of April 1893

Signed,

G. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977:4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of *April* 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
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Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	669	233														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			7	25	73	67	5	6	11	7	13	214	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 95 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6 TOTAL 101	In separate Wards 30 In Wards with other inmates 40 TOTAL 70	35	
Admitted during the Week			36	9	3	2	1	1	6	3	2	63				
TOTAL			43	34	76	69	6	7	17	10	15	277				
Discharged during the Week			26	6	3	2	—	1	2	1	2	43				
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1				
Total Discharged and Dead			26	6	4	2	—	1	2	1	2	44				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	28	72	67	6	6	15	9	13	233				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	25	2	1	28
												No. in Workhouse at date	3	—	—	3
												No. at corresponding period last year,			245	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of *April* 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	56	92	John D. Edge
No. II.	76	106	John Manley
No. III.	205	284	Joseph Livingston <i>J. Johnson</i>
No. IV.	81	116	Richard Ellison <i>L. Murphy</i>
TOTALS,	418	598	= 746

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ *Friday*

the 28th day of *April* 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Colonel Tottenham D.C. Chm.*

Other Guardians:—
Captain Drought P.V.C.
Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ~~4781~~⁶ to No. 4760 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Oroca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	36	3	5
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	16	5
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	9 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary		5	=
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	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 :--

900 Loaves Bread
 258 Galls Newmilk
~~250~~ " Buttermilk
 24 lb Butter
 435 " Meat
 24 Heads
 30 Dg Eggs

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 22nd day of June 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	35	s.	2	d.	6
In Kind				2	=	0
Total	£	35	s.	4	d.	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE		—	
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		—	
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON		—	
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>R Murphy</i>	20	—	

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.	
<i>M New</i>	<i>Levy</i>	5	—	—	
<i>M Payne</i>	<i>Bread</i>	17	7	11	
<i>J Phelan</i>	<i>Exp</i>	6	6	3	
<i>M Walsh</i>	<i>Reps Pump</i>	4	10	—	
<i>M Dopping</i>	<i>Comp. LA</i>	2	10	—	
<i>J Duffy</i>	<i>Cleaning Park</i>	5	—	—	
<i>S Gardner</i>	<i>Van</i>	4	6	—	
<i>W</i>	<i>Rep</i>	3	15	6	
<i>" Kalfin</i>	<i>"</i>	3	7	6	
<i>" Ryan</i>	<i>"</i>	2	—	6	
<i>H. Laverack</i>	<i>in for CLK to pay</i>				
<i>" Satchwell</i>	<i>"</i>	1	15	—	✓
<i>W Murphy</i>	<i>"</i>	1	6	6	✓
<i>S Laverack</i>	<i>"</i>	—	15	10	✓
<i>W</i>	<i>Van</i>	1	2	—	✓
<i>R Simpson</i>	<i>Lump Fee</i>	1	1	—	✓
<i>P Redmond</i>	<i>Pump</i>	1	12	—	✓
<i>K Hayden</i>	<i>Plants</i>	1	2	9	✓
<i>J Harragan</i>	<i>Fuel</i>	15	—	—	✓
<i>M Payne</i>	<i>Postage</i>	7	—	—	✓
<i>P Fanell</i>	<i>Cork</i>	10	—	—	✓
<i>P Doyle</i>	<i>PR</i>	11	—	—	✓
<i>P Dunne</i>	<i>CC</i>	3	6	—	✓
<i>J Marley</i>	<i>Car hire</i>	4	—	—	✓
<i>J Lessor</i>	<i>Cleaning well</i>	2	6	—	✓
	<i>Box</i>	—	4	—	✓
		11	8	5	

£ s. d.

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

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

The Report of the Master ~~and other Officers~~ was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Gentlemen—

It will be necessary to take stock of clothing for the half year ending 25 of March last, postponed in consequence of the Master's illness.

The following Committee was appointed to take stock on the 5th of May at 11^½ o'clock—viz

Mr Miles Byrne
 " John Byrne
 " William Grant
 " Edw^d Ellison

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

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

Read Circular, Dated the 24th of April 1893, from the Local Government Board calling for a Return showing the Medical and Educational Expenses of the Union during the half year ended the 25th of March 1893, with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant for that purpose. —

5/5/93 = Charles. W. W. W. W.
Chair

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 5th day of May 1893

(Signed) J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 28th day of April 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Sal. Tottenham D.L. Chm.*

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Capt. Drought F.V.C.
Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.

~~An~~ Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the *Millon & Anghrim*
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, ~~was~~ laid before the Board, with ~~a~~ Requisitions
from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

To be forwarded to the Contractor for supply:

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 Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

Dispensary District.

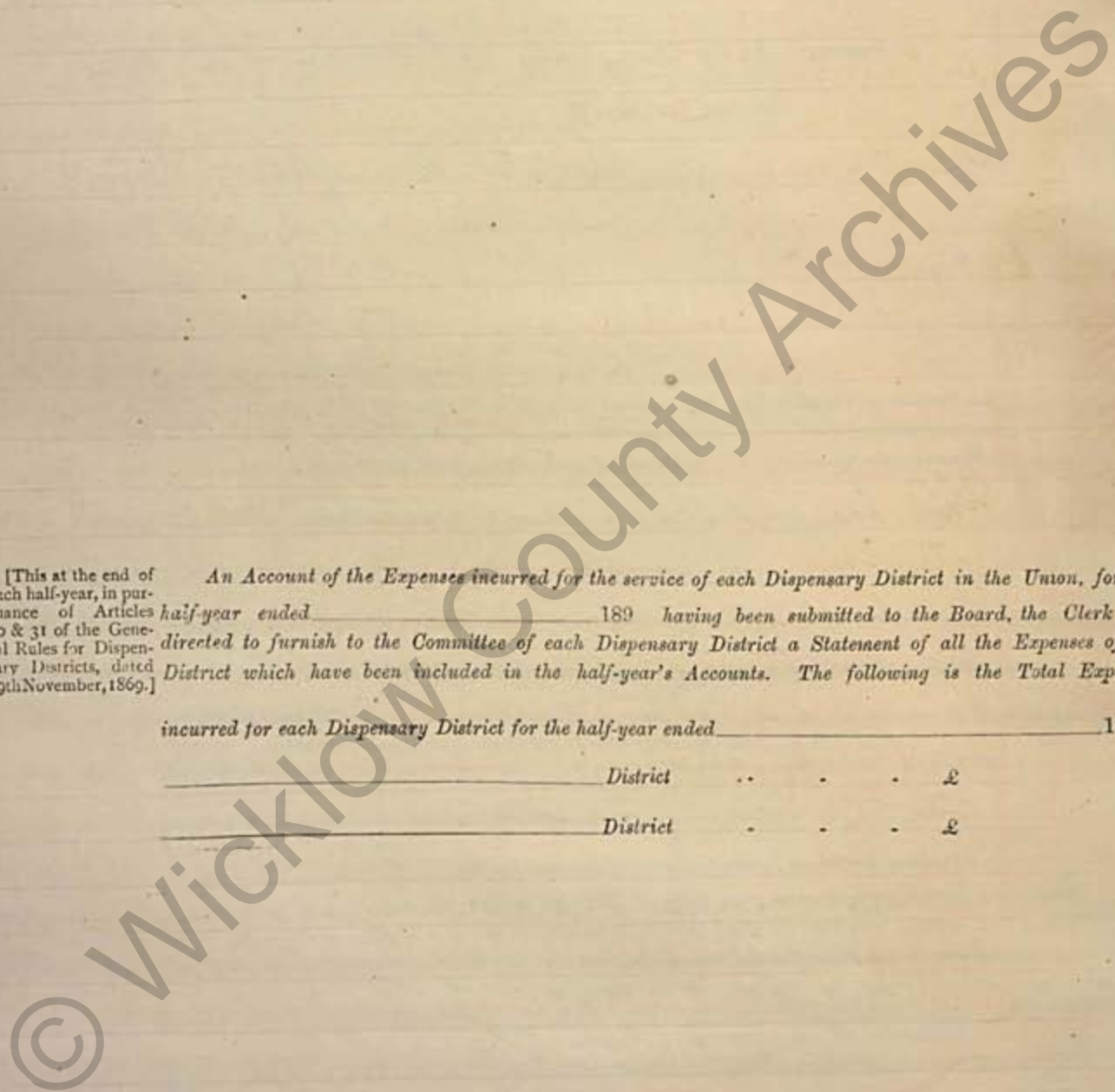
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	..	.	.	.	£
District	.	.	.	.	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

Arklow

A meeting of the Arklow Dispensary Comtee was held on Thursday the 20th of April 1893 members present:

Mr. L. Wolohan P.L.C. in the Chair

Messrs Alex^r Dallyen P.L.C. & J. Hanagan; also Dr. Gardiner
Proposed by Mr. Dallyen and seconded by Mr. Hanagan

That the following Officers be elected for the ensuing year

Earl of Carysfort - Chairman

Mr. L. Wolohan P.L.C. - Vice-Chr.

" J. Hanagan - Hon. Sec.

" D. Curren P.L.C. - Asst. Hon. Sec.

Examined the Medical Officers Books. 371 Tickets attended to since 16th February 1893.

Cancelled the tickets issued to James Keogh of Johnstown, & Bridget Murphy of Clonwilliam.

The Medical Officer reported that there was only one defaulter named Rositer, under the Vaccination Act.

The Committee considered that two Messrs in the months of January, April, July and October sufficient for the attendance of the Doctor at Bally Killagier Vaccination Dept.

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)

Dr. Gardiner made application for a Medical Officers Residence and Dispensary:

The meeting adjourned
J. Hanagan, Hon. Sec.
April 24th 1893

Approved by D. Apr 25th 1893

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 *Henry Seer of Angharim Dispensary Committee* stating that *two bills for fuel supplied to Angharim and Ballinacush Dispensaries were passed for payment by the Committee at their meeting on on the 24th April 1893, also a Bill from Mr. Phelan for necessaries supplied to the Dispensary as recommended by Dr. Stafford L.G.B. Inspector and approved by the Guardians:*

Read Letter from *Mr. J. Evans SS Officer of Arklow District* stating that all the persons named in form P have had the children vaccinated.

A summons was issued against John Purinton and subsequently the child was vaccinated, but he did not pay any law costs.

Approved—

26 April 93

C.G.D.

[Signature]

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Anamoe	S ^r Garland	Relating to a nuisance arising from a heap of rubbish in a shed at the rear of the house of Mr Fitzsimons of Anamoe.	Order - Notice to be served on Mrs Fitzsimons to abate the nuisance.
N	same	Relating to the unsanitary condition of the yard & out door premises of Mr Jas Kennedy of Roundwood	Order - The SSO to confer with S ^r Garland and if necessary serve notice on Kennedy for removal of nuisance

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Circular Dated the 25th April 1893, from the Local Government Board calling for a Return showing the amounts which have been paid by the Guardians as Sanitary Salaries during the half year ended the 25th of March last, with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Parliamentary grant for that purpose.

Read Letter from Frank Brooke Esq D.L. Agent for Earl Fitzmilliam, informing the Guardians that His Lordship consents to convey to them the field at Bolarney containing about 5^a 2^r 20^p statute measure, selected as a suitable site for a Cemetery, for the sum of £200, including right of access, on the condition that the site be properly fenced and used only as a Burial ground.

Order - Referred to the District Committee for their opinion.

Read Report from the Medical Officer of Health of Anarroe District, stating that a very general epidemic of Diarrhoea accompanied by slight fever in some cases, evidently of sporadic origin, as in one household every member of the family and domestics were attacked at the same time.

There is absolutely no reason to ascribe these attacks to water contamination: The Diarrhoea is mild in character and no grave cases have occurred:—

Order - The attention of the Constabulary to be called to this matter with a view to examination of the food and liquors sold in the District.

Read Letter Dated the 27th April 1893
from Mr. James Duff of Newtown M^cKenedy,
requesting payment of £5. the amount due
to him for the cleaning of Kelpedder Tank

Order - To be paid.

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Monday, 5th May 93.
Chair

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 5th
day of May 1893

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	224															
Temporary Buildings ..	-																
Additional Workhouse ..	-																
Permanent Fever Hospital	89	5															
Fever Sheds	-																
TOTAL	669	229															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			17	28	72	67	6	6	15	9	13	233	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	93	In separate Wards	30	12
Admitted during the Week			42	5	3	-	-	1	-	-	1	52	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates	10	
TOTAL,			59	33	75	67	6	7	15	9	14	285	TOTAL,	98	TOTAL,	40	
Discharged during the Week			34	5	4	3	-	-	5	2	2	55	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	No. Relieved during week	36	4	-	40
Total Discharged and Dead			34	5	5	3	-	-	5	2	2	56	No. in Workhouse at date	17	3	-	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	28	70	64	6	7	10	7	12	229	No. at corresponding period last year,				238

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of April 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
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No. II.	75	108	John Manley
No. III.	204	283	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	81	116	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	417	604	= 750

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday the 5th day of May 1893

- PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham Esq. Chm
- Other Guardians:— Capt. Drought P VC Mr. John J. Cowley D VC
 Major Tottenham JP Mr. L. Wolohan Mr. J. F. Giban
 Alex. Daillyan Esq. P " D. Samers " M. Doyle
 Mr. Dawling Esq. P " D. Cadden " J. Murphy
 A. St. James Esq. P " A. Sheehan " J. Keane
 A. Bond Esq. P " J. Byrne " P. Keely
 Lt. Col. Stoney P " O. Byrne " M. H. Jones
 " " " " " " " " E. Ellison
 " " " " " " " " W. Cullen

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4761 to No. 4780 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

£ 149 : 5 : 5

Paid during the week

£ 83 : 17 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 3295 : 19 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	32	6	2
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	44	-	6
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	8 ³ / ₄
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	10 ³ / ₄
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		5	-

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

920 Loaves Bread
 246 Galls Newmilk
 35 "
 23 lbs Butter
 440 " Meat
 24 Hens
 30 Dg. Eggs
 12 cwt Oatmeal

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of April 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	36	14	10
In Kind ...	-	-	-
Total ...	£ 36	s. 14	d. 10

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON S. Johnson	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J Douglas	Cobles Fees	19	11	4
C Wilson	Leathing	13	3	-
J. J. Ireland	Rep ^t . Loans	15	9	6
"	"	50	14	8
E Mulhern	Eggs	5	11	9
D O'Brien	M ^{tr} . S ^m	5	6	6
J Weddick	Offins	2	2	6
S. Gardner	Lunatic Fees	2	2	-
A Byrne	Sulph	6	-	-
	In far thro to pay			
Herk	Postage	1	18	1
L. Murphy	Cleaning Tank	49	6	
Ellis	Reps	15	-	
		3	12	7

£ s. d.

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

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

On the report and recommendation of the Committee appointed to take stock of Clothing, the following articles of worn out clothing were ordered to be taken off the books—viz:

32 Sheets	34 Gowns & Frocks
17 Blankets	60 Petticoats
15 Rugs	44 Shifts
12 Licks	89 Aprons
18 Pillows	8 Handkerchiefs
32 m + B Coats	13 caps
13 " Vests	102 pr Shoes
51 Drawers	90 " Stockings
53 Shirts	60 Jewels
9 caps	
17 Dies	

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

The Guardians accepted a Tender from James Mc Donnell proposing to give 5/6 for the above old
Rags.

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

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

Recd Letter from Dr. Reeper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that it would be a great improvement to remove the pavement in the infirmary yards and in the male & female airing courts, and substitute concrete as is at present being done in the large yards of the Workhouse.

Concrete is so much cleaner and would under the new sewers more effective by allowing all the surface water to run away into them.

Dr. Reeper again draws the attention of the Guardians to the two cesspools which he first reported upon in September last and which are still in the same place and condition;

He also strongly advises the Guardians to see that the sanitary condition of the Fever Hospital is improved with some promptitude as there are several cases of illness attributable to improper drainage at present under treatment there.

Order -

The matter of substituting concrete for the existing pavements is referred to the following Committee for enquiry and report - viz:

Mr Dowling
 " J O Keane
 " Burke
 " Donohue
 " J Byrne
 " Lawler
 " Ellison

The Master of the Workhouse reports that the cesspools will be dealt with immediately.

Tenders for the work at the Fever Hospital will be considered next week.

The following claims to be rates were allowed -

viz:
 George Graham, Dolly manis v Harrett Graham
 Edward Byrne, Knockadree v Andrew Doole

Read Letter from Mr J A O Sullivan, London acknowledging receipt of portion of Ordnance map showing the proposed site for a labourers cottage on the property of Sir John & Esmond Bt & Property town and requesting to be informed what sum the Guardians offer for this land.

Order - The Guardians are prepared to give £6 for the half acre proposed to be taken.

Read Letter from Mr Clarke, Wicklow, Contractor for building labourers cottages under No

2 Improvement Scheme requesting to be informed if there is any prospect of his being allowed to proceed with the building of the cottages:

Order - Refer to Mr. Dooney for report:

Read letter from Colonel Dopping, dated the 30th ultimo acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians cheque, value £2.10.0, the amount of compensation awarded by the Arbitrator for the tenants interest in a plot of land at Brittas in Dunc. Co. Dub. E.D., proposed to be taken for the purposes of the Labourers (Ireland) Act; & stating that since his last letter was written John Neill, son of the late tenant, has taken the holding and should, he thinks, now be paid the amount.

Order -

Ask Colonel Dopping to give possession to the Guardians at once, the Board having now paid the claims of both landlord and occupier.

Read letter from Edward Darcy, Labourer, enclosing a Representation signed by 20 Ratepayers in Rathfriland E.D. requesting the Guardians to build a cottage for him at Dunc. Co. Dub. E.D.

Order -

The Representation to be returned to Darcy as the Schedules were not properly filled.

Received order in Council (Pleuro-pneumonia 151) from His Excellency the Lord Lieut. of Ireland:

In accordance with notice of motion the following resolution was proposed by Mr J J Graham and seconded by Mr Edward Ellison
Resolved -

That the resolution of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union reducing the salaries of the Medical Officers 20 per cent on filling new appointments be rescinded -

Upon a division being taken the resolution was lost by 17 votes to 5 -

J. M. & C. W. C. C.
May 22nd 1893

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 Friday, the 12 day of May 1893

(Signed) B Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}
 the 5th day of May 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Col. Tottenham & L. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 201

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

Dispensary District.

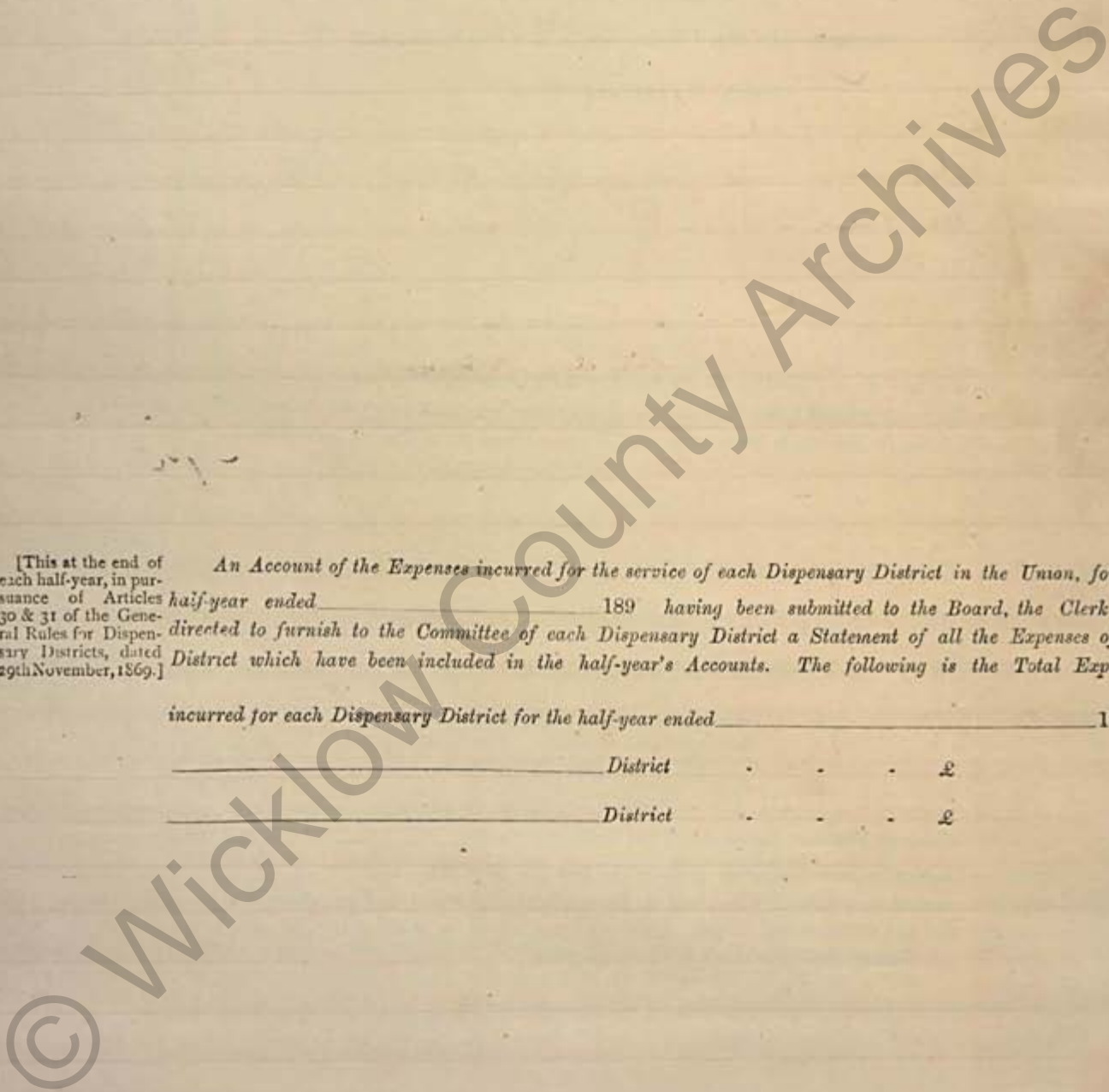
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

	District	·	-	-	£
	District	·	-	-	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

Anglinin

At the first ordinary meeting of the Anglinin Dispensary Committee held on the 24th ultimo, the following Officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Mr. Patrick Carey	Chm.	Chairman
" <i>John Byrne</i>	"	Vice-Chm.
" James Phelan		Hon. Sec.
" M. Summers		Asst. Hon. Sec.

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 *Henry Serly of Duncannon Disp. Committee* stating that at the meeting of the Committee held on the 1st instant the following *Henry Serly* were elected for the ensuing year:

Craven H C Wade Esq FP — Chairman
Major R J Welch FP — Vice-Chm
Mr E Chamney Phd — Hon. Sec.
 .. *Grace Blake* — Asst. Hon. Sec.

Requisition for Surgical instruments required by the Medical Officer of the District was approved by the Committee and directed to be forwarded to the Board of Guardians.

Order — *D. Ryan* (late Med. Off. of the Dist.) having stated that he left a case of instruments for Midwifery and dental operations in the Dispensary the Committee is requested to ascertain what has become of them:

The Requisition for new instruments should be made out on the Comptroller's printed list and confined to the articles therein mentioned.

ESD

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

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

Inghinim — 14 Cases —

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

Notices to be served.

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

Read Letter Dated the 4th instant from Major Junjuringhame stating that having received no plan of the proposed site for the tank at Killepedder he will not give any ground on Mount Kennedy Demesne for said tank, nor allow the overflow from the present tank on any part of said Demesne.

Mr Little CB (who was present at the Board) stated that 16 or 17 days ago he sent a properly marked plan to Major Junjuringhame showing that the tank is proposed to be placed in Mrs O'Keen's field and his sanction to the plan is requested, a tracing of the plan will be enclosed.

Major Tottenham having complained that there is still some matter coming out of the tank at Killepedder into the stream, which is denied by the Sub San'y Offr; The Board request Col. Stoney & Major Tottenham to meet the Sub San'y Offr on the spot and to agree on such steps as may be necessary to temporarily abate the nuisance, if any, at a small expense, until a permanent Scheme can be carried out.

The Guardians proceed to examine and decide on plans submitted to them for providing an improved water supply to the town of Rathfriland.

There were two plans submitted for consideration, one by Mr William Spears of Coolaturin and another by Mr Goring of

Mr Spears' Plan is estimated to cost £822
 " Goring's " " " " £990

Proposed by Mr J J Graham seconded by Mr Jm Byrne
Resolved -

That the Plan & Specification sent in by
Mr N. Speares for the supply of water to the town of
Rathdrum be adopted; and that a sample
of the water be sent to Sir Charles Cameron
for analysis.

Janet

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John J Crowley Clerk
May 10th 1893

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 12th
day of May 1893

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127577:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	229													
Temporary Buildings ..	-														
Additional Workhouse ..	-														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3													
Fever Sheds	-														
TOTAL	669	232													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	28	70	64	6	7	10	7	12	229	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary 96 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3 TOTAL, 99	In separate Wards 30 In Wards with other inmates 10 TOTAL, 40	45
Admitted during the Week			39	46	4	2	2	3	6	11	5	88			
TOTAL			64	44	74	66	8	10	16	18	17	317	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			52	14	5	1	3	1	1	5	3	85			
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead			52	14	5	1	3	1	1	5	3	85	No. Relieved during week: 23 No. in Work-house at date: 2	Males 9 Females 5 Children under 15 11	TOTAL 43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	30	69	65	5	9	15	18	14	232	No. at corresponding period last year, 235		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of May 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	57	99	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	106	John Manley
No. III.	203	282	Joseph Bevington S. Johnson
No. IV.	81	116	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	416	603	= 759

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 12th day of May 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
 Other Guardians: -
 Mr. J. P. Drnell P
 Major Tottenham P
 Mr. J. A. Dombert P
 " John Byrne
 " Edw. Ellison
 " Owen Byrne
 " James Keane
 " Pat^l Miley
 " Major Griffin
 John J. Cowley Chm
 May 12th 1893

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4781 to No. 4875 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	60	16	6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	0	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

470 Loaves Bread
 255 Galls Newmilk
 40 " Puttermilk
 2 1/2 lbs Butter
 430 " Meat
 24 Sheep Heads
 30 Doz. Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th day of May 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	35	0	6
In Kind ...				
Total ...	£	35	0	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
M Johnson	Milk	27	-	8
M Byrne	Bread	21	12	2
J Passant	Sea Rice &c	9	13	10
J H Carnell	Ward wool	6	6	-
J Decumny	Paper	4	14	3
J Flower	"	2	3	2
R Hill	Outmeal	7	10	-
W Giffney	Fencing Post	5	10	-
	In fur (1/6 to pay)			
Hersh	Postage	2	2	2
A C Hudson	Regr	1	10	6
M Toole	Shoat &c		8	6
L Murphy	Cleaning well		3	6
		4	4	8

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 3rd instant from the Comptroller of Public Works informing the Guardians that they are now prepared to issue the first instalment (£90) of the Loan of £360 — granted for the carrying out of the Guardians No. 3 Improvement Scheme.

Read Letter Dated the 11th instant from the Secretary Bank of Ireland, returning a cheque £50.14.6, forwarded by the Guardians in payment of Loan obtained for the purposes of the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, on the alleged ground of time for receiving same having expired, in consequence of which a postage rate of 1/- should be added.

Order — The Clerk to communicate with the Bank

and explain that the 31 days have not yet expired.

Read Letter Dated the 10th instant from Colonel Dapping stating that he has given directions to the tenant in occupation to give possession of the half acre of land at Brittas required for a Labourers Cottage.

Order - Mr Little C.E. to take possession on the part of the Guardians and hand it over to the Contractor.

Read Letter Dated the 8th instant from Mr L. Denton agent to Captain Dermott Dick, in reply to the Guardians letter respecting the plot of land at Ballyvaltran required for the purposes of the Labourers (Ireland) Act, which he has sent to Captain Dick's Solicitor.

Read Letter from Edw^d Darcy, Labourer returning representation for a Labourers cottage, he having now completed the filling of the form.

Order - To be considered with the next batch:

The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for the execution of the Sanitary works connected with the Workhouse Fever Hospital, there were 2 tenders, one from Mr Harpur, Greystones, who proposed to do the work for £76.2.2², and one from Mr Mich^l. Byrne, Rathdrum, at £73 -
Mr Byrne's tender was accepted.

John de Crolly C^r
May 19th 1893

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	..	..	8
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	8
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	...

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~, the 19th day of May 189³

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY,~~ ^{Friday}

the 12th day of May 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

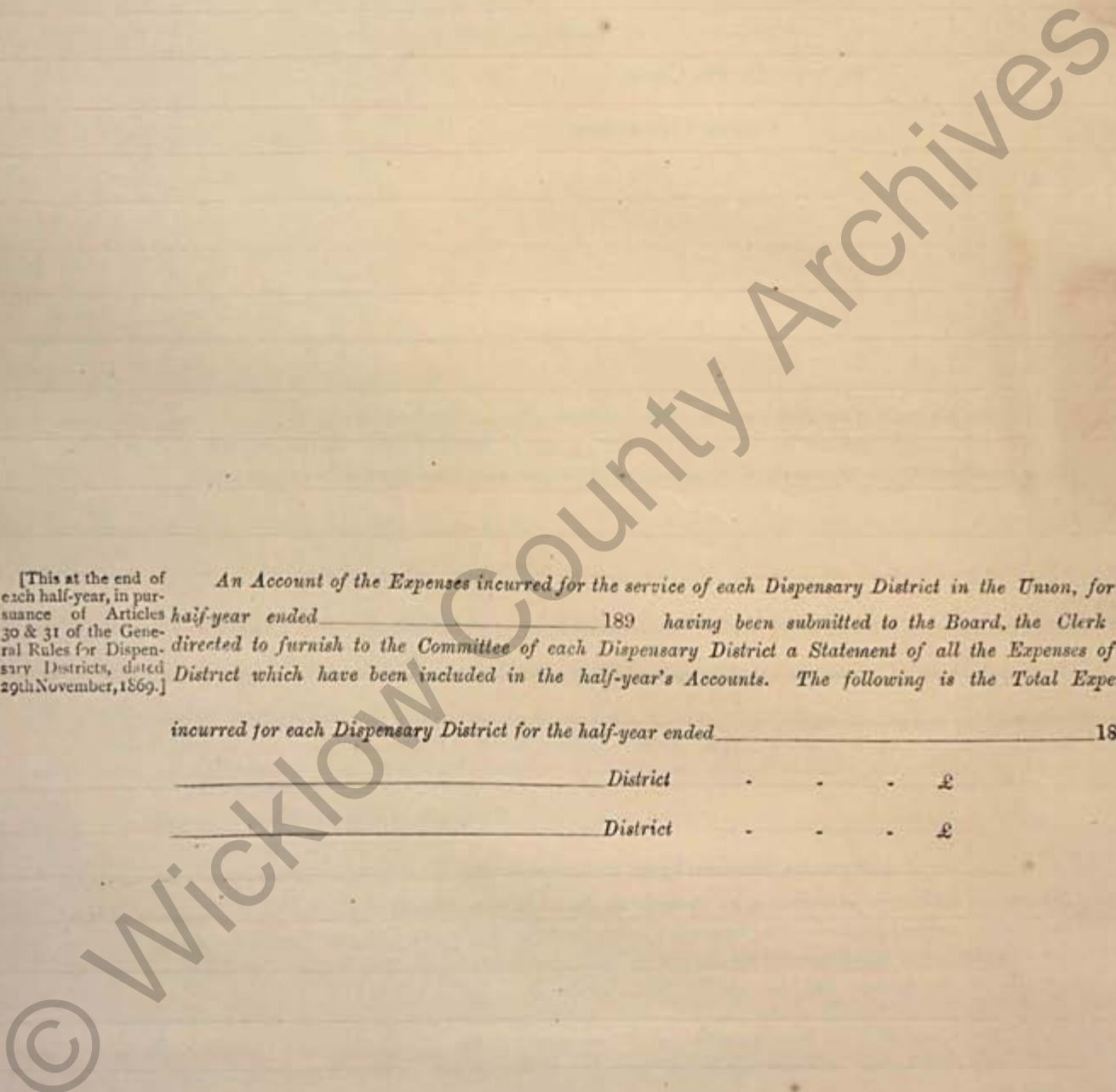
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

	District	-	-	-	£
	District	-	-	-	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 Henry Seery of Anassoree Disp. Committee stating that at their meeting on the 6th instant the Committee passed the following resolutions.

Resolved—

That Mr. James Murphy Pth be Chairman
Mr. Edward Moran, Vice Chairman & Mr. Wm. Murphy,
Henry Seery. for the coming year—

Resolved—

That Mr. Doyle be appointed caretaker
of the Roundwood Dispensary (at present vacant) at the
usual salary— (£3 a year).

Resolved—

That the sewers at the upper & lower
ends of the village of Roundwood, complained of by the
Sanitary Officer, be connected by a new sewer.

That the Anassoree Dispensary be white-
-washed inside and outside and the desk repaired—

Wm. Murphy

Hen. Sec.

Order— Mr. L. Murphy SDC to submit a plan of the
connecting sewer to the Guardians on next Friday.

J. J. C.
12/5/93

These Reports are
to be made up and
forwarded by the
Medical Officers to
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tember and 31st De-
cember.]

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

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

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

Read report of proceedings of Wicklow Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 9th inst. at which the following resolution was passed:—

Resolved—

That the field now offered to us by Frank Brooke Esq. in behalf of Earl Fitzwilliam be accepted as the site for the new Cemetery for Wicklow and Rathnew, on the conditions set forth in Mr Brooke's letter, provided the tests be satisfactory as to water &c. and we recommend that application be made to Earl Fitzwilliam to grant the upper part of the field now held by Miss Bonning containing one rood or thereabouts as a site for a Maternity Chapel and depot for cars. And we recommend the Board of Guardians to take immediate steps to have the above resolutions carried into effect.

Resolved—

That the following act as a Sub Committee to inspect and make other necessary arrangements in the field for the Cemetery—viz:

Mr H P Druell JP

Capt. R C Halpin JP DL

E N Wynne JP

E Robinson Phd

J Smyth and

Mr Desaix:

The Committee having inspected the field & the approach thereto, unanimously recommend that the Rathnew Board of Guardians apply for the sum of £1300—this being the amount which in their opinion will be required to perfect the Cemetery Scheme.

Approved by the Guardians

JJC

Read a memorial from certain
of

of the inhabitants of the village of Roundwood asking the Guardians to give them an improved water supply.

Order - Referred to the local Committee & S.S. Office to furnish a plan.

Read report from Mr. L. Murphy S.S.O. stating that as Mr. Deperstal of Kierpedder refused to under-
take the pumping of the Kierpedder overflow he was obliged to employ a man whom it will be necessary to keep on site something permanent in force.
Mr. Murphy further reports that one of the pumps in Newtown is out of order, and that he got the public well at Roundwood cleaned at a cost of 3/6.

Order - The pump to be repaired, not to exceed 10/- The 3/6 expended on Roundwood well approved.

J. M. & C. W. Clerk
May 19th 1893

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

day of May 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1893

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
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Temporary Buildings ..	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4														
Fever Sheds	—															
TOTAL	669	231														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	30	69	65	5	9	15	13	14	232	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 91	In separate Wards with other inmates 30		
Admitted during the Week			27	7	3	—	—	—	1	3	—	41	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4	TOTAL, 40		
TOTAL,			39	37	72	65	5	9	16	16	14	273	TOTAL, 95	TOTAL, 40		
Discharged during the Week			24	6	1	1	—	1	4	3	2	41	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Males Females Children under 5 TOTAL			
Total Discharged and Dead			24	6	1	1	—	1	4	3	2	41	No. Relieved during week 20	4	—	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	31	71	64	5	8	12	13	12	231	No. in Work-house at date 12	—	—	12
													No. at corresponding period last year, 243			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of May 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	57	99	John Dr Edgs
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TOTALS,	417	610	= 768

Friday

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ the 19th day of May 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John J Cowley DVC

Other Guardians:—

Major Tottenham R
Mr John Byrne
" Edw Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4876 to No. 4919 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

£ 66

Paid during the week £ 135 : 2 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 3276 : 6 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
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	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	48	0	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	44	12	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

970 Loaves Bread
 252 Gallons Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 436 " Meat
 24 Heads
 30 @ 3 Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of May 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
In Money	35	0	0
In Kind		5	0
Total	£ 35	5	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>M. Byrne</i>	<i>an a/c contract</i>	75	-	-
<i>Adams & Co</i>	<i>Basins taps &c</i>	25	-	6
<i>S. Gardner</i>	<i>Fees for exam limits</i>	2	2	-
<i>J. F. Evans</i>	<i>San'y & Co</i>	10	-	-
	<i>In fav of C/C to pay</i>			
<i>Fluck</i>	<i>Postage</i>	2	7	11
<i>S. Ryan</i>	<i>Limits Dec</i>	1	1	-
<i>J. Donnell</i>	<i>Iron Bars</i>		15	-
<i>Mrs Doyle</i>	<i>Iron Nets</i>		11	-
<i>H. Byrne</i>	<i>Reg Fees</i>		10	6
<i>J. Fuller</i>	<i>Wages Pumping at Kilpedder</i>		6	6
<i>P. Molony</i>	<i>Cleaning well</i>		5	6
<i>L. Murphy</i>	<i>Exp's sample of water</i>		2	-
		5	19	5

£ s. d.

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

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

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

Gentlemen— I have to report that the Nurse of the Fever Hospital is ill and unable to discharge her duties, and in consequence of a case of Scarlet Fever admitted on the 16th instant I was obliged to obtain the temporary services of a local nurse.

Order— Approved for one month at 2/6 per day.

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 15th instant from the Local Government Board forwarding a form of Tender for Medicines to be supplied to Workhouses and Dispensaries, to be substituted for the form at present in use, as far as regards the date of the form.

Read Letter from same Dated the 18th instant requesting that the plans &c of the alterations to be made in the Sanitary arrangements of the Workhouse may be forwarded to them with as little delay as possible.

Order - To be complied with: -

Read Letter from same of same Date, requesting that the plan specifications and estimate of the works proposed to be carried out for the improvement of the sewerage of the Fever Hospital of the Workhouse

may be forwarded to them as quickly as possible.

Order - Jobe complied with:

Read Letter from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, pointing out to the Guardians that it would be well to erect 3 of the new wash basins at the end of the women's infirm ward, 1 in the surgery where a hot and cold tap are urgently needed during the performance of operations, 2 more should be placed in the female lunatic wards, 6 wash basins ought to be placed in the mens wash house, which is still far from being in a satisfactory state but which will then be fit for the old mens use:

These new basins and taps are the cheapest and best which can be provided for an institution like this Workhouse and will be a great improvement & comfort to the old people.

D^r. Leeper further suggests that the sheds which have been erected in the male and female lunatic wards without his approval be altered immediately as they afford patients a ready means of committing suicide, and are a great source of anxiety to him, there being no paid attendant upon the insane provided for in this workhouse.

Order -

Mr. Little C^r. after conferring with the Medical Officer and the Master of the Workhouse to make a report on the matters mentioned by D^r. Leeper.

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant, from Mr. Jarroll of Cornagower with reference to the plot of land proposed to be taken by the Guardians from

from her for the purposes of the Labours (Ireland)
Act; expressing a hope that the guardians
will deal favourably with her in the matter of
compensation.

Order - Mr. Farrell to be informed that the amount
of compensation has been fixed by the Arbitrator.

R. P. Dring
Ch. Secy.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 8
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 1
 Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1
 The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 26th
 day of May 189²

(Signed) B. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday},

the 19th day of May 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. John J. Cowley

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 241

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

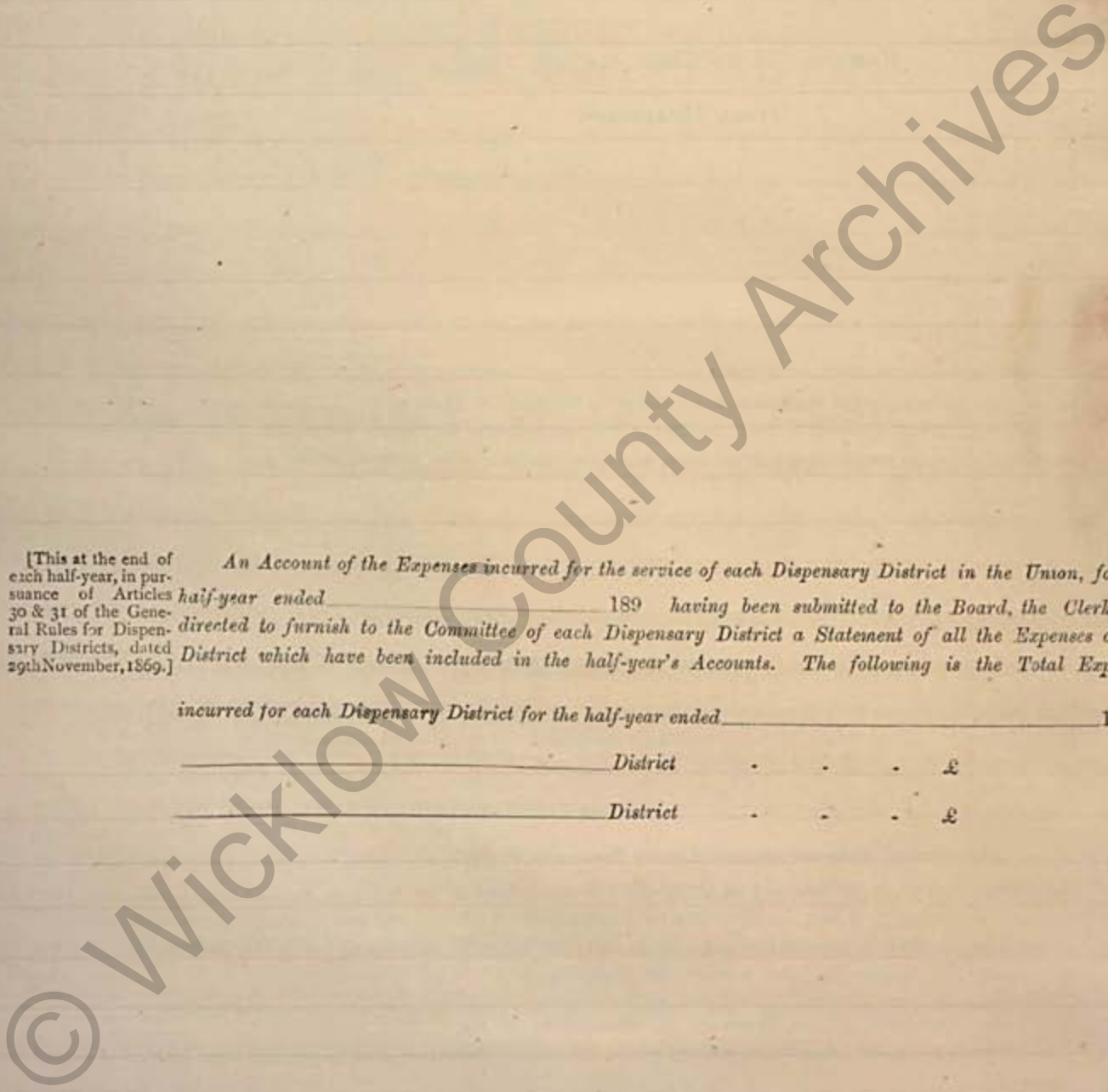
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	189
_____ District £	
_____ District £	



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 17th instant stating that requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in Newcastle Dispensary District reported last month have since complied with the Law.

Order - The Med^l Officer to be applied to for this information

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 13th instant from the Local Government Board, forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a copy of a Communication which they have received from Major Dattenham complaining of a nuisance at Kildedder village; and requesting that the Guardians will give their immediate attention to this matter.

In reference to this matter the Guardians desire to state that they are anxious to do all in their power to remedy the nuisance complained of but have not been able to obtain permission from Major Gunninghame to construct a new tank; the present tank is situate quite close to the stream which is being polluted by the overflow from the tank; and the Guardians propose to construct a new tank 100 yards farther off from the stream; but Major Gunninghame refuses to give permission to carry out this project ~~although~~ stating that the site selected is Demesne land, although let to a tenant who is willing to give the site; Under these circumstances the Guardians would be glad if the Local Government Board would inform them what they can do in the matter, and what steps they ought to take.

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant from Major Gunninghame refusing stating that he sees no reason to alter his decision as expressed in his letter of the 4th instant; in which he refused to give permission to the Guardians to construct a new tank to receive the sewage of Kildedder.

Read Letter Dated the 18th instant from the

Local Govt Board forwarding a form in which application may be made by the Sanitary Authority for sanction to a loan of £1,300, for the purpose of providing a new cemetery.

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant from the Hon Secy of Wicklow Dispensary Committee stating that the Sub Committee having received permission from Earl Fitzwilliam to make trial pits in the fields proposed to be taken for a cemetery, proceeded to have five pits dug in different parts with the following result.

No.	Pit	ft in
1	"	9:0
2	"	8:0
3	"	8:0
4	"	9:0
5	"	5:0

In all the pits the ground was of the most favourable quality for the purpose of burial, except No 5, in the extreme west corner, which at the depth stated above showed symptoms of water; but in the opinion of the Committee present it could easily be remedied.

William Desaix
Hon. Secy.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~, the ^{Friday} 26th

day of May 1893

Signed,
P.R. Dwyer
Ch. M.

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Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ *Friday*

the 26th day of May 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - R R Dimglit Esq FVC

Other Guardians: -

- Mr John J Cowley DVC
- Major Tottenham
- Mr James F Grehan
- " John Payne
- " Edw. Ellison
- " Martin Doyle

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	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	32	2	=
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	44	13	-
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

980 Loaves Bread
 258 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 430 " Meat
 30 " Heads
 30 Dzs Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of May 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	0	0
In Kind		5	0
Total	£ 35	5	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>M Byrne</i>	22	13	6
<i>J Nolan</i>	2	9	-
<i>In four P/L to pay</i>			
<i>Postage</i>	2	13	6
<i>Whitewashing Disps</i>		10	-
		5	-
		5	-
<i>Journey^{ce}</i>		1	10
	<u>3</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>4</u>

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

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

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

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

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

Recd Letter Dated the 24 instant from Mr. J. K. Toomey, Solicitor, Dublin; informing the Guardians that he has inquired into all the claims on the award of the Arbitrator respecting the Guardians No 2 Improvement Scheme, and so far as the information before him enables him he reports as follows:

All persons whose names appear on the final award to be paid (sums not exceeding £20. may be paid upon their signing receipts for the amounts due.

The following claims require special mention.

Rep. Mich^l Neill, Brittas — The tenant has been evicted and the landlord has gone into possession; The landlord must therefore be paid

Rep. R. W. O'Byrne — Ballinacorn and Ballycapple — This estate is being sold in the Land Judges Court; Mess^{rs} O'Byrne & Sweeney are the solicitors who

have the carriage of the sale; Mr. Joomey has agreed with them subject to the sanction of the Guardians that an order should be obtained giving the owner liberty to sign a conveyance to the Guardians and that the money be lodged to the credit of the matter. The cost not to exceed £5.5.0 to be paid by the Guardians.

Herne Dick - The person now entitled will have to be ascertained, which Mr. Joomey will do.

Rep. Edw. Canoll - The person now entitled will have to be ascertained

Mr. Snell - The tenant is dead, His administrator may however be paid:

Rev. Henry Hayman - The money in this claim must be lodged in court, No title has been shown.

Rep. Sir John Gray - The Reps must be ascertained.

Rep. John Murphy - The Reps must be ascertained

Mr. Joomey forwards forms of Receipts:

Approved - R.R.D. 26/5/93 -

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board his Estimate for New Rates to meet the expenses of the Union for the ensuing year.

The Estimate was ordered to lie on the table for fourteen days, a special meeting of the Guardians to be summoned for the 9th of June next to take it in to consideration.

The usual Yearly contracts for Coals, Milk
and Butter, and the Quarterly Provision
contracts to be taken on the same day.

Read plans to be voted from Mr John Byrne
Ashford Hotel in place of his brother Mr Lawrence
Byrne.

Carri admitted RRD
26/5/93

[Handwritten signature]
Ch. M.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	8
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	—
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 2nd day of June 1893

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ ^{Friday},

the 26th day of May 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

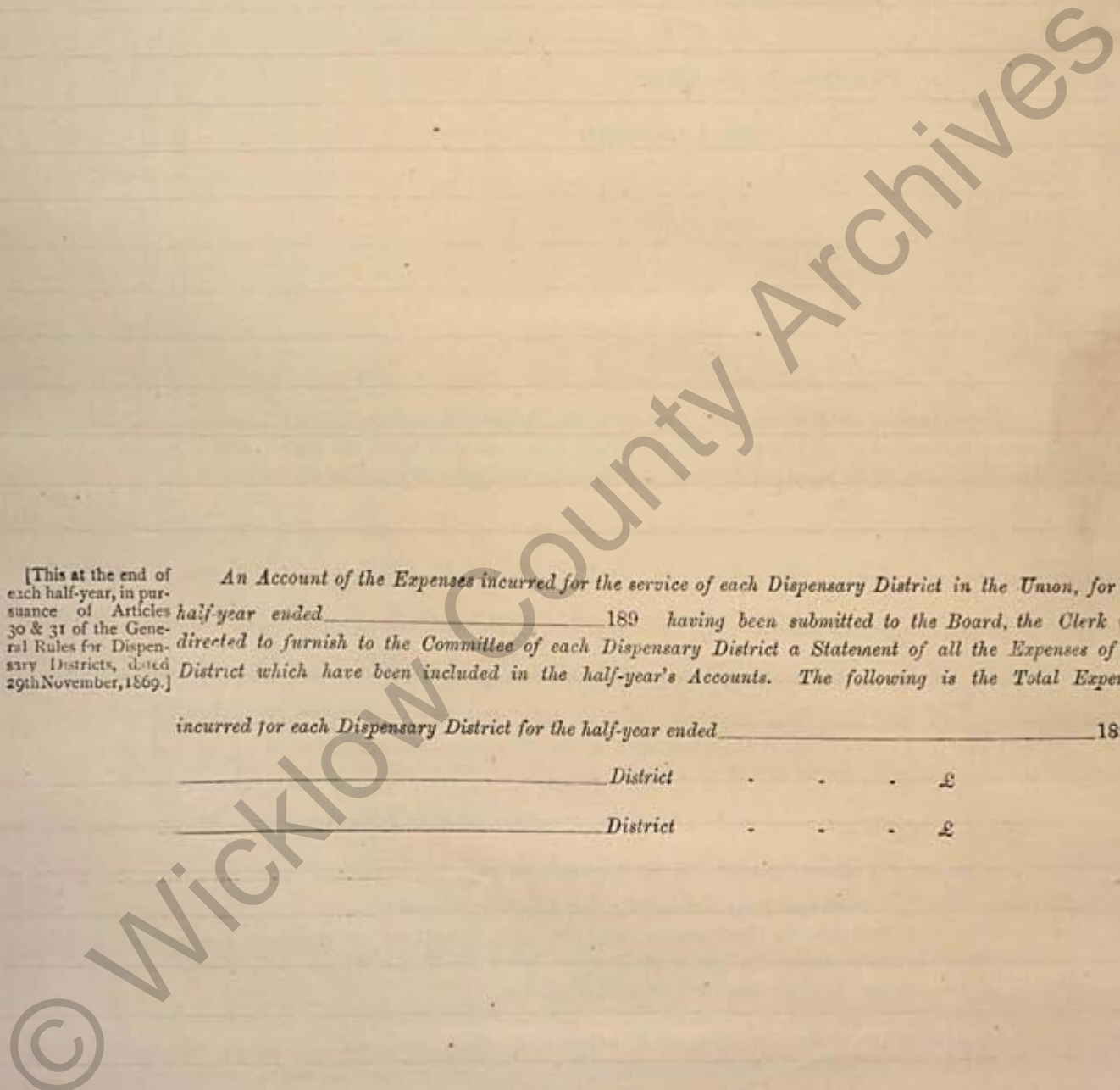
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

	District	-	-	-	£
	District	-	-	-	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 24th instant from Frank Brooke Esq., Agent to Earl Fitzwilliam stating that he feels certain the Guardians have made the best selection as regards to site for the proposed cemetery at Wicklow.

He cannot however recommend Lord Fitzwilliam to grant the additional portion asked for — 1st because he considers it unnecessary the field selected being quite large enough, and 2nd it would greatly add to the expense and cause delay (Miss Brownrigg being a yearly tenant)

As to the precise line of the boundary wall he will be glad to meet the representatives of the Dispensary Committee on the ground whenever convenient;

Order — To be referred to the Dispensary Committee

Read report from the Anamoe Dispensary Committee stating that at their meeting held on the 25th instant it was unanimously resolved that the Guardians be asked to send their Engineer to examine and make a plan and estimate for the proposed improvement in the water supply of the Village of Roundwood.

Order — Request granted:

Read report from Dr. Chas. Cameron of the analysis of the sample of water taken from the well at Roundwood, which he pronounced to be a good water:

Order — Referred to the Committee:

R. P. Drought
Chm

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ^{Friday}~~Wednesday~~, the ^{2nd}~~2nd~~ day of June 1893

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977. 1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of May 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	201															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	204															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			17	30	72	66	5	8	12	13	12	235	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	97	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other Inmates	20	5
Admitted during the Week			28	9	—	1	—	—	2	1	2	43	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3			
TOTAL,			45	39	72	67	5	8	14	14	278	TOTAL,	100	TOTAL,	40		
Discharged during the Week			40	63	2	1	—	2	6	7	3	74	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Fe-males	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			40	63	2	1	—	2	6	7	3	74	No. Relieved during week	24	9	5	38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			5	26	70	66	5	6	8	7	11	204	No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	—	2
													No. at corresponding period last year,				237

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of May 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	120	John D. Edge
No. II.	78	113	John Manley
No. III.	193	262	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	85	127	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	420	622	758

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday

the 2nd day of June 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— R. R. Drought Esq. P. VC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley P. VC
 " Henry A. Tombe P.
 " Edw. Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ~~30~~ / to No. 38 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in hand* the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinaacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	38	4	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	44	16	10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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 :—

550 Loaves Bread
 264 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 440 " Meat
 30 Heads
 28 Dq. Eggs

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 27th day of May 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	34	18	6
In Kind			2	6
Total	£	34	18	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>M. New</i>	<i>Geny Exp.</i>	5	-	-
<i>E. R. Bayly</i>	<i>Impm. LA</i>	10	-	-
<i>P. Arthur</i>	"	4	12	6
<i>W. R. O'Byrne</i>	"	9	-	-
<i>J. Mellon</i>	"	5	-	-
<i>W. R. O'Byrne</i>	"	11	5	-
<i>E. O'Byrne</i>	"	6	5	-
<i>J. K. Kearney</i>	<i>Exp.</i>	5	5	-
<i>W. W. Nevin</i>	<i>Impm.</i>	11	5	-
<i>J. Castle</i>	"	6	5	-
<i>O. T. Dick</i>	"	12	17	6
<i>M. Costello</i>	"	6	17	6
<i>C. O'Byrne</i>	"	19	5	-
<i>W. O'Byrne</i>	"	6	17	6
<i>D. McDonald</i>	"	9	9	-
<i>P. O'Byrne</i>	"	5	5	-
<i>J. H. Broadwood</i>	"	11	5	-
<i>J. O'Byrne</i>	"	6	5	-
<i>M. Hayman</i>	"	33	6	-
<i>E. Winder</i>	"	18	10	-
<i>Rep. Sir J. Gray</i>	"	4	10	-
<i>J. Keane</i>	"	2	10	-
<i>A. E. Revell</i>	"	5	12	6
<i>E. Murphy</i>	"	3	2	6
<i>A. E. Revell</i>	"	3	7	6
<i>W. G. Murphy</i>	"	1	17	6

£ s. d.

Fillan	RC Vestment	6	-	-
J Sutton	oats &c	8	17	10
W	clothing	8	16	9
E Mulhern	Eggs	4	10	-
Leslie of	Medicines	17	8	7
L	"	33	2	9
L	"	12	11	0
L	"	12	5	0
L	"	7	0	1
L	"	8	1	3
L	"	-	-	-
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		91	56	
	Bank of Minor for small payments	7	15	11

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 29th Ultimo:
from the Local Government Board calling for a
Return of General Taxation.

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Read Letter from same, Dated the
31st Ultimo, requesting to be informed whether
a report has yet been received from the Committee
appointed to consider the Question of concreting
some of the Workhouse Yards.

Order. The report of this Committee has not yet been
received.

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Read Letter from same Dated the 1st
instant sanctioning the payment of 2/6 a Day
for one month to the person employed as a temporary

Nurse of the Workhouse Fever Hospital.

Read Letter from same of same Date informing the Guardians that the sum ascertained on Rathdowny Union for the year ending the 31st March 1894, under the provisions of the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act 1875, after giving credit for the surplus of previous assessments is £366.

Read Letter Dated the 26th Ultimo, from Mess^{rs} Hayes & Sons, Solicitors, Dublin, applying on behalf of Mr Joseph Perry C^t. For payment of £84.2.0, stated to be due to him as per acct. furnished, and in case the Guardians are not prepared to pay this amount, requesting to be informed of the name of the Guardians Solicitor who will accept service of a writ of Summons Order - Mr J K Homey's address to be given.

Read the following claims to be rated: -

- Mr Henry Raske v Rev Henry Raske, Bollanney
- " Mr Henry Raske v " " "
- " Mr Ryan v Mr Wm Williams, Wistlers
- " Francis Kennedy v " John Bourne, " "

Order - Mr Kennedy has already been rated; the other claims to be complied with.

H. H. Drongar
W. W.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	4
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 9th day of June 189 ³

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 2nd day of June 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *R. Doughty Esq. F.R.C.S.*

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 281

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

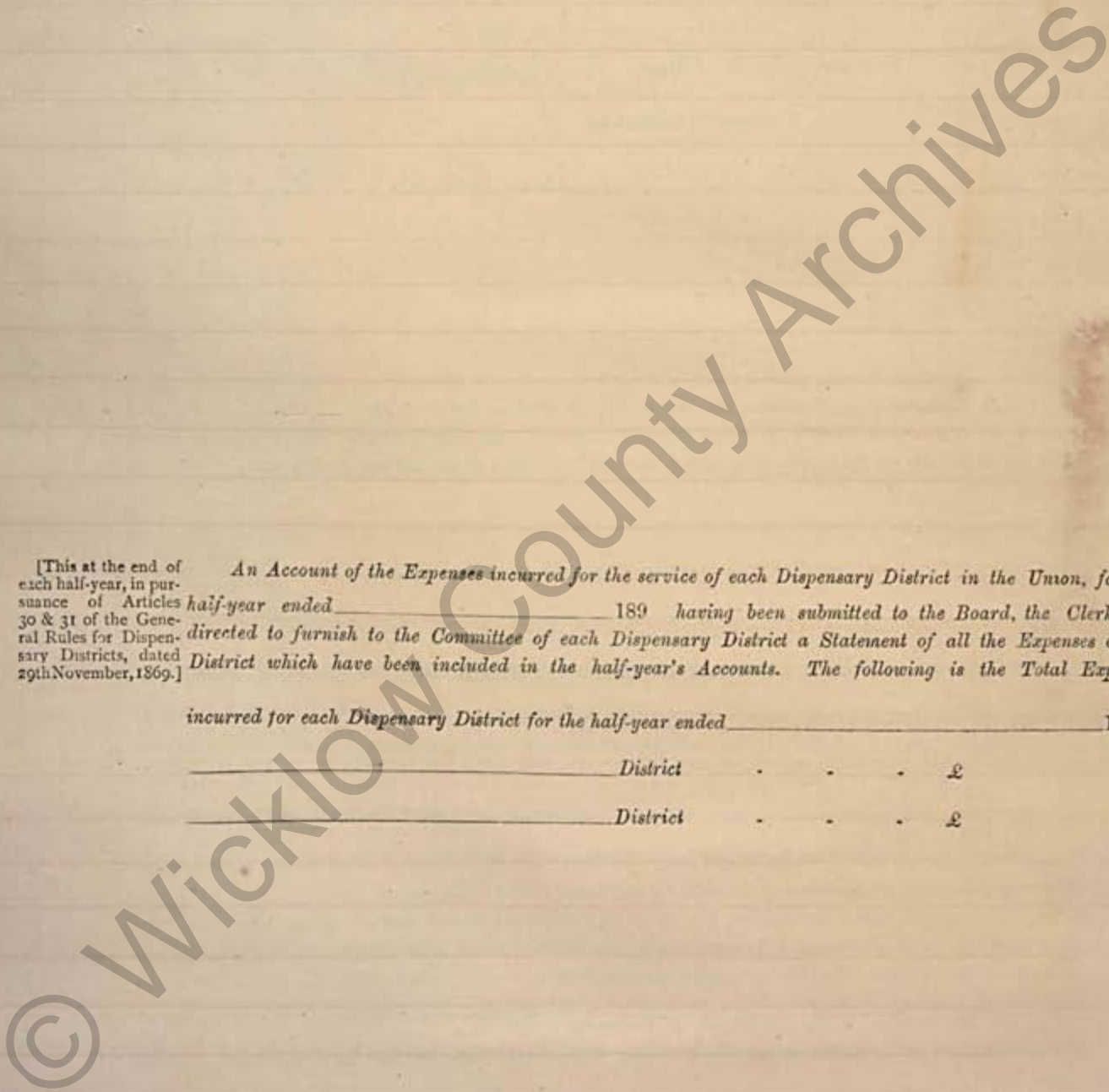
_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____		189
_____ District	. . .	£
_____ District	. . .	£



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_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from the Medical Officer of Newcastle Disp. Dist. stating that

all the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act reported by him in April last have since complied with the law with the exception of seven.

Read report of proceedings of Newcastle Dispensary Committee at a meeting held on the 18th instant. Members present Messrs. P. Walsham P.C. & Jas. Hanagan.

Examined Medical Officer's Books, 139 tickets attended since April 20 1893. He reports six cases of successful vaccination.

Adjourned the consideration of Mr. Evans' letter & Mr. News to a special meeting.

Read Dr. Gardiner's report on the sanitary state of the town and Mr. Higgins' reply, which the members present considered satisfactory.

Signed Mr. Stalls bill 9/11 for repairing the press at the Dispensary. Meeting adjourned.

Jas. Hanagan, Hon. Sec.

Approved— R.R.D. 2-6-93

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Annamoe	S. Garland	Report relating to a house in Roundwood occupied by a woman named Anne White which is in an unsanitary and dilapidated condition	Order - This house is now temporarily closed, under repairs.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

D. Ryan, Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District reported that the public fountains in the town of Rathdrum have failed to give a supply of water of late to the poor people who are badly off for water for household purposes.

Order—

The attention of the Local Government Board is called to the Guardians Plan for providing an improved water supply to the town of Rathdrum, with a view to obtaining their sanction thereto, so as to enable the Guardians to proceed with the works.

The Guardians also desire to draw the attention of the Local Government Board to their inquiry respecting the Kelpedder Drainage question.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 9th
 day of June 1893
 Signed, [Signature]
 Clerk of the Union, [Signature]

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	211														
Temporary Buildings ..	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80															
Fever Skols	—															
TOTAL	669	213														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			5	26	70	66	5	6	8	7	11	204	90	In separate Wards 330 In Wards with other inmates 560	24	
Admitted during the Week			20	9	4	—	1	2	7	7	3	53	2			
TOTAL,			25	35	74	66	6	8	15	14	14	257	92	TOTAL, 40		
Discharged during the Week - Died			13	6	6	—	—	1	4	7	3	44				
Total Discharged and Dead			13	10	6	—	—	1	4	7	3	44				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	25	66	66	6	7	11	7	11	213				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	16	5	8	29
												No. in Workhouse at date	3	2	8	13
												No. at corresponding period last year, 224				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	120	John D. Edge
No. II.	79	116	John Manley
No. III.	187	256	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	85	127	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	415	619	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday

the 9th day of June 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Richard R. Drought Esq. F.R.C.S.

Other Guardians: - Mr. John J. Conley D.V.C.

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|--------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| Major Tottenham F. | Mr. John Byrne | Mr. Isaac Manley |
| Mr. J. Stoney F. | " Owen Byrne | " E. Robinson |
| Mr. A. Pailgan F. | " Miles Byrne | " J. P. Keane |
| " J. Dowling F. | " Pat ^l Miley | " Wm Grant |
| " C. M. Wade F. | " J. Curran | " Pat ^l Keel |
| " A. Donke F. | " J. J. Gahan | " Paul Dewise |
| " M. Knight F. | " W. Shepard | " Jas. Slant |
| " L. Nolan | " M. Doyle | " Edw. Fullen |
| " D. Somers | " E. Channery | " Jas. Keane |
| " A. Sheehan | " E. Storey | " M. H. Jones |
| " P. J. Carey | " J. Murphy | " E. Ellison |
| B. Stafford | | " W. Cullen |
| | | " J. Doyle |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 39 to No. 79 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

£	<u>97</u>
£	<u>165 : 19 : 6</u>
£	<u>3117 : - : 1</u>

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	34	6	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	42	10	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	7½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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 :—

900 Loaves Bread
 240 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 420 " Meat
 27 Heads
 28 doz Eggs
 4 cwt Sugar
 3½ Prs. Poter
 1 Roll Tobacco

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30th day of June 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	34	10	0
In Kind		4	6
Total	£ 34	14	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.	
<i>M Byrne</i>	<i>on a/c Grant</i>	60	-	-
<i>A Grant</i>	<i>Milk & Butter</i>	15	7	8
<i>M Byrne</i>	<i>Bread</i>	22	2	7
<i>Clerk</i>	<i>small pay^t</i>	4	5	3

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 8th instant from the Local Government Board, reminding the Guardians that the 2nd instalment of the Seed Potatoes Loan must be paid on the 1st of August next; and suggesting that the collectors should be urged to use every exertion to get in the Rates by that time, as otherwise the deficiency must be advanced out of the ordinary poor rate.

Read Letter from the Commissioners of National Education transmitting a cheque for £376:13:0, being the amount due to the Guardians of this Union under the Local Taxation Act 1890,

Read Letter from the Clerk of the Union excusing his absence from the Board on account of illness.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the Clerk's Estimate for New Rates, which were agreed as follows.

vi.

vi.		vii.	
vii.		viii.	
Altitude. Electoral Division, a Rate of	6 in the £		
Athlone	"	3.0	"
Buagh	"	7	"
Ballinaclush	"	8	"
Ballinacorney	"	3	"
Ballinacorney	"	4	"
Ballygarra	"	3	"
Ballycullen	"	3	"
Brosna	"	2.0	"
Calony	"	5	"
Crinebane	"	1.8	"
Dungin E	"	3	"
" S	"	1.0	"
" W	"	3	"
Emerick	"	8	"
Glencar	"	8	"
Glendalough	"	1.0	"
Kilbride	"	8	"
Kilcove	"	8	"
Killiskey	"	11	"
Knockra	"	8	"
Mareestown	"	8	"
Newinstown	"	8	"
" n.p.	"	1.0	"
Oldtown	"	10	"
Ovoa	"	8	"
Rathdown	"	1.0	"
Tagher	"	1.8	"
Properstown	"	6	"
Wicklow	"	8	"

The following Special Sanitary Rates were also agreed to on the undermentioned contributory Places

viii.

Kilpedder Contributory Place	a Rate of	4 $\frac{1}{4}$ in the £
Rathdown	"	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "

The following Contracts were entered into:
 For Three Months

Mr. Mary Byrne -	Best White Bread,	@ 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ £ 4 16
" Elisha McGinnis	" Mutton	" 6 " lb
5 ⁰	" Beef	" 5 " "
5 ⁰	" Ox Heads	" 2/- each
5 ⁰	" Sheep "	" 7 " "
Darry & Quinn	" Bacon	" 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ £ lb
Mr. R. Hill	" Oatmeal	" 13/- " cwt

For Twelve Months

Mr. L. Byrne	Best Newmilk	@ 6 $\frac{1}{8}$ £ Gal
" E. Shurt	" "	" 6 $\frac{1}{8}$ "
Mr. M. Johnson	" "	" 6 $\frac{1}{8}$ "
" A. Grant	" Buttermilk	" 2 " "
Mr. D. Egg	" Butter	" 11 ⁰ £ lb

Mr. J. McCarroll 250 Doves (WT) @ 18/- £ Doz

The Guardians accepted a tender from Mr. J. Ryan proposing to pay £2.12.6 for the repair of the Workhouse Kitchen for three months from the 25th inst.

The following claims to be acted were allowed: -

Mr. Mrs. A. Dombie, Rosemagh Cottage, Ashford
 " Thomas Nowlan, Dullinacree - 7/6 -
 Capt. S. L. Steele, Fairhill, Wicklow

The committee appointed to report as to the concreting of some of the yards of the Workhouse, recommended that the open drains which run through the yards should be concreted and also that the paved portion of the yards extending from the house to the drain be also laid in concrete.

Order - Recommendation adopted, Contract to be advertised.

The following arrangement of the basins provided for use in the Workhouse, as recommended by the Medical Officers of the Workhouse, the Master of the Workhouse and the Engineers, was adopted by the Board - viz:

In the Surgery	1 Basin
Accident Ward	1 "
Laundry	4 Basins
Female Infirmary Ward	2 "
Female Lamentic Ward	4 "

A bath to be placed in the Water closet adjoining this Ward with entrance therefrom. This latter arrangement cannot be carried out until the new closet is erected in the Female yard.

R. H. Wright
Ch. M.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 16th day of June 1893

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~WEDNESDAY~~the 9th day of June 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair. R R Drought Esq M P VC

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 301

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

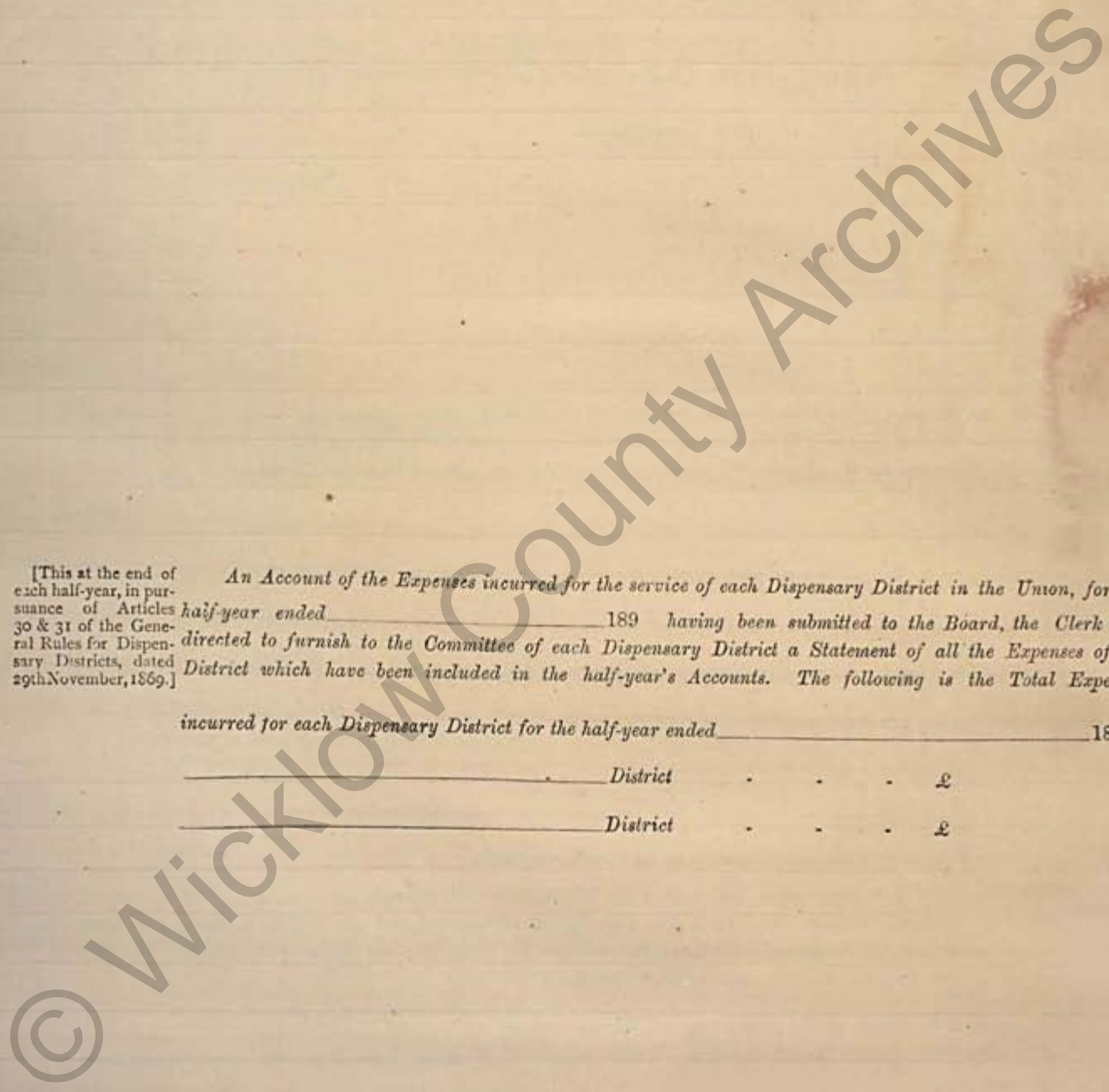
_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

_____ District	.	.	.	£
_____ District	.	.	.	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 Dung In Dispensary dated the 5th inst.
stating that at a meeting of the Committee held on that day
it was Resolved

That the same list of Surgical Instru-
-ments be returned to the Board of Guardians as the
Committee believe they are rightly needed for the
use of the Medical Officer of the District.

And the Committee are of opinion
that the Clerk of the Union should have a list of
the Instruments formerly supplied to this Dispensary.

The old Instruments left by Dr Ryan
are a case of Dental Instruments and one Midwifery
Forceps, which are totally inadequate for the use of the
District.

Order - List to be forwarded to the Contractor for supply
with the exception of two Instruments, which it was
not considered necessary to supply

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These Reports are
to be made up and
forwarded by the
Medical Officers to
the Board of Guar-
dians quarterly, viz.,
on the 31st March,
30th June, 30th Sep-
tember and 31st De-
cember.]

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 3rd June 53 from the Local Government Board stating that they have had before them the descriptive list respecting the proposed area of charge for expenses incurred in connection with the Rathbrunn Water Supply and they desire to call the attention of the Sanitary Authority to their Order of the 7th of October 1877 fixing the area of charge for such expenditure.

Read Letter from same, dated the 7th inst. in reference to the Guardians Resolution of the 19th Ultimo respecting a nuisance arising from defective sewerage in the Village of Kierpedder, and in reference thereto they desire to state that they think the Guardians should be guided by legal advice in the matter:

Proposed by Mr. Dailymon seconded by Mr. Gahan -
Resolved -

That legal advice be obtained as to the position and powers of the Board of Guard. in the matter ~~in the matter~~ of the Kierpedder drainage question.

Passed

Proposed by Mr. Dowling seconded by Mr. Gahan -
Resolved -

That the Board of Guardians serve a notice on Major Cunningham with reference to former correspondence that unless he sees his way to allow the necessary steps to be taken for remedying the Kierpedder drainage as proposed, the Board will be obliged to carry out the plan without further delay.

Passed

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 16th
day of June 1893

D. J. Donoghue
Chm.

Signed, *J. Manning*
Clerk of the Union

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1893

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	289	210															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	609	212															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	25	68	66	6	7	11	7	11	213	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	88	In separate Wards	30	
Admitted during the Week			30	4	2	1	—	1	5	4	—	47	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	10	
TOTAL,			42	29	70	67	6	8	16	11	11	260	TOTAL,	90	TOTAL,	40	
Discharged during the Week			22	7	2	1	1	2	5	5	1	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			22	7	4	1	1	2	5	5	1	48	No. Relieved during week	25	—	—	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	22	66	66	5	6	11	6	10	212	No. in Workhouse at date	11	—	—	11
													No. at corresponding period last year,				234

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TOTALS,	415	623	752

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 16th day of June 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - R. R. Daugherty Esq. F.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

- Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
- Major Tottenham P.
- Mr. E. N. Wynne P.
- " John Byrne
- " E. Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 85 to No. 120 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	39	15	4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	41	10	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	7 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

900 Loaves Bread
 240 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 21 lbs Butter
 400 " Meat
 27 Hens
 26 Doz Eggs
 10 cwt Potatoes
 2 Chets Tea

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of June 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	7	8
In Kind		5	0
Total	£ 35	12	8

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>M. Payne</i>	26	8	-
<i>Wm. Paul</i>	9	6	-
<i>S. Dalton</i>	5	-	-
<i>Infants Clk to pay</i>			
<i>Clerk</i>	1	14	7
<i>S. Lovern</i>	1	1	-
<i>"</i>	1	1	-
<i>S. Garland</i>	1	1	-
<i>Danny Quinn</i>	1	8	1
<i>J. Hayden</i>	15	9	-
<i>E. Stroy</i>	26	2	-
<i>J. Duffy</i>	10	-	-
<i>J. Cleary</i>	7	6	-
<i>L. Murphy</i>	6	-	-
<i>J. D. Edge</i>	5	-	-
<i>M. A. Murphy</i>	5	-	-
<i>Midwife Fee</i>	5	-	-
	9	11	1

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant from the Local Government Board requesting to be informed whether the Guardians have taken any action in regard to the suggestion of the Med^l Officer of the Workhouse respecting certain alterations in the sheds which have been erected in the male and female Lunatic yards; and that paid attendants on the insane should be appointed.

Order— The Medical Officer's recommendation about the sheds has been attended to.

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Read Letter from same, of same date, in reference to the sanitary improvements being at present carried out on the Workhouse premises; in regard to which the H^l Board point out that before any structural alterations are carried out

in the Warehouse buildings, it is necessary to obtain their consent thereto, and to the expenditure requisite for the purpose; and notwithstanding repeated applications for the plans, specifications and estimates of these works their request has not been complied with up to the present; and they now insist upon seeing the plans of these works before they can sanction the expenditure in respect of them.

Order - The Engineer to be required to furnish the Clerk with these plans &c. forthwith.

The following notice of motion was served.

Thereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will move to rescind the resolution fixing the area of charge for the proposed water supply to the town of Rathfriland and to propose a resolution to increase the said area

16th June 1893 - John Byrne

John Byrne 16/6/93

J. P. Droug

Ch. W. M.

23.6.93

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was //
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was //

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was /
 Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians /

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office: s' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 23rd day of June 1893

(Signed) P. M. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~WEDNESDAY~~,
the 16th day of June 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

R. R. Drought Esq. F.V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

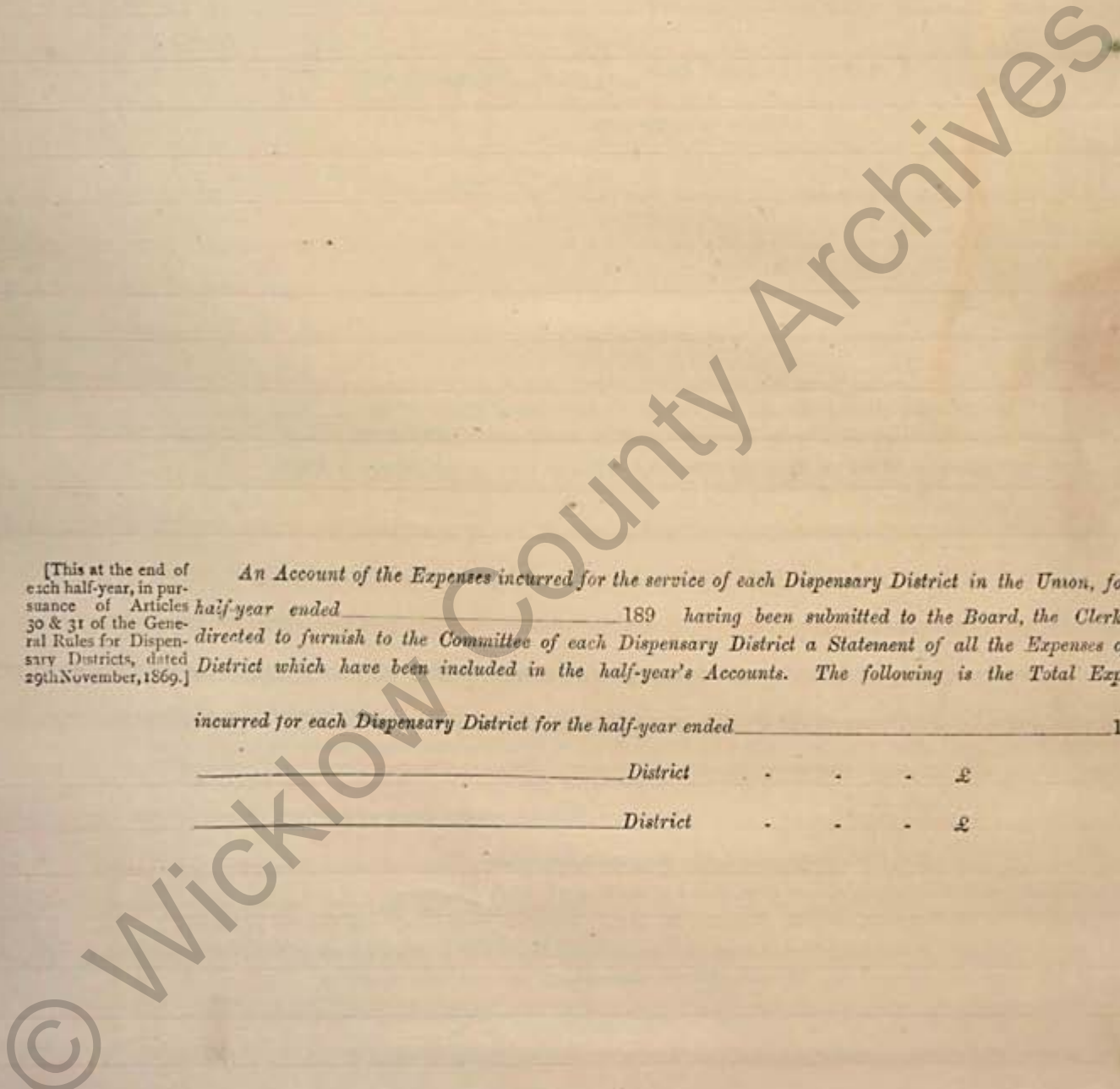
_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	189
_____ District	£
_____ District	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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

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

Newbridge — 18 Cases

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

None to be sent.

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

Read Circular Dated the 13th instant from the Local Government Board, relating to the duties of Sanitary Authorities & Inspectors under the Factory and Workshop Acts.

2

Read Letter from same of same date, forwarding a form in which application may be made for sanction to the loan required for procuring an improved Water supply at Rathdrum.

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Read analysis made by Sir C. Cameron of two samples of water taken from the sources from which it is proposed to take the water for the improved supply to the town of Rathdrum.

The waters were pronounced to be of a slightly yellow colour, and of a slightly unpleasant odour, which may be due to the cloths round the stoppers of the vessels, which had an offensive odour.

The waters are very soft and contain small quantities of suspended matter, including some micro-organisms. There is no very serious pollution but the waters are not up to the standard of best waters.

Order - Fresh samples of these waters to be sent again for analysis.

2

Read Letter from the Wicklow District Council informing the Guardians that a sub-committee of their body met a Committee of the Town Council of Wicklow, when it was agreed to request the Guardians to proceed forthwith to obtain the necessary loan to defray the expenses of providing the Cemetery for Wicklow Dispensary District, the Town Council having agreed to

give a written undertaking to hand over all their rights &c. as Sanitary Authority, so far as anything with the Burial Board is concerned, to the Bd of Guardians for the purpose of facilitating and hastening the obtaining of such loan and also that they will levy and pay their "pro rata" share of any Rate struck by the Guardians to pay the expenses of providing the Cemetery and repaying the Loan.

Order - Owing to the opinion expressed by the Local Govt. Board Inspector, the Guardians consider it inexpedient to proceed further in this matter. But if the Urban San. Authority should deem it expedient to take action this Board will render all possible assistance in furtherance of the project.

Resolutions were received from the Town Commissioners of Wicklow bearing out the above statement.

Read Letter from Local Govt. Board Dated the 13th instant forwarding for the Guardians information a copy of a letter which they have received from Mr. Myles Doyle stating that the site chosen for the Cemetery at Wicklow is very unsuitable in consequence of being approached by a railway Viaduct which makes it very unsafe for horses unaccustomed to the noise of passing trains.

Order - Referred to the Local Committee.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 23rd

day of June

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Signed,

C. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127977:1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	216															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	218															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	22	66	66	5	6	11	6	10	212	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	89	In separate Wards In Wards with other Inmates	30	20
Admitted during the Week			23	3	5	1	—	1	4	2	1	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2			
TOTAL,			43	25	71	67	5	7	15	8	11	252	TOTAL,	91	TOTAL,		
Discharged during the Week			27	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			27	—	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	34	No. Relieved during week	20	—	—	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	25	66	65	5	7	15	8	11	218	No. in Workhouse at date	5	—	—	5
													No. at corresponding period last year,				224

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of June 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	65	121	John D. Edge
No. II.	79	119	John Manley
No. III.	186	255	Joseph Livingston S Johnson
No. IV.	85	127	Richard Ellison L Murphy
TOTALS,	415	622	= 728

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ ^{Friday} the 23rd day of June 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - R R Draught Esq. P VC
Other Guardians:—

- Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
- Major Tottenham P
- Mr. & A. Combe P
- " John Byrne
- " Edw. Ellison
- " J. F. Kehan
- " P. Miley

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 121 to No. 160 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in Favour* the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - $\begin{matrix} \text{£} & \text{s.} & \text{d.} \\ 35 & 15 & 4 \end{matrix}$
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - $\begin{matrix} \text{£} & \text{s.} & \text{d.} \\ 42 & 8 & 8 \end{matrix}$
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 8

Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 7 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 4 : 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:—

915 Loaves Bread
740 Gallons Newmilk
35 " Buttermilk
22 lbs Butter
420 " Meat
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Chest Tea
96 Dg. Eggs

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 $\frac{1}{2}$ day of June 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	2	0
In Kind			4.6
Total	£ 35	6	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Rev R W Guinness	2m. Bal	10	-	-
" J Carberry	"	20	-	-
Dr Leaper	"	25	-	-
B Manning	"	25	-	-
J Flower	"	20	-	-
M Flower	"	10	-	-
M Byrne	"	8	15	-
C Byrne	"	8	15	-
M Kenny	"	5	-	-
J Hoban	"	5	-	-
R Fitzgerald	"	3	15	-
W Reeves	"	3	15	-
E Dallon	"	5	-	-
S Cole	"	5	-	-
B Manning	"	2	10	-
J Edge	"	8	15	-
J Manley	"	8	15	-
S Johnson	"	8	15	-
L Murphy	"	8	15	-
S Garbarrad	"	30	-	-
" J. Jones	"	25	-	-
" Byrne	"	25	17	6
" Satchwell	"	25	-	-
" Hudson	"	30	-	-
" Loverock	"	25	-	-
" Ryan	"	25	-	-
" Halpin	"	25	-	-

	£	s.	d.
In fav. for to pay Dispensary servants wages	10	10	-
R O'Brien	2s	5	-
J Young	"	5	-
M Dillwyn	"	3	15
J Newson	"	15	-
B Manning	"	6	5
M New	"	3	15

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 22nd instant from the Local Government Board in reference to the suggestion of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse as to the accommodation and care of male and female lunatics.

The LG Board draw the attention of the Guardians to their Circular letter of the 10th of September 1891, and request that the Guardians will take into consideration the important question of appointing paid Officers for the care & treatment of this helpless class of inmates.

Order - To be considered at the Guardians special meeting on the 30th instant.

Read Telegrams from Local Govern^t Board, stating that they have received Plans

and Specification of the Workhouse Drainage, but no estimate; They also received a Specification of improvements in the Fever Hospital Yard, but neither plan nor estimate in detail, which documents should be forwarded without delay.

Order - The documents in question to be prepared at once by the Guardians Engineer and forwarded by the Clerk of the Union.

Wm. J. Pottam
June 30th 1850
Chair

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	5
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	2
Do. 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	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	1

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 30 day of June 189³

(Signed)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}

the 23rd day of June 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair. R. R. Drought Esq. A. V. C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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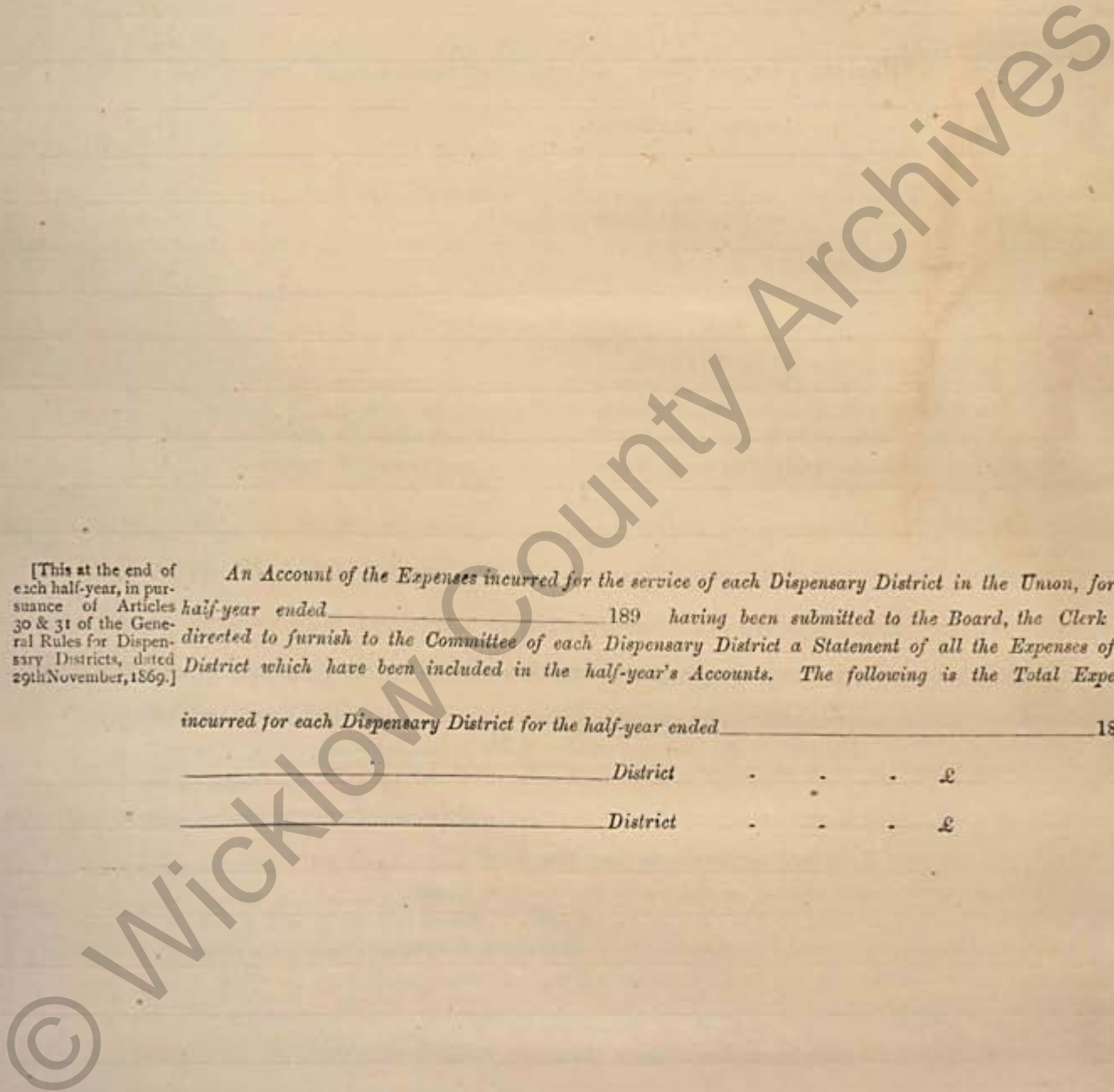
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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

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

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount				
		£	s.	d.		
Union	B Manning	5	3	15		
	Dr. R R Kefer	5	2	10		
	J D Edge	"	8	15		
	J Manley	"	5	-		
	S Johnson	"	5	-		
	L Murphy	"	7	10		
	P Cart	"	2	10		
	J J Evans	"	7	10		
	Dispensaries	S Garland	"	3	15	
		" Gardner	"	2	10	
" Byrne		"	3	15		
" Satchwell		"	2	10		
" Hudson		"	3	15		
" Liversock		"	2	10		
" Ryan		"	2	10		
" Halpin		"	6	5		
		M Byrne	Bread	19	17	4
		L Byrne	Milk	24	5	-
	E Short	"	22	16	8	
	M Walsh	Sept Pumps	4	10	-	
	Infant Ck to pump					
	E Cole	Rent	1	6	-	
	S Johnson	Sub	1	5	-	
				7	6	
				3	8	
				5	-	
				1	-	
				3	19	8
	M Byrne	on a/c Cont	30	-	-	

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 18th instant from Major Gumburghame, declining to meet the Sanitary Engineer in reference to the proposed new Sewage Tank at Kiltedder, and expressing his surprise at the action of the Guardians in trying to force on a plan contrary to the wishes of the Dispensary ^{ee} ~~com~~ + ratepayers; and warning the Guardians that he will at once place the matter in the hands of the Solicitor should they attempt to make any new tank on any part of the Demesne of Mount Kennedy.

Read report from Dr. Coverock, Med^l Officer of Health of the District of Newcastle recommending the Guardians to take immediate steps to make the Sewerage of Kiltedder sanitary & complete:

Order -

Notice to be served on the owner & occupier that the Guardians will after the expiration of the legal time enter upon these lands & proceed to carry out whatever works may be found to be necessary to remedy the nuisance complained of.

Read Letter Dated the 22nd instant from Mr J K Dooney, Solicitor-Dublin; stating that he has the case relating to the Kiltedder drainage drafted for Counsel and will lay it before him as soon as he is informed whether the tenant of the land upon which it is proposed to erect the tank; holds as a judicial tenant or how?

Mr Dooney also requests to be informed if the Guardians propose to take the opinion of a Senior or a junior Counsel; At the same

time he recommends the Guardians to take the opinion of Mr. Price 2C who is an expert on Sanitary Law, whose fee will be three guineas; a junior Counsel's opinion can be had for one guinea.

Order -

Mr. Price's opinion to be obtained: - Mr. Jooney to be informed that the tenant of the land in question holds under lease and is not a judicial tenant.

Read report from S.S. Officer Murphy in reference to the proposed improvement in the water supply of the village of Roundwood, stating that he has carefully watched the supply given by the well for the last fortnight and the results do not quite satisfy him.

Before taking further steps in the matter he would recommend that the drain should be deepened the well cleaned out and a test applied for another fortnight; before expending the sum which he estimates the necessary works would cost - ~~£92 - to be expended.~~

Order -

The recommendation of the S.S. Officer to be carried out at an expense not exceeding £1:0:0

Charles Tottenham
Chairman
June 30 1893

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 30th
day of June 1893

Signed,

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127877 - 1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	204															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	207															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	25	66	65	5	7	15	8	11	218	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	91	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	30	18
Admitted during the Week			20	6	2	—	1	2	4	3	—	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3		40	
TOTAL,			36	31	68	65	6	9	19	11	11	256	TOTAL,		TOTAL,	70	
Discharged during the Week - Died			25	6	1	—	1	3	8	4	4	49	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Dead			25	6	1	—	1	3	8	4	4	49		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	25	67	65	5	6	11	7	10	207	No. Relieved during week	19	1	—	20
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	—	4
													No. at corresponding period last year,				215

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of June 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	65	118	John D. Edge
No. II.	74	114	John Manley
No. III.	190	251	Richard Elliston & S. Johnson
No. IV.	87	138	Richard Elliston & Lillmurphy
TOTALS,	416	621	= 728

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday the 20th day of June 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D^o C^o
 Other Guardians: Captain Drought P V C
 Mr. J. J. Bowley D V C
 " J. Foreman P
 " H. A. Dumble P
 " Edward Ellison
 " John Byrne
 " Isaac Manley
 " Pat. J. Faray
 " Wm. Grant
 " C. Kerrigan
 " M. Byrne
 and Major Proflin

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 161 to No. 200 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in Law* the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	36	3	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	41	18	3
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

- 915 Loaves Bread
- 249 Galls Newmilk
- 420 lbs Meat
- 27 Sheep Heads
- 27 Dg. Eggs
- 4 cwt Salt
- 2 Fitches Bacon
- 2 Boxes Candles
- 1 Roll Tobacc
- 5 Galls Whiskey
- ½ case Brandy
- 7 lbs Pepper

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of June 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	38	s.	5	d.	2
In Kind				1	6	
Total	£	38	s.	6	d.	8

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>J. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>J. Evans</i>	<i>Ram Exp</i>	10	-	-
<i>E. M. Smith</i>	<i>Rent</i>	138	18	10
<i>M. Johnson</i>	<i>Newmarket</i>	29	14	4
<i>L. Byrne</i>	"	2	8	4
<i>E. Short</i>	"	2	8	8
<i>A. Grant</i>	<i>Milk & Butter</i>	5	4	6
<i>A. Hill</i>	<i>Oatmeal</i>	6	9	-
<i>M. J. Byrne</i>	<i>Tea</i>	27	10	6
<i>J. M. Yanoll</i>	<i>Coal</i>	45	-	-
<i>P. Molony</i>	<i>Rent</i>	2	10	-
<i>D. Hudson</i>	<i>Fee</i>	2	-	-
<i>P. Farrell</i>	<i>Fees</i>	39	13	9
	<i>In fur. Clk to pay</i>			
<i>F. Neadrick</i>	<i>Jeffins</i>	1	19	6
<i>A. Ryan</i>	<i>Limst Fee</i>	1	6	-
<i>J. Hayden</i>	<i>Rep^r</i>	15	-	-
<i>L. Byrne</i>	<i>Rt Re Dep</i>	10	-	-
<i>J. Cleary</i>	<i>Pumping</i>	7	6	-
<i>S. Dwyer</i>	<i>Soap & handles</i>	5	3	-
		4	18	3

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 27th instant from the Local Government Board, requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate of the New Rates which have been agreed to by the Guardians.

Read Letter from same Dated the 29th instant returning Plans, Specifications & Estimates of the alterations to be made in the Fever Hospital of this Workhouse, and in the Sanitary arrangements of the Workhouse.

The Local Government Board state that they will raise no objection to the proposed works, and request that certified copies of the documents may be forwarded for lodgment in their office with as little delay as possible.

Order

The documents returned by the Local Govt Board are certified copies and were intended to be retained by the Local Govt Board, to whom they may be sent back.

Read Letter Dated the 28th instant from Mr J K Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin; informing the Guardians that he has received service of a Writ of Prohibition from Mr Berry, against the Guardians, and has entered an appearance on their behalf; He has also called for a Statement of Claim, which Mr Berry's Sol^r will be obliged to furnish giving full particulars of his demand; Mr Dooney will again communicate with the Guardians as soon as he receives this document.

Read Letter Dated the 28th instant from Mrs Grant of Kilboy; declining to enter into the contract for supplying the Workhouse with Butter-milk. - the butter having been separated from the milk. -

Order - New tenders for buttermilk to be advertised for

Read Report from RDC at Oora, in which it is stated that a Heifer belonging to Mr W^m Duke of Castlemacadam is suffering from disease supposed to be Pleuro Pneumonia

Agreeable to advertisement the Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for laying in concrete some of the yards in the Workhouse.

There were

two tenders sent in, one from the Irish Portland Cement & Bricks Company, Ltd. who proposed to execute the work at 3/- per yard.

and one from Mr. Michael Byrne of Rathdrum who proposed to do the work at 3/6 per yard, or £54-6-9 in all.

The Guardians accepted Mr. Byrne's tender as he proposed to lay the concrete on a foundation of broken stones 6 in. deep, which was not proposed in the other tender.

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the New Rate Book, duly made up and certified by him, which were signed by the Chairman and two Guardians

The Master of the Workhouse obtained leave of absence for two days.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	1

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 1

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 7th
 day of July 189 3

(Signed) J. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ ^{Friday}

the 30th day of June 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Tottenham J.C. Esq.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see page 361

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

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

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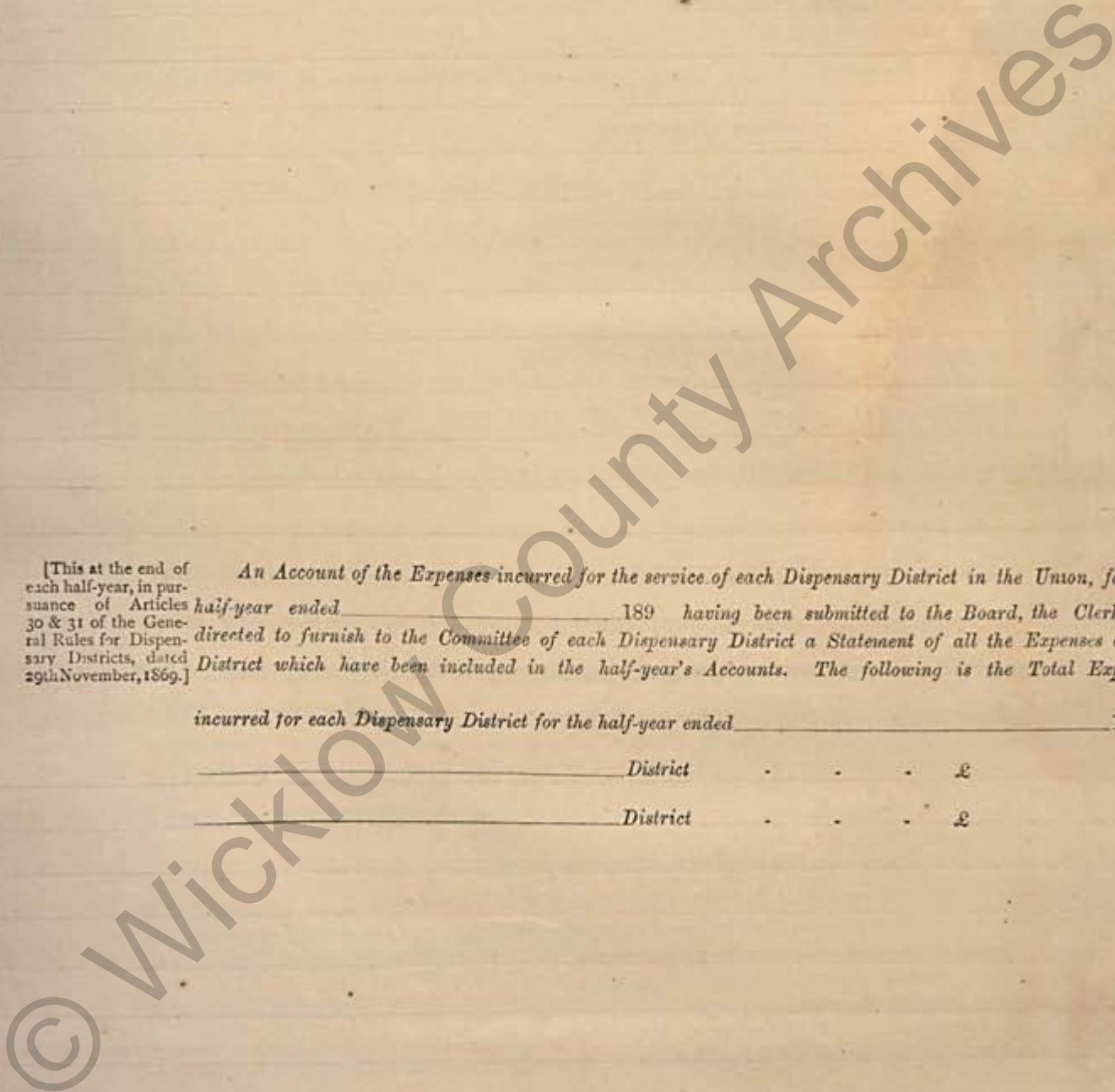
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 *Res^d J. Mulloy P.P. D. Angharain*, Dated the 29th B¹
~~stating that~~ *instant*, making complaint of neglect of duty on
 the part of the Medical Officer of Angharain Dispensary
 District — Dr. Byrne — both as regards non attendance
 at his Dispensaries at the appointed times, and also
 in respect to failure to attend dispensary patients
 on red tickets.

Order — To be referred to the District Committee
 and special attention to be called to it.

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 30th instant from the Local Government Board forwarding for the information of the Sanitary Authority a copy of the Cholera Hospitals (Ireland) Act 1893; & pointing out the several provisions of the Act, which will expire on the 1st of May next.

Read Letter Dated the 24th instant, from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin; informing the Guardians that he has completed the case in reference to the Kierpedder Drainage Bank, and has laid it before Mr. Ponie Q.C. who promises to write his opinion before the end of next week.

Read analysis of 4 samples of water taken from sources near the town of Rathdrum from some of which it is proposed to derive the proposed improved water supply to the town. Professor Cameron pronounces all the four waters to be of very good quality and fit for all domestic purposes.

In accordance with notice of Motion Mr. John Byrne proceeded to propose the following resolution which was seconded by Mr. W. Grant.

Resolved—

That the resolution fixing the area of charge for the proposed water supply to the town of Rathdrum be rescinded, and to extend the area of charge to the Electoral Division for said water supply.

Passed

Proposed by Mr. J. K. Dooney and seconded by Major

Crofton, and Resolved -

That the Medical Officer of Health be requested to report again on the condition of the Grave Yard at Ballymont in the Electoral Division of Glenealy, Complaints having reached the Board of its being over-crowded.

Passey
= J. J. Dottenham

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ^{Friday N.A.D.} ~~Wednesday~~, the 7th day of July 1893

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.
P. R. Dunne

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £12777.11-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
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TOTAL	669	209														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			11	25	67	65	5	6	11	7	10	207	85	20	26	
Admitted during the Week			36	3	2	—	—	1	6	3	1	52	5	30		
TOTAL			47	28	69	65	5	7	17	10	11	259	90	40		
Discharged during the Week			33	3	3	—	—	—	4	2	1	46				
Died			—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	4				
Total Discharged and Dead			33	3	6	1	—	—	4	2	1	50				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	25	63	64	5	7	13	8	10	209				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
												No. Relieved during week	26	—	—	26
												No. in Workhouse at date	7	—	—	7
												No. at corresponding period last year,		213		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of July 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	66	130	John D. Edge
No. II.	74	114	John Manley
No. III.	191	243	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	87	138	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	418	625	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday

the 7th day of July 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair— R. R. Broughton Esq. J.P. &c

Other Guardians:—

- Mr. John J. Cowley J.P. &c
- Major Tottenham J.P.
- Mr. M. Knight J.P.
- Mr. E. N. Wynne J.P.
- Mr. John Byrne
- Mr. Edw. Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 901 to No. 940 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	87	3	9
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	42	12	3
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

910 Loaves Bread
~~20~~ 20 Galls Newmilk
 22 lbs Butter
 3 1/2 Pns Pork
 4 cwt Sugar
 406 lbs Meat
 27 Heads

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 1st day of July 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	0	0
In Kind		5	0
Total	£ 35	5	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ...	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ...	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ...			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L Murphy</i> ...	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
<i>J McCarroll</i>	Coal	67	10	-
<i>M Byrne</i>	Stew	21	8	9
<i>Emulhern</i>	Eggs	4	19	-
<i>J Flower</i>	Reps	3	6	3
<i>S Lovelock</i>	Vacc	2	14	-
<i>D O'Brien</i>	Mainte Dm	7	10	-
<i>J Whelan</i>	Straw	1	9	9
<i>P Berry</i>	Irish		12	-
<i>C Ellis</i>	Reps		10	10
<i>W Smith</i>	P.R.		9	8
<i>M New</i>	Reps		5	3
<i>J Lawlor</i>	Pumping		5	-
		3	12	6

In favr Clk to Jury

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 3rd instant, from the Local Government Board, pointing out to the Guardians that they have frequently found it necessary to communicate with Board of Guardians in respect of the selection of untrained persons for the responsible post of Hospital Nurse, and they recommend the Guardians to adopt their suggestion to make use of the Workhouse Hospital for the purpose of training nurses whose services would be available in the event of Cholera or other formidable infectious disease appearing in the Union, and who would also probably become candidates for any vacancy which might arise in the permanent staff employed in the Union Hospitals.

Order—

Applications to be made to the Master of the Workhouse who will submit them to the Board.

Read Circular from Same Dated the 5th
instant, calling for the usual Quarterly Rate
Return.

Read Letter from The Irish Portland Ce-
ment & Brick Co. requesting to be informed why
their tender for concreting the Fever Hospital
yard was passed over and the Contract given
to another person at 6 per yard over their price.

The following notice of motion was served in refer-
ence to this matter. viz:

"I give notice that I, or
some Guardian for me will move on the 21st of
July to rescind the resolution of this Board
passed on the 30th of June 1893, which granted
the contract for concreting the yards of the
Workhouse to the highest tenderer, on the grounds
that the lowest tender did not comply with the
specification; It appearing that no speci-
fication was available for the Contractors
who called to see it at the Workhouse:

E N Wynne P

Received R.R.D.
7-7-93

Wm. W. W. W.
14/7/93

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
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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 Friday, the 14th
 day of July 1893

(Signed) P. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~WEDNESDAY~~ ^{Friday}

the 7th day of July 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *A. H. Drought Esq. F.V.C.*

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see page 381

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

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractor.

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

_____ Dispensary District.

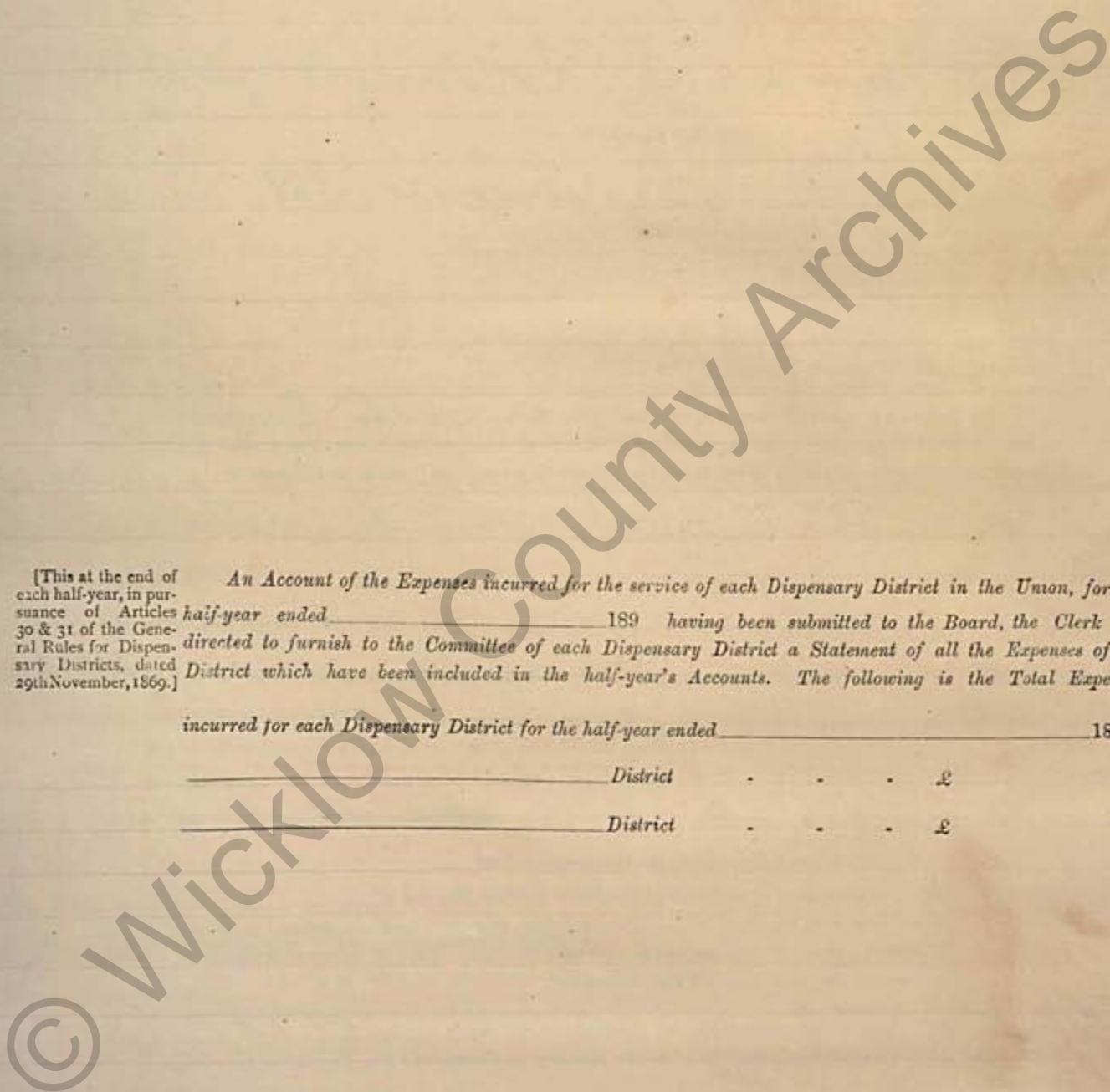
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____ .

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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

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

<i>Siklow</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>(Defaulters)</i>
<i>Newcastle</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>9</i>

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

The usual notices to be served on the defaulters.

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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
Wicklow	S. Halpin	<p>Report on reference to the Public Well at Glenah - The steps leading to it are apparently used as a rural.</p>	<p>Order - The Sanitary Sub- Officers to look after this matter.</p>

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Circular from Local Government Board on forwarding for the information of the Sanitary Authority a copy of a Memorandum prepared by the Medical Officer of the Local Government Board in England on the subject of Cholera.

Read Letter from Mr. J. H. Dooney dated the 29th Ultimo stating that he called on Mr. Pate D.C. for his opinion in reference to the Kiepadder Sewage Tank, but owing to pressure of business he has been unable as yet to write it, He promised to do so early next week.

Read Letter dated the 3rd inst. from Rev. Henry Guyer, Incumbent of Newcastle, calling the attention of the Guardians to the necessity for having the weeds in the old grave yard at Killarreenan cut and removed as was done last year.

Order - This work to be executed by the S.S.O. at a cost not exceeding 10/-

Read Letter dated the 6th instant from Mr. Wm. Speares of Follattin impressing upon the Guardians the necessity for taking immediate steps to let the Contract for the Rotherdown Water supply if it is to be carried out, as if it is allowed to run much later in the season it will add considerably to the cost.

Mr. Speares suggests that if the L.G. Board have not yet returned the Plans his application ought to be made for them so that he may prepare duplicates if approved

Order

Application to be made to the Local Government Board for the Plans &c

²
Charles J. O'Mahony
14/7/93
Chair

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 14th
day of July 1893

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127577.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS							
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date								
Workhouse	589	209																				
Temporary Buildings ..	-																					
Additional Workhouse ..	-																					
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4																				
Fever Sheds	-																					
TOTAL	669	213																				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	25	63	64	5	7	13	8	10	209	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	86	In separate Wards	30	21					
Admitted during the Week			20	6	5	1	1	-	6	2	3	44	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates	10						
TOTAL			34	31	68	65	6	7	19	10	13	253	TOTAL	90	TOTAL	40						
Discharged during the Week - Died			21	6	4	1	1	1	5	1	-	40	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS									
Total Discharged and Dead			21	6	4	1	1	1	5	1	-	40	No. Relieved during week	16	Males	3	Females	4	Children under 15	23	TOTAL	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	25	64	64	5	6	14	9	13	213	No. in Workhouse at date	5								
																						No. at corresponding period last year. 196

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	66	130	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	115	John Manley
No. III.	190	242	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	87	138	Richard Ellison R. Murphy
TOTALS,	418	625	= 738

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday, the 14th day of July 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm

Other Guardians:-

- Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
- Major Tottenham FP
- Mr. Lawrence W. Byrne FP
- Mr. Maurice Knight FP
- Mr. Edward Ellison
- Mr. John Byrne

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 240 to No. 280 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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	£ <u>88</u> —
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And that the Balance on the Account <i>in favor</i> the Guardians was	£ <u>434</u> : <u>8</u> : <u>3</u>
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The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	123	11	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	39	18	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		5	6 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	3

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

890 Loaves Bread
 249 Galls Newmilk
 22 lbs Potatoes
 400 " Meat
 27 Hens
 25 Doz. Eggs
 10 cwt Oatmeal

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 8th day of July 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£ 35	7	6
In Kind		2	6
Total	£ 35	10	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

St. Jarlath

Varon Fees

£ s. d.

2 00 -

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 8th instant, acknowledging the receipt of a plan & specification relative to the concreting of a yard attached to the Workhouse Fever Hospital:

Read Letter Dated the 14th instant from Mr. Jas. Dejuny applying for payment of £6. on account of plumbing in connection with fitting basins &c in the Workhouse.

Order - The Board wish to know how Mr. Dejuny was employed, and to have a detailed account of the number of days he worked in the Workhouse, and the other items which are included in his Bill.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison seconded by Mr. L. W. Byrne &c

Resolved -

That Mr Little be directed to hand in to this Board on the 21st instant an exact measurement of all drains, pipes and concrete work which have been certified for as finished and which are set on contract by the square or lineal yard, in connection with works being carried out on the Workhouse premises, and the amount paid on each item.

Passey

The Guardians accepted a tender from Mr Mr David Edge of Kinsaleth proposing to supply the Workhouse with Buttermilk for the the remainder of the year ending the 25th of June 1894 @ 3^d per gallon.

Proposed by Mr Ellison seconded by Mr W Payne
Resolved -

That Mr Little be directed to hand in to this Board on the 21st instant an exact measurement of all drains, pipes, and concrete work which have been certified for as finished and which are set on contract by the square or lineal yard, in connection with works being carried out on the Workhouse premises, and the amount paid on each item.

Passey. G.D.

Read Petition from the Ratepayers of the ED of Rathdrum protesting against the cost of providing a water supply for the town of Rathdrum being charged to the District Division

Thos. J. P. J. J. J.
21/7/93. Chair.

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto disallowed
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was			

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 21st day of July 189 3

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,
the 14th day of July 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Samuel P. Hennessy D.L.C.
OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 401

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

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractor:

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

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____
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Dispensary District.

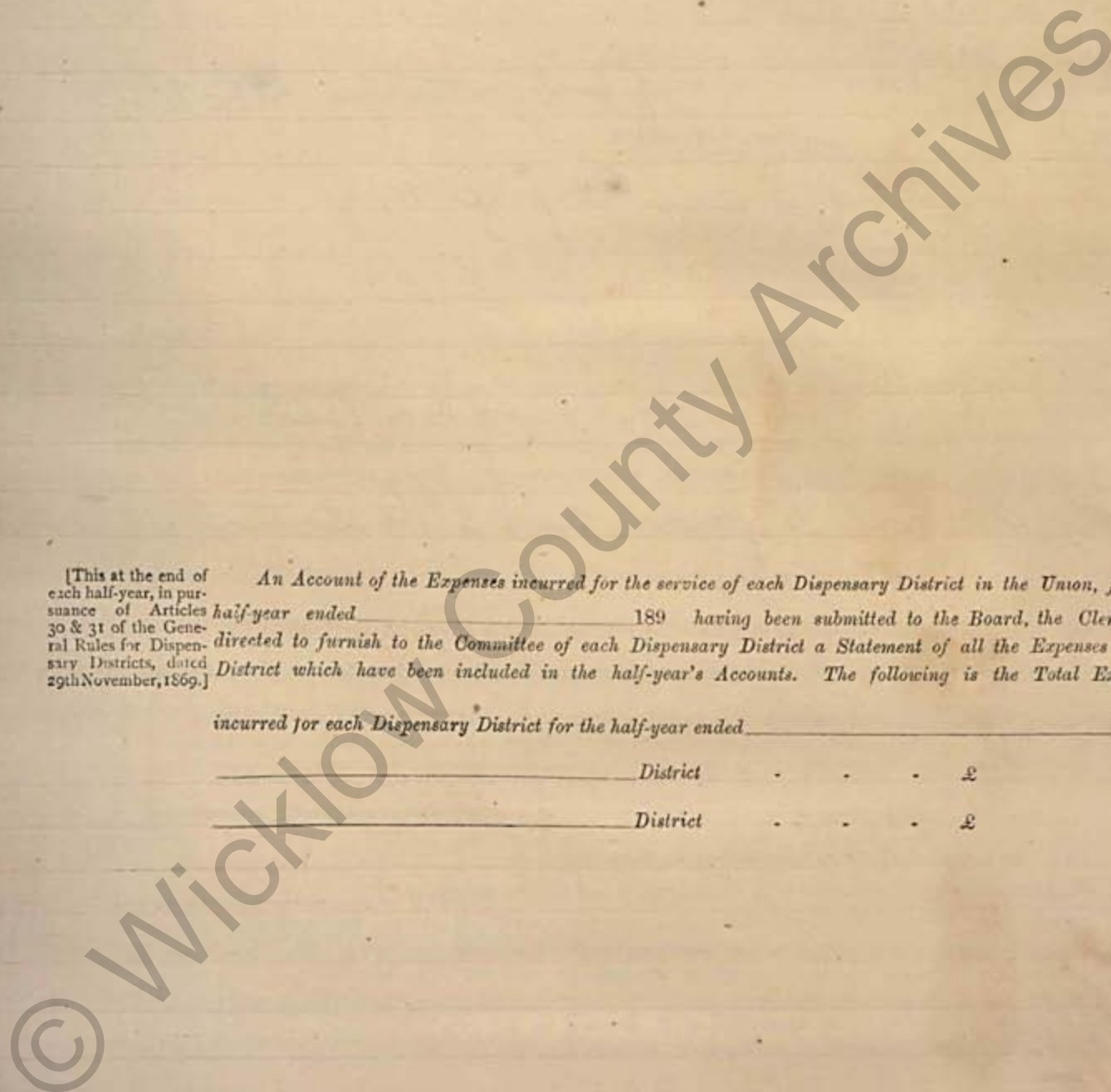
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 S. Byrne of Anghrim dated 13th instant ~~stating that~~ denying categorically the allegations made against him by the Rev^d S. O'Malley P.P. Anghrim as contained in his letter to the Guardians of the 29th ultimo.

Read report of proceedings of the Anghrim Dispensary Committee at a Special meeting of the Committee held for the purpose of considering the complaints preferred against S. Byrne, Medical Officer of the District by Rev^d S. O'Malley P.P., eleven members of the Committee being in attendance.

The Committee having read the letter of Rev^d S. O'Malley, and having heard all the evidence brought before them, came to the conclusion that from the contradictory nature of the statements on either side that it is expedient that the Local Government Board should direct a sworn inquiry to be held into the matter.

Order — The Guardians are also of opinion that a sworn inquiry should be held.

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Wicklow	Dr Halpin	Report relating to the old grave yard at Greengate which appears to be full, but he has no information as to how many interments take place in the year	Order - adjourned

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

Read Letter Dated the 13th instant from the Local Government Board returning the Plans &c of the Quakers for providing an improved water supply to Rathdrum, and at the same time pointing out that their sanction to the Loan has not yet been applied for, nor the necessary particulars given in the form sent for that purpose, and no Expenditure should be incurred in anticipation of receiving the the Loan until it has been duly sanctioned and recommended by the Board, and its issue authorized by the Treasury.

Read letter from same of same date, forwarding to be laid before the Guardians the following extract from the Return Form & furnished by the N.O. of Newcastle Disp. Dist. for Quarter ended 30th Ultimo:

"I have frequently lately reported the contamination of the river running through Kildesher by sewage matter, and cannot get the Guardians to take active steps to have the Sewerage of the village made sanitary."

The Guardians desire to refer the L.G. Board to previous Minutes on this subject showing that this matter has engaged the constant attention of the Guardians for many months. The Board was this day received Counsel's opinion as to their powers and the best mode of acting on them.

Read Letter Dated the 11th instant from Mr J. K. Sormey forwarding a copy of the Querys submitted to Mr Price L.C. on behalf of the Guardians.

on the subject of the Kieffer Drainage, with his answers to same.

Order

The Clerk may communicate the purport of this opinion so far as it touches Major Ann Juninghame to that gentleman, and also ascertain from the tenant the length of her lease, and obtain her consent on definite terms to the Guardians carrying out the scheme already approved of.

Read Letter from Local Govern^t Board Dated the 13th instant, forwarding a Form of Descriptive List respecting the area of charge for the expense of providing a supply of water for the town of Rathdrum.

The following notices of motion were served in reference to this matter -

"I give notice that on this day fortnight 28th July, I will move that the resolution of 30th M^t. enlarging the area of charge for the proposed water supply to Rathdrum be rescinded, and I move that a more moderate scheme be adopted -"

LW Payne - July 14th 1893

Rev. C. J.

"I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight in the event of Mr. Payne rescinding the resolution, I will move that the area of charge for the water supply to the town of Rathdrum be the townlands of Ballygannon and Rathdrum together with all the townparks & lands held and worked in connection with houses and premises in the town of Rathdrum, & also the Railway premises in the townland of Corballis lower -"

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C. J.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday, the 21st July

day of July 1893

Signed,

J. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

Charles J. Manning

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977-4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	209															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	6															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	215															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	25	64	64	5	6	14	9	13	213	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	83	In separate Wards	130	(5)
Admitted during the Week			24	6	2	—	—	2	2	3	1	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates	10	
TOTAL			37	31	66	64	5	8	16	12	14	253	TOTAL	89	TOTAL	140	
Discharged during the Week			20	6	3	—	—	—	2	5	1	37	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			21	6	3	—	—	—	2	5	1	38	No. Relieved during week	17	4	4	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	25	63	64	5	8	14	7	13	215	No. in Workhouse at date	7	2	3	12
													No. at corresponding period last year,				205

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of July 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	66	130	John D. Edge
No. II.	78	118	John Manley
No. III.	190	241	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	88	139	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	422	628	738

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday

the 21st day of July 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham DL Chm
 Other Guardians: Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
 Colonel Kemmis JP Mr. Patrick Keely
 Major Tottenham JP " John Byrne
 Major James Cunningham JP " Edw. Ellison
 Mr. Alex. Dailyour JP " Owen Byrne
 " Messrs. Knight JP " Joe Keane
 Mr. H. P. Small JP " Wm. Grant
 " J. Menigan

The *Workhouse Register* was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 281 to No. 320 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* - the Guardians was £ 2485 : 14 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	42	1	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	39	16	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

890 Lowses Bread
 234 1/2 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 22 lbs Butter
 200 " Meat
 27 Hens
 24 Dgs Eggs
 2 " Wine

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th day of July 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£ 35	7	6
In Kind		8	0
Total	£ 35	15	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON S. Johnson	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON L. Murphy			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
M New	5	-	-
R Hill	6	10	-
J M Farrell	63	-	-
M Byrne	19	-	10
Adams & Co	12	10	-
W Castle	2	7	8
A Gardner	3	10	-
" Ryan	3	7	6
" Halpin	2	14	6
" Ryan	6	16	-
J DeLaney	6	-	-
J Flower	5	-	-
In Jan P.M. to pay	7	9	11
A. Ryan	1	1	-
Dr. Beveridge	1	10	-
W Murphy	1	2	9
Clerk	1	3	8
J Hayden	15	-	-
J Dowling	11	6	-
C Balfie	8	-	-
M Lawler	6	-	-
M Brady	6	-	-
P Berry	5	-	-
J Manley	1	-	-
	7	9	11

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 19th instant, from the Local Government Board stating that they have had before them the Plans, Specifications and Estimates for the concreting of portion of the yard at the back of the Infirmary of the Workhouse, to the carrying out of which work they will raise no objection:

certified copies of the Plans to be furnished to the L.G. Board.

Order — Copies to be made by Mr. Little Ck. in compliance with this request.

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Read Letter from James, Dated the 20th instant, requesting to be informed of the action which the Guardians propose to take in re: = yard

In the suggestions of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, and the letter of the L.G. Board of the 22nd Ultimo in reference to the appointment of paid officers for the care and treatment of the lunatics inmates of the Workhouse.

Order - To be considered on next Board day: -

Read Letter from same of same date returning plan, specification and estimate of the proposed alterations in the Sanitary arrangements in the yards in males and females of the Workhouse Infirmary to which works the L.G. Board see no objection:

At the same time they point out that no provision appears to have been made in the plans for the erection of the lean-to sheds which were intended to be included in the proposed Sanitary improvements.

Certified copies of the plans to be furnished for lodgment in the office of the L.G. Board with as little delay as possible.

Order - The lean-to sheds approved; Copies of plans to be made by Mr Little C.E. and to be forwarded to the L.G. Board

Read Letter from Mr James DeFavrey Dated the 20th instant in reply to the Guardians inquiry, that it was from the Guardians Engineer he got his instructions to erect wash basins in different parts of the Workhouse: The details of his account are as follows:

Plumberstone 15 Days @ 9/-	£ 6:15:0
Two coats, Hot and cold - 15/6	11:0
21 lbs stiver @ 10	17:6
Paint fine, 4 singles @ 10	3:4

Orders to be paid:

£ 8:6:10

Read Letter from D. Ryan applying for
Two Guineas for attending and giving evidence
at an inquiring held by a Bench Eye of Just
under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, on the 5th
of May 1892.

Order - To be paid subject to the approval of the
Local Govt. Board.

Read Letter from the Nurse of the Work-
house Infirmary applying for leave of absence
for one week.

Leave granted

In accordance with notice of motion
D. Innell P. proceeded to propose the resolu-
tion (on behalf of Mr. Wynne) proposing to
rescind the Guardians' resolution of the
30th ultimo which granted the contract for
concreting the yards of the Workhouse to the
highest tenderer, on the ground that the lowest
tender did not comply with the specification;
it appearing that no specification was avail-
able for the contractors who called to see it at
the Workhouse.

D. Innell's motion was negatived without a division

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Chair.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians
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(Signed) P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

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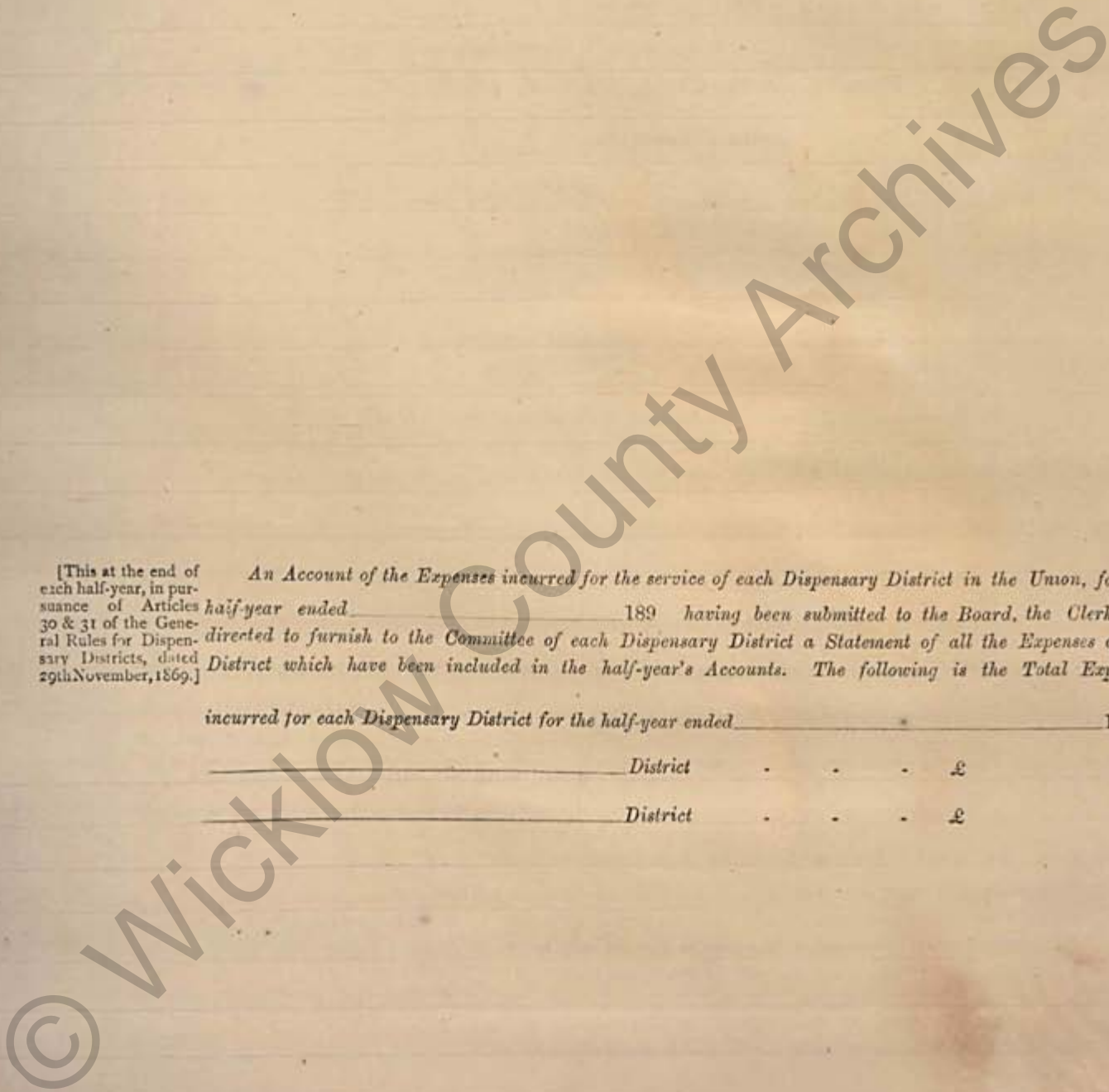
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_____ of _____

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Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

Mr. John Byrne and Daniel Keenan complained of a statement which appeared in the local newspapers purporting to be a report of the proceedings of the Anghrim Dispensary Committee, as read at the Guardians meeting on the 14th instant, a portion of which condemned the action of the Rev. D. Mullory J.P. Anghrim in writing a letter to the Board of Guardians complaining of neglect of duty on the part of Doctor Byrne Medical Officer of the District, such addition to the Minutes of the Committee being entirely unauthorized as it formed no part of their proceedings at the meeting in question:

The Report of these proceedings as furnished by the Honorary Secretary was called for but were not produced the result of the Union stating that he had forwarded it to the Local Government Board.

Order — The L.G. Board to be requested to return the document referred to, to the Guardians.

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

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

Major Tottenham J.P. called the attention of the Board to the condition of the Killepedder Drainage and the pollution of the river by the overflow from the tank, no effective steps having yet been taken abate this nuisance,

After a lengthened discussion as to the best means of remedying the matters complained the following Resolution was proposed by Major Tottenham & seconded by Mr J. R. Keane

Resolved—

That the Local Government Board be requested to send down one of their Engineers to inspect the nuisance at Killepedder and to suggest the best means of remedying same, notice of the day he will attend should be given to the members of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee and to Major Junfman.

21/7/93

James C. Tottenham

Chair

28/7/93.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~, the *Friday* *28th*
day of *July* 189*3*

Signed, *P. Manning*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626.

Present Net Annual Value, £127977.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
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Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4													
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Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	25	63	64	5	8	14	7	13	215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 83 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4 TOTAL, 87	In separate Wards with other inmates 16 TOTAL, 40	
Admitted during the Week			26	4	1	2	1	1	2	-	2	37			
TOTAL,			42	29	64	66	6	9	14	9	13	252			
Discharged during the Week			33	9	-	2	2	2	4	5	4	61			
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead			33	9	-	2	2	2	4	5	4	61			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	20	64	64	4	7	10	4	9	191			No. at corresponding period last year, 201

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
	Males	Females	Children under 15
No. Relieved during week	20	3	-
No. in Workhouse at date	4	-	-
TOTAL	24	3	-

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	66	127	John D. Edge
No. II.	77	123	John Manley
No. III.	194	251	Joseph Livingston S. Johnson
No. IV.	88	139	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	425	640	= 717

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 28th day of July 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Colonel Tottenham DL Chc

- Other Guardians: - Men^r R R Drought P V C (Mr. J) Curley JVC
 Dustin Danell P Mr R Grogan Mr. J J Graham
 Colonel Kemmis P " L Wolohan " Id Shepard
 Major Tottenham P " A Sheehan " E Storey
 Mr J Assement P " P J Carey " J Murphy
 " J Dowling P " J Byrne " P Keely
 " CW Byrne P " M Byrne " E Fullen
 " E N Wynne P " P Miley and
 " S H C Weller P " J Conniam " E Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 321 to No. 360 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	—	—
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	—	—
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Pd Ireland	Rep't Secd Room	84	11	6
Jim Yamoll	Coal	41	8	—
Petz Offres	Elect'n Exp't	8	10	11
J. Nolan	Rep't	2	12	—
Dr Gardner	Vat	2	6	—
" Hurban	Amat'n Fee	2	—	—

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 24th instant - forwarding for payment by the Guardians the Returning Officers account of expenses attending the General Election of Guardians in March last amounting to £8.10.11

Ordered to be paid.

Read Letter from same Dated the 25th instant calling for a Return showing the liabilities and assets of the Union at the close of the last financial year.

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Ledger and Abstracts of the accounts of the Union for the half year ended the 25th of March

March last, as audited by James W. Drury Esq
 Cf Auditor on the 25th instant;

The following entries were made by Mr. Drury on
 the accounts - viz:

Collectors' Pundages

"The collectors accounts are not in a satisfactory
 condition; The amounts recorded in the last column
 of Form 5a do not agree with what is shown on
 the Collectors Abstracts, and as a satisfactory audit
 is rendered impossible; It would appear that
 this is caused by the practice heretofore adopted
 of striking a New Rate before the old one is
 cleared up; I spoke of this matter at former
 audits to the Clerk but as no action has been
 taken to rectify the existing errors; should they
 not be put right before next audit I shall
 have to decline to complete the audit."

"James W. Drury Aud^r"
 "25 July 1893"

Board of Works

"The balances due to the Board of Works on foot of
 Loans have not been calculated as directed by the
 Local Government Board and are consequently erroneous,
 they do not however affect the accuracy of the
 financial balance of the half years accounts; I
 directed the necessary corrections to be calculated
 when holding former audits; they must be done
 now so that the accurate figures may appear in
 the September half years' abstracts. -"

"James W. Drury Aud^r"
 "25 July 1893"

Relieving Officer Murphy

In the case of Bridget Keane, Kilmole -

I hereby disallow the relief given to
 Bridget Keane amounting to £2.6.0, on the grounds
 that the Relieving Officer has not properly des-
 cribed her case in the Report and Application

Book: - I find from the Register of Births that the child Bridget Keane was born on the 7th of Jan^y 1879; and James Keane on March 22nd 1882. It is consequently evident the ages given in the Application & Report Book are incorrect (6 & 5). Even after I called his attention to the matter the R.O. persisted in assuring me that he knew the children well and that their ages were correctly stated; I debit the sum £2:6:0 to R.O. Rameene Murphy and certify it to be due by him

James W. Drury - Secy
25 July, 1893

Read Letter from L.G. Board, Dated 27th July, in reference to the Guardians proposal to pay St. Ryan £2:2:0 for attendance at a local inquiry under the Cabarets Acts, and pointing out that it would appear that a sum of two guineas has already been allowed to St. Ryan in respect of this service.

Order - Order of the 21st instmt to be cancelled:
C.D. 28/7/93

Read Letter from E. Drury, Labourer, dated the 27th July 93; drawing the attention of the Guard. to the case of the cottage which he states was sanctioned for him, but which up to the present has not been built, and expressing a hope that the Guard. would have justice done to him -

No order
Charles. Hollingshead
4/9/93. Wren

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto disallowed
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 ~~Wednesday~~^{Friday}, the 4th day of August 1893

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~WEDNESDAY~~,
the 26th day of July 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

The clerk to forward same to the Contractors:

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

_____ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

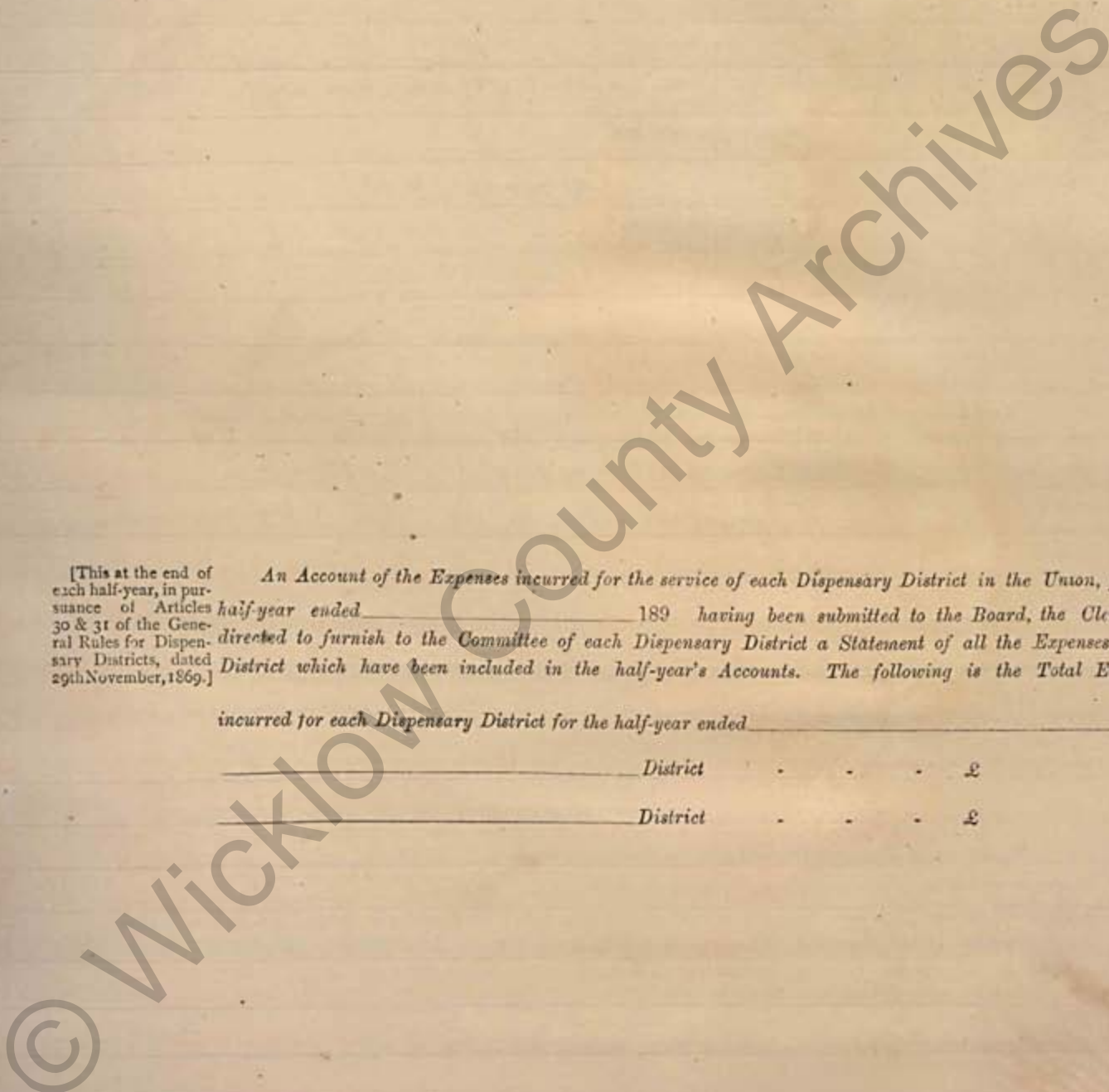
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

_____ District £

_____ District £



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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 dated 27th instant (July) stating that they will direct an Inquiry on Oaths to be held into the charges of neglect of duty preferred against Dr. Byrne M.D. of the Anghrim Dispensary Dist. by Rev. Dr. O'Malley J.P. and by a man named Luke Code, notice of which will be given to the Dispensary Committee and the parties concerned.

The copy of the minutes of proceedings of the Dispensary Committee which was forwarded by the Guardians and now returned by the L.G.B. is requested to be sent back immediately as it will be required for the purposes of the Inquiry.

Read minutes of proceedings of Arklow Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 20th July, as follows

Examined the Medical Officer's Books, 287 tickets attended to since the 16th of May. Medical Officer reported 23 successful cases of vaccination since the 20th of April.

Read Mrs. New Letter relative to the tablets in the old part of the cemetery. The Committee recommended the Guardians to obtain tenders for having the work done at once.

The Committee don't think the recommendations of Mr. Evans necessary. Signed requisition for medicines & Druggist.

J. P. Hanagan

24 Jul 1893

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Local Govt Board, Dated the 25th July 1893, forwarding for the consideration of the Guardians a copy of a communication which they have received from the Town Commissioners of Arklow relative to the apprehended approach of Cholera; and in reference thereto the L.G. Board requests to be informed as to the steps taken by the Guardians for the protection of the Town of Arklow.

Order - In reply the Guardians desire to state that the District Medical Officer has been warned that he will be required to act in Cholera cases if such appear; and that the Fever Hospital will be at the disposal of the Sanitary Authority for the reception of Cholera cases.

The Customs Officers at Wicklow and the Coast Guards at Arklow have also been communicated with and will give every assistance.

Read Letter from Mrs. Dora Depentant, Kilsodder, informing the Guardians that she holds her farm as tenant from year to year, at £3.10.0 per acre; She cannot estimate the damage which would be done to her by the construction of a Sewage tank on her field until she knows where it is to be situated, what land taken up and the right of passage to it, and also the time of year it is to be constructed.

Read Letter from Charles Doyle, asking the Guardians to have the gardner to allow him more than 1/- the hour agreed to between himself and Mr. Murphy R.C. for cleaning the old grave yard at Killadreenan, as there was more work to be done than he at first thought.

No order

Population in 1861 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977-4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	199															
Temporary Buildings	—																
Additional Workhouse	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	203															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	20	64	64	4	7	10	4	9	191	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	85	In separate Wards	30	26
Admitted during the Week			26	9	2	1	2	3	5	6	2	56	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates	10	
TOTAL			35	29	66	65	6	10	15	10	11	247	TOTAL	89	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week			22	7	2	1	3	2	2	3	1	44	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died														Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			22	7	2	1	3	2	2	3	1	44	No. Relieved during week	22	4	4	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	22	64	64	3	8	12	7	10	203	No. in Workhouse at date	6			6
													No. at corresponding period last year,				197

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of July 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	75	121	John Mauley
No. III.	193	253	Joseph Loringston J. Johnson
No. IV.	87	138	Richard Ellison L. Murphy
TOTALS,	423	641	= 720

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday

the 4th day of August 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - Richard Tottenham S. L. Chr

Other Guardians:-

Messrs John J. Cowley D.V.C. Lawrence N. Byrne P.
Lawrence Molloy, Daniel Somers, John Byrne
& Edward Ellison. —

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 361 to No. 440 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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 £ 45

And that the Balance on the Account *in Law* the Guardians was £ 187 : 3 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 2235 : 12 : 2

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knoekrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	78	11	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	39	11	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

- 880 Loaves of Bread
- 228 Galls Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 21 "s Butter
- 400 " Meat
- 27 Sheep Heads
- 25 doz. Eggs
- 3 1/2 casks Poter
- 4 cent Sugar
- 2 Fitches Beans

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of July 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	35	13	6
In Kind			2	6
Total	£	35	16	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGTON <i>S. Johnson</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L. Murphy</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>J. F. Evans</i>	10	-	-
<i>J. McAnanama</i>	28	-	-
<i>M. Payne</i>	18	12	7
<i>E. Mulhern</i>	3	8	-
<i>J. Wilmot</i>	21	18	-
<i>Mining Co.</i>	4	3	2
<i>Master</i>	2	9	5
<i>In fav. of to pay</i>			
<i>S. Hudson</i>	1	15	9
<i>C. Wilson</i>	1	2	-
<i>N. Watkins</i>	1	1	-
<i>C. Ellis</i>	19	-	-
<i>J. Nugan</i>	19	-	-
<i>M. Cantler</i>	13	6	-
<i>J. Westrick</i>	11	-	-
	7	1	3

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board Dated 28th Ultimo stating that it appears from Returns of Rates collected and lodged to the credit of the Union that a sum of over £17.0.0 remained in the hands of the collectors at the close of the week ended the 8th Ultimo, and they request to be informed if these sums have since been lodged, and that the Guardians will be so good as to direct the officers concerned to comply strictly with the terms of Article 47 No. 4 of the General Regulations in future.

Order— The attention of the Collectors to be called to the requirements of the Regulations.

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Read Letter from same informing the Guardians that they have received the half yearly report of their Inspector, Mr. Donker, consequent upon

his inspection of the Workhouse on the 17th inst. and that it appears therefrom that the financial position of the Union is satisfactory, that cleanliness is observed in the several departments of the Institution, and that the officers discharge their duties efficiently.

The Inspector reports that the arrangements for Medical attendance and nursing in the Sick wards are sufficient except in the case of the lunatic department where paid attendants are much required, and he suggests that the Guardians should adopt such measures as may be necessary to have the improvements, which have been in progress for a long time, finally completed without further delay.

The Inspector suggests that in order to provide increased hospital accommodation it might be well for the Guardians to consider the advisability of converting the present coal shed into an hospital ward, and the existing closet might be converted into a washhouse for the male infirm class. & the corresponding closet on the female side might be used for a similar purpose for the lunatic class.

The L^d Board request that the Guardians will be so good as to give these several matters their careful consideration.

Order - Jobe brought up at next Special meeting.

Read Letter Dated the 3^d instant, from Mr. William Coleman Senr of Donriland, requesting to have the name of his Son, W^m Coleman Junr. placed on the Rate Book instead of his in respect of a holding valued at £18.10.0

Ordered accordingly.

The Clerk of the Union

laid before the Board the Returning Officers amount of expenses attending the General Elections of Grand? in March last which was ordered to be paid on last Board day. The several accounts having been some duly paid to the respective parties & their receipts obtained, which were attached to the account.

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The following notice of motion was served: -

4th August 1893

We hereby give notice that at the next special meeting of the Board ~~to be held~~ of Grand? of this Union to be held after the expiration of 14 days from this date, we shall move that the period allowed to the Poor Rate Collectors in which to complete their collections be extended from seven to nine months.

Respect Lawrence Wolohun P.L.G.
Dove Somers P.L.G.

W.S. 4/8/93

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	10
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	10

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 11th day of August 1893

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~WEDNESDAY~~
 the 4th day of August 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Tottenham D.C. Esq.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 261

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

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

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

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

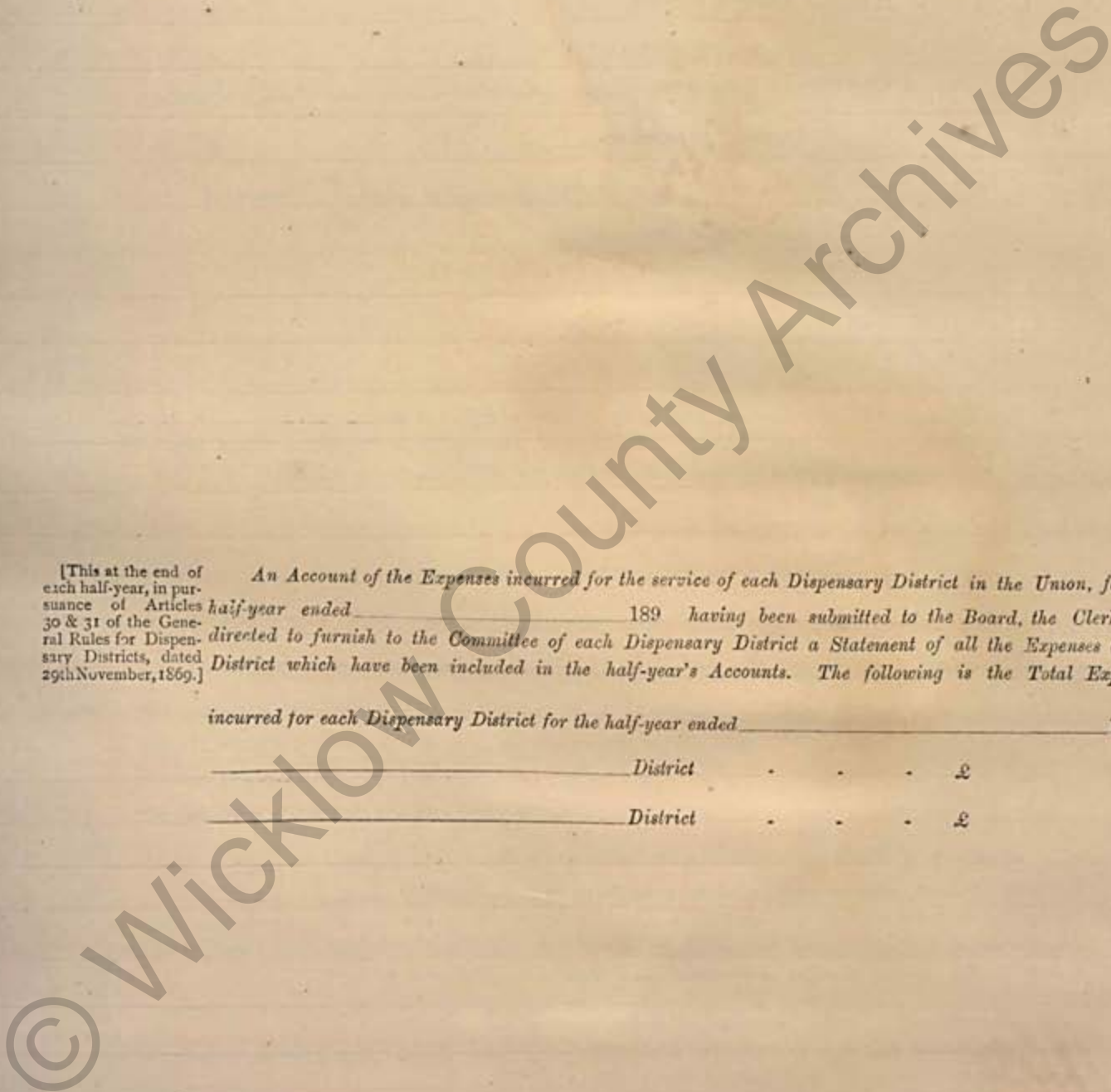
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	189
_____ District	£
_____ District	£



[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] *The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—*

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Annamoe	S. Garland	Unsanitary condition of the houses occupied by Chris. Fowler at Lough and Mich. Sullivan at Brookkagh. -	Order - Notices to be served on the owners.
Aughrim	S. Byrne	Want of repairs to the Public Pump in the Village of Aughrim. -	Order - The Sanitary Officer to get the Pump put in order.
Rathdown	S. Ryan	The house occupied by John Lynch at Bullinstombry unfit for human habitation. -	Order - Notice to be served on the owner.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 3rd instant from the Local Government Board requesting that the form of application for sanction to the Loan required by the Guardians for carrying out the works proposed connected with the improved water supply to the town of Rathfrum may be filled up and returned to them.

Order - To be complied with.

Read report from Mr. James Murphy SSO stating that the pump in the centre of the village of Newtownmountmellick, which is at present giving a good supply of water is occasionally put out of order by children putting stones in through the pipe and suggesting that a grating be put in the nose of the Spout.

Mr. Murphy also reported that the water way from the Kiepedder pump is choked and requires cleaning, Estimated cost 2/6.

Order - The Sanitary Sub Off. to get these works done.

Read Letter from Mrs. New, Registrar of Mullens Cemetery, stating in reply to the Guardians inquiring that it was her own sons who saved the hay that grew on the cemetery, and that if there was something over expenses this year it might not be so another year, she therefore hoped the Guardians would leave her the hay as she was not allowed anything for caretaking the new part of the Cemetery.

Order - Mrs. New is directed to send in the account ordered last week.

Proposed by Mr. Edwin Ellison seconded by Mr. John Byrne
Resolved.

That a sum of £1000:
be applied for as a Loan to meet the expenses of the
proposed water supply to the town of Rathdrum:
Signed

P. P. Dwyer
Ch. M.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 11th
day of August 1893

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977 = 1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	289	198												
Temporary Buildings ..	-													
Additional Workhouse ..	-													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1												
Fever Sheds	-													
TOTAL	600	199												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	22	64	64	3	8	12	7	10	203	83	In separate Wards } 20
Admitted during the Week			31	9	15	0	2	1	7	6	2	59	1	In Wards with other inmates } 10
TOTAL			44	31	65	64	5	9	19	13	12	262	84	TOTAL } 40
Discharged during the Week - Died			30	11	2	1	-	2	9	6	2	62		
Total Discharged and Dead			30	11	2	1	-	2	9	6	2	63		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	20	63	63	5	7	10	7	10	199		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of August 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	69	130	John D. Edge
No. II.	73	112	John Manley
No. III.	193	253	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	136	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	420	631	= 721

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ Friday, the 11th day of August 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - R R Drought Esqre FVC

Other Guardians: -

Mr. John J. Cowley DVL
" Edward Ellison

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	32	16	4
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	38	12	60
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	12
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		3	60

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:—

850 Loaves Bread
 225 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 21 lbs Butter
 400 " Meat
 27 Hens
 25 Dg. Eggs

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 August 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	38	5	10
In Kind		2	0
Total	£ 38	7	10

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
D Edge	6	00	8
L. Satchwell	3	8	-
Farrin Co	46	16	3
In favor of Clk to pay			
L. Satchwell	1	6	-
J. Dany		13	6
A. Dunne		12	6
Byrne		10	-
Lawler		6	-
P. Doyle		3	8
	3	11	8

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 9th inst:
from the Local Govern^t Board transmitting a copy of
their Annual Report for the present year.

Read Letter from same of same
dated in reference to the observations made by
Mr. Drury L. J. Auditor on his recent audit
of the accounts of this Union in which he
states that a satisfactory audit of the Collectors
Accounts is rendered impossible by the fact that
the amounts recorded in the last column of Form
5A do not agree with what is shown in the
Collectors Abstracts;

The Guardians should direct the
to submit at an early date such information
as will enable them to deal with this imper-

= tenant matters =

Order - Jobe complied with:

Read Letter Dated the 9th instant from Mr. Grace Inyell of Arklow, claiming to be rated in respect of premises in the town of Arklow valued at £13.

Claim allowed, being properly vouched.

Read Letter Dated the 10th instant from Jolliffe Dowling informing the Guardians that one of their tenants at Milltown - Lawe Doyle - refuses to pay any more rent until his plot of land is divided from that of Oa. Kearny. Doyle owes 13/3 rent to the 26th July.

Order - Referred to Mr Storey: —

Read Letter of same Date from Edward D'Arcy, Labourer, asking the Guardians is he to have the case of his cottage re-opened, and when he may expect that the Guardians will consider the last Representation he sent in.

No order

J. J. Wright
U. M.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Office's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(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 ^{Tuesday} ~~Wednesday~~, the 18th day of August 189³

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,

the 11th day of August 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *R R Droughty Esq M.C.*
 OTHER GUARDIANS.

Mr. John J. Cowley M.C.
Edward Ellison

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from The Hon. Sec. of Wicklow Dist. Council stating that the Medicines Ordered some time ago have not been received as yet although urgently required. —
 The matter of the proposed new cemetery for Wicklow having been referred back to the Comrs by the Guardians the Committee who had already considered it at a full meeting and would not now alter their finding:

On the report and recommendation of the Medical Officer and Honorary Secretary of the Duncannon Dispensary District a wooden leg was ordered to be supplied to Mr Hamilton a Dispensary Patient.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from the Local Government Board, Dated the 4th instant forwarding a Form of Descriptive List respecting the Area of charge proposed for the expenses to be incurred in connection with the Water supply of Rathdrum.

The Clerk of the Union stated that he would require some assistance in making out this Return as regards townparks and land held in connection with houses in the town of Rathdrum.

Mr. Ellison suggested that Mr. Speares of Coolattin should be requested to assist the Clerk in this matter, but Mr. Cowley dissenting no order was made.

Read Letter from Mess^{rs} Rooke & Co. Dublin Solicitors for Major Genl. Fanningham informing the Guardians that their Client will be obliged to seek to obtain damages for the injury to the Demesne Land of Mount Kennedy caused by the drainage works constructed thereon;

However before taking any steps they would be glad to know if the Guardians have any proposal to make as regards compensation or otherwise.

Order - Referred to Major Tottenham: —

Read Report from Mr. L. Murphy SSO stating that the pump at the Police Barrack in Mount Kennedy is at present out of repair he estimates that the cost of repairs at 8/6 —

Order - Job repaired: =

Read Letter from Mrs. New, Registrar of
 Arklow Cemetery stating in reply to the Guardians
 inquiring that she received £13.15.0 for the Day
 of the Cemetery, and that the cutting & saving
 of it cost £11.

Order - Referred to the Arklow Dispensary Committee.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 18th
~~Wednesday~~, the 18th
 day of August 1893

Signed,

P. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127577.1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of August 1893

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	206															
Temporary Buildings ..	-																
Additional Workhouse ..	-																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2															
Fever Sheds	-																
TOTAL	669	208															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	20	63	63	5	9	19	10	199		Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	84	In separate Wards	30	36
Admitted during the Week			28	13	2	1	-	2	8	5	2	61	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	10	
TOTAL			42	33	65	64	5	9	18	12	12	260	TOTAL	86	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week			30	8	1	-	-	2	4	5	2	52	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			30	8	1	-	-	2	4	5	2	52	No. Relieved during week	14	5	6	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	25	64	64	5	7	14	7	10	208	No. in Workhouse at date	8	-	-	8
													No. at corresponding period last year, 201				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of August 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	70	131	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	107	John Manley
No. III.	154	253	Joseph Lexington - S. Johnson
No. IV.	85	136	Richard Ellison - W. Murphy
TOTALS,	420	627	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 18th day of August 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - *Richd R Drought Esq RVC*

Other Guardians:-

Mr J J Lowley DVC
Mr Wm Earl of Meath
Majr Dottenham RT
Mr M Knight RT
" Jas J Grehan
" Edw Ellison
" M Doyle

W. Murphy

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

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

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

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

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

£ 49 : 17 : 4

Paid during the week

£ 160 : 12 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 2290 : 10 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - $\overset{x}{33} : \overset{s.}{8} : \overset{d.}{7}$
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

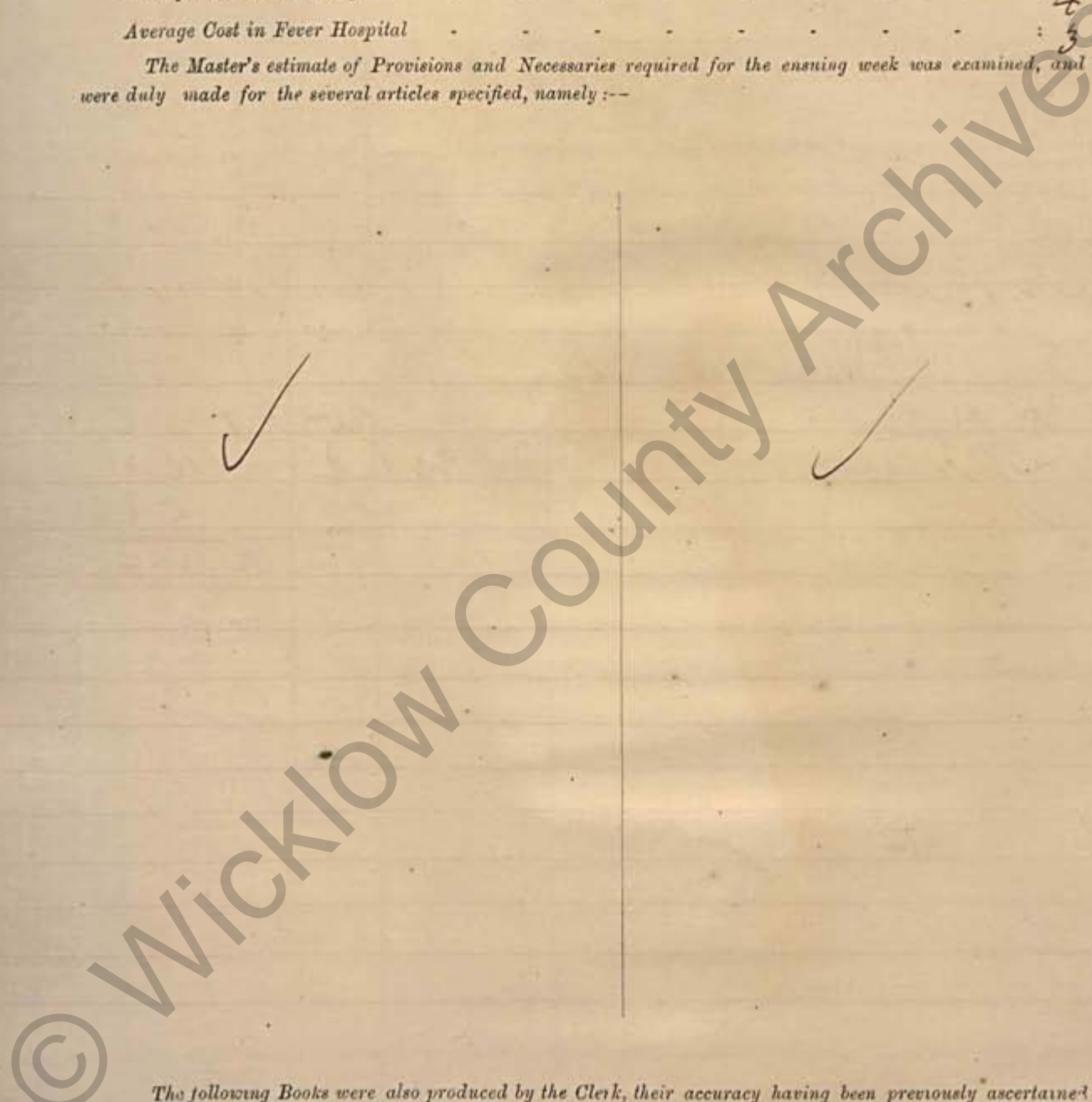
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was $39 : 11 : 4$
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 6

Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 1 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 3 : 10

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



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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 189 _____ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money			
In Kind			
Total			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills, having been duly examined and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

	£	s.	d.
M. Payne	18	14	1
J. Deconny	4	11	4
<i>In fav^r of CLK to pay</i>			
S. Payne	1	3	6
L. Polfe	18	-	-
M. Lawler	5	-	-
	<u>2</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>6</u>

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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month), Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter Dated the 14th instant, from the Chief Secretary, Dublin Castle, transmitting an order on the Paymaster General for payment to the Quarantine credit of a sum of £ 158.19.10 being the balance of the Probate Duty Grant payable the Grant for the year ended the 31st of March 1893.

Read Letter Dated the 15th instant, from the Receiver of Wick Justice House, Dublin, asking for a refund of £ 1.4.0 expenses incurred by the Constables in burying the carcasses of animals washed ashore in the Union.

Ordered to be paid:

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant, from Mr. Lawrence Murray of Rock Beg, Arklow;

claiming to be rated in respect of a farm &c
at Rock Big formerly rated in the name of Milt-
Murray, valued at £15:5:0.

Ordered to be rated being adequately vouched.

Read Letter Dated the 17th inst. from
Edward Darry, Labourer, again calling the Comd.
attention to his claim to have a cottage built
for him under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, and
asking to be informed when he may expect to
have his cottage built, as if a satisfactory
arrangement is not arrived at he will seek
a legal remedy.

No order

Order -

That the water closets at the male and
female sides of the Workhouse be erected at the
positions inside the walls of the exercise yards
agreed upon by the Medical Officer the Master
of the Workhouse and the Engineers.

Papet

R. F. Drought

Ch. M.

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Do. 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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

(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 ~~Wednesday~~, the 25th day of August 189³

(Signed) P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~Wednesday~~,

the 18th day of August 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, R R Drought Esq F.R.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 501.

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

Dispensary District.

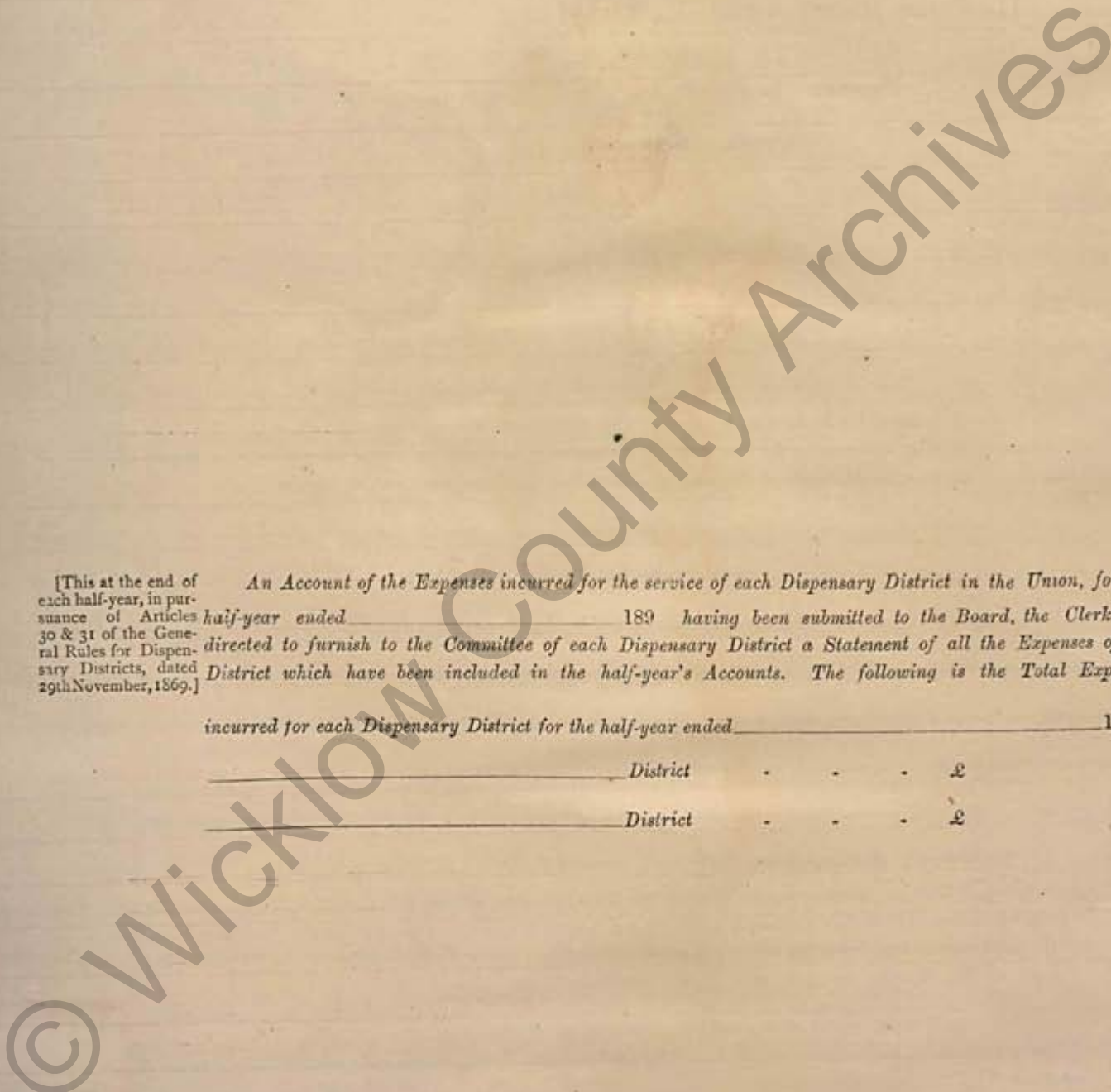
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ *(state subject.)*

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Read Letter dated the 17th instant from Mr. William Speares, Follattin; stating that it will be necessary for the Guardians to acquire by Deed the fee simple of the site of the cistern &c. and the quantity of land required will be very small, only a few perches, and will, he understands, be conveyed free by both Proprietors, also Deeds making over the water rights in the case of Messrs. Sharpe & Halpin. It has arranged with these parties subject to the approval of the Board, to convey the absolute rights in the case of the former for £10. and the latter for £12, which he considers fair, and recommends the Guardians to sanction same and instruct their Solicitors to prepare the necessary Deeds; Mr. Speares again suggests to the Guardians the expediency of not losing any time in settling the contract.

Proposed by Mr. Edison, seconded by Mr. Giehan
Resolved—

That Mr. Wm. Speares of Follattin, be requested to assist the Clerk of the Union in defining what are the townparks and lands held in connection with Houses & Premises in the town of Rathdrum, which are to form part of the area of charge for the cost of providing an improved water supply to the town.
Passed unanimously

Proposed by Mr. Crakey, seconded by Major Tottenham
Resolved—

That when the area of charge of townparks and lands connected with the houses in Rathdrum be made it be submitted to the Local Government Board.

Passed

Mr. Cowley presented to the Board a

Petition from certain Ratepayers of the town of
Rathdrum in reference to the proposed Scheme
for the improved water supply to the town which
they consider extravagant.

The Petition was ordered to be forwarded to
the Local Govern^t Board.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 25th
day of August 189³

Signed P. Cunningham
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977.4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of August 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	212															
Temporary Buildings ..	-																
Additional Workhouse ..	-																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	-																
TOTAL	669	215															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	25	64	64	5	7	14	7	10	208	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	85	In separate Wards with other inmates	30	40
Admitted during the Week			40	8	5	1	-	3	5	4	4	70	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3			
TOTAL			52	33	69	65	5	10	19	11	14	278	TOTAL	88	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week - Died			36	9	3	1	-	3	5	4	2	63	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Dead			36	9	3	1	-	3	5	4	2	63		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	24	66	64	5	7	14	7	12	215	No. Relieved during week	18	4	8	30
													No. in Workhouse at date	6	-	-	6
													No. at corresponding period last year,				210

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of August 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	70	131	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	107	John Manley
No. III.	194	253	Joseph Harrington
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	420	628	= 713

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 25th day of August 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair - R R Drought Esq FVC
 Other Guardians: - Rt. Hon. Earl of Meath
 Mr. John J Cowley DVC
 Major Tottenham FF
 Mr. John Byrne
 " E Ellison
 " J F Grehan
 " M Doyle

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 481 to No. 576 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:--

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in fund* the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	26	2	6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	39	7	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -		3	5 ²
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	10

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

2 Weeks
=

1770 Loaves Bread
 444 Galls Newmill
 80 " Porter
 44 " Porter
 844 " Meat (800)
 52 Hens
 6 cwt Rice
 66 doz. Eggs
 12 cwt Potmeal
 4 " Sugar
 1 Roll Tobacco
 3 Casks Cider

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 19th day of August 1893 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	35	9	0
In Kind	-	-	-
Total	£ 35	9	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills, having been duly examined and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

	£	s.	d.
JA Stampfer	5	-	-
M New	5	-	-
M Johnson	24	1	11
J Brennan	8	12	5
J Spence	2	15	-
J K Downey			
Do settle Mr. Perry's Claim			
	<u>68</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>6</u>
In full to pay small parts	3	6	8

£ s. d.

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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Gentlemen -

The School Children of the Workhouse were entertained at the coffee by the Earl and Countess of Menth on the 22nd instant. The day was spent in various Games and Sports after which they enjoyed a plentiful supply of tea cakes & Sweets, waited on in person by the Earl, Countess and Family; after which handsome prizes were given by them to each of the winners in the various Games &c.

Proposed by Mr. Graham seconded by Mr. Byrne:

Resolved -

That a vote of thanks be given to the Earl and Countess of Menth for their kindness to the children of the Workhouse.

Passed unanimously

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter Dated the 24th instant from Mr. J. H. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, in reference to the case of Berry v The Guardians, stating that the amount of Mr. Berry's claim is £84:2:0, made up of two items of £35:2:0, and £49:0:0, and the Guardians have offered the sums of £24:13:0 and £30:0:0, making £54:13:0.

Mr. Dooney further states that after he has had a consultation with Mr. Berry's Solicitor who states Mr. Berry will accept £27:16:0 + £46:7:6 in all £74:3:6, the difference between the amount owed for £84:2:0 and the Guardians offer £54:13:0, is £29:9:0, which Mr. Dooney recommends the Guardians to divide offer to divide with Mr. Berry, that is to pay £68:17:6 with costs, which he thinks will settle the case.

He therefore advises the Guardians to authorize him to compromise the action on these terms:

Proposed by Mr Byrne, seconded by Mr Ellison -
Resolved -

That Mr Dooney's recommendation be
acted on:

Unanimously

Order -
That the Clerk of the Union call upon
collectors Dowling and Smith to bring their col-
lections to a close without any further delay.

Read further letter from Edward Darry
in reference to his claim to have a cottage
built for him under the Labourers Act.

No order. -
Charles Tottenham
Chair.

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	..	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	✓
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	✓

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-
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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 ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}, the 1st day of September 1893

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} ~~WEDNESDAY~~,
the 25th day of August 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *A R Drought Esq F.R.C.*
 OTHER GUARDIANS.
See page 501

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
 Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition
 from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the _____
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
 having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same
 (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining
 a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____
 Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be
 supplied:—

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter from *The New. Sec. of Newcastle Disp. Comm.* stating that

the Medical Officer complains that the contractor for supplying Medicines to the Union did not supply the medicines ordered for the Newcastle Dispensary until a month after the order, and the invoice is not yet received.

Order - The Clerk to write to the contractor on this matter;

Read report of proceedings of the Newbridge Dispensary Committee at their meeting held on the 22nd instant when leave of absence for one week was granted to Dr. Hudson Medical Officer of the District, Dr. Satchwell, (of Dungannon District) having undertaken to do the duty of the District during Dr. Hudson's absence, at the usual remuneration:

Approved by the Guardians at £2:2:0 for the week.

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Wicklow - 26 Defaulters

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The usual notices to be served on the Defaulters.

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
Newcastle	S. G. Lovelock	Report relating to the insanitary condition of the tank at Kierpedes, and recommending immediate steps to be taken in the matter.	Order - This is being attended to.

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Circular, Dated the 18th instant, from the Local Government Board, forwarding two copies of an Order issued by them amending the Regulations with reference to the importation of Dogs &c. from foreign ports.

Read Letter from the Newcastle Diocesan Committee in reference to the question of making a drainage tank at Kiepodev which was referred to the Committee by the Guardians for consideration and report.

The Committee are of opinion after a careful consideration of the matter that a sum of £10 should satisfy the occupier and £15 the owner for any damage which they would sustain by the construction of the tank in question.

Order.—

The suggestion of the Committee is adopted by the Guardians, and the Clerk was directed to instruct Mr Dooney the Guardians solicitor to offer these sums to the respective parties through their Solicitors.

Read report of proceedings of the Newbridge Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 22nd instant: in which they recommend that the trough should be removed from the public pump at Ferrybank, as the concrete and pavement are injured by horses & cattle brought there to water. The Medical Officer advises this to be done.

Order— Report adopted:

Read Letter from Mr P Cony SSO Anghrim
 Dated the 24th instant, stating that he has
 inspected (in company with the Medical Officer) the
 tenements of Mr Toole and Mr Reily, and finds
 them greatly improved. He also found that the
 water in the public well has increased, and
 that Mr Ellison has written for a Plumber to
 put the public pump in proper order.

Approved. R.R.D.

Read Letter Dated the 24th instant from
 Mr George Sharpe of Ballinderry stating that it
 is not correct (as stated in last week's Newspaper)
 that ~~he has agreed~~ the Guardians Engineer has
 made arrangement with him for a supply of
 water.

Mr Ellison O'By presented a Petition
 from a number of Ratepayers and householders
 in the town of Rathfriland praying the Board
 not to delay in providing an improved water
 supply for the town.

The Memorial was ordered to be forwarded
 to the Local Government Board.

Charles J. Wollahan
 Chair

Sept 1st 93

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 7th
 day of September 1893

Signed,

R. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1831 - 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127977-1/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of August 1893

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	200															
Temporary Buildings ..	-																
Additional Workhouse ..	-																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4															
Fever Sheds	-																
TOTAL	669	204															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	24	66	64	5	7	14	7	12	215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	86	In separate Wards	30	20
Admitted during the Week			38	9	1	2	-	2	2	1	-	55	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other inmates	40	
TOTAL			54	33	67	66	5	9	16	8	12	270	TOTAL	90	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week			40	10	3	1	-	2	4	3	3	66	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			40	10	3	1	-	2	4	3	3	66	No. Believed during week	29	5	1	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	23	64	65	5	7	12	5	9	204	No. in Workhouse at date	8	-	-	8
													No. at corresponding period last year,				199

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of August 1893 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	70	131	John D. Edge
No. II.	71	106	John Manley
No. III.	124	253	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	84	136	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	419	626	= 706

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday} the 1st day of September 1893

PRESENT: In the Chair—
Colonel Tottenham DL Chm
 Other Guardians:—
Rt. Hon. Earl of Meath JP
Mr. John J. Cowley, DVC
" Man Knight JP
" John Byrne
" R. Ellison
" J. P. Keane
" P. J. Carey
" P. Milroy

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 547 to No. 640 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. - to No. - both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect: -

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last meeting, amounting to £ : : was produced and passed.

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

-	-	-	-	-	£	<u>10</u>
Paid during the week	-	-	-	-	£	<u>224 : 2 : 7</u>

And that the Balance on the Account *in Favour* the Guardians was £ 21 23 : 13 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance Sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL *	Altidore	...	...	...			
	Kilcoole	...	...	...			
	Killiskey	...	...	...			
	Newcastle Lower	...	...	...			
	„ Upper	...	...	...			
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...			
	Brockagh	...	...	...			
	Calary	...	...	...			
	Glendalough	...	...	...			
	Moneystown	...	...	...			
	Oldtown	...	...	...			
	Togher	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...			
	Wicklow	...	...	...			
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...			
	„ South	...	...	...			
	„ West	...	...	...			
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...			
	Kilbride	...	...	...			
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow	...	...	...			
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...			
	Cronebane	...	...	...			
	Ovoca	...	...	...			
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...			
	Ballinacash	...	...	...			
	Ballinacor	...	...	...			
	Ballinderry	...	...	...			
	Knockrath	...	...	...			
	Rathdrum	...	...	...			
	Trooperstown	...	...	...			
TOTALS, £										

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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	41	18	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	40	8	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		3	00

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 :—

850 Loaves Bread
 925 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Buttermilk
 26 lbs Butter
 410 " Meat
 27 Heads
 24 Doz. Eggs

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature :—

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of August 1853 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	34	12	6
In Kind		18	6
Total	£ 35	11	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:—

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON <i>S.P.</i>	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON <i>L.M.</i>	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills, having been duly examined and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

	£	s.	d.
<i>Mark of Monin</i>	<i>Remⁿ In Act</i>	31	5 3
<i>J Dowling</i>	"	4	8 -
<i>P Farrell</i>	"	4	- 8
<i>W Smith</i>	"	3	16 4
<i>J McAnanama</i>	"	3	14 4
<i>J Douglas</i>	"	3	4 8
<i>J Evans</i>	"	3	1 4
<i>J Brennan</i>	"	2	16 4
<i>W Murphy</i>	<i>Bread</i>	2	14 -
<i>A Flynn</i>	<i>Outmeal</i>	18	8 10
<i>A Hill</i>	<i>Sea Rine</i>	7	16 -
<i>J Carrant</i>	<i>Eggs</i>	7	6 2
<i>E Mulhern</i>	<i>Reps</i>	4	16 5
<i>J Flower</i>	"	2	13 -
<i>J Nolan</i>	"	2	6 -
<i>M Clarke</i>	<i>on a/c conts</i>	48	15 -
<i>M Dillon</i>	"	8	- -

£ s. d.

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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter Dated the 21st Aug^t:
1893 from the R.D.C. at Wicklow reporting that
an outbreak of Sheep Scab has occurred on the
Farm of Mr Thomas Blake of Ballinacree. Mr
Newson V.D. inspected the sheep and found 5 of
them affected with the disease.

Mr Little Esq. certified for payment
of a sum of £48:15:0, to Mr Michael Clarke
on account of Labourer Cottages in course of
erection at Brittas in Dmg^{ty} East E.D. and
also a sum of £5 to Mr. Math. Dillon for fencing
plots attached to two labourer cottages at Bally-
clough, in Dmg^{ty} South E.D.

Cheques for these sums were accordingly issued:

Read further letter from Edward Darcy
labourer, in reference to his claim to have a
cottage built for him under the Labourers Act
and intimating his intention of taking legal
proceedings with a view of compelling the Guard
to provide the cottage for him,

Order - As Mr Darcy is about to take legal
proceedings the Board do not think it pro-
-dent to enter into correspondence with him.

8/9/93 = Thomas Pottam
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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

(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 Friday, the 8th day of September 1893

(Signed) J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on ~~Wednesday~~ ^{Friday}

the 1st day of September 1893

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see Page 541

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On Application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

The following Accounts of Expenses (or, statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

Dispensary District.

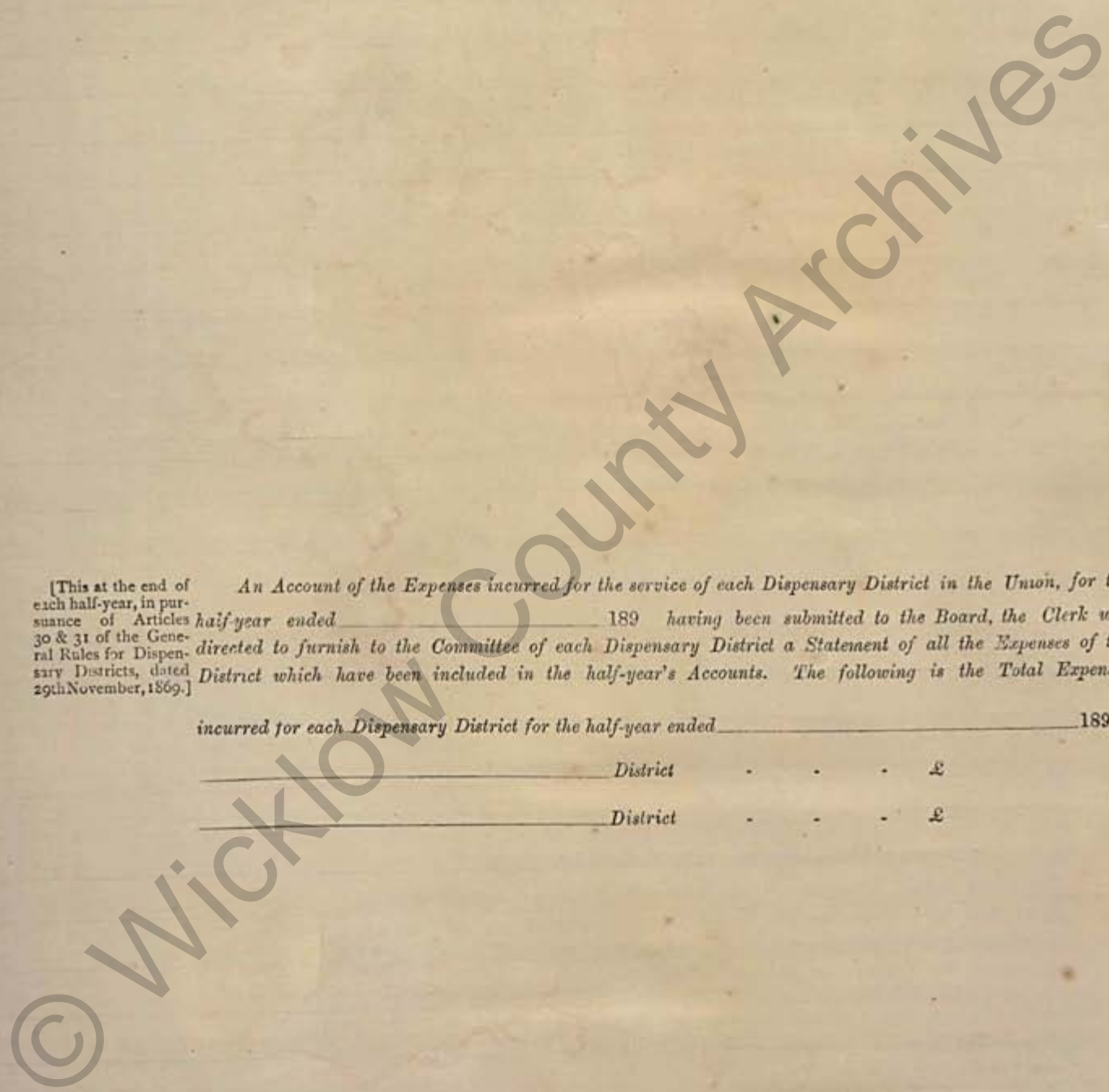
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 189

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board Elected the following Ratepayers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the RURAL SANITARY AUTHORITY.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz. :—

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

were read, and directions given thereon, as recorded in the 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:—

Read Letter Dated the 21st Ultimo from the Local Government Board, transmitting to the Board of Guardians extracts from the report of their Inspector S. Flynn, relating to a recent visit paid by him to the town of Mallow with the view of ascertaining what provisions have been made in that locality to deal with any cases of Cholera which may occur, and also as to the sanitary condition of the town.

The Local Government Board trust that the recommendations made by their Inspector will receive the immediate and careful attention of the Guardians:

Order— The extracts from the report of the L.G. Inspector to be forwarded to the Medical Officer of Health at Mallow.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 31st Ultimo in reference to the application of the Guardians for the sanction of the L.G. Board to a loan of £1000, for an improved water supply in the town of Rathdrum, and stating that as objection has been made to the proposed Scheme the Board deem it expedient to hold a local inquiry in the matter; but before ordering the inquiry they will await the definite fixing of the area of charge and the acquisition of land and water rights.

The Plans according to which a supply of 20 gallons per head daily is to be taken for a population of 650 from springs 1½ miles from the town are returned, to which the L.G. Board see no objection.

The branches in the Back lane and the

Brewery Lane are specified to be 1 1/2 in bore, but should be made 3 inches, the cost of these branches has not been inserted in the Estimate;

The house services must be converted at the expense of the householders wanting the water into their houses, and the cost of same should be struck out of the Estimate.

Order -

The area of charge having been definitively fixed the Engineer is directed to communicate with the owners and occupiers of the lands to be taken, and ascertain what arrangements can be made in satisfaction of their respective claims, subject to the approval of the Board of Guardians. C.D. 1/9/53

Read letter from Mr. J. K. Dooney acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians letter forwarding cheque £68.17.6 in settlement of Mr. Berry's claim, and noting the Guardians wish in regard to the Kilpedder Drainage Bank.

Read report from Mr. Murphy S.S.O. stating that the public public pump at Kilcoole is at present giving no water, and he requires the services of a plumber to ascertain what is the matter with it.

Order - The S.S.O. to make the examination required and to have a plumber to aid him. C.D. 1/9/53

8/9/93

Charles J. Tottenham Man

Friday 8th

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~ the 8th

day of September 1893

Signed,

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.