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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of May 1889

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						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	380	231														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	609	235														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			65	37	59	60	5	8	11	6	20	271	Under Medical treatment in Infirmity Wards	67	In separate Wards	20
Admitted during the Week			47	5	1	—	—	1	2	2	4	4	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates	20
TOTAL			112	42	60	60	6	10	13	10	24	337	TOTAL	71	TOTAL	40
Discharged during the Week			71	9	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Believed during week	42	Es-males	1
Total Discharged and Dead			71	9	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. in Work-house at date	5	Children under 15	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			41	33	57	60	5	8	9	7	78	235	No. at corresponding period last year,	254	TOTAL	44

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of May 1889 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.	78	130	John D. Edge
No. II.	97	155	John Manley
No. III.	233	385	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	90	149	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	498	819	783

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of May 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Colonel Tottenham D R Chv

Other Guardians:—

Mr John J Cowley A J C
 " John Payne
 " E Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1321 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:—

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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

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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	44	8	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	42	5	8
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		2	10 ¹ / ₂
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 :—

1040 Loaves Bread
 760 Galls Newmilk
 50 " Butter
 18 lbs Butter
 340 " Meat
 42 Hens
 10 cwt Outmeal
 6 " Sugar
 12 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 May 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	42	13	0
In Kind	1	7	6
Total	£ 44	20	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:—

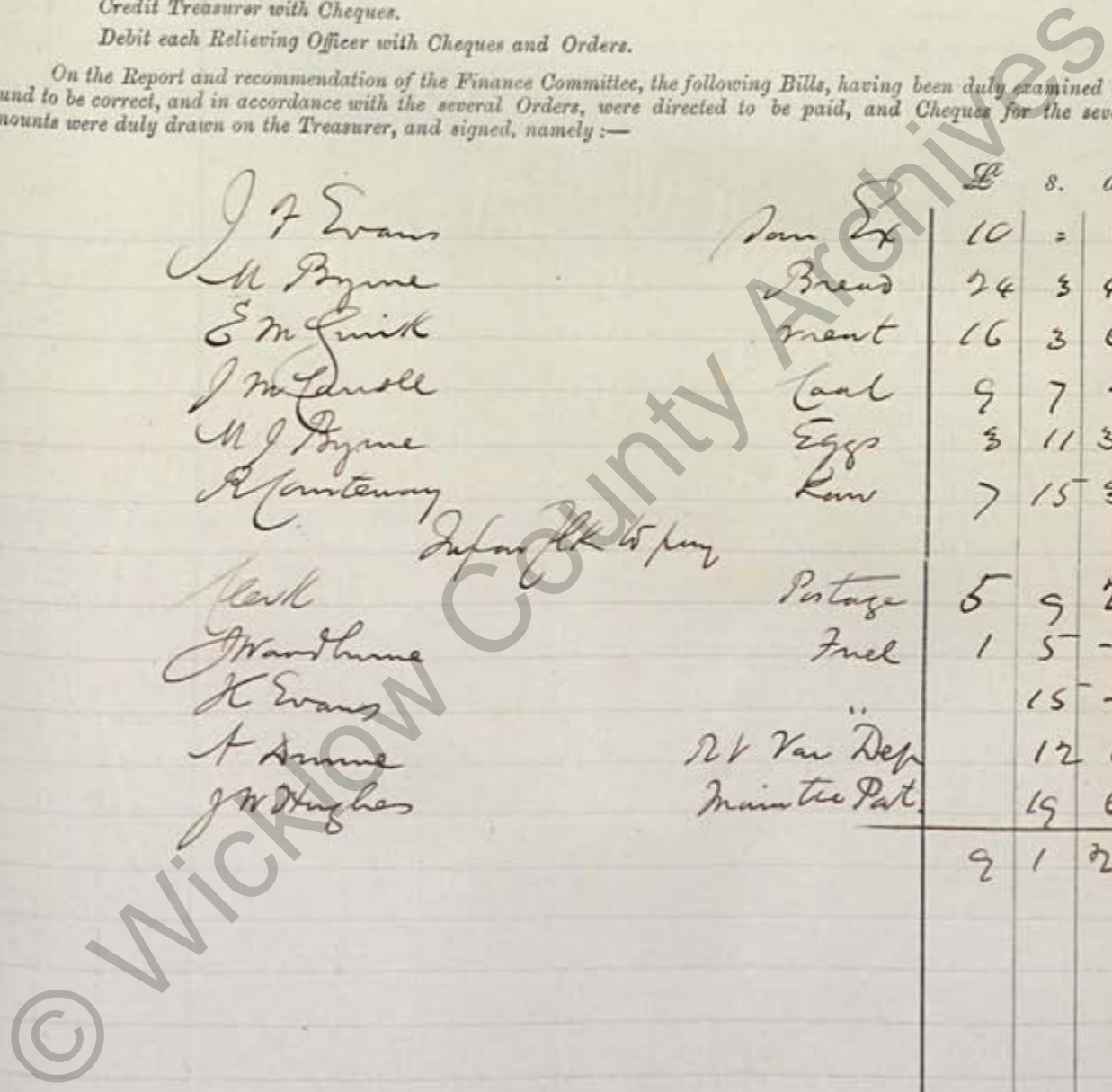
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON			

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 F Evans	Don Ex	10	=	=
M Payne	Bread	24	3	4
E M Smith	meat	16	3	6
J M Farrell	Coal	9	7	-
M J Payne	Eggs	3	11	3
R Munteway	Rum	7	15	3
Clark	Postage	5	9	2
Wardburne	Fuel	1	5	-
H Evans	"	15	-	-
A Anne	2 1/2 Van Dep	12	6	
J W Hughes	Maintenance Pat.	19	6	
		9	1	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 Govern^t Board, Dated the 21st instant, requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate of the New Rates, when they shall have been agreed to by the Guardians:

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Read Letter from Same of same Date, in reference to the proposal of the Guardians to allow collector McAnnamara an extension of time to the 5th of July next to close his collection at full poundage fees, stating that the Guardians cannot do this unless the matter has been duly considered after 14 days notice and the sanction of the R.G. Board obtained to the proposal.

The Local Govern^t Board are not however prepared to consent to any departure

from the terms on which the Galleries under-
-took the collection of the Rates:

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Recd Letter dated the 20th instant
from Mr. Patrick Murphy, Rathnew, asking to
have his name placed in the Rate Book in his
house on the Commons of Rathnew lately in the
occupation of John Pearce, but now occupied
by himself.

Vouched:-

Ordered to be entered, being adequately

29/5/09 - Charles Cottrell
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

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 29th day of May 1889

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 20th day of May 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

John Pottenham D.L. Chm
W. John J. Corley M.D.
John Poyne
E. Ellison

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

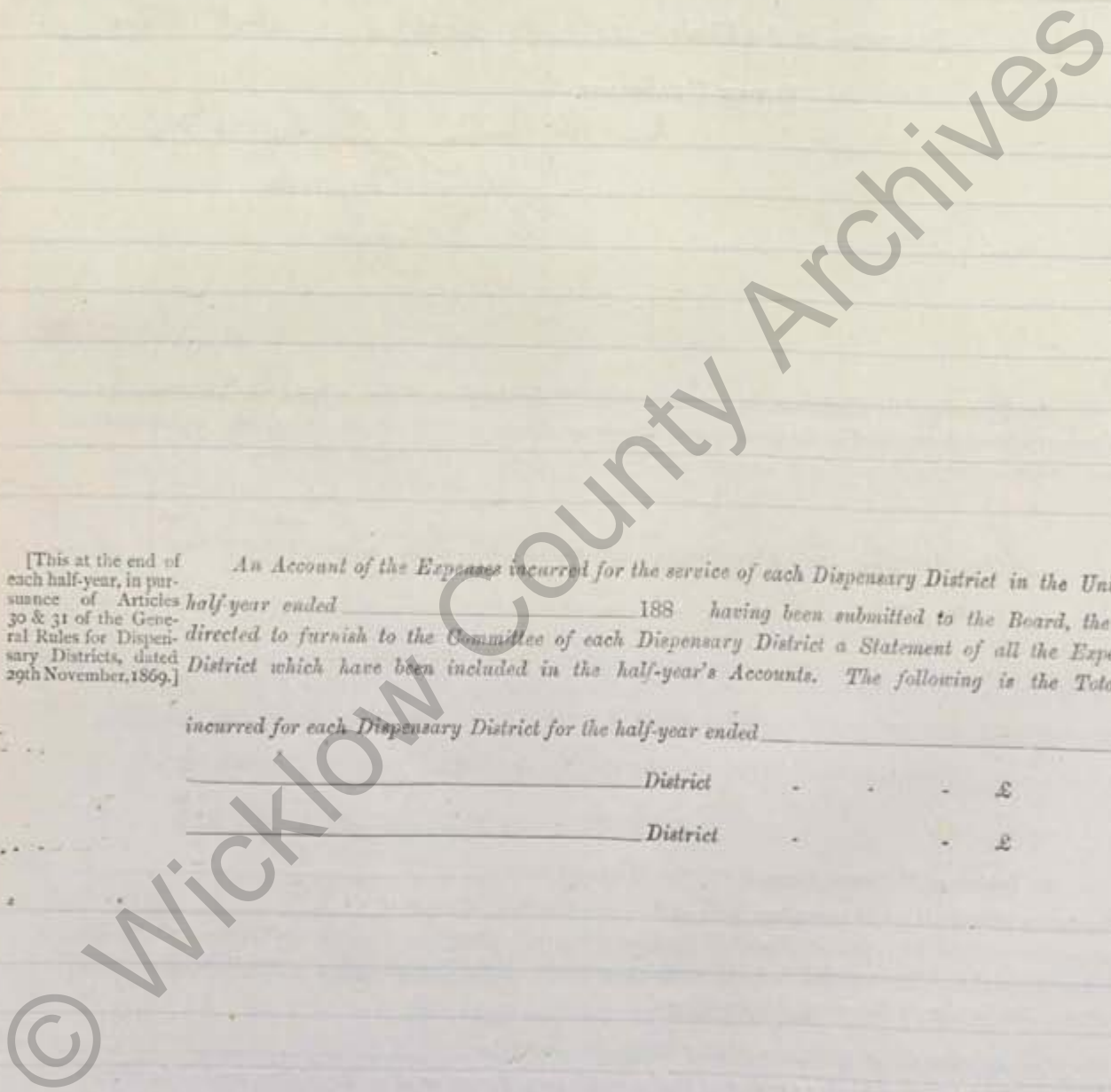
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 _____ 188_____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188_____

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



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 _____

Anghrim

Read minutes of proceedings of the Anghrim Dispensary Committee at the first meeting for the present year held on the 29th ultimo, when the following Honorary Officers were elected:

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Mr. Mureo Doyle Chairman
 " James Frost Vice Chm.
 " James Phelan Hon. Sec.
 " John Byrne Asst. Sec.

Fuel for the Anghrim and Ballinaclesh Dispensaries ordered to be paid - Anghrim 15/- Ballinaclesh 25/- under protest:

Ten shillings to be allowed for fuel for the Anghrim & Ballinaclesh Dispensaries for the ensuing year 1889, and that the secretary certify these persons

James Phelan
 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.)

affirmed
 C.S.
 22/5/89

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 Mess^{rs} Keily & Long dated 17th instant stating that

the Lease of the site of the proposed new Dispensary and Doctors Residence at Anghorin will be rent for execution in a day or two.

Read Letter from Mr. Berry C.E. Dated the 20th inst stating that he has several times called on Mess^{rs} Keily & Long in reference to above but without any satisfactory result.

Mr. Berry further states that he is unable to furnish any particulars as regards his Engineers fees which are to be at the rate of 5 per C. on the abtlay; but that he will charge extra on account of the alteration in the plans & site made by the Guardians, and also £ 2:2:0 for engraving the Lease.

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 from Mr Matthew Hyland of
 Aughrim informing the Guardians that he will
 take law proceedings against them if they do not
 at once take steps to abate the nuisance at his
 house which he has so often complained of.

No order
 = Charles J. Tottenham

25/5/89

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 29th
day of May 1889.

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

[Special.]

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of May 1889

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	230															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
Total	669	234															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			41	33	57	60	5	8	9	4	18	235	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	71	In separate Wards	20	
Admitted during the Week			38	2	5	2	—	—	1	—	3	51	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other inmates	20	
TOTAL			79	35	62	62	5	8	10	4	21	286	TOTAL	75	TOTAL	40	
Discharged during the Week			34	5	6	1	1	1	—	—	1	52	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			34	5	6	1	1	1	—	—	1	52	No. Relieved during week	31	1	1	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			45	30	56	61	4	7	10	3	18	234	No. in Workhouse at date	7	—	—	7
													No. at corresponding period last year,				247

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TOTALS,	499	831	= 776

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PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.L. Ch^r

Other Guardians:—

- Mr. Isaac Manley
- " Patrick Keely
- " Edward Ellison
- " J. Lunniam

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1321 to No. 1349 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
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WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eanereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Oveca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
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1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	30	14	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	40	17	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		3	10 ¹ / ₂
		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 :—

- 1000 Loaves Bread
- 225 Galls Newmilk
- 45 " Buttermilk
- 18 lbs Butter
- 345 " Meat
- 42 Sheep Heads
- 4 cwt Sugar
- 13 Doz. Eggs
- 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 25th day of May 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	43	12	0
		11	6
Total	£	44	3 - 6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
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.
L O'Brien	M ^{rs} Tahent	8	10	-
do	do	7	10	-
J. Barrett	Sugar &c	29	3	4
do	Soles	3	19	2
In for flesh to pay				
M J Saunders	Peeps	1	8	6
Minings	Pipes		18	8
		2	7	2

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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 from Local Government Board, Dated the 21st instant enclosing a copy of an order, issued by them under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878 apportioning the sum of £ 14,523:13:4 on the several Unions in Ireland under the provisions of the Act named, the sum assessed on the Rathfriland Union being £133:12:9⁴.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 28th instant, acknowledging the receipt of the Plan, Specification and Estimate of the Cottages proposed to be erected by the Guardians in pursuance of the Second Improvement Scheme made by them under the Labourers (Ireland) Act.

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 Read Letter from James, Dated the 27th instant, informing the Guardians, in reference to the claim of Mr. J. Kennedy, Solr., for payment of costs in respect of his opposition to the Guardians Improvement Scheme No. 2, that they think that reasonable expenses should be allowed in this case, they will therefore issue an order in pursuance of Sec. 7 of the Act of 1883 for payment of one Guinea to Mr. Kennedy by the Guardians:

Read Letter Dated the 22nd instant from the Secretary to the Catholic Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, stating that the Deaf mute Bride Wall was admitted to that Institution on the 1st instant.

A Cheque was issued for payment of first half years maintenance of Bride Wall £7:10:0 and £1- cost of outfit.

Read Letter from Mr. A. Delahunt, Ballygonnell Dated the 28th instant, informing the Guardians, in reference to the alternative site for a Subscribers cottage proposed to be built on his farm, that none of his land joins the public road or highway.

Order - Mr. Delahunt to be asked to name the alternative he proposes to give, Mr. John Doyle P. L. G. to be requested to wait on Mr. Delahunt in reference to the selection of the site:

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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	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	1
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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 5th day of June 1889

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 WEDNESDAY,

the 25th day of May 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Johnel Tottenham D.L. Chm.

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 :

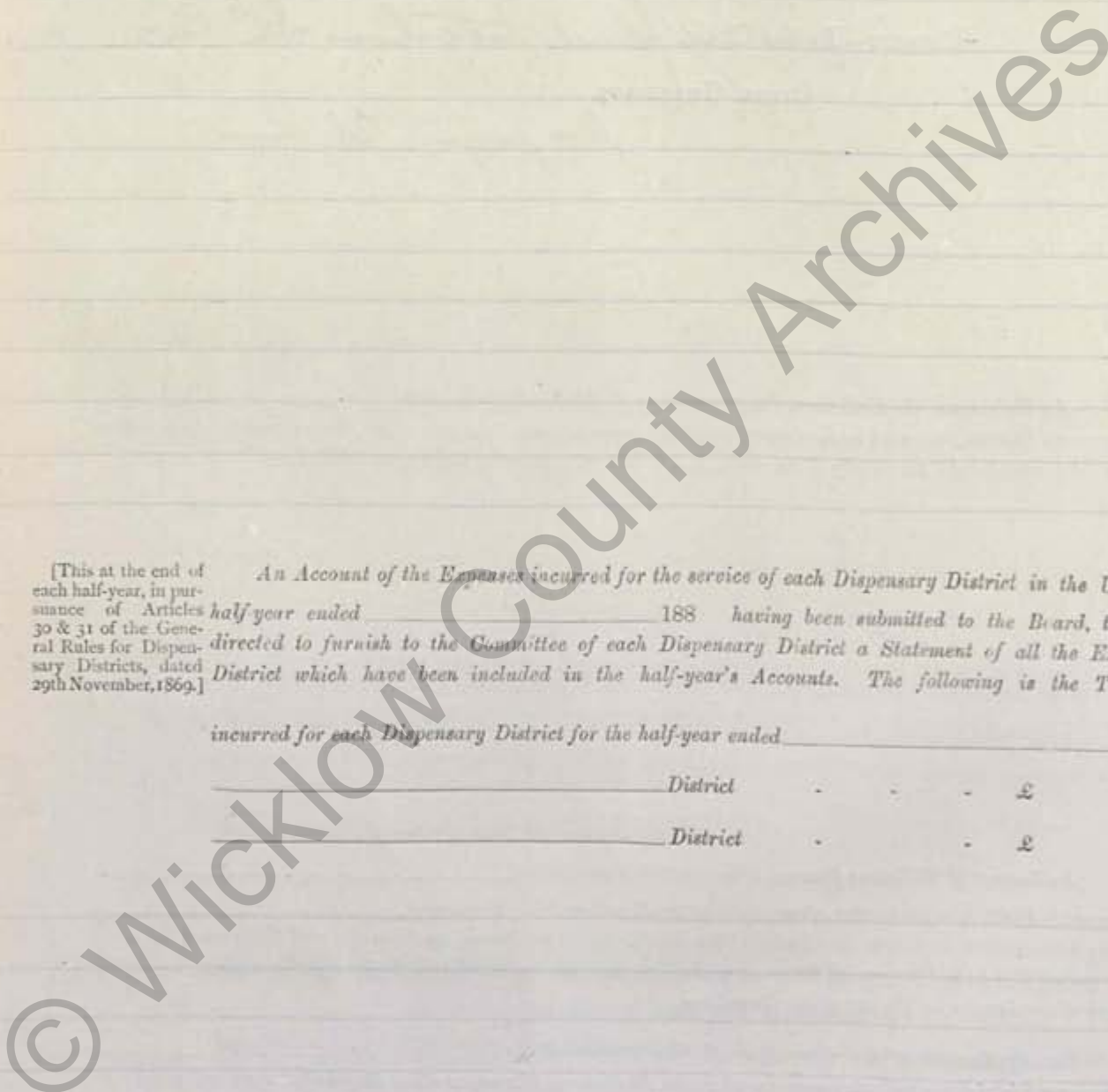
Dispensary District.

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 _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	188
_____ District	£
_____ District	£



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 *Mr. J. Berry, Esq.* dated *28th instant* stating that

he finds that pegs have been put down by *Mr. Ellison* to define the east boundary of the plot at *Anghrim* and that they are within the marks which had been previously pointed out to him:

Mr. Berry enclosed a tracing showing both boundaries and requests to be informed which he is to follow in enclosing the Lease:

Order —

Mr. Ellison states that he put down no pegs and that there now on the ground were placed there three years ago, and define the lines which are contained in *Mr. Berry's* tracing.

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 28th instant from Mr. Mathew Hyland of Anghrim, again threatening to take Law proceedings against the Guardians if they do not abate the nuisance which he complains of.

Order — Mr. Hyland's remedy is against his neighbour.

5/6/89.

Wm. J. Potters,
Chair.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 5th
day of June 1889

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

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128 315 : 14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of June 1889

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	235															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	238															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			45	30	56	61	4	7	10	3	18	234	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	20	
Admitted during the Week			32	4	3	—	—	1	—	1	1	42	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other inmates	20	
TOTAL,			77	34	59	61	4	8	10	4	19	276	TOTAL,	75	TOTAL,	40	
Discharged during the Week			31	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	38	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			31	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	38	No. Relieved during week	20	3	—	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			46	32	55	60	4	8	10	4	19	238	No. in Workhouse at date	8	2	—	10
													No. at corresponding period last year, 233				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of June 1889 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.	90	149	John D. Edge
No. II.	98	152	John Manley
No. III.	217	364	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	89	146	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	494	811	781

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 5th day of June 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham DR Ch.

- Other Guardians:—
- Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
 - Henry P. Dwyer A
 - Gavin E. Lamb A
 - Joseph F. Meade A
 - Wm. Magee A
 - J. Dawling A
 - C. C. Wade A
 - H. a. Lamb A
 - W. G. Morris A
 - Edw. Ellison
 - J. J. Dinn
 - Mr. John W. Barton A
 - George Baath A
 - Thos. Graydon
 - W. H. Jones
 - S. Dwyer
 - W. Mulholland
 - D. Cauden
 - D. Somers
 - John Byrne
 - Miles Byrne
 - P. Keech
 - P. O'Rourke
 - Mr. Isaac Manley
 - Edw. Storey
 - V. Clements
 - J. Delahunt
 - J. Doyle
 - M. Doyle
 - H. Doyle
 - W. Grant
 - E. Cullen
 - P. Miley
 - S. Furman

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1350 to No. 1520 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

	£ 111 : 15 : 0
Paid during the week	£ 131 : 18 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account *in fav.* the Guardians was £ 413 : 18 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	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.

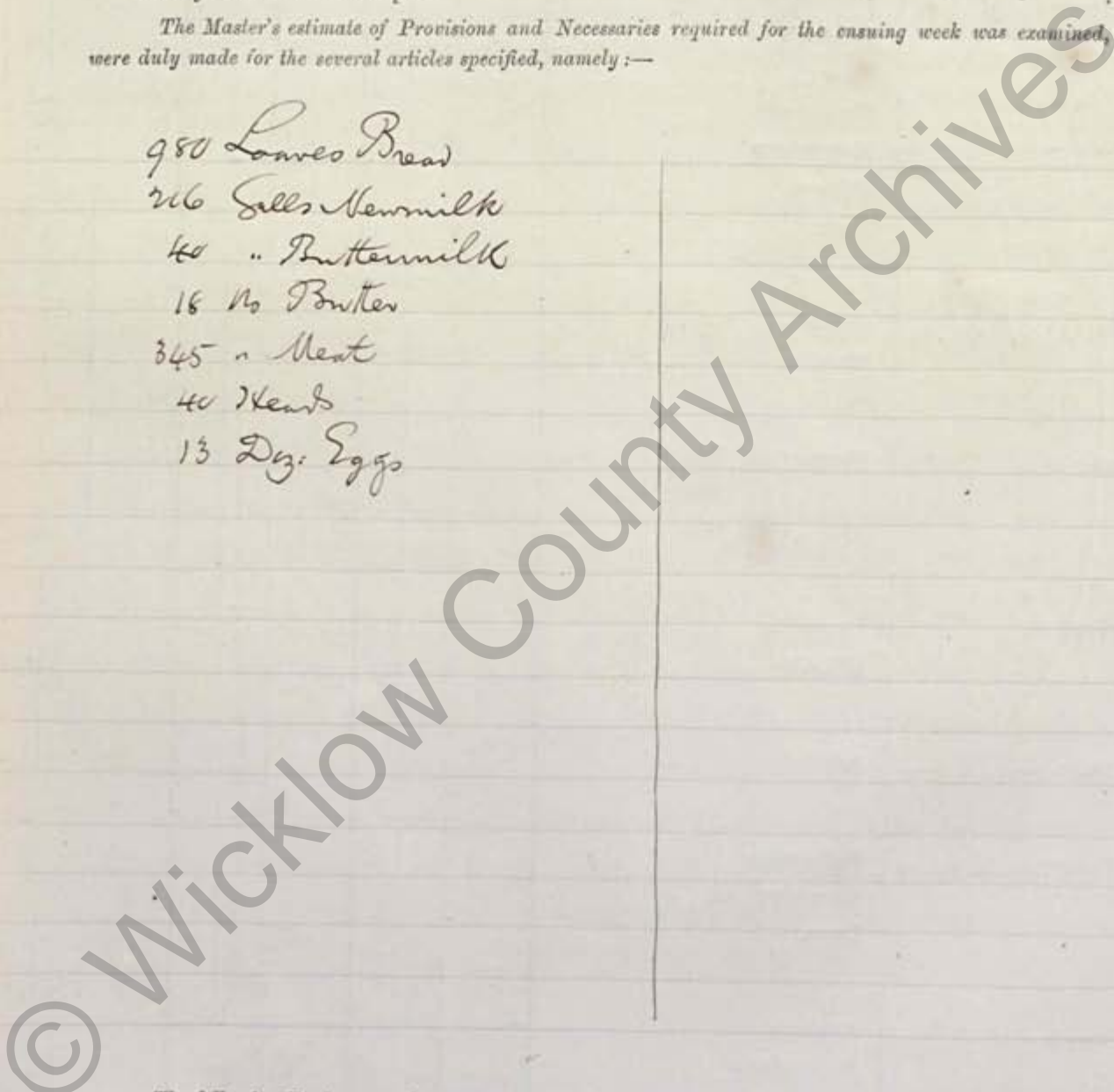
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	39	19	—
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	40	7	0
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10 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 :—

980 Loaves Bread
 216 Galls Newmilk
 40 .. Buttermilk
 18 lbs Butter
 345 .. Meat
 40 Heads
 13 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 9th day of June 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	46	6	0
In Kind		6	0
Total	£ 46	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		~	
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			
E M Ginnik			
N Harkins			
W Taylor			
E Tullon			
J Donnell			
J Flower			
J Douglas			
L Ryan			
" Molony			
Fleck			
on at Centre			
Pathings	49	10	-
Meat	17	7	3
Tobacco	9	18	-
Meat	6	12	-
blues	3	13	6
ferment	2	5	-
Repairs	4	12	9
collecting Rates	13	4	1
Vaccination Fees	3	4	-
Lunatic Fee	2	-	-
Postage	4	17	9

£ 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 Committee of Meath has sent 50 additional framed Oeographs for the Male and Female Infirmary Wards:

Order— The Thanks of the Board to be conveyed to Lady Menton

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 the Local Government Board, Dated the 3rd instant requesting that the Ordnance Map which accompanied their letter of the 30th of April last may be returned to them as soon as the alternative site for the Cottage proposed to be erected at Ballygornell shall have been marked thereon:

The following Claims to be rated were allowed, and the Rate Books ordered to be altered accordingly.

- | | | |
|---|--|-----------------|
| ✓ | Thomas Kennedy, Rathfrum V | Michael Kennedy |
| ✓ | John Bruton, Ferrybank V | James Webb |
| ✓ | Janet Graham, Ballymorus V | George Graham |
| ✓ | Barth ^r Ellis, Fullentrough V | Margaret Ellis |

The claim of Mr Kircho, to be rated in place of Mr Newland, was ordered to stand over until Mr Newland is communicated with.

The following contracts were entered into: viz:

Mr E M Guilt	- Best Mutton	@	6 ³ / ₄	per lb
"	" Beef	"	5 ³ / ₄	"
"	" Bacon	"	7 ¹ / ₂	"
"	" Ox Heads	"	1/1	each
"	" Sheep S ^t	"	5	"
Mr Mary Byrne	" White Bread	"	4 ¹ / ₂	per lb
Mr R Hill	" Outmeal	"	£11:4:0	per Ton

A tender was accepted from Mr John Ryan, Kuroperth proposing to pay £3:16:6 for the stop & repuse of the Workhouse kitchen for three months from the 25th instant.

The Guardians accepted a tender from Mr Thomas Mustagh for taking down & rebuilding one of the Chimneys of the Workhouse and Executing certain other repairs in accordance with Specification for the sum of £12:12:6;

There was only one tender for the Painting of the external Woodwork &c of the Workhouse, named that of Mr Binlayson of Wicklow, who proposed to do the work for the sum of £185, the Guardians finding the Price. This sum was considered too high, and on the motion of Dr Smell seconded by Mr Shepard it was Resolved -

That the master be requested to get the repairs and painting of the house done according to the Specification before the Board for a sum not exceeding £120, for which he will subsequently submit accounts and that £10 be awarded to him for superintending the work -

Parrot

A Tender was accepted from Mess^{rs} Doolittle & Co
Dublin, for rails, Columns &c.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration
the Clerk's Estimate for New Rates for the ensuing
year, when the following Rates were agreed to
viz:

Altitude, Electoral Division, a Rate of	6 in the £
Killeshel	2:6
Inghin	1:6
Ballinacash	1:8
5 Ballinacross	1:4
Ballinderry	8
Ballygarthra	10
Ballycullen	1:2
Brosnaugh	2:8
Culamy	1:0
Comebane	2:2
Drum East	8
" South	10
" West	8
Emmerichy	11
6 Glenealy	10
Glendalough	1:4
Kilbribe	1:0
Kilcoble	1:2
Killiskey	11
Knockraha	1:2
Manystown	7
Newcastle Dr	10
" Upr	1:4
Oldtown	1:6
Oran	2:0
Rathdrum	1:1
Rogher	1:8
Truperstown	1:6
Wicklow	1:2

Special Sanitary Rates were made on the following contributory Places. viz:

Rathdrum, a Rate of	1 ⁰ / ₂ in the £
Kilpedder	4 ¹ / ₄ "

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The Clerk of the Union obtained leave of absence for two weeks; the Mayor having consented to act for him during his absence:

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Read Letter from Mr Berry C.D. certifying that Mr Michael Byrne is entitled to £49.10.0 on account of contract for building two labourers cottages at Bally Killavane including £6. for steps and 30/- for extra masonry, consequent on change of position of privies:

A cheque was issued for the amount certified for which leaves £5 to be retained until completion of work.

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Mr Moses Doyle did not proceed with his motion in reference to the appointment of the Sisters of Mercy to educate the children of the Workhouse.

= 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	...	...	...
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
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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 12th day of June 1889

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 5th day of June 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Pattenham D.L.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

see page 41

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, £ _____

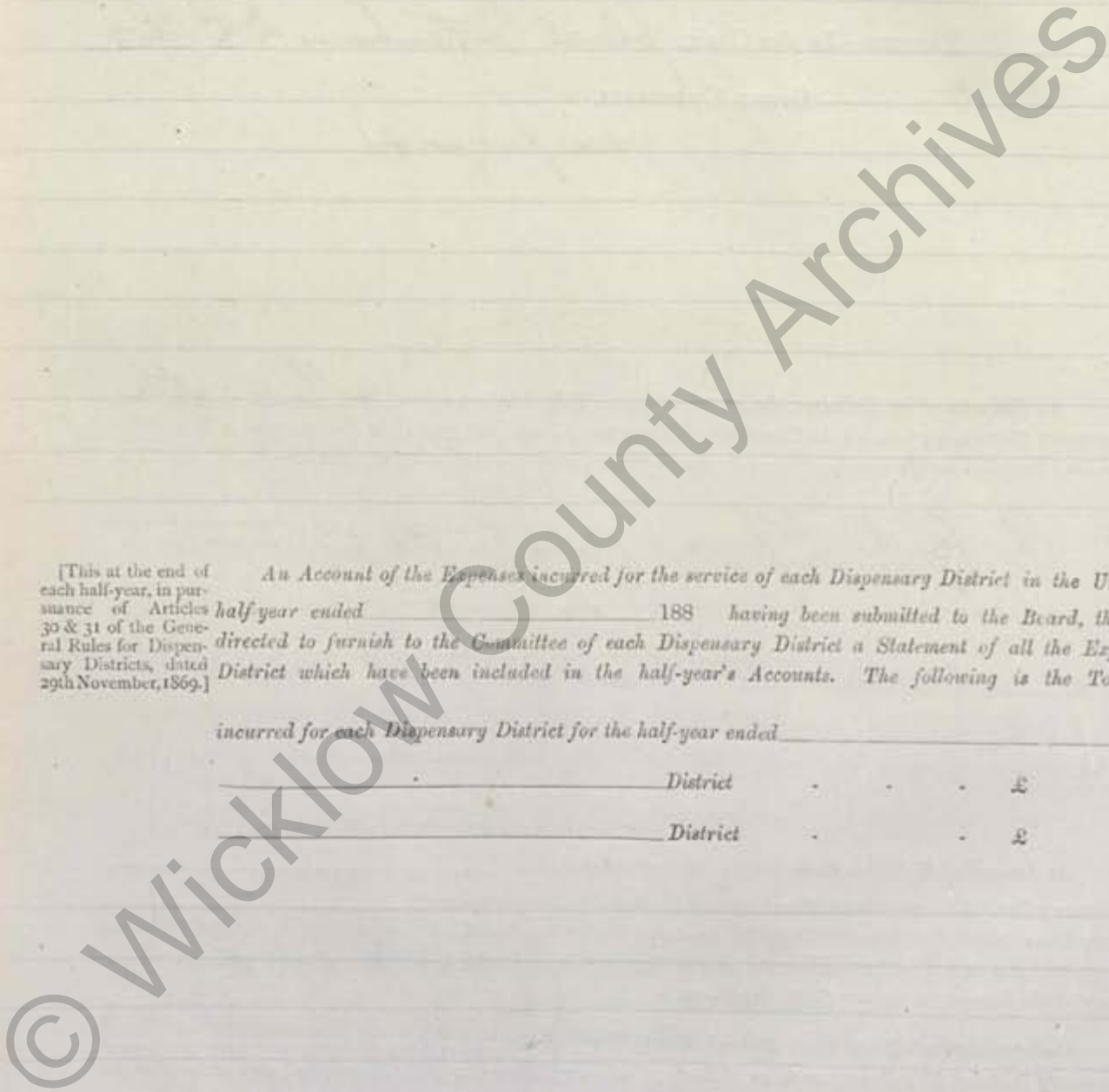
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District £

District £



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

Dungannon

Read minutes of proceedings of the Dungannon
at their meeting on the 3rd instant, members present.

- Thos. Acton Esq. P. Chairman
- J. H. C. Wade Esq. P.
- H. Shepard Esq.
- Mr. Bernard Poyne
- " Rich^d Bradshaw
- " John Johnson
- " George Blake
- " Edw^d Chamney

Resolved—

That the Committee expend the sum
of £700 on a suitable residence for the Medical Officer

Resolved—

That Dr. Ryan get three weeks leave of
absence, commencing on the 15th of June; Dr. Ryan
to provide a substitute.

Order—

The question of the Doctors Residence to be submitted
to a special meeting of the Dispensary Committee

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 near three months of age
and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

of which notice should be given.

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

Charles G. Tottenham
Chair

12/6/82

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

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

day of June 1889

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

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8 day of June 1889

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 5 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	226															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	"															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	"															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2															
Fever Sheds	—	"															
TOTAL	669	228															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			46	32	53	60	4	8	10	4	19	238	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week			424	7	"	"	"	1	1	1	1	57	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	29	
TOTAL			883	6	62	60	4	9	11	5	20	295	TOTAL	74	TOTAL	50	
Discharged during the Week			41	7	7	1	1	5	1	2	2	67	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died													No. Relieved during week	3	1	3	40
Total Discharged and Dead			41	7	7	1	1	5	1	2	2	67	No. in Work-house at date	10	"	"	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			47	29	55	59	3	4	10	3	18	228	No. at corresponding period last year, 247				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8 day of June 1889 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.	90	149	John D. Edge
No. II.	99	157	John Manley
No. III.	217	340	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	87	139	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	493	815	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of June 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham J. P. Chair.

Other Guardians:— Mr. J. S. Boulay J. P. C.
" John Payne
" Edward Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1521 to No. 1600 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 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.

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

Name of each Collector	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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	90	11	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	40	7	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		5	10
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	0

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

Not signed

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 _____ 188 _____ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	42	7	4
In Kind		"	4	"
Total	£	42	11	4

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	30	0	0
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.
Michael Walsh up Pump	5	0	0
Mary Pyne Bread	34	10	3
R. Redcastle & Co Coals	55	10	0
Blair Smallpoyms	2	6	0

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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:—



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):—

None from Local Government Board

Read Letter from Mr. Barry, Architect
with reference to Lease of Doctor's Residence
at Bighin

ordered

That the Board approve of the
Lease for one Rod & five perches as defined by the
Deeds

Read Letter from Mrs. Anne Farrell Ballytehar
asking to have her name inserted in the
Rate Books for her holding late in possession
of her Brother John Farrell
ordered Postponed to next Board day
for authentication

Ordered

That the Local Government Board
be informed that Mr. Delahunty of Ballydoon
L.D. of Wicklow cannot give an alternative
site for the Lahanis Cottage, and desires that
the proposed site be adopted

P. P. Drought

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	...	...	...
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
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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 _____ day of _____ 188

Signed, _____

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 12 day of June 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

No Correspondence &c

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, £ _____

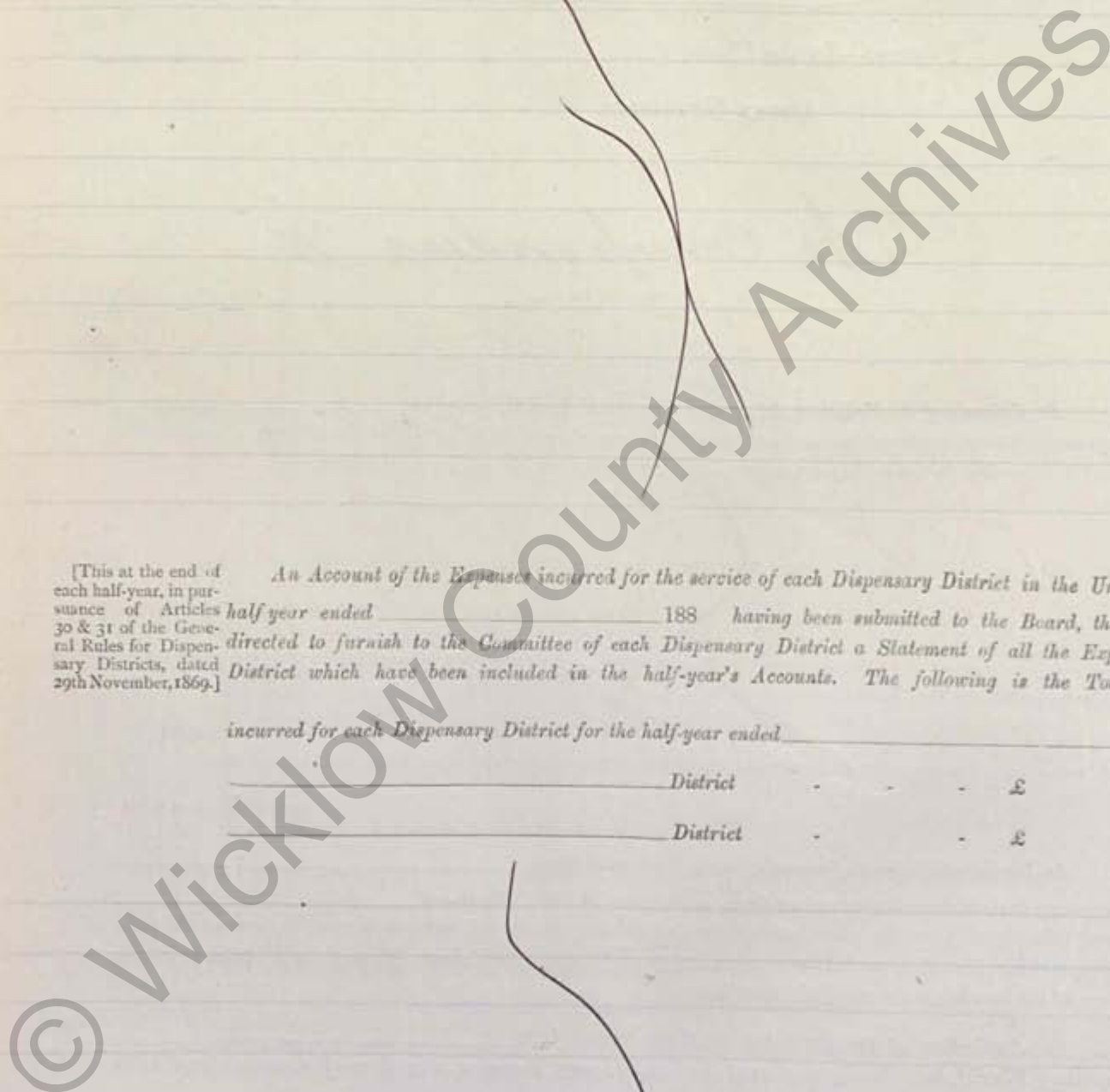
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____

District - - - £

District - - - £



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.)

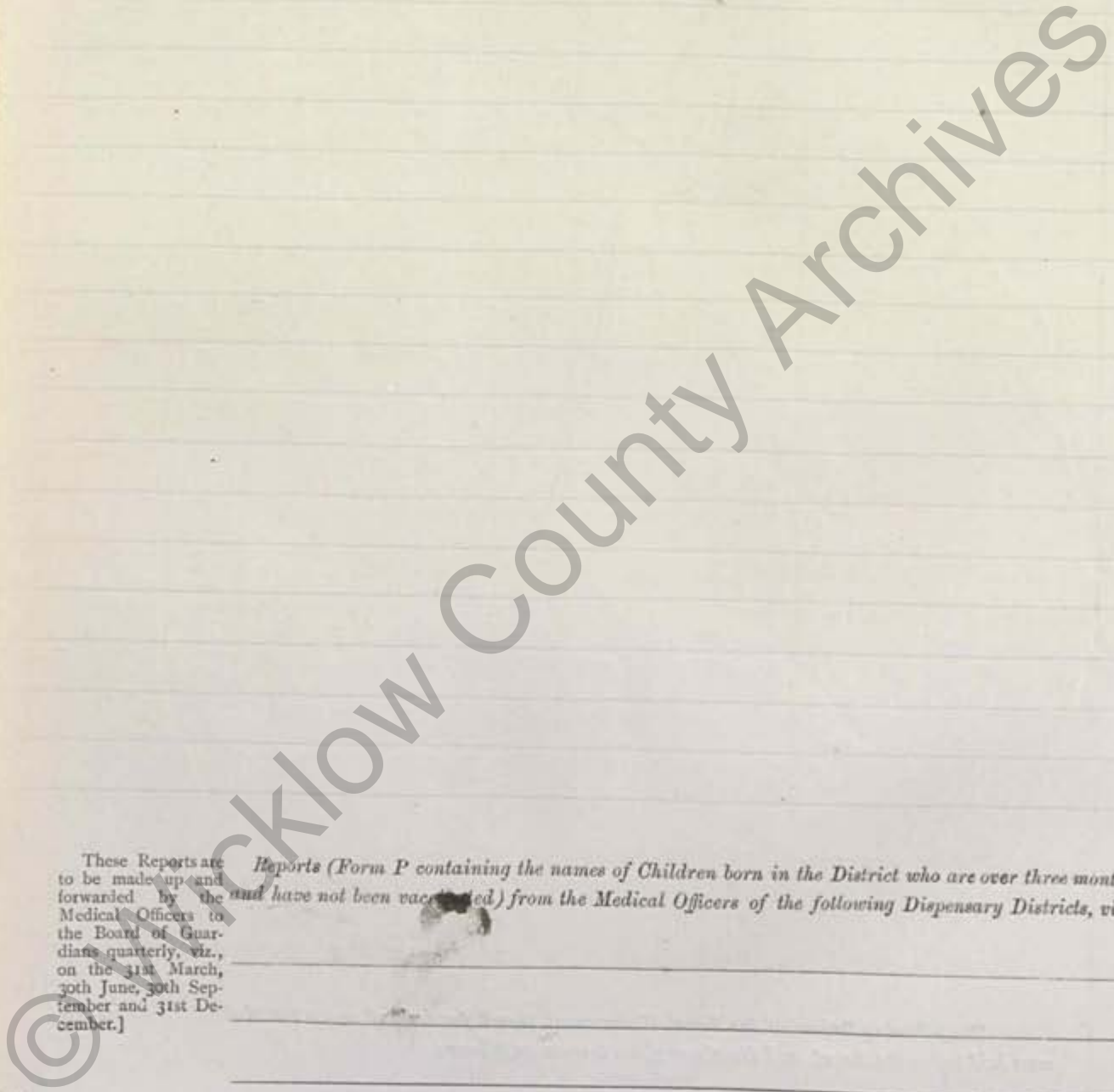
The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the
day of 188

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of June 1889

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	2															
Peter Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	213															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			47	29	55	59	3	4	10	3	18	228	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards	21	4
Admitted during the Week			24	4	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	33	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL,			71	33	58	59	3	5	10	3	18	261	TOTAL,	72	TOTAL,	41	
Discharged during the Week			33	6	2	1	1	1	—	3	—	47	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			33	6	3	1	1	1	—	3	—	48	No. Relieved during week	26	3	—	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			38	27	55	58	2	4	10	—	18	213	No. in Workhouse at date	5	1	—	6
													No. at corresponding period last year, 250				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of June 1889 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		
90	No. I.	90	149	John D. Edge
100	No. II.	100	161	John Manley
210	No. III.	224	348	Joseph Levingston
87	No. IV.	87	139	Richard Ellison
487	TOTALS,	501	797	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of June 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain Duglit P VC

Other Guardians:—
Mr John J Cowley D VC
" Harry A Pemberton.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1601 to No. 1640 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

£ 38 : 5 —

Paid during the week

£ 97 = 5 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 354 : 18 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 ...	Altadore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	25	5	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	39	15	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	0

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

2 weeks

4930 Loaves Bread
 432 Gals Newmilk
 85 " Buttermilk
 38 lbs Butter
 684 " Meat
 82 Sheep Heads
 2 1/2 Bn Butter
 1 Case Brand
 1/2 Chest Tea
 28 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 15th day of June 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	43	15	6
In Kind		4	0
Total	£ 43	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	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
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:—

Ernst Junck
J Fruse

	£	s.	d.
<i>Ment</i>	16	13	2
	2	-	-

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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 13th instant from the Local Govern^t. Board relating to the regulation of domestic water supply.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 17th instant requesting that the maps which accompanied their letter of the 30th of April last may be returned to them without further delay.

Order — Maps to be returned.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 18th instant, requesting to be informed of the grounds reasons for reducing the Clerks

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Estimate for New Rates, by so large a sum as
£666.

In reply the Guardians desire to state
 that the estimated rate for each Division was
 carefully considered by a very full meeting of
 the Guardians, and with 2 or 3 exceptions
 could be shown for a reduction, with which
 the Clerk concurred.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 18th
 instant, sanctioning the arrangement by
 which the Guardians propose to carry out the
 painting and repairs of the Workhouse for a
 sum not exceeding £120 for which account
 are to be submitted: also sanctioning the
 proposal to pay the Master of the Workhouse
£60 for superintending the execution of the work:

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant from
 Jolliston Kelly, stating that he hopes to bring
 his collection to a close by the 1st of July.

R. P. Doughty
 Clerk

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Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians
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The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of June 1889

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 WEDNESDAY,

the 19th day of June 1889

(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, £ _____

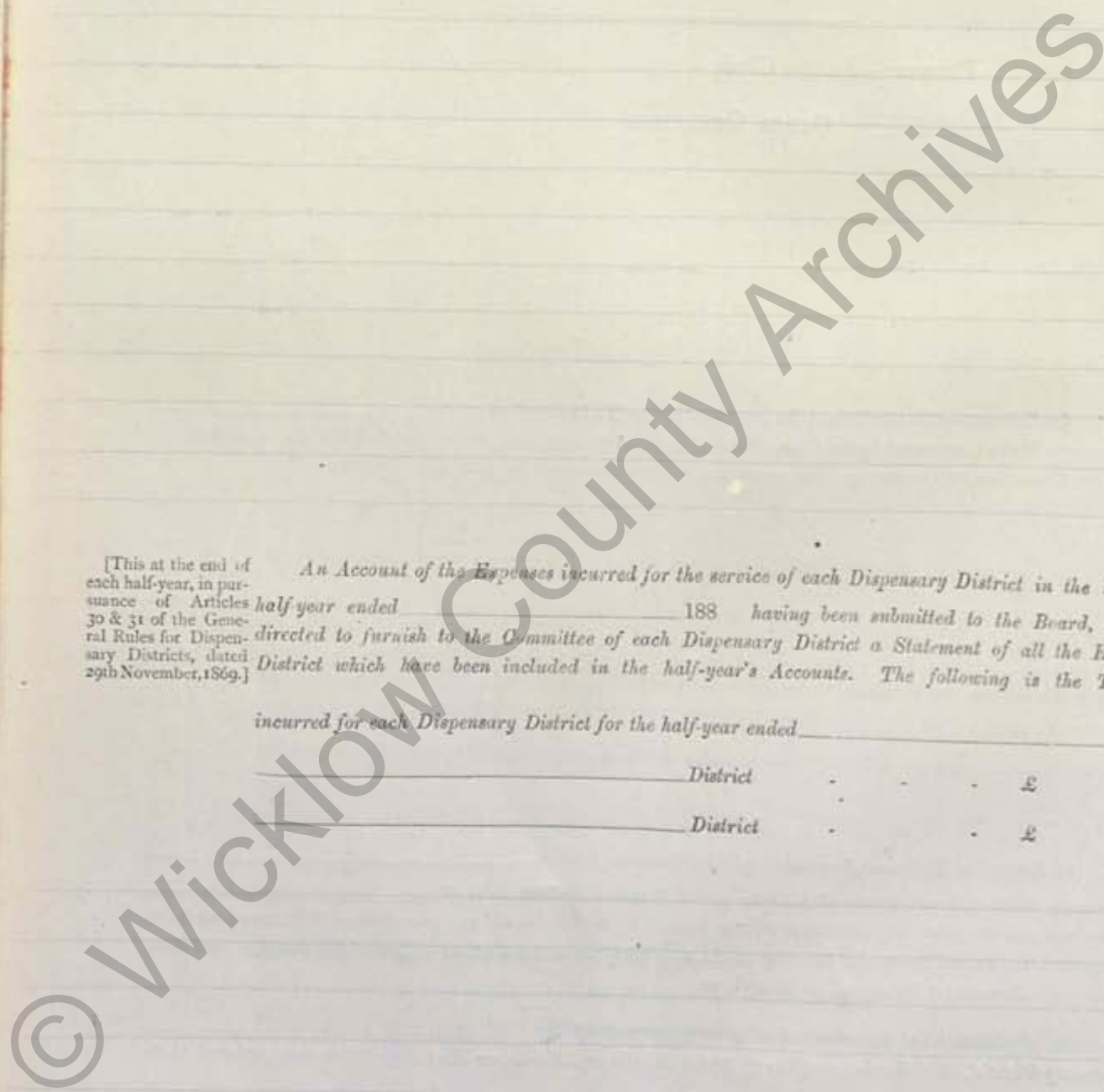
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District £

District £



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

Rathdrum

Read the following minute of proceedings of the Rathdrum Dispensary Committee.

At an ordinary meeting of the Rathdrum Dispensary Committee held on the 11th of June leave was given to Dr. Mc Dwyer for a fortnight as he was in bad health.

Dr. Barnes undertaking to do his duty in his absence:
J. J. Cowley Hon. Sec

Approved — Dr. Barnes to receive £2:2:0 per week
R R D
19/6/89

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant from Mess^{rs} Keily & Lloyd, forwarding for the Guardians signature the Lease, in duplicate, of the site of the proposed Dispensary & Doctors residence at Angharain.
The Lease was duly executed by the Guardians.

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.:—

R. P. Dwyer
Hon. Sec

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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th.....

day of June 1889

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881— 34 403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,315 = 14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1889

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	212																		
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—																		
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—																		
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2																		
Fever Sheds	—	—																		
TOTAL	660	214																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			38	27	55	58	2	4	10	—	18	213	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards with other inmates	20	4			
Admitted during the Week			26	3	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2						
TOTAL,			64	30	60	58	2	4	10	—	18	247	TOTAL,	71	TOTAL,	41				
Discharged during the Week - Died			21	3	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	32	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS							
Total Discharged and Dead			21	3	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	No. Relieved during week	27	Females	3	Children under 15	—	TOTAL	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	27	53	57	2	4	10	—	17	214	No. in Workhouse at date	8						8
													No. at corresponding period last year,							239

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of June 1889 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
90	No. I.	90 149	John D. Edge
100	No. II.	100 161	John Manley
203	No. III.	221 342	Joseph Livingston
86	No. IV.	86 138	Richard Ellison
479	TOTALS,	497 790 = 784	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of June 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain Drought P VC
Other Guardians—

- Mr. John J. Cowley P VC
- Ch. Col. Howard Brooke P
- Mr. Matthew H. Jones
- „ John Payne
- „ Isaac Manley
- „ M. Cowley

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1641 to No. 1661 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 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	30	7	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	38	11	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary -		3	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		3	10
		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:—

- 970 Loaves Bread
- 216 Galls Newmilk
- 30 " Porter milk
- 19 " Porter
- 3260 " Meat
- 86 " Meat
- 14 doz Eggs
- 20 cut Potatoes

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 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	s.	d.
In Kind	41	16	4
		12	0
Total	£	42	8
		8	4

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	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.
Rev R W Guinness	10	-	-
" P Carbery	20	-	-
S Bonnes	30	-	-
B Manning	25	-	-
J Flower	20	-	-
M Flower	10	-	-
A Payne	8	15	-
C Payne	8	15	-
M Kenney	5	-	-
L Moran	5	-	-
A Fitzgerald	3	15	-
W Reeves	3	15	-
D Ede	8	15	-
J Manley	8	15	-
J Levingston	8	15	-
R Ellison	10	7	6
E Tallon	5	-	-
S Cole	5	-	-
B Manning	2	10	-
St Gallus	30	-	-
" Molony	30	-	-
" Payne	30	-	-
" Ryan	30	-	-
" Hudson	30	-	-
" Lovemilk	25	-	-
" Dwyer	30	-	-
" Halpin	25	-	-

~~S. Gould
 " Molony
 " Poyme
 " Ryan
 " Hudson
 " Limerick
 " Dwyer
 " Halpin~~

	£	s.	d.
Sal	30	-	-
"	30	-	-
"	30	-	-
"	30	-	-
"	30	-	-
"	25	-	-
"	30	-	-
"	25	-	-

Clerk
 J. Molony
 M. A. Prier
 J. Graham

Dishy	2	00	-
Tea	02	00	-
Sal	5	-	-
"	5	-	-

M. Poyme
 E. McFinnik
 M. Johnson
 E. Slent
 L. Poyme
 J. Sutton
 W
 W
 J. Poyme
 J. Murtagh
 J. Flower
 Clerk

Brew	24	3	4
Ment	11	19	8
Milk	29	4	-
"	26	5	-
"	24	2	6
Land Cost	4	18	8
Outs	6	8	7
Fl	8	7	-
Tepe	2	-	-
"	2	-	-
"	4	1	1
Sum pay ^{ts}	7	2	1

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 26th instant, from Mr. J. K. Donney requesting to be furnished with the report of the L. G. B. Inspector relating to the inquiry held by him in reference to the Improvement Scheme made by the Guardians under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts:

Order—

Mr. Donney to be informed that only one copy of the document in question has been furnished to the Guardians, but Mr. Donney will be supplied with any information he requires:

2

Read Letter Dated the 26th instant from the Wallhouse Schoolmaster asking for leave of absence for one week—

2

Leave granted

9
 Mr. Levinston, Relieving Officer, obtained leave of absence for one week, his son to discharge his duties during his absence.

Mr. Newsum W.D. reported that on the 20th instant he inspected a pig belonging to Bridget Kennedy, Rathdrum, which he found to be affected with Swine Fever & ordered to be slaughtered, Value £1. —

Order - Half Value to be paid to the owner

Proposed by Mr. Lawley seconded by Mr. John Poyne
 Resolved -

That application be made to the Board of Works for the balance of the Loans granted under the provisions of the Labourers (Ireland) Act for the erection of Labourers cottages in the Electoral Divisions of Bullinagh & Clevenagh:

James
 R.P.D.

The following notice of motion was served - viz:

"I hereby give notice that at the first special meeting of the Guardians to be held after the expiration of fourteen days from this date, I, or some other Guardian, shall move that the resolution by which the remuneration to be paid to Jullerton McAnanous for collecting Rates was fixed at 4 in the £ on all Rates collected and lodged by him within seven months from the receipt of each Warrant, and half that amount on all sums subsequently lodged, be rescinded, and that he be paid full poundage fees on the entire amount collected and lodged by him."

26th June 1889

John J. Crowley, P.L.G.

Received
 R.P.D.

The clerk of the Union laid before the Board
the new Rate Books, duly made up and signed by
him, which were then signed by the Chairman
and two of the Guardians present.

P. P. Drury
U. M.

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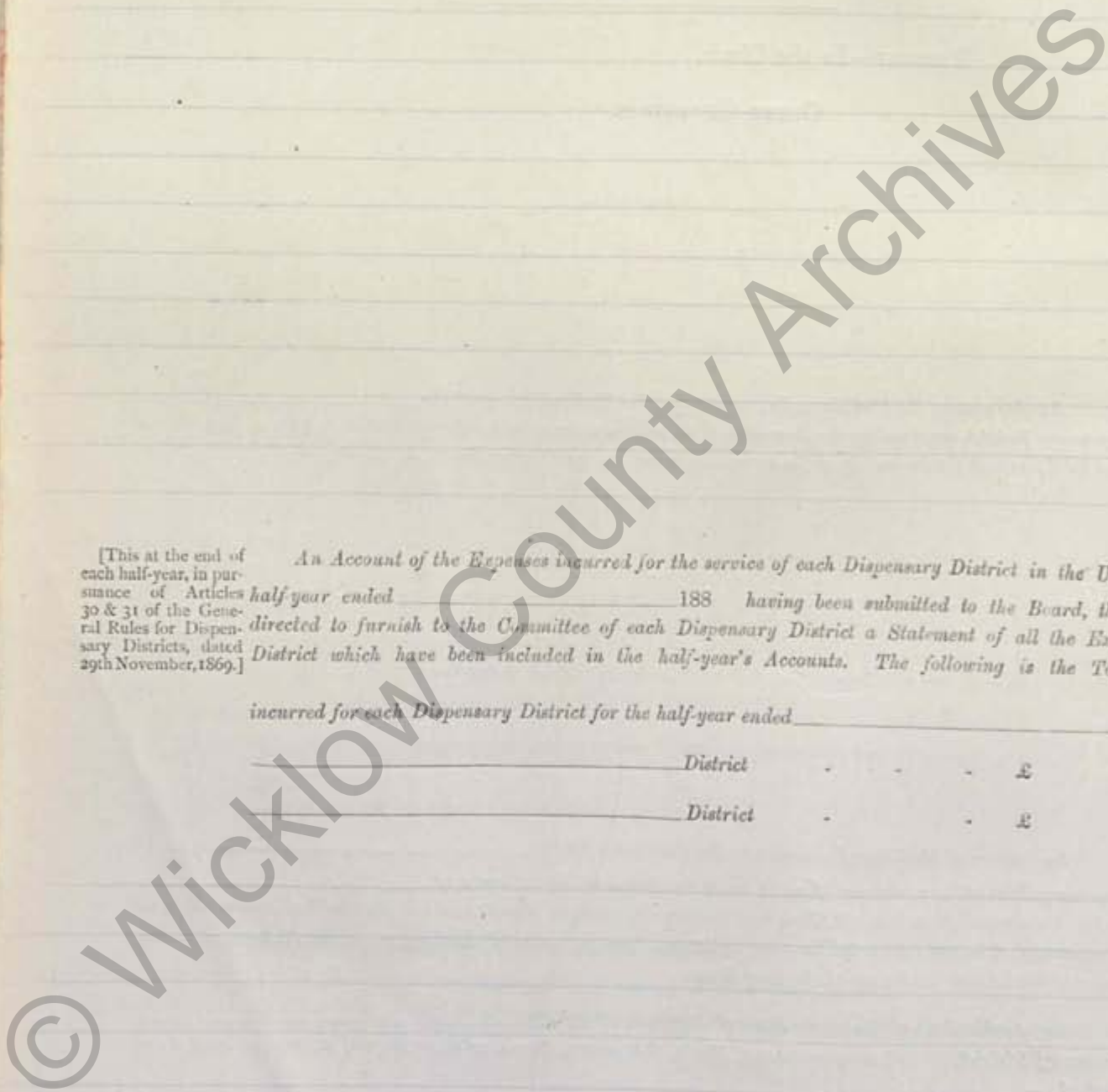
Dispensary District.

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 _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____

_____ of _____

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Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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Read Letter from Local Govt. Board dated 19th instant

stating that
requesting to be furnished with certified copies of the plans &c. of the proposed ~~building~~ Dispensary and Doctor's Residence, as applied for in their letter of the 22nd of January last.

Order - Mr. Perry to be requested to furnish same.

Read the following minute of proceeding of Newbridge Dispensary Committee—

"At a meeting held this day - 21st June 1889 - at Newbridge Dispensary to take into consideration an application from the Medical Officer - Dr. Hudson, for one month's leave, members present
Lt. Col. Howard Brooke D in the Chair
Messrs Isaac Manley, P.H., Richard Duke, George Duke, & John Fitzsimon—

Proposed by Lt. Col. Howard Brooke & seconded by Mr. Isaac Manley, P.H. and passed unanimously that Dr. Hudson get a month's leave of absence from the 3rd of July in consequence of Mr. Hudson's state of health, & that Dr. Ryan, Redcross be appointed his substitute at £2.2.0 per 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.:

Approved by the Guardians — R.R.D.
26/6/89

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.
Mun	D Manning	3	15	-
	L. Barnes	3	15	-
	J D Edge	8	15	-
	J Mauley	5	-	-
	J Loring	6	5	-
	R Ellison	8	15	-
	J F Evans	7	10	-
	P Curly	2	10	-
Dispensaries	S. Garland	3	15	-
	" Molony	3	15	-
	" Payne	3	15	-
	" Ryan	3	15	-
	" Hudson	3	15	-
	" Liversidge	2	10	-
	" Dwyer	3	15	-
	" Walsh	6	5	-
	D Manning	6	5	-
	M New	3	15	-
J Newson	15	-	-	
J Green	6	10	-	
M New	5	-	-	
J Molony	2	10	-	
R. Green	5	-	-	
J. Graham	5	-	-	

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 25th instant from Mr. John B Evans SSO Arklow, calling the attention of the Guardians to certain trespasses of persons on the two old grave yards at Arklow, in consequence of breaches made in the boundary walls of the grave yards; and recommending that a Caretaker be appointed to mind these grave yards.

Order

Mr Evans to be requested to state what he considers the repairs necessary would cost.

J. P. Dwyer
Clerk

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd

day of July 1889

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

121

Population in 1881 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128315 14

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of June 1889

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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Temporary Buildings ..	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	<u>2</u>												
Fever Sheds	—													
TOTAL	639	<u>207</u>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			<u>43</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>	"	<u>17</u>	<u>214</u>	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards <u>72</u>	In separate Wards in Wards with other inmates <u>21</u>
Admitted during the Week			<u>26</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1</u>			<u>1</u>	"		<u>34</u>	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital <u>2</u>	TOTAL <u>41</u>
TOTAL,			<u>69</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>57</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>11</u>	"	<u>17</u>	<u>248</u>	TOTAL,	<u>41</u>
Discharged during the Week			<u>29</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>				<u>2</u>			<u>41</u>	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Died														
Total Discharged and Dead			<u>29</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>				<u>2</u>			<u>41</u>	No. Relieved during week	<u>25</u>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			<u>40</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>9</u>	"	<u>17</u>	<u>207</u>	No. in Workhouse at date	<u>5</u>
													No. at corresponding period last year,	<u>238</u>

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of June 1889 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.	<u>90</u>	<u>148</u>	John D. Edges
No. II.	<u>99</u>	<u>157</u>	John Manley
No. III.	<u>203</u>	<u>342</u>	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	<u>81</u>	<u>138</u>	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	<u>473</u>	<u>785</u>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of July 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Board on this day —
 only two Guardians being present:
 viz: Captain Drought P., V.C., and
 Mr Edward Ellison.

R. P. Drought
 C. M.

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:—

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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 _____ 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 FARRÉLL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

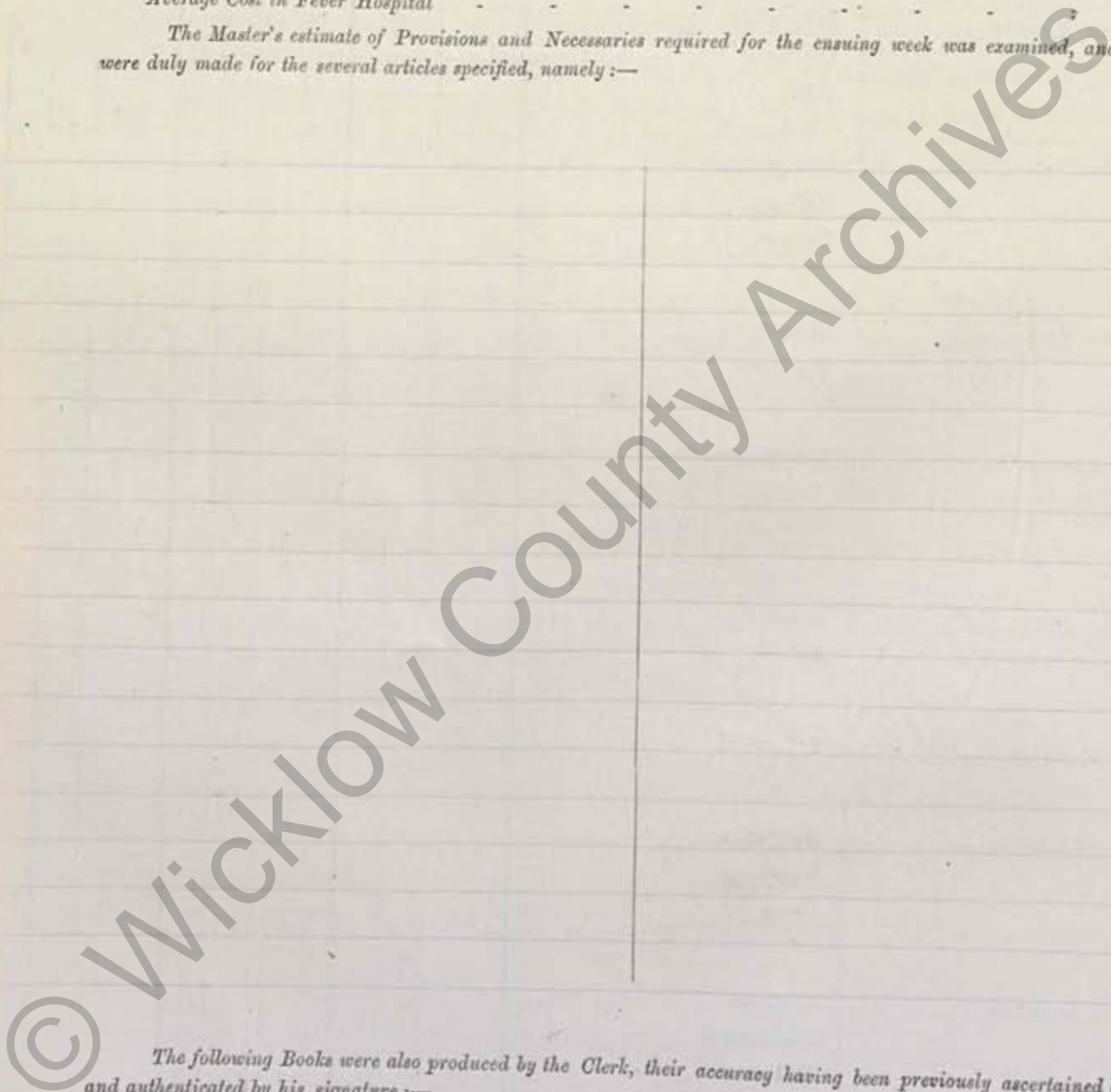
NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <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 _____ day of _____ 188 _____ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	£	s.	d.
In Kind	£	s.	d.
Total	£	s.	d.

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.

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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):—

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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
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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 day of 188

Signed,
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 WEDNESDAY,
the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*An Estimate of 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.

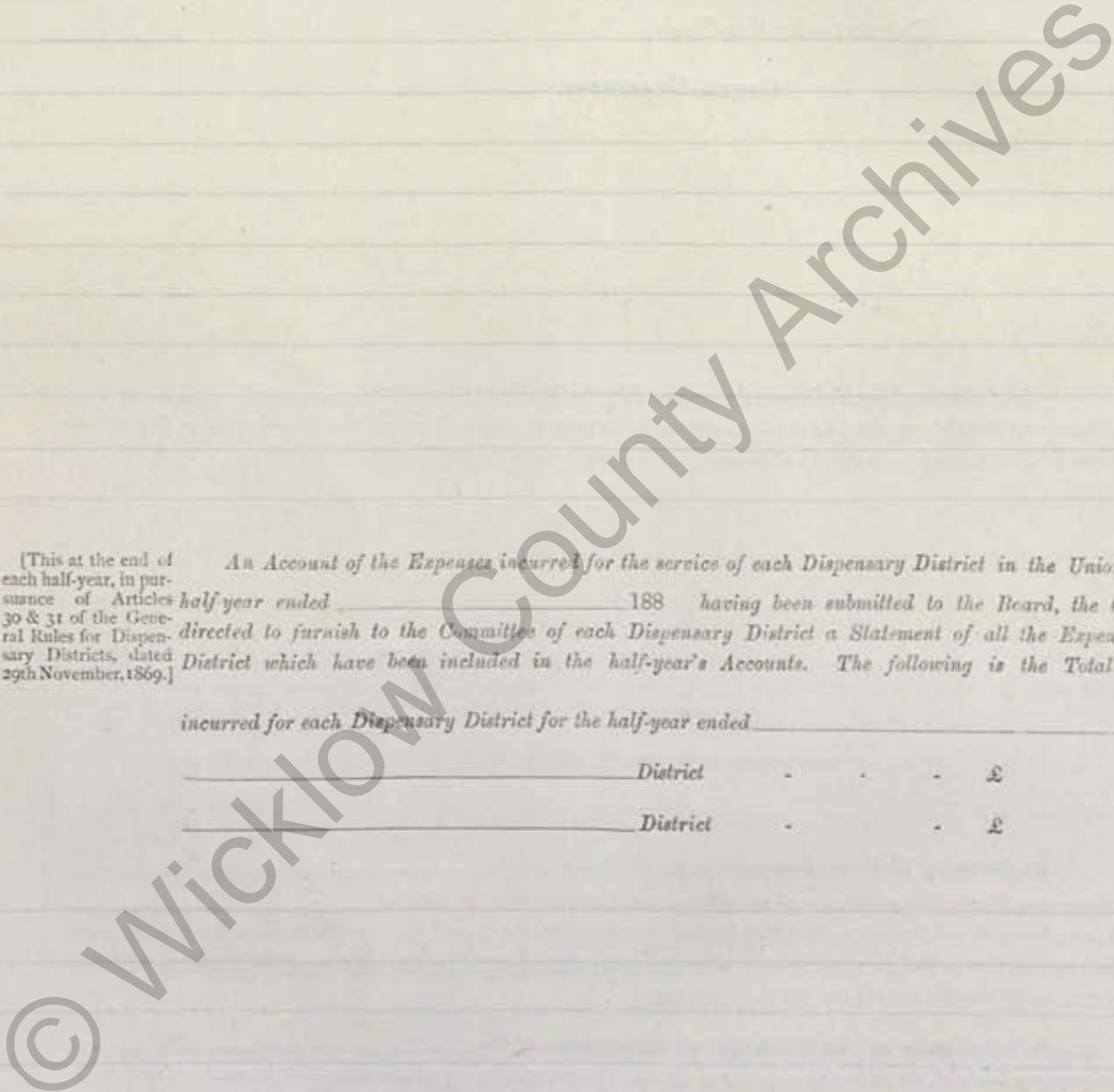
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

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



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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the.....

day of 188

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

141

Population in 1881— 34403 —

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of July 1889

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	191														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	669	194														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			40	26	50	59	2	4	9	2	17	249				
Admitted during the Week			32	4	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	42	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 67 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In separate Wards 21 In Wards with other Inmates 20		7
TOTAL,			72	30	50	59	2	4	9	4	21	249	TOTAL, 70	TOTAL, 41		
Discharged during the Week - Died			36	5	5	—	—	1	—	2	3	52				
Total Discharged and Dead			36	5	7	1	—	1	—	2	3	55	No. Believed during week 31 No. in Workhouse at date 7	2	2	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			36	25	43	58	2	3	9	—	18	144	No. at corresponding period last year, 175			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of July 1889 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.	90	148	John D. Edge
No. II.	99	157	John Manley
No. III.	206	349	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	480	791	= 748

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of July 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain R R Drought JP VC

Other Guardians:—

- Mr. John J. Curley JVC
- " John Byrne
- " L Wolohan
- " D Cudrew
- " E Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1662 to No. 1715 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 _____ 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arlow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclesh ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	37	69	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	38	0	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	4
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:—

2 weeks

- 1750 *Loaves Bread*
- 438 *Galls Newmills*
- 70 *" Pottermills*
- 38 *Mr Butter*
- " meat*
- Needs*
- 3 *Chests Tea*
- 5 *Galls Whiskey*
- 2 *½ Bus Potatoes*
- 1 *Box Currants*
- ½ *cutt. Starch*
- 14 *lbs Olive*
- 2 *cut Salt*

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 *July* 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	41	4	6
In Kind		1	2
Total	42	7	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	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	14	1	10
M Grant	Milk	18	13	6
J Kille	Meal	11	4	=
J Muntagh	Reps	16	12	6
W Phiney	Leather do	3	10	2
"	Wings do	2	5	4
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J McAnnamara	Job Fees	25	11	3
J F Evans	San. Ex	10	:	:
D J'Brien	minutes & M	7	10	:
J Flavin	Reps do	20	:	:
Returning Off.	election Exps	2	13	3
A Barnes	Salz	4	4	-
Infus Flax to pay				
A Limerick	Varn Fees	2	14	2
J Ryan	Reps	7	:	:
B Kennedy	Comp for Pig	10	:	:
A McDonald	"	1	:	:
M Walsh	Pap Punt	15	:	:
C Ellis	Reps	14	9	
A Mannifolds	PV Pa Dep	1	6	-
J Levingston	Salz	1	5	-
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		8	11	9
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M Barnes	Salz	7	4	=

£ 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 1st instant, from the Local Govt. Board in reference to the site of a Cottage proposed to be erected on the lands of Mr. Dehnunt of Ballygomell under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts:

The Rly Board state that unless the Guardians can obtain a suitable alternative site it will be necessary to omit this cottage from the Provisional Order which is being prepared in respect of the Guardians Improvement Scheme No. 2,

Order —

The Local Government Board to be informed that this cottage will not be proceeded with:

Read Letter from Same Dated the

5th instant, transmitting an Order for payment to Mr. Francis Kennedy, Solicitor, of a sum of one Guinea as costs against the Sanitary Authority in respect of his attendance at the Local Inquiry to oppose on behalf of Captain Stewart portion of an Improvement Scheme made by the Guardians under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts.

Ordered to be paid

Read Letter from Same of Same Date, forwarding for payment by the Guardians the Returning Officers Account of Expenses attending the General Election of Guardians in March last, amounting to £2:13:3;

Ordered to be paid. -

Read Letter Dated the 6th instant from the Lords Justices of Ireland forwarding for the information of the Guardians a Copy of the "Rabies (Ireland) Order, 1886;" and calling the attention of the Board to a recent supposed case of canine rabies in this Union; and also requesting the Guardians to consider the propriety of making regulations as to dogs in the Union.

Order -

The case alluded to does not appear to have been one of Rabies, and the Guardians do not consider it necessary to take any action at present.

Read Letter Dated the 26th Ultimo from the Governors of Richmond Lunatic Asylum applying for an Order for admission to this Workhouse of Michael Carrick who was

sent to the Asylum from this Workhouse on the 18th of December 1886; and she is now ordered to be discharged from the Asylum:

Order granted.

Read Letter Dated the 29th Ultimo from Mr. J. K. Jorney, Solicitor to the Board under the Labours (Ireland) Act requesting to be furnished with the copy of the Improvement Scheme No. 2, and the report of the Local Government Board Inspector:

Order - Copy of Scheme to be forwarded.

Read Letter from Saml. Cole Master Jailor of the Workhouse, applying that a boy named Quinn, an inmate of the Workhouse, should be apprenticed to him:

Refused:

Read Magistrate's Order directing payment of One Pound to Dr. H. B. Brew, Medical Officer of Foray Dispensary District for examining a Dangerous Lunatic named Jane Byrne;

Order -

to be sent to Rathdown Union, Dr. Brew not being a Medical Officer of this Union.

The following Claims to be rated were allowed:

Michael Walsh, Arklow,	✓	Bernard Grant:
Rich ^d Woodroffe, " "	✓	John Jorney
John Smith, " "	✓	Math ^s Peniston
Wm Murray, " "	✓	Vacant
Edw ^d Jordan, Furankstown	✓	Lewis Beakey

Mr. Newson V.I. reported that on the 30th of June last he inspected a pig belonging to William Hall of Poolaphoca, which had been suffering from Swine Fever, and killed by the owner:

On the 3rd instant he inspected two pigs the property of Hannah McDonald of Parniskey & found them to be affected with Swine Fever; He ordered them to be slaughtered and valued them at £1 each:

Order - Half the value to be paid to the owner: -

Collector McAnanama appeared before the Board and exhibited his account and arrears sheet in relation to his collection of last years Rates:

The following resolution was proposed by Mr. Dan's Condon and seconded by Mr. L. Wolohan

Resolved -

That the List furnished by the Rate Collector in Mullow Division be accepted as satisfactory and that he be paid his per centage fees on the amount of Rate Collected by him:

Papadunamian

10th July 1889

R. R. D.

R. R. Drought

(L. R.)

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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

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 17th day of July 1889

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 10th day of July 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Captain Drought R VC

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, £ _____

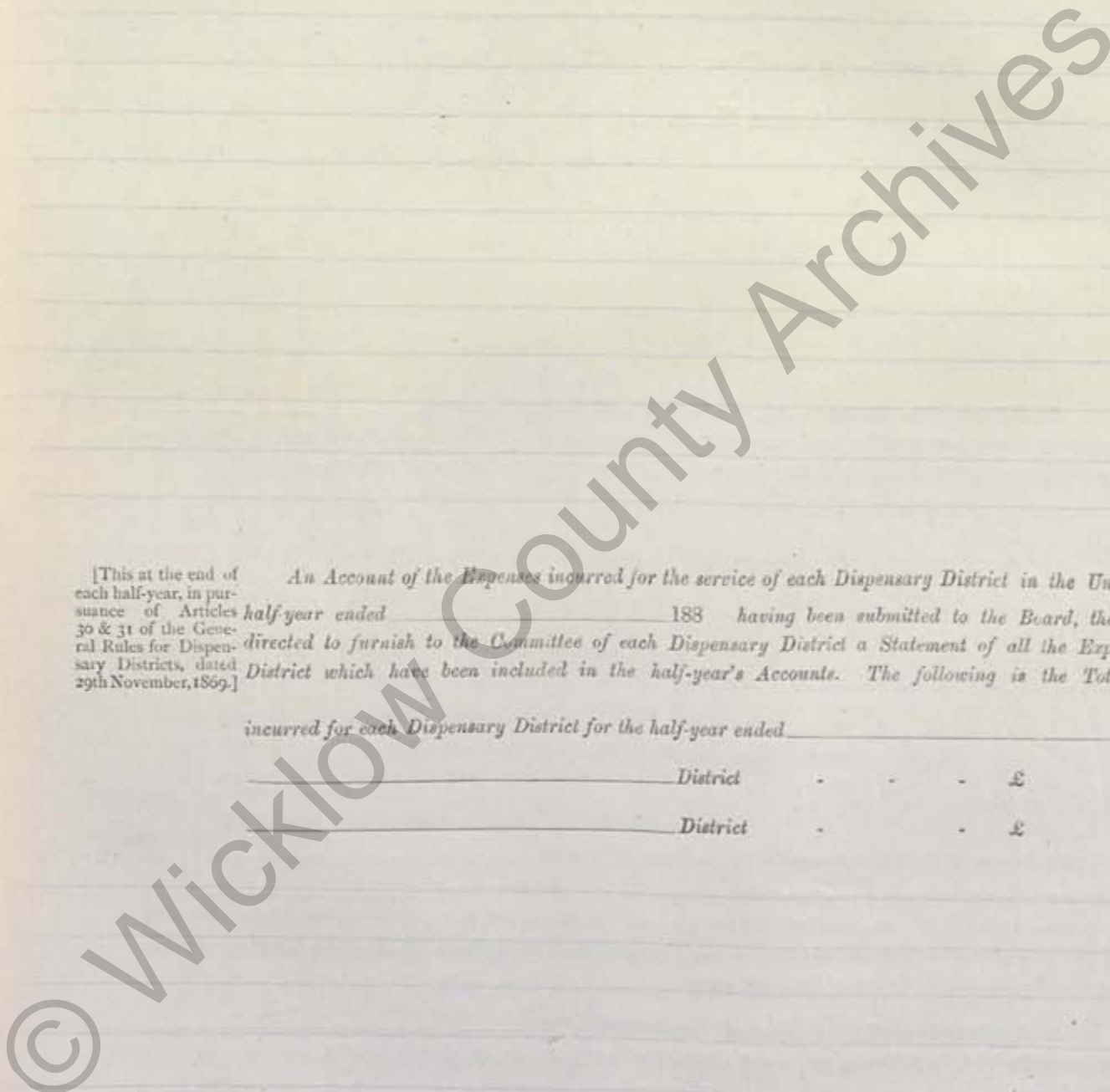
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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 26th Ultimo, ~~asking that~~ expressing their sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £2:2:0 a week proposed to be allowed to S. Barnes for his services as temporary substitute for S. Dwyer, Medical Officer of Rathfriland Dispensary District:

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 1st instant re: requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in Ardillon & Newbridge Dispensary Districts reported in May last, have since complied with the Law:

Order — The Medical Officer to be applied to for this information:

Read Letter from Same Dated the 4th instant, expressing their sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £2:2:0 a week proposed to be paid to S. Ryan for his services as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of Newbridge Dispensary District:

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

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

Anghrini — 5 Defaulters —
Newcastle — 28 " including 15 who were reported before, and some of whom the Medical Officer recommends to be proceeded against

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

Notices to be served in the usual manner: Mr. Ellison RO to confer with S. Lovelock and two suitable cases to be proceeded against:

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
Arlow	S. Molony	The want of a trap in connection with the Sewer at the Market House, in the town of Arlow	Order - To be referred to the Sanitary Sub Officer as to probable expense

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 2nd instant from Mr J F Evans 850 Arklow; stating that he estimates the cost of repairing the boundary walls of the two old grave yards in Arklow will be about £2.10.0

Mr. Evans states further that Mrs Troy has a range of out offices, which bound the old Abbey grave yard, in which are two windows that open into the grave yard, and it appears there is an amount of trespass through them. He suggests that these windows be closed up or iron bars placed on them.

Order—

These repairs to be executed, and Mrs Troy to be requested to give permission to have the window:

R. F. Doughty

(L. M.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 17th
day of July 1889
Signed, *P. Manning*
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 178315/14-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of July 1889

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	3															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	202															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			36	25	43	58	2	3	9	—	18	194	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week			40	4	5	2	—	1	1	1	—	34	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other inmates	20	11
TOTAL,			76	29	48	60	2	4	10	1	18	248	TOTAL,	71	TOTAL,	41	
Discharged during the Week			37	4	2	1	—	—	1	1	—	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			37	4	2	1	—	—	1	1	—	46	No. Believed during week	34	4	5	43
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			39	25	44	59	2	4	9	—	18	202	No. in Workhouse at date	6	1	1	8
													No. at corresponding period last year,				223

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 day of July 1889 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet., 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.	90	148	John D. Edge
No. II.	98	153	John Manley
No. III.	205	343	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	478	781	= 738

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of July 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain Drought A VC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley D VC
 " Thos. Acton D VC
 " Vincent Clements
 " Edm. P. Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1716 to No. 1760 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

- - - - - £ 144 : 14 : 5

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 450 : 6 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 379 : 4 : 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEAENS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	59	8	2
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	36	17	2
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	1
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 :—

850 Loaves Bread
 210 Galls Newmill
 35 " Pruttermill
 18 lbs Powder
 330 " Meat
 32 Heads
 15 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 13th day of July 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	41	7	10
In Kind		16	6
Total	£ 42	23	16

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	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>Em Quirk</i>			
<i>W. D. O'Brien</i>			
<i>Ment</i>	25	4	-
<i>Hay</i>	7	-	-

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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 10th instant from the Local Government Board, calling for the the usual Quarterly Return of Rates made &c.

Read Letter Dated the 12th instant from the Commissioners of Public Works, stating that the application of the Guardians for the balances of the Loans granted to carry out Improvement Schemes under the Labours (Ireland) Act in respect of the Electoral Divisions of Ballinacorney and Glencal has been forwarded for the recommendation of the Local Government Board.

Read Letter from Local Govt. Board Dated the 16th instant, requesting to be furnished with statements of the Value of the

work executed, and the expenditure & liability incurred by the Guardians in relation to the Schemes referred to in the letter of the Comptroller of Public Works:

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant from Mr. Reeves, Male Infirmary Nurse, asking for leave of absence for four days.

Leave granted, if he can be spared by the Medical Officer.

Ordered - That the Rate Collectors be called on to close their collections without any further delay.

Ordered - That the remainder of the Coal Contractors Supply be advertised; Contracts to be taken on the 31st instant.

Charles G. Fottitman
24/1/89. Clerk

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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	...	...	...	9
Ditto disallowed	...	..	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	3

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered
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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 24th day of July 1889

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 17th day of July 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

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:

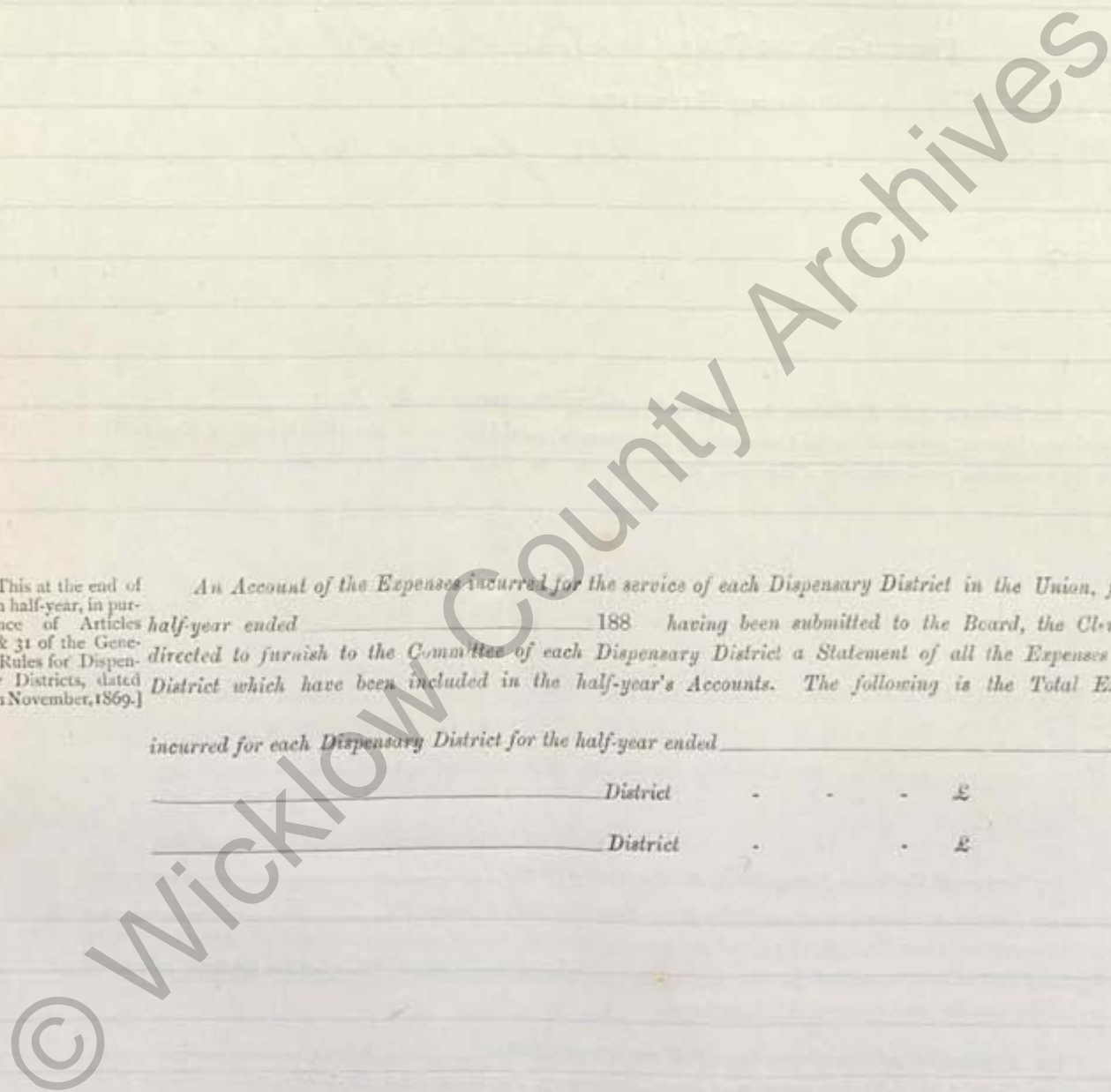
Dispensary District.

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 _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

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



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 Govern. Board dated 12th instant

~~stating that~~
transmitting for the information of the Guardians an extract from the Report Form L of the Med. Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District, in which he draws attention to the delay on the part of the Contractor for Medicines &c. in forwarding the supply of Medicines ordered for the use of his Dispensary:

Order—

The Contractor to be written to urging more expedition in delivery of goods, and also requesting him to furnish the Medical Officer with the Invoice at the same time:

Read Letter Dated the 14th instant from D. Molony, Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary stating that the Vaccination Defaulters in his District are gradually complying with the Law

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Newcastle	D. Loverock	Report relating to a nuisance arising from a penes issuing from the garden and yard of Mr. Ganett; Kilwole;	Order - Notice to be served on Mr. Ganett requiring him to abate the 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 Letter Dated the 16th instant from Mr J. P. Evans 850 Arklow, stating that the cost of setting the stench trap on the sewer at the Market House, in the town of Arklow, will be about £1; he having a stench trap on hand.

Order this work to be done.

Read Letter Dated the 16th instant, from Mrs New, Registrar of Arklow Cemetery, complaining of the conduct of Hogan the Grave-Digger, who is neglecting his work and disobeying orders.

Order - Referred to the consideration of the Board at the Special Meeting on the 31st instant.

= Charles Tottenham
Chair. 24/7/89 -

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 24th.....

day of July 1889

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128 315 : 14 / -

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of July 1889

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	550	201															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	630	204															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	25	46	59	2	4	9	—	18	202	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week			24	4	4	—	3	1	1	2	1	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL,			63	29	50	59	5	5	10	2	19	242	TOTAL,	73	TOTAL,	41	
Discharged during the Week			24	3	2	2	4	1	1	1	—	38	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			24	3	2	2	4	1	1	1	—	38	No. Relieved during week	23	4	5	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			39	26	48	57	1	4	9	1	19	204	No. in Workhouse at date	4	2	—	6
													No. at corresponding period last year,				218

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of July 1889 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.	89	147	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	161	John Manley
No. III.	208	347	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	482	792	= 718

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of July 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.R. Ch.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
 " Harry A. Nube D.P.
 " Edward Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1761 to No. 1840 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 *against* 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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinaeor ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	36	7	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	37	13	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	1
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:—

- 870 Lanes Bread
- 210 Galls Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 19 lbs Butter
- 330 " Meat
- 30 Olands
- 1 Dg: Wine
- 2 ½ Pr. Porter
- 18 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 20th day of July 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	41	13	6
In Kind		15	0
Total	£ 42	8	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, on 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	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.
J Flower			
M Byrne			
Repairs Laundry	10	-	-
Bread	14	17	4

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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 19th instant, from the Local Government Board, forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a Draft of the Provisional Order proposed to be issued in confirmation of an Improvement Scheme made by them under the Land Drainage (Ireland) Act, and requesting to be informed of the number of Copies of the Order that will be required for service in pursuance of Sec. 7 of the Act of 1883, also requesting certain other particulars as set out in the letter:

Order— Mr. Dowling J.P. to be written to & requested to consult the Newcastle Committee as to which of the sites selected on the townland of Drinnacree is to be omitted from the Order.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 20th informing the Guardians that they have received a communication from the Commissioners of National Education certifying that the full amount of redult's fees which would accrue to the Teachers of the Workhouse Schools consequent upon the examination held on the 16th of January 1889, if the school were an ordinary National School and the Union contributory would be as follows

viz.

Andrew Payne	6.15.0
do Agriculturalist	1.2.6
Catherine Payne	6.1.6

Rs. 19.0.

Order - To be considered on the 31st instant.

Read Letter Dated the 19th instant from Mr J K Jarney, Solicitor to the Board under the Laburers (Ireland) Acts requesting payment of a balance of £ 38.4.3, due to him on foot of an account furnished in February last under No. 1 Improvement Scheme.

Order - Account to be looked up and brought forward at a future meeting.

Read Letter from Mr Berry, Architect to the Guardians under the Laburers (Ireland) Acts dated the 23rd instant, stating that as soon as the Contractor in building the two Laburers cottages at Ballykillwaine in General E.D. has complied with all his instructions, he will inspect the cottages and take up the Keys:

Ordered that the instruction be communicated with:

Read Letter Dated the 23rd instant from Messrs Leslie & Co. Medicine Contractors, stating in reply to the Guardians letter that they regret that any delay should arise in the delivery of the Medicines ordered for Newcastle Dispensary, & promising that in future they will be careful to give no cause of complaint in this respect, and that the invoices shall be sent to the Medical Officers immediately the goods are despatched.

Read report from Mr. Newsum V.D. Dated the 23rd instant stating that on the 22nd instant he inspected a Pig belonging to Daniel Curran of Prosty Gath, which he found to be affected with Swine Fever and ordered to be slaughtered.
Value £4:

Order - Compensation to be paid according to Statute.

Mr. Newsum also reported that it is now 28 days since Swine Fever existed on the premises of Bridget Kennedy of Rathdrum.

Order - Restrictions to be removed.

The Medical Officer of the Workhouse, Dr. Barnes, applied for leave of absence for one month to Dr. Dwyer to attend the Workhouse during that period.

Leave granted

In view of the Balance against the Board on the Treasurers Account, and the weekly claims for current expenses, the Guardians request that the L.G. Board will expedite as much as possible the payment to their Credit of the Parliamentary Grant in respect of Medical & Educational Expenses for the half year ended the 25th of March last.

31/7/89.

By J. Atkinson Clerk.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	12
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	-

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	✓
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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 31st day of July 1889

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 24th day of July 188 9

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Samuel Tottenham D.C. Clerk

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 181

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.

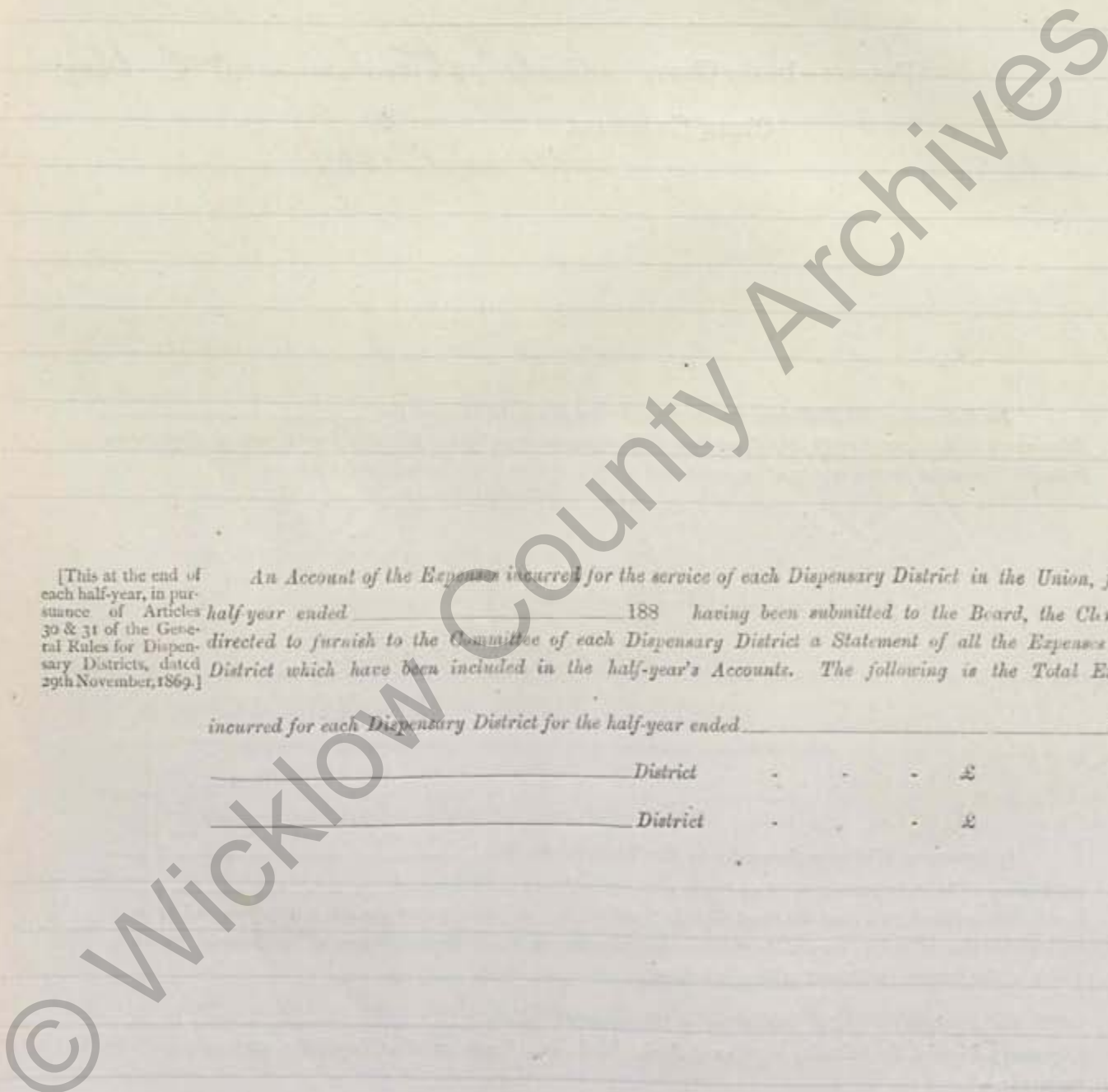
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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.)

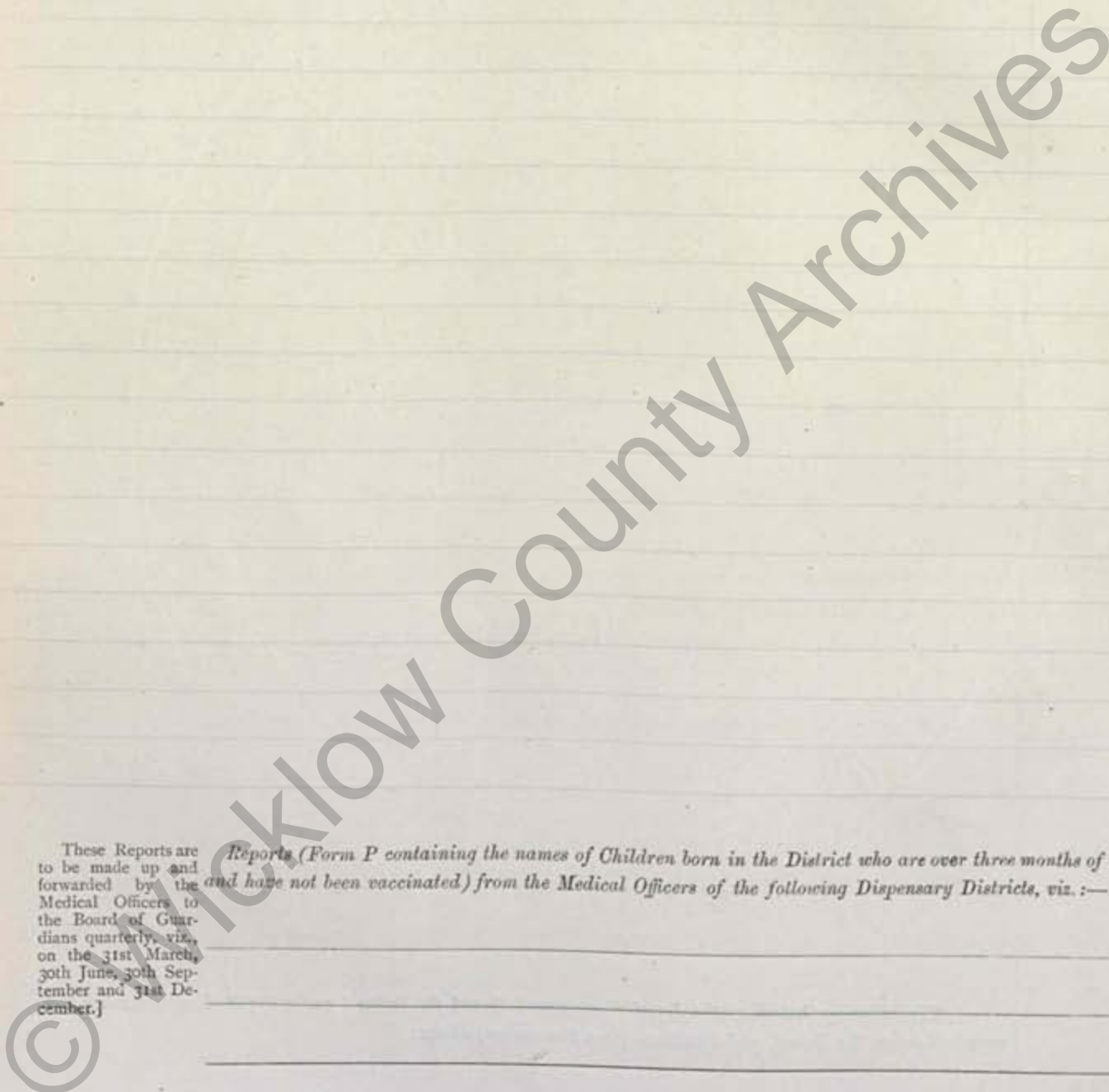
The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

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
Drumh.	Dr. Ryan	<p>Two Reports relating to two houses stated to be unfit for human habita- -tion.</p> <p>31/7/09 -</p>	<p>Order - Notices to be served on occupants and immediate removal.</p> <p>Charles Tottenham Chair.</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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd
day of July 1889

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128315 : 14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of July 1889

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	216														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	669	219														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	26	48	57	1	4	9	1	19	204				
Admitted during the Week			37	7	3	1	1	1	2	4	2	58		14		
TOTAL,			76	33	51	58	2	5	11	5	21	262				
Discharged during the Week			31	5	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	42			
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			31	5	1	2	—	—	—	—	2	2	43			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			45	28	50	56	2	5	11	3	19	219				
												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 74 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3 TOTAL, 77		In separate Wards 21 In Wards with other Inmates 20 TOTAL, 41		
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Believed during week	33	3	8	44
												No. in Workhouse at date	7	1	5	13
												No. at corresponding period last year, 236				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of July 1889 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.	90	148	John D. Edge
No. II.	101	165	John Manley
No. III.	211	350	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	487	800	= 712

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of July 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham DL Chm

Other Guardians:—

- | | |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Capt. Drought RVC | Mr. L. Molohun |
| Mr. John J. Cowley RVC | " A. Sheehan |
| " Mr. John A. A. A. | " M. Doyle |
| " H. P. Mell A | " O. Byrne |
| " J. Casement R | " H. Sheehan |
| " E. E. Dumble R | " E. Chamney |
| " A. Taylor R | " E. Storey |
| " J. Dowling R | " V. Clements |
| " C. H. Wade R | " W. Grant, Mrs. Delahunt |
| " H. A. Dumble R | " E. Douce and Mr. Ellison |

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1841 to No. 1880 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 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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ „ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrin ...									
	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.

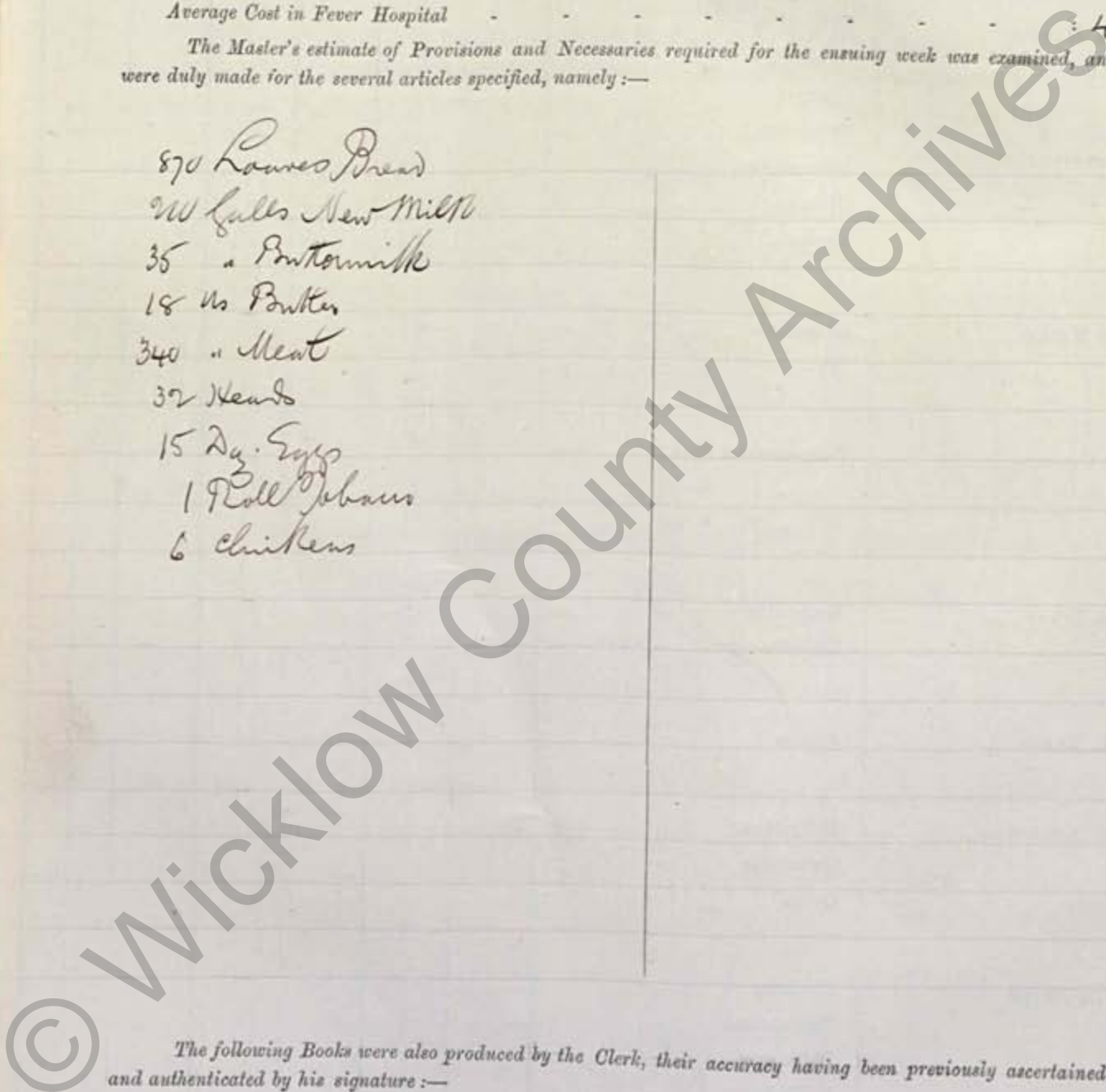
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	33	8	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	-
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	38	2	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-
Average Cost in Infirmary	-	-	3 : 2½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	-	-	4 : 1
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 :—

- 870 Loaves Bread
- 200 Galls New Milk
- 35 " Porter Milk
- 18 "s Porter
- 340 " Meat
- 32 Heads
- 15 doz. Eggs
- 1 Roll Tobacco
- 6 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 27th day of July 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	s.	d.
In Kind ...	44	16	6
		2	6
Total ...	£	44	19 : 0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
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.
J. Flower	15	=	=
W. Callaghan	20	9	10
S. G. G. G.	19	5	8
M. Doyle	6	12	8

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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 27th July 1889, from the Local Government Board, transmitting for the use of the Board of Guardians a copy of their Annual Report for the present year, being the seventeenth Report under the Local Government Board (Ireland) Act 1872.

The following Claims to be Rates were allowed.—

Miss Anne Farrell, Ballyteakin	v	John Farrell
Rev. P. J. Brennan, Ballinacorney	v	Rev. J. Doyle
Mr. Anne Prestage, Park	v	Mr. Prestage

A Tender was accepted from Mess^{rs} Pearson & Dany, Wicklow, proposing to supply 200 Tons of Whitehaven Coals, (South Harbour) @ 14/6 per Ton.

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The Board proceeded to the consideration of the notice of motion served by Mr Cowley DVC on the 26th of June last. when the following resolution was proposed by Mr Jewley and seconded by Mr Andrew Sheehan -

Resolved -

That the resolution of the Board by which the remuneration to be paid to Mr McAnanama for collecting Rates was fixed at 4th in the £ on all Rates collected and lodged by him within seven months from the receipt of each Warrant, and half that amount on all sums subsequently lodged, be rescinded for this year only so far as relates to the reduction of the poundage on the late Collection, and that he be paid full poundage fees on the entire amount collected and lodged by him ^{in respect of} the past years Collections.

Paper.

Recd Letter Dated the 29th July 1889 from Mr. J. K. Dooney, the Guardians Solicitor under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, stating that he is of opinion that 75 copies of the Provisional Order about to be issued by the Local Government Board in confirmation of the Guardians Improvement Scheme No 2 will be required for service upon the persons interested in pursuance of Section 7 of the Act of 1883.

The following notice of motion was served -

31st July 1889. -

viz:

I propose on this day 14 days I will bring a notice of motion to reduce the salary of all the Officers of the Workhouse except the Poor Rate Collectors.

Miss Doyle P.C.C.

J.S.D.

In reference to the letter of the Local Government Board of the 20th July 1889 stating that the full amount of Results Fees which would accrue to the Teachers of the Workhouse Schools consequent upon the examinations held on the 16th of January 1889, if the School were an ordinary National School and the Union contributory would be as follows

Andrew Byrne, Principal	£ 6.15.0
Katherine Byrne do	6.1.6
A Byrne, Agricultural Teacher	1.2.6

the following resolution was proposed by D. Drnell and seconded by M. L. Wolohan

Resolved -

That the several Results Fees, as stated above, be awarded to the Schoolmaster M. A. Byrne, and the Schoolmistress M. C. Byrne.

Passed unanimously
Cf. Tottenham

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Ledger & Abstracts of the Accounts of the Union for the half year ended the 25th of March last as Audited by G. W. Finlay Esq. L.G.B. Auditor on the 29th & 30th of July 1889.

The following entry was made in the Ledger by the Auditor on the Treasurer's account.

"The payments made as appearing on the Cr side of this account have (with the exception of Nos 151 and 297) been duly authorized and are supported by adequate Vouchers."

"As regards No 151 the £1 entered as paid to Doctor Garland having been erroneously charged a second time I disallow it, and debit the Clerk with the amount."

"As regards 297 I allow the payment subject to the production of the proper receipt at next Audit."

G. W. Finlay
30/7/89

The Abstracts were duly signed by the Chairman and Clerk of the Union.

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The Clerk of the Union reported the death of Collector Lewis, which took place on the 29th of July 1889.

Order - A new collector to be advertised for election to take place on the 14th of August 1889.

2

On the report and recommendation of the Glencoy Labourers Committee the rent of the two new cottages recently built at Bally-Killavane was fixed at $1\frac{1}{3}$ per week; no rent however to be charged for the first two months to enable the tenants to air and clean the houses.

Wm. J. Pottahan
Chairman

7/29/89-

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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	...	...	...	1
Ditto disallowed	...	..	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	3
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	✓

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	✓
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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 7th day of August 1889

Signed, P. Manning Clerk of the Union.

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, £ _____

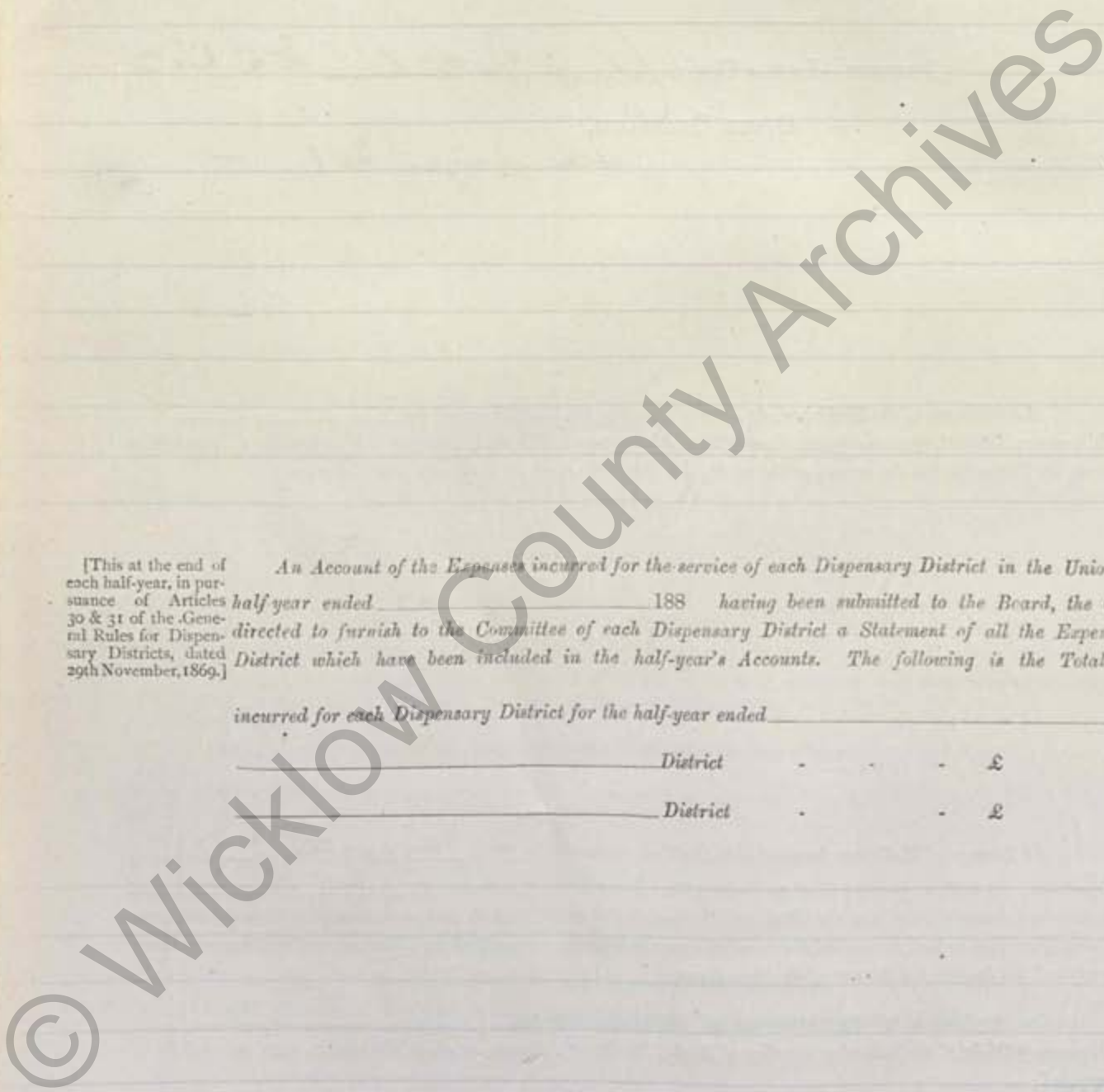
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District . . . £



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 Messrs. Kirby & Long ~~and~~ Solicitors to the Earl of
stating that

Meath, returning the Draft Lease and Encroachments of the plot of land proposed to be demised by Lord Meath to the Guardians for the purpose of creating a Doctors residence and Dispensary at Aughrim, in order that the Guardians may signify their assent to an alteration being made as to the quantity of land about to be demised, which it is now found should be 1 rood and 3 perches and not 1 rood and 6 perches as stated in the Lease.

Order - The Guardians agree to the proposed alteration being made in the Lease.

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
Arlow	S. Molony	Report relating to a nuisance in Brashams Lane, Arlow, from want of a covered sewer, in continuation of an existing one.	<p>Recommended a covered sewer for about 45 feet, and also arrange the line to Mr Birthislles gate</p> <p>Order -</p> <p>Referred to the Arlow Dispensary Committee, and the Secretary to be asked to summon a special meeting to consider the question and report as soon as possible.</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 from Mr. W. Green, Arklow; complaining of a nuisance in Brabham Lane at his house which he states is injurious to the health of his family:

Order - Referred to the Dispensary Committee:

Recd Letter from Mr. R. F. Evans, Kilsperdy, Dated the 22nd instant July 1889 calling the attention of the Sanitary Authority to a nuisance on his premises owing to the main reception sewer constructed by the Sanitary Authority being choked.

Order - Referred to the Dispensary Committee.

In reference to the Complaint preferred by the Registrar of the Arklow Cemetery against the Grave-diggers, it was proposed by Doctor Truell and seconded by Mr. Fowley, and

Resolved—

That the Grave digger at the Arklow Cemetery - John Hogan - be dismissed from that situation -

Further -

That the Dispensary Committee be requested to recommend to the Board a Grave digger for appointment in Hogan's place.

A tender was accepted from Mr. Mich. Walsh proposing to keep in repair for one year the 6 Public Pumps in the town of Arklow for the sum of £7.10.0

= Charles W. W. W. W.
7/3/89 -
Cham.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 7th
day of August 1889

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 178 315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of August 1889

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	208													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3													
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	669	211													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			45	28	50	56	2	5	11	3	19	219			
Admitted during the Week			31	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	39			
TOTAL,			76	32	54	56	2	5	11	3	19	258			
Discharged during the Week			32	2	6	—	1	1	2	1	—	45			
Died			—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2			
Total Discharged and Dead			32	2	8	—	1	1	2	1	—	47			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			44	30	46	56	1	4	9	2	19	211			
												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 72 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 3 TOTAL, 75		In separate Wards } 21 In Wards with other Inmates } 20 TOTAL, 41	
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
												Males	Females	Children under 13	TOTAL
												No. Relieved during week } 33 3 — 36 No. in Workhouse at date } 7 2 — 9			
												No. at corresponding period last year, 250			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of August 1889 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.	91	149	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	160	John Manley
No. III.	211	358	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	487	802	2708

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,

the 7th day of August 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.L. Ch^{rs}

Other Guardians:—

Mr John J Cowley D.V.C
 " Edward Ellison
 " Spurrinam

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1881 to No. 1920 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 against 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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Broekagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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.

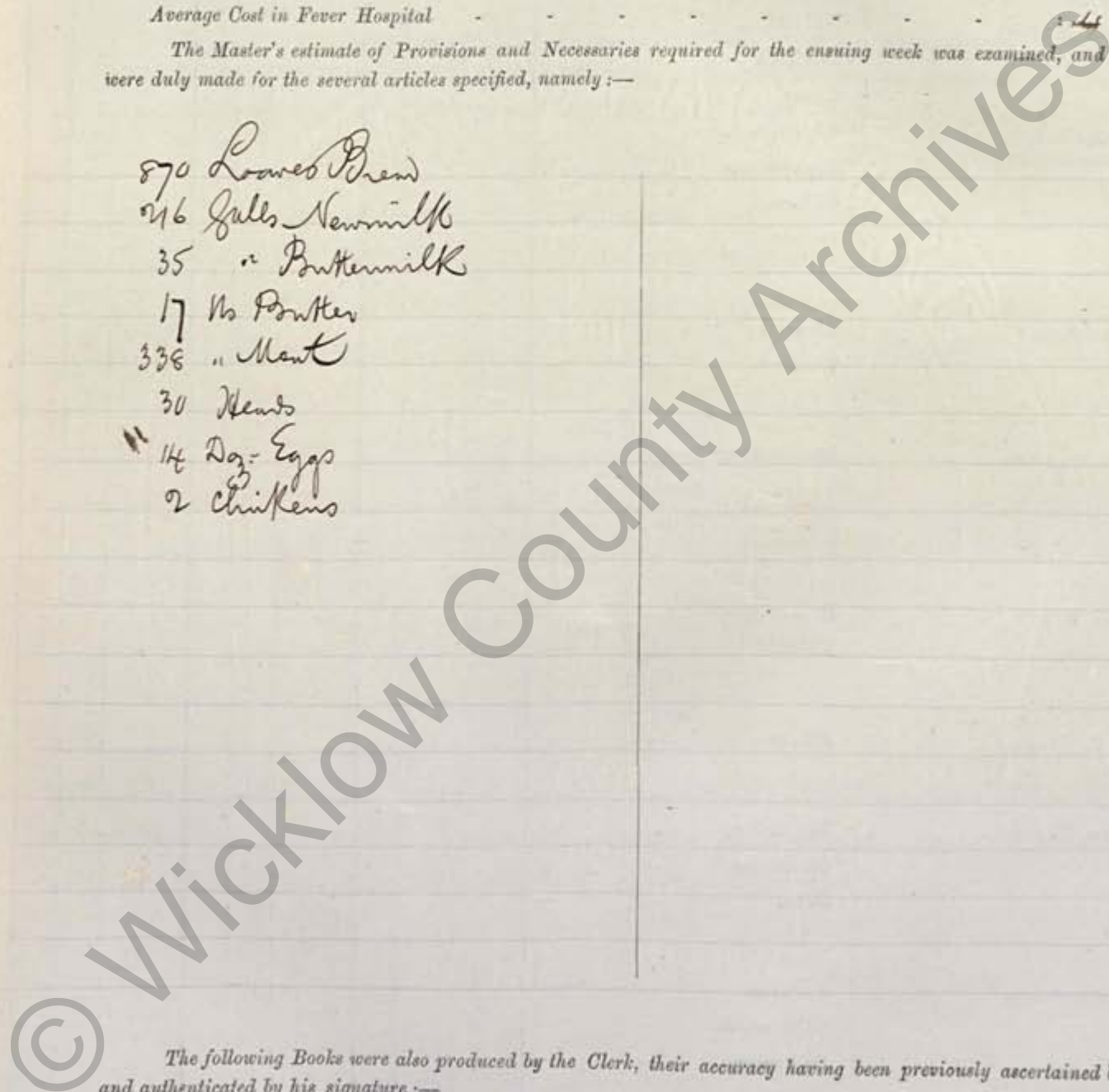
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	33	13	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	38	1	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2 ³ / ₄
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	1
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 :—

870 Loaves Bread
 216 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Porter's Milk
 17 lbs Potatoes
 338 " Meat
 30 Hens
 " 14 Doz Eggs
 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 3rd day of August 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	40	16	6
In Kind		10	0
Total	£ 41	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	20	-	-
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:—

		£	s.	d.
J F Evans	Saw	10	-	-
P Farrell	Job	32	11	5
M Payne	Bread	17	3	6
E Shurt	Milk	13	5	4
M J Payne	Eggs	5	11	7
S Kavanagh	Reg Fees	4	6	1
S. Halpin	"	3	15	-
" Dunger	"	2	6	6
W Murphy	"	2	-	8
J Levingston	"	1	17	3
S Lovemell	"	1	9	6
" Ryan	"		19	6
" Halpin	Lunatic Fee	1	=	=
J Fringe	Bricks	1	=	=
J Ellis	Reps		19	2
J Nettick	Jeffins	1	18	2
		9	3	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 :—

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, enclosing an Order on Her Majesty's Paymaster General for payment to the Guardians Credit a sum of $\pounds 368:11:5$ out of the Vote of Parliament on account of Medical and Educational Expenses during the half year ended the 25th of March last.

Read Letter from Same Dated the 6th instant transmitting the usual Query Sheet respecting the person who may be appointed to the Office of Poor Rate Collector in the Town of Mr Francis Kearns, deceased.

Read Letter from Same Dated the 6th instant, in reference to the Guardians Resolution

of the 31st Ultimo, proposing to allow Collector Mc-Annamara full poundage fees on all rates collected and lodged by him in respect of the past years collection, in reference to which the L.G. Board call the Guardians attention to their letter of the 21st of May last in regard to a similar proposal; and they state that they cannot approve of any departure from the terms on which a collector undertakes the collection of rates, and are therefore not prepared to sanction the payment of increased fees in the case of Mr. Mc-Annamara.

Order - To be considered this day week:

Read Letter from same of same date, in reference to the Guardians resolution proposing to pay to the Teachers of the Workhouse Schools the amount of results fees certified by the Principals of National Education, and pointing out that Section 12 of the National School Teachers Act, 1875, requires that 14 days notice of motion should be given in such cases.

Order - Notice to be served for first special meeting after next week.

Read Letter Dated the 6th instant from Mr. Perry Esq, the Guardians Architect under the Labours (Ireland) Act stating that the Cottages at Dally Killwane nearly now be occupied, and that the keys may be taken up from the Contractor:

= Charles J. Pottman
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	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	3

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered
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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 14th
day of August 1889

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 7th day of August 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Pattenham D.L. Chm.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Mr. John J. Crowley D.V.C.

" Edward Ellison

" Ginniam

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, £ _____

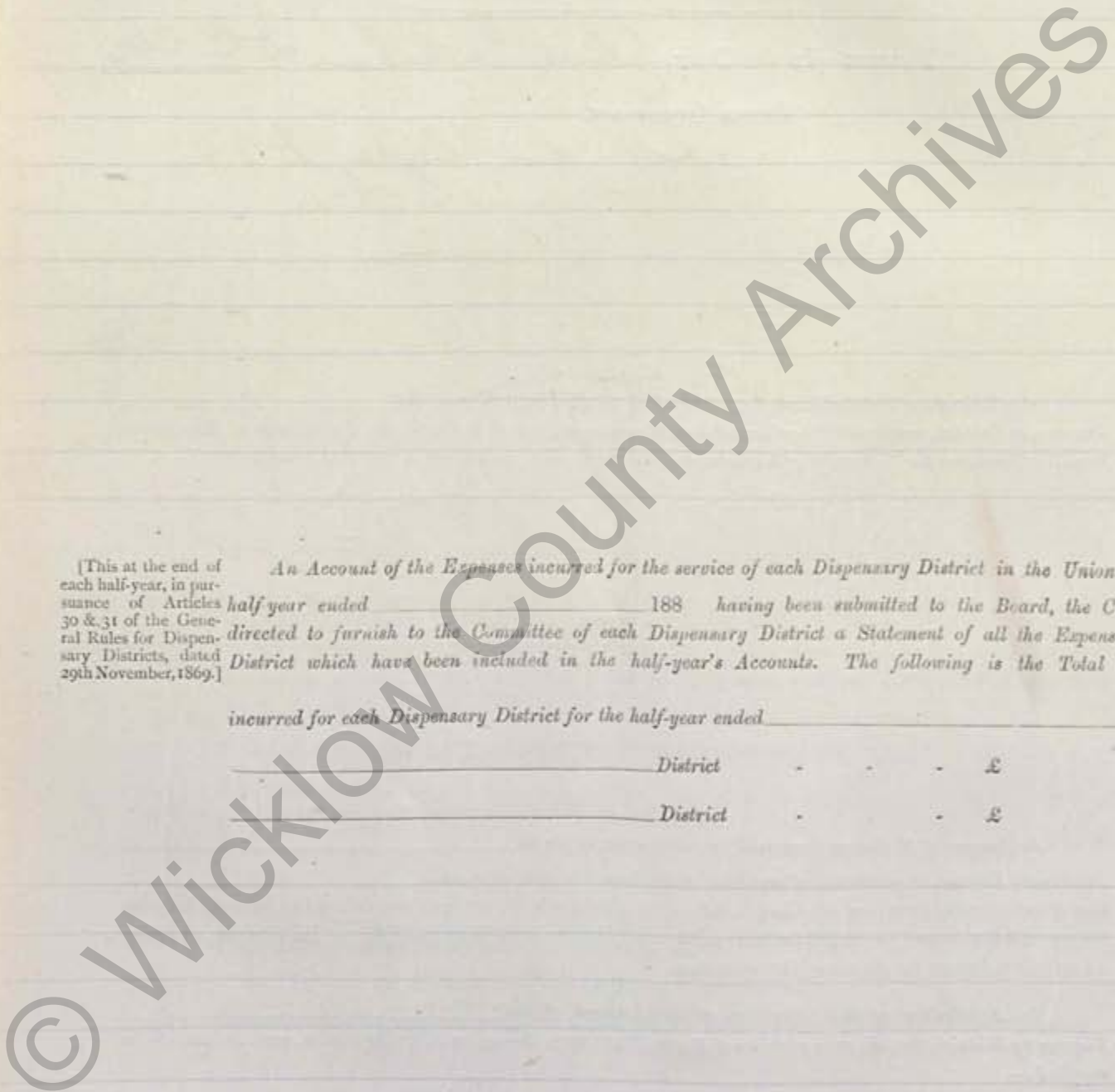
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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.)

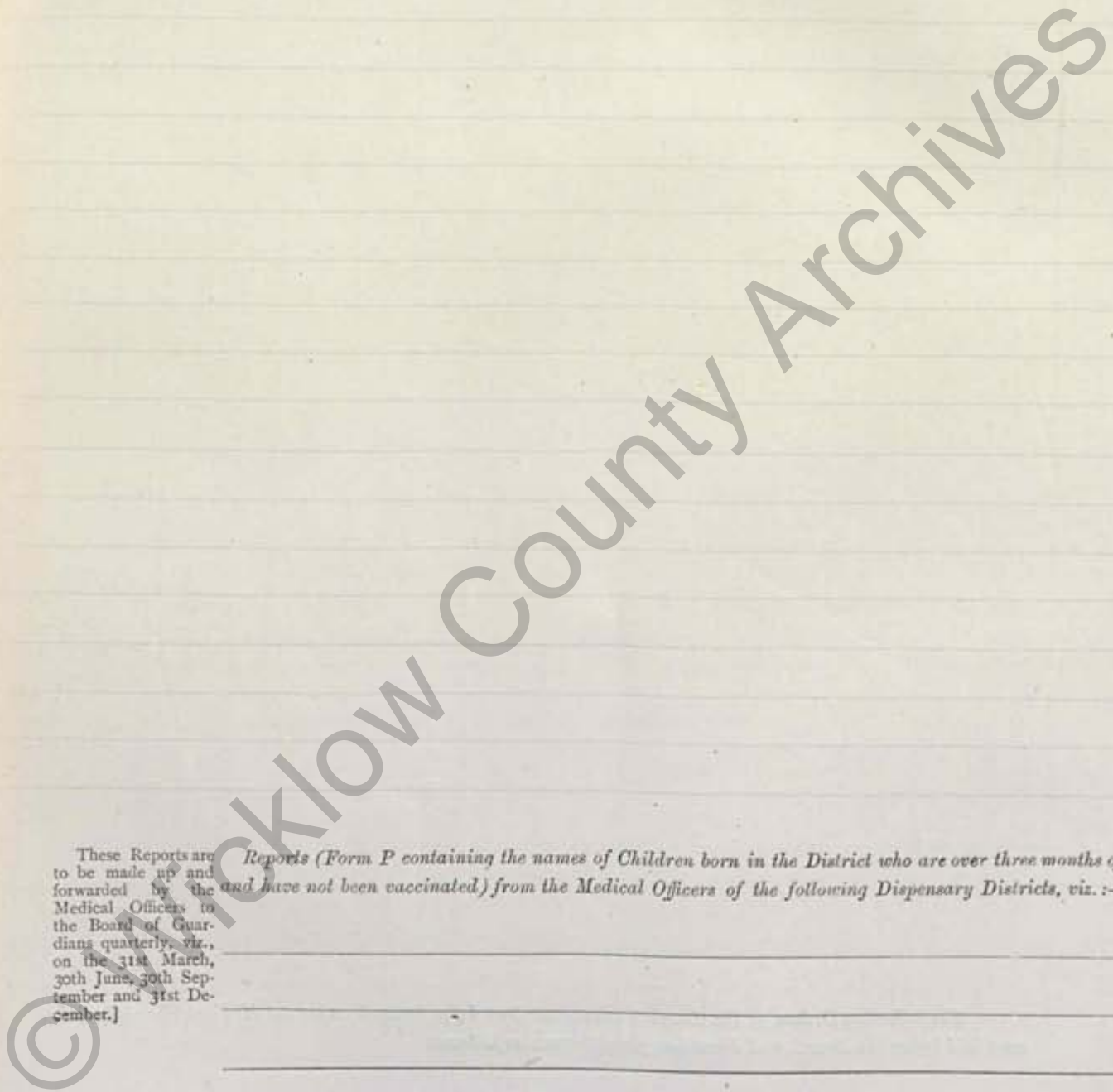
The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows) :—

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 2nd instant from the L.G. Board, transmitting an Order on Her Majesty's Paymaster General for payment to the Guardians credit of a sum of £57.19.7, out of the Parliamentary Grant towards Sanitary Salaries &c. paid by the Guardians during the half year ended the 25th of March last.

Read Report from the Medical Officer of Health of Wicklow District, stating that his attention having been called to the condition of the graveyard at Gleneuf, he made an inspection of it, but did not observe anything requiring his interference.

14/3/29.

Charles J. Tottenham
Chairman

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 14th

day of August 1889

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128 3 15/14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of August 1889

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	205															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	208															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			44	30	46	56	1	4	9	2	19	211	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	64	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week			35	10	6	1	2	—	3	1	1	59	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL			79	40	52	57	3	4	12	3	20	270	TOTAL	67	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week - Died			43	10	5	1	1	—	1	1	—	62	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Dead			43	10	5	1	1	—	1	1	—	62	No. Relieved during week	34	9	8	51
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			36	30	47	56	2	4	11	2	20	208	No. in Workhouse at date	6	2	2	10
													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 10th day of August 1889 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 41, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	90	144	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	160	John Manley
No. III.	211	352	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	85	137	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	486	793	408

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of August 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham D.R. Esq.

Other Guardians:— Captain Drought V.C. Mr. J. J. Cowley V.C.
 Mr. J. P. Nelson P. Mr. L. Wolohan Mr. E. Storey
 " H. P. Small P. " D. Somers " V. Clements
 " A. Taylor P. " A. Sheehan " J. Murphy
 " L. N. Byrne P. " M. Doyle " J. Manley
 " J. Dowling P. " J. Byrne " W. Grant
 " C. H. C. Ward P. " J. Byrne " P. Keely
 " H. A. Lamb P. " M. Byrne " J. Keane
 " E. N. Wynne P. " P. Miley " E. Ellison
 " H. Sheehan " J. Dawson
 " M. H. Jones " D. Byrne " Mr. Delahunt

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1921 to No. 1960 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

£ 449 : 1 : 0

Paid during the week £ 146 : 7 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 257 : 0 : 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
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	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	29	4	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	37	11	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary		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 :—

880 Lower Bread
 210 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Pontermilk
 18 lbs Potatoes
 330 " Meat
 33 Sheep Wends
 6 cwt Oatmeal
 14 Dg. Eggs
 2 1/2 Doz Dates

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of August 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	40	16	0
In Kind		19	0
Total	£ 41	15	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
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.
J Flower	10	-	-
E McQuirk	18	17	5
J Jansant	15	1	8
S. Ryan	8	8	-
" Molony	2	-	-

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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:—

I report
 I have to report that the Earl & Countess
 of Menth kindly asked the schoolchildren of the
 Union to the Copse House for yesterday, when
 the Earl and Countess in person entertained them
 with various games and a beautiful supper of
 Tea and cakes &c.

J. S.
 Secy.

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 claims to be rates from Mr. T. J. Shepard in respect of House & Lands at Sheep Hill and Fullen Upper in place of Mr. Henry Shepard.

Order - to be rates accordingly.

In reference to the Letter of the Local Government Board of the 6th instant, declining to sanction the proposal of the Guardians to pay Collector McAnana full poundage fees on all Rates collected and lodged by him in respect of the last year's collection, the following resolution was passed by the Guardians.

Proposed by Mr. Daniel Somers seconded by Mr. Wolohan
Resolved

That in consideration of the great difficulty in

collecting the Poor Rate on the Arklow Division, that Division having so many small sums to be collected on it, and the collector having given us the greatest satisfaction in the Collection of the Rates; We respectfully beg the Local Government Board will sanction the resolution passed by this Board on the 31st of July last, and grant the full poundage fees to the collector.

Passed - Charles J. Doherty

The Guardians proceeded to the election of a Poor Rate collector for No. 7 District in room of Mr. Francis Kearns, deceased.

There were three Candidates for the office who were duly proposed and voted for as follows

Ref:	1 st Poll	2 nd Poll
3 Mr. Mich. Miley	10	17
" Saml. Johnson	14	14
" Jas. McManama	7	-

Mr. Miley was accordingly declared duly elected:

Mr. Moses Doyle proceeded to move his resolution proposing to reduce the salary of each of the Officers of the Workhouse, except the Poor Rate collectors.

Mr. John Byrne raised a point of order to the putting of Mr. Doyle's resolution; inasmuch as the resolution of the Guardians passed in 1885 allowing all present office holders to enjoy their respective salaries during their continuance in office, has not been rescinded.

The Chairman ruled in favour of Mr. Byrne's objection, and declined to put Mr. Doyle's motion.

The following notices of motion were served

By:

We hereby give notice that on the 14th of September next we shall move that the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress of the Workhouse be paid the amount of Results Fees certified by the Commissioners of National Education as earned by them during last year.

Dated this 14th of August 1889

H. J. Farrell

Lawrence Wolohan

By

Proposed by J. Keef and seconded by Mr. M. Doyle that the resolution of May 1885 be rescinded relative to the officers salaries, on the 14th September.

By

The election of a grave digger for Millin Cemetery was postponed to this day fortnight.

The Master of the Workhouse obtained leave of absence for three days.

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Charles J. Ketchum
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	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	5
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	5

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	✓
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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 21st day of August 1889

Signed, P. Manning Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 14th day of August 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

John Pottenham D.L. Chm

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.

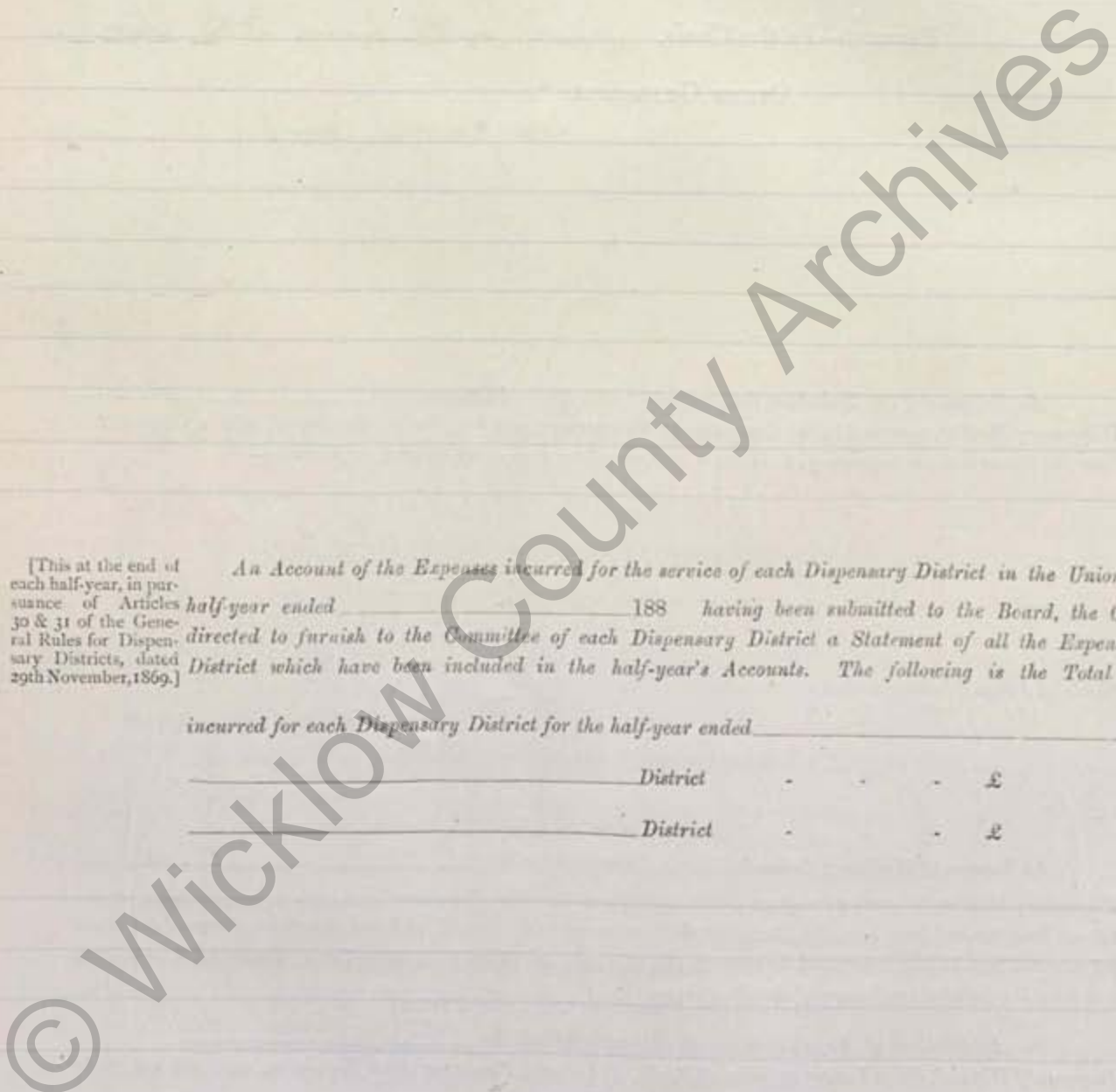
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

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



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 Local Government Board dated 12th instant

stating that

requesting to be informed if the defaulters under the compulsory Vaccination Act in the Anghrim & Newcastle Dispensary Districts reported last month have since complied with the Law.

Order - The Medical Officers to be applied to for this information.

Read Letter from same of same date, requesting that certified copies of the Plan, Specification and Estimate of the proposed Dispensary and Dispensary Residence for the Anghrim Dispensary District may be forwarded to them for deposit in their Department.

Order - Mr. Perry, the Guardians Architect, to be again written to in reference to this matter:

Charles J. Fottahan
Chair.

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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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 21st.....

day of August 1889

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

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of August 1889

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	500	199															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	201															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			36	30	47	56	2	4	11	2	20	208	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	21	9
Admitted during the Week			37	7	-	-	1	-	1	2	3	51	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2		20	
TOTAL,			73	37	47	56	3	4	12	4	23	259	TOTAL,	61	TOTAL,	41	
Discharged during the Week			40	8	3	-	2	-	1	1	2	57	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			40	8	3	1	2	-	1	1	2	58	No. Relieved during week	35	4	3	42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			33	29	44	53	2	4	11	3	21	204	No. in Workhouse at date	7	-	-	7
													No. at corresponding period last year,				219

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of August 1889 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.	90	144	John D. Edga
No. II.	100	160	John Manley
No. III.	205	345	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	478	782	= 708

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of August 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.L. Ch.
 Other Guardians: Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
 " Harry A. Dunbar P.
 " Patrick Miley

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1961 to No. 2040 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 *against* 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 ...										
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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.

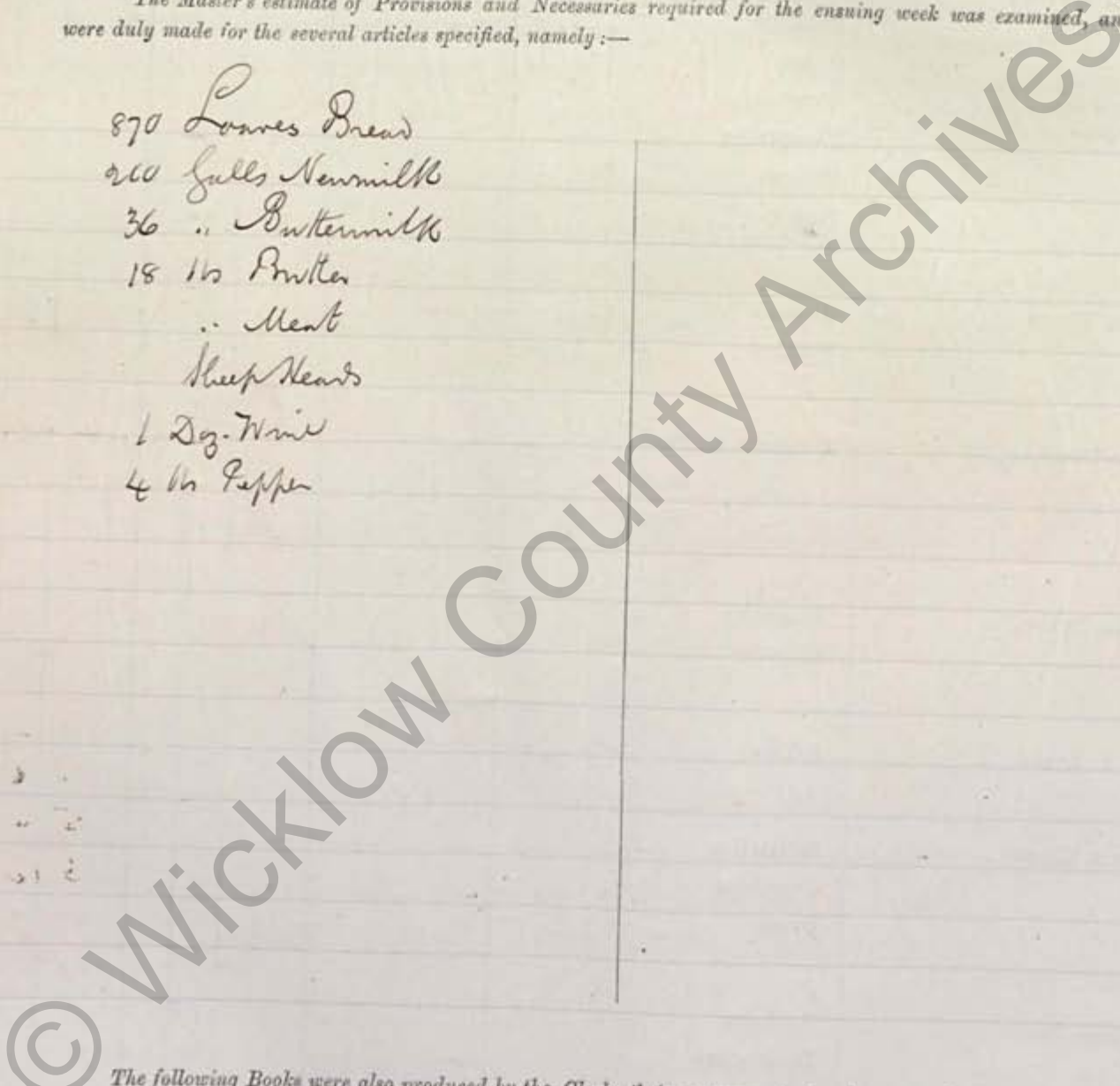
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	33	7	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	36	9	10
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	=
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		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 :—

- 870 Loaves Bread
- 200 Galls Newmilk
- 36 .. Buttermilk
- 18 lbs Butter
- .. Meat
- Sheep Heads
- 1 doz. Wine
- 4 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 17th day of August 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	40	17	4
In Kind	1	3	9
Total	£ 42	20	13

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	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.
Col. Tighe	Postage Rent	5	5	=
M. Payne	Pres	17	12	8
E. M. Gunk	Ment	9	3	2
J. Flower	Repr	6	15	2
			6	=
J. Curran	Infar Plant to pay	2	=	=
W. Gumbley	Carriage Exp	1	7	6
D. Payne	Regr	17	6	
E. Strey	Exp	13	6	
M. Fuller	Armoval Pt V Dep	12	6	
A. Drome	Armoval	12	6	
A. Home	"	4	-	
J. Duke	Letting B ^d	3	10	
J. Flower	Newbridge Jewels & Clocks	9	8	
		7	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 Report from Mr. ~~Morgan~~ Veterinary Inspector, stating that on the 3rd instant he had inspected a pig belonging to Wm. Gormley of Newcastle, which he found to be suffering from Swine Fever, and ordered to be slaughtered — value £2-15-0.

Order — Half value to be paid to owner. —

Read Letter from Mess^{rs} Edward Stacey and Vincent Clements Dated the stating that it will be necessary to make a fence about six perches long and to put up two field gates at the New Labourers Cottages at Ballykillavone according to Specifications given:

Order — Mess^{rs} R. Drought, H. Doube, E. Stacey

and V. Clements to be asked to get the work done as described, in the cheapest way consistent with efficiency:

Read Letter Dated the 3rd instant from Mr. Newson V.D. stating that it is now 28 days since the premises of Mrs. Hall of Ballinastrow and Hannah McDonald of Barmiskey were free from Swine Fever:

Order - Restrictions to be removed: -

Read Letter from Mr. A. Hyland, Drogheda, Dated the 19th instant stating that he would have thrown down the cabin on his land in reference to which complaint has been made only he was waiting until the new stages were built, as the man has no other shelter:

Order - Mr. Hyland must provide against any danger of the house falling or being injurious to the inmates:

4/9/89. = Charles J. Pottaker
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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	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	6
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	5
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered
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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 28th
day of August 1889

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,
the 27th day of August 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Tottenham D R Ch

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Mr. J. J. Cowley D D CMr. John J. Cowley D D CMr. Harry A. TomlinsonMr. Patrick Hiley

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.

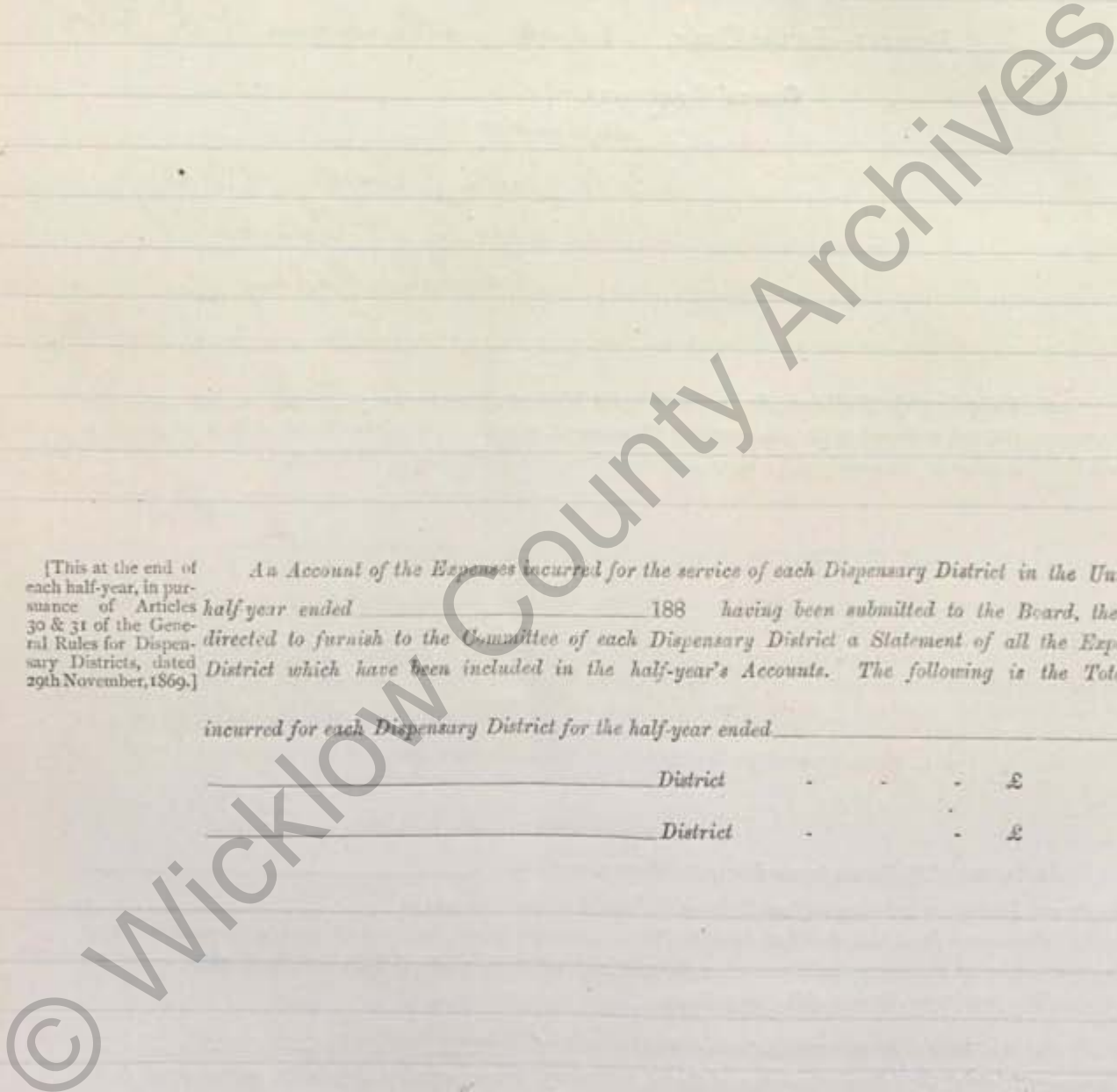
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

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



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

Newcastle

2
Dr. Cusack reported that all the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act reported by him in April last have complied with the law except five.

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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 Report of proceedings of Arklow Sanitary Committee at a meeting held on the 15th instant in reference to the nuisance in Bradshaw Lane in the town of Arklow reported by the Medical Officer and referred for consideration by the Guardians to the Arklow Committee:

The Committee recommend that notices be served on William Greene and Thomas Barthistle to abate the nuisances coming from their premises.

They also recommend the Guardians to get the surface channel repaired and a new stretch trap inserted.

And in consequence of the uneven surface of many of the Lanes in Arklow and the filthy condition of some occasions thereof the Committee recommend the Guardians to allow the Sanitary Sub Officer a sum of £10 to be expended in filling up these hollows; and also to replace the grating at the Fishery Well by a new one and to make a paved channel in connection with same.

The Committee recommend for appointment by the Guardians, James Kennedy, to the office of grave digger at Arklow Cemetery at 12/- per week, on the same terms as the last Grave digger was appointed:

A bill of 4/- was recommended for payment by the Guardians to Martin Moore for painting and lettering the notice board at the Vaccination Dept at Bally Killagier:

Order - Jobe brought up on the 28th instant:

Read Letter from the Newcastle Sanitary Committee in reference to the letter of M. Evans

of Kelperden, complaining of the defective drainage of his premises, which was referred to the Comtee for consideration and report.

The Committee state that they are of opinion that the obstruction complained of exists in one of the sub drains which connect Mr. Evans's yard with the main drain which appears to be working well: and as the obvious remedy is to open and clear out the accumulation which now blocks it, they think that Mr. Evans should be authorized to do so under the supervision of the Sanitary Sub Officer, and as the sewer in question is of a private character they consider that Mr. Evans may be fairly called upon to pay the expense, which will probably be trifling.

Order - Mr. Evans to be informed accordingly and the requisite authority to be given to him.

Recd letter Dated the 17th inst. from Sanitary Sub Officer Party of Angharim District. recommending certain repairs to be executed to the public well in the Village of Angharim.

Order - To be referred to the District Committee who are asked to give the matter early attention.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 28th

day of August 1889

Signed,

R. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1889

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	599	154														
Temporary Buildings ..	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2														
Fever Sheds	—															
TOTAL	609	196														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			33	29	44	55	1	4	11	3	21	201	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 57 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 2	In separate Wards } 21 In Wards with other Inmates } 20		
Admitted during the Week			38	3	4	—	—	1	—	2	—	48	TOTAL, 59	TOTAL, 41		
TOTAL,			71	32	48	55	1	5	11	5	21	249	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			36	5	1	—	—	1	1	3	3	50	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3				
Total Discharged and Dead			36	5	4	—	—	1	1	3	3	53	No. Relieved during week } 34	2	3	39
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			35	27	44	53	1	4	10	2	18	196	No. in Workhouse at date } 7	—	—	7
													No. at corresponding period last year,			218

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of August 1889 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.	91	146	John D. Edge
No. II.	97	157	John Manley
No. III.	210	363	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	82	132	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	480	798	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of August 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Board on this day, and two Guardians being present— (Captain Dringlot P.V.C. & Mr. Edw. Ellison.)

27/8/89

Thos. Manley, Chairman

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:—

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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 _____ 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

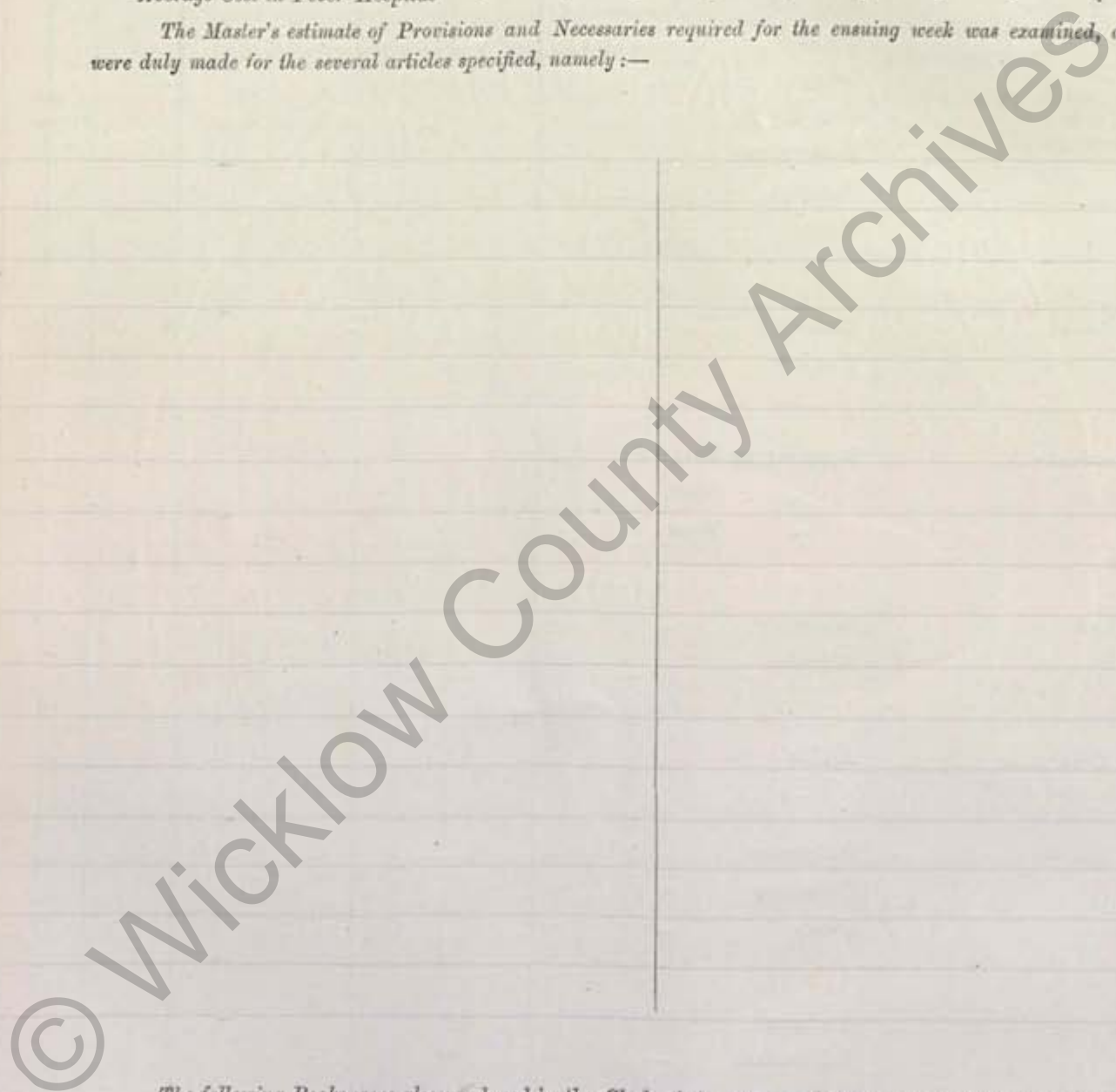
NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <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 _____ day of _____ 188 _____ 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			
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.

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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):—

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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
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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 _____ day of _____ 188

Signed, _____ 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 _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*An Estimate of 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.

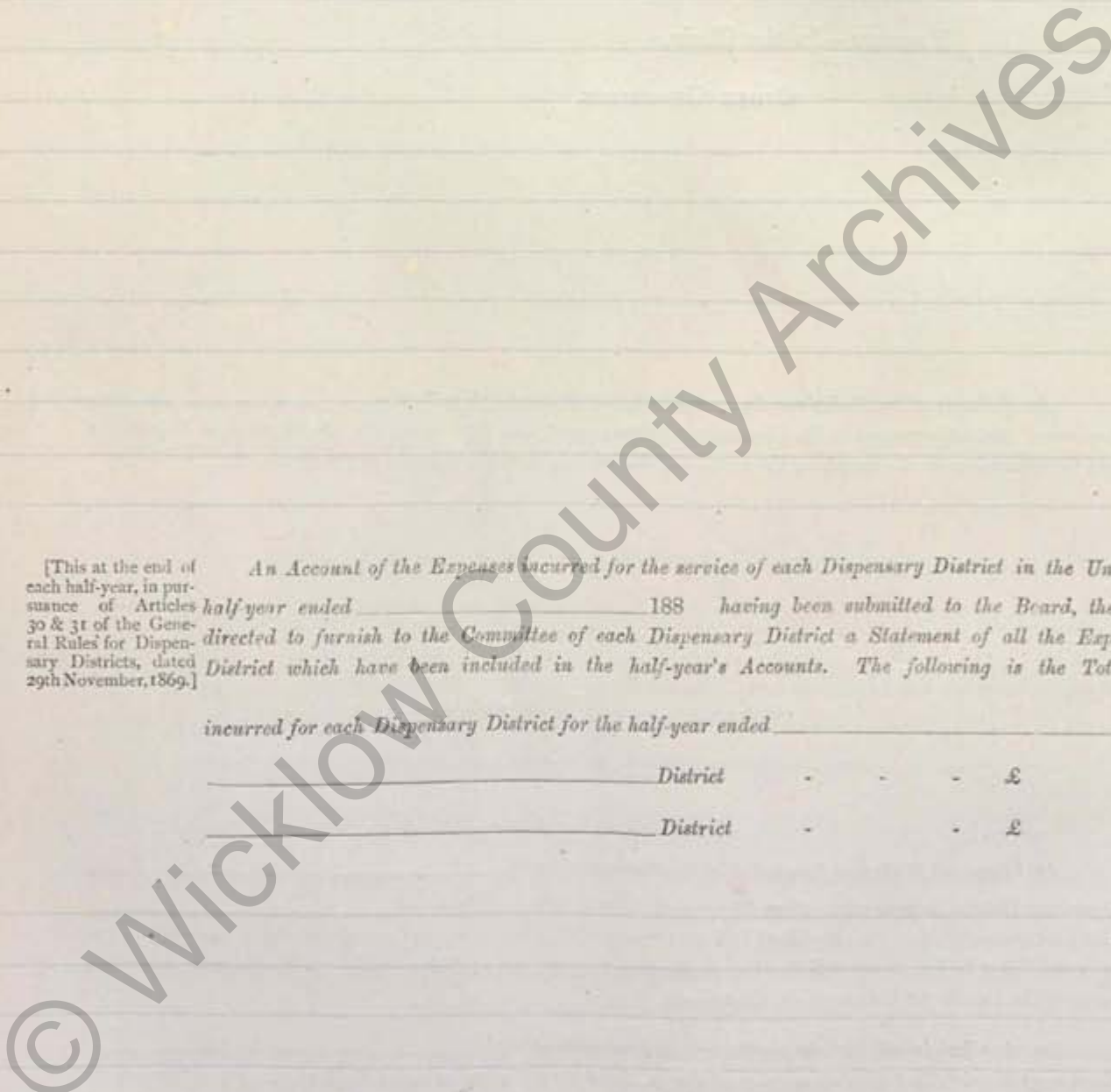
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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 _____ 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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the.....

day of 188

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128315.14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of August 1889

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	580	154														
Temporary Buildings .. .	—															
Additional Workhouse .. .	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2														
Fever Sheds	—															
TOTAL	660	156														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			35	27	44	55	1	4	10	2	18	196	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	60	In separate Wards	21
Admitted during the Week			22	2	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	30	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	30
													TOTAL	62	TOTAL	41
TOTAL			57	29	49	56	1	4	10	2	18	226	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			23	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	30				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Total Discharged and Dead			23	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	No. Relieved during week	26		27
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			34	28	43	56	1	4	10	2	18	196	No. in Work-house at date	9		9
													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 31st day of August 1889 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.	90	145	John D. Edges
No. II.	99	164	John Manley
No. III.	208	368	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	82	132	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	479	809	= 738

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of September 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Pattenham DL Chairman
 Other Guardians—Capt. Drought PC. Mr J J Cawley JVC
 Carl of Wicklow PC—Mr C W Wade PC—Mr J Jinnian
 Mr H. A. Aston PC " H A Tombs PC " H. Shepard
 " H P Drnell PC " E N Wynne PC " M Doyle
 " R J Ellis PC " R C Halpin PC " E Chamney
 " W Magee PC " R Graydon " J. Graydon
 " J Jassment PC " L Wolahan " J J Trim
 " W Bonstin PC " D Somers " W Grant
 " J Bawth PC " M Doyle " J Keef
 " H Segrove PC " J Payne " J. Hunt
 " L W Payne PC " J Payne " E Mullan
 " J Delahunt " E Ellison

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2041 to No. 2120 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

£ 274. 7. 5

£ 16. 18. 11

£ 133. 15. 8

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was

£ 133. 15. 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Genealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	25	8	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	35	9	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	-

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

2 weeks
=

1680 Loaves Bread
408 Galls Newmilk
65 " Buttermilk
36 1/2 Bowls
585 " Meat
68 Heads
2 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 31st day of August 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	43	9	2
In Kind ...		8	6
Total ...	£4	17	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	20	-	-
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.
J. F. Evans	10	=	=
M. New	5	=	=
W. Smith	24	08	8
J. Flower	20	=	=
Em. Guirk	17	5	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 27th Ultime) from the Local Government Board approving of the appointment of Mr. Michael Miley to the office of Poor Rate collector in this Union, at a remuneration of 4^s in the £ on all rates collected and lodged by him with the Treasurer of the Union in the time allowed for the completion of his collection viz. seven months from the receipt of his Warrant, and 2^s in the £ on all Rates collected and lodged after that time. —

Read Letter from Same of same Date, in reference to the Guardians proposal to allow full poundage fees to collector M^r. Ananama on all Rates collected and lodged by him.

The Local Government Board state that they

do not consider that any sufficient reason has been assigned by the Guardians for this proposal and they must decline to sanction the payment.

Read Letter from Same Dated the 3rd instant, calling the attention of the Guardians to their letter of the 18th of July last relative to the provisional Order proposed to be issued in confirmation of an Improvement Scheme made by the Guardians under the Lammers (Act) Acto; stating that they must the receipt of the written consents of the persons interested in the taking of the plot at Troopers Town, which does not adjoin a public road.

Order -

The parties referred to have been written to weeks ago, - in Sir Thomas Esmond's case who is at present in Australia - Mr. O'Flaherty his Agent has been written to - but no reply has been received from either landlord or tenant.

Read Circular Dated the 22nd Ultimo from the Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, on the subject of Rabies in Dogs, and the making of Regulations in relation thereto:

Read Circular from the Guardians of the South Dublin Union transmitting a copy of a resolution adopted by them in reference to the Deputation of Paupers from England & Scotland to Ireland, and praying for a repeal of the law which authorizes such deputation.

on the motion of Mr. P. Keef, seconded by Mr. M. Doyle, the resolution of the Guardians of the South Dublin Union was unanimously adopted:

Read Letter from Mr. Newman V.D. Dated the 31st Ultimo stating that it is now 28 days since the premises of Dan Curran of Rostygarth, and William Gormley of Newcastle were free from Swine Fever

Order - Restrictions to be removed from these premises

Read Letter from Collector Kelly, Dated the 28th Ultimo stating that he has closed his Collection, and at the same time tendering his resignation of his office.

The Clerk of the Union informed the Board that on examining Collector Kelly's accounts he found that he had a small sum 3/1 on hand which he directed him to lodge with the Treasurer, he also observed on Collector Kelly's account sheet several items which in his opinion ought to be collected.

Mr. Kelly had also in his hand a sum of £5, sent received from occupiers of Duburrow cottages in his District, which sum the Clerk directed him to lodge with the Union Treasurer.

Order - Mr. Kelly to be informed that the Board will require him to complete his collection of the Rate of 1888-9, and will then release him.

Advertisements to be issued for a new collection for Wicklow General District, at the poundage already sanctioned by the Board, to be sent in on the 18th instant.

In accordance with notice of motion it was proposed by D^r. Innell F. seconded by Mr. Wolahan
Resolved -

That the Schoolmaster & Schoolmistress of the Workhouse be paid the amount of Results Fees certified by the Commissioner of National Education as earned by them during last year.

Passed

Agreeable to notice it was proposed by Mr. Pat^r. Keef and seconded by Mr. Moses Doyle
Resolved -

That the resolution of May 1885 be re-considered, relative to the officers' salaries.

Upon a division being taken there voted for the resolution 11, against 23. The resolution was therefore declared lost.

The following contracts were declared: viz:

For 3 months

Mrs E McNeill	- Best mutton	@ 6 p lb
"	" Beef	" 5 "
"	" Bacon	" 6 "
"	" O'Heads	" 1:0 each
"	" Sheep "	" 4 "
Mrs M Byrne	" White Bread	4s 7 1/2 lb
Mr W Taylor	" Oatmeal, @	7:0:5/- p Ton

For 6 months

Mr M J Byrne	Best Black Tea	@ 1/8 + 7/6 p lb
" John Sutton	" Soft Sugar	" 2 ³ / ₄ d "
" N Hastings	" Tobacco	" 3/7 "
"	" Pepper	" 8 "
" P Redmond & Co	" X X Porter	" 20/- p 1/2 Br.
"	" Gin	" 26/- " Case
"	" Brandy	" 51/- "
Keef Brothers	" Port wine	" 11/- p Doz.
"	" Marsala	" 14/- "

Messrs Andrews & Co. Best Whiskey @ 14/- 7 Gal
 Mr E Mulhern " Eggs " 1/2 " Doz
 " " " Salt " 3/4 " cwt

The following notices of motion were served: viz.

"We hereby give notice that on this day fortnight we will move that the Resolution fixing the period for the Rate Collectors be rescinded, and that the term be extended to ten months from the date of the Warrants:

Daniel Somers
 Laurence Nolan

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"We give notice that on this day fortnight we will move that it be taken into consideration the best means of improving the Board-room.

4 Sept 89
1889

H P Drwell

Julius Casement

The motion to get a rough estimate for removing the partitions, or for altering the staircase.

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	...	...	...	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	3

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

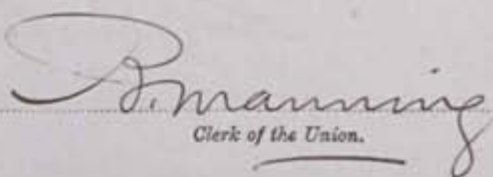
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	✓
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every 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 11th
day of September 1889

Signed,


 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,
the 4th day of September 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 301.

*Charles J. Blumberg
Clerk.*

18/9/89.

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, £ _____

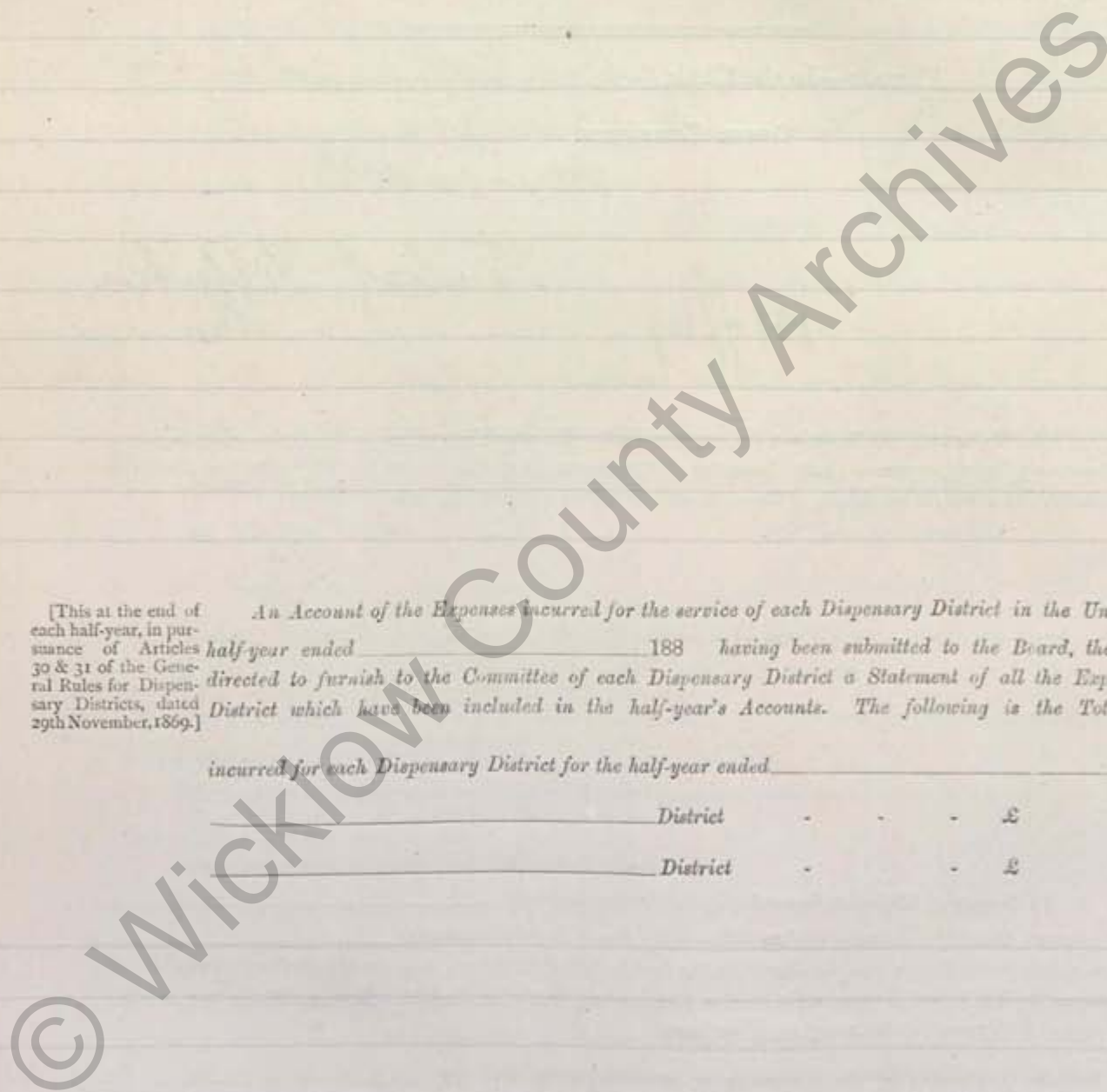
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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 Mr. J. Perry C.E. dated 3rd instant.

stating that

certified copies of the Plan, Specification and Estimate, of the Dispensary and Doctor's residence proposed to be built at Aughrim, will on the following day be lodged with the Local Government Board:

Read Letter from D. Molony Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District Dated the 30th Ultimo giving the names of 32 Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act, in his District, who have been already served with notices, but who have up to the present failed to comply with the Law; Doctor Molony recommends that some steps of a more drastic nature be adopted in these cases.

Order.

Doctor Molony to select half a Dozen or so of these Defaulters and have summonses taken out against them:

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.:-

The Sister of the Workhouse obtained leave of absence for three days.

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

The Workhouse Infirmary Nurse obtained leave to have her sister to stop with her for one week.

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

The Guardians approved of the recommendations of the Arklow Dispensary Committee in reference to the nuisance complained of in Brass-hams Lane, Arklow, the filling of the hollows in the back streets and lanes, the gate at the Fishery Pump, and the appointment of a Grave Digger for Arklow Cemetery; as these several matters are set out in detail in the Report of the proceedings of the Committee read at the Board on the 20th of August last.

1879/09.

Wm. J. Pottahan
Chairman

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 11th
day of September 1889

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

321

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 188

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																
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80																
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return													Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates			
Admitted during the Week													Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital				
TOTAL,													TOTAL,	TOTAL,			
Discharged during the Week													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died														Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead													No. Relieved during week				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE													No. in Workhouse at date				
																	No. at corresponding period last year,

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7 day of Sept, 1889 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.	90	145	John D. Edge
No. II.	59	164	John Manley
No. III.	204	356	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	436	798	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of September 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Business on this day - only one Guardian - Colonel Tottenham & L. Chr. being present.

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 - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week - - - - - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account _____ 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclesh ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

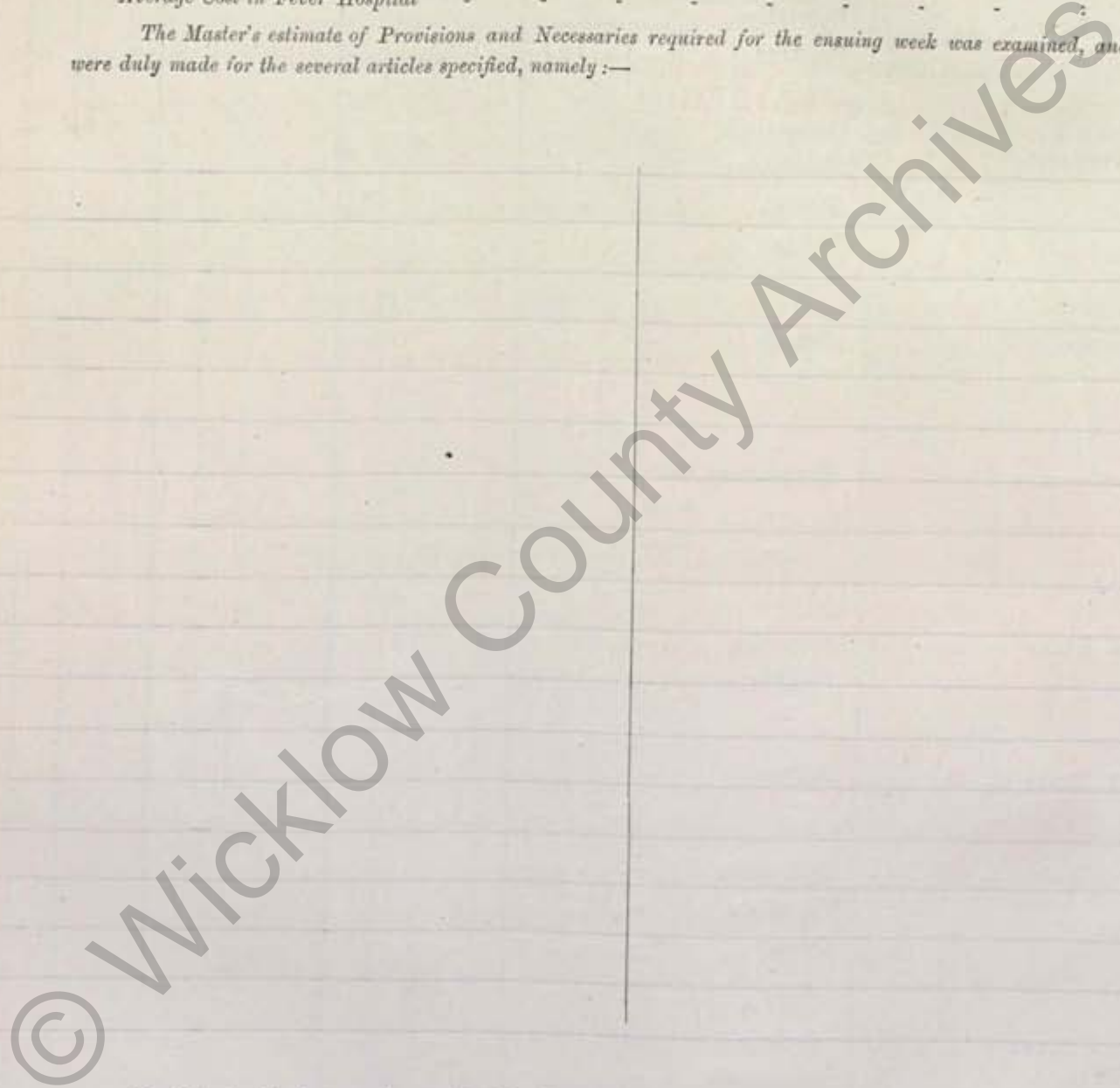
NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <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 _____ day of _____ 188 _____ 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			
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.

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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:—

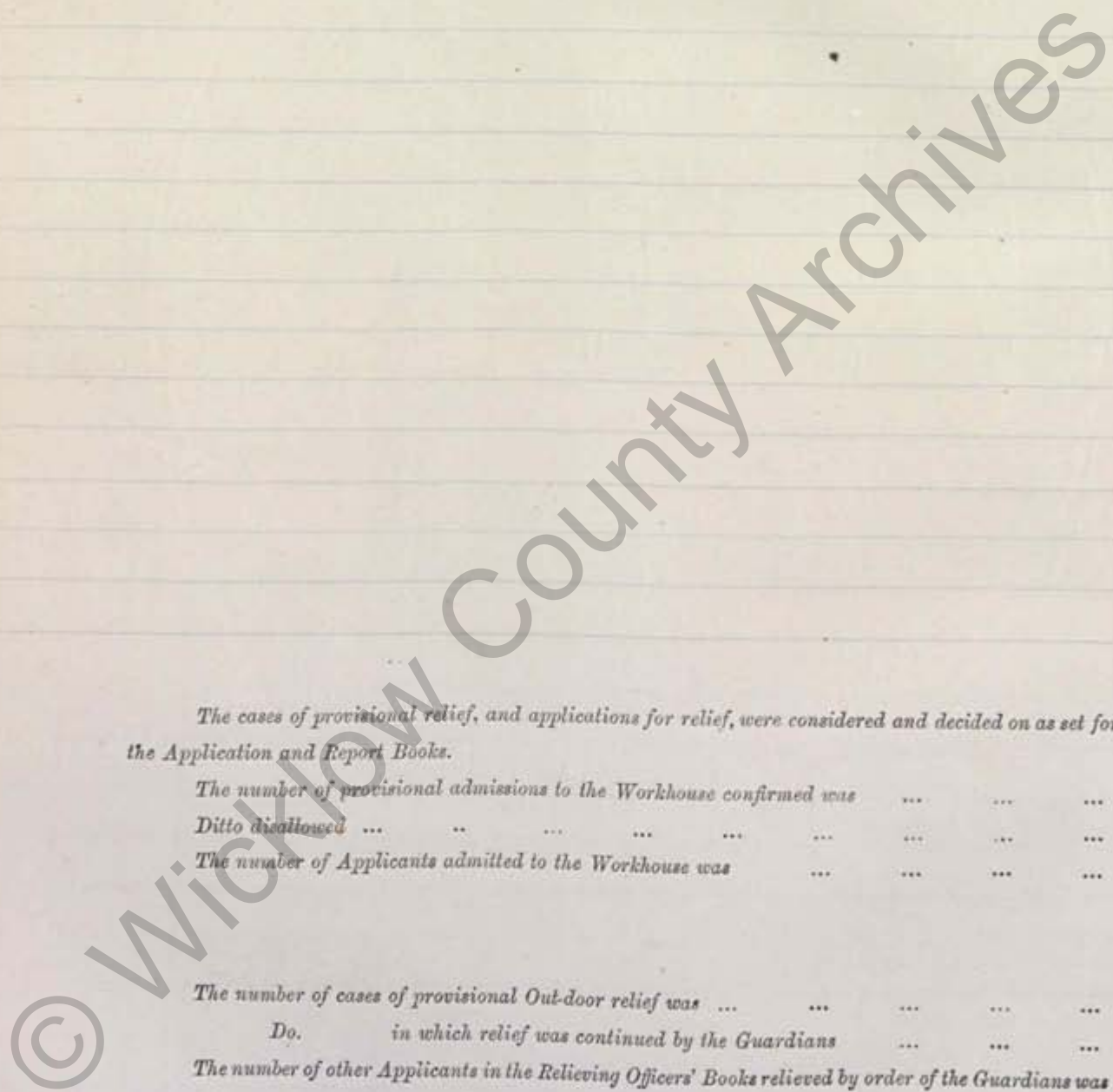
The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

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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
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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 day of 188

Signed,

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 _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*An Estimate of 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, £ _____

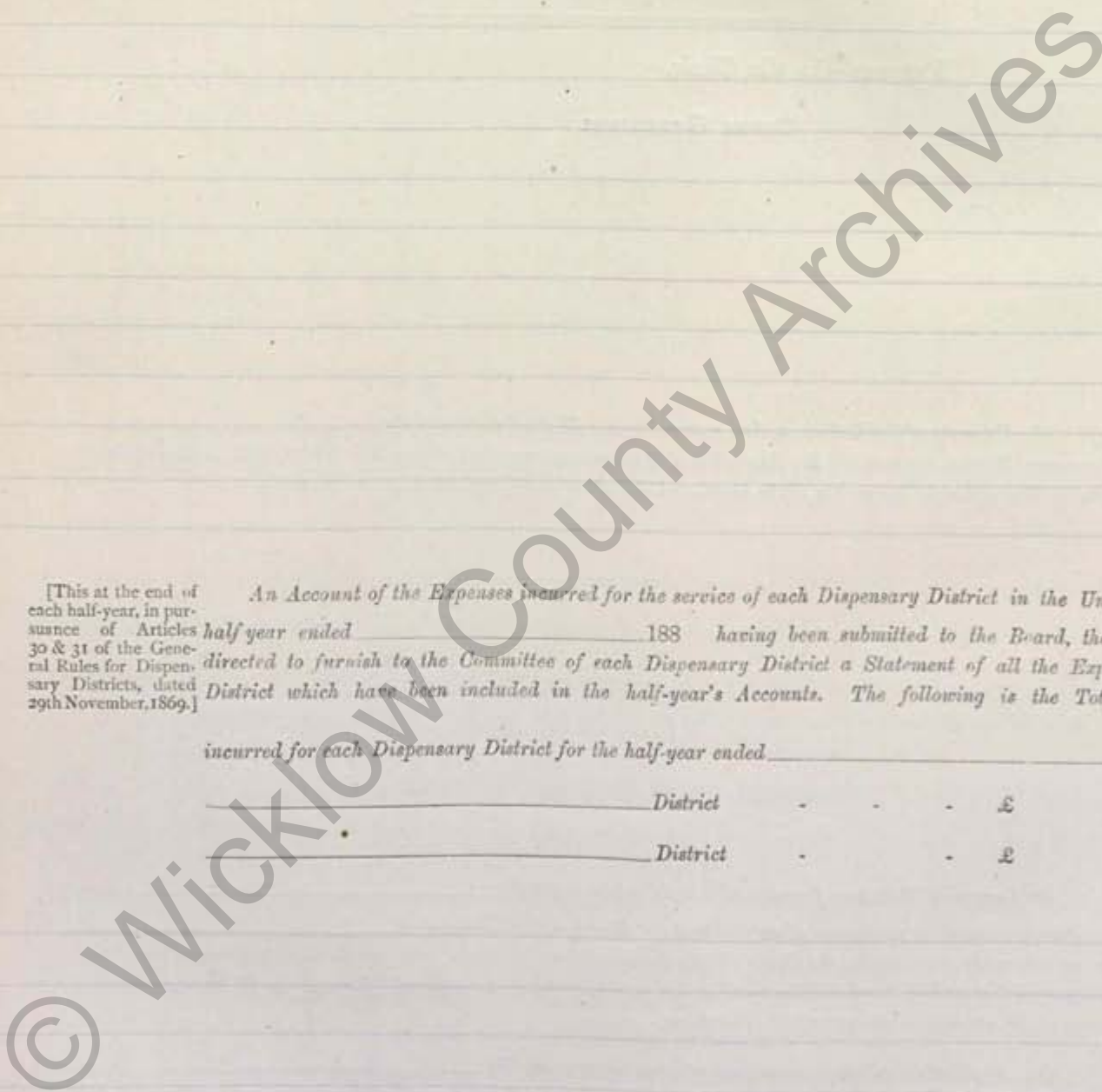
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the.....

day of 188

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2121 to No. 2160 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* of 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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennerelly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	27	15	3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	37	5	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
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

1650 Loaves Bread
 400 Galls Newmilk
 70 " Puttermilk
 36 lbs Butter
 600 " Meat
 72 Heads
 24 Dg. Eggs
 1 Case Brandy
 1 1/2 Riv. Fat
 6 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 14th day of September 1887 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	41	9	0
In Kind ...			4	6
Total ...	£	41	13	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	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.
Duplicate	J. A. Stumper	5	-	-
	J. S. Lister	4	-	-
	P. Manning	30	13	3
	E. Kelly	4	5	4
	P. Farrell	4	-	-
	W. Smith	3	18	4
	J. McManama	3	13	4
	J. Douglas	3	6	-
	J. Evans	2	18	8
	J. Kearns	2	14	8
	W. Humphrey	2	14	-
	E. Kelly	16	9	4
	J. Kearns	7	19	4
	M. Byrne	30	19	6
	E. McFarr	15	16	6
	S. Halpin	7	17	6
	J. Garland	3	6	-
	J. Berry	3	3	-
	J. Molony	4	-	-
	J. Garland	2	-	-
	J. Nesbitt	1	2	2
	J. Ellis	1	2	10
	J. Byrne		18	-
	J. P. O'Brien	1	16	-
	<i>In fact £ to pay</i>			
		4	19	0

£ s. d.

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

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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 10th instant from the Local Govern^t. Board stating that a further instalment of £100 each will be granted in respect of the Loans under the Submers (Ireland) Act, sanctioned for the S.D.s of Ballinacorney & Glenahilly:

The balance of the Loan in each case will be withheld until the Guardians Architect reports that the defects pointed out in the Report of the L.G.B. Architect have been remedied:

Order - To be referred to the Guardians Architect

Read letter from Same of same date - stating that under the circumstances mentioned in the Guardians Minutes of the 4th

instant: the L^y B^d are of opinion that it would be better to omit from the Provisional Order about to be issued by them the cottage proposed to be built at Drooperstown so as to avoid the delay that will otherwise arise.

Read a further letter from the L^y Board dated the 17th instant in reply to a letter received by them from Colonel Tottenham Chairman of the Board, on the same subject;

The L^y B^d state that having regard to Sec. 3 of the Act of 1886, and the report of their Inspector, they ~~L^y B^d~~ cannot authorize the taking of this plot compulsorily; but they will if the Guardians wish, provide in the Provisional Order for the acquisition of the plot "by agreement" as the Guardians may hereafter be able to come to an arrangement with the parties interested in the matter.

Order -

The Guardians desire still to assure the L^y B^d that the road in question is a public one, the gates only existing - as on some other old roads in the town - for the purpose of preventing stock straying; But rather than have the cottage omitted from the Provisional Order they will accept the proposal of the L^y B^d should they still think the statute for compulsory acquisition not applying.

Read Letter from Same dated the 11th inst. transmitting the usual Query Sheet relating to the person who may be appointed to the office of Poor Rate Collector in Room of Mr Edward Kelly who has resigned.

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Read Letter from Same Dated the 12th instant,
forwarding for the information of the Guardians a
copy of the sale of Horseflesh & Regulation
Act, 1889.

Read Letter from ~~Mr. [unclear]~~ Dated the 14th instant,
transmitting an order on the Bank of Ireland
for payment to the Guardians credit of £200
12th instalment of Loan sanctioned in respect of
cottages to be erected in Ballinacra & Glencary
E.D.'s.

Read Letter Dated the 17th instant from Mr.
J. Perry Esq. forwarding accounts of Engineers fees due
to him for work done for the Guardians: viz £3:3:0
for preparing Plans &c. of certain repairs to the Workhouse
and £18 for preparing Plans &c. for the improvement
of the Drainage of the Workhouse.

Order - The £3:3:0 to be paid. But that inasmuch
the work contemplated (for the improvement of the drainage
of the WH) did not obtain the approval of the L.G. Board
and consequently was not carried out, and as the Estimates
for same are under £300, the Board of Guardians ~~do~~
~~not~~ think Mr. Perry's charges rather high, and offer
him Ten Guineas in discharge of this account.

The Guardians proceeded to the election of a Poor
Rate collector for No. 3 District in (room of Mr. Kelly resigned
there were 3 Candidates for the office who were duly pro-
posed & seconded, and voted for as follows -

	1 st Poll	2 nd Poll
Mr. Thos. Dowling	14 votes	21 votes
" John Dwyer	19 "	19 "
" John Kelly	7 "	-

Mr. Dowling was declared duly elected to the vacant office

In accordance with notice of motion it was
Proposed by Mr. Somers and Seconded by Mr. Wolahan
Resolved -

That the resolution fixing the period for the
Rate Collectors be rescinded, and that the term be ex-
-tended to ten months from the date of the Warrants.

Upon a division being taken there Voted for the
resolution 16, against 20, — The resolution was
therefore declared lost.

Proposed by Mr. Drnell P and Seconded by Mr.
Lasement JF.

Resolved - That for the improvement
of the Ventilation of the Board room, a window
be opened in the west wall of the room, of the
same pattern as the upper part of the windows
already existing, at a cost not exceeding £3 -
Passed

Contracts

The following Contracts were declared for one year from
the 24th instant. viz:

		Invoice	
Mr. Dutton	Best Rice	@	12/6 per cwt
" Haskins	" Starch	"	2 ³ / ₄ " lb
" "	" Blue	"	6 " "
" "	" Carbolic Soap	"	32/- " cwt
" J Passant	" White "	"	22/3 " "
" "	" Brown "	"	19/3 " "
" "	" Washing Soda	"	4/- " "
" "	" Jandles	"	4 ¹ / ₄ " lb
		Flatting	
Mr. L Wilson	Blankets	@	13/- per Pair
" "	Play Calico	"	6 " yards
" "	White Linen	"	10 " "
" "	Dicken	"	10 " "
" "	Bengal Stripe	"	7 ¹ / ₂ " "

Mr. J. Wilson	Needles, Sewing & Knitting @	4	£100
do	Bone studs	6	" Grop
do	Stockings, mens 8 1/2 Womens	9	" Pair
Mr. P. J. Payne	Rings, Large 4/9 small 2/9 each		
do	Handkerchiefs @	5 1/2	"
do	Prins	1	7 Sheet
Mr. J. Passant	Boys Caps	5 1/2	each
do	Shirring	3	7 1/2
Mr. G. Leeson	Frieze	4/6	" "
do	Lintsey wadsey	1/-	" "
do	Smilled Calico	1/-	" "
do	Check	8	" "
do	Monster	1/1	" lb
do	Thread	1/10	" "
do	Tape, Broad 2/6 narrow	1/6	" Doz.
do	Thimbles	6/-	" Grop
do	Yarn	2/4	" yard
Mr. J. Sutton	Print Calico	5	" "
do	Blay	9	" "
do	Spools	2/4	" Doz.
do	Flannel	10	" yard
do	Mending Calico	3	" "
do	Prins	3/3	" Doz.

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The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	25/9/09
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Charles J. Sutton
Chair

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of September 1889

Signed, Amanning
Clerk of the Union

RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

Mr. W Birney	—	Prutt Leather	@	1/3	℥ lb
W		Kip	"	1/8	"
W		Hemp	"	2/10	"
W		Hairs	"	1/-	" oz
W		Shoe Nails	@ 1/6	11- & 10	℥ 1000
W		Leather Laces	3/-	℥	Grass, Post Bales & handles @ 8/-

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:—

Mr. W Daniel		Twine	@	9	℥ lb
J. Whelan		Straw	"	2/3	" cut
S Cole	making	Mens clothes	"	3/11	" suit
W		Boys "	"	3/7	" "
Mr. E Tallow		Mens Shives	"	6/-	" Pair
W		Womens	"	4/6	" "
W		Childrens	"	3/4	" "

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:—

		Establishment			
Mr. J Passant		Rock oil	@	8	℥ gal
" Wilson		Rock combs	"	22/-	" gross
W		Twine	"	11/-	" "
Mr. W Birney		Iron Prickets of iron	"	1/8	each
W		Dolph Chambers	"	7 1/2	"
W		Mugs	"	2 1/2	"
Mr. Ellis		Shoing Horse & Sp	"	2/2 & 2/-	"

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, £
Mr. W Daniel	Marking Ink, Red & White	@ 10/- p Gal
do	do Black	" 18/- "
do	8d Bunkets with Lids	" 1/10 each
do	" Coal Boxes	" 1/6 "
do	Stone Hammers & Handles	" 9 "
do	Brush Handles	" 1/8 p Doz
Mr. A Belton	Quart Jars	" 2/- " "
do	Pint "	" 1/9 " "
do	Nurses "	" 3/- " "
do	Plasters	" 4/- " "
do	Iron Tans	" 8 " Gal
do	Iron Spoons	" 7/4 " Gros
Mr. J Doyle	Wooden House Bunkets	" 1/10 each
" J Weddick	Coffins	" 5/- "

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1862.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended	188
District	£
District	£

Mr. N Hoskins	Whitewash Brushes	@ 1/8 each
do	Sweeping "	" 1/8 "
do	Scrubbing "	" 1/3 ² "
do	Liners "	" 1/8 "
do	Wool mops	" 1/- "
do	Bar Brushes	" 4/- "
do	Neatfoot oil	" 4/4 p Gal

Mr. Joseph Dallas	Books, Forms, Stationery, &c. as per Tender	
" Wm. M. Phail	Small Printing	" 5/-

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 10th instant stating that

they received on the 7th instant the Plans Specification and Estimate of the Dispensary and Dispensary residence proposed to be provided by the Guardians for the Aughrim Dispensary District.

Read Minutes of proceedings of the Wickham Dispensary Committee at their monthly meetings on the 2nd ultimo and 6th instant containing the following Resolutions Resolved—

That Mr. Flynn be given the Contract for the sign board (at Ashford Dispensary) painting and putting up same at £1.

Resolved— That the Medical Officers application to have the hours of attendance at Ashford Dispensary from 11 to 12 O'clock instead of from 11 to 1 O'clock be approved of—

The first resolution was approved by the Guardians the second one was disapproved.

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. :—

Read Minutes of proceedings of Newbridge Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 13th instant, when it was resolved that certain repairs, as specified, be executed to the Newbridge Dispensary, and that advertisements be issued inviting tenders were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

for the work, to be considered on the 27th instant,

Approved by the Guardians, advertisements to be inserted in the local Newspapers.

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 Mess^{rs} Wm Greene and Jno Birtchite of Arklow, stating that they are prepared to pay their part of the expense of making the sewer & in Bradshaws Lane as far as their Gateways, provided the Guardians pay the half of the expense, they paying the other half.

Proposed by Mr. Jones, seconded by Mr. W. O'Connell
Resolved—

That the resolution of the Committee be carried out

Passed

Wm. O'Connell
Chairman

25/9/89.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 25th
day of September 1889

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of September 1889

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	569	210															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	649	212															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			32	28	46	55	1	6	8	3	19	198	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	64	In separate Wards	21	62
Admitted during the Week			50	4	—	3	—	—	2	2	1	62	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	20	
TOTAL			82	32	46	58	1	6	10	5	20	260	TOTAL	66	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week			34	5	3	3	—	—	1	1	—	47	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			34	5	3	4	—	—	1	1	—	48	No. Relieved during week	46	2	2	50
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			48	27	43	54	1	6	9	4	20	212	No. in Workhouse at date	20	—	5	60
													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 21st day of September 1889 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.	50	145	John D. Edge
No. II.	98	158	John Manley
No. III.	203	357	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	474	797	— 674

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of September 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Daniel Tottenham Esq Ch^r
Other Guardians.—

Mr John J Cowley DVC
" Miss Doyle
" Pat E. Miley

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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	24	16	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	37	12	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11 ³ / ₄
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 :-

880 Loaves Bread
 216 Galls Newmilk
 36 " Puttermilk
 18 lbs Butter
 315 " Meat
 36 Heads
 4 1/2 chests Tea
 10 cwt Sugar
 10 " Rice
 4 1/2 Bns Butter
 15 doz Eggs
 3 cwt Salt
 1/2 " Starch
 1 " Carbolic Soap
 1 Roll Tobacco
 4 lbs Blue
 25 cwt Soap
 2 Boxes Candles
 1 Cask Soda

10 cwt Fatmeal

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 day of September 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	41	13	6
In Kind			
Total	£	41	13 : 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 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. Munnies	10	-	-
" P. Carbery	20	-	-
S. Barnes	30	-	-
P. Manning	25	-	-
J. Flower	20	-	-
M. Flower	10	-	-
A. Byrne	8	15	-
P. Byrne	8	15	-
M. Keeney	5	-	-
L. Moran	5	-	-
A. Fitzgerald	3	15	-
M. Reeves	3	15	-
J. D. Edge	8	15	-
J. Manley	8	15	-
J. Levingston	8	15	-
R. Ellison	10	7	6
J. Nallen	5	-	-
S. Jole	5	-	-
S. Garland	30	-	-
" Cholony	30	-	-
" Byrne	30	-	-
" Ryan	30	-	-
" Hurdan	30	-	-
" Lovierock	25	-	-
" Dwyer	30	-	-
" Halpin	25	-	-

		£	s.	d.
clerk to pay Dispensary Serwath way		9	10	-
J Booth	Rent	5	5	-
J Germaine	"	3	-	-
J Woodburne	"	2	15	-
J Byrne	"	5	-	-
J Dighe	"	4	-	-
E Hopkins	"	3	10	-
J Newson	"	15	-	-
+				
Bramming	"	6	5	-
^{1/2}	"	2	10	-
W New	"	3	15	-
J Green	Superant	6	10	-

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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:—

It will be necessary to take stock of clothing and Provisions on Saturday next, the close of the half year.

Order—The following committee appointed to take stock viz:

3 Mr. Edward Ellison

" Miles Payne

" William Grant

on Saturday the 28th instant at 3 o'clock p.m.

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 20th instant from the Veterinary Department Dublin (with request) requesting to be informed whether any action has been taken by the Guardians in regard to making regulations under Article 10 of the Rabies (Ireland) Order.

No order made; The Justices deal with those matters in their Districts.

Read letter from Mr. Barnes requesting the Guardians to grant leave of absence for two weeks to Dr. Barnes who is ill and confined to bed. - A certificate from Dr. Ryan stated that Dr. Barnes is suffering from a low typhoid condition, and will not be able to do duty

for at least two weeks. Mrs Barnes stated in her letter that S. Ryan will discharge S. Barnes' duty during the two weeks applies for.

Proposed by Mr. Jowley, seconded by Mr. Miss Doyle
Resolved -

That leave be granted as asked. -
S. Dwyer to do the duty.

Papers

Read Letter Dated the 23rd instant from the Superiors of the St Francis Industrial School, Cashel; stating that by order of the Chief Secretary, Sarah Ellis of Corballis Rathdrum, has been discharged from that School as an unfit subject for industrial training and will be sent to the Rathdrum Workhouse to which she belongs. - Her case is paralysis.

Read Letter Dated the 24th instant from Mr. Berry C.E. in reference to the Guardians proposal to pay him £10:00:0 in full discharge of his account for Engineers Fees in relation to the proposed improvement of the drainage of the Workhouse; stating that he will accept the Guardians offer for what he has already done if the Guardians will permit him to prepare plans in accordance with the requirements of the Public Health Act and the recommendations of the Local Government Board.

The following notice of motion was served by Mr. Miss Doyle:

"September 29th 1889"
"I propose to bring a notice of motion

before the Board of Guardians on the 9th of October to consider the advisability of amalgamating the Workhouses in this County, in consequence of the small amount of paupers and the enormous salaries paid to the Officers: "Moses Doyle P.C."

B.D.

Recd letter from Mr. Berry (E.) stating that he will have the repairs mentioned by Mr. Smyth, L.S.B. Architect, at Paddy Kellerman's Cottages carried out; He will be obliged to give a small extra for the pig yard gates.

The floor of the Mullough Cottages has been already twice laid: but he has written to the fact on the subject:

Charlbury Tottenham
Ireland

2/10/89

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of October 1889

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,

the 25th day of Sept 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

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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 :

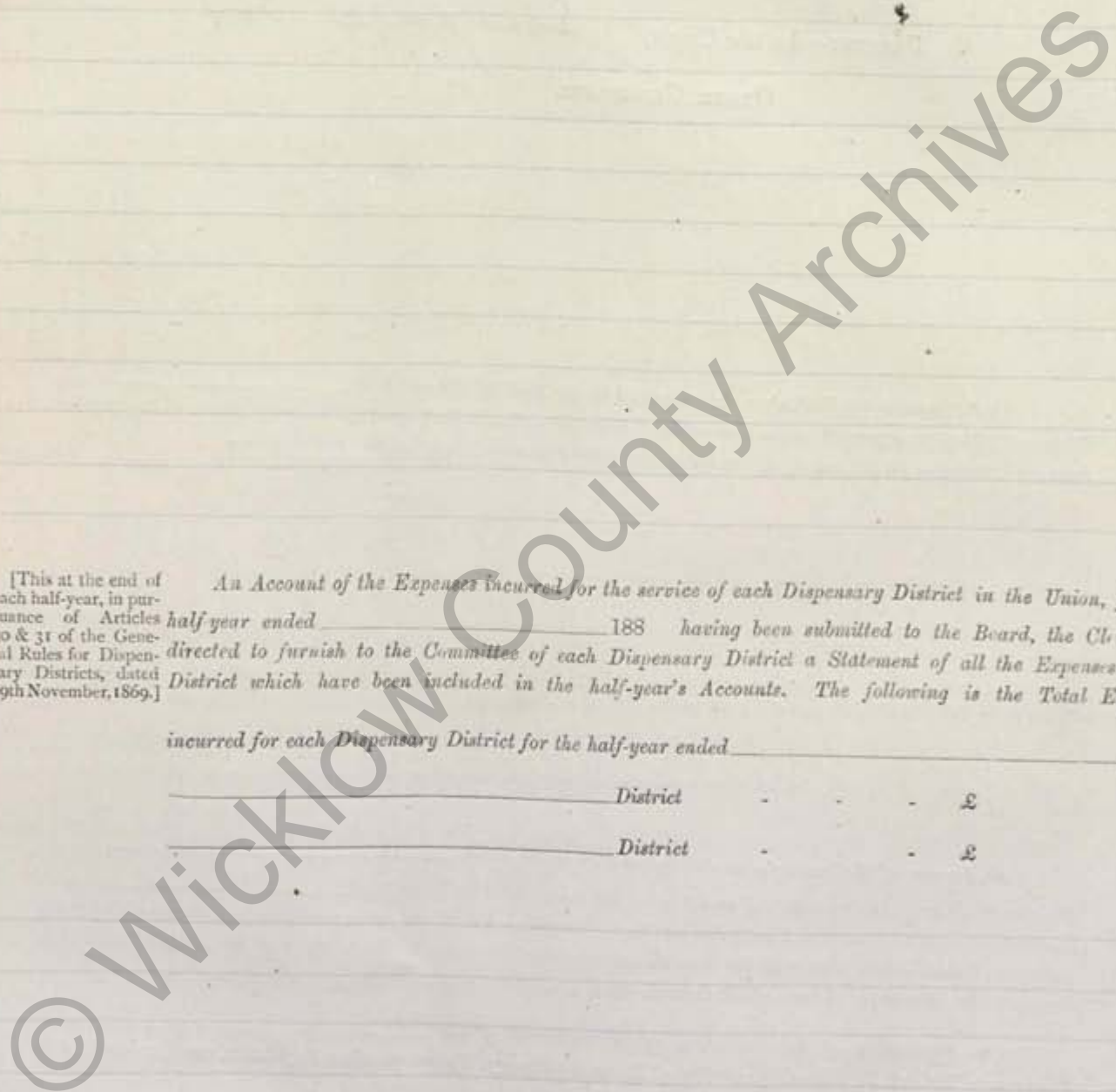
_____ Dispensary District.

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 _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

_____ District	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	£



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 _____

Ordered—

That it appearing from the statement of Mr. Moses Doyle that the Lease from the Earl of Meath to the Guardians of the site of the proposed Dispensary and Doctors residence at Aughrim is ready for completion, the Contract be authorized to commence the work—

25/9/89

C. S. Tottenham

2/10/89

= Charles J. Tottenham
Chair

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.
Nurses	B. Manning	3	15	-
	S. Barnes	3	15	-
	J. D. Edge	8	15	-
	J. Manly	5	-	-
	J. Kerington	6	5	-
	R. Ellison	8	15	-
	J. J. Evans	7	10	-
	P. Carty	2	10	-
Dispensaries	S. Garland	3	15	-
	" Molony	3	15	-
	" Byrne	3	15	-
	" Ryan	3	15	-
	" Hurdon	3	15	-
	" Lovernock	2	10	-
	" Dwyer	3	15	-
	" Halpin	6	5	-
Nurses	J. Flower	4	3	10

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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd
day of October 1889
Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, \$128 315.14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of September 1889

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	193															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	669	196															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			48	27	43	54	1	6	9	4	20	212	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	74	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week			35	5	—	—	—	3	1	2	—	46	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL			83	32	43	54	1	9	10	6	20	258	TOTAL	77	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week			48	5	1	—	—	2	2	2	2	62	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			48	5	2	—	—	2	2	2	2	63	No. Relieved during week	33	1	1	35
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			35	27	41	54	1	7	8	4	18	195	No. in Workhouse at date	36	—	—	1
													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 28th day of September 1889 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.	90	145	John D. Edge
No. II.	58	161	John Manley
No. III.	200	347	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	471	786	= 659

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of October 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham DL Chairman
 Other Guardians: Rt. Hon. Earl of Wicklow LL
 Captain Drought F.V.C.
 Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C.
 " Harry St. James JP
 " Edward Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2241 to No. 2280 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 Cash* 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dungaustown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaelash ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	27	18	5
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	38	11	2
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	-
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:—

- 880 Loaves Bread
- 26 Galls Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 20 lbs Butter
- 336 " Meat
- 86 Heads
- 1 Dg. Wine
- 5 Galls Whiskey
- 3 wt Salt
- 14 Dg. 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 28th day of September 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	43	6	6
In Kind		15	0
Total	£ 44	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			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	=	=
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	30	=	=

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 Smith	Meat	17	6	1
M Byrne	Bread	16	3	3
M Johnson	Milk	31	15	6
E Short	"	18	5	=
A Grant	"	14	10	8
R Hill	Meat	3	7	2
W McShane	Adver Exp	30		
W Murphy	Insurance	8	2	-
In fur Clerk to pay				
Clerk	Portage	4	2	=
Javanagh	Pig	1	5	=
H Dunt	N. castle Rk Van Dep	1	-	-
J Synnell	"	1	-	-
M Byrne	D turn	1	-	-
J O'Brien	"	1	-	-
E Mulhern	Salt	18	8	
J Flower	Chickens	6	4	
J Manley	Carriage	3	6	
E Storey	Telep	1	5	
		10	16	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:—

On the report and recommendation of the Committee appointed to take stock of clothing &c at the close of the half year, the following articles of worn out clothing were ordered to be taken off the Books:—

32-Sheets	20-Coats	31-Gowns
29-Blankets	23-Vests	49-Petticoats
20-Dresses	38-Trowsers	23-Shirts
11-Dicks	54-Shirts	49-Hurons
23-Pillows	31-Cups	24-Knitkerchiefs
100-Shoes	28-Dies	12-Cups
100-Towels		

A tender was accepted from Jap M Donald proposing to give 6/6 for the above reqs. —

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

Gentlemen.

I have to report that Doctor Ryan has discharged the duties of Medical Officer to the Workhouse from the 26th instant at my request, Doctor Dwyer being unable from indisposition.

Read to the Board
 BFD

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 27th Ultimo, approving of the appointment of Mr. John Dowling as Poor Rate Collector in this Union on the terms specified:

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Read Circular from Same, Dated the 30th Ultimo calling for the Annual Return of Officers and Guardians:

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Read Letter from Mr. J. K. Jorney, Sub., Dated the 30th Ultimo complaining of the delay in settling his account for work done in relation to Improvement Scheme No. 1.

Order

9
 adjourned till next week:

Read letter Dated the 1st instant,
 from Mr. Perry (S. enclosing an estimate
 for 2 wicket gates and two granite posts to be
 erected at Bally Killarane cottages:

The Guardians accepted a tender from
 Mr. Michael Byrne of Rathdrum proposing to
 supply and erect these 2 gates and posts for the
 sum of £1.15.0.

Read report from Mr. Newcom V.I.
 Dated the 26th Ultrimo, stating that on that
 day he inspected a pig belonging to James
 Kavanagh of Rathdrum which he found
 to be suffering from swine fever & accordingly
 ordered to be slaughtered, Value £2.10.0.

Ordered compensation in accordance with Statute.

L. M. & Co. W. L.
 Oct 9th 1884

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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	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed ... ..	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	3
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	3
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	3

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-
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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 9th day of October 1889

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 2nd day of October 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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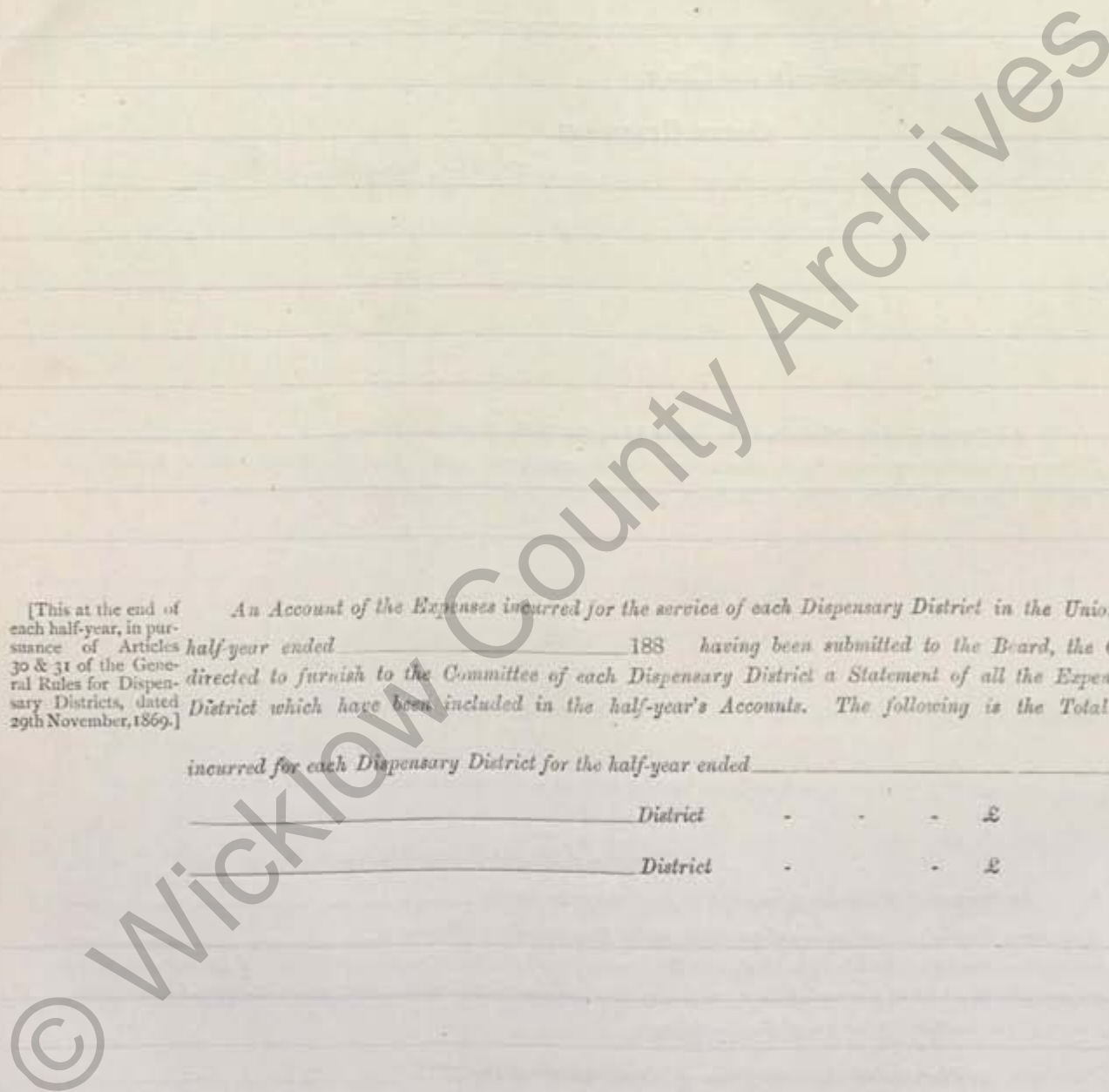
_____ Dispensary District.

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 _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188.

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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. Newbridge Dispensary Committee
stating that

a meeting of the Dispensary Committee was held on the 27th Ultimo to review tenders for the repairs of the Dispensary. Two tenders were received viz: Michael Clarke £14.4 and Wm. Pritchley £14.7.6.

The Committee unanimously accepted the tender of Michael Clarke.

Approved by the Guardians:

John L. Cowley Chm
Feb 9th 1889

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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 9th
day of October 1889

Signed, J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

401

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of October 1889

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	207															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	210	35	27	41	54	1	7	8	4	18	195					
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			8	25	70	30	0	8	8	4	4	146	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week	40		10	5	—	—	—	2	5	5	2	69	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL	75		47	34	70	34	0	9	13	9	20	264	TOTAL	72	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week			28	6	3	—	—	1	1	2	1	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			35	6	3	—	—	1	2	2	4	54	No. Relieved during week	27	1	—	28
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			40	34	43	54	0	9	11	5	19	210	No. in Workhouse at date	7	1	—	8
													No. at corresponding period last year,				217

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of October 1889 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.	90	145	John D. Edge
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No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	465	771	— 653

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of October 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. John J. Cowley DVC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Edward Storey
 " Patrick Keely
 " Edward Ellison
 " Gregory Curran

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2281 to No. 2370 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 against 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.

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

Name of each Collector	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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Genealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclesh ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	90	18	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	34	9	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2 ³ / ₄
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	:
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	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 :—

890 Lanes Bread
 216 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Buttermilk
 20 lbs Butter
 350 " Meat
 36 Heads
 15 doz Eggs
 1/2 " chickens

Orders - That Sarah Ellis
 be sent to Mercer Hospital
 Dublin

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 October 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	39	3	6
In Kind		1	7
Total	£ 40	10	6

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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	-	1
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	2
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	3

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.
	R. O'Brien	5	=	=
	J. Graham	5	=	=
	J. Dalland	26	6	6
	E. Walsh	10	9	.
	J. Advertiser	7	15	-
	Kelly Bros	117	10	3
	L. Byrne	30	17	8
	N. Hawkins	4	11	4
	J. Sutton	14	5	6
	J. Doherty	27	2	6
	J. Martin	12	12	7
	J. Finn	9	7	7
	J. Saul	9	13	10
	W. Birney	2	12	-
	W. Daniel	3	6	8
	L. H. Darry	2	-	-
	M. J. Byrne	5	6	6
	Clark	4	8	4
4	M. New	5	=	=
5	E. M. Gunk	8	3	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:—

Genl.
 Dr. Ryan has discharged the duties of Medical Officer of the Workhouse during the past week, at my request:

J. J. Lawley Clk
 Oct 9 1889

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 7th instant, from the Local Govern^t Board, calling for the usual Quarterly Rate Return.

Read Letter Dated the 5th instant, from Same forwarding 75 Copies of the Rathdrum Union Labourers Order 1885, for Service on the parties interested previous to the publication of the order in pursuance of Sec. 12 of the Act of 1885.

Order — The attention of the Local Government Board to be called to the 5 Cottages proposed to be built on the townland of Timmore, and to point out that this townland is in Newenstone Lower T.D. and not in Newenstone Upper as stated in the Order.

9
 Recd Letter from Mr Barnes, dated the
 9th instant, asking the Guardians to be good
 enough to grant D. Barnes another weeks leave
 of absence, as he does not feel equal to re-
 suming his duties yet.

Leave granted

A tender was accepted from Mr Geo. H
 Darry of Arklow, proposing to keep the books
 of the Workhouse in repair for one year from the
 26th of September 1889, for the sum of £2.

16/10/89 - Charles D. Sturham
 Chan

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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

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 16th day of October 1889

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 9th day of October 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 401

*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, £ _____

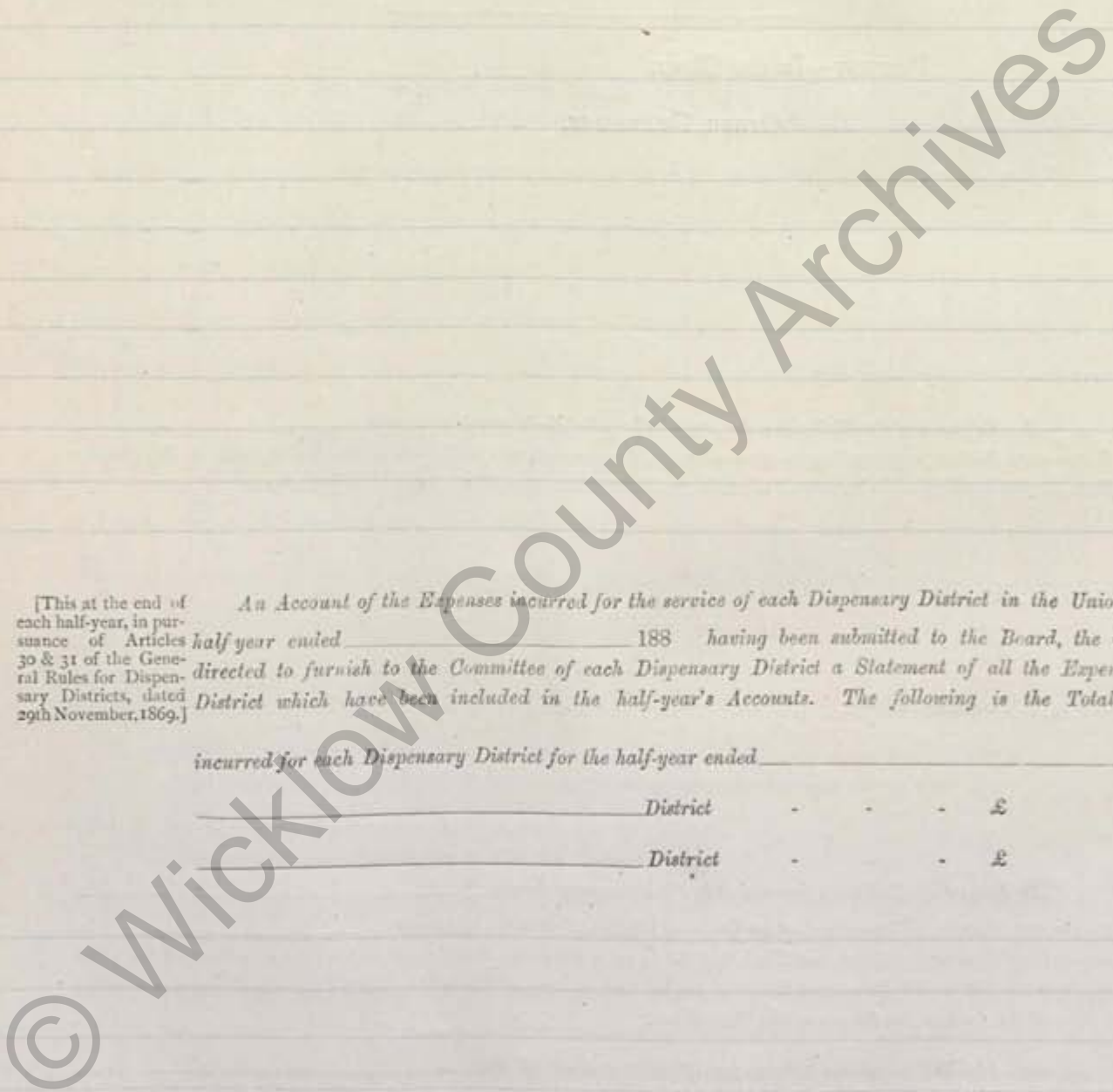
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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 Lord Genl. Buns dated 5th instant stating that

the Guardians should not take any proceedings as regards the building of the proposed Dispensary and Doctor's Residence at Anghrim until the Loan required therefor shall have been sanctioned by the Lords Comrs. of Her Majesty's Treasury.

Read Letter from Mr. McClarke, the Contractor for erecting the above buildings asking to be supplied with copies of the Plan & Specifications in order that he may proceed with the works.

Read Letter dated the 5th inst. from Messrs Keily & Lloyd, Solicitors to the Earl of Meath, forwarding their Bill of Costs in relation to the lease of the site of the Anghrim Dispensary &c. which was executed by His Lordship on the 15th of August last and now awaits the approval of the Guardians.

= Charles J. O'Rourke
Chair

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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th
day of October 1889

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

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

421

Population in 1881—34403—

Present Net Annual Value, £128315.14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of October 1889

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	100															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	203															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			11	29	72	56	5	9	16	5	12	210	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards	21	
Admitted during the Week			28	3	1	—	—	—	1	1	1	35	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL			39	32	73	56	5	9	17	6	13	245	TOTAL	71	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week			30	4	3	—	—	1	2	1	1	42	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			30	4	3	—	—	1	2	1	1	42	No. Relieved during week	25	2	3	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	28	70	56	5	8	10	5	12	203	No. in Work-house at date	5	—	—	5
													No. at corresponding period last year				227

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of October 1889 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vlet, 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.	90	146	John D. Edge
No. II.	94	149	John Manley
No. III.	198	344	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	465	772	648

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of October 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D^r Ch^r
 Other Guardians:—Captain Drought P^r VC
 Mr. John J. Farley D^r VC
 " Harry A. Donbe P^r
 " Thos. Delahunty
 " John Byrne

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2321 to No. 2440 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 against 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 ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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.

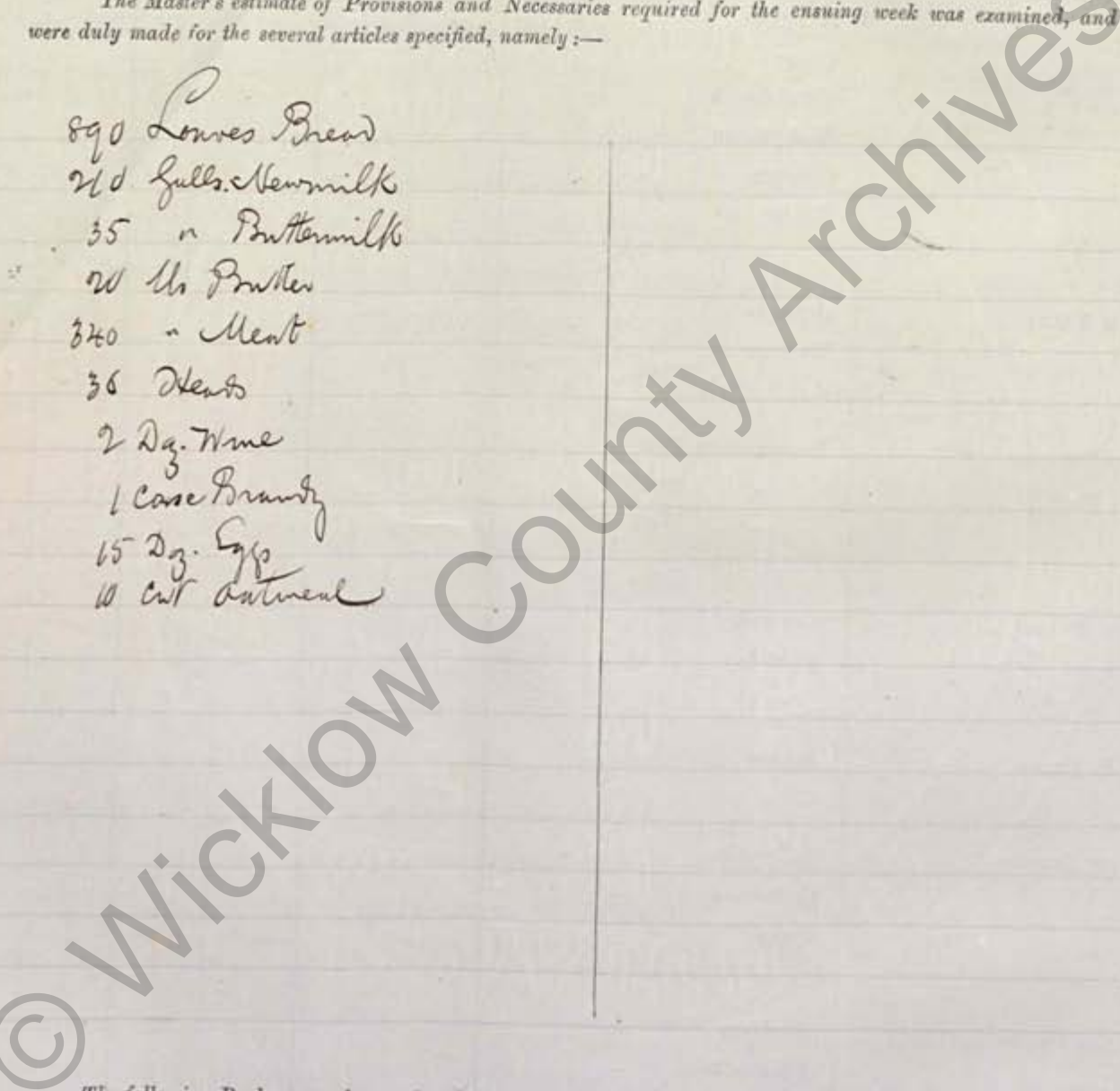
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	223	9	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	39	11	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	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 :—

- 890 Loaves Bread
- 210 Galls. Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 20 lbs Butter
- 340 " Meat
- 36 Hens
- 2 Dz. Wine
- 1 Case Brandy
- 15 Dz. 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 12th day of October 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	40	9	0
In Kind			2 6
Total	£ 40	11	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 Cheques 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.	
<i>A. Byrne</i>	Results Fees	7	17	6
<i>J. Byrne</i>	"	6	1	6
<i>M. Byrne</i>	Bread	15	3	-
<i>Henry Lloyd</i>	Jobs	9	10	-

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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:—

On the recommendation of the Medical Officer, Alfred Flynn a pauper inmate of the Workhouse was ordered to be sent to Meurers Hospital, Dublin, for treatment.

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 from Local Govern^t. Board. Dated the 11th instant forwarding for the information of the Guardians a reprint of the provisions applicable to Ireland of the "Infectious Diseases (Notification) Act 1889

Read circular from Same dated the 14th instant, forwarding for the information of the Guardians copies of the 1st and 9th sections of the Act 1852 & 53 Vic. Cap. 56.

Read Letter from Same of same Date, requesting that the copies of the Provisional Order which accompanied their letter of the 5th instant may be returned to them:

Proposed by Mr. Jowley, seconded by Captain Drought
Resolved -

That Ryan be paid Ten Guineas
for his services as temporary substitute for Dr.
Parnes, Medical Officer of the Workhouse during
a period of three weeks in which the latter was
absent on sick leave.

Passed unanimously

Recd Report from Mr. Newsum V1
Dated the 8th instants stating that on that
day he inspected 4 pigs belonging to Thomas
Inyrell of Millon, which he found affected
with Swine Fever and ordered to be slaughtered,
value of £1:2:0 each.

Order - Compensation to be given in accordance
with the Statute.

The Master of the Workhouse applied for
leave of absence for three days.
Leave granted

R. R. Drought
Ch. 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	...	...	...	8
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
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	-
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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 23rd day of October 1889

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 16th day of October 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

John Pottenham D.L. Clerk

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:

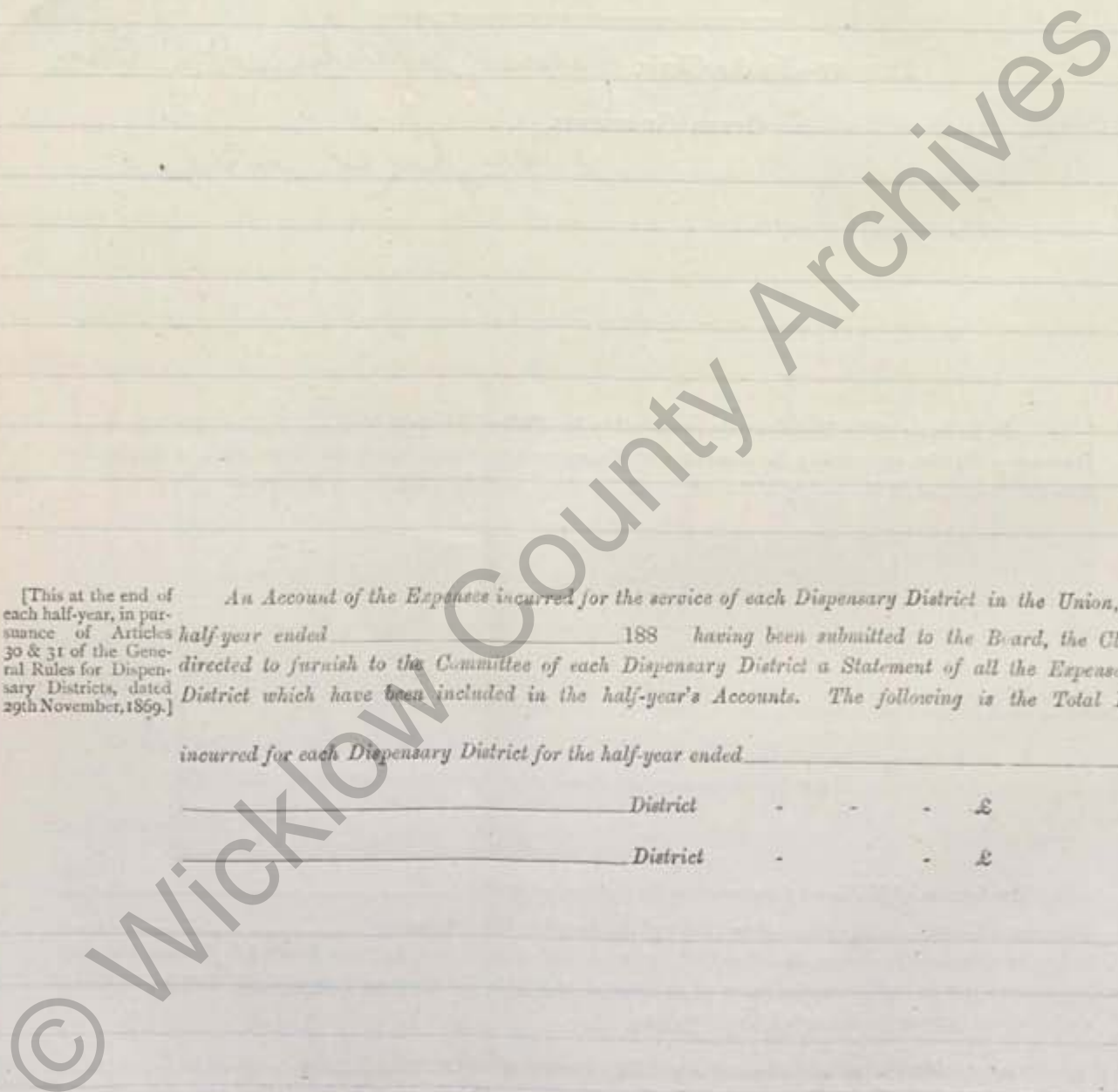
Dispensary District.

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, 1859.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	188
_____ District - - -	£
_____ District - - -	£



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. :—

Newcastle — 10 Defaulters —

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

The usual notices to be served: —

2
R. P. Donoghue
Ch. 2

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd
day of October 1889

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

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

441

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128315:14/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of October 1889

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			9	28	70	56	5	8	10	5	12	203	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards	21	10
Admitted during the Week			25	8	2	—	—	—	1	1	2	39	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL			34	36	72	56	5	8	11	6	14	242	TOTAL	72	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week - Died			24	6	3	—	—	—	1	1	2	37	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Dead			24	6	4	—	—	—	1	1	2	38		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	30	68	56	5	8	10	5	12	204	No. Relieved during week	22	5	2	29
													No. in Work-house at date	8	1	—	9
													No. at corresponding period last year				231

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of October 1889 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.	91	153	John D. Edge
No. II.	94	150	John Manley
No. III.	203	349	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	471	785	= 642

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of October 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain Drought A VC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
 & Harry A. Dunbar A P

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2441 to No. 2480 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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 Fairs* 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.

£ 461.13.8
 £ 224.16.4
 £ 137.7.8

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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
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>	29	7	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	38	6	8
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	=
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	4

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

- 880 Loaves Bread
- 210 Galls Newmilk
- 35 " Pruttmilk
- 20 " Porter
- 340 " Meat
- 36 Heads
- 10 cut Sugar
- 2 1/2 Pns Porter
- 15 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 19 day of *Apr* 1889 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	39	4	3
In Kind			10 = 6
Total	<u>£ 39</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>9</u>

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 ...	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.
Pearson & Darry	Coal	196	15 1
Em Guirk	Ment	17	11 10
M Byrne	Coal of Ment	6	15 -
In for the year			
M Byrne	Masonwork	1	5 10
M Kelly	Altar wine	1	2 4
S. Dunne	Lunatic Fee	1	1 -
		3	9 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 Report of the Master and other Officers was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Genl^r I have to report that the Contractor for keeping in repair the roofs of the Workhouse Buildings is not attending to same, though urgently needed, and pressed by me since late storm; some steps must be taken without delay.

Order— The Clerk to call on the Contractor to fulfill his Contract.

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 expressing their sanction to the Guardians proposal to pay a sum of Ten Guineas to Dr. Ryan for his services in discharging the duties of Medical Officer of the Workhouse for a period of three weeks.

Read Circular from same of same Date requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the Receipts and Expenditure of the Union for the year ended the 29th of September 1889. Showing each half year separately.

Read Circular Dated the 16th instant from the Commissioners of Valuation, relating to

The annual revision of the Valuations of the Union.

Read Letter Dated the 22nd instant from Mr. Berry C.E. expressing his regret that he cannot accept the offer of the Guardians in reference to the plans &c prepared by him for the improvement of the drainage of the Work-house, except on the conditions mentioned in his letter of the 20th Ultimo.

Order - Refered to the next special meeting

Read the following entry made in the Workhouse Visitors Book by Dr. Nugent, Inspector of Lunatics:

"I this day visited the Lunatic Wards of the Rathfriland Workhouse, which between both sexes contains 36 inmates; 26 Females and 10 males. They are evidently kindly looked after, well attired, and supplied with comfortable beds. They are personally clean and orderly, their dietary being regulated by the attendant Physician.

"I would recommend to the benevolent consideration of the Chairman and Board of Guardians the advisability of employing a paid attendant to watch over the women who are numerous.

The male accommodation ought to be enlarged, so that all the Lunatics should be in one department & not generally located through the house.

There is a female here violently disturbed who ought to be transferred to the Richmond Asylum and replaced by a quiet and harmless case. I have requested the Master to apply accordingly.

J. Nugent 17/10/89

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Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 22nd instant, transmitting 75 of the Provision Order issued by them in respect of the Improvement Scheme made by the Guardians, under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts; and requesting to be furnished with the certificate required by Sec. 7 of the Act of 1883 when the copies shall have been served on the several persons interested.

Read Letter from Same Dated the 9th inst. requesting to be informed if the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in Arklow Dispensary District reported by Dr. Molony last month have since complied with the Law Order - Dr. Molony to be applied to for this information

Read Letter from Mr. Berry C.E. stating that he inspected the Labourers Cottages at Bally Killatane and found all the defects pointed out by the S.D. Engineer have been remedied; Mr. Berry testified that the contractor may now be paid the balance of his Contract £5. and the Extras due to him for the Gates & posts put up at the pig yards £1.15.0. Total £6.15.0.

Order - To be paid these sums -

Read Letter from Christ. Murphy tenant of the Labourers Cottage at Mucklagh, Ballinacorr E.D. complaining that water is rising up in the broken parts of the Kitchen floor, and the Rain is coming in at the Chimney;

Order - Referred to Mr. Owen Byrne, R.C. for Ballinacorr E.D.

R. D. Drayton
C. E.

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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	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	6
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	6
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	6

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	—
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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 30th day of October 1889

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 23rd day of October 188 9

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

J. J. Drought P.P.V.C.

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*M. J. J. Cowley Esq.
J. A. Tomber Esq.*

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:

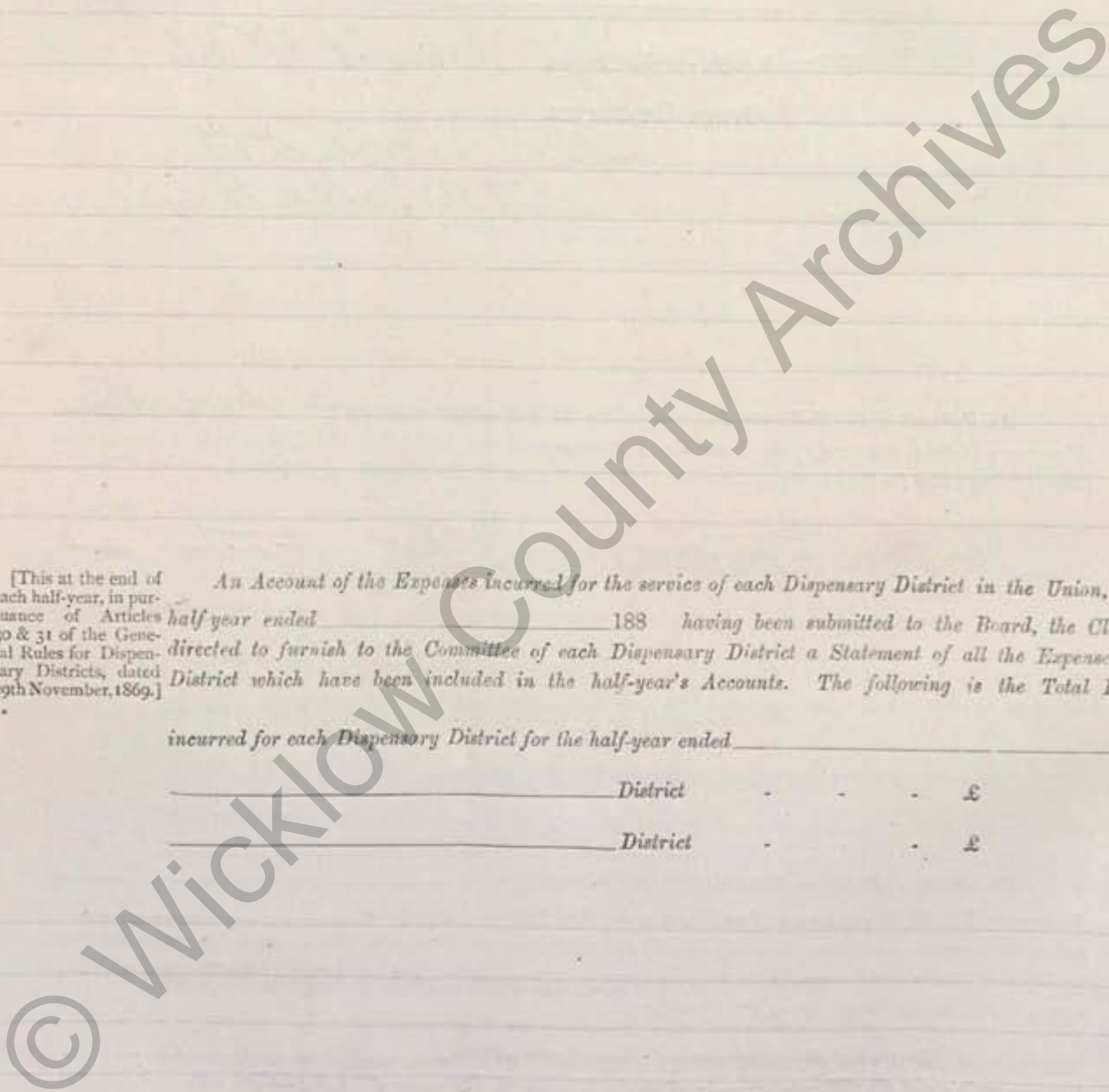
Dispensary District.

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 services of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____

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



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 Messrs Keig & Lloyd Local Agents Solicitors,
 stating that
 forwarding the Lease of the site of the Dispensary and
 Dispensary Residence about to be built at Aughrim:

Order — The Lease to be forwarded to the L.G. Board, with a view
 to obtaining their sanction to the Loan applied for from
 the Board of Works:

Read Letter from Mr. Derry C.E. stating in reply to
 the Guardians inquiring that he has already supplied
 three sets of Plans & Specifications for the Aughrim
 Dispensary & Residence; — viz: one to the Guardians —
 one to the Local Government Board — and one to the Board
 of Works. — and that he will charge £3:3:0 for
 an additional set, if required by the Guardians for
 the Contractor:

Order — The L.G. Board to be requested to have the
 goodness to return the Plans, Specifications &c sent to
 them; in order that they may be given to the
 Contractor for his guidance.

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 Circular from the L.G. Bd. Dated the 22nd instant, requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the amount paid by the Grant^{ee} as sanitary salaries during the half year ended the 29th of September last, with a view to portion thereof being recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant for that purpose.

= P.P. Drought
Ch. 2?

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 30th
day of October 1889

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

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881— 34 403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,315:4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of October 1889

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		
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TOTAL			34	35	70	57	7	8	11	7	14	243	TOTAL	70	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week			24	8	—	—	1	1	1	3	1	39	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			24	8	—	—	1	1	1	3	1	39	No. Relieved during week	16	4	2	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	27	70	57	6	7	10	4	13	204	No. in Workhouse at date	5	—	—	5
													No. at corresponding period last year, 226				

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Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley P VC

" Edward Ellison

" Owen Byrne

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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 of 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.

£ 541 : 0 : 0

£ 306 : 1 : 2

£ 372 : 6 : 6

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 ...									
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EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
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	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMITH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
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	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

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	£	s.	d.
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<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	38	13	3
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10 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
 210 Galls Newmilk
 40 " Buttermilk
 20 lbs Butter
 330 " Meat
 36 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 26th day of October 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	43	3	6
In Kind		4	6
Total	£ 43	8	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. Ryan	Salg	10	10	=
J. Evans	Samy Ex	10	=	=
M. Byrne	Bread	16	9	1
W. Taylor	Meat	10	5	=
J. Innell	Compo. Pigs	2	4	=
J. Smyth	Chapel Reg	2	10	6
D. Halpin	Var ^m	2	4	=
S. Kavanagh	Reg ^m	3	11	11
D. Halpin	"	2	8	3
J. Levingston	"	2	=	4
W. Murphy	Indus Clk to pay	1	11	9
St. Liversock	"	1	10	6
" Ryan	"	1	2	=
" Dwyer	"	2	=	=
" Liversock	Var ^m	1	18	=
		8	2	3
J. Murtagh	Repts	3	10	=

£ 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):—

Rem. Circular Dated the 23rd instant, from the Local Government Board, calling for a Return showing the amount of the Educational and Medical Expenses of the Union for the half year ended the 29th of September 1889 with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant for that purpose:

Charles P. O'Sullivan
Chairman.

6/11/89.

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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	...	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed	...	..	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	3

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 ✓

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 6th day of November 1889

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,
the 30th day of October 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Captain Drought RVC

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*Mr. John J. Crowley RVC**" Edward Ellison**" Owen Byrne*

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Kughlin
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, £ _____

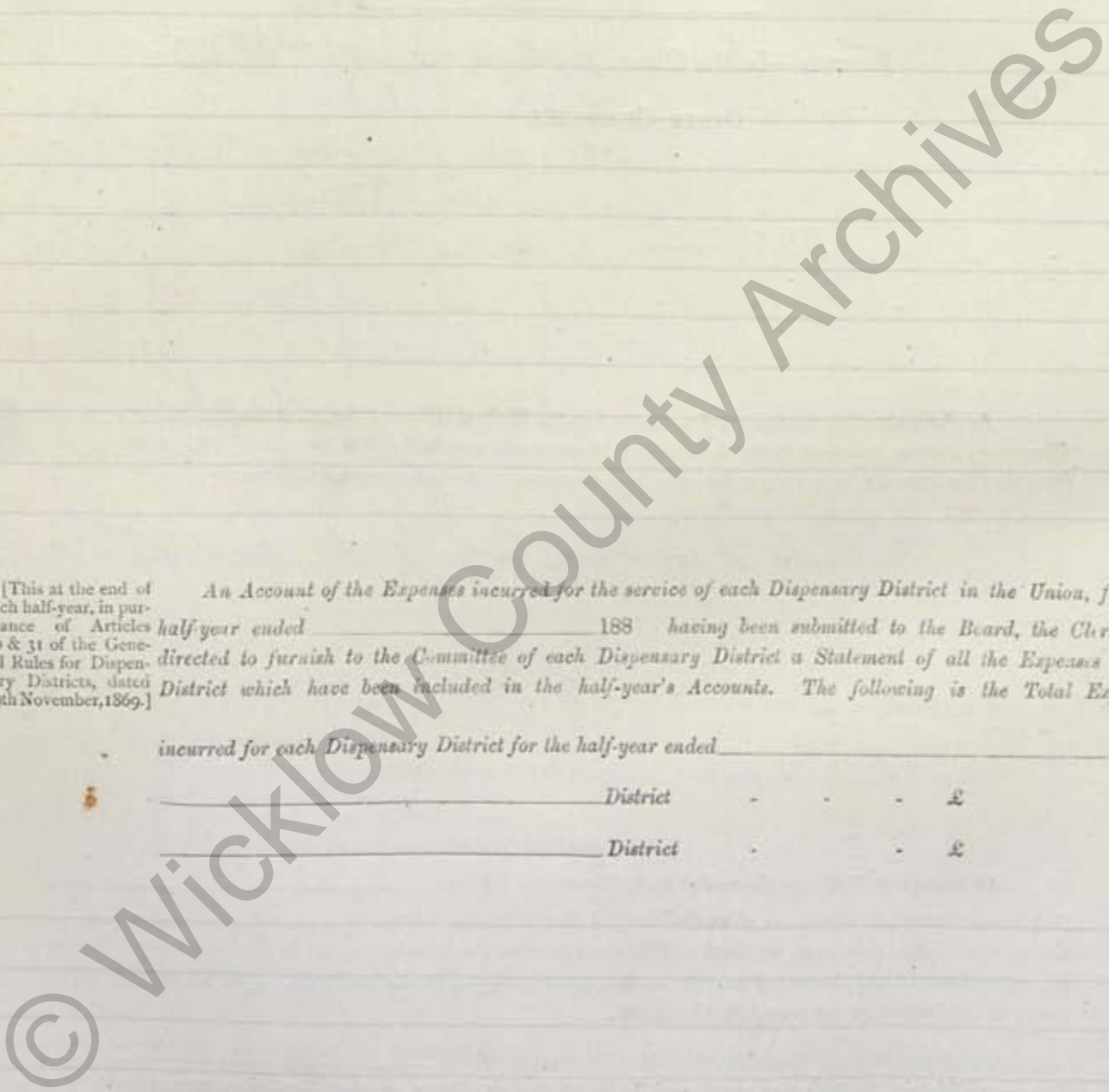
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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 _____

Aughrim

Read the following resolutions passed by the Aughrim Dispensary Committee at their monthly meetings on the 30th of September and 28th October

Resolved — The letters of August the 17th + 22nd from the Sub-Sanitary Officer and Clerk of the Union were read; It was approved to have the Spring Well repaired and sewered.

Resolved — We beg to notify the death of Mr. Moses Doyle J.P. of Aughrim Electoral Division, on the 7th of October:

Order — The Sanitary Sub-Officer to be instructed to keep the well free from pollution, and take a sample of water for analysis:

The Local Govt. Board are requested to issue an Order for an Election of a Guardian for Aughrim E.D. in room of the late Mr. Doyle:

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 29th instant stating that

the Lease of the site of the proposed Dispensary and Doctors Residence at Aughrim forwarded to them should have been sent to the Commissioners of Public Works;

With reference to the Plan &c of the proposed buildings deposited with them, the L.G.B. state that these documents are required for future reference and must be retained by them; They understand however that it is usual for a Building Contractor to have tracings of plans and copies of specification made for his own use:

Order—

The Lease to be forwarded to the Public Works Department;

Charles J. Witham
Chair

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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 6th/₁₈
day of November 1889

Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128,315:4:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of November 1889

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	559	203																
Temporary Buildings ..	—																	
Additional Workhouse ..	—																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5																
Fever Sheds	—																	
TOTAL	639	208																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	27	70	57	6	7	10	4	13	204	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	21	13	
Admitted during the Week			17	6	3	1	—	2	2	1	—	32	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates	20		
TOTAL			27	33	73	58	6	9	12	5	13	236	TOTAL	77	TOTAL	41		
Discharged during the Week			19	5	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	26	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS					
Died			—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead			19	6	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	28	No. Relieved during week	16	3	—	19	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	27	72	58	6	9	11	4	13	208	No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	—	3	
																	No. at corresponding period last year,	233

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of November 1889 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	91	153	John D. Edge
No. II.	91	146	John Manley
No. III.	203	360	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	468	792	= 639

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of November 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham &c &c
Other Guardians—

Mr. John Cowley DVC
" Harry A. Dombett
" Edward Storey
" V. Clements.

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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinaeor ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	46	14	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	39	2	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	2½
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10½
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 :—

900 Loaves Bread
 200 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Porter
 20 " Porter
 340 " Meat
 13 Duz. Eggs
 12 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 2nd day of November 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	39	0	0
In Kind	2	0	0
Total	41	0	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.
Leslie & Co	Medicines	191	12	10
J Leeson	Flour	13	16	3
Merk	small pig	3	2	4
E M Quirk	Meat	16	4	9
E Mathern	Eggs & Salt	4	9	10
N Habkins	Tobacco &c	7	1	11
E Fallon	Shoes	23	7	8
J Flower	Eggs	4	4	10
B Ireland	Rept. Rooms	25	18	8
"	"	15	9	6
In far flesh to pay				
J. J. J. J.	Posting Whar	5	-	-
R Ellison	Pol. Newts	17	2	
"	Rep. Pump	7	-	
J Levingston	Turnage	3	6	
J Flower	Shingles	14	8	
Collis	Rep. Rooms	17	4	
		7	9	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 follow :—

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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 30th Ultimo, from the Local Government Board calling for a Return of certain particulars in regard to the Working of the Labourers Act in this Union.

2

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 4th instant stating that they have given directions for the issue of an Order for the election of a Guardian for Ancherim E.D. in room of the late Mr. Mues Doyle:

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The Clerk of the Union brought under the notice of the Board his claim for remuneration for himself and those Officers who assisted

him in the preparation of the Parliamentary Voters Lists during the past year:

Order -

A special meeting of the Guardians to be summoned on the 27th instant to take these claims into consideration

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The Master of the Workhouse placed before the Board a statement of the cost of the repairs and painting of the Workhouse recently carried out under his superintendence, whereby a saving of £131:3:6 has been effected, the work at the same time being executed in a satisfactory manner.

The Estimated Cost as per Tender £738:0:0

Actual cost as per Account ~ 106:16:6

£131:3:6

under these circumstances, and also considering the amount of extra work he has done in connection with the Water supply of the Workhouse and the amount of expense he has saved to the Guardians in this department, he hopes the Guardians will not hold him to his offer to accept £60. for all this extra work, but will allow him the same amount as he receives on the previous occasion when the painting of the Workhouse was carried out under similar circumstances:

Order -

This matter to be brought under the consideration of the Guardians at their special meeting on the 27th instant:

= Charles J. Utchen

18/11/09

Chair

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* The casts 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
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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 13th day of November 1889

Signed, J. Manning Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,
the 6th day of November 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

See page 481

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

Requisition
to be forwarded to the Contractor, striking out
the items not contracted for, which the Contractor
may supply by substituting for them the articles
nearest in quality and effect included in the
Contract List.

= Michael James Pottin
Sherrin

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the 13/11/89
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:

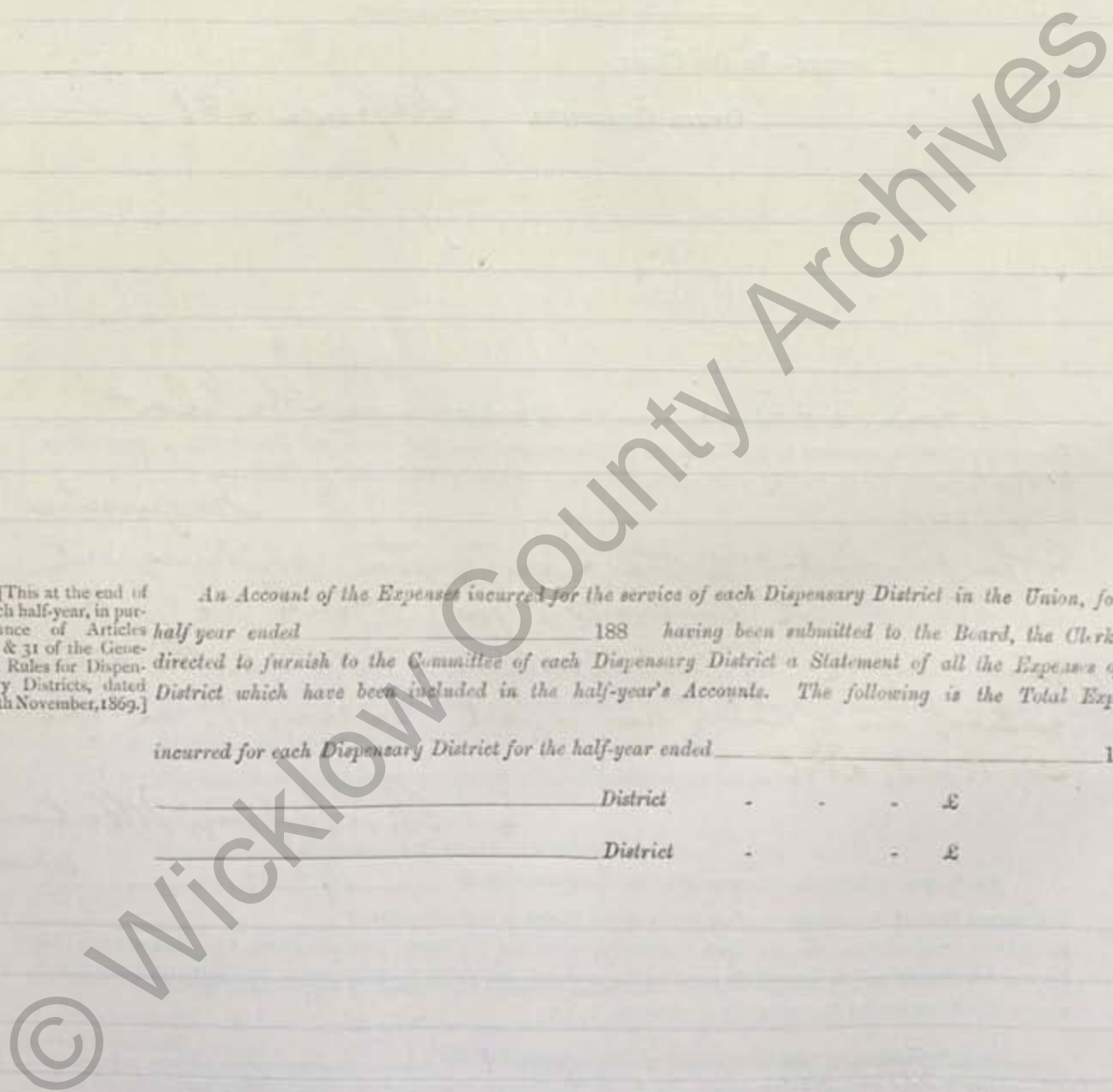
Dispensary District.

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 _____ 188 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____	188
_____ District - - -	£
_____ District - - -	£



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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 13th
day of November 1889

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

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128 3/5 : 4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of November 1889

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	599	211															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	609	215															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			8	27	72	58	6	9	11	4	13	208	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	21	10
Admitted during the Week			17	2	4	—	—	—	2	1	1	27	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL,			25	29	76	58	6	9	13	5	14	235	TOTAL,	76	TOTAL,	41	
Discharged during the Week			15	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	18	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	2		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			15	1	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	20	No. Relieved during week	17	—	—	17
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	28	74	58	5	8	13	5	14	215	No. in Workhouse at date	6	—	—	6
													No. at corresponding period last year,				241

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of November 1889 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.	91	153	John D. Edge
No. II.	92	147	John Manley
No. III.	203	369	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	469	802	636

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of November 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham DL Ch^r

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley DVC
 " John Byrne
 " E. Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2536 to No. 2581 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.

	£	321	·	0	·	0
	£	347	·	19	·	8
	£	196	·	10	·	6

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 ...	Altadore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	25	9	6
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	39	8	0
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10 ⁴
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	11

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

900 Loaves Bread
 210 Galls Newmilk
 35 " Porter
 20 " Porter
 340 " Meat
 36 Hens
 13 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 9th day of November 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	50	5	10
In Kind			
Total	51	1	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	20	-	-
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:—

		£	s.	d.
M Byrne	Bread	15	7	10
M New	Tea & Sugar	5	-	-
M Giffney	Cont. joining Pilots	8	5	-
J Papant	Supp James & Co	30	13	10
J Nolan	carpenters work	2	16	-
D O'Brien	Maintenance deaf m	7	10	-
Inward to pay				
		3	4	-

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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 7th inst:
from L.G. Board transmitting a copy of an
order for an Election of a Guardian for Anglem
E.D. in room of Mr. Moses Doyle, deceased.

Read Communications from Mrs^m Stoney
and Elements. Guardians for Gleneag E.D.
certifying that Michael Giffney contractor for
fencing the plots attached to the two Labourers
cottages built by the Guardians at Ballykilla.
-work has been satisfactorily carried out, and that
he may be paid the amount of his tender of £8.5.0

Order - A cheque to be drawn for the amount

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Read Letter from Thomas Muntagh Const. for keeping the roofs of the Workhouse buildings in repair, stating that the recent storm of wind did so much damage to the roofs of the buildings that the materials required to make good the damage cost £3.17.6, independent of the workmanship; which outlay he suggests cannot be called ordinary repairs under his Contract, he therefore respectfully asks to be refunded this amount; as was done under similar circumstances three years ago.

Order -
To be considered on this day fortnight;
The Master to make a special report as to the condition of the roof previous to the storm.

Read Report from Mr. Newson V.D. Dated the 6th instant stating that on the previous day he inspected some pigs belonging to Mr. Murphy, Bohan, which he found to be affected with Swine Fever, and ordered to be slaughtered, 6 in number, and valued them at 25/- each.

Order - Compensation to be paid according to the Statute.

Read Circular Dated the 11th instant from L.G.P. forwarding for the information of the Guard. copies of the "Prevention of Cruelty to, and Protection of Children Act 1889" and the "Technical Instruction Act 1889".

R. J. Dring
Ch. Sec.

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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
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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 20th day of November 1889

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,
the _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of 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, £ _____

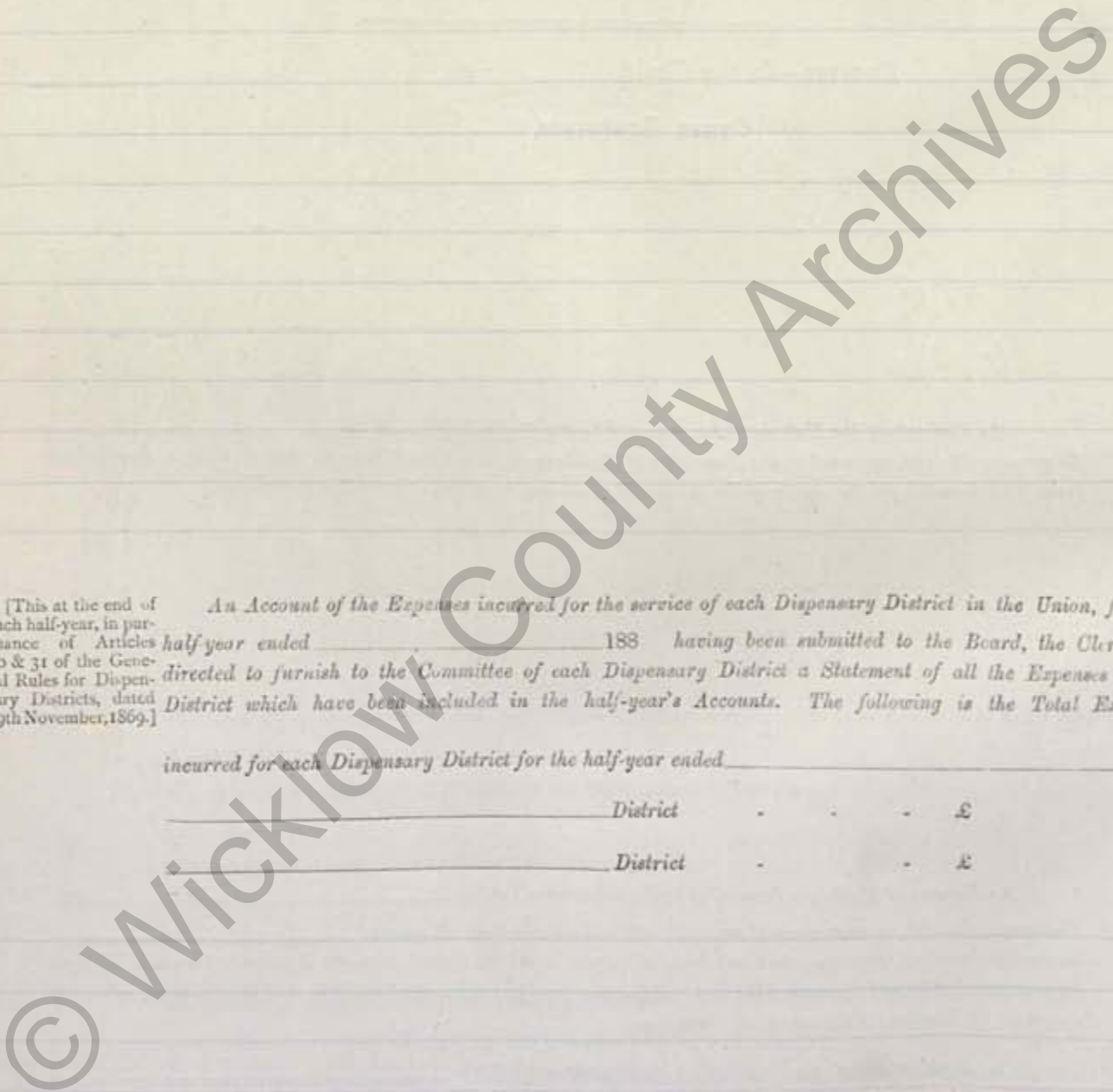
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 20th
day of November 1889

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881—34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128315.4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of November 1889

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	205													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	4													
Permanent Fever Hospital	50														
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	609	209													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	28	74	58	5	8	13	5	14	215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 72 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4 TOTAL, 76	In separate Wards In Wards with other Inmates 21 20 TOTAL, 41	6
Admitted during the Week			25	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	29			
TOTAL,			35	28	78	58	5	8	13	5	14	244			
Discharged during the Week - Died			25	2	3	—	—	1	2	1	1	35			
Total Discharged and Dead												35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	26	75	58	5	7	11	4	13	209	No. in Work-house at date 3 No. at corresponding period last year, 248		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of November 1889 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.	96	158	John D. Edge
No. II.	93	152	John Manley
No. III.	206	382	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	478	825	= 636

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of November 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair—Captain Drought JP VC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John J. Cowley JVC - Mr. C. H. O'Ward J
 " John Byrne " Don. Jordan
 " V. Clements
 " E. Ellison
 " Thos. Hayden

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2542 to No. 2616 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 Cash* the Guardians was £ 373 : 9 : 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 ...									
	Moneytown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Acklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	25	12	8
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	39	15	4
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3
Average Cost in Infirmary -		3	10 ²
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		5	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 :—

900 Loaves Bread
 216 Galls Newmilk
 40 .. Buttermilk
 20 lb Butter
 340 .. Meat
 36 Hens
 14 Doz Eggs
 2 1/2 Chests Tea
 2 1/2 An Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of November 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	41	13	6
In Kind		13	6
Total	£ 42	7	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	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 J Evans	10	-	-
D J'Brien	7	10	-
E M Gault	16	5	11
J Whelan	4	11	11
E Murphy	4	15	-
J Switzer	63	16	5
Jan Ex			
Maintenance			
Newt			
Shaw			
Comp for Pigs			
Clothing &c.			

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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 from Local Govern.^t Board dated the 13th instant calling the attention of the Guardians to the fact that they have not yet received the Certificate that the copies of the Provisional Order issued by them under the Labours (Ireland) Act have been served upon the several persons interested in pursuance of section 9 of the Act of 1883.

The Clerk of the Union informed the Vicar that since the receipt of this letter the Certificate in question has been furnished.

Read Letter from same Dated the 14th instant, acknowledging the receipt of the Certificate referred to above.

Read Letter from same Dated the 14th instant acknowledging the receipt of the certificate of Mr. Perry R.E., the Guardians Architect under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, respecting the remedying of the defects pointed out in the two houses built at Ball Killarane, Glencar E.D. The L.G. Board have now recommended the Jws of Public Works to issue to the Guardians the final instalment (£27) of the Loan sanctioned in respect to these two houses.

They state at the same time that they await the receipt of a similar certificate in regard to the house built at Mucklugh in Bullinacree E.D.

Order - The final instalment of Loan to be applied for

Read Letter from same, Dated the 19th inst. requesting the Guardians to issue a cheque in payment of the expenses of the recent inquiry in relation to the Guardians Improvement Scheme No. 2, and the preparation of the Provisional Order issued in pursuance thereof amounting to £35.16.3.

Order - Amount to be paid. —

The following Claims to be rated were allowed -

viz:

Pat ^r Fitzwilliam,	vs	V. Cath ^r Fitzwilliam
Anastasia Mahon,	vs	V. Patrick Mahon
John Fulliton,	vs	V. Mich ^r Kavanagh
John Kelly + Mich ^r Kavanagh	} vs	V. James O'Brien

The following notice of motion was served - viz:

I hereby give notice that it is my intention on the first special meeting of the Guardians to be held after the expiration of Fourteen Days from this date, to move that the Water-supply of the town of Rathfriland be improved, and also that the Sewerage of the Industrial Schools and Houses adjoining be taken into consideration; and that meantime the Sanitary Officers be directed to report thereon.

Signed, Edward Ellison

Dated 20th Novr 1889

Rec^d R R D
Chr

Charles J. Attleboro
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	...	...	...	3
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	3
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	7
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	7
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	7

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	1
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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 27th
day of November 1889

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 _____ day of _____ 188

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

An Estimate of 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, £ _____

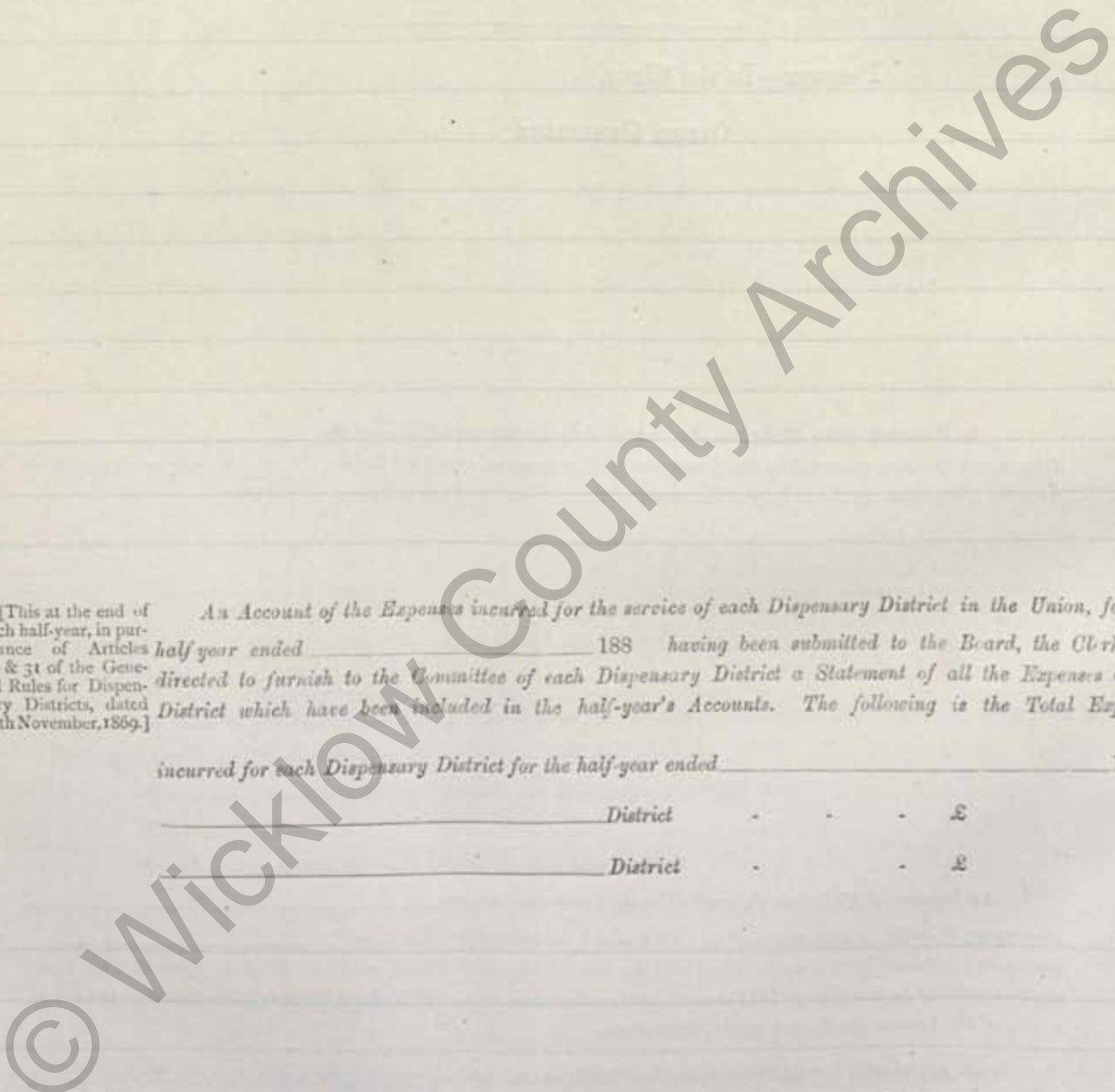
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the
day of 27th Nov 1889

Signed, P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881— 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128315: 4/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of November 1889

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	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	218															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	4															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	660	222															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	26	75	58	5	7	11	4	13	209	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	21	8
Admitted during the Week			27	5	2	—	1	2	1	—	—	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	4	In Wards with other Inmates	20	
TOTAL			37	31	77	58	6	9	12	4	13	247	TOTAL	76	TOTAL	41	
Discharged during the Week			20	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	25	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			20	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	25	No. Relieved during week	22	4	4	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	27	77	57	6	9	12	4	13	222	No. in Workhouse at date	6	4	4	14
																	No. at corresponding period last year, 254

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of November 1889 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.	92	159	John D. Edge
No. II.	93	152	John Manley
No. III.	207	386	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	83	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	475	830	= 639

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of November 1889

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Pattenham DL Ch^r

Other Guardians:—

- Captain Dwyer VC; Mr. John J. Cowley D VC
- Mr. Acton JP
- Mr. Casement JP
- Dr. Col. Brooke JP
- Mr. V. Dowling JP
- Mr. C. W. Walle JP
- Mr. St. Dunne JP
- Mr. J. Alexander JP
- Mr. G. Richter JP
- Mr. S. Dwyer, J. Manley
- Mr. D. Caudren
- Mr. A. Sheehan
- Mr. O. Byrne
- Mr. M. Byrne
- Mr. J. Miles
- Mr. W. Shepard
- Mr. E. Chamney
- Mr. Estney, J. Keeley
- Mr. W. Grant & V. Clements

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2617 to No. 2640 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* of the Guardians was £ 289 : 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 ...									
	Kileoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD KELLY ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JOHN F. EVANS ...	Arklow ...									
FRANCIS KEARNS ...	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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	25	2	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	40	11	1
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3 ¹ / ₄
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10 ³ / ₄
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		6	0

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

900 Loaves Bread
 219 Galls Newmilk
 45 " Buttermilk
 19 Mr Porter
 335 " Meat
 36 Sheep Heads
 14 Doz Eggs
 1 " Wine
 1 Case Brandy
 1 Roll Tobacco
 6 Cwt Sugar
 5 Galls Whiskey
 6 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 November 1889 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money	40	7	0
In Kind		3	6
Total	£ 40	10	6

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

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

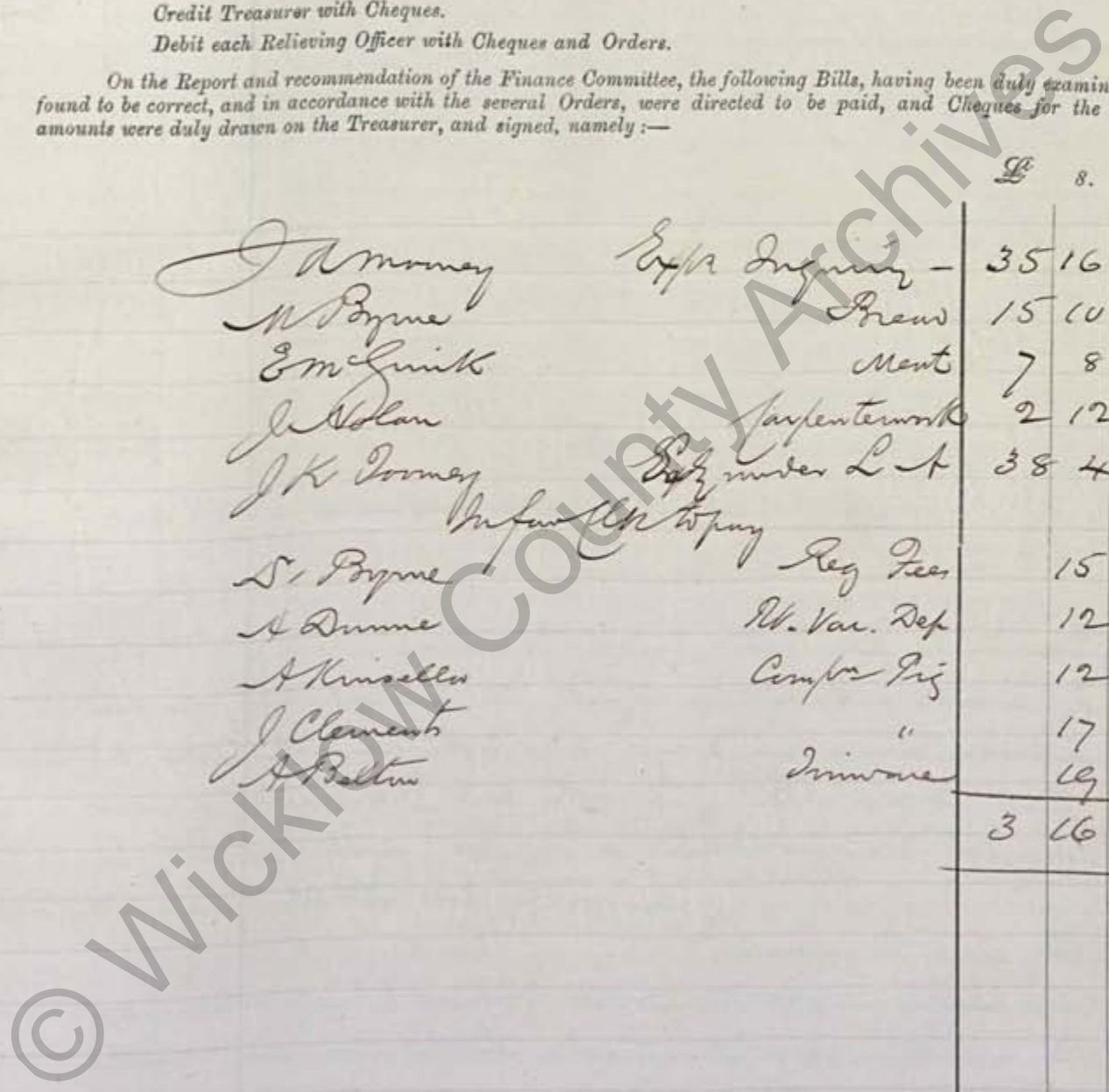
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20		
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20		
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30		
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20		

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.
J A Mowery	Exp ^r Inquiry -	35	16	3
M Byrne	Shrew	15	10	7
E McQuirk	Ment	7	8	5
J Nolan	Sawpenterwork	2	12	-
J K Dorney	By order L A	38	4	3
	Infant (L A) to pay			
S. Byrne	Reg Fees	15	=	
A Dunne	Pl. Var. Def	12	6	
A Kinsella	Comp ^r Pig	12	6	
J Clements	"	17	6	
A Dalton	Drumware	19	-	
		3	16	6



£ 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:—

Grates

I have to report that the Contractor for keeping in repair the roofs of the Workhouse buildings has not carried out his work in a satisfactory manner during the past six months, the work not done in proper time or in a substantial way to resist severe weather and storms:

I desire to add that there was damage done by the late storm over and above what he would be bound to do, but I cannot estimate it at more than £2.

Order— The Board will allow J. H. Murtagh 30/- extra for damage done by the late storm.

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 26th instant from Mr. Derry C.E. requesting the Guardians to instruct him to prepare a plan for the improvement of the Water supply of Rathfriland.

No Order:

In reference to Mr. Derry's Bill of Costs in relation to the improvement of the Drainage of the Workhouse, the Guardians directed the Clerk of the Union to again offer Mr. Derry £10:10:0 in full discharge of his claim, but they decline to any future action in this matter.

The following Claims to be rated were allowed, being properly vouched by the Guardians of the respective Electoral Divisions

✓	Mr John Doyle,	Ballard	✓	Catherine Farrell
✓	" John Byrne,	Blarney	✓	Andrew Byrne
✓	Rev Wm Harper,	Ferrybank	✓	Rev John Good
✓	Mrs Elizabeth Webb,	St	✓	Lucy Ebbes
✓	Mr John Tutty,	St	✓	Martin Tutty
✓	" Rich Kearon,	St	} ✓	L Stangerford
✓	Mrs Mary Kenyon,	St		
✓	" Susan Tyrnell	St	} ✓	Mrs Tyrnell
✓	Mr Wm Tyrnell	St		

Ordered-

That the following irrecoverable arrears of Poor Rates be taken off the Books, being a paper on unoccupied houses, and houses occupied by paupers:

	1886	1887	1888	Total
Arklow	£ 19.3.8	£ 26.1.2	£ 38.2.7	£ 83.7.5
Bushmore	3.3	-	4.5	7.8
Dallinacash	1.4	5.6	7.6	14.4
Dallinacree	14.9	1.0.7	1.6.4	3.1.8
Dallinacree	-	1.2	-	1.2
Dallinacree	15.4	1.14.0	2.9	2.12.1
Dallinacree	-	1.9	-	2.5
Droghda	5.0.0	5.16.0	10.10.9	21.6.9
Culary	1.7	2.2	1.9	5.6
Cremorne	15.4	1.15.2	11.18.10	14.9.4
Dungin	-	-	16.6	16.6
"	-	-	6.6	6.6
Emerald	- 7	- 5	- 5	1.5
Glencree	5.7	1.17.3	17.4	3.0.2
Glendalough	1.6	8.10	5.4	15.8
Kilbride	1.10.0	1.1.6	1.17.8	4.9.2
Killiskey	-	-	1.3.5	1.3.5
Knockree	2.3	3.0	1.7	6.10
Monaghan	4.10	-	2.2	7.0
Newcastle	-	4.3	15.7	19.10
Oldtown	5.6	2.8	2.11	11.1
Orosa	6.19.6	3.6.0	2.7.2	12.12.8
Rathfriland	13.0	2.5.6	1.4.8	4.3.2
Wicklow	27.15.5	30.9.0	42.4.4	100.8.9
	<u>£ 64.14.1</u>	<u>£ 76.15.11</u>	<u>£ 115.0.6</u>	<u>£ 256.10.6</u>

In accordance with notice the Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the claim of the Clerk of the Union for remuneration for himself and those other officers who assisted him in the preparation of the Lists of Parliamentary Voters during the past year:

Proposed by Mr Dowling & seconded by Mr Douse
That the Clerk of the Union be paid the same amount as he received last year viz: £750.

Mr. Foreman & proposed and Mr. Farley seconded an amendment proposing that £40 be paid to the Clerk for his services

The amendment was carried by 13 Votes against 9

A proposal to increase the remuneration to be paid to Collector McAnanama by £2 was negatived and an amendment to reduce his remuneration by £2 was carried by 13 Votes against 9.

The following sums were voted to the several officers for their respective services:

	£
The Clerk of the Union	40
Collector McAnanama	8
" Smith	6
" Farrell	6
" Murphy	6
" Kelly	5
" Hearn	4
" Douglas	3
" Evans	3
Relieving officer Livingston	1
" Manley	1
" Ellison	1
" Edge	1
	<u>85</u>

The Guardians then proceeded to consider the claim of the Master of the Workhouse for remuneration for extra duty performed by him in relation to the repairs and painting of the Workhouse Buildings and the improvement of the Water-supply:

It was unanimously agreed to allow the Master £5 in addition to the £10 already voted:

=
G. M. J. O'Leary Clerk
Dec 4th 1889

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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	...	..	...	5
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...	5
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	5
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was				

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered	—
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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 4th day of December 1889

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,
the 27th day of November 1889

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

James Tottenham D.L. Chm
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, £ _____

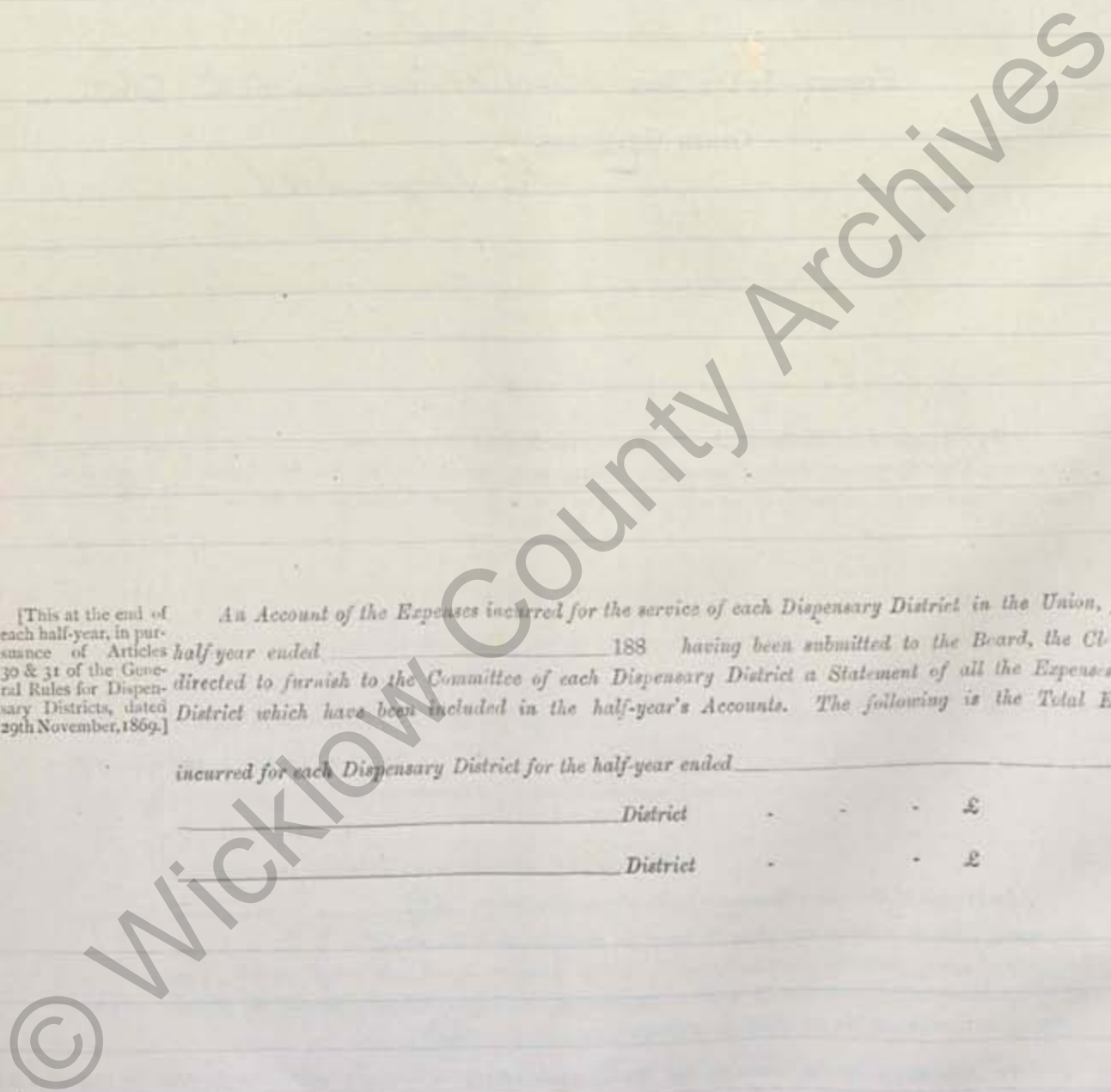
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half year ended _____ 188 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 188

District - - - £

District - - - £



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 _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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These Reports are Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age 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.) 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 26th ~~Nov~~ ^{Nov} 89
from Mr. Charles J Evans, Arklow, stating
that his Father, Mr. John J Evans, S.S.O. of
Arklow is seriously ill, and that he is
discharging his Fathers duties as Sanitary Sub
Officer during his illness:

Approved

Read Letter Dated the 26th Nov 1889,
from Mr. John Walsh, Chapel Road Contractor,
stating that he found a horse dead on the
road at Crannagh, which he got removed
and buried, as being a public nuisance.
He now applied for payment for his labour:

The Guardians considered that it was
the Road Contractors duty to remove this
dead horse, and therefore declined to
comply with his request for payment for
having done so:

L. M. & Co. Secy. Com.
Dec 4th 1889

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 4th
day of December 1889
Signed, B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.