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[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,599.17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	315															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>316</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			38	45	85	72	7	17	22	13	12	311	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	86	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	25	18
Admitted during the Week.			32	5	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	48	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>70</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			30	5	—	—	—	2	1	2	1	41	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	2		Males	Females	Children under 16	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			30	5	1	1	—	2	1	2	1	43	No. Relieved during week;	26		2	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			40	45	85	72	9	16	22	14	13	316	No. in Workhouse at date;	9		—	10
													No. at corresponding period last year,				303

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886 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 Apprentices and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	73	127	John D. Edge
No. II.	97	175	John Manley
No. III.	215	352	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	100	155	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>809</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr. John J. Crowley DVC

Other Guardians:—  
 Samuel Pattenham  
 Mr. J. Skinn  
 " J. Payne  
 " J. Purke



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3033 to No. 3068 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* *for* 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.

£	87	:	7	-	3
£	63	:	11	-	7
£	741	:	7	-	12

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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Euneroilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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 - £ 36 : 5 : 1  
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 49 : 16 : 5  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 11  
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 3 : 4  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 4 : 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:—

1300 Lower Bread  
 300  
 70  
 18  
 340  
 60  
 20

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	42	18	0
In Kind, ... ..	1	13	0
Total, ... ..	43	31	0

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

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

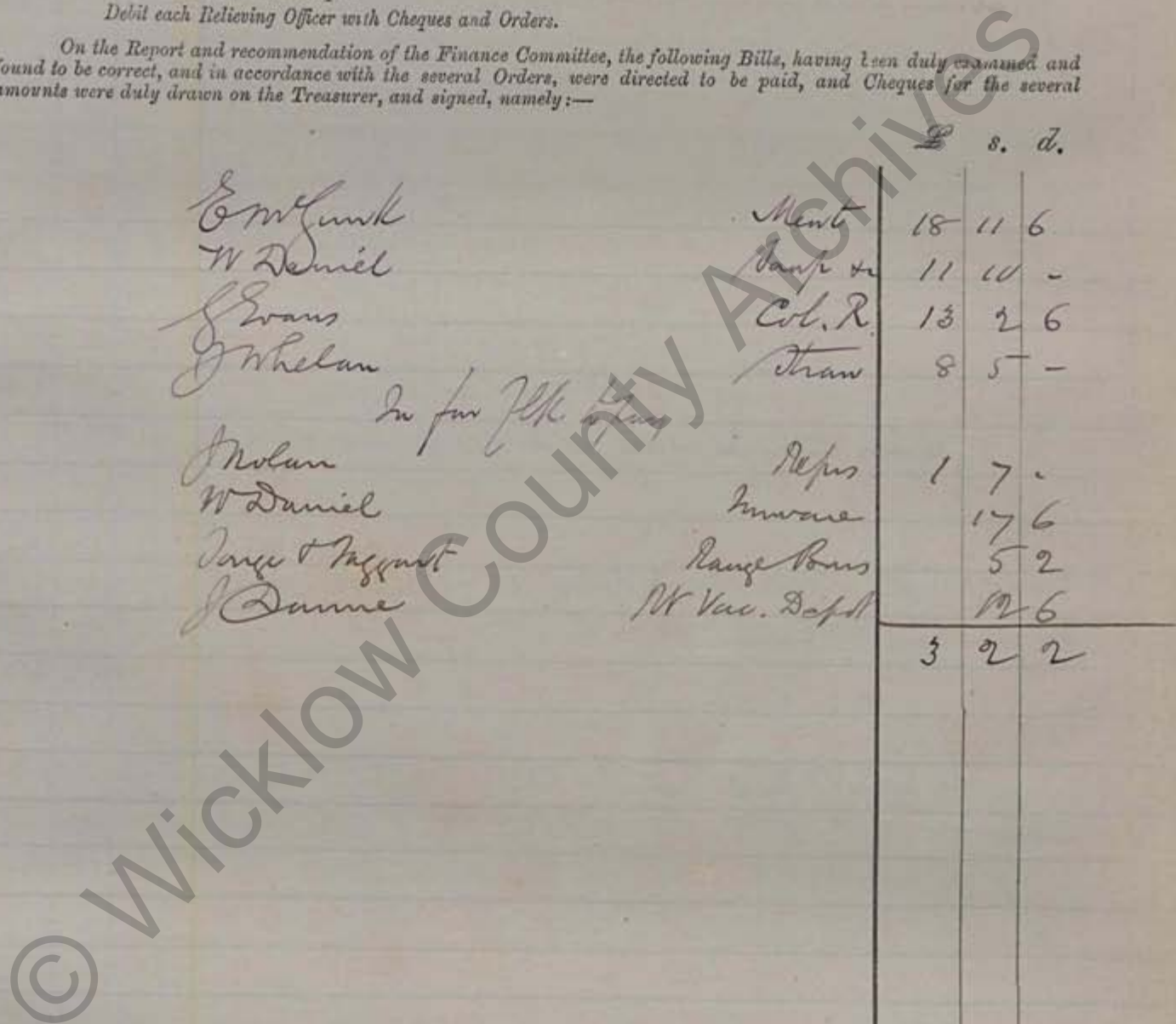
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..	20	-	-

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.
Emm Lusk	Ment	18	11 6
W Daniel	Bank &	11	10 -
J Evans	Col. R.	13	2 6
J Whelan	Straw	8	5 -
In for J.M. ...			
J Nolan	Reps	1	7 -
W Daniel	Invoice		17 6
James & Maguire	Range Bonus		5 2
J Dunne	NK Vac. Deflt		12 6
		3	2 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 Letter from the Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board, Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, transmitting for the information of the Guardians extracts from communications which they have received from the Commissioners of National Education relating to their District Inspectors Report on the Wicklow Schools.

Read Circular from James, Dated 23<sup>rd</sup> inst. requesting to be informed of the amount which has been paid out of the Poor Rates to make good any deficiencies in the repayment of the Loan obtained under the Seed Supply Act 1880 by reason of default on the part of the purchasers of the Seed.

The Clerk informed the Board that the sum paid in the matter mentioned was £190:17:7.



Read Letter from Mr William Murphy, Mullin:  
= avogue, Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant, asking the Guardians  
for payment of £10, for services rendered by him under  
the Representation of the People Act in April, May and  
October last.

Order -

Jobe referred to the Local Government Board as to  
this claim.

Read Circular from the Guardians of the Bandon  
Union, Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> instant, transmitting a copy of a  
resolution passed by them on the subject of the forming  
of a Drug manufacturing Establishment in Dublin.

Read Letter from the Veterinary Department,  
Dublin Castle, Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant, transmitting a  
copy of a Petition which has been received from Mr Thos.  
Brady, of Fermacree in this Union relative to the  
loss of certain pigs of his from Swine fever, and re-  
questing to be furnished with the Guardians observations  
on the subject.

Order -

The Board are unanimous of the same opinion as the  
former Board and recommend the Memorial of Brady to  
the most favourable consideration of the Board in Council.

Mr George L Johnson C.E. J.C.S. the Architect  
constitutinally appointed by the Guardians on last Board  
day, under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, appeared  
before the Board and handed in his Diplomas, Cer-  
tificate Testimonials &c. which were considered by the  
Board as satisfactory; and Mr Johnson was directed

to proceed with the preparations of Plans, Specifications &c at once;

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Read report from J. J. Constabulary, Ashlow, stating that two Pigs in Ashlow were reported to them as suffering from swine fever.

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Read Circular from the Guardians of the Palrothery Union, forwarding a copy of a resolution passed by them expressing their opinion that all persons having Agricultural labourers employed and living in their Cottages should give the occupier of each Cottage (where feasible) a small piece of ground to be used as a garden -

Yours  
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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).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886

## (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*see first page of minutes*

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.

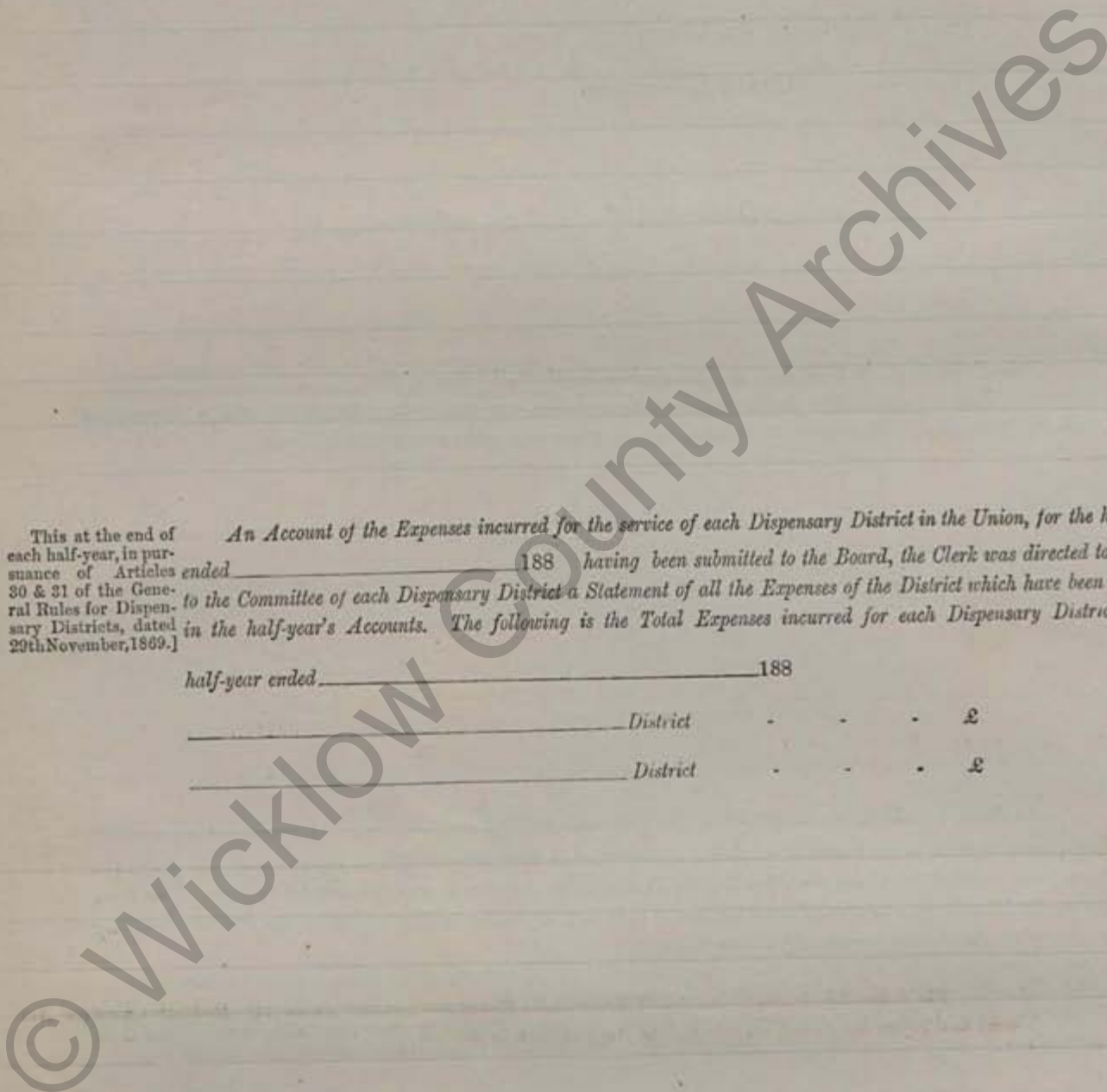
On Application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be  
supplied:—

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, 1889.] *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 Govt. Board dated 22<sup>nd</sup> instant

stating that

expressing their sanction of the remuneration - £3:3:0 a week - proposed to be allowed to Dr. James Halpin for his services as Temporary Substitute for the Medical Officer of Wicklow Dispensary District, during the sick leave granted to the latter.

*[Signature]*

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

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

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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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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128599.17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	580	315															
Temporary Buildings	-	-															
Additional Workhouse	-	-															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-															
Fever Sheds	-	-															
<b>Total</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>315</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			40	45	85	72	9	16	22	14	13	316	Under Medical treatment in Infirmaries } 86	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, } 125			
Admitted during the Week.			28	5	2	-	1	-	3	-	1	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } -	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, } 11			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>68</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>TOTAL, 86</b>	<b>TOTAL, 36</b>			
Discharged during the Week.			33	2	2	-	1	-	2	-	-	40	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.			33	2	3	-	1	-	2	-	-	41	No. Relieved during week	27	1	-	28
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			35	48	84	72	9	16	23	14	14	315	No. in Workhouse at date	2	-	-	2
													No. at corresponding period last year.				313

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886 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.	73	127	John D. Edge
No. II.	98	180	John Manley
No. III.	217	350	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	100	155	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>812</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - *Charles Tighe D.L. Chm*

Other Guardians :-

- Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C*
- " Joseph Ellison*
- " John Byrne*
- " Phs. Delahunt*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3069 to No. 3157 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 ...									
	Monestown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklów ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.



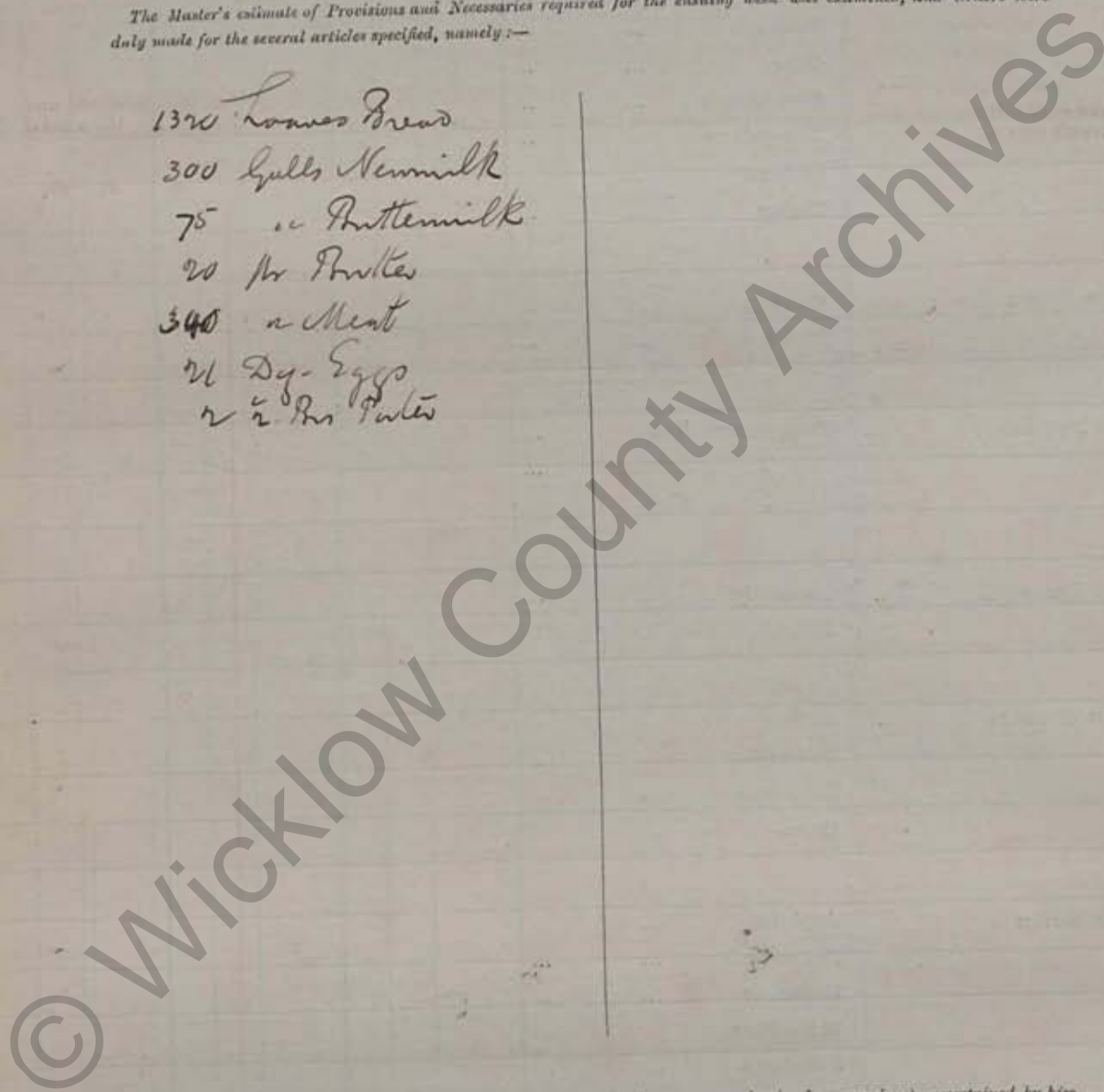
The following books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	£ 31 : 9 : 1
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49 : - : 5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2 : 11
Average Cost in Infirmary	3 : 4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	4 : 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:—

1320 Loaves Bread  
 300 Galls Newmilk  
 75 " Buttermilk  
 20 lbs Potatoes  
 340 " Meat  
 21 Dg. Eggs  
 2 1/2 lbs 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 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ..	£ 47 : 0 : 4
In Kind, ... ..	11 : 0
Total, ... ..	£ 47 : 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 ... ..	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. Evans	10	-	-
M. Payne	23	1	11
E. Mulhern	5	9	4
J. Roe	9	5	-
J. Flower	1	19	11
L. V.		3	1
A. Beltin	1	15	6
<i>In four bills to pay</i>	3	18	6
Divine			

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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):—

Letter from the Veterinary Department  
 Privy Council Room, Dublin Castle, Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> inst.  
 requesting that the particulars as to the amount of  
 compensation owed to be paid to Mr Thomas Brady of  
 Kilmacree, in this Union, in certain swine his property  
 slaughtered in consequence of being affected with Swine  
 Fever may be furnished to that Department.

Order:—

The Guardians desire to state that in this case Mr.  
 Brady only reported the case; after the report 12 Pigs  
 died and 8 were slaughtered;— Previous to the 12  
 having died Brady had lost 4 pigs; but the Vet: Insp:  
 after examination considered the case doubtful and  
 so did not order the slaughter of those remaining.  
 a course the Guardians could have approved, and in  
 which case compensation would have been given for  
 the 20 remaining pigs instead of 8 only, in which



case £10 would have been awarded, under these circumstances the Board strongly recommend that they should under the special circumstances be allowed to pay £10 to Bondy, the half value of the 20 Pigs.

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Read Report from Mr. Newson V.D. Dated 24th Feb, stating that two Pigs belonging to Patrick Jullen and Catherine Kearns of Arlow, suffering from Swine fever were ordered by him to be slaughtered and valued at £1.5.0 each -

Order - Half the Value to be paid out of the Pen Rates.

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Read Letter from Mr. Mountenay, Dublin, the Guardians Solicitor in reply to the Guardians letter relative to the Pen Rates due on the property of Mr. Huggs, in Brookhugh Ed, and stating that Mr. Huggs's Agents - Messrs. Mansfield have requested that time may be given for the payment of these Rates, which he advised the Guardians to give -

Time given accordingly

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Read Claim to be rated from Mr. Edward Chumney P.H. in respect of the farm lately in the occupation of Mr. Edward H. Keogh at Pollinacree,

ordered to be rated

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Read Letter from Mr. George L. Johnson C.E. the architect employed by the Guardians under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, stating that he expects to have two or three sets of Plans Estimates &c. ready to show the Board on the 10th March

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Read Letter from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor,  
Solicitor to the Guardians under the Landless  
(Ireland) Acts, stating that after a careful study  
of the subject he sees very serious difficulty in  
enforcing the Guardians compulsory powers in  
regard to taking the lands required under the six  
Improvement Schemes prepared under the Act of  
1883, inasmuch as the powers conferred on the  
Guardians by the Provisional Order of the L.G.  
Board under that Act cannot be exercised  
after two years from the Confirmation of the  
Order by Parliament, which dates from the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
of July 1884, and which will consequently expire  
on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July next;

Mr. Dooney is of opinion that there will not  
be sufficient time to complete the necessary proceed-  
ings in the time remaining, and that it would  
be better for the Guardians to commence de novo  
with these Schemes, which would in the end be a  
saving of time.

Order -

Having considered the Solicitor's letter regarding  
compulsory purchase under the Landless Acts, the B<sup>d</sup>  
is of opinion that the limitation in such cases  
will count from the time of the institution of such  
proceedings and not from the date of trial; If so there  
appears to be ample time, but if from the date of fixing  
the trial then it would be better to proceed de novo as  
recommended by the Board Solicitor.

Read Letter from Mrs. Redmond of Bally Killarane  
Glencah E.D., objecting to have two cottages built on her  
farm, as she only wants one -

R. R. Drought  
Ch. M.

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

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

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

The Number of other applicants in the Relieving 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).



14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 30 day of March 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.
- II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,  
 OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of minutes*

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:—

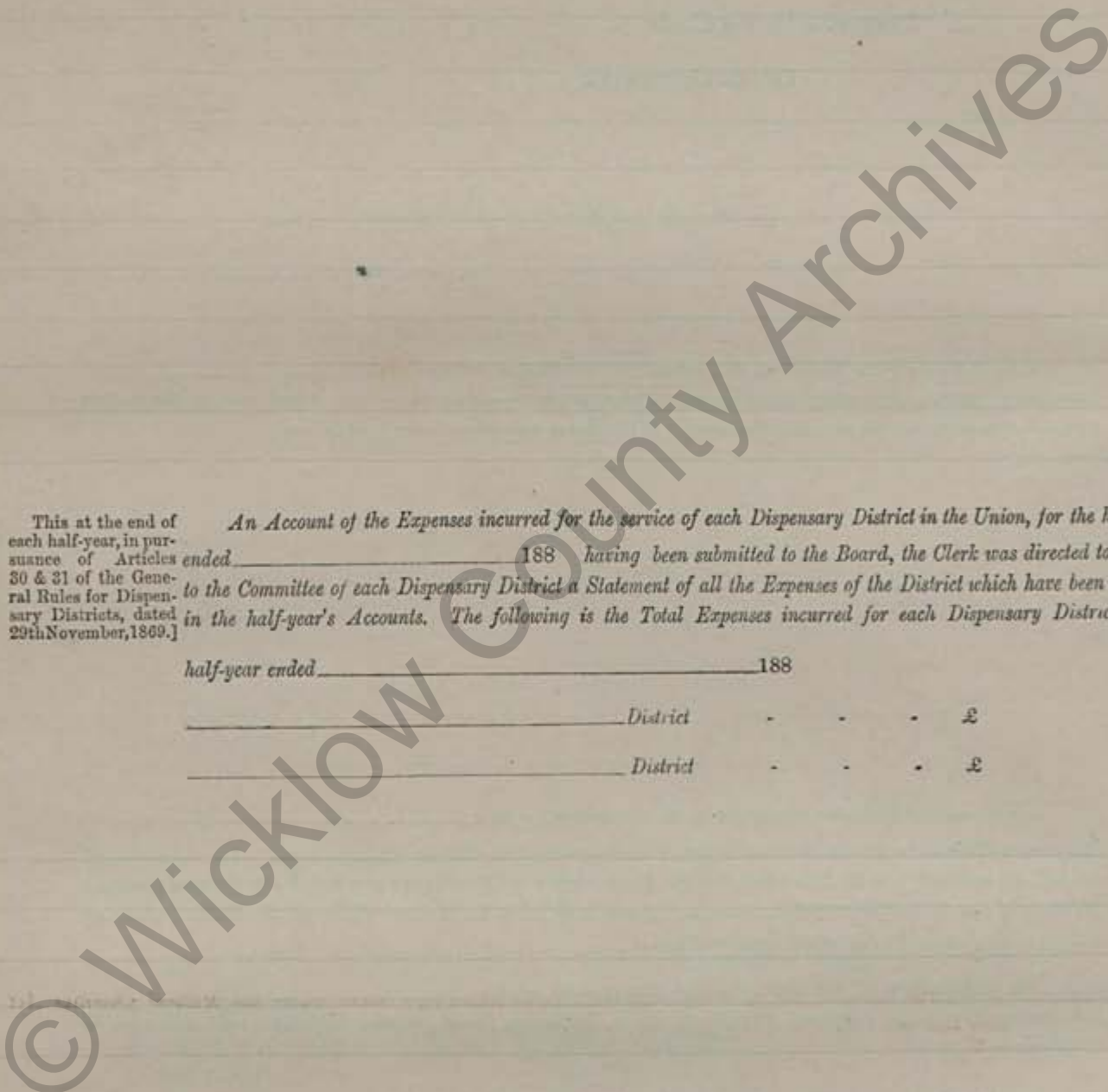
The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given :

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 Govt. Board dated 2<sup>nd</sup> instant  
~~stating that~~ requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the compulsory Vacc<sup>n</sup> Act in Anurao Dispensary District, reported on the 13<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, have since complied with the Law,

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

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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. :—

Arthur 54 Defaulters

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

Notice to be served by Post Cards

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

Recd Communication from Dr Molloy Medical Officer of Health of Ardflesk District, Dated 2nd instant, bringing under the notice of the Guardians the condition of the Lanes & Back streets of Ardflesk, which he states are in an uneven and insanitary state, and suggesting certain remedial measures which he believes ought to be carried out without delay, and also certain improvements in the sewers of the town which he states are much needed—

Order—

The Guardians have for years been attending to recommendations made by the late Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup> Dr Halpin, who was most attentive to the sanitation of the town, and are therefore surprised to hear to have a report of its present state,

The repairs of roadways and lanes are not part of the duty of the Board of Guardians;

Where houses have insufficient sanitary arrangements the Medical Officer should have notices served on the owners and occupiers to remedy the defects,

The Report to be forwarded to the Local Committee for consideration and report as to the proposals of the Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup>.

Recd Sealed Order from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board Dated 25th February, 1886, continuing in force till the 1st of May 1886, the Provisional Order of November 1885, prohibiting the importation of Dogs from Spain.

R. R. Doughty  
Ch<sup>r</sup> M<sup>n</sup>  
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 10<sup>th</sup>  
 day of March 1886

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



Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128599-17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Age 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	289	325																
Temporary Buildings	—	—																
Additional Workhouse	—	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	60	—																
Fever Sheds	—	—																
<b>Total</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>325</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			35	48	84	72	9	16	23	14	14	315	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 86	In separate Wards } 25				
Admitted during the Week.			31	2	1	1	3	—	—	—	1	39	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 86	In Wards with other inmates, } 11				
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>66</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>TOTAL, 86</b>	<b>TOTAL, 36</b>				
Discharged during the Week.			22	3	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	28	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.					
Died.			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.			22	3	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	29	No. Relieved during week	27	—	—	27	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			44	47	84	73	11	16	22	14	14	325	No. in Workhouse at date	14	—	—	14	
																	No. at corresponding period last year.	304

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886 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.	73	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	181	John Manley
No. III.	217	350	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	100	155	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	490	815	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Captain Drought

Other Guardians:—

- Mr<sup>s</sup> Mrs. John D. L.
- Henry P. Farrell
- Joseph Ellison
- Patrick Keely
- Isaac Manley
- Miles Byrne
- Edw. Shanley
- Dan. Byrne



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3158 to No. 3200 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

£	46	19	
£	88	11	3
£	691	16	3

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.
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	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glencaly ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
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GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
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	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
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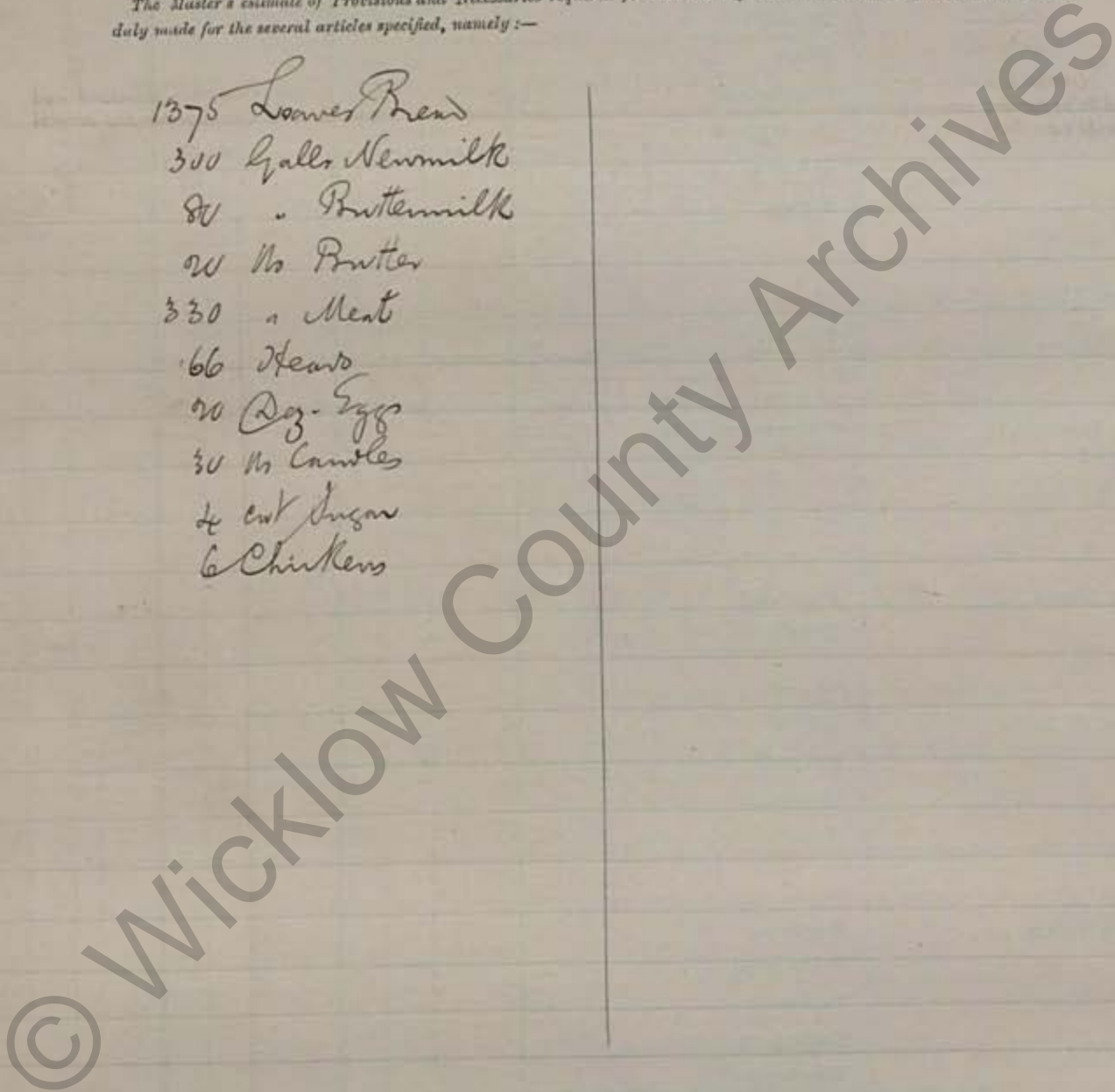
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By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	47	15	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	50	13	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4
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:—

1375 Loaves Bread  
 300 Galls Newmilk  
 80 " Buttermilk  
 20 lbs Butter  
 330 " Meat  
 66 Hens  
 20 Doz Eggs  
 30 lbs Candles  
 2 cwt Sugar  
 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.

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The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	44	17	60
In Kind, ... ..		13	0
Total, ... ..	£	45	60

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:—

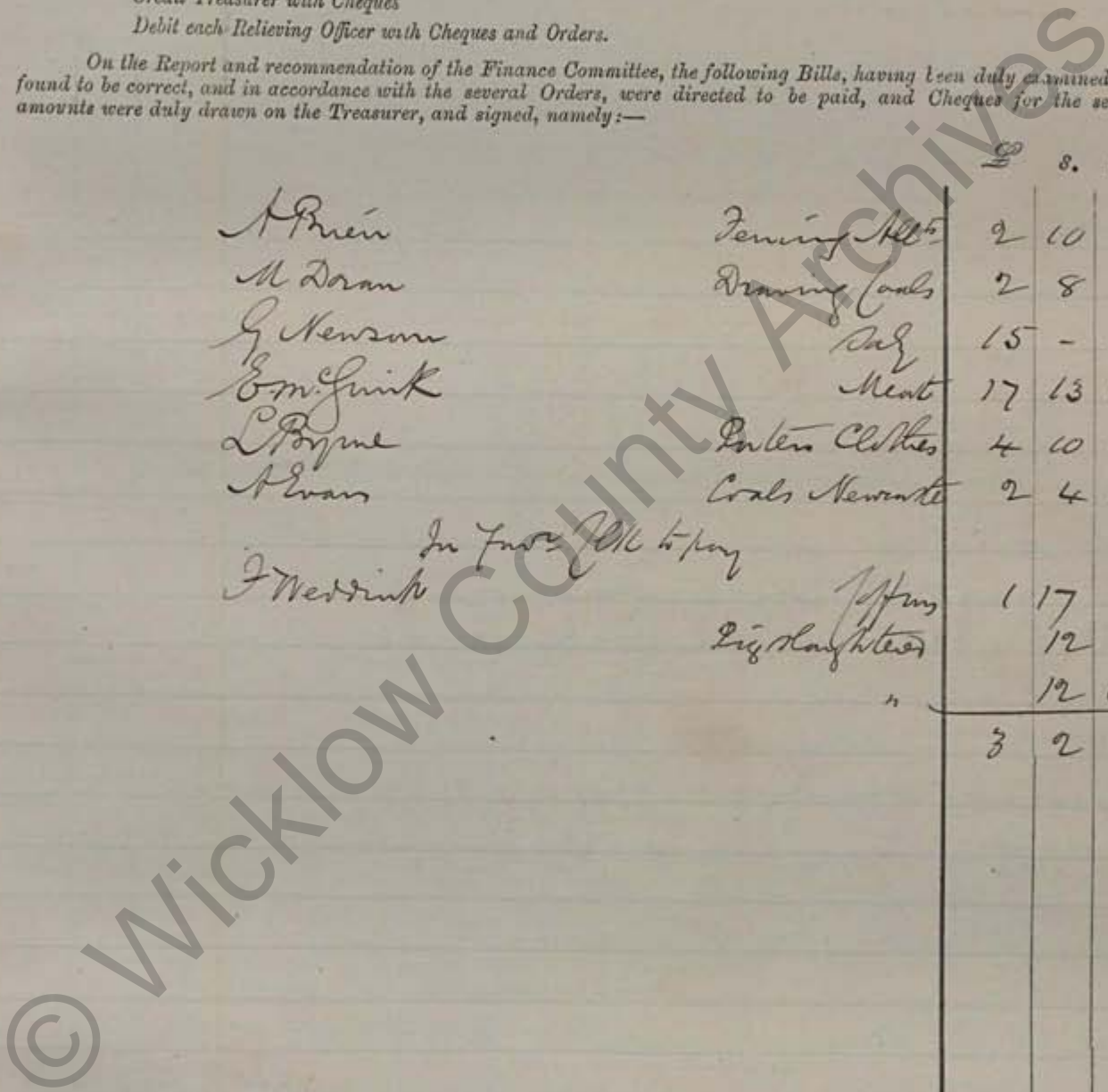
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON	20	-	-

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.
A'Brien	Fencing All <sup>ts</sup>	2	10	-
M Doran	Drawing Coals	2	8	-
J Newson	Salv	15	-	-
Em. Guirk	Meat	17	13	6
L Payne	Porters Clothes	4	10	-
A Evans	Coals Newson	2	4	-
J Weddink	In front All to pay	1	17	-
	Big slaughter		12	6
	"		12	6
		3	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:—

Gentlemen

I have to report that one of the chimneys of the Infirmary requires to be rebuilt

It will be necessary to appoint a Committee to take stock on the 24<sup>th</sup> instant.

Order—

That advertisements for rebuilding the chimney be issued on the 24<sup>th</sup> instant.

That the following Committee be appointed to take stock on the 24<sup>th</sup> instant.

Mess<sup>rs</sup> Ellison

Chamney  
M. Payne &  
J. Payne

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

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant in reference to the claim of Mr. William Murphy for payment in respect of his services in connection with the Registration of Parliamentary Voters in this Union in the past year; regarding which Claim the Local Govt. Board state that they have no authority to remunerate or out of the fund provided by Parliament any person in addition to the officials expressly mentioned in Section 11 of the Registration Ireland Act.

Order—

To be submitted to the consideration of the Guardians at their Special meeting on the 24<sup>th</sup> inst.

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Read letter from the Veterinary Department

Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant requesting to be furnished with a full report from the Veterinary Inspector of all the circumstances connected with the outbreak of Swine Fever on the premises of Mr. Thomas Doody of Kilmacree in this Union. -

Order -

Mr. Newson to be requested to furnish the required information.

Read Letter from Mrs. Eliza Fuller of Arklow claiming payment of 17/-, being half the value of a pig of hers slaughtered by order of Mr. Newson V.D. as being affected with Swine fever.

Read letter from Mrs. Katherine Kearon of Arklow, claiming payment of £1, being half the value of a pig of hers slaughtered by order of Mr. Newson V.D. as being affected with Swine fever.

Read letter from Local Government Board Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> instant, in reference to the letter of Mr. Dooney, Solicitor to the Guardians under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, relating to the limitation of the time for exercising the compulsory powers of purchase conferred on the Guardians by the confirming Act of 1884.

The Local Government Board states that the lodgment of the plans, Schedules and Estimates with the Board of Works, and of copies of them with the Clerk of the Peace and the Clerk of the Union within two years from the date of the confirming Act, namely, the 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1884 would be sufficient for the purposes of exercising



compulsory powers and there is ample time to do this before the 3<sup>rd</sup> of July next.

Order -

A copy of this letter to be forwarded to Mr. Jooney.

Read letter from Mr. Dick-Crocker King, of 13 St. Laurence Road, Mountf. to Dublin, Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting to be informed what sum the Guardians propose offering for the acre of land required by the Guardians for the erection of two Labourers Cottages at Ballykillowane in Glebeah Electoral Division -

Order -

Mr. King to be referred to the Guardians previous communication respecting the manner in which they propose to arrive at the proper sum which ought to be paid.

Read letter from Mr. John Manley R.O. Dated the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, resigning his office of Relieving Officer, as his health is not sufficiently improved to admit of his resuming his duties, and thanking the Guardians for the kind consideration shown towards him.

Order -

Resignation accepted, the Clerk of the Union to issue advertisements for candidates for the vacant offices, at salaries of £35 a year as Relieving Officer and £20 as Sanitary Sub Officer, elections to take place on the 7<sup>th</sup> of April next.

Resolved

That Mr. John Manley Junr. be appointed



Relieving Officer from this date until the appointment of a permanent Relieving Officer, at the same rate of remuneration as the late officer.

Passed unanimously

Resolved -

That the Board at its rising do adjourn till the 24<sup>th</sup> instant; and that the first special meeting of the New Board be held on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> of April next.

Passed unanimously

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the List of Candidates placed in nomination for the Office of Poor Law Guardian for the coming year, from which the name of Mr. Richard Bradshaw, who had nominated himself for Fomebone Electoral Division was struck out on the ground that he had not paid his Poor Rates.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Ditto disallowed ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	✓
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4

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



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See page #1. —*

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:—



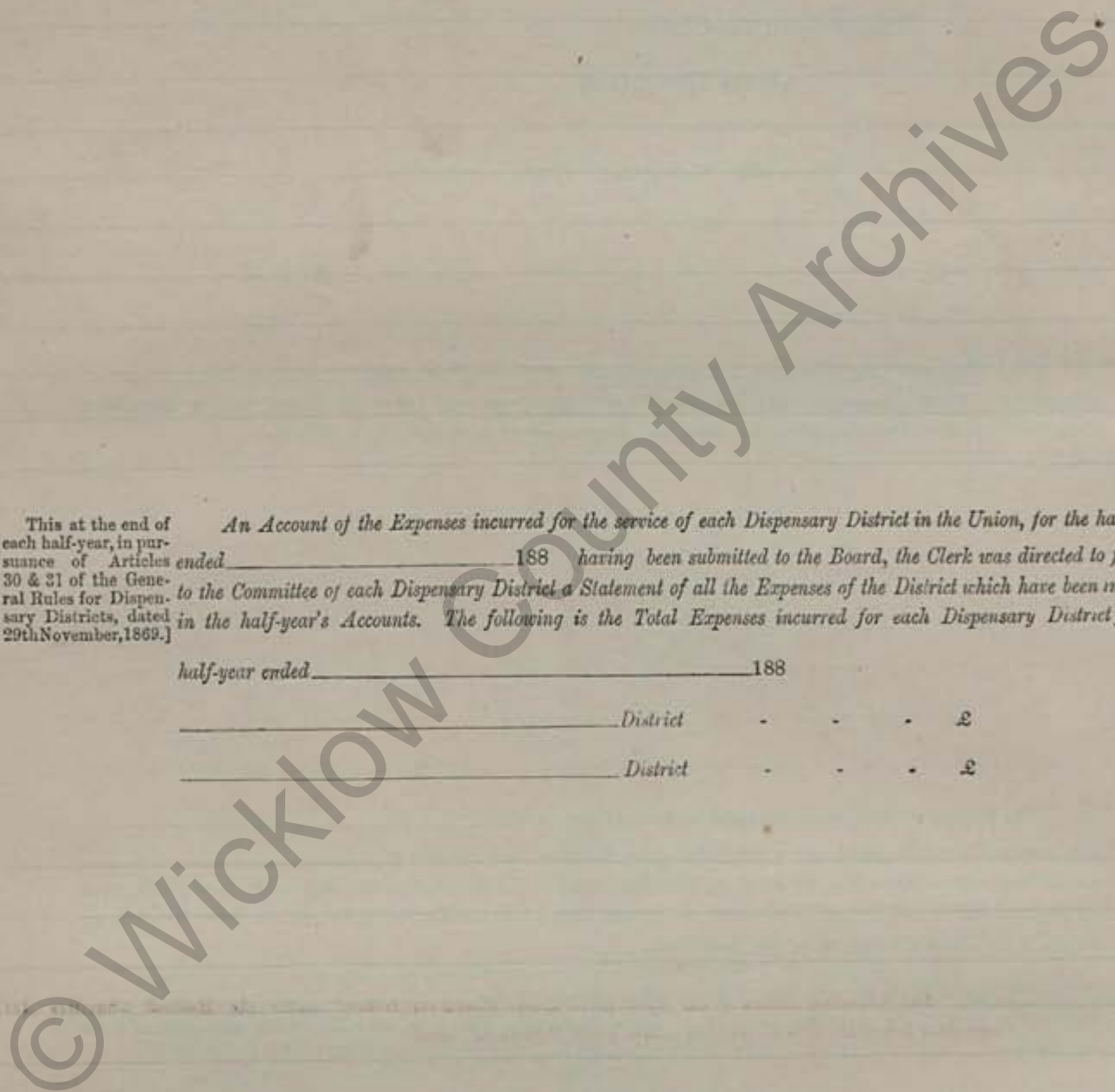
The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 4th instant stating that forwarding two copies, in pamphlet form, of the Order issued by the L.G.B. altering, amending and consolidating the previous Orders prescribing rules for the Government of Dispensary Districts, and for the performance of Vaccination.

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Read the following resolution passed by the Wicklow Dispensary Committee at their monthly meeting on the 6th instant, members present.

Rev John W F Drought in the Chair  
Messrs Caldwell, Delahunty & Ly, Gregg and Chapman  
Resolved—

That Dr George Halpin's application for an extension of leave of absence be granted for another month, and that Dr James Halpin continue doing the duty in his stead on same terms as last month—

Passed unanimously  
John W F Drought, Chm  
John Chapman, Hon Sec  
Weyler

Approved by the Guardians  
R R Drought - Chm  
10-3-86

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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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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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128599-17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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 9 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse .....	550	302														
Temporary Buildings .....	—	—														
Additional Workhouse .....	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	80	5														
Fever Sheds .....	—	—														
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>660</b>	<b>307</b>										<b>325</b>				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			44	47	84	73	11	16	22	14	14	325	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 88	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 125		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			27	6	3	1	—	—	6	—	—	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 5			
<b>TOTAL</b> .....			<b>71</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>TOTAL</b> } <b>93</b>	<b>TOTAL</b> } <b>36</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			42	8	2	—	—	—	6	—	—	54				
Died, . . . . .			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			42	8	3	—	—	—	6	—	—	56				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			29	45	84	74	11	15	23	12	14	307	No. Relieved during week } 20	No. in Workhouse at date } 4		
																No. at corresponding period last year, 307

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on them or her	
No. I.	73	129	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	181	John Manley
No. III.	217	350	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	102	152	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	492	812	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—  
Other Guardians:—

There was no Board on this day no Guardians being in attendance.



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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

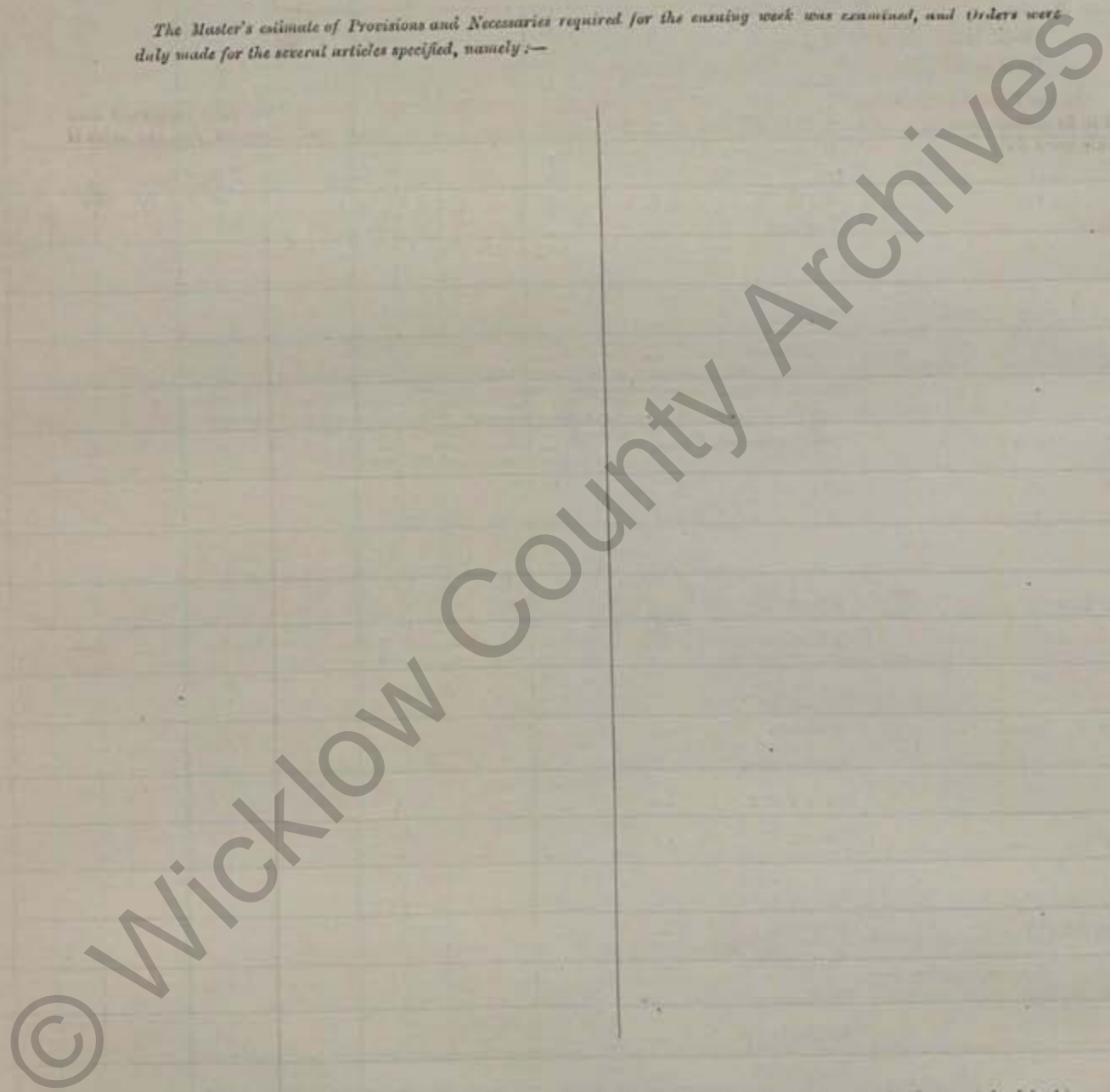
NOTE—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	:	:	:
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	:	:
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	:	:
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	:	:

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

					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. 1.	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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£ 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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## 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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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.

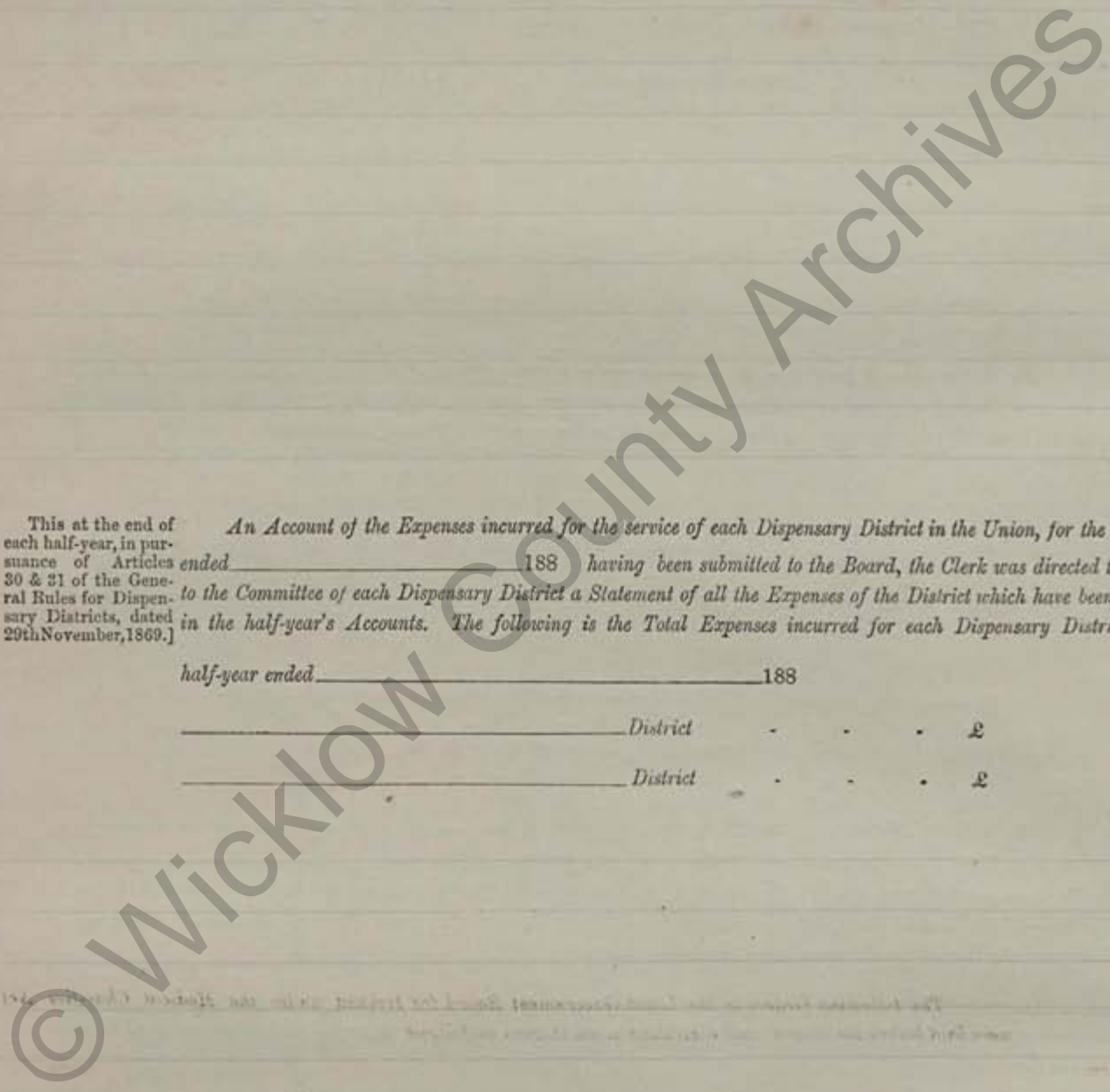
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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.)

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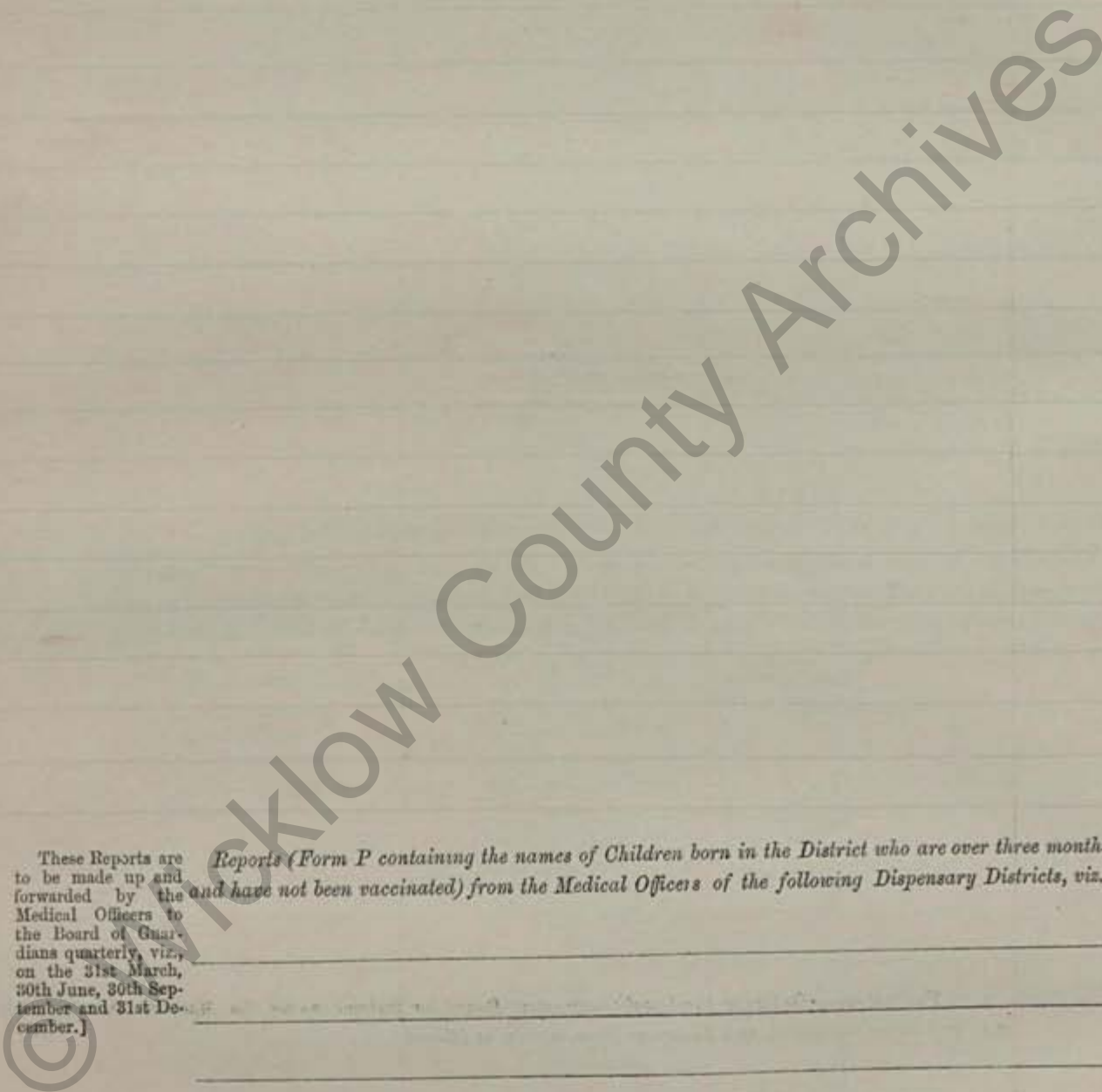
Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

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 :—















Population in 1887 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128599-17/

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total 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 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	580	305															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
Total	660	310															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			29	45	84	74	11	15	23	12	14	307	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 392	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 125			
Admitted during the Week.			37	3	4	1	—	—	—	—	1	46	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 5	In Wards with other inmates, } 11			
TOTAL			66	48	88	75	11	15	23	13	15	353	TOTAL } 397	TOTAL } 136			
Discharged during the Week.			32	1	1	—	—	1	—	2	—	37	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	6	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.			32	1	5	2	—	1	—	2	—	43	No. Relieved during week	28	2	—	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			34	47	83	76	11	14	23	10	15	310	No. in Workhouse at date	5	—	—	5
													No. at corresponding period last year,				302

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886 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 Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	127	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	181	John Manley
No. III.	245	388	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	107	155	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	523	851	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Ryhe D.L. Ch<sup>r</sup>

Other Guardians:—

- |                           |                               |                    |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|
| Mr. John J. Cowley D.V.C. | Mr. Pat <sup>l</sup> Grannell | Mr. Martin Doyle   |
| Colonel Tottenham D.L.    | Mr. Mihil. Poyne              | Mr. David Poyne    |
| Henry P. Inwell Esq. P.   | Mr. John Poyne                | Mr. V. Clements    |
| Arthur Fitzgerald Esq. P. | Mr. Thos. Burke               | Mr. Thos. Graydon  |
| Alexr. Doyle Esq. P.      | Mr. Miles Poyne               | Mr. John Gaskin    |
| Law. W. Poyne Esq. P.     | Mr. John O'Reilly             | Mr. William Grant  |
| Thos. Dowling Esq. P.     | Mr. Wm. Poyne                 | Mr. J. P. Ellison  |
|                           | Mr. Dr. Dawson                | Mr. Thos. Delahunt |
| Mr. Lawrence Wolahan      | Mr. M. Conley                 | and                |
| Mr. David Jordan          | Mr. St. Shepard               | Mr. John Doyle     |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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 - - - - - £ 148 : 13 : 7

Paid during the week - - - - - £ 107 : 11 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 774 : 0 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



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 BYENE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdram ...									
	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 -	60	14	9
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	49	15	-
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	2	2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary -		3	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -		5	-

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

2 weeks  
 2600 Loaves Bread  
 600 Galls Newmilk  
 156 " Buttermilk  
 36 lb Butter  
 680 " meat  
 120 Sheep Heads  
 40 Dg. Eggs  
 4 Bwl 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 26<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ..	£	44	15	6
In Kind, ... ..		2	5	6
Total, ... ..	£	47	1	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
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. M. Guinness	10	-	-
" P. Casberry	20	-	-
L. Barnes	25	-	-
D. Manning	25	-	-
J. Flower	20	-	-
M. Flower	10	-	-
A. Payne	8	15	-
C. Payne	8	15	-
S. Hunt	5	-	-
M. Keeney	5	-	-
B. Osborne	3	15	-
J. D. Edge	8	15	-
J. Manley	8	15	-
J. Levingston	8	15	-
R. Ellison	10	7	6
E. Gallan	5	-	-
A. Cole	5	-	-
D. Manning	2	10	-
D. Garland	30	-	-
" Molony	30	-	-
" Payne	30	-	-
" Ryan	30	-	-
" Hudson	30	-	-
" Guss	30	-	-
" Dwyer	30	-	-
" Halpin	30	-	-



		£	s.	d.
Clerk, to pay Dispensary servants wages		11	-	-
M A Cullett	Salary	5	-	-
J Graham	"	5	-	-
ly Booth	Rent	5	-	-
D Kirwan	"	3	-	-
E Woodburne	"	2	15	-
P Payne	"	5	-	-
W Gillispie	"	4	-	-
E Hopkins	"	3	00	-
J. Brady	Comptrol for Disp slaughtered	4	-	-
J Donofus	Collection Rates	16	16	7
M Payne	Rent	42	-	9
E McQuirk	Rent	20	8	4
		30	-	-

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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 recommendations of the Committee appointed to take stock of Provisions, Clothing &c &c at the close of the half year, the following articles of Cost Clothing were ordered to be taken off the Books.

viz:

67 Sheets	44 Coats m & B	40 Gowns W & G
29 Blankets	34 Vests	74 Felt Coats
14 Rugs	58 Trowsers	70 Shifts
10 Ticks	98 Shirts	97 Aprons
25 Pillows	27 Caps	46 Handkerchiefs
	62 Ties	12 Caps
		108 P <sup>r</sup> Shoes
		250 " Stockings

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):—

Read Circular from Local Govern<sup>t</sup>:  
Dated 15<sup>th</sup> March 1886, transmitting a Form in which the Returning Officer is to furnish his A/c of Expenses attending the Annual Election of Guardians for this Union.

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Read Letter from same, Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant, sanction the amount of remuneration proposed to be paid to Mr. John Manley Jun. while acting as temporary Relieving Officer of Wicklow District, pending the election of a permanent Officer -

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Read Letter from same of same date, transmitting Query Sheet for the person who may be appointed Relieving Officer, in room of Mr. J. Manley.

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Read Letter from same, Dated 14<sup>th</sup> instant, from  
 an order on Her Majesty's Paymaster General to the  
 Guardians of a sum of £ 360:11:5, portion of the  
 Medical and Educational expenses of the Union for  
 the half year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept last payable out  
 of the Parliamentary Grant for that purpose. -

Read Circular from same, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> instant,  
 calling for returns relating to operations under  
 the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1853-5.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.  
 calling the attention of the Guardians to the  
 backward state of the collection of Poor Rates in  
 this Union, and requesting the Guardians to call  
 on the Collectors to use greater exertions in getting  
 in the outstanding Rates, and to lose punctually  
 every week in future.

Order - Collectors Jones and Smith to be retired. -

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration  
 the claim of Mr. Wm. Murphy for remuneration for his  
 services under the Representation of the People Act, last  
 year, in reference to which the following reply was  
 directed to be sent to the Local Government Board -

"It appears there is some miscomprehension  
 regarding the application of this Board for services of  
 Assistant Overseer under the Representation of the People  
 Act,

"The permanent Collector, Mr. Farrell, was seriously  
 ill and confined to his bed, and himself reported that he  
 was therefore unable to perform the duty, accordingly this  
 Board appointed Mr. Wm. Murphy to act in his place  
 under the Act as Assistant Overseer, and were bound  
 to do so, otherwise they could not carry out the orders



"of the Government. Under these circumstances they  
 "cannot see why the acting officer should not be  
 "entitled to the pay, which would otherwise have been  
 "allowed to the permanent official, and trust there  
 "will be no difficulty in the Local Government Board  
 "allowing the sum of £8; No. of Voters 732.

The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for the  
 usual supplies of, Provisions, Groceries and Medicines.  
 when the following contracts were declared for the  
 periods named - viz

		For Three Months	
Mr E. McGuirk -	Best Mutton	@	5 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>8</sub> 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
do	" Beef	"	4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "
do	" Bacon	"	7 "
do	" Apples	"	1/8 each
do	" Sheep L <sup>o</sup>	"	10 "
Mr J. Payne	White Bread	"	4 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Mr W Taylor	Oatmeal	"	£12 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Ton
		For Six Months	
Messrs Randal Woodlath & Co.	Best Black Tea	@	1/8 + 2/6 7/10
" Kelly Bros & Co.	" Soft Sugar	"	2 "
do	" Port Wine	"	16/- 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> doz
do	" Gin	"	28/- " Case
do	" Brandy	"	52/- "
do	" Pepper	"	8 7/10
Mr A O'Brien	" XX Porter	"	12/- 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> doz.
do	" Tobacco	"	3/8 " 11
Mr J Tierney	" Salt	"	2/- " cut
Mr E Mulhern	" Eggs	"	10 " Doz.

For Twelve Months  
 Messrs Leslie & Co. Medicines &c. &c. as per Tender

A tender was accepted from Mr Jas. Muntagh, for the  
 rebuilding of one of the Workhouse Chimneys for the  
 sum of £7:9:0,



A tender was accepted from Mr. John Ryan of Knocknath, proposing to give £2:10:0 for the kitchen refuse of the Workhouse for three months.

A tender was accepted from Mr. Thomas Murphy, proposing to give 16/- for the old rags, remains of clothing cast by the Work Committee.

Read Letter from the Veterinary Department Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> instant, in reference to the Guardians letter with regard to the claim of Mr. Thos Brady, for compensation in respect of certain pigs of his which had died from swine fever; stating that compensation can only be given in respect of swine slaughtered as having been affected with the disease in question.

= Ordered to be paid £4 -

Read Reports from Mr. Newson V.D. stating that he had ordered the following Pigs to be slaughtered as having been affected with Swine Fever, viz:

P. J. Williams, Mullow	- One Pig	- Valued at	5/-
B. Kearney, "	- Two Pigs	- " "	50/- ea.
Mich Odann, Sigeeney	- Six Pigs	- " "	20/- ea.

Ordered -

That half the value of these Pigs be paid to the respective owners.

Received Representations duly signed by the required number of Ratepayers under the Labourers (Ireland) Act, calling on the Guardians to provide improved or additional accommodation for Agricultural Labourers in the following Electoral Divisions,

M. J.  
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Dungannon East, E.D. 3 - Dwellings  
 Dungannon West " 1 - Dwelling

Ordered that these Representations stand over until next special meeting for their consideration.

The Guardians proceeded to consider the Reports of the local Committees appointed select sites for Labourers Dwellings in the following E.D.s

viz. Aughrim, Ballinaclesh, Ballyarthur, Emersilly and Inverston; and upon the recommendations of the several Committees it was unanimously

Resolved -

That Improvement Schemes be made for the erection of the following number of Cottages in the undermentioned Electoral Divisions, the Board being satisfied of the truth of the Representations to the extent thereby indicated, and also of the sufficiency of their resources, viz.

Aughrim	3	Dwellings
Ballinaclesh	2	"
Ballyarthur	1	Dwelling
Emersilly	2	Dwelling
Inverston	2	"
	<u>10</u>	"

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 ... ..	...	...	...	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	...	...	...	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was .. .. .	...	...	...	32
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ..	...	...	...	32

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).



14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

## (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of minutes*

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:

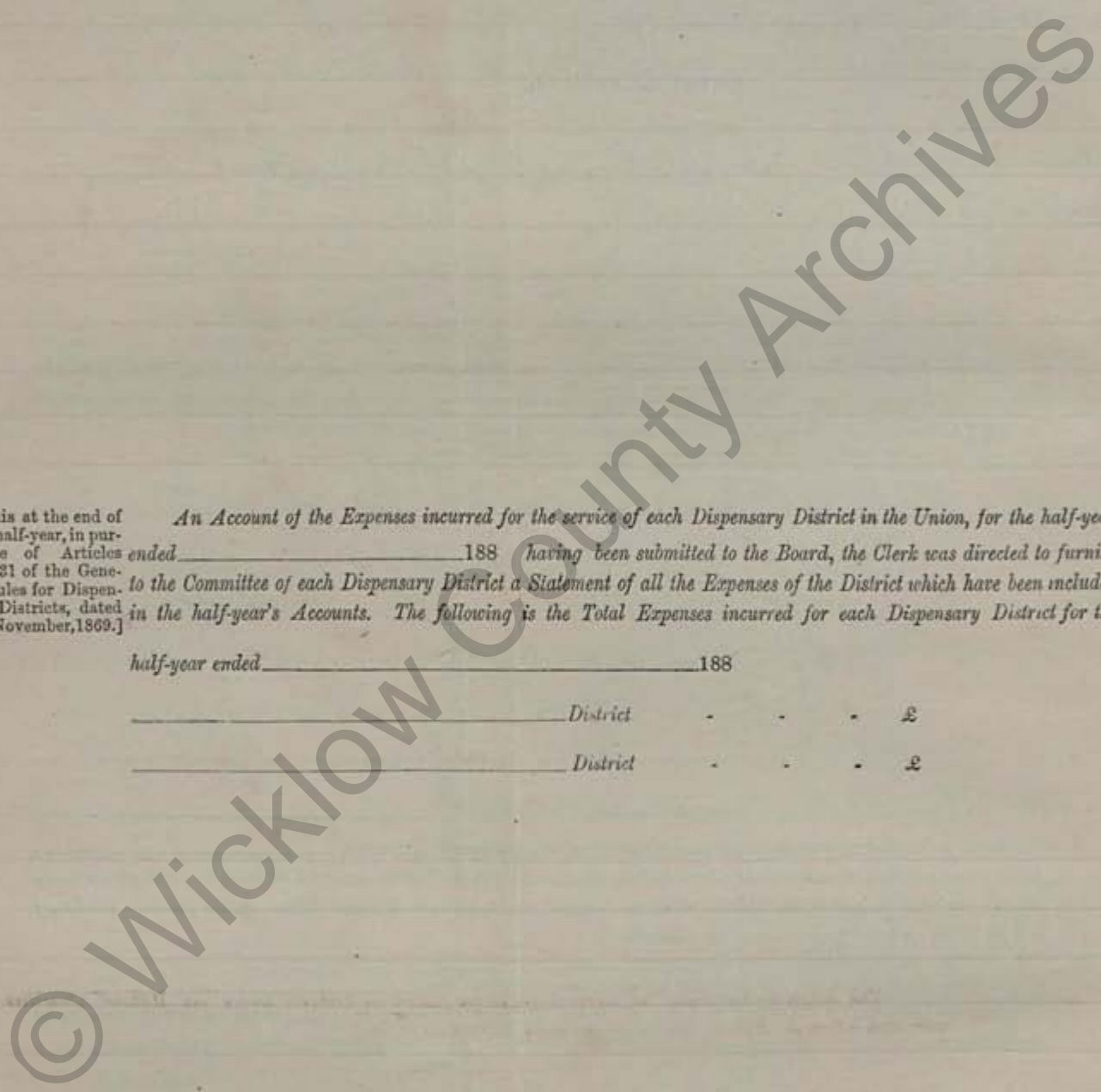
Dispensary District.

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Arklow

Read the following minutes of proceedings of the Arklow Dispensary Committee at a meeting on the 18th instant, members present,

Mr. L. Wolahan (in the Chair) & Mr. Jas. Hanagan, minutes of last meeting were read and signed. —

The Committee desire the R. Guardians to pay Doyle's bill, £1:18:0 for coals supplied for use of the Dispensary, also 6/11 for stationary used by the Hon. Sec. of the Dispensary Committee.

D. Molony's report on the Sanitary state of the lanes of Arklow was read; The Committee are of opinion that the repairing of the lanes is the duty of the Grand Jury.

Jas. Hanagan, Hon. Sec.

Order— That the attention of the Committee be called to the fact that they have made no remarks on the very serious statements of the Sanitary Officer which appear to require serious attention and recommendation for remedy.

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:

Although graveling and repairing roads is <sup>Order dated</sup> certainly not part of Sanitary <sup>(state subject.)</sup> duty, yet in case of holes causing nuisance, and insufficient or inefficient drainage these are sanitary works and if necessary must be undertaken.

J. S. P.



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 D. Garland dated 12th instant,  
stating that all the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act reported by him in January last have complied with the Law, with two exceptions both unfit for vaccination.

Read Letter from D. Garland, Medical Officer of Anamoe Dispensary District, reporting the occurrence of three cases of Diphtheria in his 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.:—

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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.
	P. Manning Aug	3	15	-
	S. V. Bams "	3	15	-
	J. D. Edge "	8	15	-
	J. Manley "	6	5	-
	J. Livingston "	6	5	-
	R. Ellison "	8	15	-
	J. F. Evans "	7	10	-
	A. Burke "	3	15	-
	S. Garland "	3	15	-
	" Molony "	3	15	-
	" Doyle "	3	15	-
	" Ryan "	3	15	-
	" Hudson "	3	15	-
	" Gage "	3	15	-
	" Dwyer "	3	15	-
	" Halpin "	7	10	-
	P. Manning "	6	5	-
	J. Kew "	3	15	-
	P. Manning "	5	-	-
	B. Egan "	6	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:—

Read Letter from Local Government Board dated the 18<sup>th</sup> instant, forwarding an Order on Her Majesty's Paymaster General, for payment to the Guardians of a sum of £61.9.3 the proportion of the Sanitary Salaries for the half year ended the 24<sup>th</sup> of September last, payable out of the Parliamentary Grant for that purpose.

A Tender was accepted from Martin Doyle proposing to do the scavenging of the Town of Arklow as per Specification for one year, for the sum of £5.15.0 per month.

J. M. L. W. by John  
March 30<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 31<sup>st</sup>  
 day of March 1886

Signed, [Signature]  
 Clerk of the Union.



[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1881 - 34603

Present Net Annual Value, £ 138599-17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	588	303															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>308</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			34	47	83	73	11	14	23	10	15	310	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	5	In separate Wards	25	16
Admitted during the Week.			36	2	4	2	1	—	—	—	1	46	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	92	In Wards with other inmates.	11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>70</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			36	2	6	2	1	—	—	—	1	48	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.			36	2	6	2	1	—	—	—	1	48	No. Relieved during week	28	2	—	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			34	47	81	73	11	14	23	10	15	308	No. in Workhouse at date	8	—	—	8
													No. at corresponding period last year, 306				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	127	John D. Edge
No. II.	100	182	John Manley
No. III.	254	406	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	105	153	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>868</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair — Mr John J Cowley D.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Joseph Ellison  
" John Byrne



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3261 to No. 3320 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

	-	-	-	-	-	£	<u>   </u>
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	-	-	-	-	-	£	<u>   </u>
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	-	-	-	-	-	£	<u>   </u>
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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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennecilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Ariflow ...									
	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.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	:	:	:
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	:	:
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	:	:
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	:	:

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:—

1500 Loaves Bread  
 350 Galls Newmilk  
 100 " Buttermilk  
 20 lb Butter  
 440 " Meat  
 80 Sheep Heads  
 20 cut oatmeal  
 10 " Rice  
 10 " Sugar  
 2 doz Wine  
 7 lb Pepper  
 2 1/2 doz Potatoes  
 20 doz Eggs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1886

In Money, ... ..	50	3	8
In Kind, ... ..	1	12	6
Total, ... ..	£	51	16
		2	

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



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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheques on Treasurer				
		£	s.	d.		
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..	20	-	-	1	✓
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..	20	-	-	2	✓
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..					
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.
Kelly, Andrew	Provisions	45	3	-
C Wilson	Ten	25	-	-
L Poynce	Milk	59	2	6
R Hunt	"	59	11	9
D Munnery	"	17	13	9
W Daniel	Soap	11	10	-
W Birney	Candles	4	1	7
E Mulhern	Eggs	4	12	-
S O'Brien	Butter	2	8	-
W Taylor	Butter	2	6	-
J J Poynce	Clothing	49	1	9
G Leeson	"	16	7	3
J Sutton	"	9	15	-
W Birney	Leather	4	3	-
E Tallon	Shoes	2	14	-
W Birney	Oil	8	10	4
J Sutton	Outs	6	7	4
J Saul	Reps	6	6	1
J Edwards	Lime	4	2	3
J Flower	Burdies	2	12	5
Clerk	Postage	4	5	8
J Dallas	Stationery	19	1	2
W McPhane	Stationery	13	1	6
James Penneker	"	3	13	6
Clerk	Small pay	9	3	10
do	to pay for fish slaughtered	9	12	6

75

50

60

57 6 6

192 6 5

9 11 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 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<sup>t</sup> Board, Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> instant, informing the Guardians that they have received a Communication from the Comm<sup>rs</sup> of National Education certifying that the full amount of Results Fees which would accrue to the Teachers of the Wallbruse National School consequent upon the examination held on the 15<sup>th</sup> of January last, if the School were an Ordinary National School, and the Union contributory would be as follows —

Andrew Doyle	£ 7. 17. 6
Catherine Doyle	6. 19. 6

Order — The Consideration of this letter postponed until next Board day —

Read Letter from Dame, Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting to be informed whether the Medical

has yet furnished a report as to the fitness of Mr Andrew Inglis for the office of Male Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary.

Read report from Dr Barnes, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, stating that Mr Andrew Inglis is not competent to discharge the duties of Hospital Nurse.

Over -

This report to be considered next Monday

Read Letter from the Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, informing the Guardians that a sum of Forty-two Pounds, Fourteen shillings has been lodged with the Union Treasurer being half the amount paid by the Guardians under the provisions of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act during the past year.

Read Letter from the Commissioner of Valuation, dated the 25<sup>th</sup> instant, informing the Guardians that the revision of the Valuation of the Union for the present year has been completed, the Abstract of the Valuation of the several E.D's being forwarded to the Guardians herewith.

The Clerk of the Union informed the Board that he has received the revised Valuation Lists.

Read Letter from Mr John Murphy of Dublin, claiming to have his name taken off the Rate Books in respect of his dwelling house which he states is entirely devoted to educational purposes; and therefore ought to be exempt



from Less. Pen Rates. &c.

Order -

That this matter be brought under the notice of the Revising Valuator, and that Mr. Murphy be informed that he can within 21 days appeal against the valuation if he thinks well of doing so.

Send Reports from Mr. Newson V.D. stating that he during the past week viewed the following Pigs to be slaughtered, as being suffering from Swine Fever and Valued them to the several sums named

Mr. Tom Travis	-	Arklea	1 Pig -	£ 1:15:0
" J <sup>r</sup> Birmingham	-	"	1 "	1:10:0
" James Prien	-	"	1 "	2:10:0

5-15-0

2-17-6

That on the 30<sup>th</sup> instant he inspected a Cow the property of Mr. Jas. Brennan of Rathdrum which was not affected with Pleuro Pneumonia.

Send Report from St. Poynce, Anghrim, Dated 30<sup>th</sup> inst. stating that in accordance with directions received from the Anghrim Committee on Labourers Dwellings he inspected three Houses in Anghrim and certified as follows

- 1 - John Redmond - house in a bad state from damp & the accommodations insufficient for his family.
- 2 - Marcella Doyle - house in a dangerous state, the end wall in danger of falling -
- 3 - Thomas Poynce - house room for his family insufficient.

The Clerk of the Union laid before the



Board the list of Guardians elected in the  
ensuing year as furnished to the Local Govern-  
ment Board.

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

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

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:

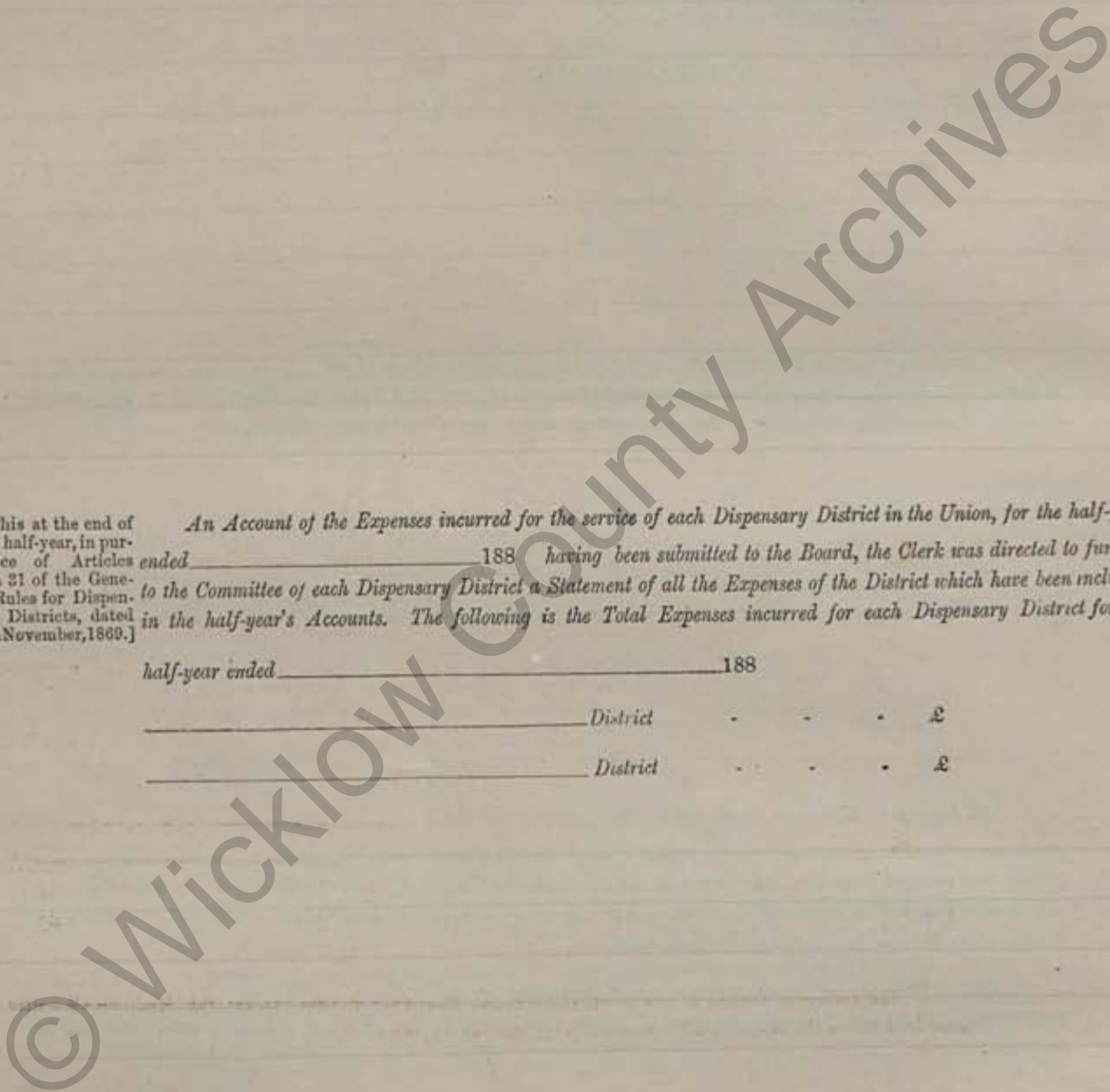
Dispensary District.

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Newbridge — 13 Defaulters —

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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

Served by post card -

Notice to be

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 7<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1886

Signed, J. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128599.17-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals in 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 6 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	308																
Temporary Buildings	—	—																
Additional Workhouse	—	5																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—																
Fever Sheds	—	—																
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>313</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			34	47	81	73	11	14	23	10	15	308	Under medical treatment in Infirmary	83	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	25		
Admitted during the Week.			42	9	3	2	1	—	1	2	—	60	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5		11		
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>76</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>		
Discharged during the Week.			37	11	2	2	—	—	1	—	—	53	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.					
Died.			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	2		Males	Females	Children under 18	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.			37	11	3	2	—	—	1	—	1	55	No. Relieved during week	41	5	2	48	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			39	45	81	73	12	14	23	12	14	313	No. in Workhouse at date	8	3	1	12	
																	No. at corresponding period last year.	295

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	70	126	John D. Edge
No. II.	200	182	John Manley
No. III.	246	398	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	105	153	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>859</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham, D.L. and Colonel Lisle D.L. Chm

Other Guardians:—

Rt. Hon. Earl of Wicklow VC, Mr. J. Curley DVC, Messrs  
 Mr. Atkin, W. P. Small, R. R. Drought, W. Mugee, J. Casement,  
 G. E. Burke, J. F. Meave, C. W. Barton, Major Drake, J. L. Kennevis,  
 Messrs: A. Taylor, J. Dowling, G. Booth CHC Wade JP  
 John Dawson, L. Wolahan, D. Jones, D. Curran, A. Sheehan,  
 M. Doyle, J. Byrne, J. Burke, M. Byrne, J. O'Reilly, W. Byrne,  
 J. Dawson, W. Shepard, Martin Doyle, E. Chamney, D.  
 Byrne, E. Stoney, V. Clements, J. Manley, J. Graydon, J. J.  
 Finn, W. Grant, P. Moran, J. Daise, A. Williams, S. Belton,  
 J. Keane, M. H. Jones, J. Ellison, and J. Doyle.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



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

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

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

This being the first special meeting of the new Board  
Colonel Tottenham & Co  
was moved to the Chair

Proposed by Captain Dought seconded by S. Inell -  
Resolved -

That the the Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Deputy-Vice-Chairman of last year be reelected for the present year.

Passed unanimously  
C. Tottenham

The chair was then vacated by Colonel Tottenham & taken by  
Colonel Fyfe & Co

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 ...	Altadore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	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	50	5	6
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30	14	7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

1300 Linen Bread  
 290 Gall's Newmilk  
 75 " Buttermilk  
 18 lbs Butter  
 340 " Meat  
 60 Sheep Heads  
 20 Dy-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 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	45	2	0
In Kind, ... ..	-	-	-
Total, ... ..	£ 45	2	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:—

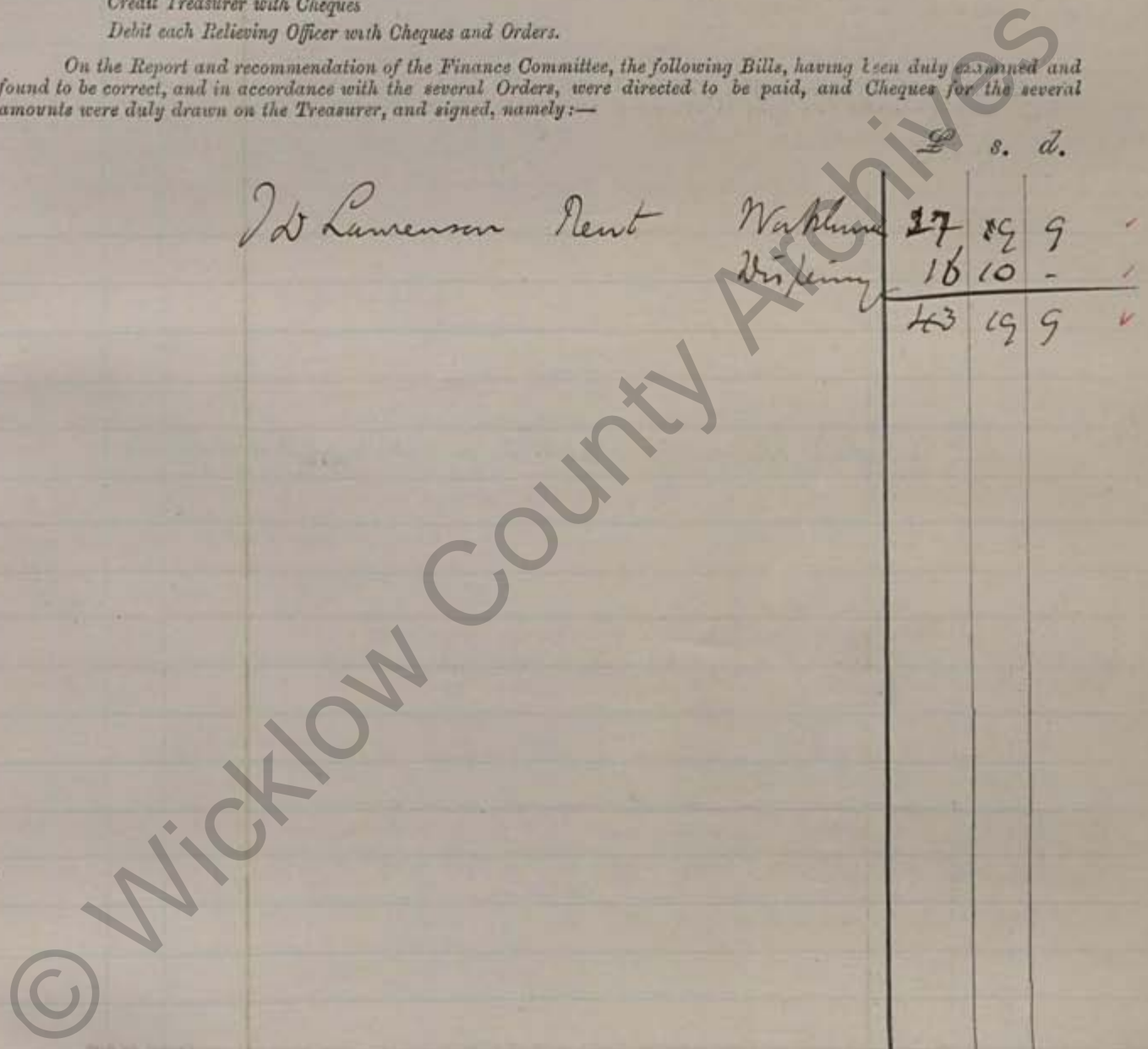
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..			

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. W. Lawrence	Rent	27	8	9
	Wicklow	16	10	-
		43	19	9





£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Recd Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board, Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> ultimo, requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the quantity of Wine, Spirits and Malt liquors consumed in this Workhouse in the year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> of December last, together with the cost of same, and the daily number of inmates in the Workhouse during the same term.

Recd Letter from same, Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> inst. calling for the usual Quarterly Return of Rates made to,

Recd Letter from the Governors of Dilkwood Lunatic Asylum, Dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst. applying for an order for the admission into this Workhouse of Rachel Croft an inmate of that Institution now fit to be discharged.



Read application from the Poor Rate collectors of the Union who rendered services under the Regulations of Parliamentary Voters Act during the past year, asking the Guardians to consider their claims for larger remuneration than they received out of the Parliamentary Grant, which was inadequate to the amount of work performed by them.

Proposed by D. Donnell and seconded by Mr. J. Byrne and Resolved -

That the collectors be allowed 25 per cent out of the Poor Rates in addition to the sums paid to them out of the Parliamentary Grant; subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Passed unanimously

The Relieving Officers also asked the Guardians to remunerate them for their services under the above Act in attending the Clerk of the Union to give him information in regard to those persons who had received Poor Relief, and also attending the Revision Courts to sustain the official objections entered against such names they claimed £4 each for these services.

The Guardians made an Order that the Relief Officers be paid £1 each in respect of the services rendered by them, subject to the approval of the L.G.B.

In reference to the Letter of the Local Government Board of the 27th ultimo, informing the Guardians of the amount of Result Fees earned by the Workhouse School Teachers during the past year, the consideration of which was ordered to stand over from last Monday on the motion of D. Donnell seconded by Mr. Williams it was resolved that the amt. of Result Fees be allowed to the Workhouse Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress, viz:

Andrew Byrne £ 7.77.6

Catherine Byrne 6.19.6

Passed unanimously



The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the Report of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse as to the fitness of Mr. Andrew Inglis for the office of Male Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary; in which Dr. Barnes stated that Mr. Inglis is not competent to discharge the duties of the office in question;

Dr. Barnes having been further questioned by the Guardians in reference to his Report, and being still of opinion the same opinion as to Mr. Inglis' unfitness for the office of Male Nurse,

The Board ordered that advertisement should be issued for a Male Nurse, election to take place on the 5<sup>th</sup> of May next; Salary same as before. -

The Guardians proceeded to the Election of a Relieving Officer for the Wicklow District in room of Mr. John Manley, resigned, there were two candidates for the office. Mr. John Manley Jun. who has been discharging the duties of the office for the past year and Mr. Lawrence Poyne, of Heatingstown, Wicklow; both of whom were duly proposed and seconded;

Proposed by Mr. J. Poyne seconded by Mr. Doyle  
Resolved

That the election of a Relieving Officer be postponed and that advertisements be issued for tenders for the office.

This resolution was lost on a division by 29 Votes to 18

The Chairman then proceeded to take a poll for the two candidates when there voted

For Mr. Manley	30 Votes
" Mr. Poyne	17 "

Mr. Manley was accordingly declared duly elected. -



## Labourers Act

The Guardians proceed to consider Representations duly signed by the required number of Ratepayers calling on them to provide improved or additional accommodation for Agricultural Labourers in the following E.D.s: due notice, both public and special, having been given viz: Dunganstown Parth, Glenealy, Moneytown and Newcastle Upper

The Representation for one Cottage in Glenealy Division was adopted the Guardians being satisfied as to the truth of the representations, the sufficiency of their resources and the suitability of the site - Scheme to be prepared accordingly -

The Cottage represented for in Dunganstown South E.D. is covered by the report of Committee below referred to.

The Representations relating to Moneytown and Newcastle Upper E.D.s were referred to the Local Committees and the further consideration of these Representations was postponed until the 5<sup>th</sup> of May next on which day the reports of the Committees are expected to be brought up.

Read report of Committee appointed by the Board to consider and report on sites of Cottages represented as required for Dunganstown Parth E.D. The Committee recommend 10 Cottages to be built on sites selected by them,

The Guardians approved of the recommendation of the Committee, being satisfied of the truth of the Representations & the sufficiency of their resources, all preliminary requirements having been duly complied with.

R. T. Drough  
Chm.

Glenealy  
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Dung<sup>th</sup> S  
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## Met = Charities

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, requesting that the Medical Officer of the Anamoe Dispensary District, may be requested to furnish a further report as to the origin of the outbreak of Diphtheria in his district, reported by him on the 24<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and the steps which have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

Order - Report to be applied for

Read Circular from same, Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, relating to the appointment of Dispensary Committees &c.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 6<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Anamoe and Wicklow Dispensary Districts, reported on the 20<sup>th</sup> January last, have since complied with the Law -

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

Read Letter from Dr. Guleand, Medical Officer of the Anamoe Dispensary District applying for leave of absence for one month in consequence of ill health, and enclosing a Medical Certificate from Dr. Nixon of Merrion Square

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).



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:—

Dublin, stating that Dr. Gurland is suffering from catarrh  
affecting the upper portion of one lung, and is in a serious  
condition, requiring entire rest for at least one month,

Dr. Walsh, a fully qualified medical man, has con-  
sented to act as Dr. Gurland's locum tenens, during  
the absence of the latter.

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:—

Order—Leave granted, Dr. Walsh to be paid £3 a week.

Read the following resolution passed by the Wicklow  
Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant.

Resolved—

That Dr. George Halpin's health having improved,  
he does not ask for any longer leave of absence, but that  
Dr. Halpin be continued doing the duty for one month,  
free of any payment. —

approved



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.

Annamoe Dispensary District.

~~Dispersary~~ Committees were appointed as follows

Annamoe

- |                                 |                               |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 - Lord Powerscourt P          | 11 - Mr. Wm Coleman           |
| 2 - George Booth Esq P          | 12 - " John Drip              |
| 3 - Chas. W. Barton Esq P       | 13 - " Wm Murphy              |
| 4 - Mr. Pat. K. Murphy P        | 14 - " Edw. Moran             |
| 5 - " James Dawson "            | 15 - " Matt. Mason            |
| 6 - " James Murphy "            | 16 - " Man <sup>e</sup> Byrne |
| 7 - " James Keane "             | 17 - " John Fanning           |
| 8 - " Berj <sup>m</sup> Moran " | 18 - " J. G. Alexander        |
| 9 - " Saml. Edge "              | 19 - " J. P. Pieloe           |
| 10 - " Thos. Valentine "        | 20 - " J. Fleming             |
|                                 | 21 - " Pat. Keely             |

Days of meeting - 1st Saturday each month at 11 o'clock

Wardens

- 1 Rev. P O'Donnell, 2 Rev. M. Maguire, 3 Mr. P. Keenan  
4 Mr. Thos. Keely, 5 " Rich<sup>d</sup> Dolan

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	£
<u>Annamoe</u>	£

- |                                      |                                     |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 - Earl of Carysfort P              | 7 - Mr. Law <sup>ce</sup> Wolahan P |
| 2 - John Ruskell Esq P               | 8 - " Daniel Courten "              |
| 3 - Owen Fogarty Esq P               | 9 - " Daniel Pomer "                |
| 4 - Alex <sup>r</sup> Taylor Esq P   | 10 - " Andw <sup>m</sup> Pheehan "  |
| 5 - Robert Hudson Esq P              | 11 - " Job Hall "                   |
| 6 - Matt <sup>r</sup> H. Jones Esq P | 12 - " Lewis Byrne "                |
|                                      | 13 - " Jas. Hanagan "               |

Wardens

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 - Rev. Jas. Drumphy           | 6 - Mr. Hugh Byrne              |
| 2 - Mr. William Smith           | 7 - " Pat <sup>r</sup> Kavanagh |
| 3 - " Wm <sup>m</sup> A. Moratt | 8 - " Rob <sup>t</sup> Philpot  |
| 4 - " Timothy Lane              | 9 - " John Byrne                |
| 5 - " George Kearon             | 10 - " Wm <sup>m</sup> Kavanagh |

Days of meeting this Thursday each month, at 12 o'clock



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 of Aughrim

- |                                |   |                            |   |
|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------|---|
| 1 - Earl of Meath R            | ✓ | 10 - Mr. John Byrne P.L.G. | ✓ |
| 2 - Parn. DeRobert R           | ✓ | 11 - " Jhs. Burke "        | ✓ |
| 3 - Colonel Kemmis R           | ✓ | 12 - " Misses Doyle "      | ✓ |
| 4 - Wm. W. Dicks Esq. R        | ✓ | 13 - " James Phelan "      | ✓ |
| 5 - Jhs. Acton Esq. R          | ✓ | 14 - " John Byrne "        | ✓ |
| 6 - Robert Parker Esq. R       | ✓ | 15 - " Rich. Butler "      | ✓ |
| 7 - Robt. F. Ellis Esq. R      | ✓ | 16 - " Andw. Burke "       | ✓ |
| 8 - Owen Foran Esq. R          | ✓ | 17 - " Mich. Somers "      | ✓ |
| 9 - Mstr. H. Jones Esq. P.L.G. | ✓ | 18 - " James Just "        | ✓ |
|                                |   | 19 - " John Carey "        | ✓ |

Wardens

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|----------------------|---|-----------------------|---|
| 1 - Rev. G. Hinkson  | ✓ | 4 - Mr. Patrick Carty | ✓ |
| 2 - Mr. John Fleming | ✓ | 5 - " Patrick Carey   | ✓ |
| 3 - " James Doyle    | ✓ | 6 - " William Byrne   | ✓ |

Days of meeting, Last <sup>Monday</sup> ~~Monday~~ each month at 12 o'clock

Dunganstown

- |                                    |   |                              |   |
|------------------------------------|---|------------------------------|---|
| 1 - Earl of Wicklow R              | ✓ | 11 - Mr. Daniel Byrne P.L.G. | ✓ |
| 2 - Jhs. Acton Esq. R              | ✓ | 12 - " Edw. Thanney "        | ✓ |
| 3 - Robert F. Ellis Esq. R         | ✓ | 13 - " Martin Doyle "        | ✓ |
| 4 - <del>Wm. W. Dicks Esq. R</del> | ✓ | 14 - " Bernard Byrne "       | ✓ |
| 5 - Henry P. Innell Esq. R         | ✓ | 15 - " John Wright "         | ✓ |
| 6 - Cromen H. C. Ware Esq. R       | ✓ | 16 - " Wm. H. Wright "       | ✓ |
| 7 - Wentworth Enck Esq. R          | ✓ | 17 - " Rich. Bradshaw "      | ✓ |
| 8 - Robert Hudson Esq. R           | ✓ | 18 - " John Brennan "        | ✓ |
| 9 - Rich. J. Welch Esq. R          | ✓ | 19 - " George Blake "        | ✓ |
| 10 - Henry Shepard Esq. P.L.G.     | ✓ | 20 - " Jhs. W. Byrne "       | ✓ |

Wardens

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

Read Letter from Dungannon ~~and~~ continued  
*stating that*

Wardens

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|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 - Rev. J. Henson ✓ | 5 - Mr. P. Costello ✓ |
| 2 - " M. Molony ✓    | 6 - " A. Valentine ✓  |
| 3 - Mr. D. Brien ✓   | 7 - " John Byrne ✓    |
| 4 - " D. Payne ✓     | 8 - " Wm Byrne        |

Days of meeting First Monday each month, 12 o'clock

Newbridge

- |                             |                             |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 - Earl of Wicklow JP ✓    | 10 - Mr. Math H Jones Phd ✓ |
| 2 - Lieut. Col. Bayly JP ✓  | 11 - Isaac Manley ✓         |
| 3 - Major H. Brooke JP ✓    | 12 - Mark Crowley ✓         |
| 4 - John Ruskell Esq JP ✓   | 13 - John O'Reilly ✓        |
| 5 - Owen Fogarty Esq JP ✓   | 14 - John J Cowley ✓        |
| 6 - Robert Hudson Esq JP ✓  | 15 - Richard Duke ✓         |
| 7 - Rich. J. Welch Esq JP ✓ | 16 - George Duke ✓          |
| 8 - Wentworth Esq JP ✓      | 17 - Chas. J. Fitzhenry ✓   |
| 9 - Wm. Chas. Hume Esq JP ✓ | 18 - John Kelly ✓           |

Wardens

- |                         |                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| 1 - Mr. John Williams ✓ | 3 - Mr. Jas. Amesley ✓ |
| 2 - " Joseph Syndall ✓  | 4 -                    |

Days of meeting First Monday each month at 12 o'clock  
 These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.  
 Reports (Form P containing the names of) Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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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
<i>Newcastle</i>			
1	Henry P. Small Esq. A.	✓	11 Mr. David J. Henry P.H.
2	Joseph F. Mende Esq. A.	✓	12 " Samuel Daise
3	Gugon E. Doube Esq. A.	✓	13 " Anthony Williams
4	Major Tottenham A.	✓	14 " Samuel Belton
5	Wm. De La Roche Esq. A.	✓	15 " John Dawson
6	Wentworth Creek Esq. A.	✓	16 " Laurence Burke
7	Patrick Reid Esq. A.	✓	17 " Robert Alford
8	Thos. Dowling Esq. A.	✓	18 " Henry A. Cooper
9	John W. Nuttall Esq. A.	✓	19 " Alexander Keene
10	W. Thos. Graydon P.H.	✓	20 " John Lawrenson
			21 " Richard Graydon
<i>Wardens</i>			
1	W. J. E. Scott		4 - Mr. James Byrne
2	" Sam Livesley		5 - " Patrick Walker
3	" Robert Bell		- - -
Days of meeting 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday each month at 11 O'clock			

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



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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
<i>Rathdrum</i>				
=				
1 - <del>Lord of Meath</del> <i>FP</i>	9 - <i>Chas. P. Parnell Esq M P</i>			
2 - <i>Thos Acton Esq FP</i>	10 - <i>William Comerford Esq</i>			
3 - <i>Lt. Col. Bayly FP</i>	11 - <i>Mr Lawrence Byrne</i>			
4 - <i>Law<sup>r</sup> W Byrne Esq FP</i>	12 - <i>" John Woodburne</i>			
5 - <i>Mr. John J Cowley P L G</i>	13 - <i>" <del>Dickens</del> Edger</i>			
6 - <i>" Joseph Ellison "</i>	14 - <i>" Longf<sup>r</sup> Byrne</i>			
7 - <i>" Miles Byrne "</i>	15 - <i>" Rob<sup>t</sup> Lawrenson</i>			
8 - <i>" William Grant "</i>	16 - <i>" Arch<sup>d</sup> Manning</i>			
<i>" John Fogarty</i>	17 - <i>" John Fogarty</i>			
<i>" Edw<sup>d</sup> Ellison</i>				
<i>Wardens</i>				
1 <i>Rev. R W Guinness</i>	3 - <i>Mr. Robert Johnson</i>			
2 <i>" Philip Carberry</i>	4 - <i>" Bernard Doyle</i>			
	5 - <i>" Edward Ellison</i>			
Days of meeting, second Tuesday each month at 2 O'Clock				

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:

## Wicklow

- |                                 |                                |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1 - Earl of Meath A ✓           | 13 - Mr. Edw. Storey P.L.G. ✓  |
| 2 - Chas. Tottenham Esq A ✓     | 14 - " V Clements " ✓          |
| 3 - Colonel Fyfe A ✓            | 15 - " J Delahunt " ✓          |
| 4 - Colonel Tottenham A ✓       | 16 - " J Doyle " ✓             |
| 5 - Captain Drough A ✓          | 17 - " W. Byrne " ✓            |
| 6 - Henry P. Small Esq A ✓      | 18 - " John J. Keim " ✓        |
| 7 - J. Casement Esq A ✓         | 19 - Rev. John W. F. Drought ✓ |
| 8 - William Magee Esq A ✓       | 20 - Capt. Robt. C. Halpin ✓   |
| 9 - Henry Segrove Esq A ✓       | 21 - Mr. John Chapman ✓        |
| 10 - Robert J. Ellis Esq A ✓    | 22 - " William Gregg ✓         |
| 11 - Denison Edwards Esq A ✓    | 23 - " Robert Caldwell ✓       |
| 12 - Henry Shepard Esq P.L.G. ✓ | 24 - " Joseph Smyth ✓          |
|                                 | 25 - " John Gaskin ✓           |

## Wardens

- |                         |                         |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 - Rev. Henry Rooke ✓  | 6 - Mr. Joseph Booth ✓  |
| 2 - " Wm. J. Dillon ✓   | 7 - " Chris. Kane ✓     |
| 3 - " J. McEnerny ✓     | 8 - " Michl. J. Byrne ✓ |
| 4 - Mr. Michl. McCabe ✓ | 9 - " Matt. Byrne ✓     |
| 5 - " John Roberts ✓    | 10 - " William Byrne ✓  |

Days of meeting First Saturday each month, 11 O'clock -

Proposed by D. Small seconded by Mr. John Doyle

Resolved -

That the above list of Dispensary Committees be adopted.

Passed unanimously



Dear Letter from the Arklow Town Commissioners forwarding a resolution passed by them at their meeting on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant calling the attention of the Board of Guardians to the unsanitary condition of the Lanes and back streets of the town of Arklow, in regard to which the Commissioners think the Guardians are neglecting their duty as the Sanitary Authority.

Order.

In this matter the Local Committees were called upon to report distinctly on the matter and give their recommendation as to what was required to put the lanes in proper sanitary order; Their attention to be again called to the matter.

Dear report from D. Molony, Medical Officer of Health of Arklow District, calling attention to the unsanitary condition of the house of Edward Poynne of Fair Green, Arklow.

Order - Notice to be served on the owner and occupier.

Dear Letter from Peter Gibbon, Little Rock, Arklow; calling the attention of the Guardians to the unsanitary condition of his house which has been twice reported as unfit for human habitation, and asking the Guardians to provide him with a new house.

Order - Referred to the Sanitary Officer; If the house is in the state described it should be repaired and put in order as soon as possible; It is understood that a new Cottage has been built within 300 yards of his present house, which is available for him.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

R. N. D. M. G. H. C. L. H.

Signed, P. M. M. M. M.  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 1285269:7

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

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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 3 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 3 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 Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	300															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>305</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			39	45	87	73	12	14	23	12	14	313	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	82	In separate Wards, in Wards with other Inmates,	25	
Admitted during the Week.			50	14	1	2	1	1	3	1	6	79	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>89</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			36	11	2	3	3	1	4	2	5	87	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			36	11	2	3	3	1	4	2	5	87	No. Relieved during week	41	6	2	49
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			33	48	80	72	10	14	22	11	15	305	No. in Workhouse at date	8	—	—	8
													No. at corresponding period last year.				395

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of April 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Viet., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Stipending Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	140	John D. Edge
No. II.	103	185	John Manley
No. III.	254	412	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>870</b>	

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

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain R.R. Drought P.P.

Other Guardians:—

Mr Joseph Ellison  
Mrs Doyle

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3321 to No. 3440 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     -     -     -     -     - £ 185 -     -    

Paid during the week     -     -     -     -     - £ 308 - 10 - 6

And that the Balance on the Account in fav<sup>r</sup> the Guardians was £ 690 - 0 - 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



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

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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arslow ...									
	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.

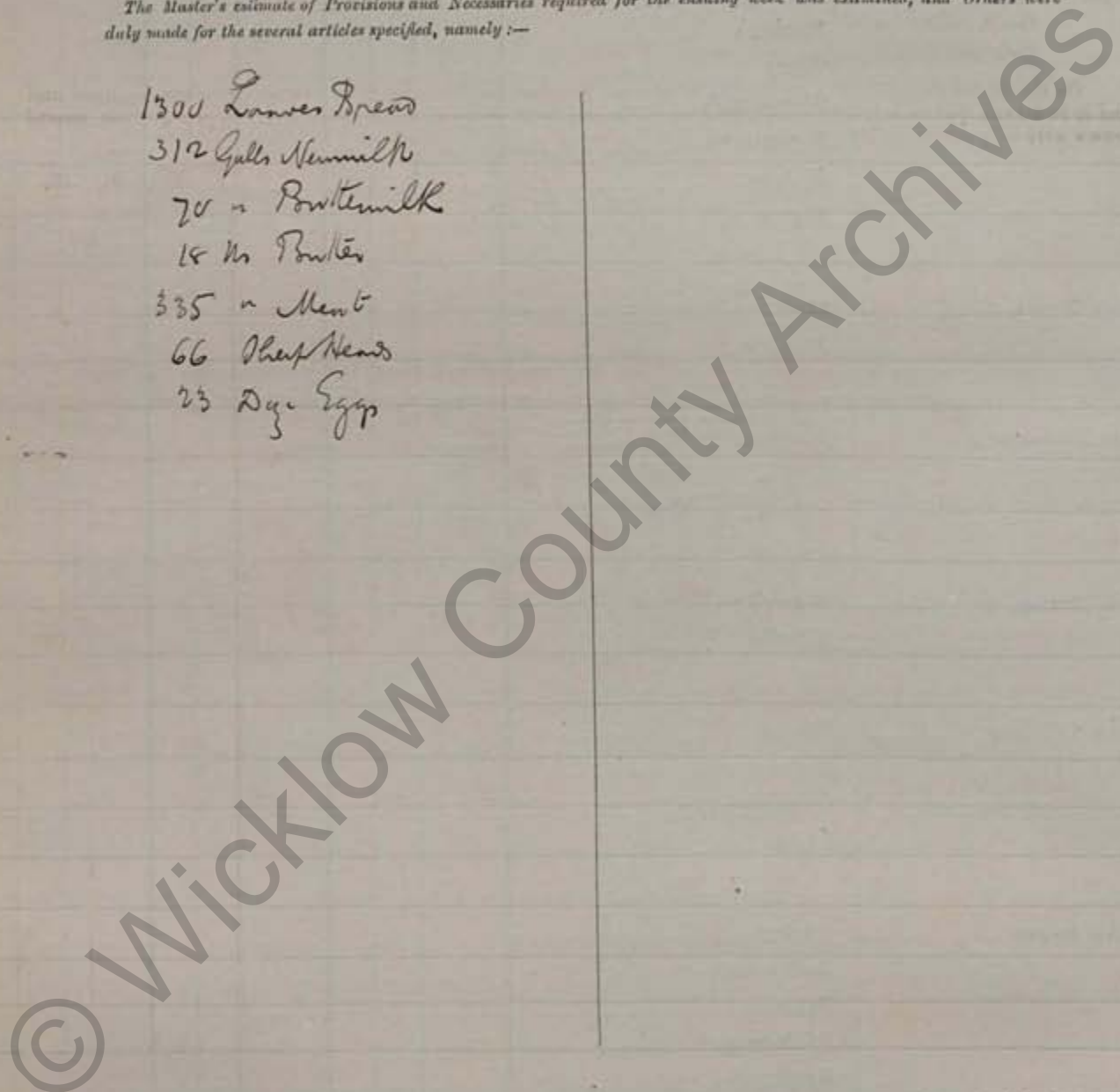
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 97 : 12 : 6  
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 51 : 16 : 11  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 2 : 11 1/2  
 Average Cost in Infirmary - : 3 : 4  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital - : 4 : 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:—

1300 Loaves Bread  
 312 Galls Newmilk  
 20 " Powltemilk  
 15 " Butter  
 335 " Meat  
 66 Sheep Heads  
 23 Dye 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

In Money, ... ..	£ 45	11	8
In Kind, ... ..	1	11	7
Total, ... ..	£ 47	3	3

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



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

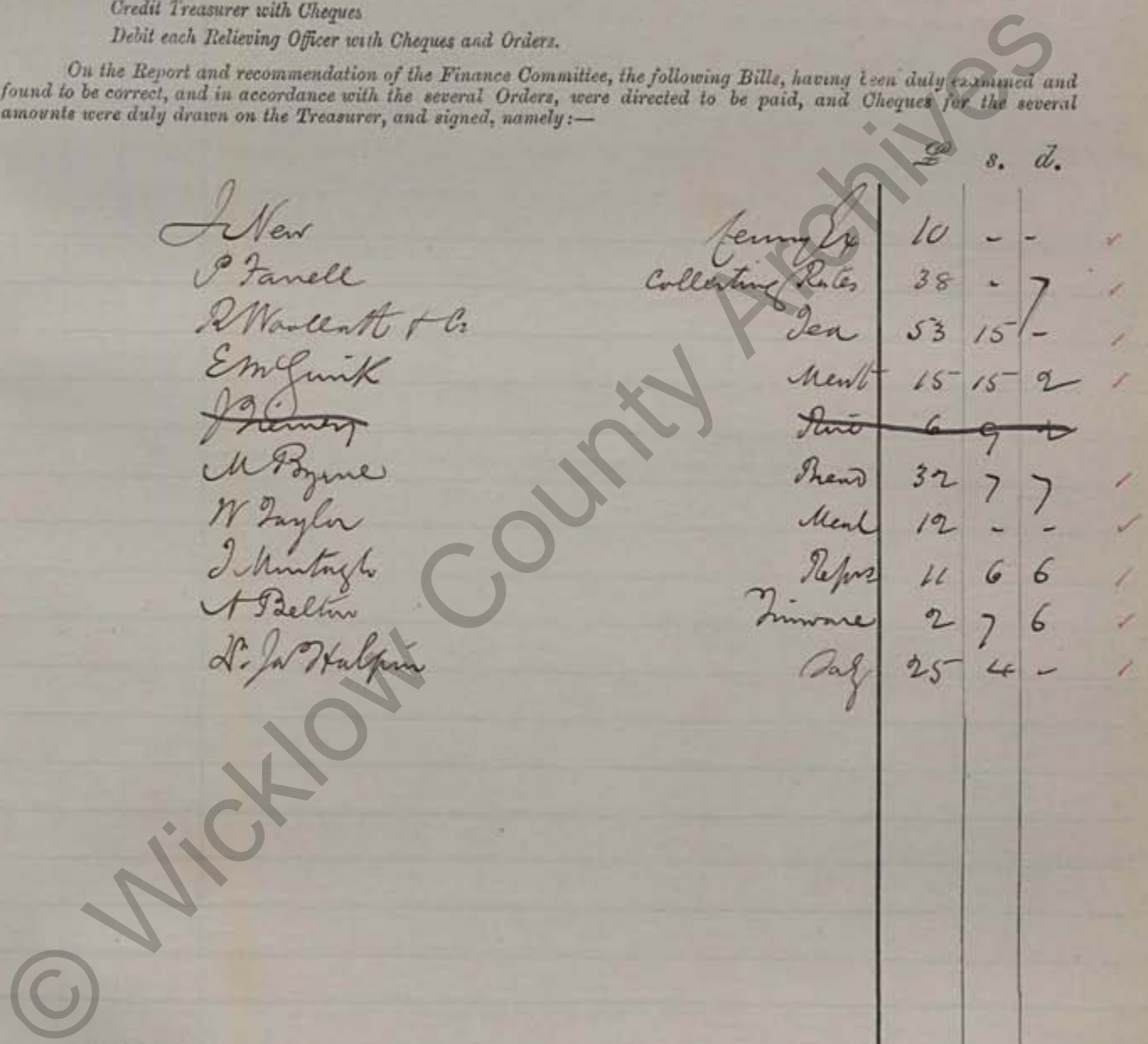
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheques on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ...			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ...	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ...	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ...	20	-	-

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.	
J New	Ferry	10	-	-	✓
P Farrell	Collecting Rates	38	-	7	✓
R Wallcutt & Co	Ten	53	15	-	✓
E M Guirk	Ment	15	15	2	✓
J Henry	<del>Five</del>	<del>6</del>	<del>9</del>	<del>-</del>	
M Payne	Shend	32	7	7	✓
W Taylor	Ment	12	-	-	✓
J Muntagh	Repos	11	6	6	✓
A Paelton	Finance	2	7	6	✓
L. J. Halpin	July	25	4	-	✓



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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 of the Workhouse, James Doyle an inmate of the Workhouse was ordered to be sent to a Dublin Hospital 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 Letter from Local Government Board, Dated 9<sup>th</sup> instant, stating that they have obtained an opinion from their Legal Adviser as to the application of Mr William Murphy for re-  
-muneration in respect of his services in connection with the registration of voters in this Union in the past year, which is to the same effect as their letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> Ultimo,

The entire Grant voted by Parliament under the 11<sup>th</sup> section of the Act has been awarded to the officials mentioned therein.

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Read Letter from the Solicitor of the Board of Public Works, Dublin; Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant, in which he calls attention to the Deed of mortgage for the Loan of £4000 under the Labours (Ireland) Act, which has not been returned perfected.



Order - Job referred to Colonel Fife. -

Read Letter from R.I. Constabulary, Dublin, reporting that Joseph Moore of that town has a Pig suffering from supposed Swine fever -

Read Letter from the Editor of the "Nation" Newspaper asking for the insertion of the Guardians advertisements in that Journal -

No order

Read Letter from Mr. Thos. Murphy, Dublin, complaining of being asked for Poor Rates in respect of his Swelling House, which he states ought to be exempt from Rates, and protesting against the demand made on him in this respect -

No order

The Matron of the Workhouse obtained leave of absence for a week and the Fever Hospital Nurse for two weeks.

The Clerk of the Union applied to the Board in the services of an Assistant to enable him to discharge the duties devolving on him under the Registration of Parliamentary Voters Act, which will be very heavy this year. -

Order - An Assistant granted for such time as may be necessary, subject to the approval of the Special R<sup>d</sup> and the Local Government Board. -

Wm. L. C. O'Connell  
April 21<sup>st</sup> 1886

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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).



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*see first page of minutes*

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.

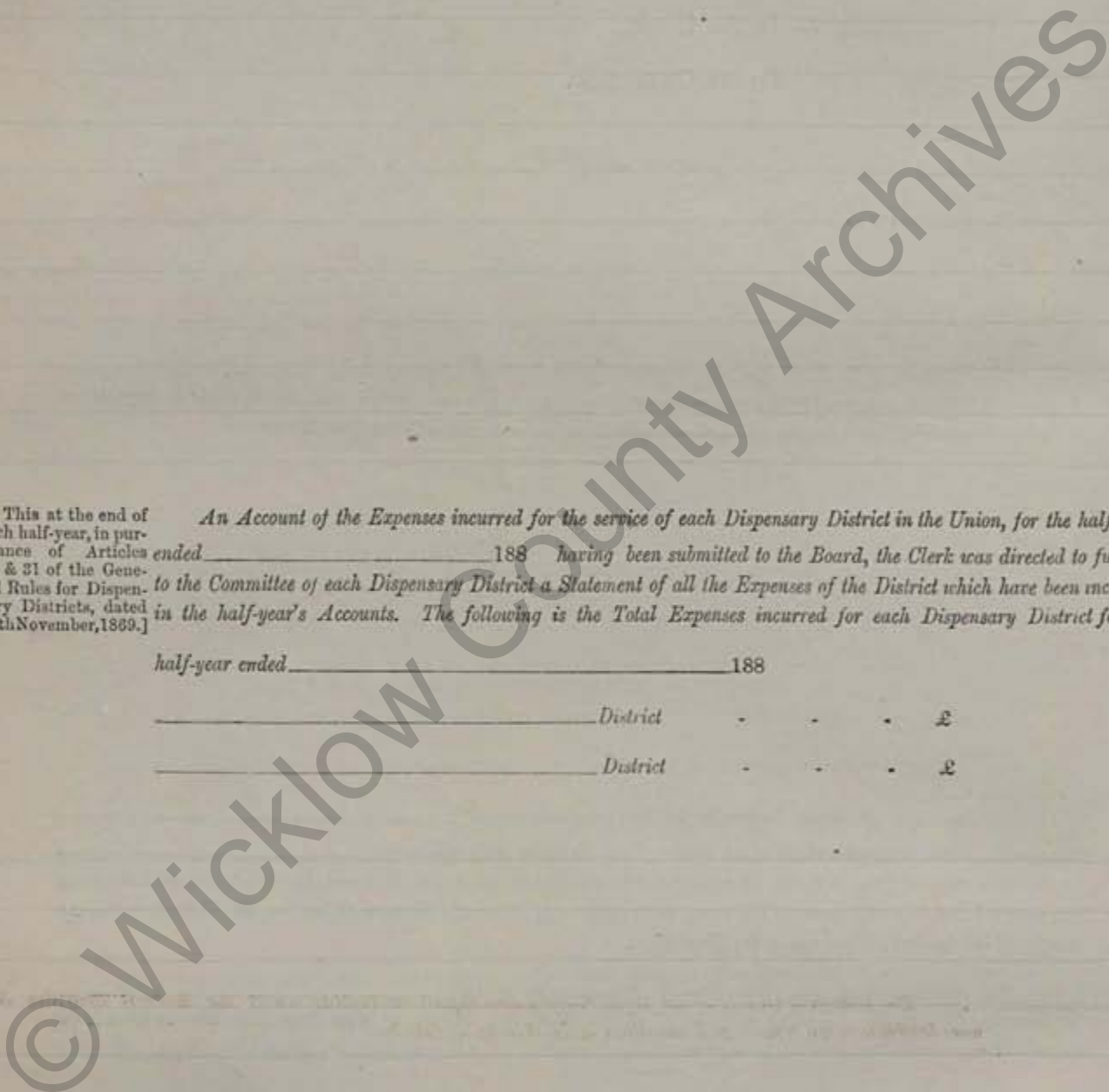
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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 Govt - Board dated 7th instant

stating that they have received the report of their Inspector, W. Bourke, respecting ~~this Union~~ the several Districts in this Union in which he states that meetings of the Committees are not regularly held in certain of the Districts;

That the Anglin's Dispensary House is unsuitable for the purpose, and that the Newbridge and Newcastle Dispensaries are in need of repairs—

W. Bourke also reports that Vaccination is not carried out in a satisfactory manner in the Anamore District; and the Ld Board request that these matters may receive the Guardians attention.

Order—

The Doctor of Anamore District to be called on for an explanation,

the matters of insufficiency of accommodation and want of repairs to be brought before the Local Committees in each case—

Wm J. O'Leary  
14th April 1886

R-A-D.  
14/4/86

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

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

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









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

Read Letter from Local Government Board,  
Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant forwarding a copy of observations of the Medical Officer of Health of Newcastle Dispensary District, relating to the defective water supply of the Village of Newtown - Mount - Kennedy and requesting that the matter may receive the attention of the Sanitary Authority.

Order—

To be referred to the Local Disposal Committee.

J. M. & Co. Clerk  
April 21<sup>st</sup> 1886

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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128,525-7-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 2 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	280															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>285</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			33	48	80	72	10	14	22	11	15	305	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	89	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	
Admitted during the Week.			25	8	2	—	—	1	3	5	3	47	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>58</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			39	7	2	1	3	2	4	5	3	66	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			39	7	2	2	3	2	4	5	3	67	No. Relieved during week	26	—	—	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			19	49	80	70	7	13	21	11	15	285	No. in Workhouse at date	3	—	—	3
													No. at corresponding period last year.				294

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886 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.	72	134	John D. Edge
No. II.	104	193	John Manley
No. III.	246	396	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	57	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>856</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr John J Cowley DVC

Other Guardians :-

- Colonel Tottenham & Co
- Mr Joseph Ellison
- " Pat<sup>r</sup> Murphy
- " Jas. Murphy
- " David Somers
- " Jas. Keane
- " John Dawson
- " James Dawson

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3441 to No. 3480 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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Oroca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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



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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check 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 -	1	1	
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	1	1	
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1	1	
Average Cost in Infirmary	1	1	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	1	1	

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

- 1350 Loaves Bread
- 300 Galls Newmilk
- 75 " Buttermilk
- 18 lbs Butter
- 350 " Meat
- 66 Sheep Heads
- 24 Dgs Eggs
- 3 cwt Bacon
- 10 " Turnips
- 4 Bns Potatoes

Order -

That the master provide the usual breakfast and dinner for the inmates of the Workhouse on Easter Sunday.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	44	9	0
In Kind, ... ..	2	2	00
Total, ... ..	£ 46	11	00

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

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mp

		£	s.	d.	
B. M. Juntk	Ment	29	14	11	✓
James & Duggan	Stone to	4	6	4	✓
L. Halpin	Maurin	2	14	-	✓
J. Conliffe	Adverts	3	1	-	✓
E. Walsh	L.A. 3:5:0 - Est. 3:4:6 - Newbridge 6/-	8	15	6	✓
Kavanagh	Regr	3	11	3	✓
L. Halpin	"	3	8	3	✓
" Gage	"	2	3	-	✓
" Dwyer	"	2	11	6	✓
Sherington	"	2	5	2	✓
Clerk	am/ps	19	17	9	✓
D. Manning	Regr	1	19	8	
W. Murphy	"	1	1	-	
A. Byrne	"	-	16	-	
C. Ellis	Regr	1	1	4	
D. Kennedy	Kilpedder	1	5	-	
J. Callan	"		14	9	
J. D. Edge	Rem Pau Va	1	-	-	
J. Manly	"	1	-	-	
Sherington	"	1	-	-	
R. Ellison	"	1	-	-	
J. C. Payne	"	1	10	-	
W. Murphy	"	1	-	-	



J. Douglas  
 G. Evans  
 W. C. Jones  
 N. Smith

£ s. d.

"	15	-
"	15	-
"	3	10 -
"	1	10 -
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*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 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 16<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Local Government Board, transmitting the new Query Sheet respecting the person who may be appointed Male Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary. —

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Read Letter from same, of same date, sanctioning the ~~proposed~~ payments proposed to be made to the Clerk of the Union to enable him to remunerate the Assistants employed by him to carry out the provisions of the Representation of the People Act during the past year.

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Read Letter from same: dated the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, in reference to the proposal to allow the Clerk of the Union the services of an Assistant in the preparation of lists of Parliamentary Voters, printing

but that it is competent to the Guardians, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, to pay such allowance to the Clerk of the Union under the Parliamentary Voters Act as will enable him to remunerate any person employed by him in the preparation of the Lists of Voters.

Read Letter from Mr. D. C. Johnson of Allow, solicitor to Mr. Wm. Murphy, requesting the Guardians to have the goodness to pay him the sum of £10 for services rendered by him under the Representation of the People Act during the past year.

Resolved -

That a Cheque for £10 be drawn in favour of the Clerk of the Union to enable him to remunerate Mr. Wm. Murphy for services rendered by him in assisting in carrying out the Registration of Parliamentary Voters during the past year -

James Cunningham

Read Letter from Mr. John Manley, R.O. naming as his premises Mr. Christopher Chamney of Cunniamstown, and Mr. George Bodey of Glapenest.

Approved

Read Letter from Mr. J. W. Murphy of Allow, dated the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting the Guardians to order a revaluation of his house which he alleges is valued too high.

No order

✓ Read claim to be voted for Mr. James



✓ Arthur of Kenton, in room of Lawrence Arthur.  
No order

Read letter from Dr. Byrne, Medical Officer  
of Angharad District, claiming payment of 15/- for  
inspecting three labourers dwellings under the Labourers  
Act.

Payment ordered accordingly -

= Mr J. C. O'Connell  
May 5<sup>th</sup> 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...	...	...	...	...	9
Ditto disallowed ... ..	...	...	...	...	9
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	...	...	...	...	9

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 ... ..	...	...	...	...	7
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I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of minutes*

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  
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On Application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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supplied:—

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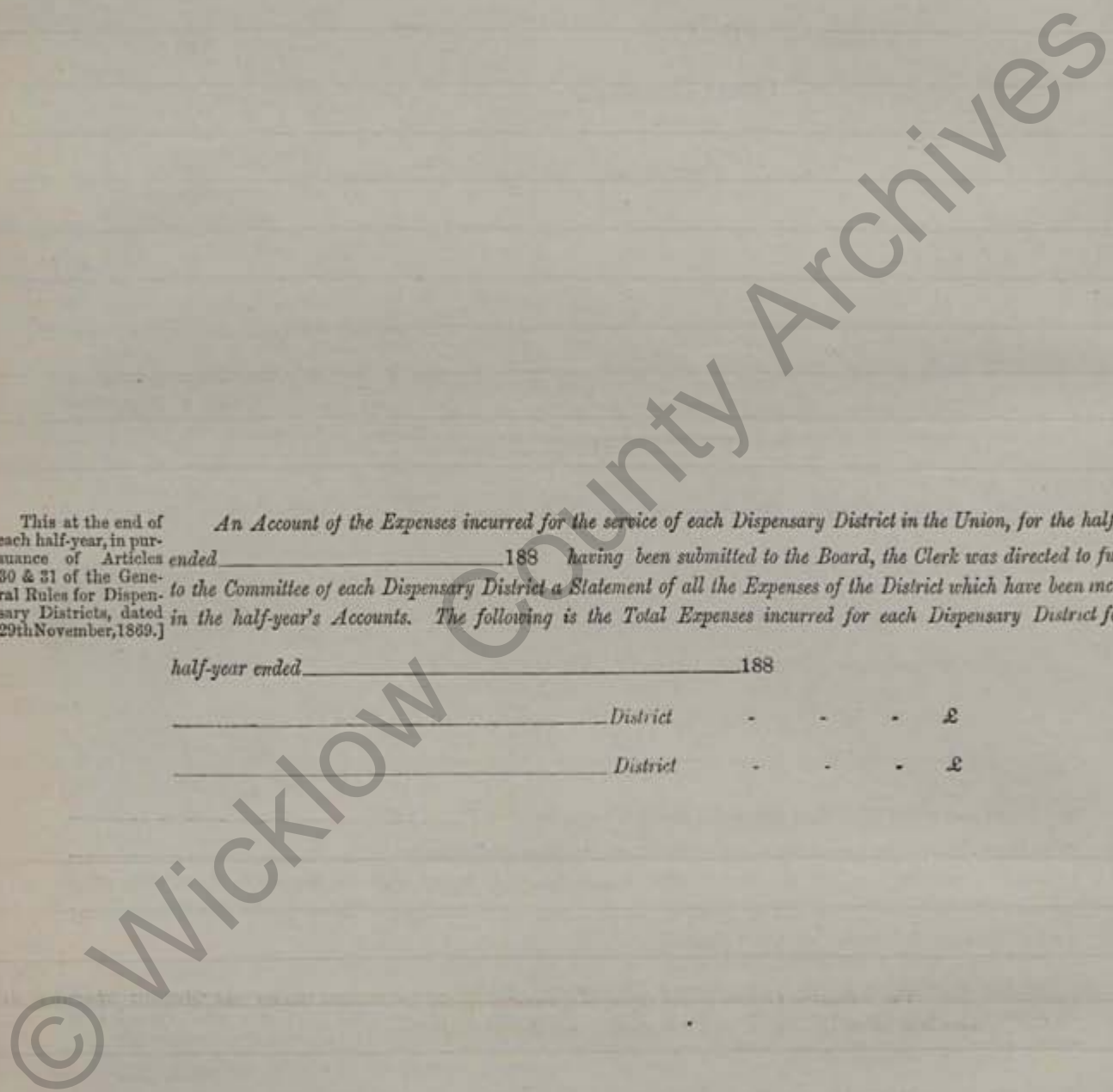
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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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:—

*Shamroe* Dispensary District, Mr. *John Nolan* of *Ballinastoe*.

in room of Mr. Patrick Keely, who is not qualified as regards Valuations;

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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 19th instant  
 stating that enclosing forms for Annual Returns of Honorary Officers of Dispensary Committees &c.

Read Letter from J. Garland, Medical Officer of Anamore Dispensary District, Dated the 14th inst., stating that all the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Dist. have now complied with the Law with the exception of two cases in which the children were unfit for Vaccination.

Read Letter from Adluw Dispensary Committee, Dated the 19th instant, stating that the following Honorary Officers have been appointed for the current year—

<u>Earl of Compton</u>	Chairman
<u>M. H. Nolan</u>	Vice P.
<u>James Hanagan</u>	Hon. Sec.
<u>John Hall</u>	Asst. Hon. Sec.

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

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

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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 the following resolutions passed by the Wicklow Sanitary Committee at their meeting on 19<sup>th</sup> instant,

Resolved.—

That the Guardians be requested to have the Lanes of the town of Arklow gravelled and put in proper repair as early as possible.

Order —

That the Sanitary Pub Officer remedy the unsanitary condition of the Lanes in Arklow, under the supervision of the Dispensary Committee the sum not to exceed £10.

M. J. O'Connell  
May 5<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Number	which	is	the	name	of	the	person	or	firm	to	be	admitted	to	the	benefit	of	the	Union

Number which is the name of the person or firm to be admitted to the benefit of the Union
Workless
Temporary
Addition
Permanent
Fever Sufferer
Remarks as per
Admitted
Discharged
Died
Total

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 28<sup>th</sup>  
 day of April 1886

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



Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128549:7

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	539	290															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>296</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			19	49	80	70	7	13	21	11	15	285	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	91	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates.	125	
Admitted during the Week.			45	4	2	2	—	1	—	1	3	58	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>64</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			32	4	1	2	—	—	3	1	3	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			32	4	2	2	—	—	3	1	3	47	No. Relieved during week	38	2	2	42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			32	49	80	70	7	14	18	11	15	296	No. in Workhouse at date	12	—	—	12
													No. at corresponding period last year.				294

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	134	John D. Edge
No. II.	101	182	John Manley
No. III.	237	388	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>837</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting of the Board on this day (only two Guardians) being present, Messrs J. J. Cowley & Co and J. Ellison.

2 J. M. & Co. Secy  
 27<sup>th</sup> May 1886



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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovooca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacoor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

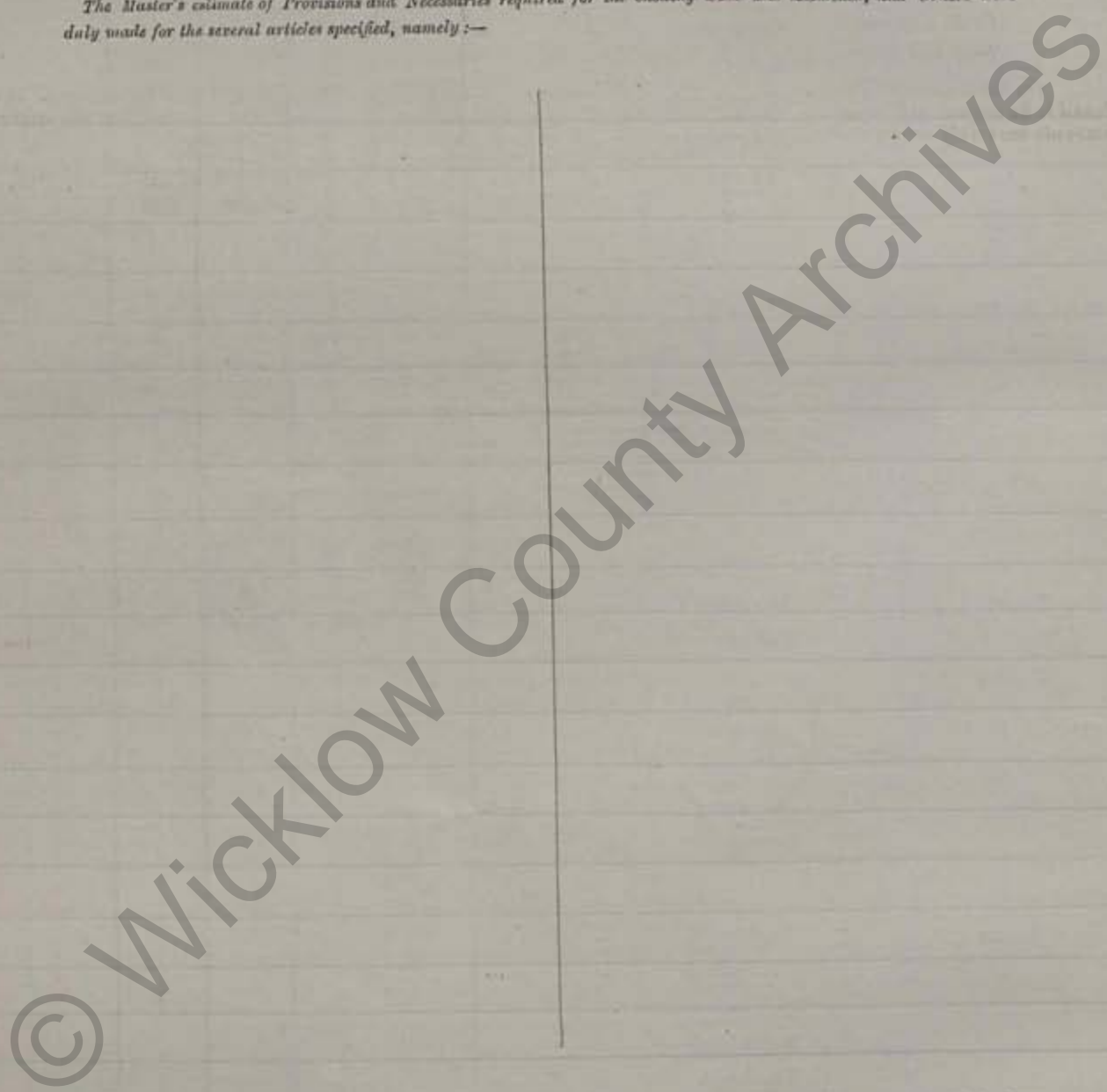
NOTE—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	:	:	:
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	:	:
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	:	:
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	:	:

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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£ 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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RECEIPTS

REVENUE

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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).

## 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:—



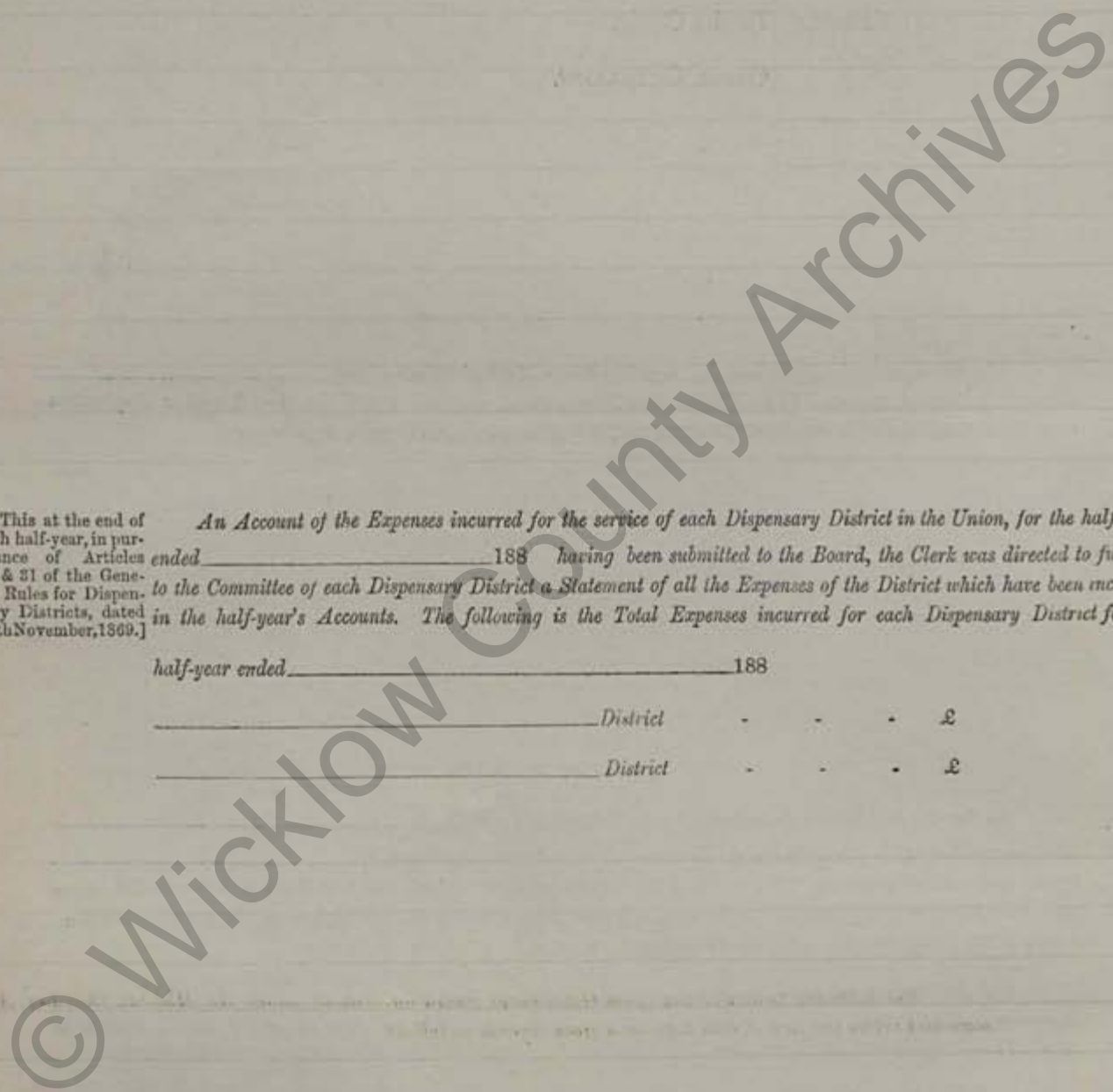
The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

\_\_\_\_\_ 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, £ 128,549 = 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total, to 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	380	275															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	60	1															
Fever Sheds																	
Total	600	276															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			32	49	80	70	7	14	18	11	15	296	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	87	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates.	125	14
Admitted during the Week.			19	6	4	1	2	-	1	1	2	36	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11	
TOTAL			57	55	84	71	9	14	19	12	17	332	TOTAL	88	TOTAL	36	
Discharged during the Week.			31	5	10	2	1	1	3	2	-	53	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.					1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.			31	5	11	2	1	1	3	2	-	56	No. Relieved during week	17	2	3	22
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			20	50	73	69	8	13	16	10	17	276	No. in Workhouse at date	5	-	-	5
													No. at corresponding period last year.				279

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	134	John D. Edge
No. II.	98	170	John Manley
No. III.	237	388	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	504	825	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr John L Cowley DVC

Other Guardians: -

Col. Tottenham DL	-	Mr L Wolahan	-	Mr E Storey
Mr P. Acton Esq DL		" A Sheehan		" J Manley
H. P. O'Neill Esq A		" D Candren		" J Graydon
R. R. Dwyer Esq A		" M Doyle		" J Kim
J. Casement Esq A		" J Byrne		" W Grant
George Booth Esq A		" J Burke		" B Horan
C. W. Barton Esq A		" M Byrne		" P Dwyer
R. H. Brooke Esq A		" J Dawson		" M Williams
A. Taylor Esq A		" M Connley		" P Belton
C. H. Wate Esq A		" M Doyle		" M H Jones
		" E Chamney		" J Ellison
				" J Doyle

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3481 to No. 3560 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

	£ _____
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Paid during the week	£ _____
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And that the Balance on the Account	the Guardians was £ _____
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The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kileóole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eanereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.	31	5	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	60	14	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	3	11	½
Average Cost in Infirmary -	3	10	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital -	4	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:—

- 1200 Loaves Bread
- 240 Galls Newmilk
- 60 " Buttermilk
- 18 lbs Butter
- 300 " Meat
- 54 Sheep Heads
- 12 cut Outmeal
- 6 " Sugar
- 2 Boxes Candles
- 11 doz. Eggs

Leave for friends to stop with Master during summer -

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 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1886

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	46	17	8
In Kind, ... ..		7	6
Total, ... ..	£	53	14

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 ... ..	00	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.	
J. P. Evans	Carriage	20	-	-	✓
M. Byrne	Deer's Fees	7	17	6	✓
C. Byrne	"	6	19	6	✓
J. Flower	Repairs	3	9	6	✓
M. Byrne	Bread	32	17	1	✓
Em. Gink	Meat	14	5	9	✓
B. of Ireland	Rep. of House	15	9	6	✓
E. Mulhern	Eggs	4	18	4	✓
Clerk	Small pay <sup>t</sup>	12	14	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 Govt. Board Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> of June 1886, stating that the election of Mr John Dawson as Poll Tax Guardian for Altmore T.D. for the current year has been set aside by them on grounds stated in their letter, and that provision will be made in the General Supplemental Election Order for an election to supply the vacancy thus caused:

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Read the following claims to be voted:

- |   |  |   |              |
|---|--|---|--------------|
| ✓ | Mr. John Byrne - Leitrim Place, Wicklow. | ✓ | Mr. Byrne    |
| ✓ | " Edw. Byrne - Ballycreeen               | ✓ | E Foley      |
| ✓ | " Jas. Stapleton - Sheenabeg             | ✓ | M. Stapleton |
| ✓ | " Jas. Gaffney - Carriglineen            | ✓ | Jas. Gaffney |

Claims allowed, and ordered to be voted accordingly —

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The Guardians proceeded to the election of a male Nurse for the Workhouse Infirmary;

There was only one Candidate for the Office Mr. William Reeves, who formerly filled this Office and performed his duties in a very satisfactory manner. —

Mr. Reeves was unanimously elected to fill the vacant office:

The following contracts were entered into:

		Three months	
Mr E. M. Guirk -	Best mutton	@ 4 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	£ 11
"	" Beef	" 4	"
"	" Ox Heads	" 1/8 each	
"	" Sheep "	" 10	"
Mr M. Byrne -	" White Bread	" 4 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	£ 4 1/2
Mr W. Taylor	" Oatmeal	" £12:17:6	£ 200
		Twelve months	
Mr D. Murphy	Best New milk	@ 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	£ Gal.
Mr A. Grant	" Buttermilk	" 1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	"
"	" Butter	" 1/-	£ lb.
Mr J. W. Farrell, 250 Dms	" Whitehaven Coals	" 15/4	£ Ton

A Tender was accepted from Mr Jas. Byrne, for lime-washing the inside of the rooves of the Workhouse building ceilings &c. in accordance with Specification, for the sum of £6:15:0.

The ~~Nurse~~ <sup>Nurse</sup> of the Workhouse Infirmary obtained leave of absence for one week.

Lead Reports from Mr. Newson V.I. stating that he had ordered the slaughter of the following Pigs affected with Swine Fever.

Mr John Byrne	Arklow	1 Pigs	Value £ 1:10:0
" Mary Durne	"	2 "	" 2:0:0
Mr Matt Webb	"	1 "	" 1:10:0



Order - Half the Value of these Pigs to be paid to the Owners. -

Mr. Newsom also reported that 3 sheep in a flock of 37 the property of Mr. Isaac Manley are slightly affected with Sheep Scab.

### Labourers Act

Read Letter from Colonel Dighe, Chairman of the Board, forwarding for the approval of the Guardians, a draft Lease of the plots of land on which the 4 Labourers Cottages are built in Glenely E.D. and at the same time expressing his opinion that it would have been well if the L.C. Board had provided a form of lease which would be legal and do in all such cases.

Order - The draft Lease to be submitted to Mr. Pomey the Guardians Solicitor under the Labourers Act for his opinion as to its suitability.

Read Letter from Mr. Pomey, stating that he is taking active steps to carry out the Schemes entrusted to him, and will shortly have the Arbitrator to hear the cases.

Read report from the Committee appointed by the Guardians to report on the terms on which the plot of land can be procured on which it has been decided to build 4 Labourers Cottages in the Upper Newcastle Electoral Division, and on the expediency of building additional Cottages.

The Committee state that Mr. James Shat, tenant of the plot of land proposed to be taken is willing to



£30, for his interest in the land, about one acre in extent - which the Committee consider a fair offer.

As regards the erection of additional Cottages the Committee recommend that the decision on this point should be postponed for the present.

The Guardians approved of the report of the Committee, and decided to accept Mr. Shute's terms; They also decided to accept the terms offered by the Landlord, & namely a Lease for 99 yrs at a rent of £4 a year. and directed the Clerk to write to Mr. Dooney and instruct him to take immediate steps to have the building of these houses carried out at once

The following resolution was read -  
Resolved -

That one the members of the Arghrim Branch of the I. N. A. call again on the Rathfriland Board of Guardians to use every exertion in their power to have the Labourers Cottages erected as soon as possible, and not have them to pass another winter in the miserable hovels they are at present living in.

The following notice was served -

Take notice I intend to propose to ask Mr. Flower to give an account of the expense of each item of his and Mrs. Flower's ration for the last three months, on this day, Fastnight.

Moses Doyle

I. M. J. C. W. J. O.  
May 12<sup>th</sup> - 1886



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

<i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...</i>	..	...	...	...
<i>Ditto disallowed ... ..</i>	..	...	...	...
<i>The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..</i>	..	...	...	...

<i>The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was ..</i>	..	...	...	...
<i>Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ...</i>	..	...	...	...
<i>The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was</i>				

<i>The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered</i>	..	...	...	...
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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).*

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 1882

## (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of Minutes*

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, £ \_\_\_\_\_

## Annamoe

Read minutes of proceedings of the Annamoe Dispensary Committee at their first meeting held on the 1<sup>st</sup> instant at which the following Honorary Officers were elected viz:

Chas. W. Barton Esq. M.P. Chairman  
 George Booth Esq. M.P. Vice Chair<sup>n</sup>  
 Mr. Patrick Murphy Hon. Secy

It was resolved that Mr Booth be paid five per cent on the outlay - £10 - on stable for the Doctors horse, from the 25<sup>th</sup> of March last. A question of increasing the salary of the Midwife of the District was postponed for a month.

Approved - J. Cowley - Chm

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 ending 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	£

## Dungaustown

Read Minutes of proceedings of the Dungaustown Dispensary Committee on the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, at which the following Hon<sup>y</sup> Officers were elected. -

Thomas Acton Esq. D.L. Chairman  
 Earl of Wicklow M.P. Vice-Chair<sup>n</sup>  
 Mr. E. Chamney Hon. Secy.  
 " George Blake Asst. Secy.

The Caretaker of the Dispensary having resigned, it was resolved that Mrs Bull be elected to replace her at a salary of £4.10.0 per annum.

Approved - J. Cowley - Chm



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 minutes of proceedings of Aughrim Dispensary Committee on the 26<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, the following Honorary Officers were elected, viz.

Mr. Moses Doyle — Chairman  
 " James Just — Vice-Chairman  
 " James Phelan — Hon. Secy  
 " John Byrne — Asst. Secy

The following accounts were recommended to be paid—viz:

Mr. J. Woodhouse, Fuel £ 1:5:0  
 " D. Kirwan " 1:10:0

Read report from Dr. Burke L. G. B. Inspector relative to the bad attendance of the Committee and the unsuitableness of the Dispensary, in which the Com<sup>ee</sup> quite agree; The building of a Medical Off<sup>r</sup> house was discussed but no minute made until the next meeting.

Approved—J. D. Carley — Chm

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Wicklow

(state subject.)

Read the following resolution passed by the Wicklow Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 9<sup>th</sup> instant.

Resolved—

That the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Hon. Secy and Asst. Hon. Secy for the last year be re-elected for the ensuing year,



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 H<sup>c</sup> Molony, M.D. dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo.

saying that

reporting the names of 8 persons who neglected to present their children for inspection after Vaccination, and suggesting that some energetic steps should be taken to enforce compliance with the Law in this respect:

Order - To be referred to the Dispensary Committee for report.

It having been represented to the Guardians that H<sup>c</sup> Molony had omitted on three consecutive days to attend at the Vaccination Depot at Ballykillagier at the appointed hour; The Clerk of the Union was directed to call on him for an explanation of this circumstance.

Read Letter from D. Garland, M.D. Officer of Anamoe Dispensary District stating that he has forwarded to the Local Government Board a report of the cases of Diphtheria which occurred in his District, in compliance with the wishes of D. Burke who inspected the Dispensary lately:

J. J. Conley - Clerk

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

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

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

Anamoe

Rev<sup>d</sup> W. Waller, Anamoe Glebe, was appointed a Warden for the Anamoe Dispensary District.

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Newcastle	S. R. Gage	Report relating to the filthy condition and disrepair of a house in the town of Newtown Mount Kennedy	Order— Notice to be served on the owner and occupier of the house— =

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





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

Read Letter from Local Government Board,  
Dated the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, forwarding three copies of an  
Order issued by them, continuing in force until  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of September next the operations of the General  
order of the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 1885 prohibiting the im-  
portation of Dogs from Spain.

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John J. C. Clarke  
May 12<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 12<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1886

Signed, B. Mansing  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128529:7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse .....	580	295															
Temporary Buildings .....	—	—															
Additional Workhouse .....	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	80	1															
Fever Sheds .....	—	—															
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>660</b>	<b>296</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			20	50	73	69	8	13	16	10	17	276	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards	83	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			36	5	4	1	2	1	3	—	3	55	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		41	
<b>TOTAL</b> .....			<b>56</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week, . . .			23	4	3	1	1	1	—	—	1	34	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died, . . . . .			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1		Males	Females	Children under 13	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			23	4	3	1	1	1	—	—	1	35	No. Relieved during week	35	4	5	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			33	57	74	69	9	13	19	9	19	296	No. in Workhouse at date	10	3	3	16
													No. at corresponding period last year,				282

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886 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 Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	73	125	John D. Edge
No. II.	94	169	John Manley
No. III.	238	389	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>816</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr John J. Crowley D.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Joseph Ellison  
Mr. John Byrne

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3561 to No. 3640 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.

£ 50  
 £ 93 : 6 : 7  
 £ 457 : 10 : 10



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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.



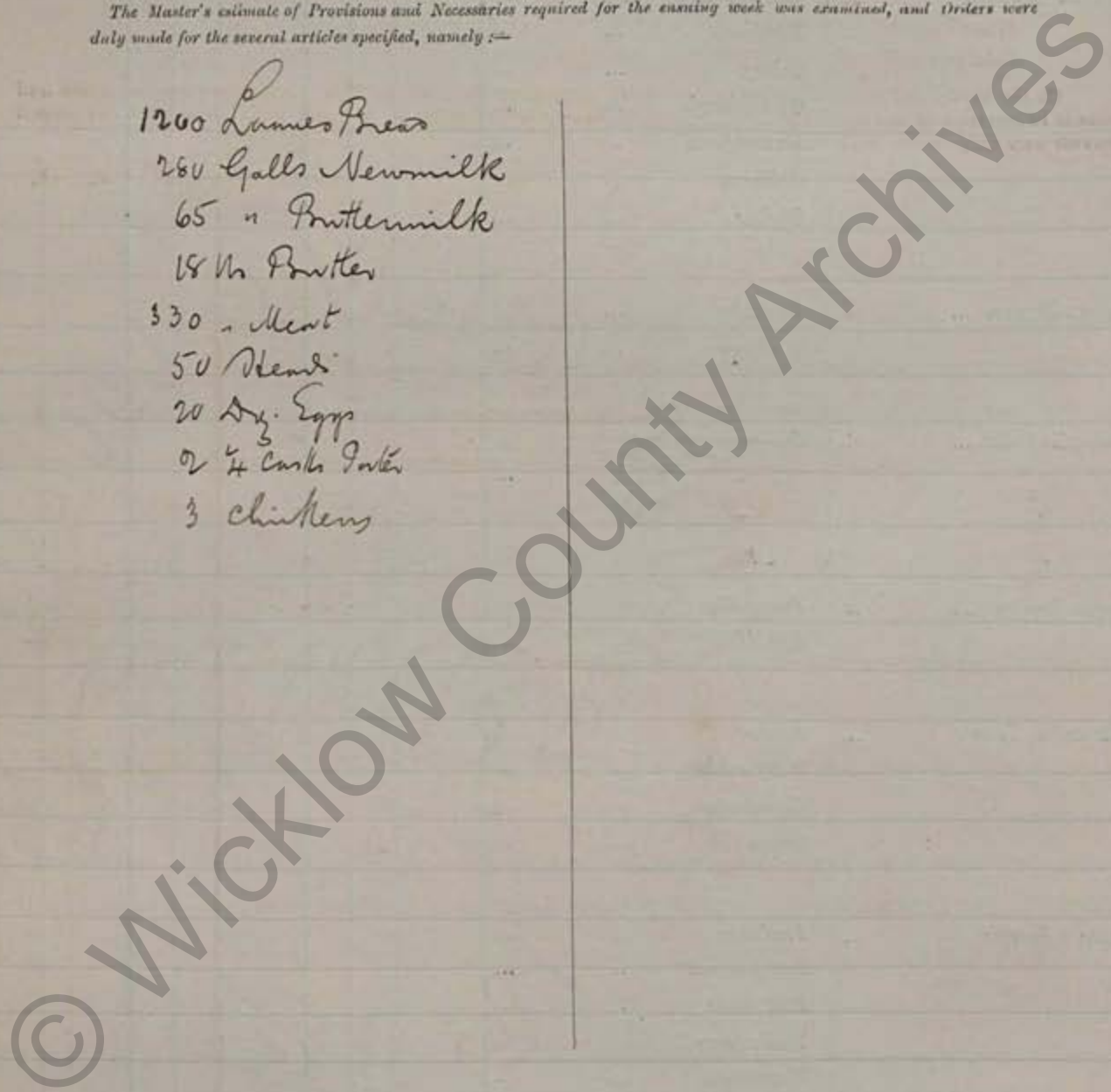
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :-

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 -	31	4	✓
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .	47	15	5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . .		2	11½
Average Cost in Infirmary . . . . .		3	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital . . . . .		4	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 :-

- 1200 Lames Bread
- 280 Galls Newmilk
- 65 " Porter milk
- 18 lbs Porter
- 330 " Meat
- 50 " Beans
- 20 doz Eggs
- 2 ¼ Casks Potatoes
- 3 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 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	44	11	0
In Kind, . . . . .		2	6-0
Total, . . . . .	£ 46	17	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 ... ..	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.		
McGinnik	meat	9	15	5	✓	
Wilson	Clothing	8	12	6	✓	
Leahy	Medicines	99	5	5	✓	
<i>In favor of Health Officers</i>						
W. Murphy	Asst. Pm. Vc. Asst.	60	-	-		
J. Fitzgibbon	Reg. Fees	FF	11	-		
W. J. Saunders	Plumbing		11	3		
M. Nolan	Chickens		6	9		
J. Morgan	Candles		5	-		
J. Burke	Soap		2	4		
W. Philpott	Fuels		1	6		
			11	17	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:—

Sealed over, Dated 7<sup>th</sup> May, 1886,  
declaring a vacancy in the office of Guardian for the  
Electoral Division of Altitude.

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):—

Dear Letter from Local Government Board  
Dated the 6<sup>th</sup> instant, sanctioning the payment of £10  
to the Clerk of the Union to enable him to remunerate  
Mr William Murphy for assisting in carrying out the  
business of the Representation of the people Act during  
the past year.

Dear Letter from same, Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> inst.  
approving of the appointment of Mr. John Manley Jnr  
as Relieving Officer, at a salary of £35 per annum.

Dear Letter from same, Dated the 11<sup>th</sup> inst.  
requesting to be informed, in reference to the leave given  
to the Master of the Workhouse to have some friends to stop  
with him in the Workhouse during the summer, to how  
many persons this privilege was extended and for how



long a period;

In reply the Guardians desire to say that the leave given to the master extended to one or two friends, for a day or days in the summer.

Dear report from Mr. Nenson V.D. dated the 6th instant, stating that he had ordered one pig belonging to Abm. Manifold of Arklow of Arklow to be slaughtered, being affected with swine fever, and valued at at £1:5:0,

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

Dear Resolutions passed by the Guardians of the Waterford Union, on the subject of the present agricultural depression:

No order

Dear Resolutions passed by the Guardians of the North Kildare Union on the subject of the Home Rule, and Land Purchase Bills,

No order.

In reference to the election of Mr. Andrew Inglis, to the office of Male Nurse to the Workhouse Infirmary, the Guardians request the Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board to be good enough to sanction payment to be made to Mr. Inglis for the time served by him notwithstanding that his appointment was not approved of by the Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board.

Passed unanimously

The Clerk of the Union reported to the Board that he has communicated with the Police and



and Architect employed under the Lubmers (Ireland)  
Act, and made arrangements for these two Gentlemen  
to meet in the Board-room on Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> instant,  
in order that they should concert measures for im-  
mediate action in regard to the preparation of schemes  
and erection of Lubmers Cottages:-

Approved

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Wm L Cowley Esq  
May 19<sup>th</sup> 1887

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

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The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	...	..	...	...	✓
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 12<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

## (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of minutes*

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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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  
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a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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supplied:—

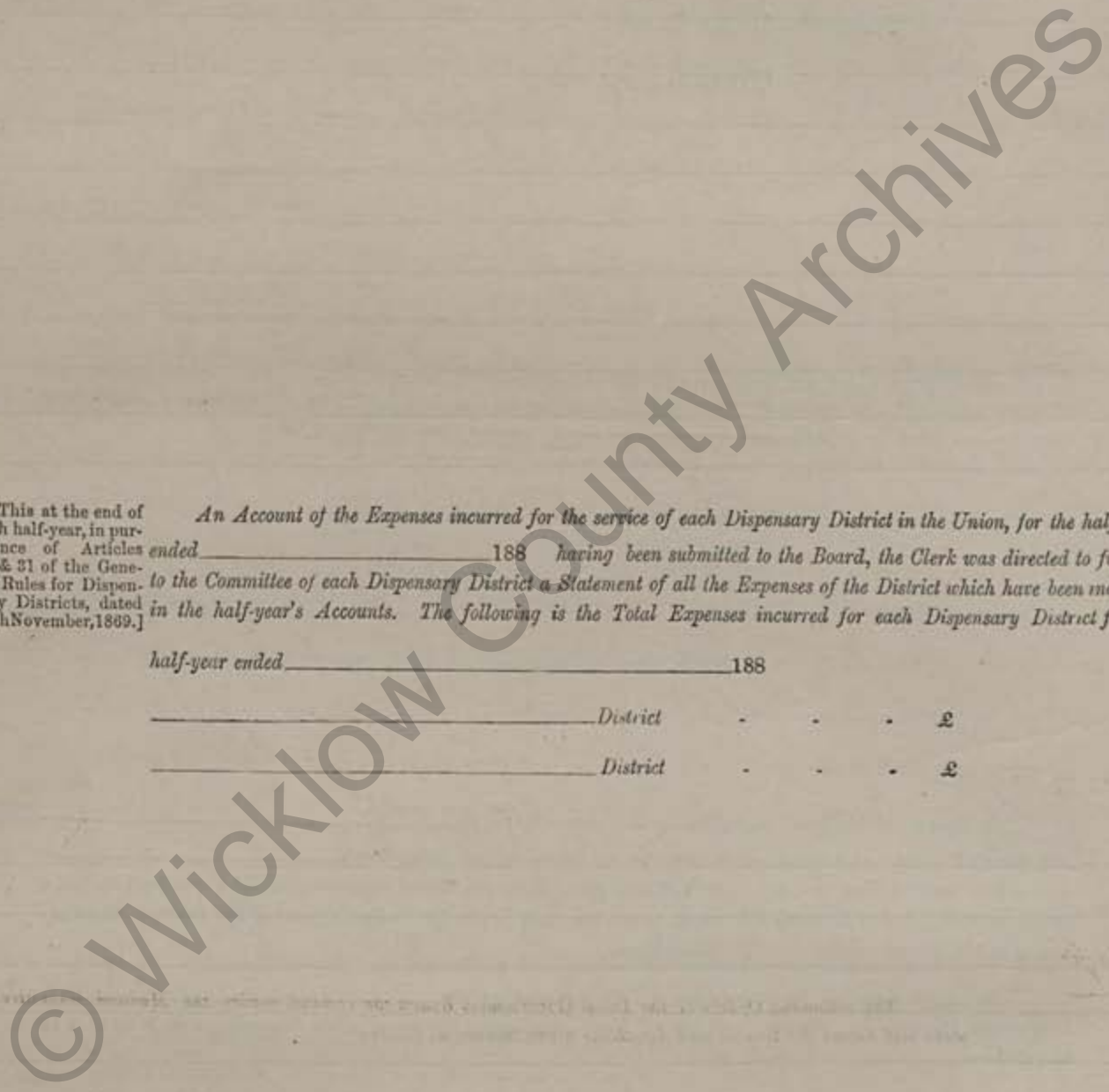
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\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.  
 Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1889.]

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

Newbridge

Read minutes of proceedings of Newbridge Dispensary Committee at their first meeting in the current year when the following honorary officers were appointed—

Earl of Wicklow — Chairman  
Colonel Boughly — Vice Chm  
Mr W H Jones — Hon. Sec.  
" Chm of Diphenny — Hon. Sec.

It was ordered that bills for soap candles to be paid and that the caretaker be allowed for 15 cwt of coal consumed in the Dispensary over the usual quantity in consequence of the dampness of the winter for the preservation of the medicines, and that tenders be advertised for the painting of the Dispensary and other repairs as pointed out by the Medical Inspector. Tenders to be considered on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> May 86 at 12 o'clock, by the Committee at the Disp.

W H Jones  
Hon. Sec

Approved J C Chm

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.)

Read Letter from Dr Molloy of Arklow, in reply to the Guardians inquiry in reference to his alleged neglect to attend at Ballykilengier Vaccination Depot on three consecutive days; which statement he remarks is incorrect, It sometimes happens that a matter of urgent duty interferes with his punctual attendance, which occurred on two recent occasions and is liable to occur at any time. —

Order — To be referred to the Arklow Disp. Committee



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 11<sup>th</sup> instant

stating that

expressing their sanction to the rate of remuneration proposed to be paid to S. Walsh for his services as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of Annamoe Dispensary District, during the absence of the latter on sick leave.

Read Letter from S. Garland, stating that he has resumed his duty, and requesting that S. Walsh may be paid for his services.

Read the following communication from the Rathfriland Dispensary Committee—

"There were some members of the Dispensary Committee attended at the hour and place as noticed, but as it appeared that some of the members had not received a notice the members present adjourned the meeting until all the members be duly served with notice by the Clerk of the Union;

The Clerk of the Union stated that he gave his assistant directions to have these notices served on all the members of the Committee, and that he had no doubt these directions were carried out.

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

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

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









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

Read Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board, dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, sanctioning the proposed payment of 15/- to Dr G. V. Byrne, M.D. Anghrim, for inspecting and reporting on 3 houses under the Labourers (Ireland) Act.

Wm J. Cowley, Chas  
May 19<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1886

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



Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128549 : 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total 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 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 3 and under 9 years of age	Infants under 3 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	284															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>285</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			33	51	74	69	9	13	19	9	19	296	Under medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	77	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	125	
Admitted during the Week.			33	13	—	—	4	2	3	2	2	59	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11	
<b>Total</b>			<b>66</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			39	15	1	—	2	2	2	5	3	69	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died.			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			39	15	1	1	2	2	2	5	3	70	No. Relieved during week	29	8	7	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			27	49	73	68	11	13	20	6	18	285	No. in Workhouse at date	7	2	5	14
													No. at corresponding period last year,				276

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886 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.	74	119	John D. Edge
No. II.	95	171	John Manley
No. III.	234	386	Joseph Levington
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>809</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr John J. Cowley D.V.C

Other Guardians :-

- Captain Drought #
- Mr. J. B. Ellison
- " John Byrne
- " Miles Byrne
- " Dan Byrne
- " Dan Jordan
- " John Poulke
- " Andrew Sheehan
- " Miss Doyle
- " Dan Somers

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3641 to No. 3680 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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklów ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovooca ...									
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 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.	
A Inglis	8	6	10	✓
S. Walsh	12	-	-	✓
M Byrne	20	6	4	✓
W Taylor	7	4	-	✓
S O'Brien	6	3	2	✓
J Whelan	9	2	10	✓
D Cannon	1	-	-	✓
M Kavanagh	17	6	-	✓
E McDonnell	65	-	-	✓
A Mansfield	12	6	-	✓
M Kavanagh	12	6	-	✓
	3	17	6	✓

In full of £ to pay

Half value of Sir's daughter

£ 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):—

Dear Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board  
Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> instant approving of the appointment  
of William Deere as Male Nurse of of the Workhouse  
Infirmary at a salary of £15 a year.

Dear Letter from same, Dated the 15<sup>th</sup>  
instant, stating that they will not object to the pay-  
ment of remuneration to Mr Andrew Inglis for his  
services as Male Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary,  
at the rate of £15 a year, as requested by the Guardians.

The following resolution was adopted by the  
Guardians on the motion of Mr. John Payne seconded by Mr.  
Daniel Condon—

Resolved



That the duties performed by Town Law Union Officers in administering the Franchise Acts, being solely for Imperial purposes unconnected with the relief of the poor, and the requisition forms which they deliver in respect of the household franchise, being returned through the post office in most instances with the postage unpaid, thereby involving payment of double postage at the cost of the Union and making an estimated addition of £7,000, from all Ireland to the Imperial Revenue, or nearly half the amount of the grant voted by Parliament last year as remuneration for the extra labour imposed by these Acts, we are of opinion that the remuneration of Union Officers for carrying out said Acts and also the expenses attendant thereon, should be provided from Imperial sources and not from the Rates for the relief of the poor, and that accordingly we direct our Clerk to send copies of this Resolution to the Rt. Hon. The Chief Secretary for Ireland M.P., and our Representatives in Parliament:-

Unanimously

Read the following Claims to be rated, viz:

x	Mr. Patrick Drury,	Ferrybank;	viz	John Leech
x	" John Kirwan,	Ballinacree	"	Mary Kirwan
x	" William Burns,	Knockree	"	Sam Doyle

Ordered to be rated accordingly, being properly vouched:

In accordance with notice Mr. Macs Doyle P.C. proceeded to question the Master of the Workhouse, respecting the expense of each item of his and the Matrons Rations for the last three months; and not being satisfied with the answers given by the Master, Mr. Doyle proceeded to charge the



Master with embezzling the property of the Union. which charge the Master repudiates, and claimed protection from the Chair against this groundless accusation; and after some further discussion the matter was postponed for a fortnight for further consideration;

Dear Reports from Mr. Newcom V.S. from which it appeared he has ordered the slaughter of the following Pigs affected with Swine fever, and valued here at the under-mentioned sums

			Per Pig
Alro Mainfold -	Millon -	1 Pig	Valued at £1:5:0 ✓
Dan's Jannan -	Johnston -	3 Pigs	" 1:0:0
Nick Kavanagh -	Millon -	1 Pig	" 1:15:0 ✓
Edw. McDonnell -	" -	1 ..	" 1:10:0 ✓
Nick Kavanagh -	" -	1 ..	" 1:5:0 ✓
John Doyle -	Rathdrum -	1 ..	" 15:0

Order - Half the value of these Pigs to be paid out of the Rates

Dear Letter from Mr. J. Johnston, Architect under the Labrers (Ireland) Acts enclosing Lease and Duplicate of the Plots of land on which the four Labrers Cottages have been erected in General Edw upon which he has drawn maps of the plots as required instructed, and for doing which he claims payment of £1. for travelling expenses and 10/- for surveying and drawing maps, total £1:10:0:

Mr. Johnston wishes arrangements to be made for him to go over the sites of the Cottages for which schemes are about to be made, on the first three days of next week.

Order -

Mr. Johnston to be paid £1:10:0 for the maps of the Lease and counterpart; arrangements to be made for the

Local Guardians to meet him in the different localities in order to point out sites of cottages, to commence at Anghrim on Monday next.

Mr. Dooney, Solicitor to the Guardians under the Labours Act, appeared before the Board, and submitted for execution the Lease of the Plots on which the four Labours Cottages have been erected in Geneva E.D. said Lease having been carefully examined by him and properly endorsed.

The Lease was then signed & sealed on the part of the Guardians as Lessees and directed to be forwarded to the Lessee for perfection.

101. Mr. Dooney suggested to the Guardians the propriety of awaiting the result of the proceedings now on foot in reference to putting in force the Guardians Compulsory powers under the Act, before proceeding with the new schemes, so that the Board may be in a position to measure the cost of exercising these powers.

197. The Guardians did not adopt Mr. Dooney's views in regard to this suggestion but directed that he should at once proceed with the preparations of the new schemes.

With regard to the outbreak of Spine Fever on the premises of Michael Odum of Sigroney, the Guardians decided to withdraw the restrictions from those premises and declared them to be no longer an "Infected Place" no disease having been in the place since the 22<sup>nd</sup> of March last.

Wm L O'Connell  
May 26<sup>th</sup> 1876



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	..	...	...	...	5
Ditto disallowed ... ..	..	...	...	...	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	..	...	...	...	5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was .. .. .	..	...	...	...	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ..	..	...	...	...	2
The Number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	..	...	...	...	2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered ... ..	..	...	...	...	✓
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PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of minutes*

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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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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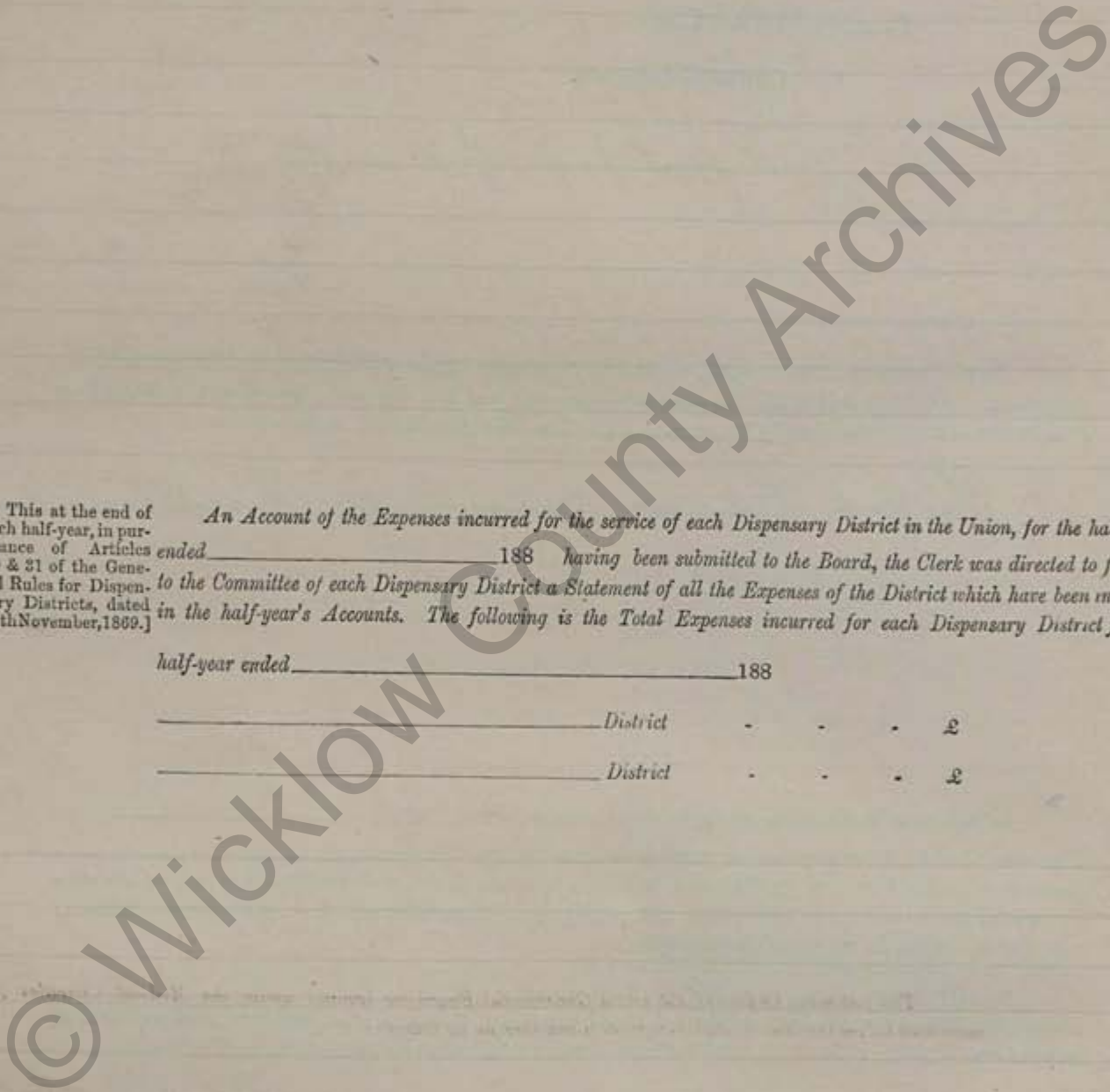
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_

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Read Letter from Hon. Genl. Newcastle Dispensary Committee stating that the following Honorary Officers have been appointed in that District for the current year—viz:

Joseph F. Mendel Esq F	Chairman
Major Tollenham F	Vice Chm
Mr. Wm. Grandon	Hon. Sec.
Mr. David J. Henry	Asst Sec

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

Read communication from the Committee of Management of Newcastle Dispensary District on the subject of the Water supply of Newtown Mount Kennedy referred to them by the Guardians.

The Committee are of opinion that the requirements of the inhabitants will be best provided for by the erection of two pumps one at the north and one at the south side of the village.

Order, Referred to Mr Williams and Mr Belton to select the sites, the work to be carried out at once and advertised in due course.

J. M. & Co. Ch.  
May 26<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128549-7/

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1886

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TOTAL			82	60	74	68	13	16	23	8	20	364	TOTAL	80	TOTAL	36	
Discharged during the Week,			49	10	1	1	4	1	2	1	2	71	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			49	10	1	2	4	1	2	1	2	72	No. Relieved during week	30	6	5	41
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			33	50	73	66	9	15	21	7	18	252	No. in Workhouse at date	13	2	3	18
													No. at corresponding period last year, 273				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	78	126	John D. Edge
No. II.	96	173	John Manley
No. III.	234	379	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	505	811	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Capt. Drought P and Mr John J Cowley etc

Other Guardians:—

James Tottenham & L  
Mr J. Ellison  
" Edwin Chamney



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3687 to No. 3760 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

£ 96

Paid during the week £ 241 : 7 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 239 : 5 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 ...									
	Broekagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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 -	41	10	—
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .	45	15	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . .		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary . . . . .		3	4 <sup>2</sup>
Average Cost in Fever Hospital . . . . .		4	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:—

1225 Lanes Bread  
 250 Galb Newmilk  
 75 " Porter milk  
 18 lbs Powder  
 300 " Meat  
 60 Heads  
 22 doz Eggs  
 4 cut Salt  
 2 " Starch  
 16 lbs Rhine

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1886  
 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	42	18	8
In Kind, . . . . .		6	6
Total, . . . . .	£ 43	15	14

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
<i>J. Kearney</i>	41	5	-
<i>Tom Linnik</i>	17	12	2
<i>J. Tierney</i>	6	9	2
<i>J. Johnston</i>	1	10	-
<i>J. Deary</i>	1	7	6
<i>do</i>		3	6
<i>D. Canavan</i>	10	-	-
<i>J. Doyle</i>		7	6
	<u>7</u>		
	<u>7</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>6</u>

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Local Govt. Board, Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. stating that the appointment of a Solicitor to carry out the legal proceedings connected with the Cabanas (Ireland) Act rests with the Board of Guardians and does not require the sanction of the Local Government Board.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> inst. calling for a Return showing the Medical & Educational Expenses of the Union for the Half year ended 25<sup>th</sup> of March last, with a view to the reimbursement of a portion thereof out of the Parliamentary Grant.

Read claim to be rated from Mr. J. B. Griffin of Inchamappa, via St. George Crofton.

Order to be rated accordingly, being properly vouched —

Read Letter from Mr. Murphy Murphy P.R.C., asking for instructions respecting the Rates due on the property of Mr. John M. Hugo, in Brooklyne E.D.

Order - That the Clerk shall write to the Board of Assessors respecting this matter.

Read Letter from Mr. Thomas Kelly of Killarney, dated the 24<sup>th</sup>, inst. objecting to the building of a Labourers Cottage on his farm, on the ground that he is about to build two Labourers dwellings himself, and also on the further ground that there is not a permanent water supply convenient to the site selected by the Committee appointed by the Guardians.

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board his Estimate for the Expenses of the year 1886-7 which was ordered to lie on the table until the 16<sup>th</sup> of June next for which day a Special meeting of the Board was ordered to be summoned to take the Estimate into consideration -

W. Kelly



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15
Ditto disallowed ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was .. .. .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8

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).

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 &amp; 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:

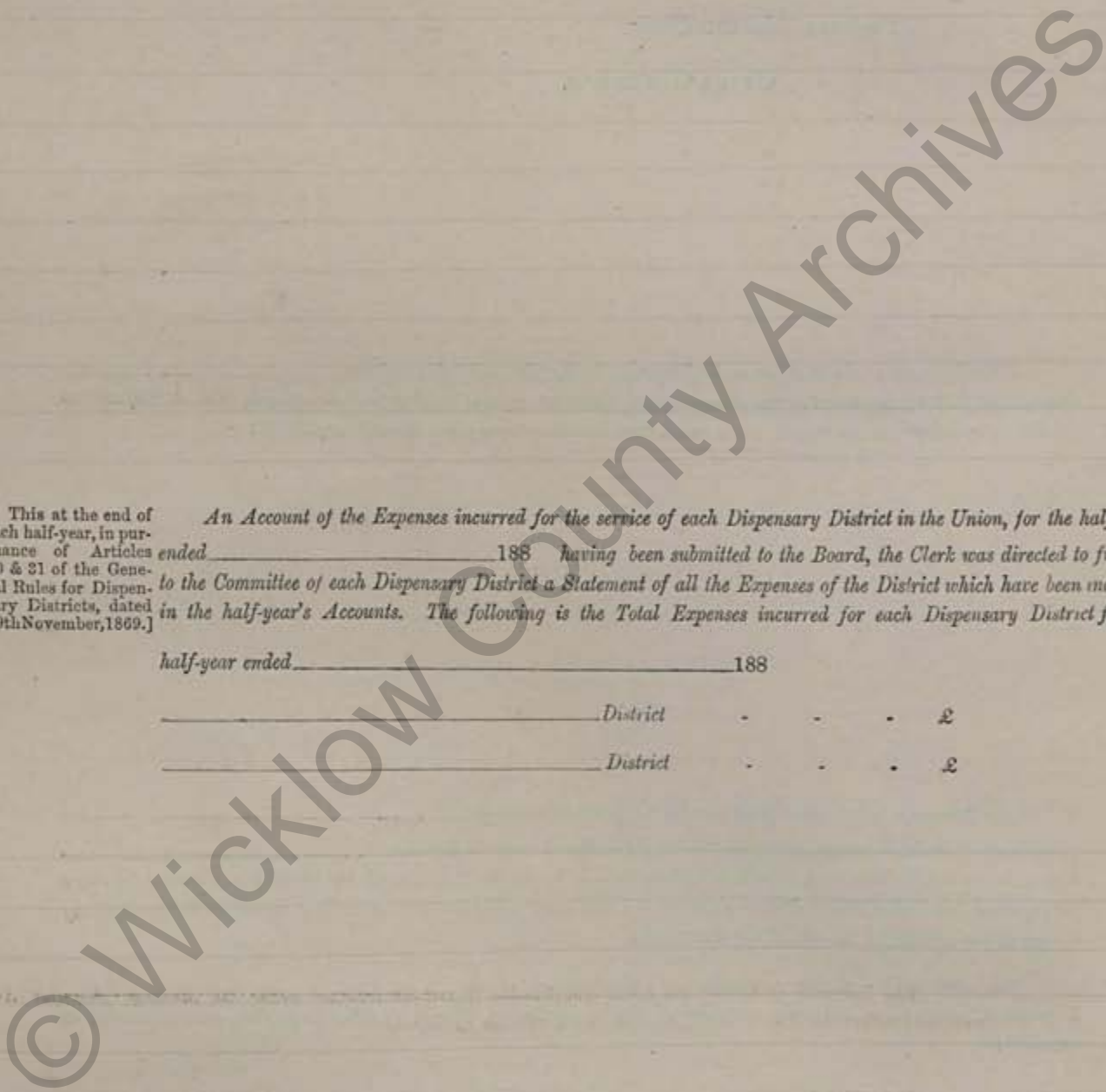
Dispensary District.

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 Dun-gerg. to the Rathfriland Dispensary June stating that the following Honry Officers have been appointed for the ensuing year -

- Lawrence Payne Esq Chm
- Mr. Joseph Ellison Esq Vice Chm
- " John J. Cowley Esq Hon Sec
- " Peter Esq Asst. Hon. Sec.

It was resolved by the Committee that L. Fitzwilliam agent be requested to have some repairs and painting done to the Dispensary -

James [unclear]

Approved by the Guardians  
J. Cowley - Chm

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

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

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orders 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:—

Dear Letter from the Local Government Board, Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> instant, calling for a Return of the Sanitary Salaries paid by the Guardians during the Half year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March last with a view to a portion of said Salaries being recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant.

W. J. P. O'Keefe

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Population in 1891 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128549/7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	286															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>287</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			33	50	73	66	9	15	21	7	18	292	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	82	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	35	15
Admitted during the Week.			43	9	2	2	1	—	1	2	1	61	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>76</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			41	12	1	—	—	2	3	1	1	61	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	1	5		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			41	12	2	3	—	2	3	1	2	66	No. Relieved during week	39	6	1	46
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			35	47	73	65	10	13	19	8	17	287	No. in Workhouse at date	14	1	1	16
													No. at corresponding period last year,				276

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886 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.	77	125	John D. Edge
No. II.	96	173	John Manley
No. III.	222	358	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>789</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Riche D.L. Ch.  
Other Guardians:—

- Mr. John J. Curley D.V.C.
- Captain Drought P.
- Mr. Matthew Jones
- Mr. J. Ellison
- Mr. John Byrne
- Mr. Edw. Storey
- Mr. L. Wolahan
- Mr. A. Williams
- Mr. J. Phanney
- Mr. J. Ponte, D. Jones, A. Sheehan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3761 to No. 3791 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 £ 142: 16: 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.



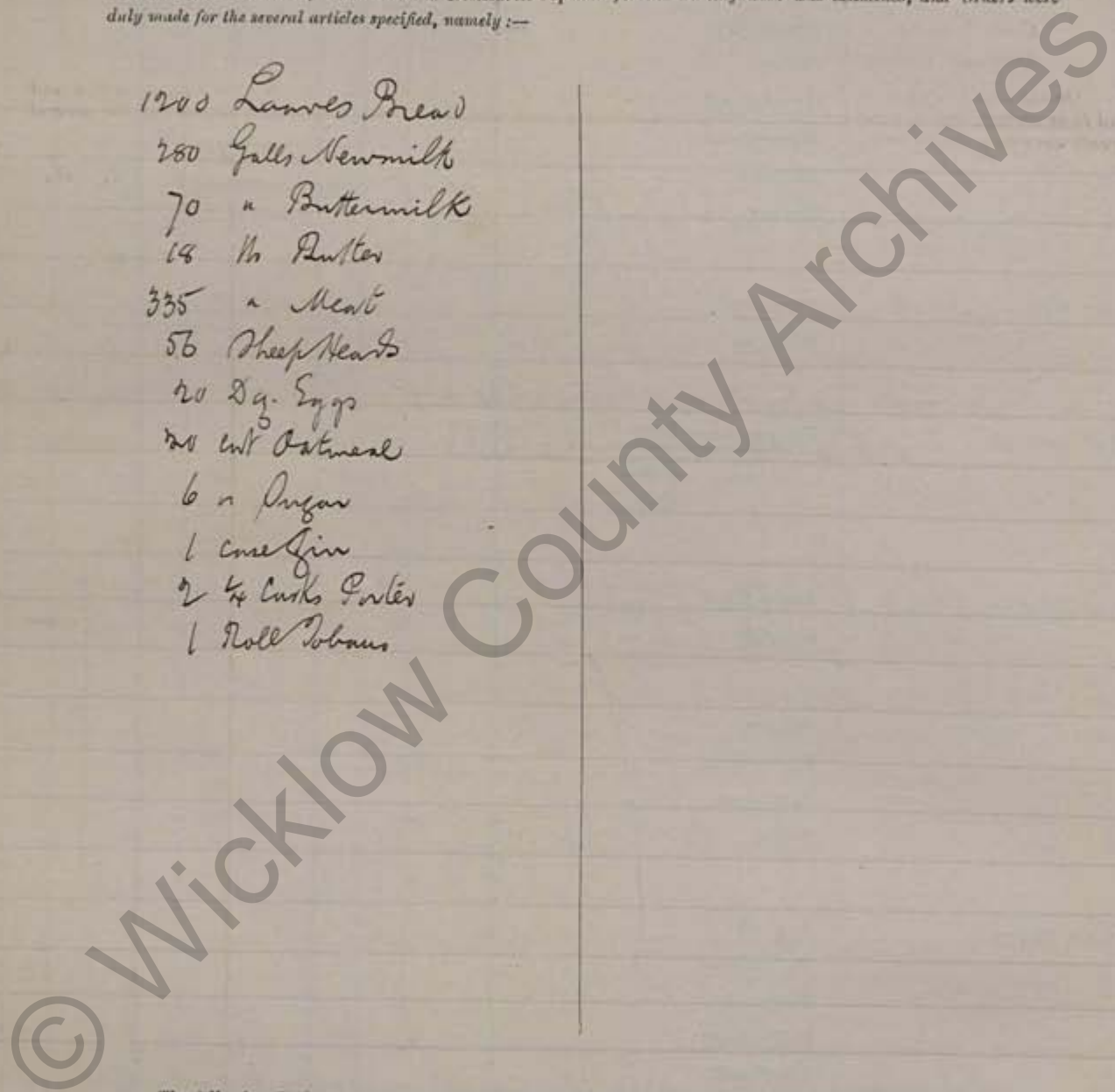
The following books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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.	41	7	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	5	-
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	10 <sup>½</sup>
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

- 1200 Loaves Bread
- 280 Galls Newmilk
- 70 " Buttermilk
- 18 lb Butter
- 335 " Meat
- 56 Sheep Heads
- 20 Dq. Eggs
- 20 lb Oatmeal
- 6 " Sugar
- 1 cask Gin
- 2 ¼ Casks Porters
- 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 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ..	£	s.	d.
In Kind, ... ..	47	3	2
Total, ... ..	£	47	3.2

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer			
		£	s.	d.	
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..	20	—	—	✓
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..	—	—	—	✓
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..	30	—	—	✓
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..	26	—	—	✓

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. Brien	on the Deaf mute	7	10	—	✓
Emulhem	Eggs	3	8	4	✓
J. Webb	Coffins	2	1	9	✓
L. Ryan	Vaccination Fees	2	12	—	✓
W. Clark	Postage	7	4	3	✓
Master	Repairs	3	9	11	✓
M. Byrne	Dread	22	12	—	✓

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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:—

Read sealed Order from Local Government Board, Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1886, providing for supplemental election of Guardians to supply vacancies for the year ending 25<sup>th</sup> March 1887.

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 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, transmitting for the use of the Guardians a copy of the Annual Report for the present year.

Read Circular from Same, Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of the Poor Relief (Ireland) Act, 1886.

Read Circular from Same, Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ult.  
Calling for a Return of Statistics of Poor Relief.

Read Letter from the Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant, Dated the 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians resolution of the 19<sup>th</sup> Ultimo

relative to the expense of administering the Trans-  
-chuse Act in Ireland.

Recd Letter from Wm J Corbet Esq. M.P. of same  
Date, acknowledging the receipt of a similar copy.

Recd Letter from Mr. Robt. Murphy, Athlone,  
Dated 28th Ultimo, asking the Guardians to direct  
his name to be taken off the Rate Books of the  
Union as a Ratepayer.

No order.

Recd Letter from Mr. James, Jullatten,  
in reference to the Water supply to the Workhouse &c.  
which is stated to be in an unsatisfactory condition  
and promising to make an inspection of same  
with a view to setting it right.

Mr. James reminds the Guardians that  
he told them such would be the case and urged on  
them the advisability of adopting another plan which  
he would have guaranteed would have given every  
satisfaction.

Send the following claims to be rated. —

Mr. Timothy Devlin, Ballynerrin, v Mich<sup>e</sup> Devlin.  
" William Bergin, Mieverue, v Mary Bergin  
" Patrick Byrne, Ballynerrin, v And Loughlin

Ordered to be rated accordingly, being properly vouched.

Recd Report from Mr. Newson V.D. as follows  
Report declaring the farm of Mr. J. Manley, Leeligue to be  
free from Phap Scap  
Report stating that he has ordered the following Pigo



to be slaughtered, as being affected with Swine Fever. -

Mr. John O'Neill, Oghill - 4 Pigs - valued at £1: each

Report stating that he imported a pig belonging to Mr. Dominick Mc Dermott of Ballinapark which was dead on his arrival but did not appear to have been affected by Swine Fever. -

Order - That half the value of the slaughtered Pigs be paid to the owners.

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In accordance with the adjourned notice of the 19<sup>th</sup> instant, Mr. Moses Doyle P. L. C. proceeded to question the Master of the Workhouse in reference to the Duties - namely himself, the Matron, and the Porter which he stated were excessive; He also charged the Board of Guardians with aiding and abetting the Master, in imposing an undue burden on the Ratepayers.

The Master of the Workhouse explained to the Guardians that the Duties received by himself and the Matron were fixed by the Guardians and entered on their Minutes of the 4<sup>th</sup> of April 1871, and sanctioned by the Poor Law Commissioners by their letter referred to in Guardians Minutes of 25<sup>th</sup> of same month.

Mr. Doyle strongly protested against the wholly unfounded charges brought against him by Mr. Doyle.

Proposed by Captain Drought A. Seconded by Mr. Baxter P. Resolved -

That this Board having heard the explanation given by the Master with reference to the charges made against him as to the apparent discrepancy in the matter of his Duties are of opinion that his explanation is entirely satisfactory.

Pasent unanimously  
J. D. Bighe

Mr. Doyle served the following notice of motion.

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight, the 16<sup>th</sup> instant I shall move a resolution proposing to reduce the Rations of the Master and Matron from first to second class; Also that the Garters Rations be reduced; And also the reduction of the Rations of other officials who are in receipt of extras.

2<sup>nd</sup> June 1886  
 Moses Doyle

Received, J.B. -

Read the following entry made on the Visitors Book by Dr. Hatchell Inspector of Lunatics -

"On inspecting the Lunatic inmates of this House, I find that there are on the Banks 26 females and 10 males, I saw them all, and am greatly pleased with their general appearance, which is most creditable to the Master and Matron, they all looked well fed, clean in their persons and comfortably clad.

"On visiting the stores I found the several articles of food of excellent quality -

"Their dormitories and day rooms are kept very clean and well ventilated; I would recommend for the consideration of the Board of Guardians, the advisability of having in the airing courts backed seats for the use of the patients, particularly for the aged and infirm"

J. W. Hatchell

27 May 1886

Order - The master to get a few backs fixed to forms at a cost of about 15/- J. V. Pigeon Chce

Charts from 20th Dec.

9/6/86.



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).

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 &amp; 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:—*

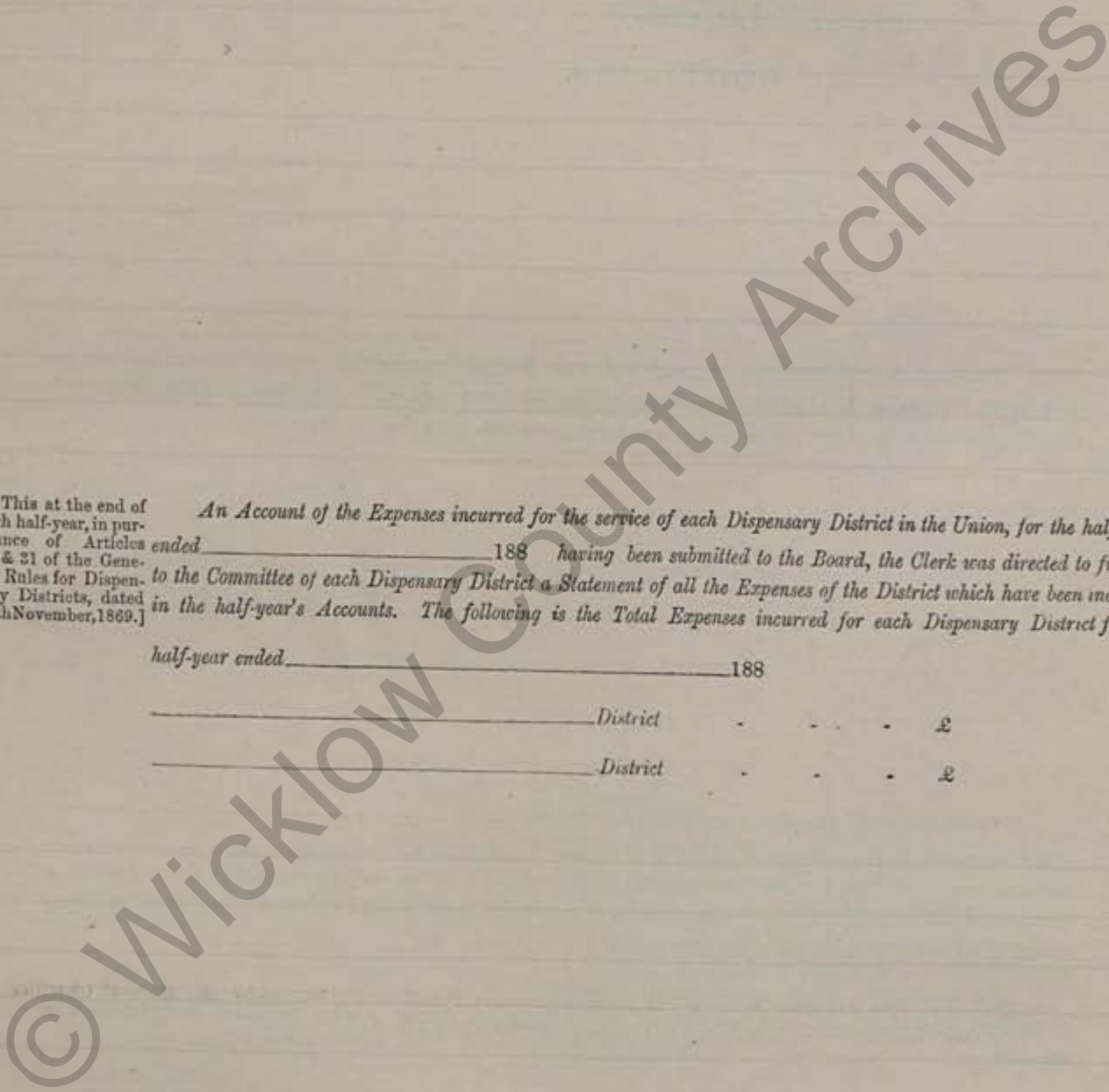


The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

\_\_\_\_\_ 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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Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)



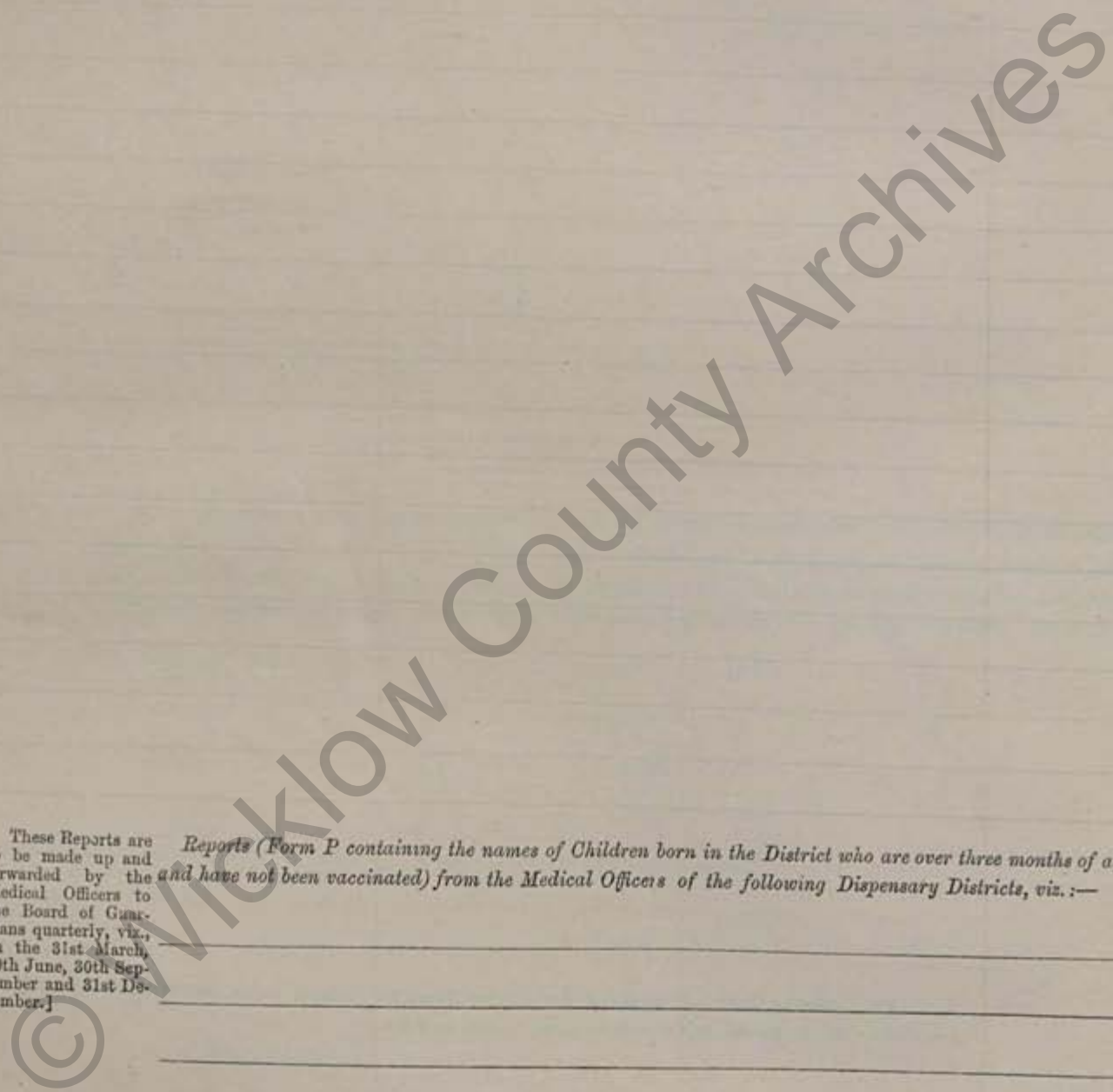
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These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December. Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who 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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Population in 18 81, 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128549. 7:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	271															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>272</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			35	47	73	65	10	13	19	8	17	287	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	83	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	
Admitted during the Week.			38	6	1	—	1	3	—	—	1	50	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>73</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			49	8	4	1	1	—	1	1	—	65	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 16	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			49	8	4	1	1	—	1	1	—	65	No. Relieved during week	31	6	3	40
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			24	45	70	64	10	16	18	7	18	272	No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	3	5
													No. at corresponding period last year.				269

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886 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 Apprentices and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	76	124	John D. Edge
No. II.	96	179	John Manley
No. III.	227	363	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>799</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Chas. F. Tottenham D.L.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Joseph Ellison  
" John Byrne



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3792 to No. 3880 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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Oyoca ...									
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.



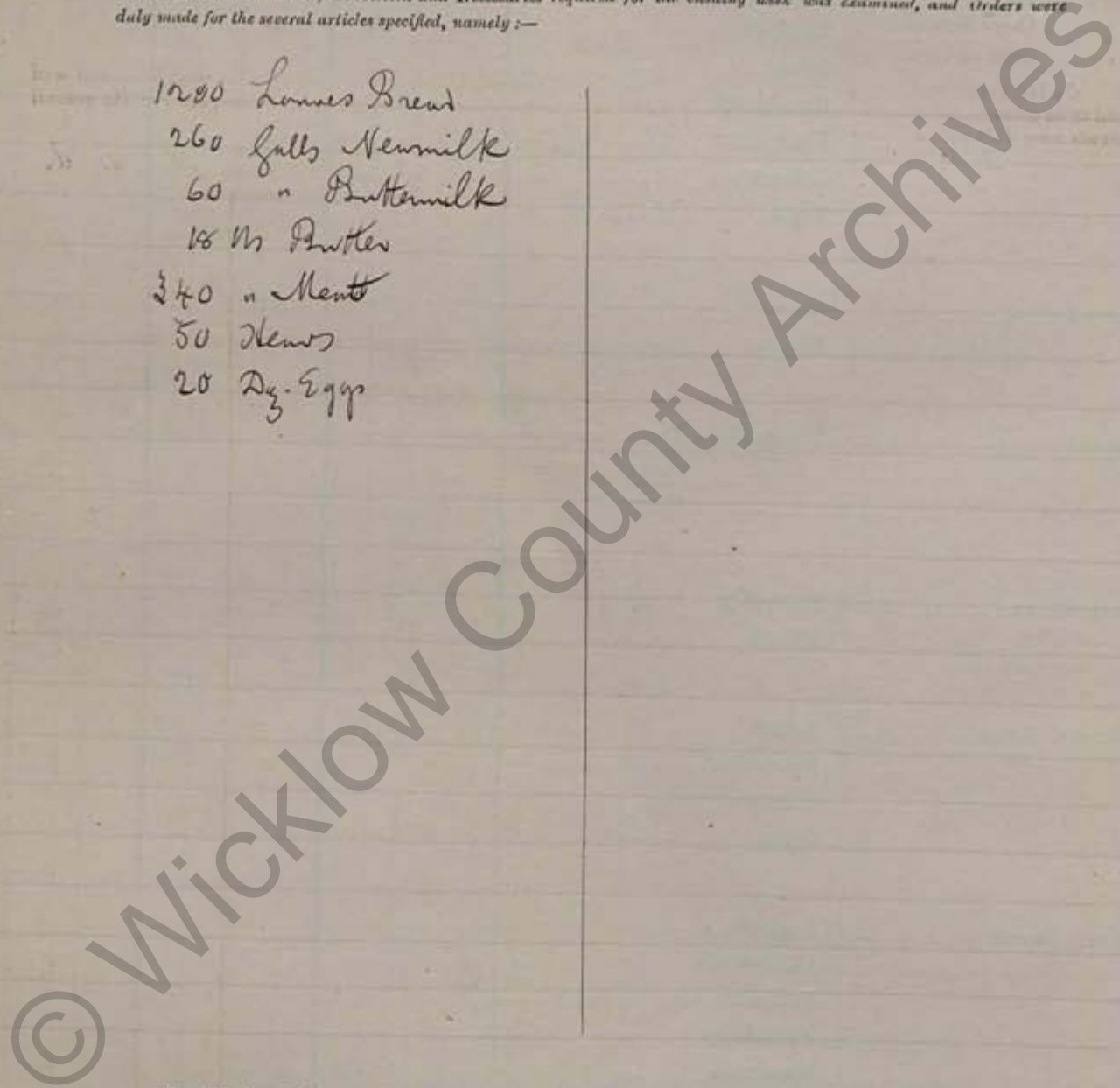
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£ 86 : 10 : 5
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	44 : 9 : 10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	: 2 : 11
Average Cost in Infirmary	: 3 : 3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	: 4 : 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:—

1200 Loaves Bread  
 260 Galls Newmilk  
 60 " Buttermilk  
 18 lbs Butter  
 240 " Ment  
 50 Hens  
 20 D<sub>3</sub> 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 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ..	£ 43 : 8 : 6
In Kind, ... ..	14 - 0
Total, ... ..	£ 44 : 12 : 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 ... ..	26	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..			
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.	
Em'finit	17	12	10	✓
W Taylor	6	-	-	✓
Clerk	2	9	7	✓
Printing	2	10	-	✓
School Repts				
Rent Roundwood Dispy				



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

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

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

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

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

Read letter from Local Government Board, dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., 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, dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, forwarding for the observations of the Returning Officer, a copy of a communication which they have received from Mr. Moses Doyle, P. L. J., relating to the validity of the nomination of Mr. Benjamin Horan at the recent elections for the office of Guardian for the District comprising the Moneyburn & Prosperstown E.D.s.

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Read letter from Mr. Anthony Williams P. L. J. dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting that the attention of

Mr. Jarney, the Solicitor employed by the Guardians under the Labourers Act, may be called on to know what progress he has made towards starting the work connected with the erection of the five labourers cottages agreed to be built in the Newcastle Upper E.D.

Order

The Clerk to write to Mr J K Jarney to know what progress is being made in regard to the Labourers Cottages, and when it will be competent to the Board to report to the Local Government Board with a view to their holding inquiries, and request his attendance here on next Board day -

Read Letter from J M Byrne Esq M.P. Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> inst. acknowledging the receipt of copy of a Resolution of the Guardians on the subject of the expense of carrying out the provisions of the Representation of the People and Registration Acts.

Read Reports from Mr. Newsum V.D. stating that he had ordered during the week the following pigs to be slaughtered as being affected with Pine fever

Mr Andrew Keogh - Wicklow - 2 Pigs, valued 17/6 ea  
 " John Wright - Springfield - 1 Pig " £2.5.0

Ordered to be paid half the value in each case. -

R. R. Douglas  
 Ch. M.



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	..	...	...	...	11
Ditto disallowed ... ..	..	...	...	...	5
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	..	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was ..	...	...	...	...	9
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ...	...	...	...	...	9
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).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 188

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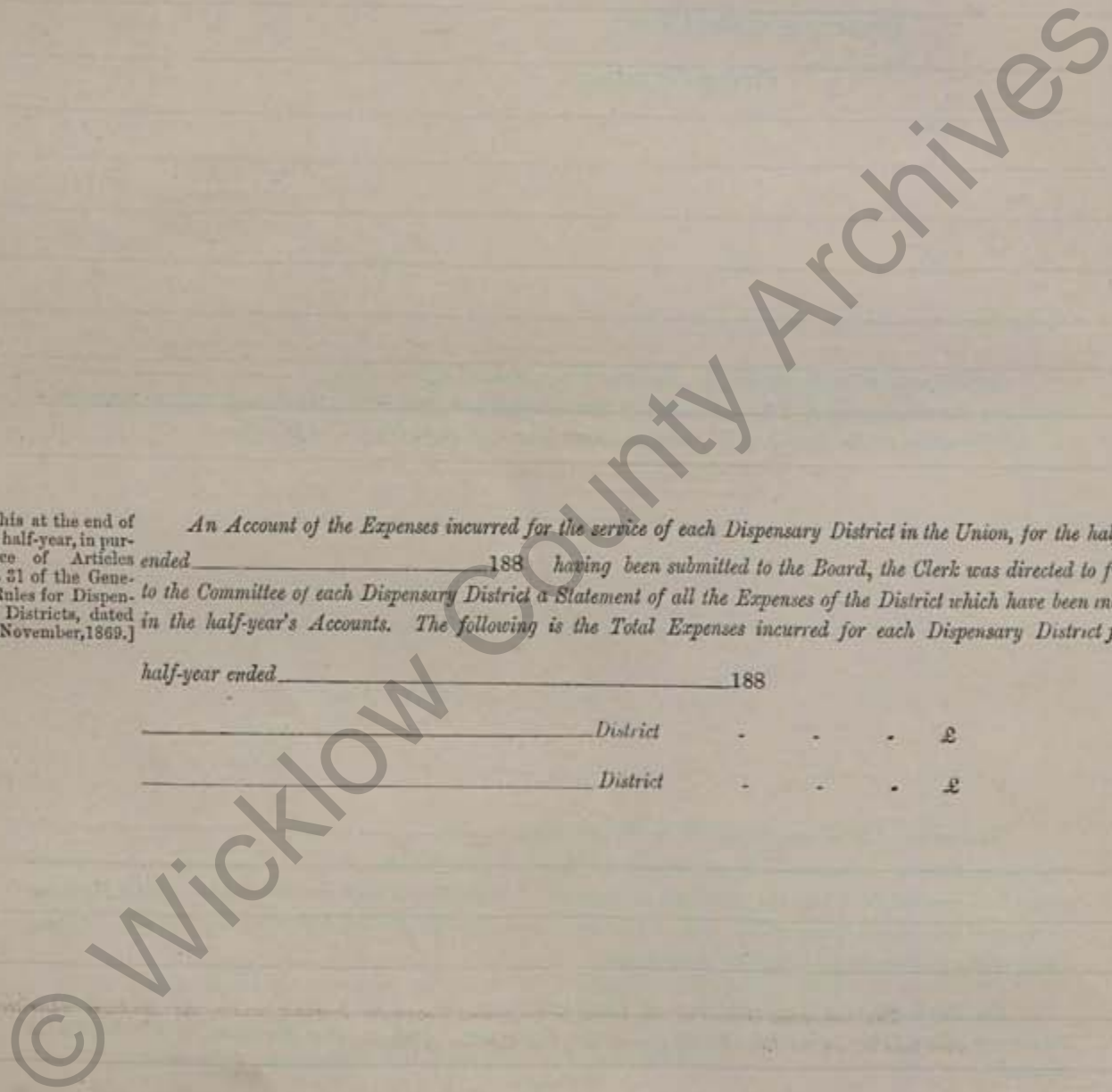
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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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.]

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\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_

(state subject.)



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

Read Letter from Henry Serz Newcastle Dispensary Committee stating that the Medicines specified in the Requisition submitted to the Board on the 19<sup>th</sup> Ultimo have not yet been delivered,

Mr Ellison R.O. informed the Board that the Medicines in question have since been received,

Wicklow

Read the following resolution passed by the Wicklow Dispensary Committee, at their monthly meeting on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant.

Resolved—

That Dr. James Halpin be appointed as locum tenens (for the Medical Officer of the District) to do the duty for one month, free of any payment.

Mr Delahunt - Chm.  
Mr Chapman - Hon. Sec.

Approved  
[Signature]

R. R. Drought  
[Signature]

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16<sup>th</sup>  
day of June 1886

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

Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128549 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals, 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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Additional Workhouse	—	—												
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Admitted during the Week.			31	12	4	3	—	—	1	2	3	56	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>55</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>TOTAL, 83</b>	<b>TOTAL, 35</b>
Discharged during the Week.			30	13	2	1	—	4	1	3	3	57	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.	
Died.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Total Discharged and Dead.			30	13	2	1	—	4	1	3	3	57	No. Relieved during week } 27	No. in Workhouse at date } 4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			25	44	72	66	10	12	18	6	18	271	No. at corresponding period last year.	244

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886 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.	76	124	John D. Edge
No. II.	96	183	John Manley
No. III.	219	347	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>787</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Captain Dwyer P

Other Guardians:—

- |                |               |                 |                 |
|----------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Col. Sturges P | Mr. Taylor P  | Mr. M. Byrne    | Mr. E. Storey   |
| Mr. Nelson P   | Mr. Ware P    | Mr. O'Reilly    | Mr. V. Clements |
| Mr. Smith P    | Mr. Booth P   | Mr. W. Byrne    | Mr. J. Murphy   |
| Mr. Ellis P    | Mr. Wolahan   | Mr. Dawson      | Mr. J. Graydon  |
| Mr. Magee P    | Mr. Somers    | Mr. M. Conolly  | Mr. J. Finn     |
| Mr. Gassment P | Mr. Conden    | Mr. Donnelly    | Mr. W. Grant    |
| Mr. Tombs P    | Mr. Sheehan   | Mr. H. Shepard  | Mr. B. Horan    |
| Mr. Banton P   | Mr. M. Doyle  | Mr. H. Doyle    | Mr. A. Williams |
| Major Bourke P | Mr. J. Byrne  | Mr. E. Channery | Mr. P. Belton   |
| Mr. Ruskell P  | Mr. J. Bourke | Mr. D. Byrne    | Mr. M. H. Jones |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

- Mr. J. Ellison
- Mr. J. Delahunt
- Mr. J. Doyle



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3887 to No. 3960 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 ...									
	Broekagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was	£ 52 : 4 : 8
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	43 : 12 : -
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	: 2 : 11
Average Cost in Infirmary	: 3 : 3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	: 4 : 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 :-

1160 Loaves Bread  
 280 Galls Newmilk  
 70 " Buttermilk  
 18 lbs. Butter  
 330 " Meat  
 54 Hens  
 2 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ..	£ 43 : 13 : 6
In Kind, ... ..	4 - 0
Total, ... ..	£ 43 : 17 - 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 ...	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.	
M Byrne	Bread	22	14	4	✓
S O'Brien	Tobacco & Porter	5	9	3	✓
J Newsom	Paſt	15	-	-	✓
J P Evans	Sumtury &c	10	-	-	✓
M Walsh	"	4	7	6	✓
J Neill	Inſure Pk to pay				
J Wright	} Half value of Pigs slaughtered	2	-	-	
A Kemp		1	2	6	
J Donke		1	13	9	
J Fitzsimon	Bot. of Jamme		15	-	
	Reps Diſt/ry		7	6	
		5	18	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 :—*

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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):—

Debt claims to be rated from the following persons, viz:

✓	Mr Henry Webster	- Ballyknockanbeg,	£ 34. 10. 0
✓	Andrew Doyle	- Dammmeen	38. 0. 0
✓	Richard Murphy	- <del>Hartham</del>	34. 15. 0
✓	Francis Williams	- <del>Hartham</del>	26. 0. 0

Ordered - To be rated accordingly, being properly vouched. -

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Ordered - That Catherine Byrne and Mary Green be sent to St Marks Hospital.

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Ordered - That leave of absence be granted to the Master of the Workhouse for one week

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The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the Clerk of the Unions Estimate for New Rates which has been lying on the table since the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst. and after full consideration the following Rates were agreed to on the several Electoral Divisions viz:

Altrove, a rate of - 8 in the £ -	Jeney a rate of - 10 in the £
Ashlow " 2:4 "	Glendalough " - 8 "
Avonham " 1:0 "	Grillind " 1:0 "
Ballinacross " 1:4 "	Kilwole " 0:8 "
Ballinacra " 1:0 "	Killiskey " 1:0 "
Ballinacorney " 1:0 "	Knockmole " 1:0 "
Ballyanthur " 1:0 "	Monaghan " 0:11 "
Ballycullen " 11 "	Newcastle " - 8 "
Brookhugh " 2:8 "	" W/P " 1:0 "
Calary " 11 "	Oldtown " 1:0 "
Comebane " 1:10 "	Oroca " 2:0 "
Dunestry E " 10 "	Rathdrum " 1:0 "
" S " 10 "	Tagher " 1:10 "
" W " 8 "	Triperstown " 8 "
Emureilly " 9 "	Wicklow " 1:6 "

Sanitary Special Rates were agreed to on the following Contributory Places, viz:

Rathdrum, Contributory Place, a Rate of	1½ in the £
Kilpedder " "	4¼ "
Kilwole " "	2 "
Redcap " "	3 "

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the notice of Motion served by Mr. Moses Doyle proposing to reduce the Rates of the Master and Matron from first to second class; also that the Porters Rates be reduced, and also the reduction of the Rates of other officials who are in receipt of



express. a Resolution to whitts effect was proposed by Mr Moses Doyle and seconded by Mr Wolahan.

An amendment was proposed by H. P. Drnell Esq  
P. seconded by Genl Basts Esq P. -

That the Ratons of the Master and Mistress  
and the other officers remain as they are.

A division was taken when there voted for  
the amendment 26 against 17;

The amendment was declared carried and the  
original motion lost by a majority of 9 votes.

It was proposed by Mr. Moses Doyle and seconded  
by Mr. Wolahan -

"That a resolution passed on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of June referring to a resolution passed  
"in favour of Mr. Flower be rescinded he having not  
"given a proper explanation."

"Moses Doyle"

"Lawrence Wolahan"

The Chairman ruled that this resolution  
could not be put without the usual fourteen days notice  
being given.

Proposed by Mr. Moses Doyle, seconded by Mr. Lawrence  
Wolahan -

That the Port Rate Collectors be called upon to  
close their accounts by this day fortnight, and if not  
that their smethes be sued for the amount uncollected.

Passed. R. P. D.

16/6/86

A Tender was accepted from Mr. Chris<sup>r</sup> Dalson  
proposing to give £3.3-0 for the slop and refuse of the  
Woolhouse Kitchen for the ensuing 3 months. -



Informed by Colonel Pattenham, secured by Mr. Graydon  
Resolved -

That the Clerk be instructed to communicate  
to Mr. Torney, the great disappointment of the Board  
at not having heard from him to day any statement  
as to the progress made with regard to the Labourers cottages,  
and to request him to attend the next Board meeting  
and give in a report on the subject.

Passed

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The Clerk of the Union called the attention of the Board  
to the Guardians resolution of the 14th of April last in  
reference to his application for the services of an Assistant  
to enable him to discharge the duties devolving on him  
under the Representation of the People and Registration Acts,  
according to the terms of which the Guardians granted  
the required assistance subject to the approval of a  
Special meeting of the Board -

Resolved -

That this Board approves of the proposal  
to grant the services of an Assistant to the Clerk  
of the Union for the purposes above referred to, the  
period during which assistance shall be afforded  
to date from the 14th of April last till the 5th of July  
next; the amount of remuneration to be at the  
rate of £1:10:0 a week.

Passed unanimously

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Recd Report from Mr. Newson V.I. stating that  
he had ordered the slaughter of 3 pigs the property of  
Mr. Andrew Keogh of Warkleas as being affected with Swine  
Fever, and valued them at 17/6 each.

Order - To be paid half the value.

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John L. Cusley Chm  
June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1886



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 .. ..	..	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ..	..	...	...	...	1

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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



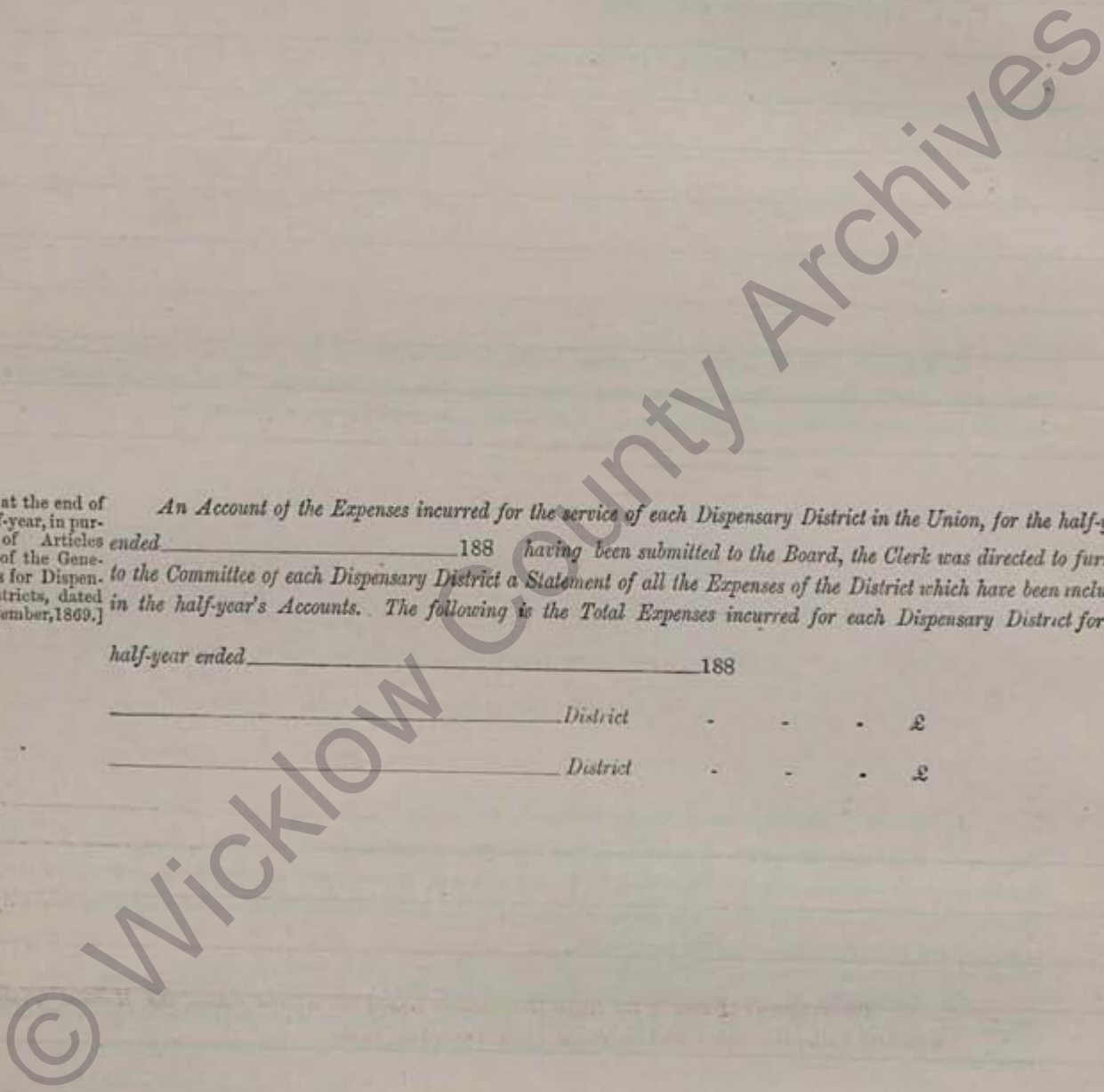
The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

\_\_\_\_\_ 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.)



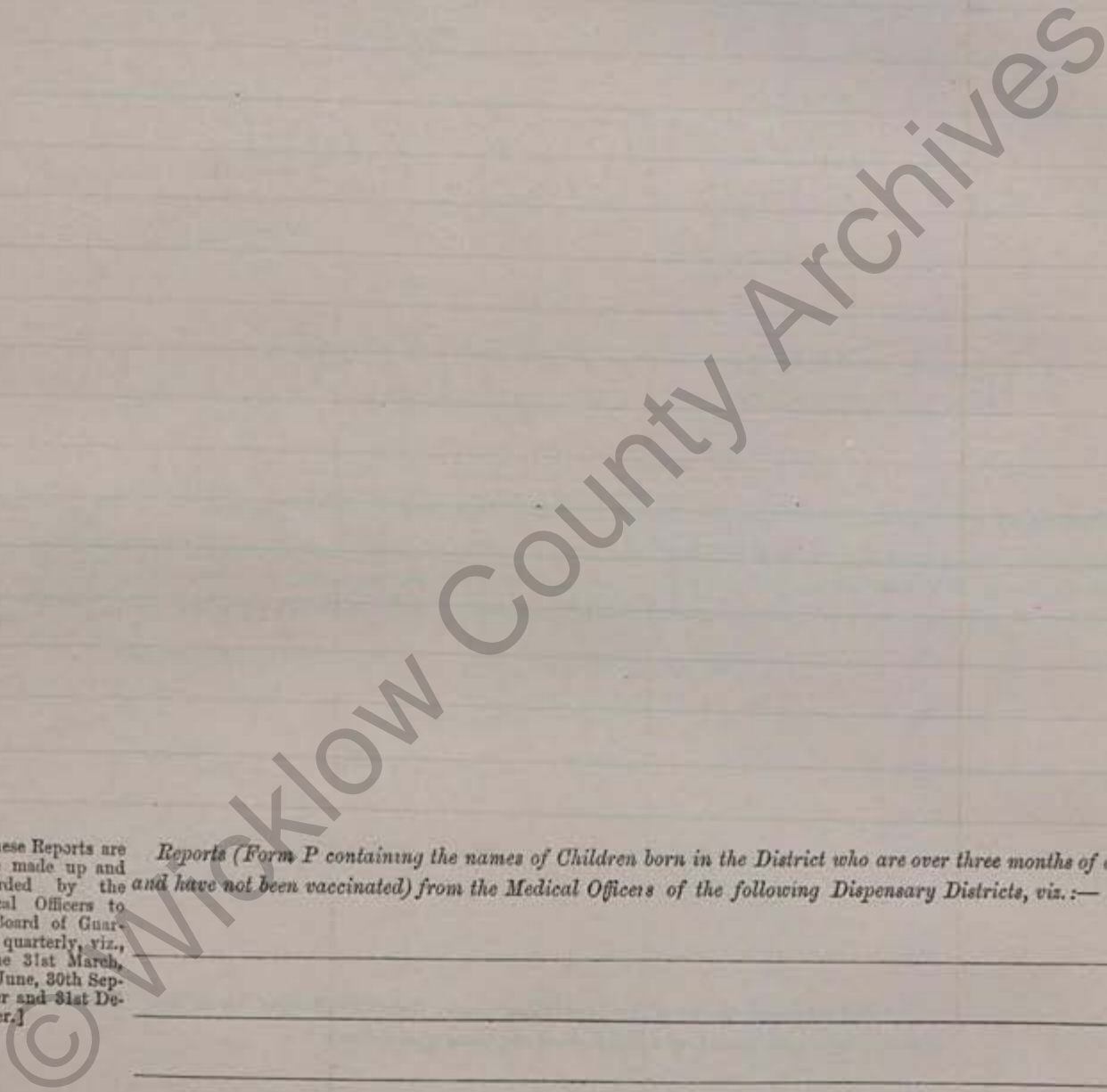
The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities' Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter from Medl. Off. of Ardlane Dispensary District  
~~saying that~~

recommending that an elastic stocking, knee cap and thigh piece combined, be provided for a Dispensary patient of his.

Ordered accordingly

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These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December. Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Arklow	D. Molony	Three Reports relating to nuisances in the town of Arklow	Order - Referred to the Local Committee

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:—

A Tender was accepted from Mr. Michael Clarke of Wicklow proposing to erect two Pumps in the Village of Newtown Mount Kennedy for the sum of £65.

A Tender was accepted from Mr. Michael Walsh of Arklow, proposing to keep in order for one year the Public Pumps in the Town of Arklow for the sum of £1:5:0 each.

J. M. L. C. W. Ch.  
June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1886

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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,549: 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total 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 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 3 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	271															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
Total	669	271															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			25	44	72	66	10	12	18	6	18	271	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	—	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	125	10 ordinary
Admitted during the Week.			49	7	2	—	1	—	3	1	1	64	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	58		11	
TOTAL			74	51	74	66	11	12	21	7	19	335	TOTAL	88	TOTAL	36	
Discharged during the Week.			48	7	1	—	3	—	3	—	2	64	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			48	7	1	—	3	—	3	—	2	64	No. Relieved during week	42	6	6	54
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			26	44	73	66	8	12	18	7	17	271	No. in Workhouse at date	7	2	2	11
													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 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under the Act, c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Apparent and Family, dependent on him or her	
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TOTALS,	482	776	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1886

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

Other Guardians:—

Colonel Pattenham DL  
Mr. John Byrne  
Mr. Maes Doyle



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 396 to No. 403 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.

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Paid during the week

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

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	„ Upper ...									
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	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
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	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Oroca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
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	Trooperstown ...									
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The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19th day of June 1886

In Money, ... ..	42	2	-
In Kind, ... ..		3	0
Total, ... ..	£ 42	5	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON			
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.	
Rev R W Gunning	10	-	-	✓
" P Farham	20	-	-	✓
" J James	75	-	-	✓
" B Manning	25	-	-	✓
" J Flower	20	-	-	✓
" M Flower	10	-	-	✓
" P Byrne	8	15	-	✓
" C Byrne	8	15	-	✓
" M Kenny	5	-	-	✓
" S Hunt	5	-	-	✓
" R Osborne	3	15	-	✓
" W Keene	1	9	7	✓
" J D Edge	8	15	-	✓
" J Manley	8	15	-	✓
" J Levingston	8	15	-	✓
" R Ellison	10	7	6	✓
" B Manning	2	0	-	✓
" E Pullen	5	-	-	✓
" A Cole	5	-	-	✓
" D. Garland	30	-	-	✓
" J Molony	30	-	-	✓
" J Byrne	30	-	-	✓
" J Ryan	30	-	-	✓
" J Hudson	30	-	-	✓
" J Gace	30	-	-	✓
" J Dwyer	30	-	-	✓
" J Kulpin	30	-	-	✓



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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):—

Four Letters from Local Gov<sup>ty</sup> Board Dated 15<sup>th</sup> instant, forwarding an Extract from a letter received by them from Mr. Messrs. Doyle P<sup>rs</sup> relating to the nomination of Mr. Benj<sup>n</sup>. Huron for the office of Guardian for the District comprising the Maryborough and Roscommon Electoral Divisions of this Union, and requesting to be furnished with the Ob<sup>rs</sup>. & observations of the Clerk of the Union as to the statements contained therein.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that he had replied to the L<sup>g</sup> B<sup>d</sup> in reference to this Letter that the general statements therein stated were without any foundation in fact.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant. expressing their sanction to the rate

of remuneration, viz: 30/- a week, proposed to be allowed to the person employed to assist the clerk of the Union in the preparation of the Lists of Parliamentary Voters for the present year -

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 for this Union in March last, amounting to £16:16:6 -

Read Letter and Telegram, from Mr. J. H. Dorney, solicitor to the Board under the Labourers Acts, excusing himself for not attending before the Board according to the Guard request, to explain the progress which has been made in reference to the building of Labourers Cottages in this Union, and stating that he will attend before the Board on next Board day -

Order - That the clerk be directed to write to Mr. Dorney and inform him that the Guardians are greatly disappointed at not hearing an explanation from him of what has been done by him since his appointment, and to inform him that if he does not at once satisfy the Board on this point the Guardians will place the carrying out of the Schemes in other hands -

The following notice of motion was moved by Mr. Moses Eggle  
Rotham Board Room, June 23<sup>rd</sup> 1886 -  
I propose that on the 7<sup>th</sup> of July 1886 -



I bring a notice of motion before the Board to  
 rescind Mr. Flower Master and Mr. Flower Matron's  
 Rations, and all other rations of Officers in the  
 Workhouse, and to rescind a resolution passed  
 on the 16<sup>th</sup> instant voting double rations to said  
 Officers -

Moses Doyle

Res<sup>d</sup> J. Dowley Ch<sup>r</sup>:  
 June 23<sup>rd</sup> - 1886

— J. M. d. Dowley Ch<sup>r</sup>  
 June 30<sup>th</sup> 1886  
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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).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See first page of minutes*

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.

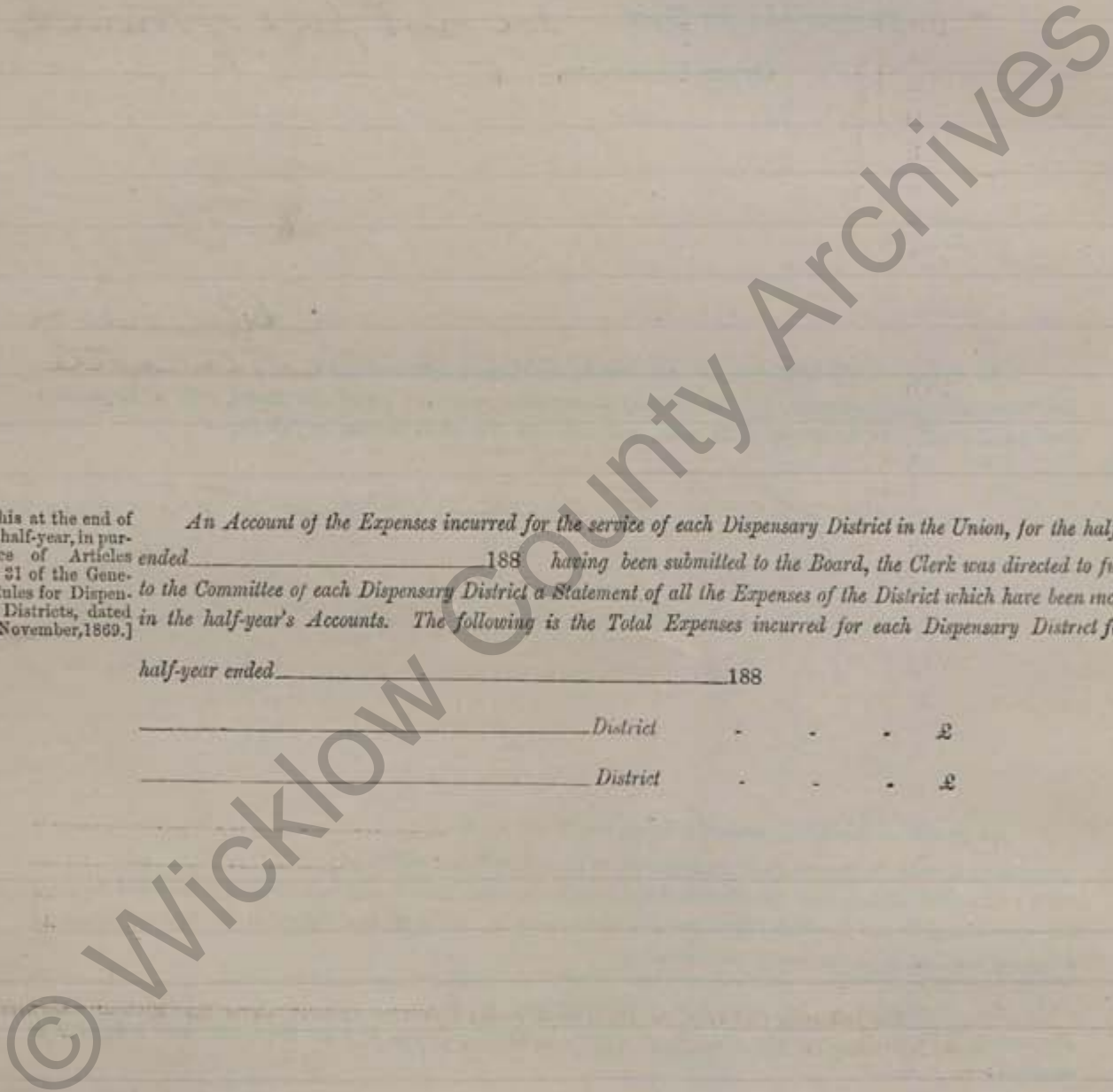
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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 this 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. Moses Doyle M.P. dated 21<sup>st</sup> instant, stating that it is not convenient for the Anglican Dispensary Committee to meet on any day of the week except Monday or Friday & requesting that the meeting may in future be summoned for either of these days.

Mr. John Byrne M.P., a member of the Anglican Dispensary Committee explained that the last Monday in each month is the day fixed for the ordinary meeting of the Anglican Dispensary Committee, and that therefore no change need be made.

No order

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

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

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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
Arklow	S. Molony	Report relating to the unsanitary condition of some of the lanes of the Town of Arklow	Order - Referred to the Local Committee
Keshmim	S. Byrne	Report relating to the unsanitary condition of a dwelling house in this district for whom a new house has been built	Order - Notice to be served on the occupier to remove into a new house built for him within a week, or he will be summoned

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



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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
Kinn	D Manning	3	15	-
	S. Barnes	3	15	-
	J. Edge	8	15	-
	J. Mandy	5	5	-
	L. Lovings	6	5	-
	A. Ellison	8	15	-
	J. Evans	7	10	-
	A. Bunkle	3	15	-
	D. Garland	3	15	-
	" Molony	3	15	-
	" Byrne	3	15	-
	" Ryan	3	15	-
	" Purdon	3	15	-
	" Sage	3	15	-
	" Dwyer	3	15	-
" Halpin	7	10	-	
	D Manning	6	5	-
	J. Ken	3	15	-
	R. Finner	6	10	-
	Superan	6	10	-

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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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Population in 1881 - 34403.

Present Net Annual Value, £129549. 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	269	259															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>259</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			26	44	73	66	8	12	18	7	17	271	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	81	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	12 ordinary
Admitted during the Week.			37	8	2	2	1	1	—	2	3	56	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	—		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>63</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			44	10	3	—	2	1	1	2	3	66	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	2		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			44	10	4	1	2	1	1	2	3	68	No. Relieved during week	36	5	3	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			19	42	71	67	7	12	17	7	17	259	No. in Workhouse at date	4	—	—	4
													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 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886 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.	77	123	John D. Edge
No. II.	96	183	John Manley
No. III.	213	336	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>775</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

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

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Matthew H Jones  
 " Joseph Ellison  
 " John Poynne





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 ...									
	Moncystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.

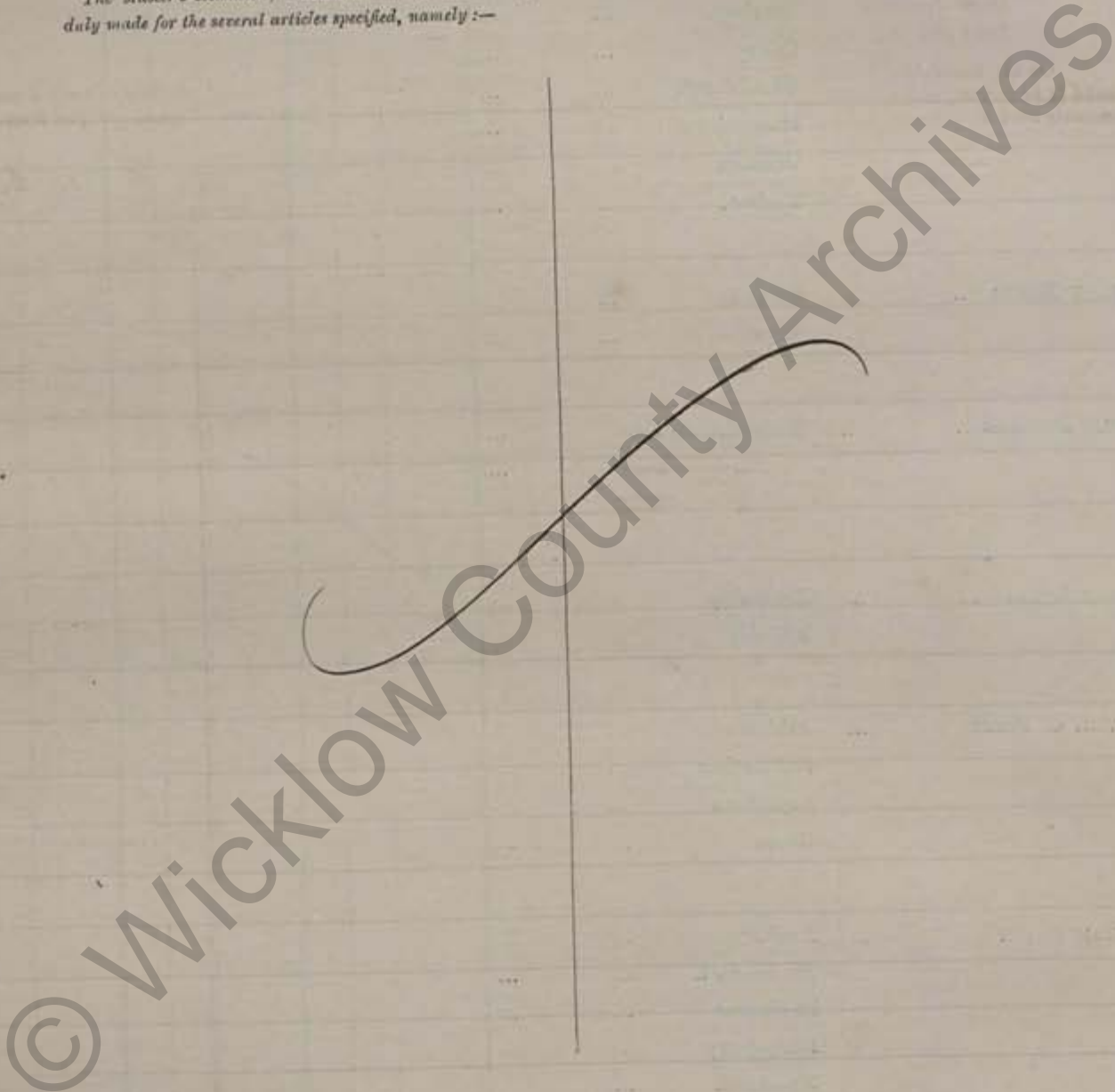


The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :-

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	37	7	7
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	42	11	5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	3
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.

This Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 1886

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	46	5	4
In Kind, ... ..		11	0
Total, ... ..	£ 46	16	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:—

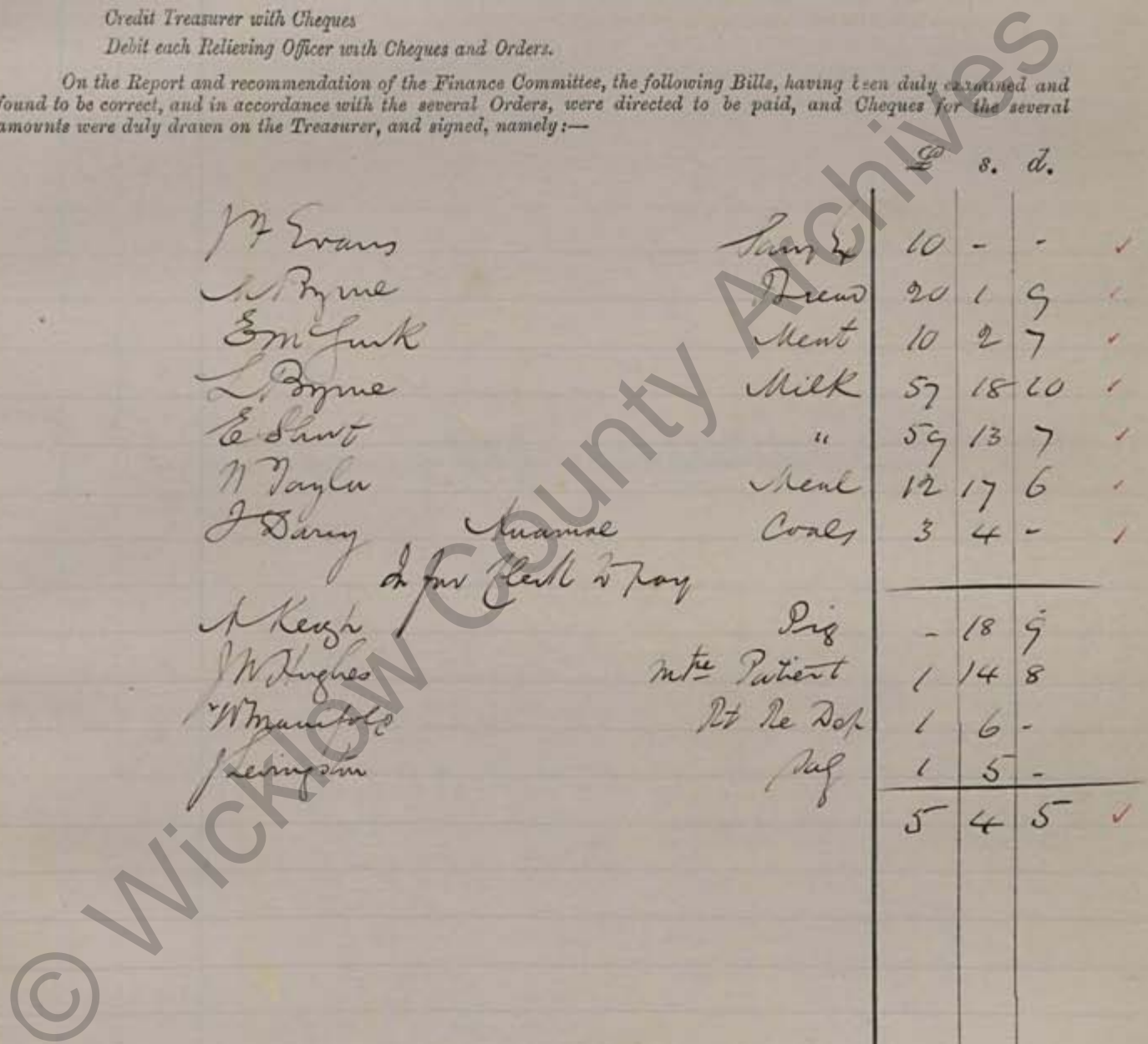
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..			

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.	
M Evans	Salary	10	-	-	✓
M Pyne	Dread	20	1	9	✓
Em Lusk	Meat	10	2	7	✓
L Pyne	Milk	57	18	10	✓
E Shaw	"	59	13	7	✓
N Taylor	Meat	12	17	6	✓
J Darcy	Meat	3	4	-	✓
In fav Cash to pay					
A Keogh	Dig	-	18	9	
M Hughes	mt <sup>re</sup> Patient	1	14	8	
W Mantole	Rt Re Dop	1	6	-	
J Levingston	Ref	1	5	-	
		5	4	5	✓





£ s. d.

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*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 Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office, Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> instant, informing the Guardians that a Sum of £16.12.6, has been lodged to the credit of the Union Treasurers, being half the amount paid by the Guardians in the 3 months ended 31<sup>st</sup> March 1886 under the provisions of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878,

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Read Order in Council from the Lord Lieut. of Ireland on the subject of Regulations under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878.

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{ Read Letter from James Doyle, a Labourer residing in the County of Wick, complaining of the

minutes of the Guardians in regard to the creation of Labourers' Dwellings; and stating that if the delay is caused by the neglect of duty of the Guardians Solicitor, the matter should be placed in other hands.

Mr. Forney, the Solicitor employed by the Guardians under the Labourers Act appeared before the Board, and having apologized for his non-attendance on the last two Board days, he explained the progress which had been made by him since his appointment, and the position in which the several matters connected with his duties now stand. He undertook that all requirements should be complied with so far as he was concerned, so that the old schemes of 1883 should not be suffered to lapse and that the new schemes under the Act of 1885 should be pushed forward with the utmost despatch.

Mr. Johnston, the Guardians Architect, also appeared before the Board and promised that nothing should be left undone on his part to carry out Mr. Forney's undertaking.

Under these circumstances the Guardians expressed themselves as quite satisfied.

The Book of the Minute submitted to the Board the New Rate Books, duly made up and verified by him, which were accordingly signed by the Chairman and two of the Guardians.

Recd Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board, dated the 21<sup>st</sup> June 1886, forwarding a copy of a letter



which they have addressed to the Union Treasurer, in  
reference to the assessment made on the Union under  
the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878, informing  
him that a sum of £133.14.2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>, should have been  
lodged to the credit of the General Fattile Disease Fund  
in the Bank of Ireland, under the General Order of  
the 22<sup>nd</sup> of July 1885.

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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

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

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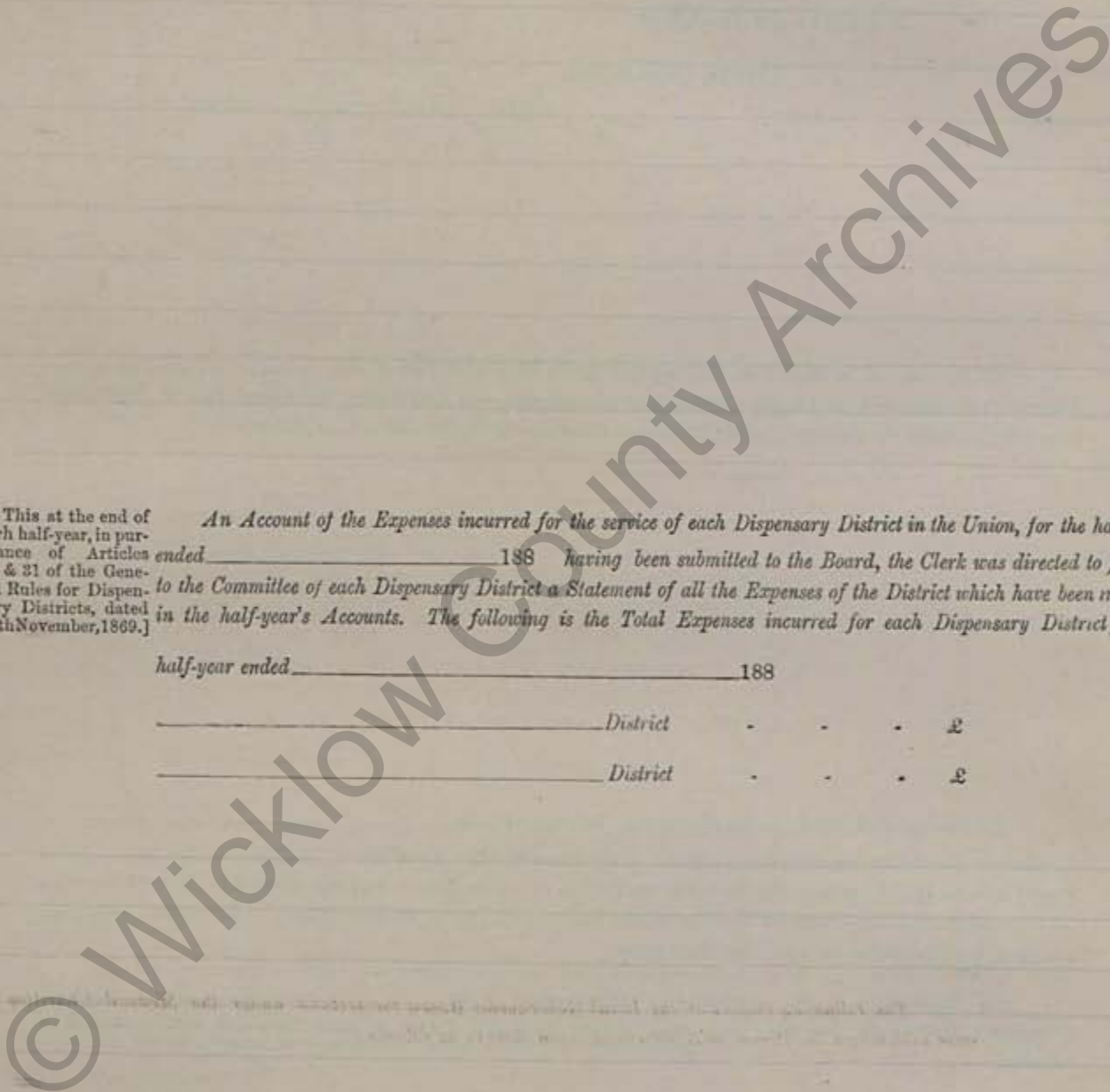
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_____ District	-	-	£



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\_\_\_\_\_ 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 29th June 1886,  
~~stating that~~ requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Anamoe and Wicklow Dispensary Districts reported on the 7<sup>th</sup> of April last have since complied with the Law—

Order—

The Dispensary Doctors to be applied to for this information

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

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

Fulham — 8 Defaulters —

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

The Clerk of the Union to serve notice on these persons by Post Card

P. P. Drought  
 Chm.













Population in 1881. 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128 5/9 = 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	500	256														
Temporary Buildings	-	-														
Additional Workhouse	-	-														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-														
Fever Sheds	-	-														
Total	600	256														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			19	42	71	67	7	12	17	7	17	259	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	90	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	25
Admitted during the Week.			31	2	1	2	1	1	-	2	-	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-		11
													TOTAL	90	TOTAL	36
			50	44	72	69	8	13	17	9	17	299	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Discharged during the Week.			26	4	5	2	2	-	-	3	1	43				
Died.			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Total Discharged and Dead.			26	4	5	2	2	-	-	3	1	43	No. Relieved during week	25		29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			24	40	67	67	6	13	17	6	16	256	No. in Workhouse at date	7		7
													No. at corresponding period last year,			242

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1886 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	124	John D. Edge
No. II.	97	190	John Manley
No. III.	213	337	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	97	133	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	485	784	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Captain Drought FF

Other Guardians:—

- |                           |                    |                  |
|---------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Mr. Arthur Egan FF        | Mr. David Jordan   | Mr. Matt Jones   |
| Mr. E. Donohue Esq FF     | Mr. James Doyle    | Mr. J. Graydon   |
| Mr. R. H. Brooke Esq FF   | Mr. John O'Reilly  | Mr. W. Grant     |
| Mr. Henry Seagrave Esq FF | Mr. John Dawson    | Mr. B. Moran     |
| Mr. Alex. Taylor Esq FF   | Mr. Mark Connelley | Mr. S. Dawse     |
| Mr. C. H. Wade Esq FF     | Mr. Henry Shephard | Mr. A. Williams  |
|                           | Mr. Martin Doyle   | Mr. J. Bellin    |
| Mr. John Dawson           | Mr. E. Chamney     | Mr. J. Keane     |
| Mr. Law Molohan           | Mr. J. Murphy      | Mr. J. Ellison   |
| Mr. Andrew Sheehan        | Mr. J. Manley      | Mr. J. Delahunty |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4035 to No. 4190 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 ...									
	Kilecoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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 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:—

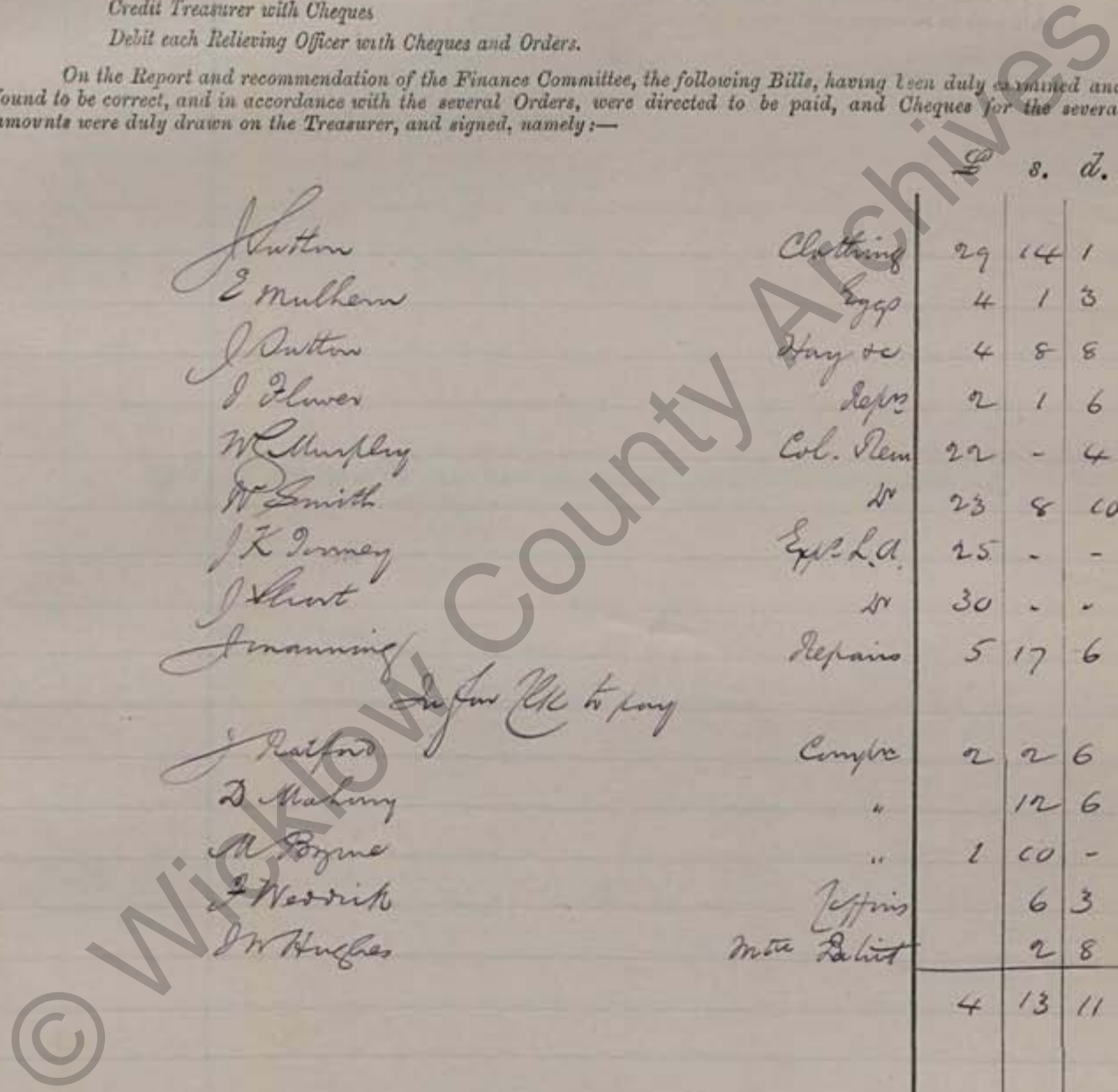
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..	20	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..	20	-	-

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 Sutton	Clothing	29	14	1
E Mulhern	Boys	4	1	3
J Sutton	Hay &c	4	8	8
J Flower	Sept	2	1	6
W Murphy	Col. Item	22	-	4
W Smith	"	23	8	10
J K Donney	Exp. L.A.	25	-	-
J Short	"	30	-	-
J Manning	Repairs	5	17	6
J Pralford	Compte	2	2	6
D Mahony	"		12	6
M Byrne	"	1	10	-
J Weddick	Jeffins		6	3
J W Hughes	misc Salut		2	8
		4	13	11





£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular from Local Govt. Board,  
Dated the 11<sup>th</sup> instant calling for the usual Quarterly  
Return of Rates made &c.

Read Letter from the Workhouse Tailor  
Dated the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, asking permission from the Board  
to absent himself from his duty on the first Tuesday in  
each month, that being Fair Day in Rathdrum, and  
therefore a very important day for him to be at home.

Order—

Leave granted, on condition that the lost time is  
made up.

Read Letter from the Nurse of the Work-  
house Infirmary, asking leave to have her daughter to

stop with her on a visit for one week.

Leave granted

2  
Read the following claims to be rated. viz:

✓ James McHugh, Proprietor, vice Wm McHugh  
✓ Richard Kenny, Drummer, .. Bart Kenny

Order - To be rated accordingly being properly proved.

2  
Read letter from Mr. Wm. Johnston, Gammamullen requesting the Guardians to be so good as to have the valuation of his holding reduced.

No order

2  
The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the notice of motion served by Mr. James Doyle, with the object of having the Rations of the Master, Matron and other and other Workhouse officers reduced:

A resolution to this effect was duly proposed by Mr. Doyle and seconded by Mr. Wolahan.

An amendment was proposed by Mr. Grayson and seconded by Mr. Dunne -

That the Board having heard the resolution proposed by Mr. Doyle is of opinion that no sufficient reason has been shown for altering the Rations which the several officers are at present receiving:

A division was taken with the following result. viz.

For the Amendment	16 Votes
Against	12 "
Majority	4 "



The amendment having been declared carried and the original motion lost; Mr. Doyle served the following fresh notice of motion.

"July 7<sup>th</sup> 1886"

"I do propose to bring a notice of motions on the 21<sup>st</sup> instant, to rescind the resolution of the 7<sup>th</sup> inst: and to reduce the rations of Mr. Flower and Mrs Flower and all other Officers in the house; Mrs Flower and Mr Flower's rations to be reduced to one half of the present rations"

Mrs Doyle  
Lawrence Holahan

Accepted - R.R.D. Cho

7/7/86

Ordered -

That - Leonard be sent out to nurse, and to be given the usual clothing.

Ordered -

That W Longhlin be sent to St. Marks Hospital.

Read Letter from Mr J K Dorney the Solicitor en: -  
-closed by the Guardians under the Labours Act informing the Board that all the maps and schedules relating to the schemes under the Act of 1883 have been lodged in due time, and enclosing a letter from the Board of Public works requiring £25, to be lodged to their credit to meet the expenses of the Arbitrator, who will then be appointed immediately.

Order - That £25 be accordingly handed to Mr Dorney; & that a cheque for £30 be drawn in favour of Mr J. S. S. to be held over until he hands over possession of the plot of land in Newtown Mr. Kennedy on which four cottages are

to be built.

Read a second letter from Mr. Dorney in which he complains of the manner in which the Guardians Architect carried out his part of the work, and the consequent delay in having the necessary documents lodged.

Mr. Dorney states that he cannot be answerable to the Board to carry on their business in conjunction with Mr. Johnston, unless he entirely changes his former line of proceedings.

Received Representation signed by Twelve Ratepayers of Orva Electoral Division, representing that a man named Patrick Connolly of Templebrook is short of horse accommodation, his present house being unsanitary.

The Guardians could not entertain this Representation it not being accompanied by a certificate from the Medical Officer of Health.

Read Reports from Mr. Newson V.D. stating that during the past week he had ordered the following Pigs to be slaughtered as being affected with Swine Fever - viz:

J Rodford	1 Pig	Valued at	£ 3. 0. 0
"	1 "	"	1. 5. 0
D Mahony	1 "	"	1. 5. 0
M Byrne	2 Pigs	"	3. 0. 0

Over - Half the above values to be paid to the owners

J. M. D. O'Connell  
July 14<sup>th</sup> 1886



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 numeroer 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).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*See page 1 of minutes*

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

*Sheplek 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:

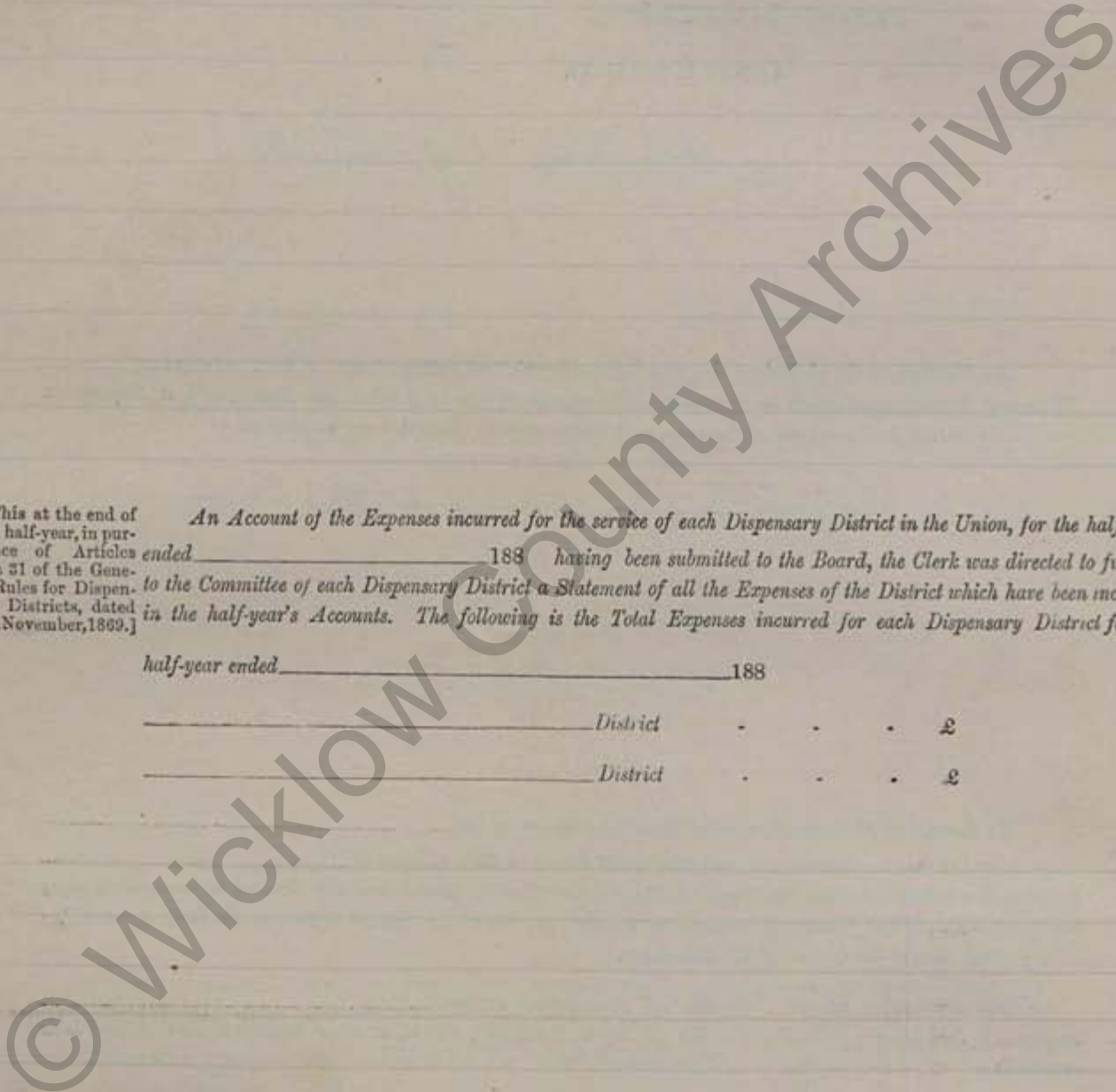
Dispensary District.

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 \_\_\_\_\_

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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

*Aughrim*

Read the following resolutions passed by the Aughrim Dispensary Committee at their meeting on the 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo.

Mr. Moses Doyle in the Chair

" James Just

" James Phelan

Resolved - That the last Monday of each month be the ordinary Committee meeting days.

Resolved - That we consider the irregularity of the Committee meetings are unimportant as all matters relating thereto are carried on satisfactorily, and that they agree with Dr. Burke's report of the Dispensary being unsuitable owing to the want of privacy and room in the Dispensary &c. and that as Dr. Valentine Poyne being lord of the lodgings in the place; the Committee would suggest that the Guardians of the Union do build a Doctors residence in connection with the Dispensary at Aughrim.

Order - Notice to be served for next special meeting:

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Killeshin	S. Molony	Report relating to a Dwelling House unfit for human habitation at Ballinasillogue	No order. —

J. M. O'Connell  
July 14<sup>th</sup> 1886

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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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128549 : 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals, 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 5 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	580	263															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>266</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			24	40	67	67	6	13	17	6	16	256	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	84	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	25	
Admitted during the Week.			28	12	2	1	5	4	2	3	2	59	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3		41	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>52</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			23	8	4	1	3	2	2	1	2	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.						3						3		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			23	8	4	4	3	2	2	1	2	49	No. Relieved during week	28	5	11	44
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			29	44	65	64	8	15	17	8	16	266	No. in Work-house at date	11	1	6	18
													No. at corresponding period last year.				238

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<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>773</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John J Cowley JVC

Other Guardians:—  
 Captain Drought JP  
 Mr. Joseph Ellison  
 " Miles Byrne  
 " Mr Grant



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4121 to No. 4160 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		
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PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidoro ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
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WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
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EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
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GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
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	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.	33	19	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	42	10	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	3
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:—

- 1100 Louves Bread
- 270 Galls Newmilk
- 50 " Buttermilk
- 19 lbs Butter
- 340 " Meat
- 40 Hens
- 244 Eggs
- 2 Chickens
- 2 Paper Candles
- 6 cwt Sugar
- 7 lbs Pepper

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 1884

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was—	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	42	5	10
In Kind, ... ..		12	4
Total, ... ..	£	42	17
		19	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 ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..	20	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.	
M Byrne	Food	22	13	4	✓
E McGuirk	Meat	16	9	11	✓
D Murphy	Milk	21	16	8	✓
R Woollatt & Co	Ten	18	15	-	✓
S O'Brien	Sales & Tobacco	5	7	7	✓
E Gallan	Shoes	11	7	6	✓
Clerk	To remunerate	16	10	-	✓
Clerk	Post Paid Vc Art	5	-	6	✓
Mehre	Lis	1	5	0	
M Cullen	R V D		12	6	
J W Hughes	De Ho	3	3	0	
		<u>5</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6</u>	



*£*   *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<sup>t</sup> Board,  
Dated 12<sup>th</sup> instant, forwarding for the information of the  
Guardians a copy of the Labours (Ireland) 1886.

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Read Letter from same, Dated the 13<sup>th</sup>  
instant, in reference to the entry appearing on the  
Guardians Minutes of the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, to the effect  
that the Guardians could not entertain a Represen-  
tation under the Labours Act on the ground that  
it was not accompanied by a Certificate from the Med:  
Officers of Health; and the L.G. Board call the attention  
of the Guardians to Section 7 (2 & 3) of the Act of 1886.

Order —

The Representation from Orora Division of the 7<sup>th</sup> inst.  
to be referred to the Sanitary Officer for his report.

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Read Letter from Mr. Downey, the Guard:  
Solicitor under the Labourers Act, informing the Board  
that he has lodged the £25 received from the Guard:  
with the Board of Works, and as soon as the day  
is named for the Arbitration to pit he will insert  
the proper notices in the Newspapers.

Also forwarding for execution by the  
Guard: the Lease and counterpart of the Plot of  
Land proposed to be taken for Labourers Cottages at  
Newtown on<sup>ly</sup> Kennedy, together with a Bill of  
£ 5-10-11 Landlords costs of Lease.

Order -

The Guardians consider this Bill of costs too  
high and directed it to be sent back to Mr.  
Downey to have it taxed.

The Leases were signed  
and sealed.

Read Letter from Mr. Johnston, Architect  
under the Labourers Act stating that he has  
surveyed the plot of Land above referred to and  
has drawn a Map of it on the Lease & Counterpart  
for which he makes a charge of £ 1-10-0 as  
before.

The Guardians considered that this duty was  
covered by the Architect's Fees, and postponed the  
consideration of the matter until next Board-day.

Read Letter from the Workhouse Inter asking  
for seven days leave of absence.

Leave granted

Read Report from Mr. Newson V.D. dated  
the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, stating that he, during the



week, ordered two pigs the property of Mr. Andrew Kehoe of Wicklow, to be slaughtered, being affected with Swine Fever, and valued them at £1:5:0 each.

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

Read the following Claims to be rated: viz:

- ✓ Nicholas Ward - Ballinabarney - vic, Michael Ward
- ✓ Thomas Grant, Kirakee " William Grant

Ordered to be rated accordingly, being properly vouched

John J. Corbett, Clerk  
July 21<sup>st</sup> 1874

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	...	...	...	...	5
Ditto disallowed ...	...	...	...	...	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...	...	...	...	...	5

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*see first pages of minutes*

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:

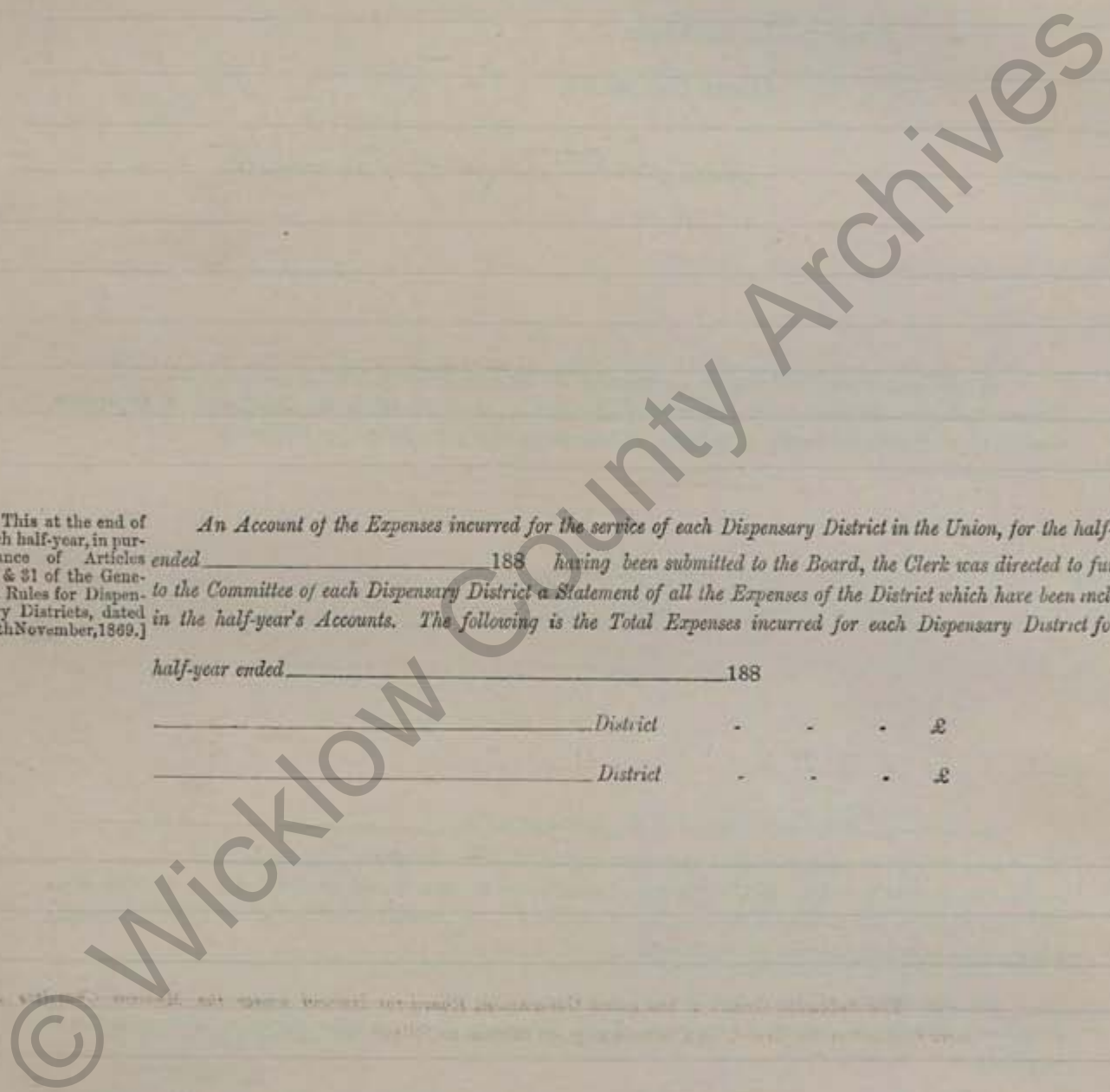
Dispensary District.

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 D. Payne, Inghrim dated 10th July 1886

stating that there were seven cases of Diphtheria in the family of a man named Doyle of Cloe in Inghrim Dist. He advised the man to have the children sent to Hospital but he declined to do so, the result being that five of the Children died, the remaining children were then sent to Hospital, being convalescent and the house was thoroughly disinfected by the S.D.O.

The disease has not spread, and no other cases have occurred in the District, and the Doctor is not able to trace the origin of the outbreak.

The D. states that he did not make a special report of the case to the L.G.B. but will report it in the Quarterly return in the usual manner.

Order—

In future the Doctor to notify the outbreak of any contagious disease to the Local Govern. Board and the Board of 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. :—

Wicklow - 29 Defaulters - 1 unfit -

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

Order - Notice to be served by post Cards. -







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

Re circular from Local Govt<sup>t</sup> Board, dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of an order which they have issued containing rules and regulations with reference to ships having on board bales of Rags from Italy.

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 G. M. & Co. W. L. W.  
 July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1886

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup>  
day of July 1886

Signed, B. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 18 81 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,549: 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals to 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 5 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	Fems.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	260															
Temporary Buildings	-	-															
Additional Workhouse	-	-															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-															
Fever Sheds	-	-															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>250</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			29	44	65	64	9	15	17	8	16	266	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary wards	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	10 <i>Admission</i>		
Admitted during the Week.			27	4	4	-	2	1	3	-	2	43	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital				
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>56</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>			
Discharged during the Week.			36	6	4	1	2	4	1	2	-	58					
Died.			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1					
Total Discharged and Dead.			36	8	5	1	2	4	1	2	-	59	No. Relieved during week	27	3	3	33
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			20	40	64	63	8	12	19	6	18	258	No. in Workhouse at date	5	-	-	5
													No. at corresponding period last year.				244

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886 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 Apparent and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	78	124	John D. Edge
No. II.	96	179	John Manley
No. III.	214	338	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>776</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr John J Cowley & Co

Other Guardians :-

- |                      |                |                 |
|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Colonel Tottenham JP | Mr L Wolohan   | Mr A. Williams  |
| Major Duell JP       | " D Somers     | " S. Belton     |
| Mr Adam Esq JP       | " J Sheehan    | " J. P. Ellison |
| J. E. Burke Esq JP   | " M Doyle      | " J. Delahunt   |
| Mr Barton Esq JP     | " Martin Doyle | " and           |
| A. Taylor Esq JP     | " D. Byrne     | " John Doyle    |
| R. Hudson Esq JP     | "              |                 |



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4161 to No. 4235 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 ...									
	Broekagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Oronebane ...									
	Ovooca ...									
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 - £ 54 : 19 : 3  
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 42 : 4 : 3  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 11  
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 3 : 3  
 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:—

1100 Loaves Bread  
 270 Galls Newmilk  
 55 " Buttermilk  
 18 lbs Potatoes  
 350 " Meat  
 42 Sheep Heads  
 28 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 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 1856

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

In Money, ... ..	£	s.	d.	
In Kind, ... ..				
Total, ... ..	£	s.	d.	
	43	2	4	
		5	0	
	£	43	7	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 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.	
Stamps	10	-	-	✓
Contractors	2	2	-	✓
Repts	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<sup>t</sup> Board, Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, transmitting a letter which they have received from Mr. Moses Doyle P.L.C. in reference to the rations received by the Officers of the Workhouse and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject.

Order — The list of rations to be furnished for the consideration of the Local Government Board as handed in by Mr. Flower.

Read Letter from Dr. Barnes, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, informing the Guardians that he found it necessary to perform a surgical operation on an inmate of the Workhouse on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> inst. and was obliged to call in the assistance of Doctor Ryan of Redroop; He now applies for payment of

the usual fee of £2.2.0

Ordered to be paid, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

Read Circular from Local Government Board dated the 14<sup>th</sup> instant, transmitting for the information of the Board of Guardians an extract from Section 9 of the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1886, transferring to the Local Government Board the powers heretofore vested in the Post Lieutenant and Parish Council under the 34<sup>th</sup> Section of the Act of 1878, of making General and Special Orders relative to dairies, cow sheds, and milk shops.

Read sealed Order from same, dated the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, authorizing Local Authorities to make regulations for the registration of all persons carrying on the trade of Cow-keepers, dairymen, or purveyors of milk, and for the inspection of Cattle &c.

Received copy of The Dairies, Cow sheds, and milk shops, (Ireland) Order of August 1879.

Read Letter from Mr. James Short, of Newtown Mount Kennedy, (dated the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, in reference to the report published in the "Wicklow People" of the Guardians proceedings of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. in which he was represented by Mr. Ellison R.O., as being a dissentient to the building of the Labourers Cottages in Newtown M<sup>t</sup> Kennedy, which



he states is not the case; Mr. Short also complains that on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, Mr. Ellison brought men to sink a pump on the ground which he understood was intended for the Labourers Cottages in question, ~~and~~ without notice of any kind having been given to him, for which reasons he refused to give possession.

Order -

The Clerk of the Union to write to Mr. Short as to his giving up the building plots as contracted for.

Order -

That the following Guardians do form a Committee to arrange about the site of the Pumps in Newtown Mount Kennedy, viz.

Gordon E. Jarboe Esq JP  
 Henry P. Snell Esq JP  
 Mr. Anthony Williams Jly  
 " Samuel Belton Jly

A letter was read from Mr. Draper, County Inspector Surveyor, complaining that no notice has been given to him in reference to breaking the surface of the public road at N. M. Kennedy for the purpose of sinking pump wells.

Order -

Mr. Draper to be written to and asked to meet the above Committee in reference to the fixing of suitable sites for the pumps.

Read Letter from Mr. Donney, Solicitor under the Labourers Acts, dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant, in which he states he would strongly advise the Guardians not



to incur the expense of having Mr. Gregg's Bill of costs for preparing the Lease of the plot of ground in Newton St. Kennedy taxed, as the costs of taxation would ~~cost more~~ <sup>exceed</sup> than the amount of the Bill, which is only a statutory fee plus a couple of small items of outlay.

Mr. Donney also asks for another Cheque for a similar amount to that applied for by Mr. Gregg - (£5.10.4) to pay Mr. Meek's Bill of costs for preparing the Lease of the Plots taken from Colonel Diche.

Mr. Donney further states that he communicated with Mr. Short in reference to the possession of the plot of ground at Newton St. Kennedy but has not as yet received a reply. He enclosed Receipt for the £25 paid to the Board of Works for arbitrator's expenses, and hopes to be able to publish the advertisements in next Saturday's Newspapers.

Order -

A cheque to be drawn to cover the Law costs when the Committee approve of such payment.

Order -

The Clerk of the Union to write to Mr. Donney to urge him to press forward the second batch of Labourers Cottages under the Act of 1885;

and also to write to Mr. Johnston, Architect, pointing out to him that his fee of £1, per cottage covers surveying and all other works connected with his part of the duties relating to the erection of the cottages.

The Guardians proceeded to consider the notice of motion served by Messrs. Mores Doyle and Lawrence Wolahan in reference to their



proposal to reduce the rations allowed to the Master Matron and other Workhouse Officers; and after some discussion it was agreed to postpone the matter until the Guardians hear from the Local Government Board in reference to the Lists of rations at present allowed which have been ordered to be forwarded to them.

In reference to the proposal to build a Dispensary house and Medical Officers residence at Anghrim, it transpired that the recommendation from the Anghrim Dispensary Committee only emanated from an Ordinary meeting, no notice of which had been given; consequently no action was taken by the Guardians pending the summoning of an extraordinary meeting of the Committee to consider and report on the matter.

Resolved -

That the restrictions ~~be~~ be removed from the "Infected Place" at Rathdrum, comprising the Premises of Daniel Mahony, &c, and the same are hereby removed.

Passed unanimously

Wm J. Crowley Clerk  
July 28<sup>th</sup> 1886

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	...	...	...	...	0
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *See first page of minutes*

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:—



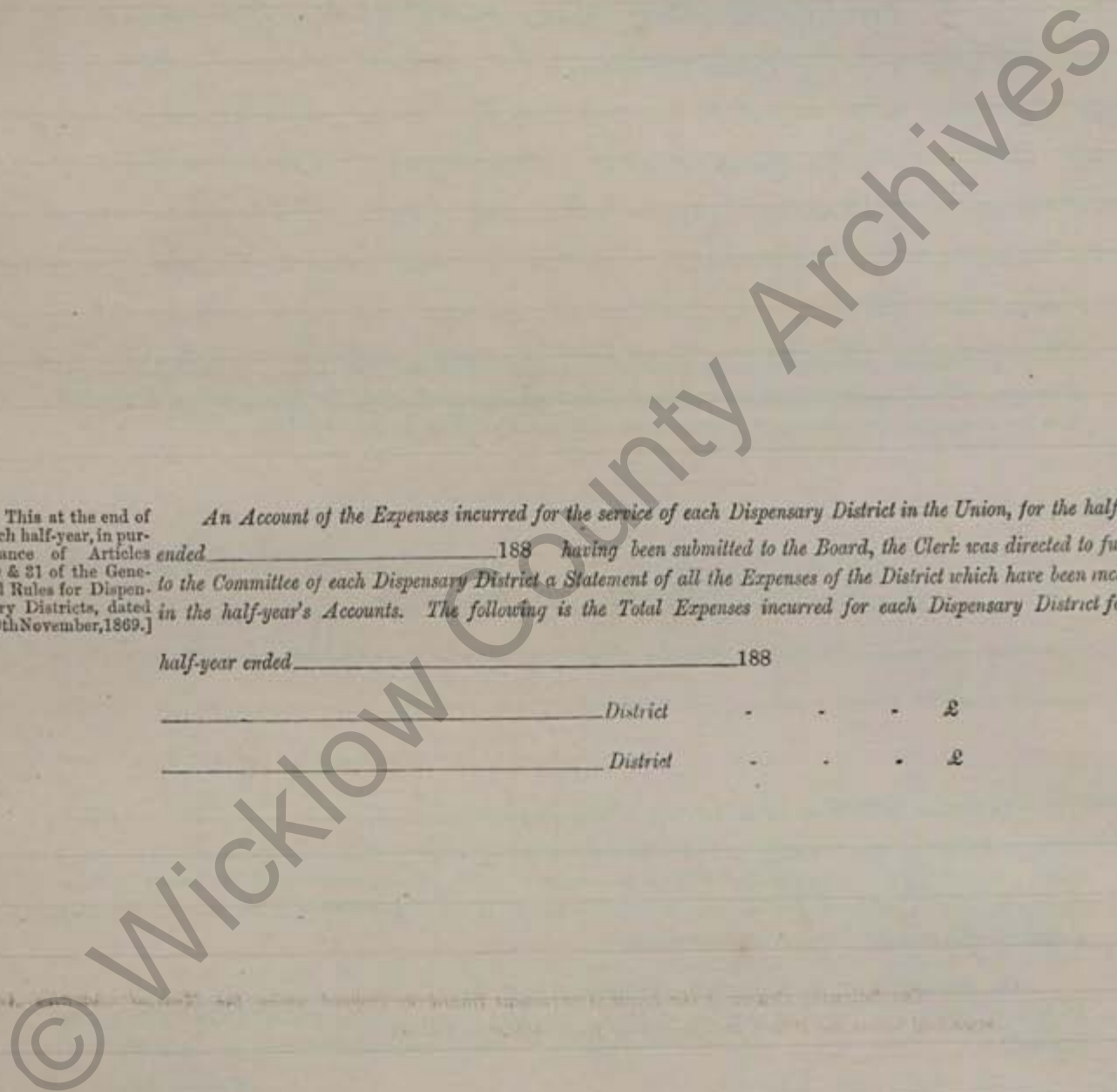
The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 S. Garland M.D. Officer of Anamoe D.D. stating that many of the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act reported by him in April last have been vaccinated at Ashford, but as he is not Registrar for his District he receives no information of the circumstances, and consequently many of the names appearing on his Form P. are in reality not defaulters. He is, he states, however now hunting up many of the people and will do all he can to wipe off the arrears;

Order—

S. Garland to be written <sup>to</sup> request Mr. Murphy the Registrar of the District, to wait on him with his Vaccination Register <sup>in</sup> order to ascertain what children have <sup>not</sup> been vaccinated, which were born in his 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. :—

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







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

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated 16<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting to be informed why the Guardians made no order on the report of Dr. Molony, Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup> of Health of Wicklow District, relating to a Dwelling which is described as unfit for human habitation.

Order—

The Guardians do not consider the House is in danger of falling, and they make no order at present.

J. M. & C. W. O. Ch.  
July 28<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 12 8 5 49. 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	250															
Temporary Buildings	-	-															
Additional Workhouse	-	-															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-															
Fever Sheds	-	-															
Total	669	250															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			20	40	64	63	8	12	19	6	18	250	Under Medical treatment in Inflammatory wards	87	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	25	13 Ordinary
Admitted during the Week.			31	4	2	-	2	1	2	1	2	45	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-		11	
TOTAL			51	44	66	63	10	13	21	7	20	295	TOTAL	87	TOTAL	36	
Discharged during the Week.			31	4	1	-	3	1	1	2	1	44	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS:				
Died.			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			31	4	2	-	3	1	1	2	1	45	No. Relieved during week	31	1	-	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			20	40	64	63	7	12	20	5	19	250	No. in Workhouse at date	5	-	-	5
													No. at corresponding period last year,				221

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886 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.	77	123	John D. Edge
No. II.	87	184	John Manley
No. III.	217	337	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
TOTALS,	489	779	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Capt. Drought A - afterwards Mr. John J. Cowley B.C.  
 Other Guardians :-  
 Mr. Joseph Ellison  
 Mr. William Grant



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4236 to No. 4280 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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 39 : 1 : 7  
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 40 : 15 : 9  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 3 : 3  
 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:—

1100 Loaves Bread  
 260 Galls Newmilk  
 50 " Puttermilk  
 18 1/2 Pwtter  
 345 - Meat  
 42 Sheep Heads  
 23 Dq. Eggs  
 4 cwt 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 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1886  
 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	41	6	0
In Kind, ... ..		19	0
Total, ... ..	£ 42	5	0

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ...			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ...			
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.	
M Payne	Drent	18	17	11	✓
E McGuirk	Ment	15	19	2	✓
J Murtogh	Repairs	3	15	-	✓
S <sup>r</sup> Falpin	Wash	4	-	-	✓
W	Repairs	3	8	6	✓
S Kavanagh	"	4	9	5	✓
S Dwyer	"	2	7	6	✓
J Levingston	"	2	8	4	✓
S <sup>r</sup> Fage	In fav of the King				
W Murphy	"	1	16	-	
S Payne	"	1	13	2	
R Manning	"		12	11	
M Doran	Carriage coals	1	12	-	
		<u>6</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1</u>	✓
J New	Penalty	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):—

Read Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board,  
Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting to be informed  
of the nature of the surgical operation performed  
by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, for assisting  
him in which it is proposed to pay Dr. Ryan a fee  
of two Guineas:

In reply the Guardians desire to state  
that Dr. Bourne describes the case as follows, viz.  
"Patient Essie Kelly sent in by Dr. Molony  
of Arklow suffering from Strumous disease of foot  
in which some of the deep arteries of the sole of  
the foot had become diseased, hæmorrhage had  
been going on for several weeks at intervals every  
time the compress and bandages were removed,  
I had to put the patient under æther, cut down  
and try to pick up and secure the bleeding arteries,  
this I was unable to do owing to the diseased

parts, so had to cut down and secure the posterior tibial artery in lower third of leg.

J. S. P. Barnes

M. O. S. S.

Respectful from the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant, drawing the attention of the Guardians to the provisions of the recent Act of Parliament amending the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act of 1878.

Respectful from Mr. Johnston, Architect under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1883 & 5 in reference to his claim for a fee of 30/- for making maps on lease of the plot of land in M<sup>t</sup> Kennedy about to be acquired by the Guardians by mutual agreement for the erection of four Labourers Cottages, stating that inasmuch as this land is taken by the Guardians by private treaty and not under the compulsory provisions of the Labourers Acts, the work of surveying the land and putting maps on the leases is entirely outside of his Contract and must be regarded as an extra.

Order -

The Clerk to write to Mr. Johnston and inform him that the Guardians see no reason to alter their opinion as already conveyed to him.

Respectful from Mr. James Phelan of Newtown Mount Kennedy, Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> instant in reply to the Guardians inquiry, stating that he will be ready on the 5<sup>th</sup> of August next to deliver up to the Guardians possession of the plot of land in Newtown M<sup>t</sup> Kennedy, on which the four Labourers Cottages are about to be built.



Recd letter from James Doyle, labourer, of Coolbag, dated the 26<sup>th</sup> instant, urging upon the Guardians the necessity of proceeding with more expedition in the erection of labourers cottages.

Recd letter from D. Hudson, Medical Officer, of Health, of Newbridge District informing the Bd that in obedience to their instructions he had made an inspection of the house of Patrick Connolly of Templelusk that he considers the accommodation sufficient for himself his wife and two children, but not for the second family of three, who have been inhabiting it for a considerable time.

The Med Offr, advises that the roof of this house should be thatched in some places where it requires it, that the chimney be also repaired, and that some small heaps of manure be removed from about the door,

Order —

The San'y Pub Offr to see that these recommendations are carried out.

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The Guardians removed the restrictions from the premises of Mr W. Radford of Coolflake —

John J. Coffey, Clerk  
 Aug 4<sup>th</sup> 1886

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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).

## 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:

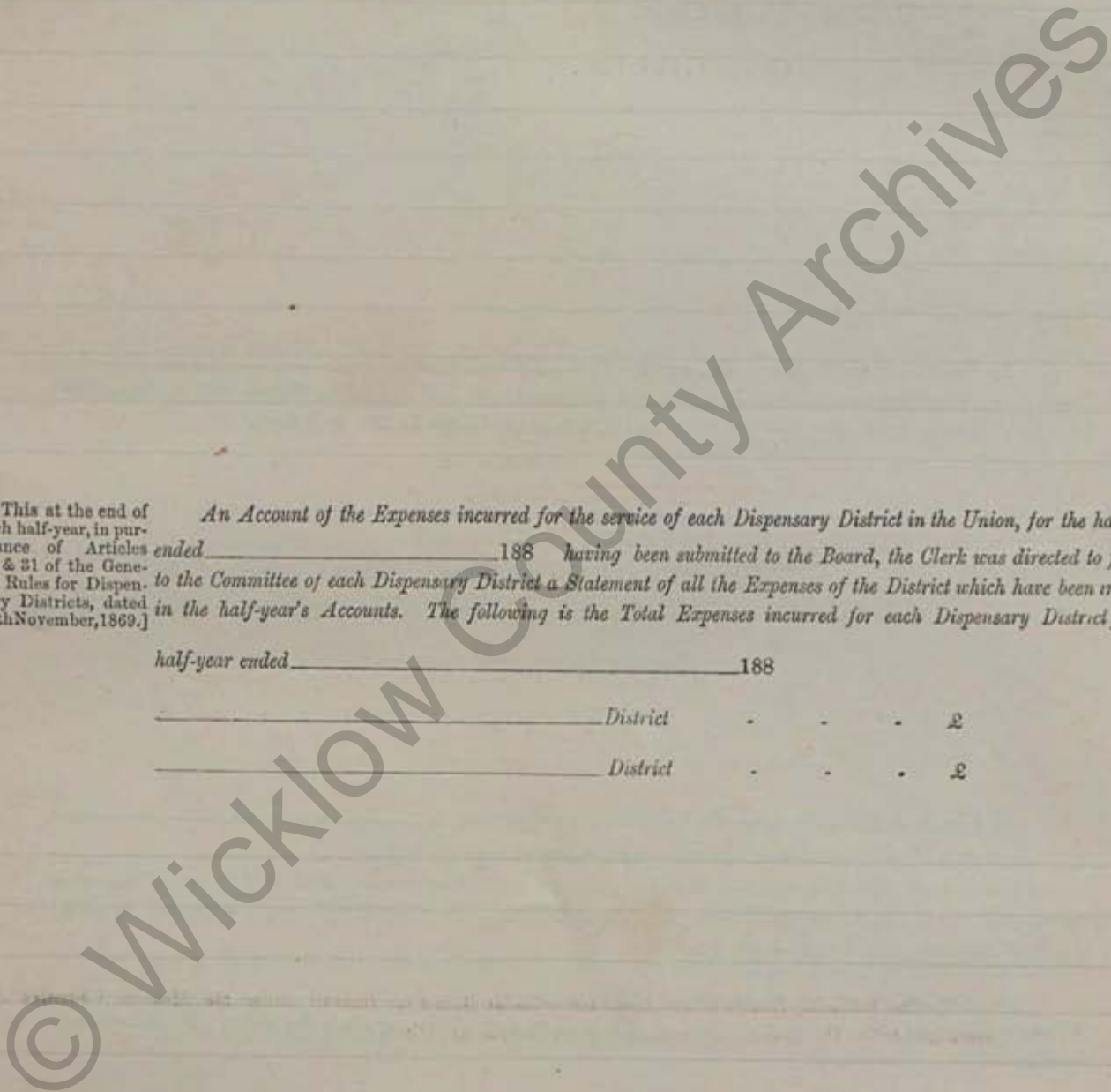
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

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):—

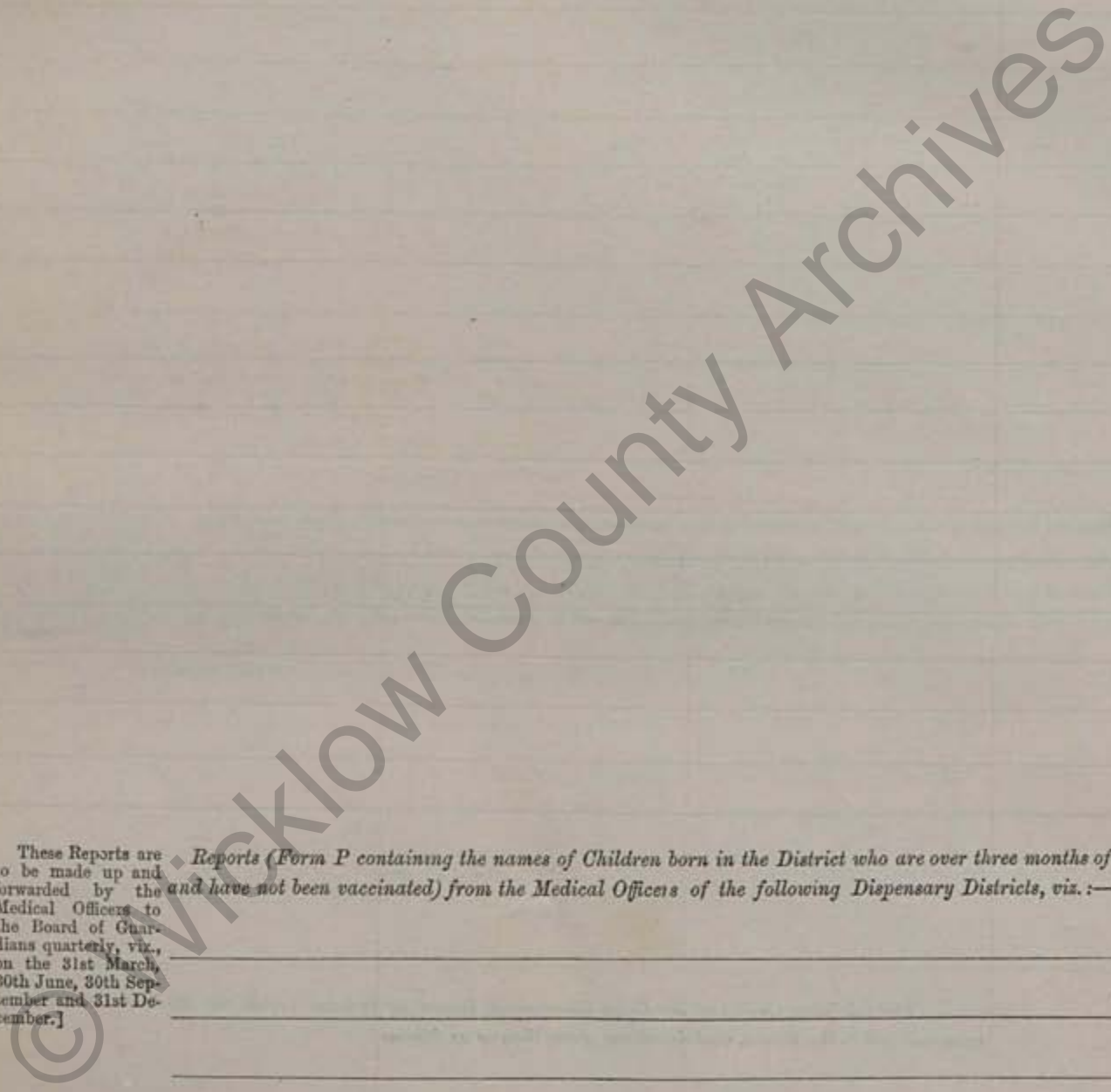
Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

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 :—



## 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
Killeshin	S. Molony	Two Reports relating to Piggeries built against Dwelling Houses.	Order— Referred to the Local Committee
			J. M. O'Connell Ch. Aug 6 <sup>th</sup> 1886

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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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128549.7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 9 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.			
			Males	Fem.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	380	243																
Temporary Buildings	—	—																
Additional Workhouse	—	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—																
Fever Sheds	—	—																
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>243</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			21	40	64	63	7	12	20	5	19	301	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	94	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	25	13	
Admitted during the Week,			41	5	2	1					1	50	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital			11		
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>62</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			45	5	3	2	0	1	1		1	56	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.					
Died,														Males	Females	Children under 14	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			45	5	3	2		1	1		1	58	No. Relieved during week	36	1		37	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	40	63	62	7	11	19	5	19	243	No. in Workhouse at date	6			6	
																	No. at corresponding period last year,	213

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1886 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	124	John D. Edge
No. II.	95	179	John Manley
No. III.	213	329	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>767</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr John J. Carley D.V.C.

Other Guardians:—  
 Mr. Joseph Ellison  
 " Martin Doyle  
 " Dan Stevens



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4381 to No. 4380 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignatures of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ 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

-	-	-	-	-	£
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-	-	-	-	-	£
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And that the Balance on the Account	the Guardians was	£
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The Book was signed by the Chairman,

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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 - £ 33 : 6 : -  
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 39 : 2 : 11  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 2 : 11  
 Average Cost in Infirmary - : 3 : 3  
 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:—

1075 Pounds Bread  
 266 Gallons Newmilk  
 50 - Buttermilk  
 20 lbs Potatoes  
 340 " Meat  
 48 Hens  
 25 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 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1886

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	45	3	10
In Kind, ... ..		11	6
Total, ... ..	£ 45	15	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 ... ..	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.	
J Mc Connell	Coals	30	13	4	✓
E Mulhern	Eggs	4	6	8	✓
W Birney	Leather	3	6	-	✓
do	Muscles &c	6	5	10	✓
M J Saunders	Reps	3	9	6	✓
George Maggout	"	2	1	2	✓
J Tierney	Time &c	7	6	10	✓
J Flinn	Reps	3	4	1	✓
Infer for Mr to pay					
J Volara	"	1	7	-	
E Ellis	"		11	4	
W Franer	Cumles	1	6	3	
J Flinn	Chickens		3	-	
J Weddick	Coffins	1	4	6	
		4	12	1	✓



£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board, Dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant, acknowledging the receipt of the List of Duties allowed to the officers of this Workhouse, which does not, they state, appear to exceed in quantity or cost that which is allowed to Workhouse Officers in Unions similarly circumstanced to this Union.

Read Letter from the Governors of St. Mark's Hospital, Dublin, Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo, transmitting copies of resolutions passed by them at their meeting on the 5<sup>th</sup> Ultimo fixing the future rate of payment for the maintenance of patients sent to that Institution from Workhouses, at Two shillings per day.

Read Letter from Professor Cameron, dated 2<sup>nd</sup> instant stating that a sample of milk sent to him for analysis by the master of this Workhouse, was pure, a second sample was spilt in transit the vessel containing it having been broken.

Read Letter from the Workhouse Schoolmistress asking for leave of absence for one week.  
Leave granted

Read Letter from Veterinary Department, Dublin Castle, dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, requesting to be informed whether the Guardians have declared that Swine Fever exists on the premises of Major R Howard Brooke, at Castle Howard in this Union, and if so what are the limits of the infected place.

Read Report from Mr. Newson V.D. dated 31<sup>st</sup> ultimo, reporting that one pig the property of Major R Howard Brooke, of Castle Howard has died from Swine Fever.

Order -

The Guardians declare the premises of Major R Howard Brooke, at Castle Howard, to be a Place infected with Swine Fever, and that the Veterinary Department, Dublin Castle, be informed accordingly.

Read Letter to be noted from Mr. Wm Costelloe of Ordinary in place of Paul Costelloe, deceased.

Ordered to be noted accordingly, being superseded.

R. P. Dwyer  
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...	..	...	...	...	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).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

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

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

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



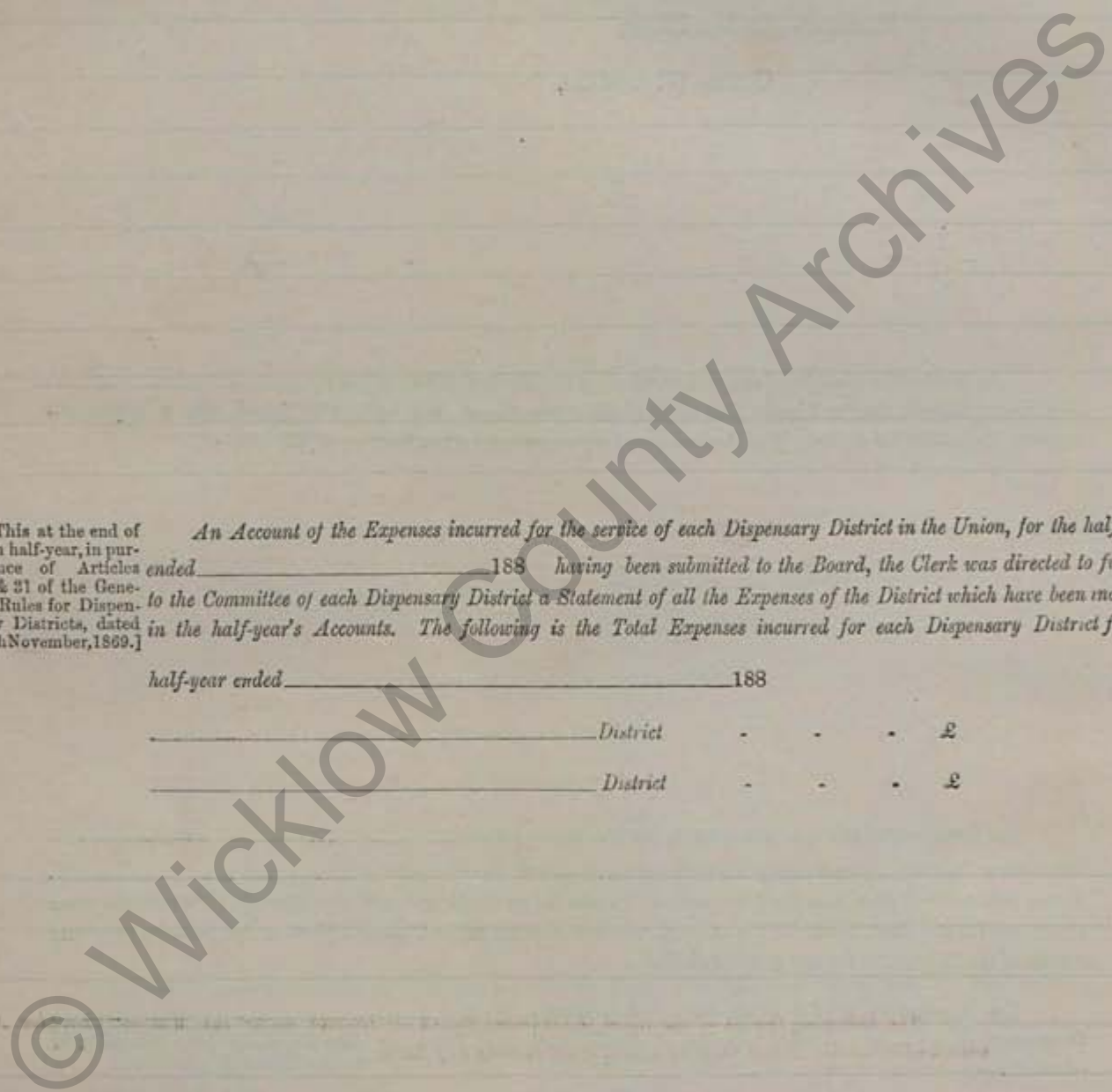
The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof, or such other directions as may be given:

\_\_\_\_\_ 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. Wm. Castellee of Ardaraun,  
to be a Warden in place of his late Father Paul  
Castellee.*

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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 L. Guze, M.D. of Newcastle Dispensary  
~~stating that~~ District, Dated 3<sup>d</sup> instant, contradicting the  
 statement which appeared in last week's Newspapers  
 to the effect that he had received a fee of one Guinea  
 for assisting in an operation outside his district,  
 the fact being that he refused to accept less than  
 two Guineas, or to attend again should a similar  
 case occur under a fee of two Guineas.

R. P. Doughty  
 Cl. M.

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

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

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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:—

Subject.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 11<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1886

Signed, B. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1881 - 34 403

Present Net Annual Value, £ 128,549. 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals in a set 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	583	243															
Temporary Buildings	-	-															
Additional Workhouse	-	-															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	-	-															
<b>Total</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>244</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			17	40	63	62	7	11	19	5	19	243	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	83	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	18
Admitted during the Week.			45	9	4	-	1	1	2	-	4	66	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>62</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>309</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			44	6	3	2	1	2	2	-	4	64	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			44	6	4	2	1	2	2	-	4	65	No. Relieved during week	42	26	2	48
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	43	63	60	7	10	19	5	19	244	No. in Workhouse at date	6	-	-	6
													No. at corresponding period last year,				221

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

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict, c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	77	122	John D. Edge
No. II.	95	178	John Manley
No. III.	210	326	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>761</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Capt. Dwyer P & Mr. Cowley JVC

Other Guardians :-

Colonel Tottenham DL  
 Mr. Joseph Ellison  
 " John Byrne  
 " Chas. Burke  
 " Miss Doyle



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4311 to No. 4360 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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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 -	34	1	5
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	39	16	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2	11
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	3
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:—

1100 Loaves Bread  
 750 Galls Newmilk  
 50 " Buttermilk  
 18 " Butter  
 340 " Meat  
 42 Sheep Heads  
 25 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 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... ..	41	8	10
In Kind, ... ..		10	-
Total, ... ..	£ 41	18	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 ... ..	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.	
M Byrne	Bread	22	10	7	✓
E m Quirk	Ment	16	-	9	✓
J Willmott	Hay	6	18	3	✓
J C Byrne	Col Rem	20	7	9	✓
J H Jarney	Lump S <sup>ts</sup>	12	4	4	✓

(L.A.)

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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 Govt Board, Dated 7<sup>th</sup> inst, sanctioning the payment of £2.2.0 to S. Ryan for assisting the Med<sup>l</sup> Officer of the Workhouse in a surgical operation,

Read report from Mr. Newson V.D. Dated the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, stating that he had ordered the slaughter of one pig the property of Mr. John Russell of Kilqueeny, Town; as being affected with Swine Fever, which he valued at £2.

Ordered - That half the value of this pig be paid to the owner.

The following Resolution was unanimously passed by the Guardians.

Resolved - That the

Classification Committee of April 1883, be reappointed with the addition of three new names, and that it be now constituted as follows - viz:

Colonel Tiche  
 Mr. J. J. Cowley  
 Mr. J. P. Ellison  
 Mr. Miles Poyne  
 Mr. John Poyne  
 Mr. Wm. Grant  
 Mr. Moses Doyle  
 Mr. Edw. Donike  
 Mr. Edw. Chamney

That the first meeting of the Committee be held on the next Special Board-day after the ordinary business is finished, and that the Committee shall afterwards meet as they shall then decide.

Mr. Donney, Solicitor under the Landless Act, appeared before the Board and reported that all preliminary procedure has been taken in regard to the cottages passed by the Board under the Act of 1883, and that in accordance with notices duly published the Arbitrator will hold his court at Rathdrum on the 14<sup>th</sup> of September next to fix the amount to be paid to owners and occupiers in respect to the land proposed to be taken compulsorily for the erection of such cottages; Mr. Donney stated that it would be necessary for the Guardians to appoint some competent person to make a valuation of the several plots of land proposed to be taken and to attend as a witness before the arbitrator to prove value.

Ordered -

That the Clerk of the Union shall write to the following Valuers of Land, and ascertain from them on what terms they are prepared to



make the required valuation and give the necessary evidence before the Arbitrator - viz

Mr Willoughby, Rathnastraw

Mr Warren, Gorey

Mr Dunne, do

Mr Brownrigg, Dohertypark

their several terms to be submitted to the Board at the Special meeting on the 25<sup>th</sup> instant.

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Mr Dooney further informed the Guardians that as Mr Short of Newtown Mount Kennedy is now ready to hand over to the Guardians the clear possession of the plot of land on which it is proposed to erect four Labourers Cottages in that village the Guardians may pay Mr Short the £30 agreed on as the price of his interest in the land, and they may also advertise for tenders for the building of these cottages.

Ordered -

That the Clerk shall forward the £30 to Mr Williams, the Rural Guardian to hand to Mr Short on receiving possession of the plot of land, on the part of the Guardians, and that the Clerk shall publish advertisements inviting tenders for the erection of these Cottages; contract to be entered into on the 25<sup>th</sup> instant.

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Ordered -

The Architect to be called on to furnish at once the necessary plans, maps, &c to enable Mr Dooney to prepare the several Schemes under the Act of 1885.

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The Clerk of the Union called the attention of the Guardians to the fact that

all the Poor Rate Collectors have now closed their collections with the exception of Collector Jones who has still a considerable amount of Rates still outstanding.

Order -

Collector Jones to be required to attend on next Board day and explain to the Board why he has not brought his collection to a close before this.

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Wm & Chas. W.  
Aug 26 1886

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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...	..	...	...	...	2
Ditto disallowed ... ..	..	...	...	...	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	..	...	...	...	1
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was ..	..	...	...	...	2
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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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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }

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having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same  
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*On Application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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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:

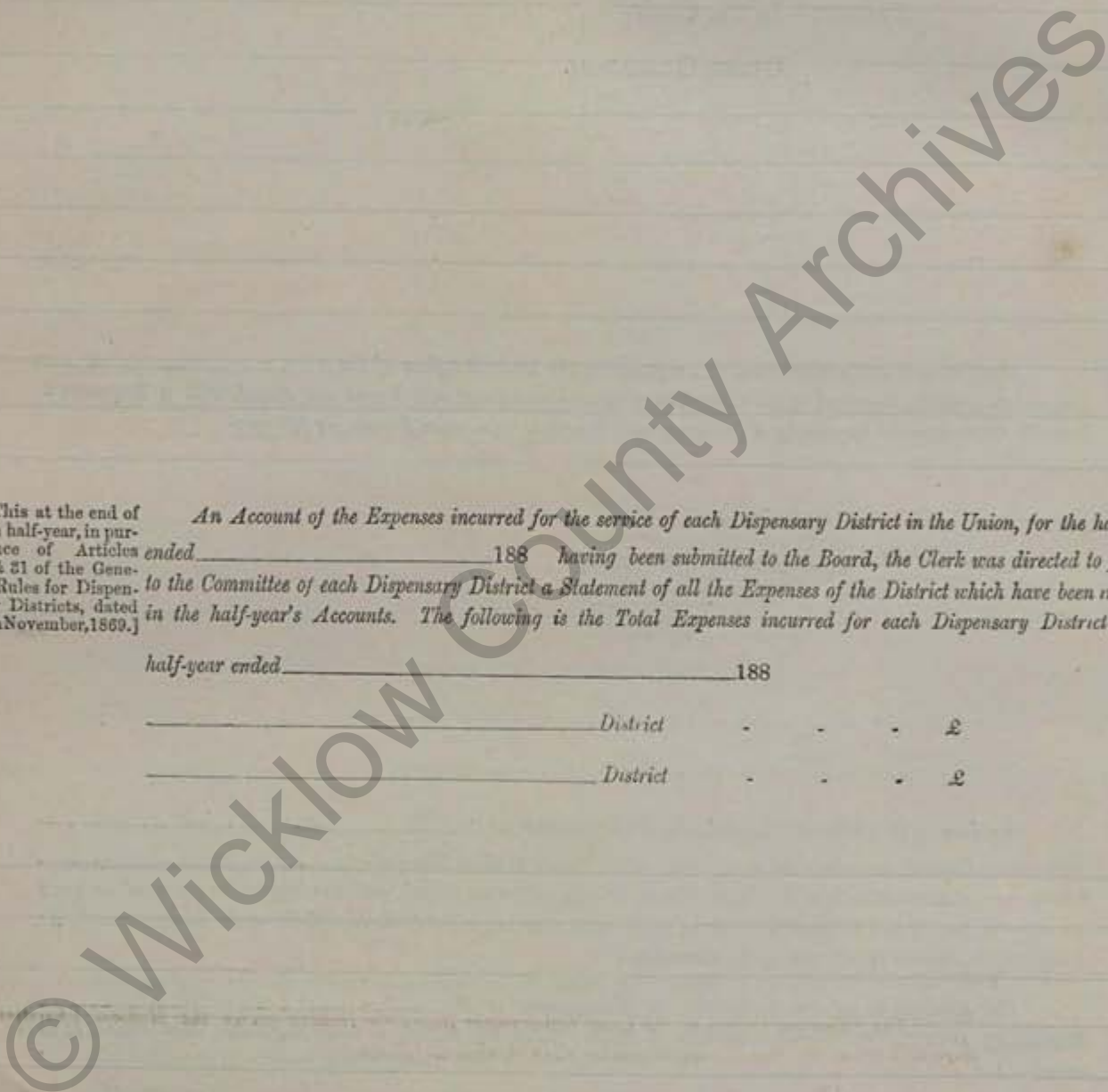
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

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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Read Resolutions passed by the Wicklow Dispensary Committee, concerning the appointment of Dr James Halpin, as locum tenens for the Medical officer of the District for the months of July and August, without salary -

Approved by the Guardians  
J. J. Cowley Secy  
Aug 11 / 86

Wm. J. Kelly Chm  
Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 1886

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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Population in 1881 — 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £.128,549. 7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Totals 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatic and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	580	237															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>238</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			18	43	63	60	7	60	19	5	19	244	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	77	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	17
Admitted during the Week.			50	13	5	2	2	—	3	1	4	80	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>68</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			54	15	4	1	3	—	2	2	5	86	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			54	15	4	1	3	—	2	2	5	86	No. Relieved during week	469	9	5	63
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			14	41	64	66	6	10	20	4	18	238	No. in Workhouse at date	3	2	—	5
													No. at corresponding period last year,				204

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886 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.	76	121.	John D. Edge
No. II.	94	181	John Manley
No. III.	207	309	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>766</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Board on this day, only two Guardians being present, viz. Messrs Ellison and Grant.

John D. Cowley Clerk  
Aug 25<sup>th</sup> 1886



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 ...	Altidoro ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	-	-	-
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-
Average Cost in Infirmary	-	-	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	-	-	-

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - ... ..			188
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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£ 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).

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.

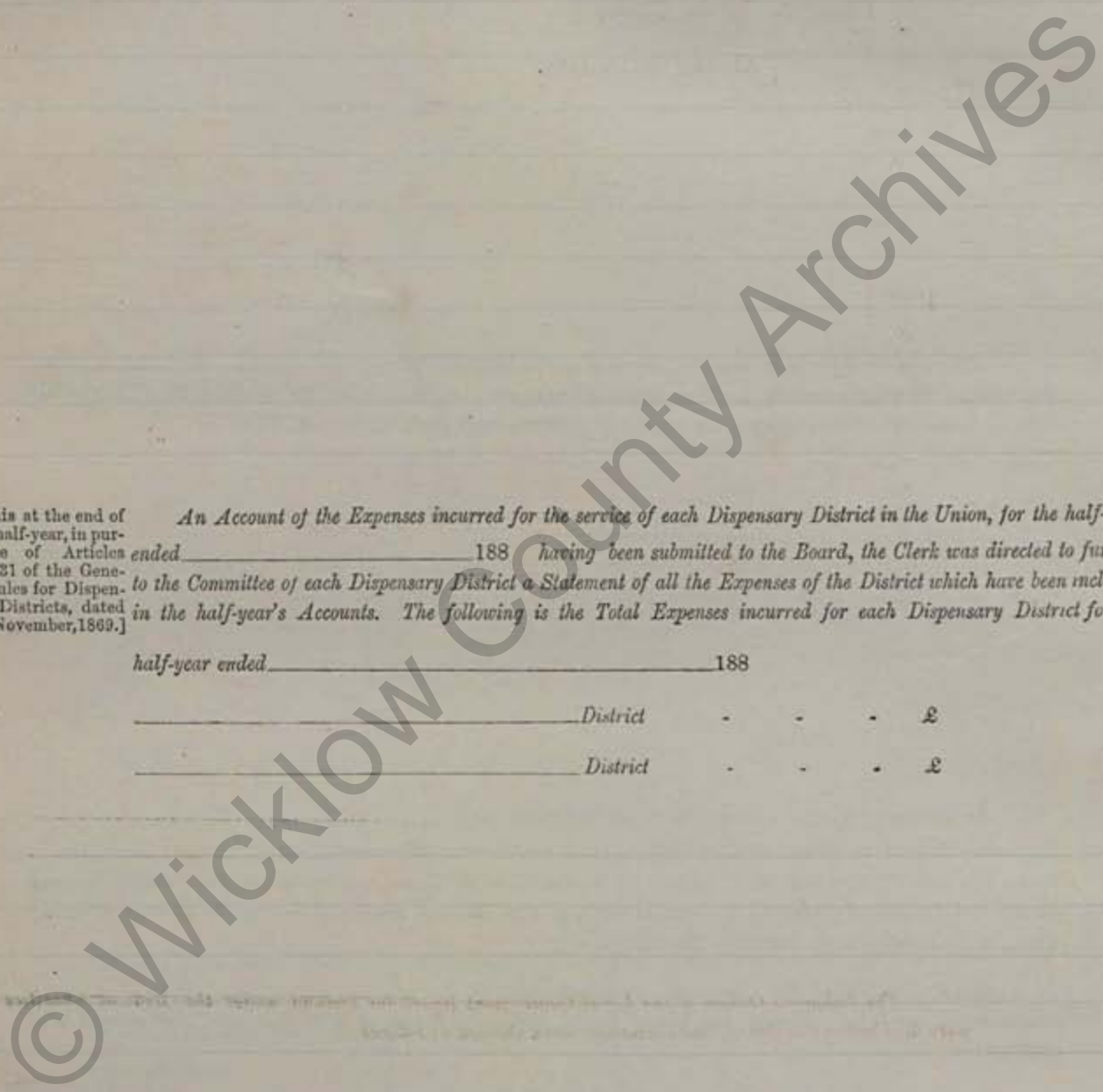
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_

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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Population in 1881 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128549:7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1886

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total 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.	Male	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	580	249														
Temporary Buildings	—	—														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
<b>Total</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>250</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			14	41	64	61	6	10	20	4	18	238	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary	73	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	125
Admitted during the Week.			46	6	—	1	2	—	—	1	1	60	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		11
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>63</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>298</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>
Discharged during the Week.			32	9	1	1	—	—	—	1	2	46				
Died.			—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2				
Total Discharged and Dead.			32	9	1	2	1	—	—	1	2	48				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			31	38	63	60	7	10	20	4	17	250	No. Relieved during week, No. in Workhouse at date	15		17
													No. at corresponding period last year.			205

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	76	121	John D. Edge
No. II.	94	181	John Manley
No. III.	203	320	Joseph Levingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>757</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr John J Cowley DVC

Other Guardians:—

- |                     |               |
|---------------------|---------------|
| Johnel Tottenham DL | Mr. Dan Byrne |
| Captain Drought JP  | " E Chamney   |
| Genl E Tombe JP     | " W Grant     |
| Mr. Jas. Graydon    | " T Williams  |
| Mr. J. P. Ellison   | " S Belton    |
| " L. Wolcheran      | " John Doyle  |
| " E. Stoney         | " Moses Doyle |
| " J. O'Reilly       |               |
| " J. Payne          |               |

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



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

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account 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 ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
EDWARD BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	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.

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - £ 27 : 16 : 1  
 Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 38 : 13 : 5  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 10<sup>4</sup>  
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 3 : 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

=  
 2100 Loaves Bread  
 500 Galls Newmilk  
 170 " Buttermilk  
 34 lbs Butter  
 660 " Meat  
 84 Sheep Heads  
 16 cwt oatmeal  
 6 " Sugar  
 2 Dg Wine  
 1 cask Brandy  
 50 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 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1836 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ... ..	£ 41 : 18 : 0
In Kind, ... ..	9 : 0
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:—

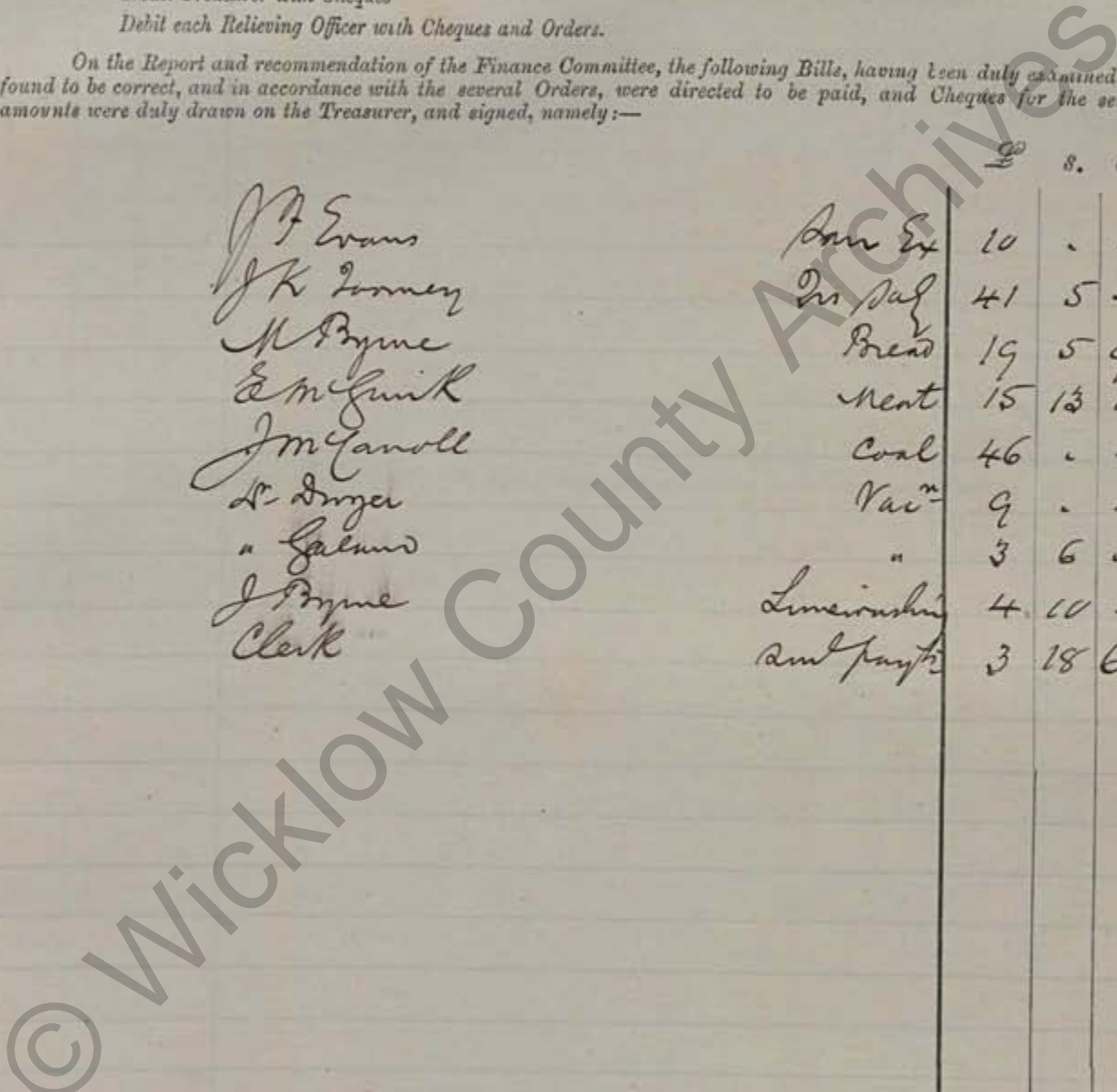
Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	JOHN D. EDGE ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..	20	-	-
No. III.	JOSEPH LEVINGSTON ... ..	30	-	-
No. IV.	RICHARD ELLISON ... ..	20	-	-

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. F. Evans	Ann Ex	10	-
J. K. Loomery	Dr. Sal	41	5
M. Byrne	Bread	19	5 9
E. M. Guirk	Meat	15	13 10
J. M. Canoll	Coal	46	-
L. Dwyer	Vac <sup>m</sup>	9	-
" Galand	"	3	6
J. Byrne	Lime washing	4	10
Clerk	and pay <sup>ts</sup>	3	18 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 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<sup>t</sup> Board, Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant, forwarding for the use of the Guardians a copy of the Appendix to their Fourteenth Annual Report.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant transmitting to be laid before the Guardians for their observations thereon, a further letter received from Mr. Moses Doyle J.P., in reference to the rations allowed to the Officers of this Workhouse.

After a lengthened discussion in the course of which Mr. Doyle alleged that the rations at present received by the Master and Matron of the Workhouse was illegally voted to them by the Ex-Officio Guardians of the Union; and an

explanation from the Master in which he stated that the Board which unanimously voted the ratons now received by himself and the Master was composed of 7 ex-officio Guardians and 25 Elected Guardians, the following resolution was proposed by Mr. Lambert P and seconded by Mr. S. Belton -

Resolved -

That this Board having repeatedly expressed its opinion on the matter of the Officers ratons is quite content to leave any further action in the hands of the Local Government Board.

Passed unanimously

Read Warrant for the removal of James Dunne, from the Cardiff Union in Wales to this Workhouse.

The Master reported that this man was delivered at the Workhouse, but only remained till next day.

Read reports from Mr. Newson V.D. stating that during the last two weeks he had ordered the slaughter of the following Pigs, as being affected with Swine Fever, and had valued them as follows

Mr. Walter S. Lige -	5 Pigs	Valued at £2 each
"    "    "	2 "	" " 30/- "
"    "    "	3 "	" " £2 "
Mr. Patrick Carr	1 Pig	" " 2-5/-
"    "    "	1 "	" " 2 -

Order - Half the Value as above to be paid to the owners.

£  
10  
3  
6  
2-19  
£9-10-0  
4-5-  
2-2-6



Read Letter from the Veterinary Department  
Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, requesting to be  
informed whether the Guardians have declared that  
"Swine Fever" exists on the premises occupied by Mr.  
Walter S Dighe, at Milltown, and if so what are  
the limits of the "Infected Place" prescribed by them.

Resolved - That the Guardians declare that "Swine  
Fever" does exist on the premises occupied by Mr. W. S.  
Dighe at Milltown, and they prescribed the Farm  
yard of Mr Dighe at Milltown as the "Infected Place".

The Veterinary Department to be informed accordingly.

The Guardians proceeded to appoint a proper  
qualified valuer to give evidence before the Quert.  
Arbitrator as to the value of the several plots of  
land about to be taken compulsorily for the erection  
of Labourers Cottages.

Four gentlemen offered their services  
for the performance of this work viz Messrs Willoughby,  
Brammrigg, Dunne and Warren; The two first  
named of whom were duly proposed and seconded, and  
after a full discussion of their respective merits a  
poll was taken, when there appeared for Mr.  
Willoughby 10 Votes for Mr. Brammrigg 6 votes.

Mr. Willoughby was accordingly appointed at  
a remuneration of £1 per cottage, same to cover  
all expenses in connection with the matter.

In accordance with advertisements duly  
published the Guardians proceeded to consider tenders  
for the erection of four labourers Cottages in Neerum-  
mount-Kennedy, according to the Plan & Specifications



prepared by the Guardians' instructions.

The tender of Mr. John Clarke, Wicklow, was accepted at £66:10:0 per cottage; All to be completed in three months from the day of receiving possession of the sites.

£266

The Clerk submitted to the Board the Deed of Mortgage securing the repayment of the Loan of £400 sanctioned in respect of the labourers cottages in Glenealy E.D. in reference to which the following resolutions were passed.

Resolved -

That our Corporate Seal be affixed to the Deed of Mortgage of this date now read, whereby security is given to the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland for the repayment of £400 proposed to be advanced by them to us

John J. Cowley Ch<sup>r</sup>

Resolved -

That inasmuch as this Board has expended moneys in their hands - namely Rates for the Relief of the Poor - in the erection of four labourers cottages in the Glenealy E.D. in anticipation of the sum of £400, agreed to be advanced to them on mortgage by the Commissioners of Public Works in Ireland, this day executed by this Board, which cottages have been completed. - It is resolved that the said Commissioners be requested to advance the full amount in one instalment, with as little delay as may be.

John J. Cowley Ch<sup>r</sup>

Read Letter from Mr. G. Johnston



the Guardians Architect under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> instant, stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry as to the cause of the delay in furnishing the maps, Schedules &c. relating to the second set of Schemes for labourers cottages in this Union, that he cannot consent to proceed further until the Guardians recognize his claim to payment of a sum of £1.10.00 for surveying the plots of land on which the four cottages are about to be built in Newtown - Mount - Kennedy and making maps thereof on the Lease and Counterpart of 2<sup>d</sup> plot.

Order.

That Mr Johnston be paid the sum he is in demand of, in order that no further delay shall take place; but this payment is not to be regarded as a precedent for future cases.

=  
J. M. & Cowley Clerk  
Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1886

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...	...	...	...	10
Ditto disallowed ... ..	...	...	...	3
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	...	...	...	17

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 ... .. ✓

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).

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
the 25<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

## (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

- I. MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.  
II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS.

*see first page of minutes*

*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:

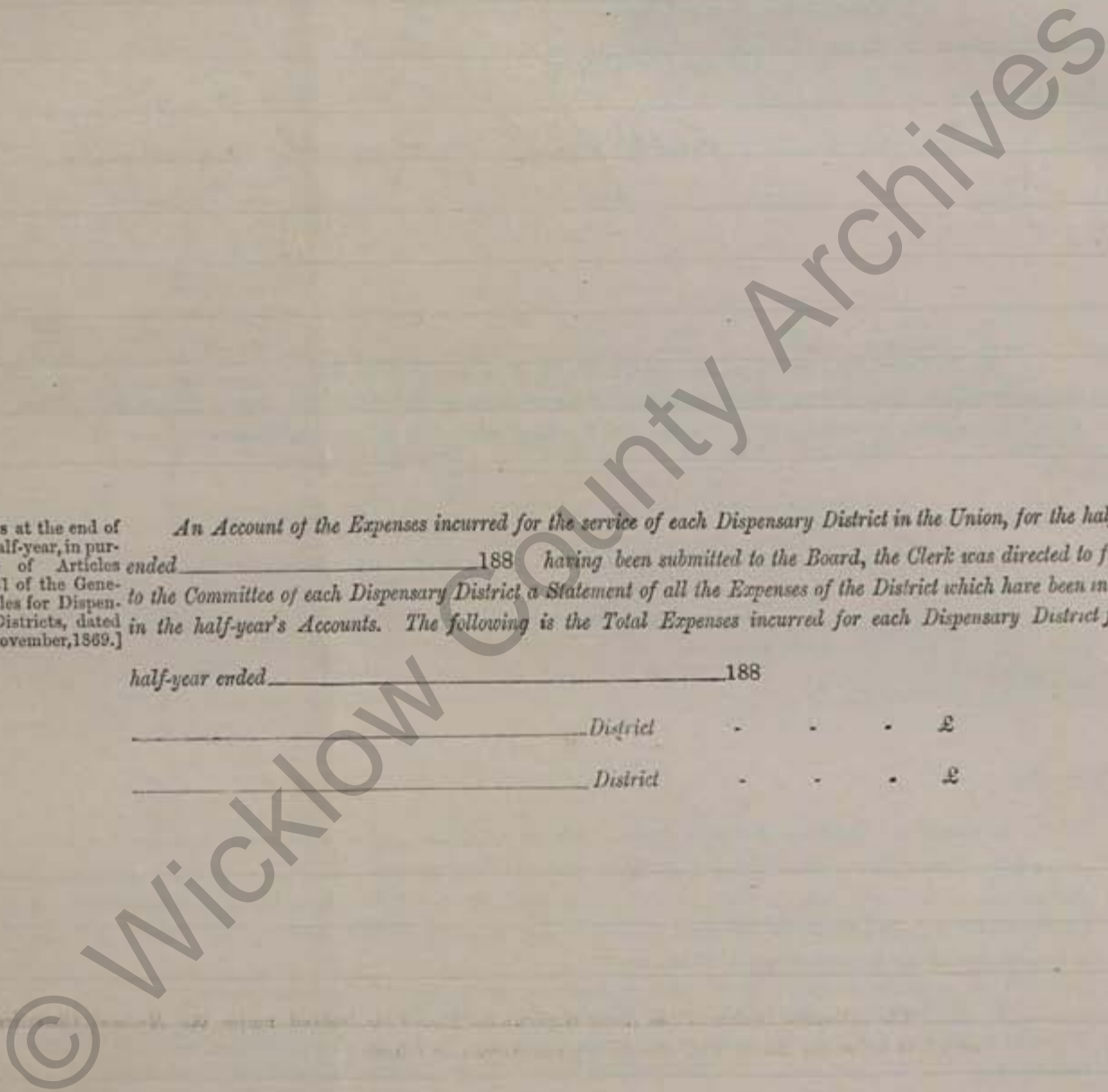
Dispensary District.

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 14<sup>th</sup> instant  
~~stating that~~ requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in Wicklow Dispensary District, reported on Guardians Minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> Ultimo have since complied with the Law.

Order.

The Medical Officer to be applied to for this information.

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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.:—

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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:—

In obedience to the Guardians orders Mr. Jones, P.R.C. attended before the Board to explain the cause of his not having brought his collection to a close before this, —

Mr. Jones stated that he had experienced great difficulty in collecting the Rates, and had to summon several persons; In one instance in which he levied a distress the animals seized were forcibly rescued from him; Some of the persons still in default are waiting to sell their hay before paying their Rates; He promised without fail to close his collection before next Board day.

J. M. & C. W. C. Clerk  
Sept 7<sup>th</sup> 1886





Population in 1851 - 34403

Present Net Annual Value, £128549:7/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Age 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	928															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>228</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			31	38	63	60	7	10	20	4	17	250	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	73	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,	125	
Admitted during the Week.			36	13	1	—	4	1	3	1	2	61	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	—		13	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>67</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>36</b>	
Discharged during the Week.			50	12	4	1	5	1	3	2	4	82	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died.			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead.			50	12	4	2	5	1	3	2	4	82	No. Relieved during week, No. in Workhouse at date	32	8	8	48
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			17	39	60	58	6	10	20	3	15	228	No. at corresponding period last year,	4	—	—	4
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1886 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	75	118	John D. Edges
No. II.	94	185	John Manley
No. III.	199	307	Joseph Livingston
No. IV.	98	135	Richard Ellison
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>745</b>	

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of September 1886

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr John J Cowley DVC

Other Guardians:—

James Tottenham & L  
 Mr Joseph Ellison  
 " John Byrne



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4361 to No. 4460 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 BYRNE ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
WILLIAM C. JONES ...	Arklow ...									
	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovooca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdram ...									
	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 -	84	2	8
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .	38	6	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . .		2	20 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Average Cost in Infirmary . . . . .		3	1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
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:—

1050	Loaves Bread
240	Galls Newmilk
50	" Buttermilk
18	lb Butter
300	" Meat
86	Sheep Heads
30	Dog-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.

This Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1886 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	44	3	6
In Kind, . . . . .		14	0
Total, . . . . .	£ 44	17	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:—

		£	s.	d.
J. Dollard	Saturday	26	0	9
Clerk	Rem. Jan. Mt	31	08	-
E. Dallon	Shoes	10	3	-
E. Mulhern	Eggs	4	3	4
W. Taylor	Outmeal	10	6	-
W. & Digne	Compt for Pigs	9	10	-
J. Carr	W	2	2	6
	Clerk of Union			
St. Johnston	L a	1	10	-
J. Quinn	Fee	1	-	-
J. Flinn	Exp. Patients	1	5	-
St. Malpin	Fee	1	-	-
P. W. & Co.	Exp		10	-
		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 from Local Government Board, Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> of August 1886, transmitting for payment by the Guardians the Returning Officers Account of Expenses attending the election of a Guardian for Altitude Electoral Division in June

$\begin{array}{r} s \quad d \\ 10:9 \end{array}$  - last amounting to ten shillings and nine pence.

Read Letter from Veterinary Depart<sup>mt</sup> Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> of August last informing the Guardians that the sum of Sixteen Pounds sixteen shillings and three pence has been lodged with the Union Treasurer, being half the amount paid under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act 1878 during the three months ended 30<sup>th</sup> June last.

Read Reports from Mr. Newson V.S.

stating that he had ordered the Slaughter of the following Pigs during the week as being affected with "Swine Fever", and had valued them as follows viz.:

~~Mr. W. S. Dwyer~~

Mr. James Trim - 1 Pig - Valued at £ 2.0.0

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

Ordered - That the restrictions under the Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, placed on the premises of Mr. John Ruskell of Killybegny be removed subject to Mr. Newman's report.

Read Letter from Local Government Board, Dated the 31st Ultimo, forwarding Forms (A B and C) to be filled up and returned to them relating to the Loan of £ 400 required by the Guardians in respect of four cottages built in Glenealy E.D. under the Labours (Ireland) Acts.

Ordered to be complied with.

Read Letter from the Solicitor to the Commissioners of Public Works, Dated the 28th Ultimo, requesting that a sum of 10/- be lodged to their credit in respect to the above Loan.

Ordered to be complied with. -

Read Letter from Mr. G. L. Dolan, the Guardians Architect under the Labours (Ireland) Acts, forwarding Plans & Specification of Cottages to be built under these Acts, and stating that he is in a position



to furnish Ordnance maps marked for deposit at the Local Government Board any time with two days notice;

Mr. Dooney, the Guardians Solicitor under Labours Act, attended before the Board and explained that as soon as he receives the documents mentioned by Mr. Johnston he will at once prepare the New Schemes ordered to be made under the Act of 1885.

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Read Letter from D<sup>r</sup>. W. G. Dooney, Solicitor to Mr. Henry Russell, the occupier of part of the land of Garrymore, in which it is proposed to erect a labourers cottage, stating that there is no public road leading to the proposed site and that he will not permit any person to pass over his farm or have access to same; He requests to be informed whether under these circumstances the Guardians will go any further towards making this cottage.

Order - Doctor Dooney to be informed that he can appear before the Arbitrator if he thinks fit, on the 14<sup>th</sup> instant.

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Read Letter from Mr. Wm. C. Jones, P.R.C., Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> instant, stating to the effect that he was unable to close his Collection (according to his promise against this day) and stating that the only thing he can do now is to wait till the hay auctions of the defaulting rate payers take place.

Order - The Clerk to write to Mr. Jones to bring in his books on Monday for examination to as-

= certain how much money is in hand at this date.

The following Notices of motion were served. -

I hereby give notice that I will propose a resolution on Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant to pay the Poor Rate Collectors their full percentage rate for all rates collected within the seven months; and half that sum on all outstanding rates

John Byrne

I also propose on same day to propose a resolution to receive tenders in future for the collection of Rates.

John Byrne

Received. John J. Cowley - Chm  
Sept 9<sup>th</sup> 1886

The usual Yearly, Half-yearly, and Quarterly Contracts, for Clothing, Ironing, Establishment, Provisions, Newsagents &c. were ordered to be advertised for Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant;

J. M. J. Cowley Chm  
Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 1886



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...	..	...	...	...	2
Ditto disallowed ... ..	..	...	...	...	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..	..	...	...	...	2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was ..	...	...	...	...	9
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... ..	..	...	...	...	9
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	..	...	...	...	1
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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,  
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PRESENT—In the Chair,

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*An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On Application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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supplied:—*



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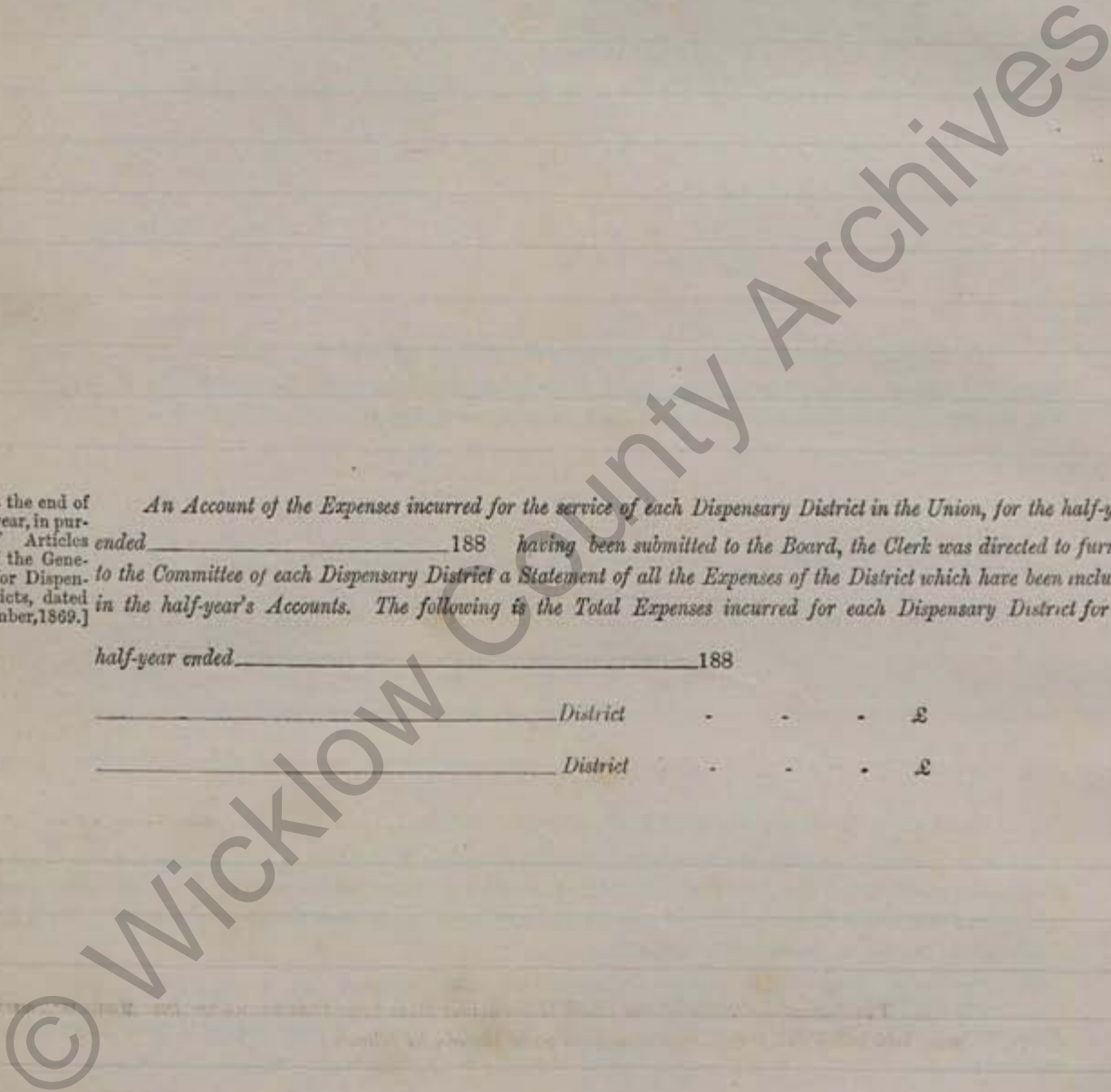
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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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:—*

*Quambl* 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 Dr. Galpin, Wicklow dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo  
 stating that all the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccina-  
-tion Act in the Wicklow Dispensary District have now  
Complied with the law except about ten.

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

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

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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	S <sup>r</sup> Gage	Report relating to deficient water supply in the village of Kilpedder	Order - That tenders be invited for the erection of a Public Pump in the village of Kilpedder, similar to those in course of erection at Newtown-Monast-Kennedy. Contract to be taken on the 22 <sup>nd</sup> instant.
N	N	Report relating to impure water supply in the village of Newcastle	No order - Earl Fitzwilliam, Landlord of the village being about to provide a proper water supply.
Wicklow	S <sup>r</sup> Halpin	Report relating to a dilapidated and filthy dwelling on the townland of Bally Killarone	No order - The Guardians are about to erect two labourers Cottages on this townland.

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





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

Read Circular from Local Government Board, Dated the 30<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, transmitting for the information of the Guardians three copies of a General Order issued by them prohibiting the importation into this County of Rugs from Spain:

2 J. M. & C. W. C. C. C.  
Sept 8<sup>th</sup> 1886

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 8<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1886

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