

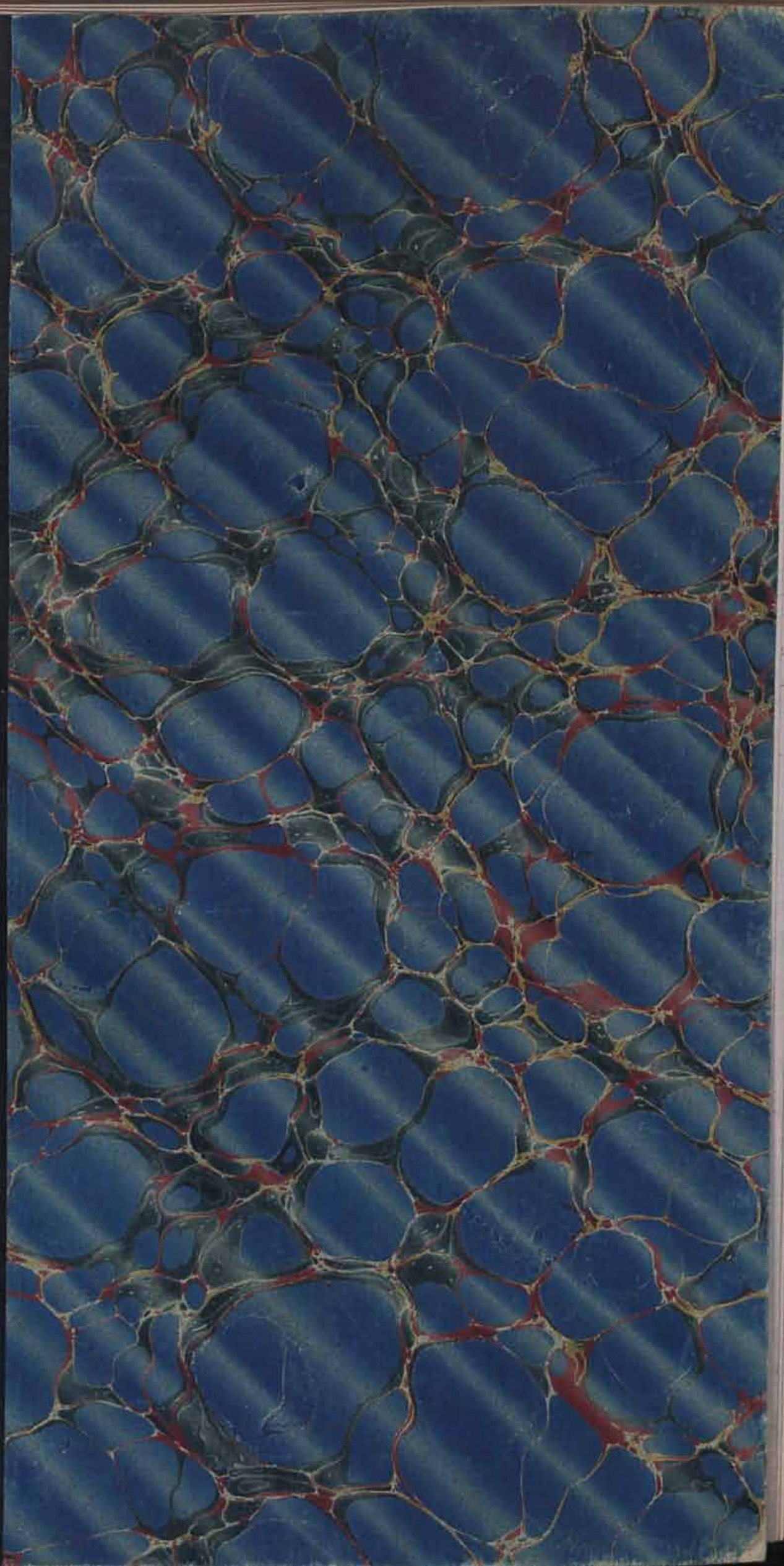
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RATHDRUM UNION

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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	600	239															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	8															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	680	247															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	35	67	56	5	3	26	3	14	225	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	107	In separate Wards	30	
Admitted during the Week			39	10	5	2	1	3	7	2	3	72	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other inmates		
TOTAL			55	45	72	58	6	6	33	5	17	297	TOTAL	115	TOTAL		
Discharged during the Week			23	7	4	—	—	—	2	1	4	33	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			23	7	7	—	—	—	2	1	4	33	No. Relieved during week	25	10	7	42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			32	38	65	58	4	5	29	2	14	247	No. in Workhouse at date	17	8	5	30
													No. at corresponding period last year, 256				

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 April 1895 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.	74	124	David Edge
No. II.	79	116	John Manley
No. III.	183	230	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	84	134	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	420	604	= 633

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D<sup>o</sup> Ch<sup>o</sup>

Other Guardians: Major Tottenham P  
 Mr. William Magee P  
 " " W<sup>m</sup> Payne P  
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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4521 to No. 4560 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 G. MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Brockagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East									
	„ South									
	„ West									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly									
	Kilbride									
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Ovoca									
WILLIAM SMETH ...	Aughrim									
	Ballinaelush									
	Ballinacor									
	Ballinderry									
	Knockrath									
	Rathdrum									
	Trooperstown									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	37	-	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	9	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		5	11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	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:—

7 weeks

1960 Loaves Bread
540 galls Newmilk
64 " Buttermilk
50 lbs Butter
1040 " Meat
60 Hens
66 Do. Eggs
4 1/2 Dns Porter
10 cwt Sugar
1/4 " Starch

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 13<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	£	36	9	0
In Kind ...		1	17	9
Total ...	£	38	6	9

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
E Short	Newmills	8	12 2
J Drury	Breen	8	14 -
J Doyle	Paul	3	- -
M Clarke	on an' contract	48	15 -
J Hall	"	56	10 -
J Whelan	In for Mr. Wipery		
L Murphy	Jeffins	14	9
M Byrne	Making Co.	10	4
J Hayden	Paper	10	-
Collis	"	8	-
S Johnson	"	5	-
"	Exp. for fence	5	-
	Conroy	2	9
		218	10

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

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

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

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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>d</sup> instant forwarding for the information of the Guardians extracts from the Report of the District Inspector of National Schools, relating to his inspection and examination of the Workhouse Schools in the month of January last, which are of a very satisfactory character.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant calling for the usual Quarterly Return of Rates made &c.

Read Letter from Same, Dated 8<sup>th</sup> inst calling for a Return in duplicate showing the expenses incurred by the Guardians for Medical and educational purposes during the half year ended



the 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1895, with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant made for that purpose.

(29) Read Circulars from same, Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> instant forwarding for the information of the Board extracts from the Merchant Shipping Act 1894.

Read Letter from same Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. expressing their sanction to the proposal to increase the salary of Dr. Leeper to £120 a year as Medical Officer of the Workhouse, and to £15 a year as Sanitary Officer:

Read Letter from Dr. Leeper Medical Officer of the Workhouse, stating that it is highly desirable that a Committee be appointed by the Board to examine into the state of the Hospital Wards; The H.G. Inspector has reminded the Board that it is now the time for having the Workhouse painted, and before this can be done the walls must be cemented from the eaves to the roof, and a surface of lime plaster put on them; The ventilators in the Hospital wards have been closed by repeated coats of white wash being put on over them; and the windows need careful attention as they admit the rain.

Order -

Mr King to be asked to estimate for the best means of securing the walls cheaply but effectively, in conference with Dr. Leeper, Mr. Ellison, and the Master of the Workhouse.

The following notices of motion were served: -

We give notice that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May next we will move that the time has now come for raising the salary of the Medical Officer of Health Wicklow Dispensary District to £120 a year, and £15 a year as Medical Officer of Health being the same amount as that paid to his predecessor.

William Magee JP  
William Fuller

CGD 19/4/95

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight (in conformity with the requirements of the Local Government Board) I will move that Dr. Ryan's salary be increased from £110 to £135 per annum, viz. from £100 to £120 as Medical Officer, and from £10 to £15 as Sanitary Officer in the Rathbarney Dispensary District.

Edward Ellison  
April 19<sup>th</sup> 1895

CGD

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight (in conformity with the requirements of the Local Government Board) I will make that Dr. Livermore's salary be increased from £110 to £135 per annum viz. from £100 to £120 as Medical Officer, and from £10 to £15 as Sanitary Officer, in the Newcastle Dispensary District.

C R W Tottenham  
19<sup>th</sup> April 1895

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Colonel Tottenham & Co. 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:—

*Revs report of the Newbridge Dispensary Committee stating that the repairs & alterations to theerry house Dispensary, as contracted for have been satisfactorily carried out, and recommending payment to be made to the Contractor of the amount of his contract £56:10:0.*

*Ordered to be paid accordingly: —*

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:

Arklow Dispensary District.

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

A meeting of the Arklow Dispensary Committee was held on Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> April 1895, members present:-

Alex<sup>r</sup>. Dailymor Esq<sup>r</sup> in the Chair  
 Mess<sup>rs</sup>: R. Philpot P., L. Hanagan P., Edw<sup>d</sup> Ellison Esq<sup>r</sup>  
 S. Sheehan Esq<sup>r</sup>, R. Howard P. Hon. Sec. per tem  
 Proposed by Mr Hanagan seconded by Mr Sheehan  
 and passed unanimously that the following be the officers  
 for the ensuing year -

Rev. Hon. Earl of Jersey - Chairman  
 Mr L. Wolohan Esq<sup>r</sup> - Vice-Chairman  
 " Dan Condon Esq<sup>r</sup> - Hon. Sec.  
 " Rob<sup>t</sup> Howard P. - Asst. Hon. Sec.

An application for increase of salary having been received from Dr. Gardiner - It was proposed by Mr Howard and seconded by Mr Ellison and passed

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

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

the application of Dr. Gardiner for an increase of his salary, and recommend that his application be granted, namely an increase of £20 in his salary as M.D. and £5 as Sanit. Officer - or M.D. - as they are of opinion that considering the largeness of his District, and also that there has been a very large reduction in the Medical expenses during his term of office, in one year amounting to no less than £68. he is entitled to it:

Proposed by Mr Hanagan, seconded by Mr Sheehan and passed unanimously - That the Committee approve of the appointment of a midwife for Arklow Dispensary District, at a salary of £15 a year, and a fee of 2/6 for each township case, and 7/6 for each country case.

Plan of the

[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:—

Doctors Residence and Dispensary as amended was laid before the Committee and approved - the following being the alterations - the fire places in the parlour and bed room over it to be removed to the centre wall - the Dispensary N.C. to be abolished, and a dry earth closet for servants substituted in the yard; - the wall of the N<sup>o</sup> room and Dispensary to be carried up to a uniform height with the Residence. - the front wall of the Dispensary to be brought forward to form a right line with the Doctors Residence. - The Pantry and store to be raised to provide a passage to the new rooms over the Dispensary; A Burial Trap to be put as marked on Plan.

Richard Howard, 14 S. P. D.

Order

Approved with the exception of the paragraph relative to the alterations of Plan for Doctors Residence - to be considered on Tuesday fortnight - But notice must be given as to raising the salary of Dr. Gwynne  
C. J. D. - 6/4/95

## Wicklow

The annual meeting of the Wicklow Dist<sup>o</sup> Comm<sup>ee</sup> was held on the 9<sup>th</sup> of April 1895, members present -

Mr. E. N. Wynne P.P. in the chair  
Major Welch P.P. Mess<sup>rs</sup> Wm. Magee P.P., Wm. Cullen P.P.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical

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

Edw<sup>d</sup> S. Stoney P.P., John Byrne P.P., A. Robb & Wm. Desaix  
Order dated Proposed by Major Welch (state subject.) seconded by Mr. Magee

and passed unanimously - That the outgoing officers be re-elected -  
viz.

Kenny P. Innell Esq. D.D.	Chairman
Edw <sup>d</sup> N. Wynne Esq. P.P.	Vice-Chair
Mr. Wm. Desaix	Hon. Sec.

An application being received from Dr. James Halpin asking for a raise of salary - It was proposed by Mr. Magee P.P. and seconded by Mr. Cullen P.P. and unanimously

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):-

Resolved

Read Letter from ~~that we recommend~~ the Board of Guardians to ~~increase the salary of D. Dalpin to that of his predecessor, viz. £120 as Medical Officer of Dispensary, and £15 as Med<sup>l</sup> Officer of Health, he being eight years appointed, and giving the highest possible satisfaction.~~

Resolved -

That we recommend that a fee of one guinea be paid to D. J. Payne for services rendered by him during the enforced absence of D. Dalpin who reports as follows -

I have to request the Committee to make an order for payment of £1:1:0 to D. Payne for visiting Mrs. Jeffrey, High St. Wicklow, on the 16<sup>th</sup> March, this was a Midwifery case requiring immediate attendance, I was away from the town on this evening visiting Dispensary patients for five hours.

Signed James H. Dalpin Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup>

Resolved -

That a letter be written to the Clergy of the different Parishes in this District asking them to use their influence to abate what is considered in some cases an unjustifiable practice, viz. issuing red tickets indiscriminately as to time, and we consider that if tickets were not issued later than say 9 o'clock a.m. it would give the D. a better opportunity of visiting the different patients on his route; and we also recommend that a printed form to that effect be put up in

[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 F 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, Rathnew and Ashford; this not referring in any way to accident or critical cases requiring

urgency -

William Deavis. Hon. Sec.

Order -

Approved by the Guardians, down to the last resolution. - The Guardians wish to know why the ~~was laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:-~~ midwife nurse was not employed in Mrs. Jeffrey's case.

(S.D.)

Read Reports Form F. Wicklow 21 Defaulters - Anghrim  
4 Defaulters -

Order - Notices to be served in such cases as are reported for the 1<sup>st</sup> time, prosecutions in the other cases.



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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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



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

Read Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant expressing their sanction to the proposal to increase the Salary of Sanitary Post Office Manly by £5. per annum,

However, as this Officers present salary exceeds the Scale laid down in the Board Circular Letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> of October 1874, no portion of the increase can be recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant.

Read Letter from same of same Date, returning to the Guardians their Estimate in duplicate of the Rates (original & supplemental) required under the Seed Potatoes Supply (Ireland) Act 1875, and requesting that an amended Estimate in respect of the full sum required, viz £80, may be forwarded to them in duplicate,

Order. Complied with GO.

Read Circular from same of same Date, requesting to be furnished with a Return of the Salaries paid by the Guardians under the Public Health Act during the half year ended the 25<sup>th</sup> of March last.

1875.  
Read Letter from same Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant, informing the Guardians that they have directed their solicitor to instruct Counsel to prepare a Draft Provisional Order for the compulsory taking of the land required by the Guardians for the purposes of the Kilpedder Drainage Scheme.

Read Letter from Mr. Alfred D. Price C.E. Dated the 15<sup>th</sup> instant, stating that on the death of his father — (the late Mr. James Price C.E.) — he is taking up all his projects and works in pro-

= prop. - He has all the papers, notes and details with reference to the Kiperder Drainage Scheme - and begs to offer his Services to the Guardians on the same terms as his Father was employed:

Order - The Board assents to this proposal: -

Read Letter from Mr. James Byrne of Dinnakilly, stating that the Guardians having broken down the fence some 7 or 8 months ago into a plot of ground for the Dinnakilly Cottage and thereby opened his land to the public road for passing stock to enter thereon, he hopes the Guardians will see to the matter without any further delay.

Order - Referred to the Guardian of the Division: -

Wm. J. Latham Clerk  
 May 3. 95.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup>  
 day of April 1895

Signed,

B. Manning  
 Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

21

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse .. .. .	389	218															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	8															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
TOTAL .. .. .	609	226															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			32	38	65	58	4	5	29	2	14	247	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	106	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	20	15
Admitted during the Week			52	3	3	—	—	—	2	—	2	42	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8			
TOTAL			64	41	68	58	4	5	31	2	16	289	TOTAL	117	TOTAL	31	
Discharged during the Week - Died			36	7	3	—	1	3	7	2	3	62	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Dead			36	7	3	1	1	3	7	2	3	63		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			28	34	65	57	3	2	24	—	13	226	No. Relieved during week	25	2	—	27
													No. in Workhouse at date	8	—	—	8
													No. at corresponding period last year,				239

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 51, 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	123	David Edge
No. II.	78	120	John Manley
No. III.	183	230	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	83	133	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS	418	606	= 640

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

the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Board on this day, only one Guardian - Mr. Edward Ellison - being present.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account \_\_\_\_\_ the Guardians was £ \_\_\_\_\_

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

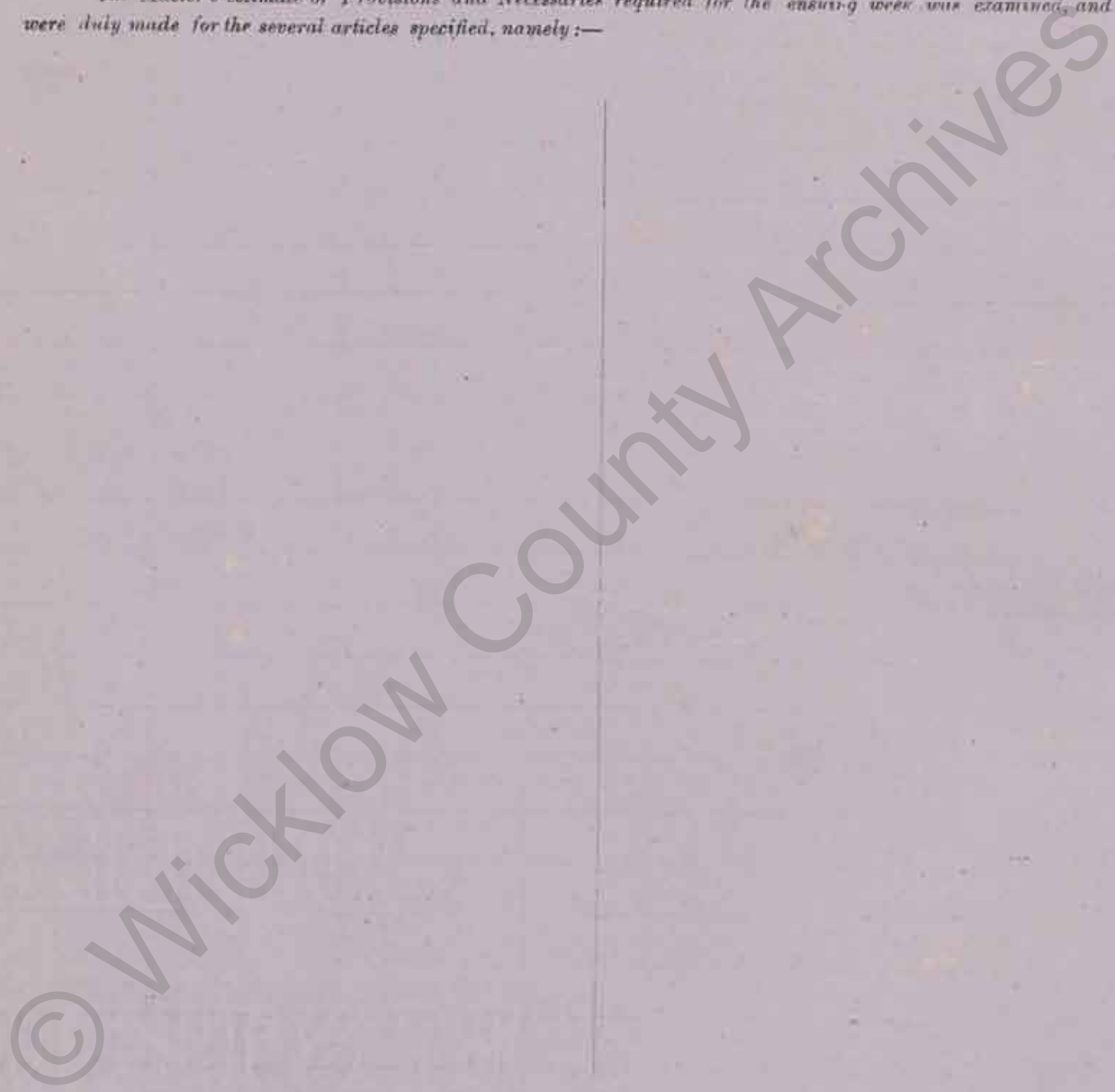
NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	:	:	:
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 \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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



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.	DAVID EDGE ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ... ..			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ... ..			

*Credit Treasurer with Cheques.*

*Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.*

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

£      s.      d.

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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.*

<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 was</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).*



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS :—

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

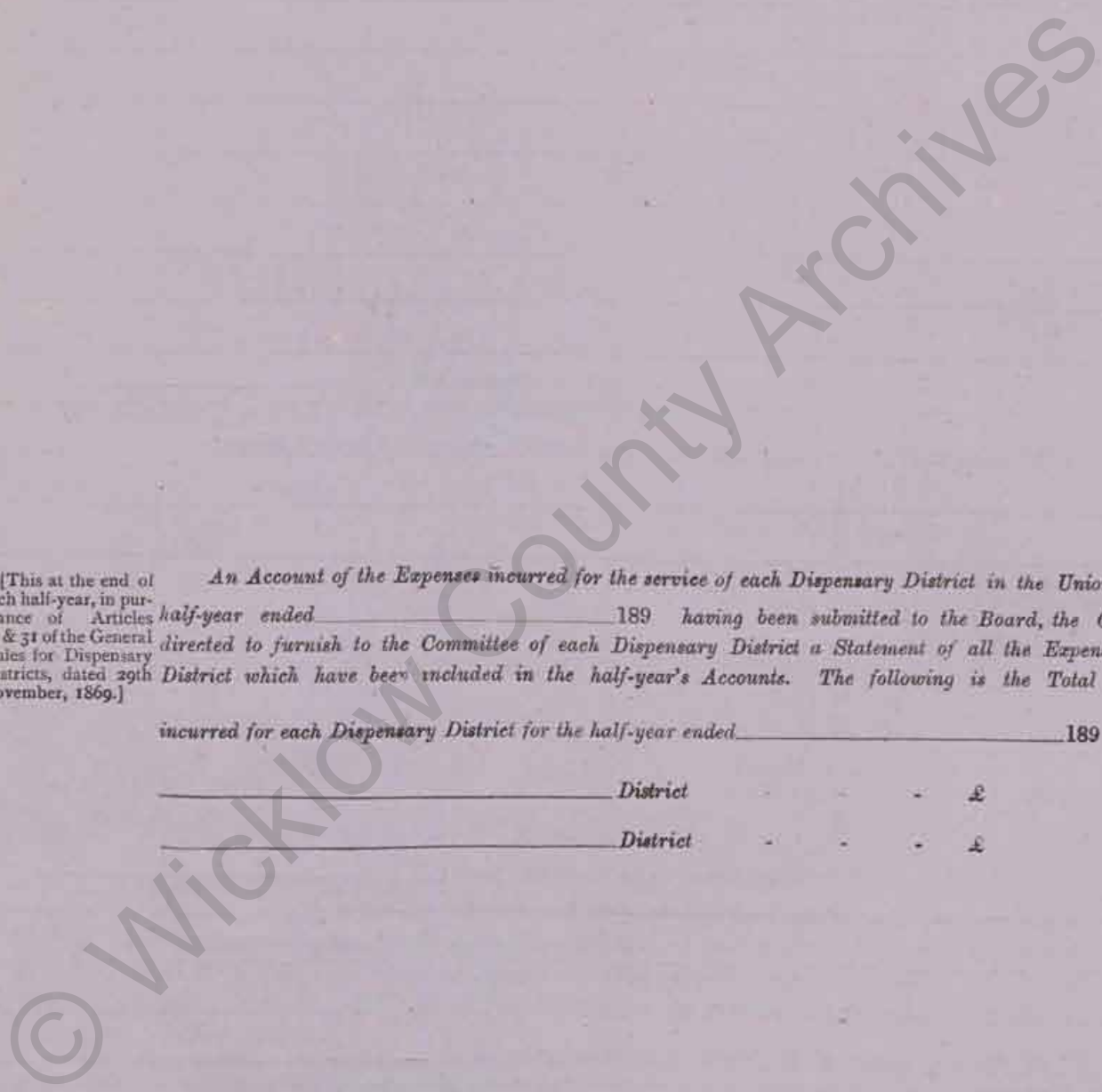
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

	District	-	-	£
	District	-	-	£



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

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 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.:—

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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

*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.

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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 therein as follows:—*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the.....  
day of.....189

Signed,.....  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127967:8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1895

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 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	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	720																
Temporary Buildings	—	—																
Additional Workhouse	—	8																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—																
Fever Sheds	—	—																
TOTAL	669	728																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			28	34	65	57	3	2	24	—	13	226	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	109	In separate Wards with other inmates	20	19	
Admitted during the Week			23	7	4	2	1	2	3	2	—	44	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8				
TOTAL			57	41	69	59	4	4	27	2	13	270	TOTAL	117	TOTAL	31		
Discharged during the Week			29	5	2	—	—	1	2	2	1	—	42	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		Males	Females	Children under 10	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			29	5	2	—	—	1	2	2	1	—	42	No. Relieved during week	18	2	5	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	36	67	59	3	2	25	1	13	228	No. in Workhouse at date	2	—	—	2	
													No. at corresponding period last year, 260					

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 April 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	74	123	David Edge
No. II.	76	115	John Manley
No. III.	180	225	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	82	132	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	412	595	= 642

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

the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1895

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

Other Guardians:—

- Mr James J. Grehan D.V.C.
- Colonel Kemmis P.
  - Major Cunningham P.
  - Mr J. Welch P.
  - Mr Wm Magee P.
  - Mr W. Morris P.
  - Mr G. C. Wade P.
  - Mr P. Delahunt P.
  - Mr P. Padon P.
  - Mr P. Daillyan P.
  - Mr L. W. Byrne P.
  - Colonel Stoney
  - Mr M. Jones
  - Mr R. Gordon
  - Mr E. Ellison
  - Mr E. Storey
  - Mr E. Robinson
  - Mr J. M. Saunders
  - Mr D. Powers
  - Mr L. Wolohan
  - Mr P. Burke P.
  - Mr M. Knight P.
  - Mr W. Fullen
  - Mr M. Doyle
  - Mr P. Miley
  - Mr J. P. Keane
  - Mr John Byrne
  - Mr Geo. Byrne
  - Mr A. Sheehan
  - Mr O. Byrne
  - Mr N. Dunne
  - Mr W. J. Shepard
  - Mr J. W. Byrne
  - Mr D. Byrne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4561 to No. 4680 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.

£ 93 : 10 : 0

£ 42 : 3 : 0

£ 126 : 17 : 0

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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING... ..	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ... ..	Dunganstown East ...									
	"    South ...									
	"    West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ... ..	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ... ..	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ... ..	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoqa ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ... ..	Anghrim ...									
	Ballinaclish ...									
	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	32	11	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	44	10	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0
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

19 00	Loaves of Bread
5 16	Galls Newmill
72	" Buttermilk
36	lbs Butter
10 20	" Meat
60	Sheep Heads
70	Doz Eggs
4 1/2	Casks Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him on the last week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	35	15	0
In Kind ...	1	4	3
Total ...	36	19	3

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY		-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
J. Byrne	Bread	39	16 9
E. M. Linn	Meat	27	3 11
E. M. Linn	Eggs	6	7 6
E. Tullin	Shoes	8	12 6
C. Wilson	Fls	3	19 4
J. Spence	Lam	2	13 6
W. Flower	Supp	2	6 5
M. New	Eggs	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 the Local Government Board, dated the 26<sup>th</sup> April 1895, informing the Guardians that they have approved of the application for a loan for the purchase of seed potatoes for the use of seven Electoral Divisions of the Union and have transmitted same to the Commissioners of Public Works awaiting:

Read Letter from the Commissioners of Public Works transmitting a Draft for £79.17.6 being the amount of the loan recommended by the LG Board to be made to the Guardians for the purchase of Seed potatoes as above allowed to.

Read Order in Council by the Lord Lieut. of Ireland intituled "The Water Supply on Railways (Ireland) Order of 1895."



Rec<sup>d</sup> Order in Council from Dame, intitled  
 "The Animals (Transit and General) (Ireland)  
 Order of 1895"

Read Report from Mr. Newson V.I. Dated the  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Ultimo stating that on that day he inspected  
 a flock of sheep (165 in number) 10 of which were  
 affected with Sheep Scab, but are almost cured,  
 having been carefully dressed.

Order - These sheep to be isolated if the V.I. thinks  
 it necessary.

Read Report from Dame, Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> Ult.  
 reporting that on that day he inspected a Cow  
 belonging to Michael Goulding of Kilmagig  
 Croca which was supposed to have been bitten  
 by a rabid dog on the 18<sup>th</sup> of December last.

The cow subsequently died, as reported by  
 the D.I.C. at Croca and demand submitted up to  
 the meeting of the Guardians.

Proposed by Colonel Stoney seconded by Mr. Somers  
 Resolved.

The Veterinary Inspector of the Rathfriland  
 Union reported to the Board of Guardians that a  
 cow belonging to Michael Goulding, a blacksmith  
 in the employment of the D.W. & W. Railway, &c. at  
 Croca was suffering from Rabies on the 27<sup>th</sup> of April  
 last, and the Sergeant of Police at Croca, reported  
 that the cow died on the 1<sup>st</sup> of May and requested  
 that the Sub. San'y. Officer be directed to bury her.

Michael Goulding appeared before the Board  
 of Guardians at their meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May and  
 requested compensation for the loss of his Cow, and  
 the Board regretted that the law did not allow them  
 to grant it.

Resolved -

That this Statement be handed to Michael Gooding that he may forward it with his memorial to H.E. The Lord Lieutenant.

Order -

The Party Subscribers to get the carcass of the cow properly buried with quick lime, and the place disinfected -

The following claims to be voted were allowed being adequately vouched:

✓ Mr. P. Padden,	✓ Mr. William Mc Smith, Ballyguile
✓ " J. W. Browne,	✓ " Mary Browne, Ballykeane

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration notices of motion which were duly served, when the following resolutions were passed -

Proposed by Mr. Wm. Magee P., seconded by Mr. W. Mullen -  
Resolved -

That the salary of the Medical Officer of Wicklow Dispensary District be raised to £120 a year, and £15 a year as Medical Officer of Health, being the same amount as that paid to his predecessor.

Passed by 25 votes to 10 votes  
of Dottenham

Proposed by Mr. Edw. Ellison, seconded by Mr. L. W. Byrne P.  
Resolved -

That Dr. Ryan's salary be increased from £100 to £135 per annum: - viz: from £100 to £120 as Medical Officer, and from £10 to £15 as Sanitary Officer in Rathburn Dispensary District.

Passed by Dottenham

Proposed by Mr. Graydon, seconded by Mr. J. F. Graham -

Resolved -

That Mr Liversock's salary be increased from £100 to £120, as Medical Officer, and from £10 to £15 as Sanitary Officer in Newcastle Dispensary District,  
 Paperly 26 Votes to 9 votes

The following notices of motion were served:

We hereby give notice that at the next special meeting of the Board of Guardians of Rathfriland Union, after the expiration of 14 days; we will move that the salary of Dr Gardner be increased from £110 to £135 per annum: viz - from £100 to £120 as Medical Officer, and from £10 to £15 as Sanitary Officer in the Arklow Dispensary District.

Richard Howard  
 Edward Ellison

CGJ 3/5/95

3<sup>rd</sup> May 1895

We hereby give notice that at the next special meeting of the Board to be held after the expiration of 14 days from this date, we shall move that the salary of Mr Saml Johnson Sanitary Sub-Off. be increased from £20 to £25 a year

3<sup>rd</sup> May 1895

Matthew H Jones  
 Daniel Byrne

CGJ May 3<sup>rd</sup> 95

I hereby give notice I will at the next special meeting of the Board to be held propose to increase the Carters salary on account of long service, 25 years, and duties increased by Order of the Board dated January 1878

David James

CGJ 3/5/95

May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1895

Notice of motion  
 That in consequence of the increase in the

Salaries of the Officers of the Union, and thereby the increase in the Rates, it be hereby resolved that in future all officers of this Union shall be at the expense of their Locum Tenens in all cases

C. G. J. May 3<sup>rd</sup> 95 John Byrne P. G.

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I shall move that the hour of meeting of the Board be changed from 11.30 a.m. to 12 o'clock noon.

Dated this 3<sup>rd</sup> May 1895

Charles J. Tottenham

Order -

That Mr L Murphy be requested to pay any monies now in his hands belonging to Mary Gaskin, to the credit of the Guardians, as a contribution towards the maintenance in the Workhouse of said Mary Gaskin, charged to the Killiskey Electoral Division:

Panel - Charles J. Tottenham

Ch. Tottenham Min

10/5/95

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

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

Ditto disallowed ... ..

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

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

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May 1895

## (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Pattenham D<sup>o</sup> C<sup>o</sup>

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Bushin & Newbridge  
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 fabricators for supply.

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

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

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

_____ District	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	£

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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1861 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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



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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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



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

Read Letter Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, from Mr. Alfred D. Price C.E. acknowledging the Guardians acceptance of his services in carrying out the work his late Father, the late Mr. James Price C.E. had in hand for them, and at the same time enclosing an account of the fees or due to his Father at the time of his death, payment of which he requested.

Order — The Board consider that Probate should be obtained before any money is paid to the Representatives of the late Mr. Price C.E.

Read Letter from Mr. J. Kennedy, Wicklow solicitor having carriage of Improvement Scheme No. 4, forwarding for signature by the Chairman of the Petition to the Local Government Board praying that an order may be made confirming the Scheme.

The Petition was signed by the Chairman: —

Read Letter Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> Ultimo from Mr. M. Somers P.C. of Ballinacush E.D. stating that he has inspected the fence of the Dubuvers Plot at Annakilly, and he recommends the fencing to be made so as to enable the tenant to get in a little crop.

Order — The Guardians of the Division and the R.O. are requested to get these repairs made:

10/5/95  
Charlby. Tottenham Min.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 10<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1895

Signed, J. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

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 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 15 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 .. .. .	559	218															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	90	7															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
TOTAL .. .. .	699	225															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	36	67	59	3	2	25	1	13	228	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	108	In separate Wards	30	
Admitted during the Week			22	9	5	—	2	2	5	5	2	52	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other inmates	5	
TOTAL			44	45	72	59	5	4	30	6	15	280	TOTAL	115	TOTAL	35	
Discharged during the Week			25	7	11	1	1	—	4	3	3	55	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	17	Males	2	
Total Discharged and Dead			25	7	11	1	1	—	4	3	3	55	No. in Workhouse at date	3	Females	3	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	38	61	58	4	4	26	3	12	225	No. at corresponding period last year	—	Children under 15	22	
																	246

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 63, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	71	116	David Edge
No. II.	76	115	John Manley
No. III.	178	223	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	79	128	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	404	582	= 640

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—Colonel Tottenham D.K. Ch<sup>mn</sup>  
 Other Guardians—  
 Major Tottenham RP  
 Mr. L. W. Byrne RP  
 Mr. W. Ellison

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4681 to No. 4760 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in full* 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:—

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

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And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0
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:—

980 Loaves Bread  
 1270 Galls Newmilk  
 35 " Buttermilk  
 25 lbs Butter  
 530 " Meat  
 30 Hens  
 33 doz Eggs  
 5 Galls Whiskey  
 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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	38	11	0
In Kind	2	1	9
Total	40	12	9

Credit to the Relieving Officers, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books



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:—

No.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
			£	s.	d.
No. I.		DAVID EDGE		—	
No. II.		JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.		SAMUEL JOHNSON		—	
No. IV.		LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Hameron	Seed Potatoes	60	19	9
L. Payne	Milk	17	14	5
M. Johnson	"	17	4	6
E. Short	"	9	4	2
R. Hill	Meal	11	-	-
J. Spence	Hay	6	-	-
P. Gahan	Harness	3	-	-
G. Evans	Fees	7	-	5
D. Halpin	Sub	4	4	-
" Gardiner	Var	3	14	-
D. O'Brien	M <sup>re</sup> D <sup>m</sup>	7	10	-
B. Ireland	Sept Loan	12	16	-
M. J. Walsh	Advertising	5	13	-
D. Halpin	Reg <sup>n</sup>	3	17	-
" Ryan	"	2	13	6
W. Murphy	In few (th to pay)			
D. Rowerock	"	1	15	3
" Satchwell	"	1	13	6
" Byrne	"	1	4	3
J. Boyle	"		18	-
Clerk	"		16	11
P. Doyle	Postage	2	12	2
S. Hudson	Sub	1	12	-
S. Johnson	Lun & Fee	1	1	-
	Printing	1	-	-
		72	13	1

£ s. d.

In Fair Clerk to pay

Dundee Advertiser	Advert <sup>s</sup> Seed potatoes	1	5	-
Gent. "	" "	1	2	-
Scottish Farmer	" "	1	2	-
Clerk of Minn	Remun <sup>t</sup>	5	3	9
Master of Workhouse	"	1	-	-
D. Edge	"		15	-
J. Mauley	"		15	-
L. Murphy	"		15	-
		<hr/>		
		11	17	9

S. Lovewick Varr<sup>s</sup> Fees 10 16 -

B<sup>d</sup> Works Rep<sup>t</sup> Seed Potatoes Loan 10 7 4

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7:0:0  

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10:7:4

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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:—*

*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, Dublin Castle, transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of the "Rabies Regulations" (Ireland) Order 1894, under ~~any~~ Regulations which the Guardians have power to issue respecting the Muzzling of Dogs &c.

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Read Report from Mr. Newsom V. I. Dated the 7<sup>th</sup> instant, reporting that a Dog supposed to have been suffering from Rabies was destroyed at Coolboy, near Arklow, and as there has been a serious outbreak of Rabies in the neighbourhood of Arklow, Anghrim and Droca, lately he would advise the Guardians to put a Muzzling Order on these and the surrounding Districts for at least six months.

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Order -

Rabies order to be issued for six months applying to the Electoral Divisions of Anghrim, Ballinacorney, Ballinacorney, Rathdown, Danganstown East, South & West, Cronelane, Ballyathin, Nova, Emmerick, Killbride and Arklow.

All stray dogs to be seized, and all dogs not under control to be muzzled; Any owner of a dog or dogs not complying with this order to be prosecuted, and to incur the penalties prescribed by the Statute.

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Mr. Newson reported that 5 sheep belonging to Mr. John Edge of Tomriland, and 5 belonging to Mr. David Galan of Kilcoole, are still suffering from Sheep Scab.

The 1 sheep belonging to Mr. Anthony Williams of Kilmacullagh has recovered from the disease.

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Send a claim to be rates from Mr. Andrew Kavanagh, of Milltown North, in place of Miles Doran deceased.

Claim allowed, being adequately vouched

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The Report of the Committee on the plastering to be proposed to be executed in the male & female Wards of the Workhouse Hospital was received, and the consideration postponed until next Board day.

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The Clerk of the Union informed the Board that a sum of £18:17:9 of the Seed Potatoes Loan remains after paying for the Potatoes; and he asked that this sum, after paying £3:9:0 for advertising, should be allocated to remunerate

himself, the Master of the Workhouse and the three Relieving Officers for their services in respect to the Distribution of the potatoes, the posting of notices &c.

The Guardians considered that £7 of this balance should be handed over to the Board of Works in repayment of the loan, the remainder to be allocated as requested.

The following is the way in which the balance is disposed of -

	£	s	d
"The General Advertiser" Advertising	1	2	0
"Dumfries Advertiser" "	1	5	0
"Scottish Farmer" "	1	2	0
"Clerk of the Union" Remuneration	5	3	9
"Master of the Workhouse" "	1	0	0
Mr David Edge R.O.		15	0
"John Manley" "		15	0
"Law <sup>l</sup> Murphy" "		15	0
		<u>11</u>	<u>17</u> 9

R. R. Deane M.

Ch<sup>r</sup>. 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.*

<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 was</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).*



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Colonel Tottenham D.L.*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 61*

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

*The clerk to forward same to the contractors for supply:*

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

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

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

Dispensary District  
Account of Mr. Anghrim amount, £

At the first ordinary meeting of the Anghrim Dispensary Committee held on the 29<sup>th</sup> of April 1895, present -

Mess<sup>rs</sup> John Byrne, in the Chair, Butler and Phelan - The following resolution was proposed by Mr. Butler and seconded by Mr. Phelan -

That Mr. P. J. Gurney be Chairman and Mr. John Byrne, Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year, and that Mr. J. Phelan & Mr. M. J. Somers, be Joint Sec<sup>y</sup> & Asst. Hon. Sec.

Resolved -

That the fuel account for the half year ended the 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1895 be paid - viz. Anghrim Disp<sup>y</sup> £1 - Ballinacush £1.5.0, and that D. Byrne receive £1.10.0 for retreating wall at the steps to the

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

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

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

Dispensary House:

Examined Medical Relief Register Form F, also Vaccination Register, and Report and attendance Book.

Ordered Requisition for Medicines, New Committee Notice required

Jas Phelan  
Hon. Sec.

10/5/95

[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 Rates payers 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 E1 and E2), in pursuance of Article 29 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the New Members of the Committees, namely:—

## Dungannon

At a meeting of the Dungannon Dispensary Committee held at Ballycapple on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> of March 1895 - present

Mr Wm J Shepard, presiding Chairman:  
Messrs John Fogarty, Edward Chamney, J W Byrne, John Johnson, John Brennan, Martin Doyle, Jas. Blake and Bernard Byrne.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and signed:—

Proposed by Mr W Byrne, seconded by Mr John Brennan & Resolved - That C. C. Wade Esq be appointed Chair<sup>man</sup> and Henry Shepard Esq Vice Chairman for the ensuing year.

Mr Chamney having resigned the Secretaryship it was proposed by Mr M Doyle, seconded by Mr Fogarty and Resolved - That Mr Wm Shepard be appointed Secretary and Mr James Blake assistant Secretary.

Requisition list for Medicines was signed:—

The matter of three-mile-water grave yard wall being again brought before the Committee, it was Resolved

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Act 1878 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

That a Committee be appointed to inspect the grave yard and report to the Board of Guardians - viz. Messrs Martin Doyle, John Fogarty and Wm J Shepard.

It was proposed by Mr M Doyle seconded by Mr Chamney and unanimously carried - That Dr Satchwells salary be raised from £100 to that received by his predecessor; viz. £135.

Dr Satchwell asked that the Committee would have some extra shelves put up in the Dispensary but it was decided that they were not needed—

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Dr Satchwell was directed to bring this matter before the Committee by the L.G. Board Inspector.

Order — Notice must be given by a member of the Board regarding the proposed addition to Dr Satchwell's Salary. — Report with this exception approved —  
May 10/95 — J.S.D.

## Rathdrum

A special meeting of the Rathdrum Dispersal Committee summoned by Requisition of the Clerk of the Union was held on the 11<sup>th</sup> of April 1895 to appoint Honorary Officers for the ensuing year. members present —

Mr Joseph Ellison in the Chair

Lt W. Dwyne Esq. A. Messrs. Bernard Doyle and Wm Grant Esq.

Proposed by Mr Doyle and seconded by Mr Grant —

Resolved — That Lt W. Dwyne Esq. be appointed Chairman  
Mr Joseph Ellison Vice-Chairman, Mr E. Ellison Hon. Sec.  
& Mr W. H. Saunders Sect. Hon. Sec. for the ensuing year  
Passed unanimously

The Medical Register was checked and correct & signed —

[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 F 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.:—

An ordinary meeting of the Committee was held on the 9<sup>th</sup> of May 1895. members present —

Lt W. Dwyne Esq. in the Chair

Messrs. John Kavanagh and Edward Ellison

An application was received for leave of absence from Dr Ryan, for one fortnight to recruit his health. It was proposed by Lt W. Dwyne Esq. and seconded by Mr E. Ellison — That the application be granted & that Dr Leeper be requested to discharge the duties for one fortnight at three guineas per week remuneration —

Passed unanimously — E. Ellison H.S.

Approved by the Guardians — J. J. T. — 10/5/95

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

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

The following 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 Mamma Knight Esq<sup>r</sup> Agent for the Earl of Meath, asking for an assurance from the Guardians that they will be responsible for the costs in connection with the preparation of the lease proposed to be granted by Lord Meath to the Guardians in the matter of the Rotherham Water supply, whether the scheme falls through or not.

Order — Mr. Jooney to be asked how soon the Board may proceed to obtain the sanction of the Local Government Board to the Loan.

Read Letter from Dr. Lovelock, Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District requesting payment of £2.2.0 for attending the Court of Inquiry under the Sanitary Act, on the subject of Kilsperdy Drainage Scheme, held on the 26<sup>th</sup> of March last at St. M<sup>c</sup>Kenney.

Ordered to be brought before the next special meeting of the Board.

Read Letter from Mr. J. J. Evans, S.S. & Arklow, reporting that he had taken steps to carry out the Guardians orders respecting the Vaccination Defaulters in Arklow District which resulted in all the Defaulters complying with the Law, except in one case in which the Dr. certified that the child was unfit, — Mr. Evans asked for payment of £15 for his services in the matter.

Ordered to be paid: —

Read Letter from Dr. Halpin Mc Wicklow, thanking the Guardians for complying with his request to have his salary raised.

R. P. Dwyer  
Ch<sup>r</sup>. M<sup>r</sup>. 17.5 95

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 17<sup>th</sup>  
day of *May* 1895

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



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

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, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	589	226															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	80	4															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
TOTAL .. .. .	669	230															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	38	61	58	4	4	26	3	12	225	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 105	In separate Wards with other inmates 30	26		
Admitted during the Week			34	7	3	3	1	1	2	1	—	52	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4				
TOTAL			53	45	64	61	5	5	28	4	12	277	TOTAL 109	TOTAL 35	26		
Discharged during the Week			34	5	3	2	—	—	1	1	—	46	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died .. .. .			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 17	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			34	5	4	2	—	—	1	1	—	47	No. Relieved during week 19	2	3	24	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	40	60	59	5	5	27	3	12	230	No. in Workhouse at date 3	3	—	8	
													No. at corresponding period last year, 236				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Belief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 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	121	David Edge
No. II.	76	118	John Manley
No. III.	179	224	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	84	134	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	411	597	= 624

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham D.C. Chm + R.R. Drought Esq. M.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. James J. Gilman D.V.C. Colonel Kemmis,  
 Major Tottenham, Mr. L.W. Byrne, E.N. Wynne, R. Phelan, W.G. Morris, R. Howard, L. Kanagan, J. Delahunty,  
 J. Pavin and D. Curran J.P.  
 Mr. R. Grayson, L. Wolohan, D. Somers, M. Somers, O. Byrne, M. Byrne, P. Miley, J. Byrne, J. Merrigan,  
 M. Doyle, D. Byrne, J. Manley, S. Robinson, Col. Slaney,  
 Mr. J. Keane, W. Grant, J. Byrne, J. Keane, M. H. Jones,  
 E. Ellison, J. Kavanagh, W. Callen, M. Dunne.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4761 to No. 4840 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 *fav<sup>r</sup>* 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.

*791*  
£ 44. 4. 2  
£ 114. 4. 2  
£ 37. 8. 8

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altadore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	„ Upper ...									
WILLIAM G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	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 one for the entire Union, Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

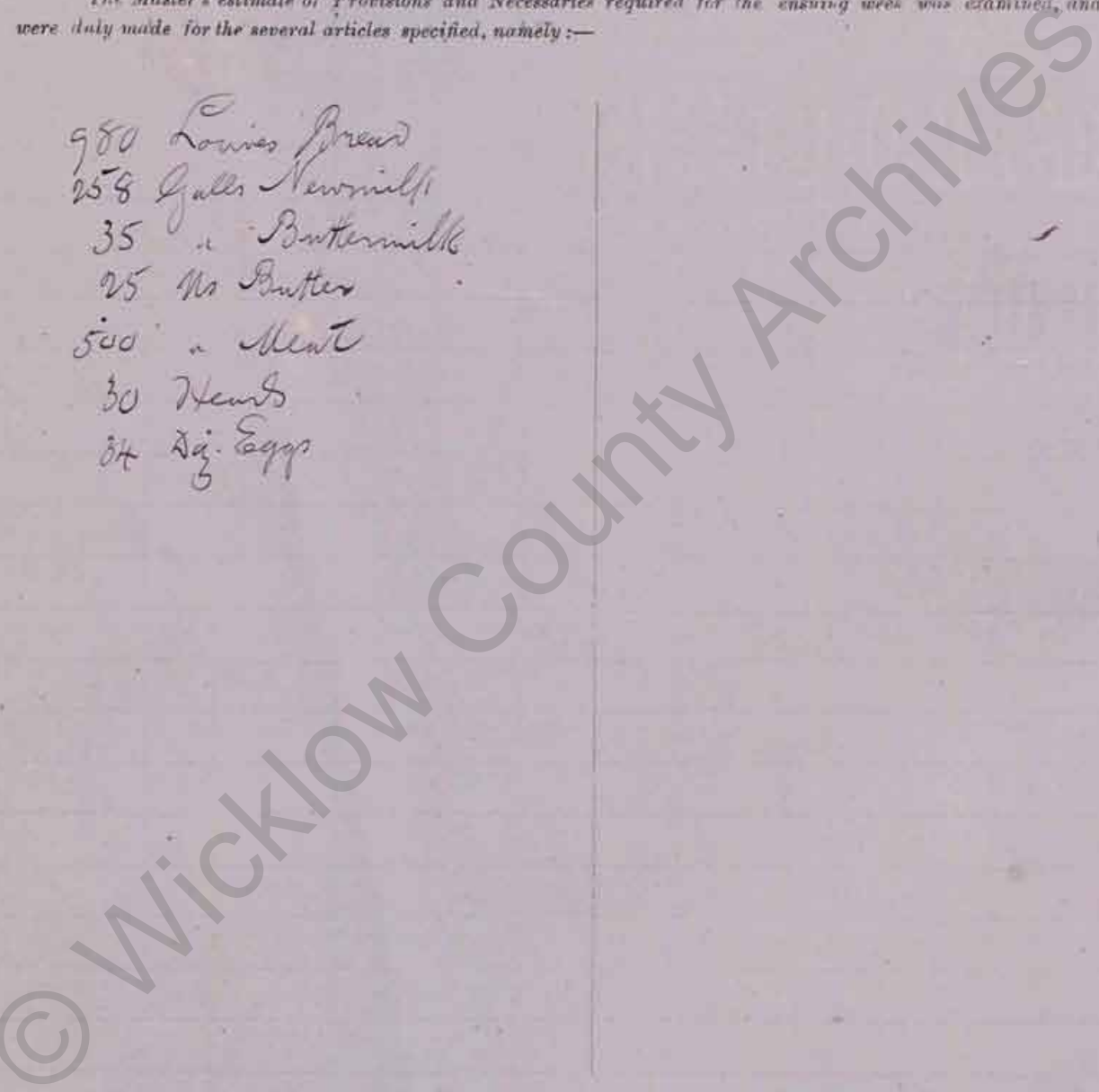
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	47	17	5
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	43	16	8
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary -		4	-
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:—

980 Loaves Bread  
 258 Galls Newmilk  
 35 " Buttermilk  
 25 lbs Butter  
 500 " Meat  
 30 Hens  
 84 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	35	3	6
In Kind ...		17	6
Total ...	= 36	1	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

Lillurplan  
St. Gaudines  
" Riverbank

Collecting Rents £6  
Dog Tax  
Water Tax

£	s.	d.
2	3	6
3	9	-
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:—

Gentlemen—

I have to report that the time allowed for the completion of the alterations in the Lunatic Departments expired on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant; the works were to have been finished as per contract on the 15<sup>th</sup> of Nov. 1894, and are far from being completed even now.

Order — The Contract to finish before the 4<sup>th</sup> June.

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 the Local Government Board <sup>10<sup>th</sup> inst.</sup> requesting to be furnished with a Return respecting persons (if any) in the Union bitten by Animals supposed to be suffering from Rabies, and sent by the Guardians to Paris for treatment at the Pasteur Institute.

Read Letter from same, Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant requesting to be furnished with a Return showing certain particulars of information respecting the amounts obtained for the purchase of Bees Salaries.

Read Report Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Newson V.D. stating that a Dog supposed to be suffering from Rabies was killed at Juma



gowlan, oroca; The owner of which was not known.

Order - Rabies order made by the Board last Board-Day.

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The following claims to be rated were allowed:

- ✓ John Poole Bolinap v Julia Poole
- ✓ John Doyle Jr. Moneyterque v John Doyle deceased.
- ✓ Thomas Byrne, Fullentragh v Thomas Cadden. -

Read letter from Mr. Anthony Williams, Ballymogle, in reference to a representation for a labourers cottage on the townland of Chapel for a man named Michael Gaffney, and asking the Board to look to this man as his house he is living in at present is not worth repairing:

Order - The cottage referred to will be considered at the first opportunity.

The Contractor for the cottages at Jimmore to be written to know why they have not been completed.

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Read Letter Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> instant from the Rev. M. P. Connolly, Redross, in reference to a labourers cottage which the Guardians have built for a man named Andrew Kennedy, but which is now proposed by Mr. Martin Doyle P. M. to be given to a man named John Darcy.

The Board divided on the question as to whom the cottage should be given to, when a majority of the Board voted in favour of giving it to Kennedy. -

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The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the several notices of motion of which due notice has been given:

Proposed by Mr. Ellison - seconded by Mr. Isaac Manley -  
Resolved -

That the salary of Dr. Gardner be increased from £110, to £135, per annum viz. from £60 to £120 as Medical Officer and from £50 to £75 as Sanitary Officer of Arkelow Dispensary District.

Rejected.

Proposed by Mr. M. H. Jones, seconded by Mr. Daniel Byrne -  
Resolved -

That the salary of Mr. Samuel Johnson, Sanitary Dist. Officer, be increased from £20 to £25 a year.  
Passed.

Proposed by Mr. Danl. Somers, seconded by Mr. Ellison -  
Resolved -

That the Porter's salary be increased, on account of long service (25 years) and duties increased by order of the Board dated January 1848 -  
Increased to £5 a year: -

Proposed by Mr. John Byrne, seconded by Mr. Joseph Keane  
Resolved -

That in consequence of the increase in the salaries of the Officers of this Union, and thereby the increase in the future Rates, it is hereby resolved that in future all Officers of this Union shall be at the expense of their own teners except in cases of accident or illness.

Carried as amended

Proposed by Colonel Tottenham, seconded by Major Tottenham -  
Resolved -

That the hour of meeting of the Board be changed from 11-30 a.m. to 12 noon

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Mr. Owen Byrne, seconded by Mr. Somers -

Resolved - That the rents of the Cabmen's

cottages in Bullinac Electoral Division be reduced  
from 1/3 to 1/4 per week.

Passed

The following notice of motion was served: —

We hereby give notice that at the next special meeting of the Board to be held after the expiration of fourteen days from this date we shall move that collectors Sheenan, Dowling and McAnnamara, be placed on the same footing as the other collectors as regards wages and emoluments attached to their office in their respective districts

Dated this 17<sup>th</sup> of May 1895

Signed

Daniel Dovers	P.L.G.
Nicholas Dunne	P.L.G.
William Fullen	P.L.G.
Edwan Robinson	P.L.G.
James Kane	P.L.G.
Daniel Byrne	P.L.G.
James J. Grehon	P.L.G.

17.5.95 *CP*

Proposed by A.R. Doughty Esq. P.V.C. seconded by J. Grehon Esq. D.V.C.  
Resolved —

That this Board desires to express its sincere sympathy with Mr. Manning, in the misfortune that has just happened to him in the sudden death of his son.

Passed unanimously

A.R. Doughty  
24 May 95

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

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## RATHDRUM UNION.

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

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

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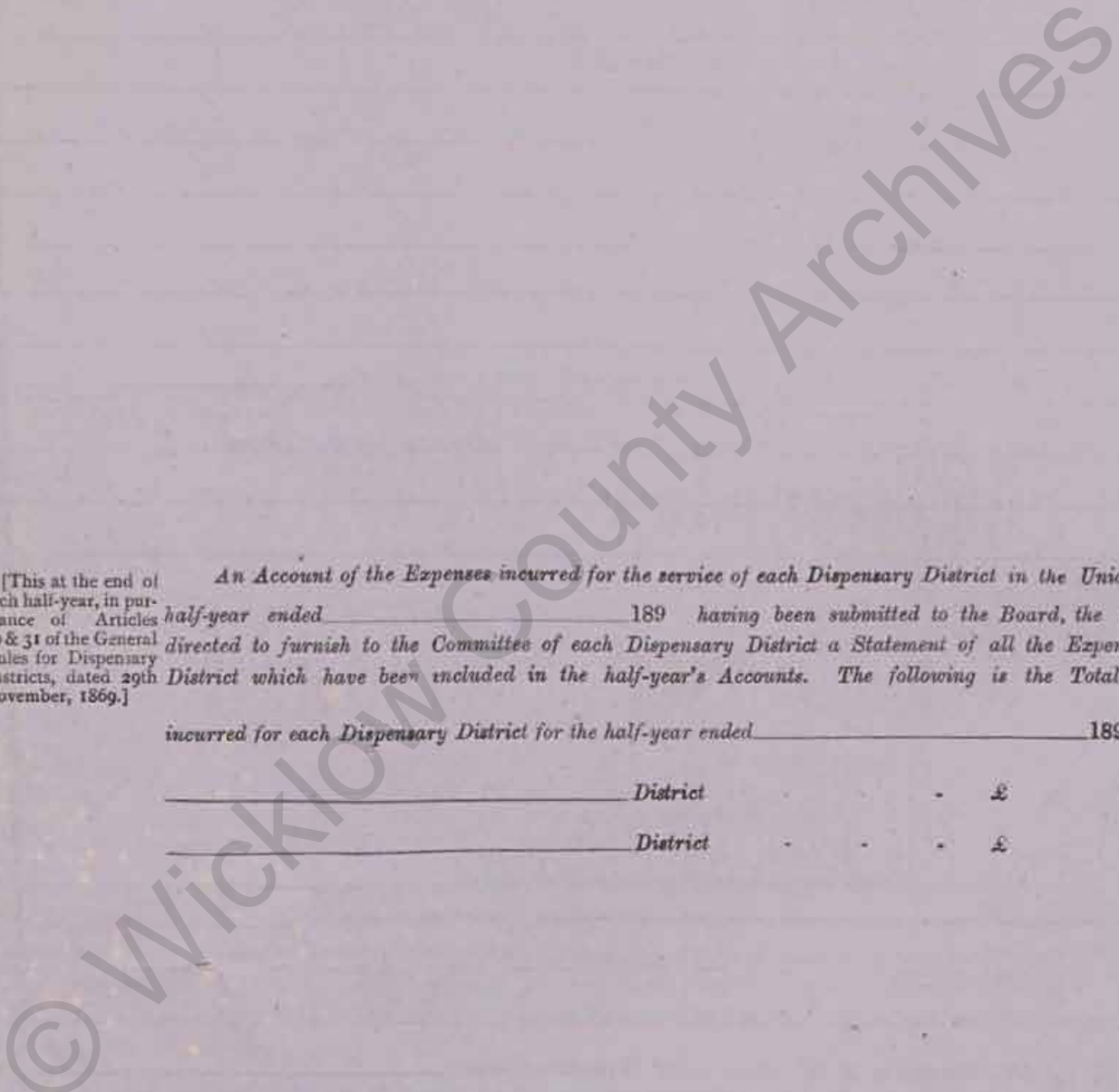
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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

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

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

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

Newbridge

The first meeting of the Newbridge Dispensary Committee was held on the 6<sup>th</sup> instant, members present.

Albert A Wynne Esq. in the Chair  
Mess<sup>rs</sup> Nich<sup>ols</sup> Durine Esq, Jas<sup>es</sup> Miles Esq and M<sup>r</sup> H Jones Hon<sup>or</sup> Secy.

The following appointments were made viz:

Colonel Bayly - Chairman:  
Albert A Wynne Esq - Vice-Chair  
M<sup>r</sup> H Jones - Hon<sup>or</sup> Secy

D<sup>r</sup> Hudson applied for the day of attendance to be changed at Newbridge Dispensary ~~to be changed from~~ Tuesday to Monday. Agreed to -

The following Bills were paid for payment.

Mrs Inywell - for Soap, Candles &c. 5:3  
Job Hall, for Medicines supplied to Ferrybank Disp<sup>ensary</sup> 75-  
M<sup>r</sup> Ruskell for Sweeping Brush. 1/3-  
M<sup>r</sup> H Jones Hon<sup>or</sup> Secy

Approved by the Guardians

(Signature)

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1852 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 16<sup>th</sup> May 1895  
~~stating that~~

pointing out that the Salaries to be allowed for the office of Midwife of the Arklow Dispensary District should be fixed by the Guardians after the usual 14 Days notice in accordance with the requirements of article 12 of the General Regulations.

Read Letter from The Hon. Secy of Newcastle Dispensary Committee stating that the first meeting of the new committee held on the 6<sup>th</sup> inst. the following Hon. Officers were appointed for the current year.

J. J. Meade Esq. M.P., Chairman  
 Maja Emm Ingham, Vice-Chr.  
 Mr. Richard Graydon, Hon. Secy

[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 F 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

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.

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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:—

Read Letter Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Government Board, forwarding for the Guardians information two copies of a Dealed Order which they have made enabling the Guardians to put in force the provisions of the Land Clauses Acts for the purpose of taking lands otherwise than by agreement required for the construction of certain works for the disposal of the sewerage of the village of Kiepedder;

The L.G. Board request that they may be informed of the name of the Parliamentary Agent who may be employed by the Guardians to appear for them before the Examining or Standing Committee to show that the Standing Orders have been complied with.

Order - Mr. Dooney to be referred to: —

Read Letter Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin; stating that the next step to be taken in the matter of the Rathdrum Water Supply is to prepare a Deed conveying the rights which the Guardians wish to acquire; which he promises to do as soon as possible.

Order - The Deed to be prepared.

Read letter from Mr. L. Murphy S.D.O. reporting that the Down's pump is broken & that a new head, coupling works &c. will be required, estimated cost £3.00/-

Order - S.D. Officer to get the Pump repaired as much under this estimate as possible.

Dr. Laverock's claim for payment - of two guineas for attending to give evidence at the local

meeting held at St. Mt. Kennedy respecting  
to Kildesher Drainage Scheme was ordered to be  
paid.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1895

R.P. Dwyer Signed, J. Manning  
24.5.95 Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967. 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 8 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	559	325												
Temporary Buildings	-													
Additional Workhouse	-													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	7												
Fever Sheds	-													
TOTAL	609	232												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	40	60	59	5	5	27	3	12	230	104	Inmate 50
Admitted during the Week			42	6	3	2	-	-	1	2	3	59	7	Inmate 5
TOTAL			61	46	63	61	5	5	28	5	15	289	111	TOTAL 35
Discharged during the Week			34	7	5	1	1	2	2	3	1	56		
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Total Discharged and Dead			34	7	6	1	1	2	2	3	1	57		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			27	39	57	60	4	3	26	2	14	232		
												No. at corresponding period last year, 233		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of May 1895 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.	71	120	David Edge
No. II.	75	115	John Manley
No. III.	189	225	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	184	134	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	409	594	= 625

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— R R Drought Esq B VC, Colonel Tottenham DL Chm  
 Other Guardians:— Major Tottenham J F  
 Mr Edw. Ellison  
 & Martin Doyle

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4841 to No. 4920 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	" Upper ...									
WILLIAM G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brookagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Monestown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim ...									
	Ballinaclush ...									
	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	34	18	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	45	1	9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - -		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - -		4	10
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:—

975 Loaves Bread  
 258 Galls Newmilk  
 35 " Buttermilk  
 24 lbs Butter  
 500 " Meat  
 30 Hens  
 4 1/2 Pans Butter  
 500 lbs Meat  
 30 doz Eggs  
 1 cwt Beans  
 4 " 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, on the last week ended Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

in Money ... ..	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
	34	8	3
in Kind ... ..		4	6
Total ... ..	<u>£</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>12</u>
		12	9

*Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipts and Expenditure Books*



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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	.
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY		~	
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON		~	
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY		~	

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.	
J. J. Evans		20	-	-	
J. M. Farrell		10	15	-	
N. Clarke		24	7	6	
J. Hall		5	-	-	
L. Murphy	Delg	4	1	-	
P. Doyle		3	3	-	
Clerk		6	5	7	
D. Byrne	In for clk to pay Newbridge	1	10	-	✓
"	"	1	-	-	✓
J. Woodburne	"	1	5	-	✓
L. Byrne	Newbridge	1	5	-	✓
J. J. Evans	"	1	-	-	✓
D. Patchwell		1	1	-	✓
J. Manley		4	6	-	✓
S. Johnson		1	10	-	✓
M. G. Murphy		15	-	-	✓
A. Courtney		12	-	-	✓
J. Brady		8	9	-	✓
E. Chumney	Drum to	6	8	-	✓
S. Dymell	Newbridge	5	3	-	✓
E. Johnson		4	-	-	✓
Clerk		1	-	-	✓
L. Murphy		1	-	-	✓
W. Ruskell	Newbridge	1	3	-	✓
		102	-	3	

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> instant, from the L.G. Board in reference to the Guardians resolution of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, proposing to remunerate the Clerk of the Union and other officers for their services in connection with the Seed Supply under the Seed Potatoes Supply (Ireland) Act 1895.

The L.G. Board state that if due notice was not given to each Guardian of this proposal the matter should be reconsidered after such notice.

Order - Notice to be given -

Shereby give notice that on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June 1895 I will move that the question of Compensation to the Clerk and other officers of the Union, under the Seed Potatoes Supply Act 1895, be considered

Edward Ellison

24<sup>th</sup> May 1895

24/5/95  
EJ

Read Letter from the L.G. Board, Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant, acknowledging the receipt of the Petition of the Guardians praying for confirmation of an Improvement Scheme recently made by them under the Labours Acts.

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Read Letter from same, Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst. expressing their sanction to the proposal to change the hour fixed for the Guardians meetings from 11.30 a.m. to 12 O'clock noon.

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Read Letter from same of same date, with reference to the entry on the Guardians Minutes of the 17<sup>th</sup> instant, respecting the claims of certain persons to be rated in respect of property in the Union. The L.G. Board draw the Guardians attention to the terms of sec 110 of the Representation of the People (Ireland) Act 1850, as amended by Sec. 5 of the Act, 48 and 49 Vic. c 3.

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Read Letter from same of same date, with reference to the Guardians resolution of the 17<sup>th</sup> inst. relative to the duties and salary of the Porter of the Workhouse, and requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Order of January 1895, referred to in their resolution.-

The clerk of the Union explained to the Board that he had inadvertently made a mistake in the year in copying the Guardians resolution; instead of January 1895 it should have been January 1878 as appearing in the notice of motion Entered on the Guardians minutes of the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant.

The order in question was a verbal one, conveyed to the Porter by the Master of the Workhouse

and was to the effect that the Porter should attend the funeral of each inmate of the Workhouse who would be interred in the Workhouse burial ground to see the interment properly carried out.

Read Letter from the Guardians of the Dungarran Union forwarding a copy of a Resolution passed by them in reference to the amendment of the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, which the Chief Secretary for Ireland has expressed his intention of introducing to Parliament with a view of simplifying and cheapening the proceedings under these Acts.

Read Letter from Mr. Andrew Kavanagh asking for payment of £6:3:6 due to him for putting up ceilings in the labourers cottage at Ballyvaltran.

Order - Referred to Mr. Little

Read Letter from Mr. Johnson, Solicitor, Arklow, dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant stating that he has been instructed by Mr. Winder of Timmore, on whose farm the Guardians are getting 4 labourers cottages built, to inform the Guardians that owing to the insufficiency of the fence surrounding the plots attached to the cottages, his clients cattle and sheep get on to the public road thereby causing loss and inconvenience, and unless the Guardians take immediate steps to put said fence in proper repair legal proceedings will be instituted to compel same to be done.

Order - Refer Mr. Johnson to the contractor who is in possession of the plots and has not handed them over to the Board. - Also

write to the Contractor to ask why the Cottages are not finished:

The following notice of motion was served: -

I beg to give notice that I shall on this day fortnight move to rescind the resolution passed on the 17<sup>th</sup> instant sanctioning John Kennedy as tenant for a labourers cottage at Templelyon, and will move that John Barry be admitted as tenant for said cottage.

May 24/95  
W.D.

May 24<sup>th</sup> 1895. Martin Doyle

— Charles. W. W. W.  
 Chair

31/5/95

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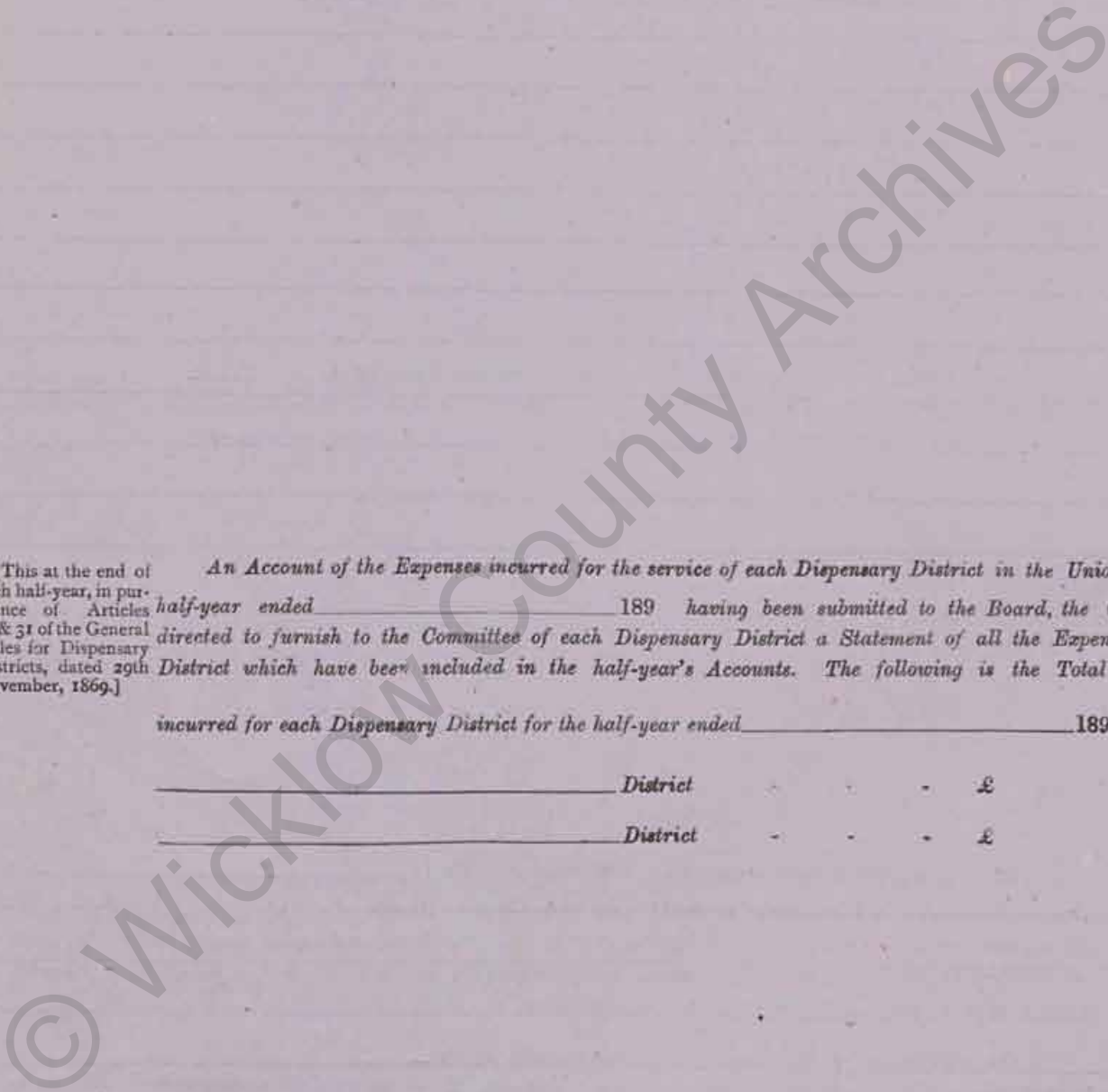
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Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 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 21<sup>st</sup> May 1895

stating that

expressing their sanction to the remuneration proposed to be paid to Dr. Reeper for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Ryan, Medical Officer of Rathfriland Dispensary District during the absence of the latter on sick leave - viz: at the rate of £3:3:0 a week. -

The following notice of motion was served:—

I hereby give notice that on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June 1895, I will move that the salary of the Midwife for Willow Dispensary District be fixed in compliance with the requirements of the Local Government Board:

Dated 24<sup>th</sup> May 1895 - Edward Ellison:—

24/5/95

EGO

[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 F 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

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 the Local Government Board, forwarding two copies of a Provisional Order made by them empowering the Guardians to put in force the powers of the Lands Clauses Act, with respect to the purchase and taking of land otherwise than by agreement for the purposes of the Kilspey Drainage Scheme

Also containing instructions as to the proceedings necessary to be taken in order to have the Provisional Order confirmed by Parliament, and also requesting the Guardians to name a Parliamentary Agent who will appear for them before the Examiners, and prove that the Standing Orders have been complied with:

Order — Mr Dooney to be consulted: —

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant, again requesting that they may be informed of the name of the Parliamentary Agent who may be employed to represent the Guardians during the progress of the Confirming Bill through Parliament.

Order — Refer to Mr Dooney who is to report the name of the Parliamentary Agent to the L.G. Board:

Read Letter Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin; stating in reply to the Guardians inquiring as to a Parliamentary Agent to represent them before the Examiners, that he was not aware that this matter has got as far as Parliament:

He names Mess<sup>rs</sup> Rees and Jones, 13, St. George's Street, London, S.W. as Parliamentary Agents whom the Guardians may employ with safety.

With regard to the Rathfrim Water Supply Loan, Mr. Jorrey states that he was not aware that a Loan was to be applied for in order to pay the Compensation money; He will however make a full report on the matter

Read letter from Mr. Joseph Sand, drawing the attention of the Guardians to the surplus and waste water which escapes from the fountain in the Lower Street of Rathfrim, and flows down to his house; He hopes the Guardians will kindly have the matter set right.

Order-

Mr. Ellison to enquire what is best to be done, and the cost of the remedy he will propose;

Charles Tottenham.  
Chair  
31/5/91

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 31<sup>st</sup>  
day of May 1891

Signed, P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.



[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

121

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967 : 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working						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			
			Able-bodied		Males Fem.		Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	359	230															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	8															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
TOTAL .. .. .	669	238															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	39	59	60	4	3	26	2	14	232	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 104	In separate Wards 30			
Admitted during the Week			35	7	6	—	3	7	4	2	3	61	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 8	In Wards with other inmates 5			
TOTAL			62	46	63	60	7	4	30	4	17	293	TOTAL 112	TOTAL 35			
Discharged during the Week			32	6	7	—	2	1	3	2	1	54	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			32	6	8	—	2	1	3	2	1	55	No. Believed during week 31	2	3	36	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			30	40	55	60	5	3	27	2	16	238	No. in Workhouse at date 12	—	—	12	
													No. at corresponding period last year, 232				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 51, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	No. of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	69	115	David Edge
No. II.	94	114	John Manley
No. III.	195	225	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	84	134	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS	402	588	= 630

69 - 115  
75 - 122  
194 - 216  
84 - 135  
402 - 588

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

the 31<sup>st</sup> day of May 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham D R Chm

Other Guardians:— Messrs Jas H Grehan D VC  
Edward Ellison  
Edward Storey  
William Fullen

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4921 to No. 4960 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 of the Union laid before the Board his Estimate for New Rates to meet the expenditure of the Union for the year ending the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 1896.

The Estimate was ordered to lie on the table for 14 days, and a special meeting of the Board summoned to take it into consideration on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June next.

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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 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.

£	83	—
£	231	10 : 7
£	92	1 : 5

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	39	4	8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	44	10	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			3 = 7
Average Cost in Infirmary			4 = 0
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:—

970 London Bread  
258 Galls Newmilk  
40 " Buttermilk  
24 lbs Butter  
500 " Meat  
30 Sheep Heads  
33 Doz Eggs  
1 Rod Tobacco  
4 lbs Annisroot

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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of May 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	32	10	0
In Kind			2 = 6
Total	= 32	12	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Lists

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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
M. New	5	.	.
C. Wilson	17	12	2
J. Sutton	36	19	3
J. Ryan & Co	58	11	8
Fanning & Co	22	12	.
In for Clerk to pay	3	10	00
J. Whelan	1	2	9
S. Gardner	1	1	-
M. New		11	3
E. Storey		9	6
	6	15	4

£ s. d.

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

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

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

Gentlemen—

I beg to suggest that the External Repairs of the Wood and iron work of the several buildings be carried out now, as they are urgently required. — also in consequence of the proposed Cementing of the external walls &c of the Hospital.

About 12 new metal sashes & 6 locks are required to replace those worn out &c. New doors, windows and repairs where found necessary.

Dear Mr. Bousperin in his report of the 8<sup>th</sup> of June 1894 suggested that the perforated zinc windows should be replaced by metal sashes on pivots to prevent the wet pouring into the sleeping wards.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison. — seconded by Mr. Cullen. —

Resolved —

That Mr. Riddle be requested to prepare a Schedule & Specification of the various repairs to be done in this report and lay it before the Board next week.

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

General Order, Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1895, prescribing forms for making Rates.

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

Rem. Circular Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1895, from Local Government Board enclosing the above Sealed Order.

Read Letter from same Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> May 1895, informing the Guardians that they have received a communication from the Com<sup>r</sup> of National Education certifying that the full am<sup>t</sup> of pupils fees which would accrue to the Teachers of the Workhouse School, consequent upon the examination held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of January 1895, if the school were an ordinary national school and the Union contributory under the National School Teachers Act, would be as follows:—

Mr. James Brady 74. 13. 9  
Mrs. Sarah Brady 2. 3. 3

Mr. Grehan gave notice that he will bring



this under the consideration of the Board on this day fortnight.

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Read Circular, Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> of May 1895, from the Veterinary Department, Trinity College, Dublin Castle, on the Subject of Rabies.

No order

Read Circular, Dated May 1895, from the Royal Dublin Society, on the Subject of the "Prevention of Potato Disease."

Read Circular from the Dublin Jurors Association, forwarding a copy of a Bill introduced into Parliament to provide for the payment of Jurors in Ireland.

Read Letter from the Veterinary Department Trinity College, Dublin Castle, stating that Swine Fever did exist in the Case No 1648, at 58 Main Street, Arklow, owner Matt Curran:

The following claims to be rated were allowed being adequately vouched:

- ✓ Mr Giffney Jun - Rathnew V Mr Giffney Senr
- ✓ Mr Heuder Arklow V Sarah Heuder

Read Letter Dated 27<sup>th</sup> May 1895 from Mr Michael Clarke, Contractor for building four labourers Cottages at Inimure, in Newcastle Lower U.D. stating that he will endeavour to give up possession of one pair of the Cottages about the end of the week, and the other pair the following

week, which he trusted would meet the approval of the Board.

Read Letter from Mr. M. Clark, Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> May 1895, expressing his regret that Mr. Winder's ~~complaints~~ complaints of the fence to the plots attached to the labourers cottages at Immure, which is according to Specification. He has a man employed to care the premises. The original fence by the road has been repaired and the gate kept locked, so that any of Mr. Winder's stock would have to cross two fences or gates before reaching the road.

Mr. Clarke states that he has reason to complain of the throwing down of the fencing during the progress of the work.

Two tenders were received for the execution of the plastering advertised as required to be done to the exterior of the Workhouse Infirmary

viz - from Mr. George Dixon, Contractor, Kingston; who proposed to carry out the work for the sum of £290. from - Mr. William King, Contractor, who offered to do it for £120.

Mr. King's tender was accepted.

Charles. Robinson  
4/5/95  
Carr.

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

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
 the 31<sup>st</sup> day of May 1895  
 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*James Tottenham D.R. Ch.*  
*see pages 121.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

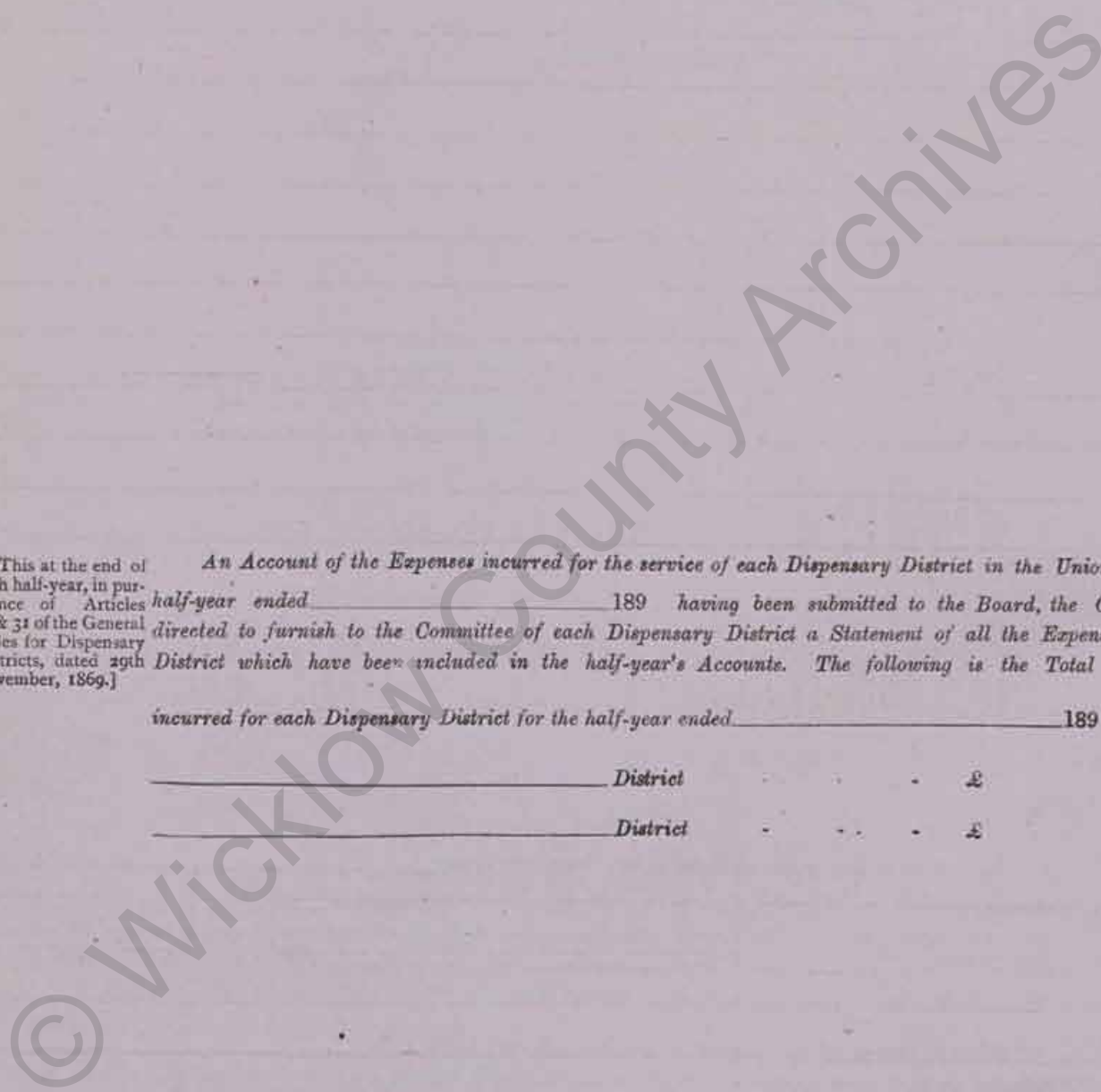
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £



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

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

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

Rathdrum

A special meeting of the Rathdrum Dispensary Committee was held on the 27<sup>th</sup> of May 1895, to consider a letter received from D. Ryan, Medical Officer, which stated that he was not yet sufficiently recovered to be able to resume his duties for at least another week. members present

Mr. Myles Byrne P.M. in the Chair  
 Edw<sup>d</sup> Ellison Hon. Sec.

Proposed by Mr. Byrne seconded by Mr. Ellison and Resolved—

That D. Leaper be requested to discharge the duties of Medical Officer for another week at the same remuneration as for the last two weeks, viz: Three guineas per week, making in all three weeks.

Edw<sup>d</sup> Ellison  
 Hon. Sec.

29 May 1895

Approved by the Guardians  
 C. J. G.  
 31/5/95

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1894 and 1895 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. L. Murphy R.O. dated 31<sup>st</sup> May 1895 stating that

the prosecution instituted by the Guardians against James Keegan of Killebawn for non-compliance with the requirements of the Compulsory Vaccination Act, was postponed by the Magistrate presiding at New town Petty Sessions on the 25<sup>th</sup> May; as documents would not be accepted in evidence, the attendance of the Medical Officer being deemed necessary.

No order

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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 31<sup>st</sup> March, 30<sup>th</sup> June, 30<sup>th</sup> September and 31<sup>st</sup> 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>Aughrim</i>	<i>S. Byrne</i>	<i>Public Pump out of repair. -</i>	<i>Order - The San. Pub Officer to get this pump repaired as cheaply as possible, not to exceed 10/-</i>

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



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

Read Letter Dated the 30 May 1895 from the Local Gov<sup>t</sup> Board, requesting to be informed on what ground the Sanitary Authority propose to increase the salary of Sub Sanitary Officer Johnson from £20 to £25. a year.

Order — This increase was granted at a well attended Board after considerable discussion & without opposition so far as one can judge it was founded on the knowledge that SSO Johnson has a very large amount of work to attend to and does it very efficiently. The salary on increased is the same as that paid to his predecessor in office.

Read Letter from same of same date, stating that they will not object to the proposed payment of £2.2.0 to D. Lovelock for attending to give evidence at the local inquiry held respecting the Kiperder Drainage Scheme.

The Guardians request that the LG Board will have the goodness to sanction the payment of £1 each to the Clerk of the Union, and SSO Murphy for attending as witnesses at the same inquiry.

Read Letter from same of same date, transmitting a form in which application may now be made for sanction to the Loan required for providing a water supply for Rathdrum.

Read Letter from Mr J K Dooney Sub-Dublin, stating that he encloses a form of application for sanction of a loan by the LG Bd re Rathdrum Water supply.

The Clerk of the Union

informed the Board that no form of application accompanied Mr. Dooney's letter, and the Board directed that Mr. Dooney be informed accordingly.

Mr. Ellison reported to the Board that he examined the place where the water is escaping from the <sup>above</sup> fountain in the Lower Street of Rathdrum, and he recommends that a 6 in piped sewer 50 feet long be laid across the County Road, starting from the ending of the curbing of the foot path and paved channel with a suitable trapped grate, and set so as to catch all waste water escaping from the fountain. He estimates the cost at £73.

Order - Local tenders to be got in during this week to be considered this day week.

Proposed by Mr. Graham, seconded by Mr. Ellison - and resolved -

That the terms of Mr. King's letter, re - Rathdrum Water Supply be complied with; viz. that the expenses of making a lease of the plot of site of Reservoir be paid by the Guardians.

Signed CGD 31 May 95

Wm. Kingham  
Chair

7/5/95-

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 7<sup>th</sup>  
day of June 1895

Signed,

P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967 : 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June 1895

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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 8 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse .. .. .	589	213													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	8													
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—													
<b>TOTAL</b> .. .. .	<b>669</b>	<b>221</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			30	40	55	60	5	3	27	2	16	238	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 104	In separate Wards 30	9
Admitted during the Week			15	5	2	1	—	—	1	1	1	26	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 8	In Wards with other Inmates 5	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>TOTAL 112</b>	<b>TOTAL 35</b>	
Discharged during the Week - Died			31	5	3	—	—	—	1	2	1	42			
Total Discharged and Dead			31	5	3	1	—	—	1	2	1	43			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	40	54	60	5	2	26	2	17	221			No. at corresponding period last year, 225

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 June 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	69	115	David Edge
No. II.	74	121	John Manley
No. III.	174	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	86	137	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>= 633</b>

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

the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

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

Other Guardians: Messrs R. A. Drought R.N.C. J. J. Graham D.C.  
 Major Tottenham, Messrs L. W. Byrne, E. V. Wynne, L. Hanagan, S. Delahunt, P. Padin & S. Astoraman P.S.  
 Messrs L. Mahon, D. Paines, D. Sheehan, D. Curren, J. J. Carey, E. Byrne, J. Byrne, M. H. Jones, E. Robinson, E. Elliott, J. Kavanagh, E. Stoney, J. Murphy, J. P. Keane, B. Keane, J. Shust, E. Cullen, M. Doyle, W. Fuller & V. Dunne.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4961 to No. 5000 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 was

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 G. MURPHY	Ballycullen	...	...	...						
	Brockagh	...	...	...						
	Calary	...	...	...						
	Glendalough	...	...	...						
	Moneystown	...	...	...						
	Oldtown	...	...	...						
	Togher	...	...	...						
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy	...	...	...						
	Wicklow	...	...	...						
THOMAS DOUGLAS...	Dunganstown East	...	...	...						
	" South	...	...	...						
	" West	...	...	...						
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly	...	...	...						
	Kilbride	...	...	...						
JAMES M'ANANANA	Arklow	...	...	...						
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur	...	...	...						
	Cronebane	...	...	...						
	Ovoca	...	...	...						
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim	...	...	...						
	Ballinaclash	...	...	...						
	Ballinacor	...	...	...						
	Ballinderry	...	...	...						
	Knockrath	...	...	...						
	Rathdrum	...	...	...						
	Trooperstown	...	...	...						
TOTALS, £										

<sup>23</sup> NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Res Inc* at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

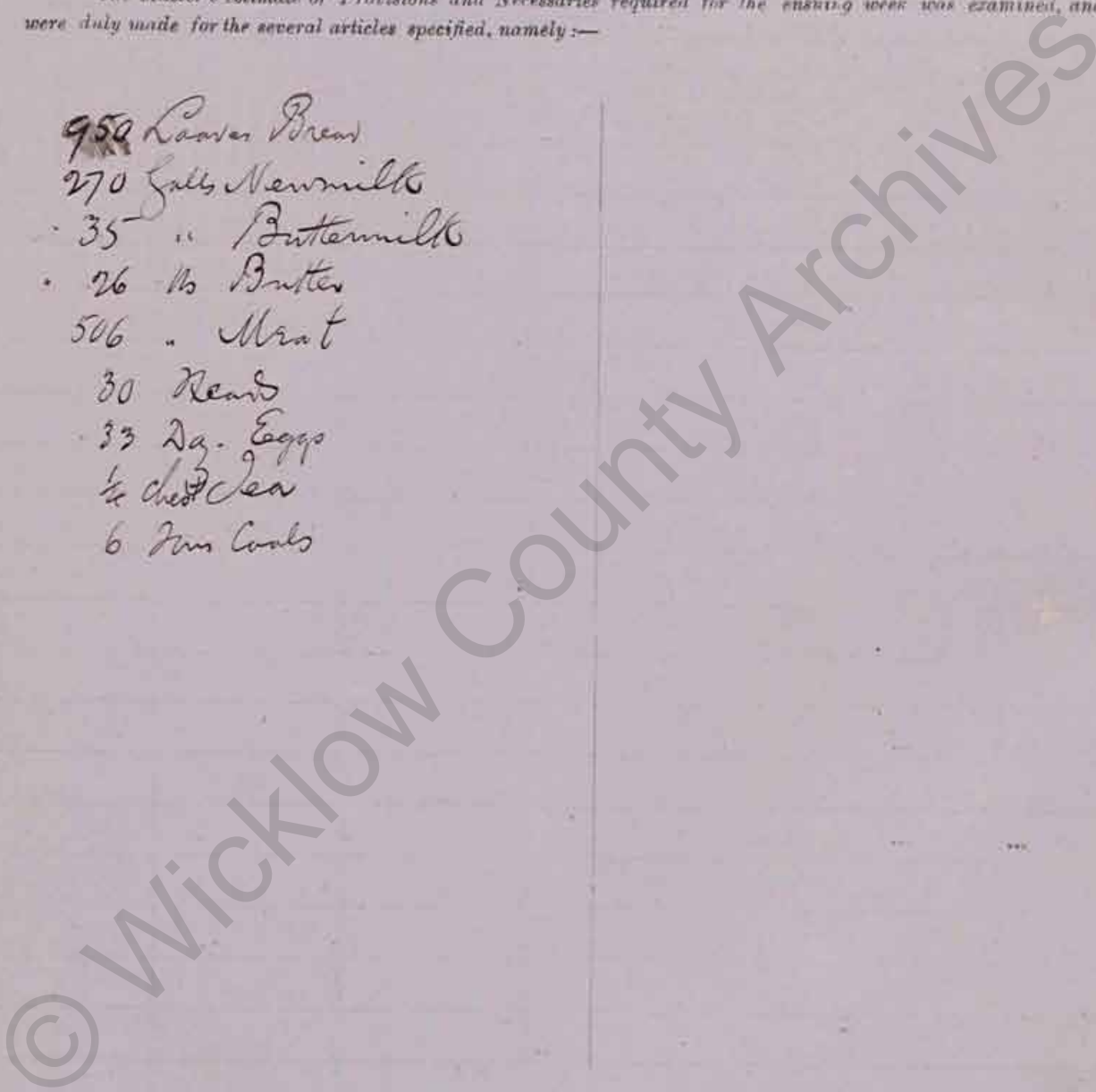
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

	$\pounds$	$s.$	$d.$
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	35	5	2
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	43	16	1
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
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:—

- 950 Loaves Bread
- 270 Gall. Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 26 lbs Butter
- 506 " Meat
- 30 Heads
- 33 doz. Eggs
- $\frac{1}{2}$  ches Tea
- 6 Iron Cooks



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 to the last week ended Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

in Money ...	35	6	1
in Kind ...		3	6
Total ...	35	9	7

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books



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.	DAVID EDGE ...	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ...			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ...			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ...			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

E Mulhern  
Dany Quinn

	£	s.	d.
Eggs	4	10	-
Bacon	2	16	.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> of May 1895 from the Local Government Board forwarding forms adapted from those now in use so as to make them consistent with the new form of Rate Book.

Read Letter from Same Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> instant forwarding a list of documents which they request may be furnished to them with reference to the Improvement Scheme recently made by the Guardians under the Landlords Act.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant expressing their sanction to the proposed increase of £5. a year to the Salary of the Workhouse Officer.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the notice of motion respecting the bondages of Collectors Brennan, Dawling and Mr. Quanna,

Proposed by Mr. D. Somers, seconded by Mr. V. Dunne  
Resolved -

That Collectors Brennan, Dawling and Mr. Quanna be placed on the same footing as the other Collectors, as regards the fees and emoluments attached to their offices in their respective districts

Paper

Proposed by Mr. M. Doyle, seconded by Mr. W. Cullen -  
Resolved -

That the resolution of the Guardians passed on the 17<sup>th</sup> of May sanctioning Jas. Kennedy as tenant for a labourers cottage at Templeton be rescinded, and that John Barry be admitted as tenant for said cottage.

Lost

Mr. Dawling P.R.C. reported that two of the Guardians tenants for labourers cottages at in the Electoral Division of Glencash owe five months rent which he cannot get them to pay up.

It was ordered that Notices to Quit be served on these tenants, and that possession of the cottages be taken from them if they do not pay up all arrears of rent.

Dr. Leiper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse reported that he had been obliged to call in the

assistance of Dr. Ryan in a case of a surgical operation in which anæsthetic had to be administered and that he was entitled to receive the usual fee for his services on the occasion.

Order - Two Guineas to be paid to Dr. Ryan: -

The following claims to be rated were allowed as vouchers

✓ Mr. R. R. Drought	✓ Miss Dickson, Ballyfee West
✓ " John Meason	✓ Andrew Meason, Knockadrect
✓ " Thos Harrison	✓ Mrs Harrison, Ballymastic
✓ " John Deatly	✓ M. A. Deatly, Ballymanilla
✓ " Saml W. Danagh	✓ Mrs Danagh, Crauwe

The following notice of motion was passed: -

I hereby give notice that at the first special meeting of the Board to be held after the expiration of fourteen days, I will move that the rent of Philip Bell's cottage at Kierroe, be reduced from 1/3 to 1/- per week.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> of June 1895

John Kavanaugh.

R. F. W. M. G. M.

14.6.95

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

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

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

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

*The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was ... ..*

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



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
 the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895  
 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Tottenham J L C

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 141*

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

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

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

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

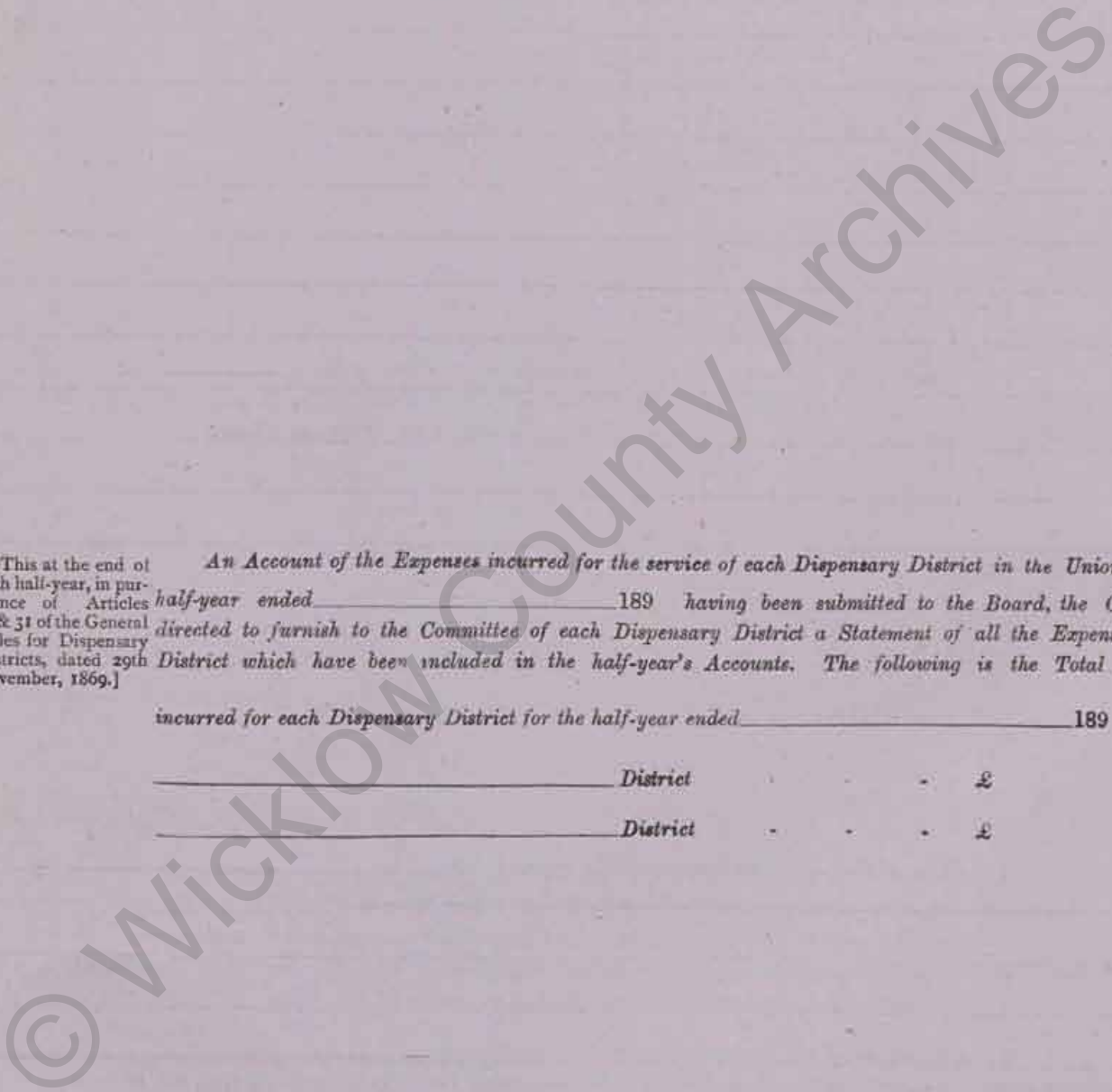
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

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

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

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

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

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

The following 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 Mr J K Fomey, Solr Dublin, forwarding a Declaration to be made by the Clerk of the Union, before a Magistrate, and then forwarded to the Parliamentary Agents in London who are acting on behalf of the Guardians in the matter of the Kilsedder Drainage Scheme.

Read Letter from same, transmitting a form of application for a loan in respect of the Rathdrum Water Supply Scheme.

Read Letter from Mr P. Carby SSO stating that having brought a skilled man to look at the Anghrim Pump he said it could not be repaired for less than £300:0

Read Report from the General Burial Ground Committee, in which they recommend that tenders should be forthwith invited for the fencing of the Grave Yard taking in the arithmetical ground; in accordance with a specification which the Committee prepared and submitted to the Board. —

Proposed by Mr Drought seconded by Mr Wullen —  
Resolved —

That this report be adopted, and that advertisements be issued in the local Newspapers inviting tenders for the work. —

A copy of the Specification to be left at the Post Office at Glenealy.

The Guardians accepted a tender from James Hayden for laying a 6 inch glazed

curtains are pipe 50 feet in length across  
the road near Mr. Dan's house, Lower Street  
Bathurum, with grating or concrete to the  
satisfaction of the Guardians for the sum of  
£3.  
7-

R. F. Dwyer  
14.6.95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 14<sup>th</sup>  
day of June 1895

Signed,

P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127967:8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building as the above date	Able bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	669	205												
Temporary Buildings	—	—												
Additional Workhouse	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11												
Fever Sheds	—	—												
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>220</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	40	54	60	5	2	26	2	17	221	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward 105	In separate Wards with other inmates 30
Admitted during the Week			15	6	6	2	1	—	3	2	1	36	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11	In Wards with other inmates 5
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>30</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>TOTAL, 116</b>	<b>TOTAL, 35</b>
Discharged during the Week			16	7	5	2	1	—	3	2	1	37	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Died														
<b>Total Discharged and Dead</b>			<b>16</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>37</b>	No. Relieved during week	Males 12, Females 4, Children under 15 5, TOTAL 21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	39	55	60	5	2	26	2	17	220	No. in Workhouse at date	Males 2, Females —, Children under 15 —, TOTAL 2
													No. at corresponding period last year,	212

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 June 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 15 Vict., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	67	111	David Edge
No. II.	72	111	John Manley
No. III.	174	215	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	90	154	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>= 641</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—R<sup>d</sup> R. Draught Esq JP VC

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Howard Danville, Col. Keenan, Major Tottenham, Messrs A Dailyour, L W Byrne, E W Wynne, M. Knight JP  
 Messrs L Wolohan, P J Carey, M. Somers, O Byrne, M Byrne, P Miley, J Byrne, J Merrigan, W Dunne, W J Shepard, M Doyle, J H Byrne, D Byrne, E Stoney, G M Saunders, J Kane, W Grant, J Byrne, S. Dowse, J Short, J Kane, M J Jones, E Ellison, J Kavanaugh & J Doyle.

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 *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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Culary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacash ...									
	Ballinaeor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one 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:—

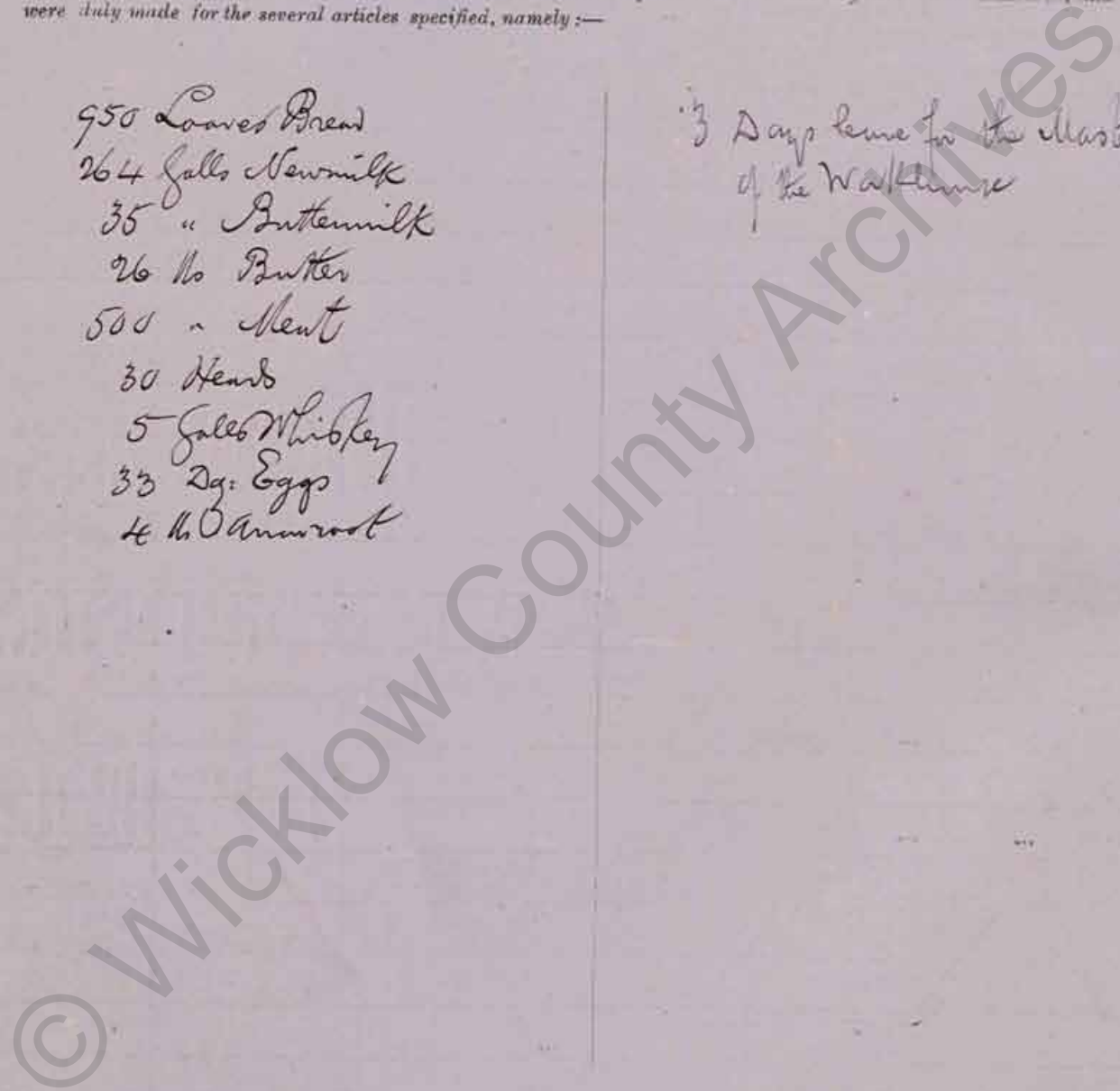
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	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	43	12	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	43	7	2
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	=

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

- 950 Loaves Bread
- 264 Galls Newmilk
- 35 " Buttermilk
- 26 lbs Butter
- 500 " Meat
- 30 Hens
- 5 Galls Whiskey
- 33 Dg. Eggs
- 4 lb Annisroot

3 Days leave for the Master of the Workhouse



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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	38	1	11
In Kind ...		7	0
Total ...	38	8	11

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
B <sup>ts</sup> Ireland	Rep <sup>t</sup> Sam <sup>l</sup> Loans	15	9	6
"	" L.C. "	70	4	2
J Byrne	Bread	42	2	2
Martin & Sons	Timber	3	5	5
R Simpson	Pump	5	12	-
P Doyle	Bag	3	3	-
J Molloy	Reps	2	5	3
S. Keefe	Bag	9	9	-
" Ryan	Fee	2	2	-
S J Doyle	Advertising	5	4	-
	small print	6	18	1
	Postage			
<del>W. Master</del>	<del>Bag</del>	<del>1</del>	<del>6</del>	
<del>L. Murphy</del>	<del>Exp<sup>s</sup></del>	<del>1</del>	<del>1</del>	
<del>R. Murphy</del>	<del>Delegation</del>	<del>6</del>	<del>9</del>	<del>6</del>
<del>J. Manley</del>				<del>8</del>
B <sup>ts</sup> Ireland	<del>Stamp</del>	<del>1</del>	<del>18</del>	<del>10</del>
Sept	<del>Postage</del>	<del>4</del>	<del>7</del>	<del>5</del>

In two lks to pay

£ 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:—

Read Sealed order Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> of May 1895, under the NS Teachers (Ireland) Act 1875.

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 11<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Government Board transmitting a copy of a sealed order issued by them assessing the sums payable by each contributory Union in Ireland under the National School Teachers (Ireland) Act 1875. —  
The sum assessed on the Rathfriland Union is £777

Read Letter from same Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant expressing their sanction to the payment of £2:2:0 to Dr. Ryan, as remuneration for assisting the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in a surgical case.

Read Letter from same of same date, in reference to the Guardians Resolution of the 7<sup>th</sup> instant relative to the remuneration to be allowed to Messrs Brennan, Dowling & McAnamara, The L.G. Board state that they are not



prepared to consider the question of increasing the poundage fees of these Collectors during the period of the present collection; but before the next Warrants are issued the Guardians may if they see fit, after fourteen days notice review the terms under which these Officers have undertaken to collect the rates.

Read Letter Dated the 11<sup>th</sup> instant from the Commissioners of National Education stating in reply to the Guardians enquiring that they will at an early date be in a position to make the necessary payment to the Guardians for Justices and Excise Grants for the year 1894-5.

Read Letter Dated the 11<sup>th</sup> instant from the Registrar General, stating that D. Mitchell, Inspector of Registration reports that both the Register Office & Strong Closet are damp, and the records deposited therein suffering from the effects, and he recommends certain measures to be taken with the view of improving the condition of these apartments.

Order - The Consideration of this matter deferred.

Read Communications from the Veterinary Department, Dublin Post, informing the Guardians that Crime Fever did in the opinion of the Officers of that Department exist in the case of Luke Farrell of Rathnew & John Farrell of Kingston:

Read Reports from R.C. stating that supposed Crime Fever existed on the premises of J. Flannery, Rathnew and David Gilham, Kilscoole.

The Guardians proceeded to consider Representations duly signed by the requisite number of Ratepayers, due notice of which has been given, Special and public, and after due Consideration it was Unanimously Resolved -

That the Guardians having duly considered Representations under the Labourers' Ireland Acts calling on them to provide additional accommodation for Agricultural Labourers in the several Sections or Electoral Divisions named hereunder - And being satisfied as to the truth of the statements made in the said Representations and of the sufficiency of their resources, do hereby direct that an Improvement Scheme be made to provide for the building of the following Labourers dwellings

viz.

In Danganstown East Electoral Division	1 Dwelling
" Danganstown South "	3 Dwellings
" Ennereilly "	3 Dwellings

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### Contracts

The following Contracts were declared: —

Mr. Joseph McAnole	Yearly	250 Tons Best Whitehaven Coals (Screened) @ $17\frac{5}{8}$ £ Ton. —
Mr. Law <sup>ce</sup> Byrne		Best New Milk $\frac{1}{3}$ quantity @ $7\frac{5}{8}$ £ Gal
" Edw <sup>d</sup> Short	"	" " " " $7\frac{5}{8}$ "
Mr. M. Johnson	"	" " " " $7\frac{5}{8}$ "
Mr. Ant <sup>h</sup> Darragh	"	Buttermilk whole " $2\frac{3}{4}$ "
"	"	" Butter " " $1\frac{1}{2}$ - £ lb
Mr. Jas <sup>s</sup> Brennan	Quarterly	Best Mutton @ $6\frac{1}{4}$ "
"	"	" Beef " $5\frac{1}{2}$ "
"	"	" Ox Heads " $1/11$ each
"	"	" Sheep " " 7 "
Mr. James Byrne	"	" White Bread " $3\frac{3}{4}$ @ $4\frac{1}{2}$ lb
" Roger Hill	"	" Oatmeal " $7\frac{1}{2}$ - 10 - £ Ton
Men <sup>r</sup> Darragh & Quinn	"	" Bacon (light Irish) " 6d " lb

The Guardians proceeded to the Consideration of the Clerk's Estimate for New Rates to meet the expenditure of the year ending the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 1896, the following Rates were agreed to - viz.

Middore, Electoral Division, a Rate of	1 : 0	in the £
Mellon	1 : 10	"
Inghrin	1 : 10	"
Ballinacash	1 : 4	"
Ballinam	1 : 4	"
Ballinderry	8	"
Ballyarthrum	1 : 2	"
Ballyculban	8	"
Brookhugh	2 : 6	"
Calany	8	"
Cronebane	1 : 10	"
Drumto East	6	"
" South	10	"
" West	10	"
Emmerich	6	"
Glencary	1 : 0	"
Glendalough	1 : 0	"
Kilbride	1 : 0	"
Kilcoole	10	"
Killiskey	1 : 2	"
Knockraath	1 : 2	"
Moneystown	10	"
Newcastle St.	6	"
" Wc.	10	"
Oldtown	1 : 2	"
Orora	1 : 8	"
Rathdunn	1 : 6	"
Togher	1 : 6	"
Prosperstown	6	"
Wicklow	1 : 2	"

The following Special Rates on Contributory Places were agreed to  
 Kilpedder, Contributory Place a Rate of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  of £  
 Rathdunn " "  $1\frac{1}{2}$  "

Adopted on the motion of Major Tottenham seconded by  
 Mr. Ellison.

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The labourers dwelling represent for in  
 { Arthur D.D. was rejected, and forgot  
 having a cottage in course of erection for the  
 labourer on whose behalf the Representation was  
 made. —

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Proposed by Mr. Saunders, seconded by Mr. Stacey  
 Resolved —  
 That the two tenants now in occupation  
 of labourers cottages at Bally Killowane, named  
 Jeremiah Cleary and Patrick Dunbar be served  
 with the usual notices to quit in consequence  
 of their having failed to pay the rent of said  
 cottages.

Passed unanimously - A.R.D  
 14-6-95

The Guardians accepted a tender from the  
 Dobson, proposing to pay £2-1-0 for the sleep  
 and refuse of the Workhouse Kitchen for 3 months  
 from the 25th instant.

Proposed by Mr. Carey seconded by Mr. Hunt  
 Resolved —  
 That the results fees earned by the Schoolmistresses  
 £4-13-9, and the Schoolmistresses £2-3-3, last year be  
 paid to them. Paper

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

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

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, R R Drought Esq RVC

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:—

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

That the Resolution of the Guardians of the  
10<sup>th</sup> of May last, proposing to remunerate the Clerk of the  
Union and the Officers who assisted him in the distribution  
of the Seed Potatoes, be hereby confirmed.

Signed R R Drought - 14-6-95

R R Drought Ch. M. 21 June 95

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

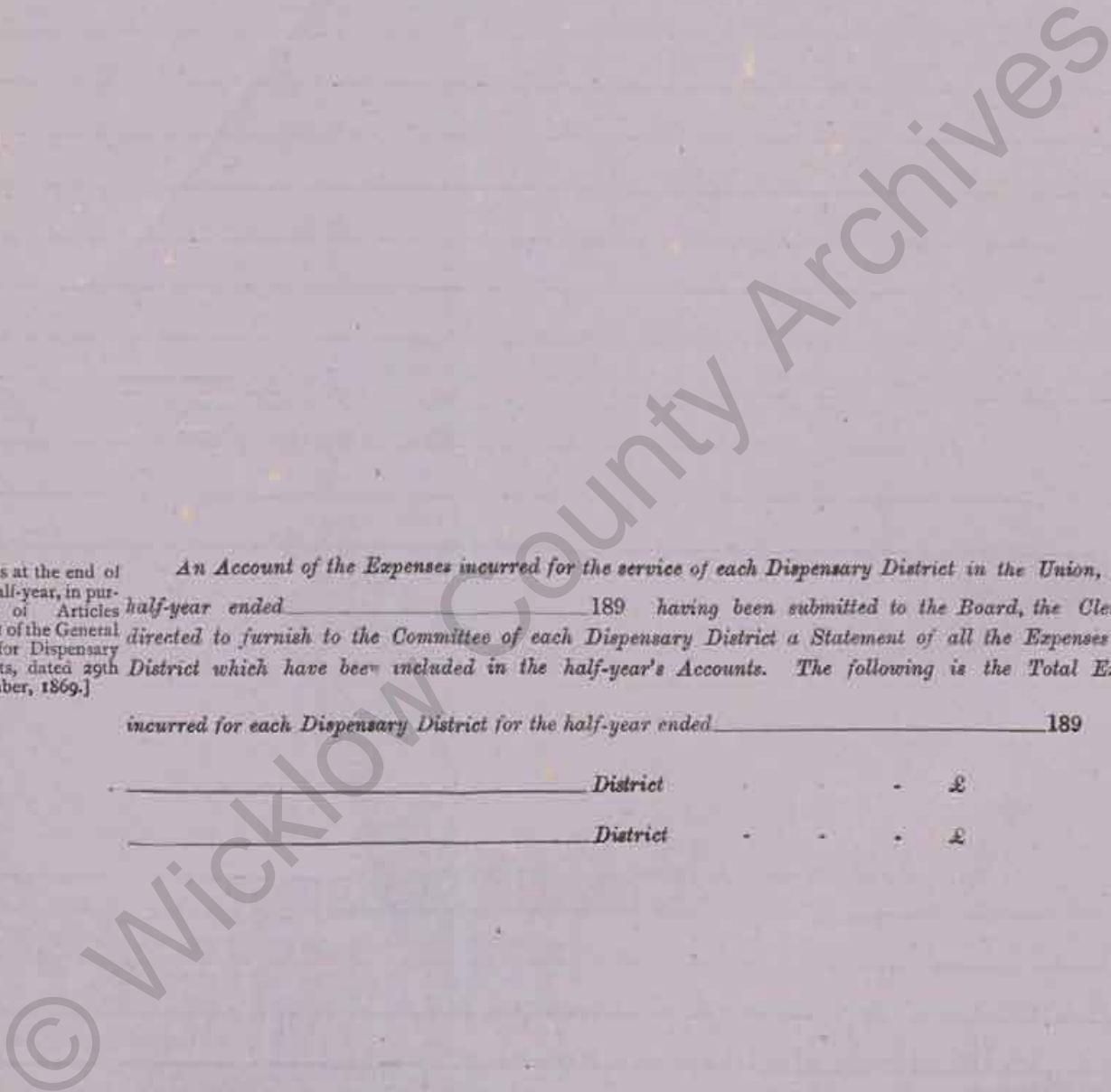
Dispensary District.

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

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

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

_____ District	-	£
_____ District	-	£



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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1861 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.G. Board dated 10<sup>th</sup> June 1895

~~stating that~~

expressing their sanction to the remuneration of £3.3.0 proposed to be paid to D. Keegan for his services as temporary substitute for D. Ryan, during the absence of the latter on sick leave.

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Read Letter from Board, Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> June 1895. - requesting to be informed fully of the grounds on which it is proposed to increase the Salaries of the Medical Officers of Wicklow, Rathdown + Newcastle Districts.

The Board considered length of service as the grounds: -

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Proposed by Mr. Ellison, seconded by Mr. Daillyan P. - Resolved -

That the resolution of the Dublin Dispensary Committee (passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> of April) fixing the salary of the nurse at £15 per annum, and a fee of 2/6 to each case in the township and 7/6 for each case in the district outside the township be confirmed.

Signed RRD  
14-6-95

[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
Dungannon	S. Satchwell	<p>Report relating to the house occupied by Peter Delaney at Brittas which is in an unsanitary condition and unfit for human habitation.</p>	<p>Order - Mr. Byrne, the owner, to be notified to put the house in repair within 3 months, or to discontinue its use.</p>

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



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

Read Letter, Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant, from Mr. F. Kennedy, Solicitor, Wicklow, returning for signature of Chairman, and affixing of Mining Seal, the notices to Quit prepared to be served on two of the Guardians tenants of labourers Cottages in Glenealy E.D. Mr. Kennedy presumes that the Clerk was duly authorized to sign these notices:

See Resolutions on page 172: —

Read Letter Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Hon. Sec. of Dunganstown Dispensary Committee, stating that in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting of the Dunganstown Dispen. Comtee. held on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May 1895, appointing a sub-committee of three - viz. Messrs M Doyle, J Fogarty and W J Shepard - to visit three mile water grave yard and report on what repairs were necessary to the fence. The sub-committee visited the grave yard on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May, and decided that the recommendation formerly forwarded to the Board of Guardians, from Dunganstown Dispensary Committee fully represented anything that was required in the way of repairs to the fence of the grave yard:

on the motion of Mr Shepard, seconded by Mr M Doyle, the Report of the Committee was adopted.

R.P.D.

14-6-95

A tender was received from W Nangle of Rathnew, proposing to carry out the fencing of Glenealy grave yard according to specification for the sum of £91.10.0,

Proposed by Mr Stacey seconded by Mr Saunders —  
Resolved —  
That tendering for the fencing of Glenealy

grave yard be postponed till this day fortnight,  
and further advertised in the local papers.

Passed unanimously - R.R.D. - 14.6.95

Proposed by Mr. Carey seconded by Mr. Smeers  
Resolved -

That the Tughinam Pump be put in repair  
with a new valve + pair of new buckets at a cost  
not exceeding £3.00.0.

Approved - R.R.D. - 14.6.95

The following notice of motion was served. -

I hereby give notice that in the event of the  
legal documents in connection with the acquisition  
of land and water rights for the water supply to the  
Town of Rathdrum, not being ready for signature  
on the 28<sup>th</sup> instant; I will move that the legal  
business in connection with said water supply be  
handed over to some other firm who will proceed  
with the business without further delay.

Edward Ellison

Dated 14<sup>th</sup> June 1895. -

R.R.D. - 14.4.95

Read Letter Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant from Henry  
McLabe asking to have his name inserted in the  
Rate Book in place of his mother, who is dead  
now four months.

Approved

R.R.D.

14/6/95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup>  
day of June 1895

Signed,

J. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse .. .. .	589	218												
Temporary Buildings ..	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	12												
Fever Shields .. .. .	—													
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>230</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	39	55	60	5	2	26	2	17	220	103	30
Admitted during the Week			7	6	5	2	2	2	6	1	1	32	12	15
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>21</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>35</b>
Discharged during the Week - Died			5	5	3	2	1	—	2	3	1	22		
Total Discharged and Dead			5	5	3	2	1	—	2	3	1	22		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	40	57	60	6	4	30	—	17	230		

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
	Males	Females	Children under 15
No. Relieved during week	4	1	—
No. in Workhouse at date	3	—	—
No. at corresponding period last year,			223

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895 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.	65	107	David Edge
No. II.	70	101	John Manley
No. III.	175	216	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	90	154	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>= 653</b>

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

the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— R R Draught Esq P. VC.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. P Delahunt P, E Ellison,  
W. J. Shepard, C. C. Wade P, M. Doyle,  
J. Kavanagh; & J. W. Burns. —

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 34 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 Accounts 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.

£	57 -
£	78 : 3 : 11
£	154 : 19 : 1

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 G. MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Brockagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East									
	„ South									
	„ West									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly									
	Kilbride									
JAMES McANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Ovoca									
WILLIAM SMITH ...	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

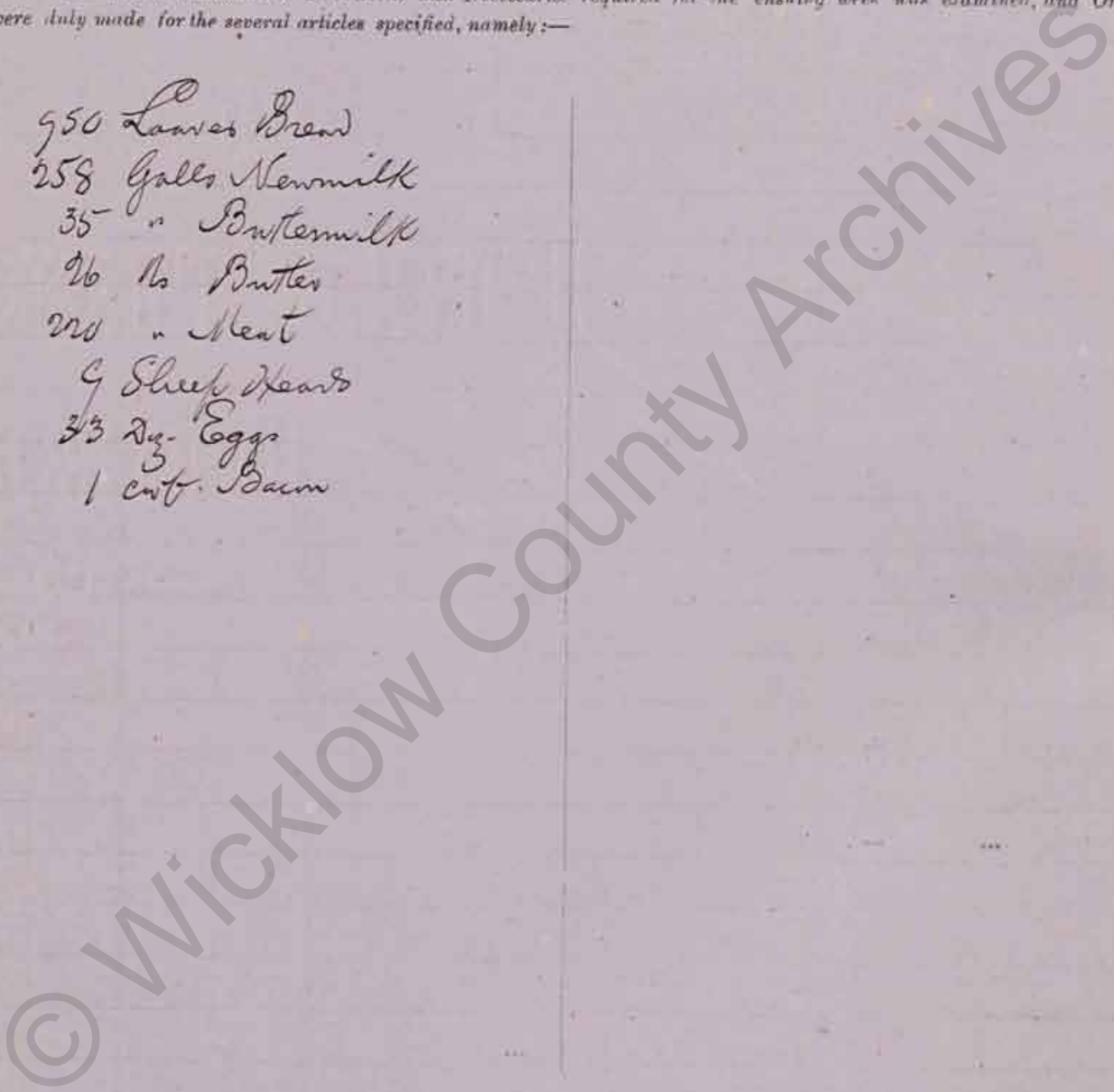
Average Cost in Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

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

950 Loaves Bread  
 258 Galls Newmilk  
 35 " Buttermilk  
 26 lbs Butter  
 220 " Meat  
 9 Sheep Heads  
 33 doz Eggs  
 1 cwt Bacon



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 or the last week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	...	...	...	...	...	34	11	3
In Kind	...	...	...	...	...		15	0
Total	...	...	...	...	...	35	6	3

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipts and Expenditure Books



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.	DAVID EDGE ... ..	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..	20	-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ... ..			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rev R W Guinness	10	-	-
" P Carbery	20	-	-
S. Leeper	30	-	-
B Manning	25	-	-
J Flower	20	-	-
M Flower	10	-	-
J Brady	8	15	-
P Brady	8	15	-
M Kenney	6	5	-
J Holman	5	-	-
A Fitzgerald	5	-	-
W Reeves	5	-	-
D Edge	8	15	-
J Manley	8	15	-
S Johnson	8	15	-
L Murphy	8	15	-
E Dallon	5	-	-
P Cole	5	-	-
B Manning	2	10	-
A. Garland	30	-	-
" Gardner	25	-	-
" Byrne	25	17	6
" H Sutcliffe	25	-	-
" Hudson	30	-	-
" Loverock	25	-	-
" Ryan	25	-	-
" Halpin	25	-	-

		£	s.	d.
Clerk for Dispensary Servants wages		10	10	-
R O'Brien	day	5	-	-
J Young	"	5	-	-
M. Mellor	"	3	15	-

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

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

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

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

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Read Circular Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> inst. from the L.G. Board, requesting to be furnished with certain further information respecting the operations of the Seed Potatoes Supply (Ireland) Act 1895 forms for which are transmitted herewith.

Read Letter from same Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. expressing their sanction to payments proposed to be made to the Clerk of the Union and the officers who assisted him, for their services in connection with the Seed Potatoes Supply (Ireland) Act 1895.

Read Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> inst. from the Commissioners of National Education transmitting a Cheque for £412:13:0, being the amount payable to the Guardians of this Union

under the provisions of the Local Taxation,  
(Customs & Excise) Act 1890. in respect of the  
Year 1894-5.

Read communication from the Veterinary  
Department Dublin Castle, stating that in  
the opinion of the Veterinary Officer of that  
Department Quine Fever did exist in the case  
No. 1882. at Kilmole, David Gahan, owner.

Read report from the committee of  
the Guardians appointed to report on the repairs  
of which Mr. Little C.E. was ordered to make a  
Specification & Schedule.

The committee having examined the  
different items of woodwork to be repaired  
and improved, recommend that the floors of the  
large ward be allowed to stand over for the  
present; that the 2 windows of the accident  
ward be enlarged, and replaced with wooden  
windows, with the window sill on a level  
with the top of the galvanized shed roof, leaving  
the roof undisturbed;

The committee recommend  
that 2 windows in the lying in ward, 6 windows  
in the female long ward, and 2 windows in  
the female eye ward be replaced by new  
wooden windows; and that four wall  
ventilators be put in both male & female  
long wards; the remainder of the work as  
scheduled under general repairs:

The report is signed by Messrs Ellison  
Carey, Wolohan and Somers.

Mr. Little C.E. submitted to the Board  
a specification and estimate of the above

works; which were ordered to be forwarded to the L & B. Board for their approval, advertisements to be issued inviting tenders for the work.

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The following claims to be rated were allowed:-

✓ Being "ES Smith, v Richard Lacey - Cora  
 ✓ Lawrence Payne, v Wm Payne, Moneytown  
 ✓ James Hatchell, v Anne Lawler, Kilcandra

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## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS :—

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

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

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

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

*incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189*

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts, 1851 and 1869, 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. :—

Wicklow — 23 Defaulters

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

The usual notices to be served on the Defaulters.



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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount			
		£	s.	d.	
Union at Large	B Manning	3	15	-	
	S. Leeper	3	15	-	
	L Edge	7	10	-	
	J Manley	6	5	-	
	S Johnson	6	5	-	
	L Murphy	7	10	-	
	J Evans	7	10	-	
	P Cartz	3	15	-	
	Districts	S. Garland	3	15	-
		" Gantner	2	10	-
" Doyne		3	15	-	
" Satchwell		2	10	-	
" Hudson		3	15	-	
" Ryan		2	10	-	
" Liversoll		2	10	-	
" Halpin		6	5	✓	
J Newson		15	-	-	
B Manning		6	5	-	
M New		3	15	-	
J M Farrell		Foot	5	7	6
M Walsh		Reps Imps	4	10	-
J Hayden	Dover	3	-	-	
L Murphy	Sent	2	10	-	
M Clarke	L C -	45	-	-	
A Kewenough	"	4	17	6	
Rest of Union	Small pan <sup>ts</sup>	8	10	8	
S. Hudson	Lun Fee	2	-	-	

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Government Board, expressing their sanction to the proposed increase in the Salary of Sanitary Out Officer Johnson, from £20 to £25 a year, but as this officer's salary exceeds the scale laid down in the Board's circular letter of the 9<sup>th</sup> of October 1874, no portion of the increase can be recovered from the Parliamentary Grant.

Read Letter from same of same date, with reference to the Guardians Minute of the 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo proposing to allow the Clerk of the Union (the Executive Sanitary Officer) and Sanitary Out Officer Murphy the sum of £1 each for attending as witnesses at the local Inquiring held into the Kilpedder Drainage Scheme.

The Local Government Board state that these officers did not attend the inquiry as experts, and are not entitled to payment for performing duties for which they are already remunerated by the Guardians.

Over—

The Guardians are of opinion that this is a fair case for extra remuneration, & request the Local Government Board to reconsider their decision, as the resolution was unanimously passed by the Board. —

Read Letters Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> inst from Mr J K Jooney, Solicitor, Dublin; with reference to the Kiltarnon Waterworks Scheme explaining

explaining the reason of the delay in the preparation of the Deeds conveying the land and water rights connected with the scheme;

Mr. Dooney states that he is ready to prepare any Deed the Guardians may require, but if prepared without investigation the Guardians will of course relieve him of any responsibility as to the title of Messrs. Sharpe & Halpin, and of any person having a superior interest in these persons, the latter of whom is dead, and he has no information as to his representative:

If however the Guardians still wish the Deed he can send it by the 28<sup>th</sup> instant.

Order -

Mr. Dooney to be informed that the Guardians do wish him to have the Deeds ready by the 28<sup>th</sup> instant.

Read Letter dated the 18<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Peares, Follattin, returning the form of application for a loan for the carrying out of the Rautanun Water Scheme; We see no reason for altering any of the figures in the original application, so far as his part of it is concerned: -

The application was signed by the Chair<sup>man</sup> and countersigned by the Clerk, and directed to be forwarded to the L<sup>g</sup> Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 28<sup>th</sup>

day of June 1895

P. P. Walsh

Signed,

Manning

Clerk of the Union.

Ch. W. 28/6/95



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse .. .. .	589	218															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	8															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—																
TOTAL .. .. .	669	226															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	40	57	60	6	4	30	—	17	230	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	103	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	30	6
Admitted during the Week			11	3	3	1	2	—	2	2	1	25	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8		5	
TOTAL,			27	43	60	61	8	4	32	2	18	255	TOTAL,	111	TOTAL,	35	
Discharged during the Week			14	4	6	1	—	—	1	1	2	29	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	11	2	6	19
Total Discharged and Dead			14	4	6	1	—	—	1	1	2	29	No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	5	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	39	54	60	8	4	31	1	16	226	No. at corresponding period last year,				220

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 June 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 51, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	65	101	David Edge
No. II.	72	111	John Manley
No. III.	176	217	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	88	146	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	401	575	= 653

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Rich<sup>d</sup>. R. Dronght Esq. P. M.

Other Guardians:—

Colonel Kemmis, Major Tottenham, Messrs J. Casement, L. W. Byrne Esq's E. Ellison, E. Storey, J. Byrne, W. Fullen, P. J. Carey, J. Kavanagh and J. Miley.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 35 to No. 80 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 of the Union submitted to the Board the New Rate Books duly made up and certified by him, which were signed by the Chairman and two of the Guardians.

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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 has 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.

£ 562 : 7 : 8

£ 426 : 16 : 8

£ 135 : 8 : 1

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

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

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

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

	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	46	16 11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	43	12 9
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3 6
Average Cost in Infirmary		3 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		3 10

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

970 Loaves Bread  
 255 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Internmilk  
 26 lbs Butter  
 800 " Meat  
 42 Ovens  
 4 1/4 Casks Poter  
 1 Box Candles  
 1 cut N Side  
 32 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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 22 day of June 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	35	0	0
In Kind		13	6
Total	35	13	6

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.	DAVID EDGE	...	...	...
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	...	...	...
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	.
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
E. M. Smith	136	4	7
M. Johnson	25	19	-
L. Byrne	20	9	9
E. Short	19	14	6
W. Digne	3	-	-
H. Kirk	3	13	2
Meat			
Newmills			
"			
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Pent LC			
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The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every Month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

Gentlemen—

I have to report that the contracts for the alterations in the Lunatic Department are not yet finished, which were to be finished by the 4<sup>th</sup> of June as ordered— see Minutes 17 May.

Order—

The Clerk to see the Contractor and inform him that if he does not finish his Contract without any further delay the Guardians will employ some other person to do so at his expense. —

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

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

Read Circular from Local Government Board, dated the 27<sup>th</sup> inst. providing a copy of the existing form of Bond for poor rate collectors and their Sureties with such alterations therein as are necessary to make it applicable to the rate under the Seed Potatoes Supply (Ireland) Act 1895 as well as the other rates which the Collectors are at present required to collect; and recommending the Board to call on the Collectors to enter into Bonds in the new form before issuing the Warrants for the next Rate.

Read Letter from same of same date regretting that the plans, specifications & estimates of the proposed alterations in the Workhouse buildings may be forwarded for their inspection.

Order



Mr Little to furnish these documents:

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Read Circular from same of same date transmitting a copy of a letter which appeared in the public press, respecting the Condition of Workhouses in Ireland; and requesting that the Guard. will be good enough to state whether their Medical Officer has made any report as to the existence of defects of the character mentioned in which has not yet been attended to by the Guardians; and also requesting that the Medical Officer may be called on for a report dealing with these matters.

The L.G. Board suggest the appointment of a Committee to enquire into & report on these.

Order. —

The Medical Officer states that he has never made any request to the Board that they have failed to comply with.

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Read Letter from same, of same date, requesting to be informed of the Guardians reason for reducing the Clerk's Estimate for New Rates by a sum of £997; and also requesting to be informed whether it is proposed to levy a uniform Rate for Sanitary purposes on the Urban and Rural portions of Whickham Electoral Division:

Order. —

The Estimate as adopted exceeds that for last year by nearly £1000, and the Guardians are of opinion that the Rates as adopted will suffice.

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Read Report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse with reference to the case of a man

named Robert Fortune who has been several times sent from this Workhouse to the Richmond Lunatic Asylum as a Dangerous Lunatic and as frequently discharged from that Institution to return to this Workhouse, at considerable public expense and great danger to the public, the man being an incurable Lunatic.

J. Leaper directs the Guardians attention to a recent order issued by the Lord Lieut which authorizes Boards of Guardians to remove their lunatic patients to the Family Asylum, and suggests that they should ascertain whether it is competent for them to have these cases sent to the asylum without the interposition of a Magistrate's order; and thus expedite their removal to a place specially suited for their reception.

Proposed by Colonel Kermsis, seconded by Major Tottenham  
Resolved -

That the attention of Her Majesty's Insp<sup>r</sup> of Lunacy be called to the case of a dangerous lunatic, Robert Fortune, who has been repeatedly sent to Richmond Asylum and as often discharged (no again readmitted) whereby much cost has been thrown on the Union, and much risk incurred to the public, and that it is desirable that such cases of possible incurable lunatics be kept under observation for a lengthened period.

Passed RRD  
28-6-95

Resolved -

That the Chief Secretary be asked to give authority for the transfer of dangerous lunatics who <sup>possibly</sup> cannot be dealt with under the Dangerous Lunatic Act, to the Richmond Asylum on the order of the Medical Officer in charge of the Union Hospital, with the consent of the Board of Guardians as has been done with other Unions.

Passed RRD  
28-6-95

Read Letter from the Workhouse Infirmary Nurse asking for leave of absence for one week.

Granted

The following claims to be rated were allowed being adequately vouched -

- ✓ Andrew O'Rourke, Ballymolee v Susan O'Rourke
- ✓ Jeremiah Douglas, Clonmannon v Thomas Winder -

Proposed by Mr. Kavanagh seconded by Mr. Ellison. —  
Resolved -

That the rent of Philip Bell's cottage at Slieverue, be reduced from 1/3 to 1/- per week from the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 1895.

Paper R R D

28-6-95

The Committee appointed to inspect the Registry office and report on the best means of excluding the damp, recommend that the exterior of the Registry office be cemented with best Portland Cement (3 1/4 1) and that the bath be removed to the Probationary Ward that the ivy be removed off the side wall as far as the corner of the front wall; Also the four ~~near~~ sides of the walls adjoining the Registry office to be cemented to a distance of 3 feet from the office for the prevention of damp.

Edward Ellison  
William Cullen  
Patrick J. Jarry

Order -

This work to be done by the Master and not to exceed £10.

R. D. Drought

Ch. M.

5.7.95

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_____ 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 Acts, 1851 and 1861, 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. :—

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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

*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 27<sup>th</sup> instant acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians application for sanction to a loan of £1,000 for waterworks at Rathdrum, and requesting to be furnished with the plans to which were returned for amendment in August 1893.

The Rly Board inquire whether definite agreements have been come to with the persons, other than Lord Meath, who are interested in the lands and water rights required.

Order —  
Mr. Speares to be written to for the plans: —

Read Letter dated the 27<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor Dublin, forwarding two Deeds, one for signature of Mr. Sharpe, and the other for signature by the person who has succeeded to Mr. Dalpin's rights;

These Deeds have been prepared on the assumption that the parties are able to convey to the Guardians the rights in question; for which Mr. Dooney does not vouch.

The Clerk was directed to inform the parties concerned that the Deeds are now ready for execution.

Read Letter from Mr. Dooney of same date informing the Guardians that the Kilpessder Sewage Confirming Bill was read a second time in the House of Lords on Tuesday.

The Guardians received a tender from Mr. Wm. Nangle, of Rathnew, proposing to erect the fence of the Glenageary Grave yard for the sum of £73.

Proposed by Mr. Cullen seconded by Mr. Storey: —

Resolved —

That William Nangles tender for £73 —  
be accepted for the work as specified in the Guardian  
Specification, the Guardians finding the Gates, the  
work to be completed on the 1<sup>st</sup> September 1895.

Signed R.R.D.  
28-6-95

On the reports of the P.S. Officers it was ordered that the  
old grave yards at Killmoghler & Killinstreenan be  
cleaned; the former at an expense not exceeding £1 —  
and the latter not exceeding 15/-

Read Letter from the Registrar of Arklow  
Cemetery reporting that the lay on the Cemetery  
requires to be mown.

Order. Referred to Mr. Condon P.L.C.

The following notice of motion was moved: —

I hereby give notice that at the first special  
meeting to be held after the expiration of fourteen  
days from this date, I shall move that every  
grave yard under the control of the Rathdrum Board  
of Guardians be placed in charge of a competent  
contractor who shall hold the Gate key and keep  
the grave yard properly cleaned and fenced at a  
certain fixed sum per annum.

John Byrne

R.R.D. 28-6-95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup>

day of

July

1895

Signed,

J. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

R.R.D. Manning  
Clerk of the Union  
5-7-95

[Special.]

RATHDRUM UNION.

221

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse .. .. .	589	225														
Temporary Buildings ..	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9														
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—															
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>234</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	39	54	60	8	4	31	1	16	226	105	In separate Wards 30 In Wards with other inmates 5	27	
Admitted during the Week			10	12	7	2	—	—	6	7	5	49	9			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>23</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>TOTAL, 35</b>		
Discharged during the Week			6	10	3	3	3	—	8	6	2	41				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Total Discharged and Dead			6	10	3	3	3	—	8	6	2	41				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	41	58	59	5	4	29	2	19	234				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	9	5	8	22
												No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	3	6
												No. at corresponding period last year,			207	

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 June 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I	65	101	David Edge
No. II	73	113	John Manley
No. III	172	210	Samuel Johnson
No. IV	90	148	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>=649</b>

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

the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Richard R. Drought Esqre P V C

Other Guardians:—

Major Datterham P Messrs Messrs Jones, Edw<sup>d</sup> Ellison, Wm Grant, M. Doyle & Pat<sup>k</sup> Miley

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 81 to No. 120 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there has 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.

£	37	—
£	399	9.0
£	364	17.1

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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	"    South ...									
	"    West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrin ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	27	1	-
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	42	66	-
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			3-5
Average Cost in Infirmary			4-0
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:—

- 570 Loaves Bread
- 258 Galls Newmilk
- 30 " Buttermilk
- 26 lbs Butter
- 510 " Meat
- 24 Sheep Heads
- 12 cwt Oatmeal
- 32 doz Eggs
- 1 Roll Tobacco
- 4 lbs Iron Pot

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 day of June 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	35	12	1
In Kind		5	0
Total	£	s.	d.
	35	17	1

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.	DAVID EDGE ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ... ..			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
W H Saunders	Butter & Butter milk	23	14	6
R Hill	Oatmeal	6	18	..
J Payne	Brew	9	10	7
E Mulhern	Eggs	6	3	-
J Smyth	Groceries	16	3	6
do	Ironware	4	17	8
J H O'Neill	Hardware	8	11	-
J Flower	Repairs	2	8	8
D O'Brien	Maintenance D M	15	-	-
W M Phelan	Printing & Post	15	2	-
M Clarke	on a/c Cont & C	48	15	-
	Infirmary			
Wheeler	Postage	2	-	-
Ellis	Office	1	4	7
Lillywhite	Repairs	6	6	6
W Gilbert	Making lbs	6	-	-
J Douglas	to Rep & C	7	10	-
P Doyle	" "	5	6	-
W Smith	P R	6	8	-
P Farrell	" "	7	7	-
J Dowling	" "	9	2	-
	" "	7	8	-
		6	1	6
M Clarke	on a/c Cont	48	15	-

£ 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 Government Board, Dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, requesting to be furnished with a Return showing certain particulars of local taxation:

Read Letter from same Dated the 4<sup>th</sup> instant with reference to the Guardians Order on the letter of the L.G. Board relative to the condition of Workhouses in Ireland, in which they request that the Guardians will be so good as to comply with their suggestion and obtain a report from the Medical Officer on the several matters referred to in the Communication in question.

Order — Dr. Leeper to be requested to comply:

Read Letter from Same of same Date - forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a letter which they have received from Edward Darcy relative to his application for a cottage under the Labours Act, and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians Observations on the subject.

No order

Read Letter from Same of same Date calling the attention of the Guardians to their letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> Ultimo asking for certain documents connected with the Guardians Petition for Confirmation of the fourth Improvement Scheme made by them under the Labours Act, and requesting to be informed of the cause of the delay in furnishing the documents in question.

The Clerk of the Union explained that owing to pressure of work he had overlooked the matter but that the documents would be forwarded at once.

Read Letter Dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant from the Lunacy Office, Four Courts, Dublin, acknowledging the receipt of the Guardians letter relative to the case of the dangerous lunatic, Robert Fortune, which has been forwarded to the Medical Superintendent of the Richmond Asylum for his consideration and observations.

Read circular Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> Ultimo from the Veterinary Dept. Dublin Castle; transmitting copies of orders in Council made on the 17<sup>th</sup> Ultimo under the Diseases of Animals Act 1894.

The Guardians received two tenders for the carrying out of the repairs proposed to be effected in the lying-in wards of the Infirmary Range as ordered to be advertised on the 21<sup>st</sup> Ultimo:

vi:  
 3 One from Mr. John Nolan, Rathdrum, who proposed to do the work for £107:16:0.

and

One from Mr. John Daville who proposed to make and put in 12 new windows, and 2 Granite window sills for the sum of £29. - and to supply and put up 8 Ventilators at 18/6 each for wooden ones, or £2. Each for Kershaw's patent

Proposed by Mr. Ellison, seconded by Mr. Doyle -  
 Resolved -

That Mr. John Daville's tender for putting in new windows, and wooden Ventilators be accepted, and that the Master be empowered to carry out the remainder of the repairs at a cost not exceeding £45, against the 1<sup>st</sup> of October 1895; And Daville to complete his contract on or before the 9<sup>th</sup> of September 1895.

Passed unanimously  
 R. R. D. - 5.7.95

W. W. Tottenham, Presiding Chairman  
 12/7/95.

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

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

*Ditto disallowed*     ...     ...     ...

*The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was*     ...     ...     ...

*The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was*     ...     ...     ...

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

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

*The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was*     ...     ...     ...

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



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
 the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895  
 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

*R. R. Doughty Esq. M.C.*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 221*

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

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

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

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

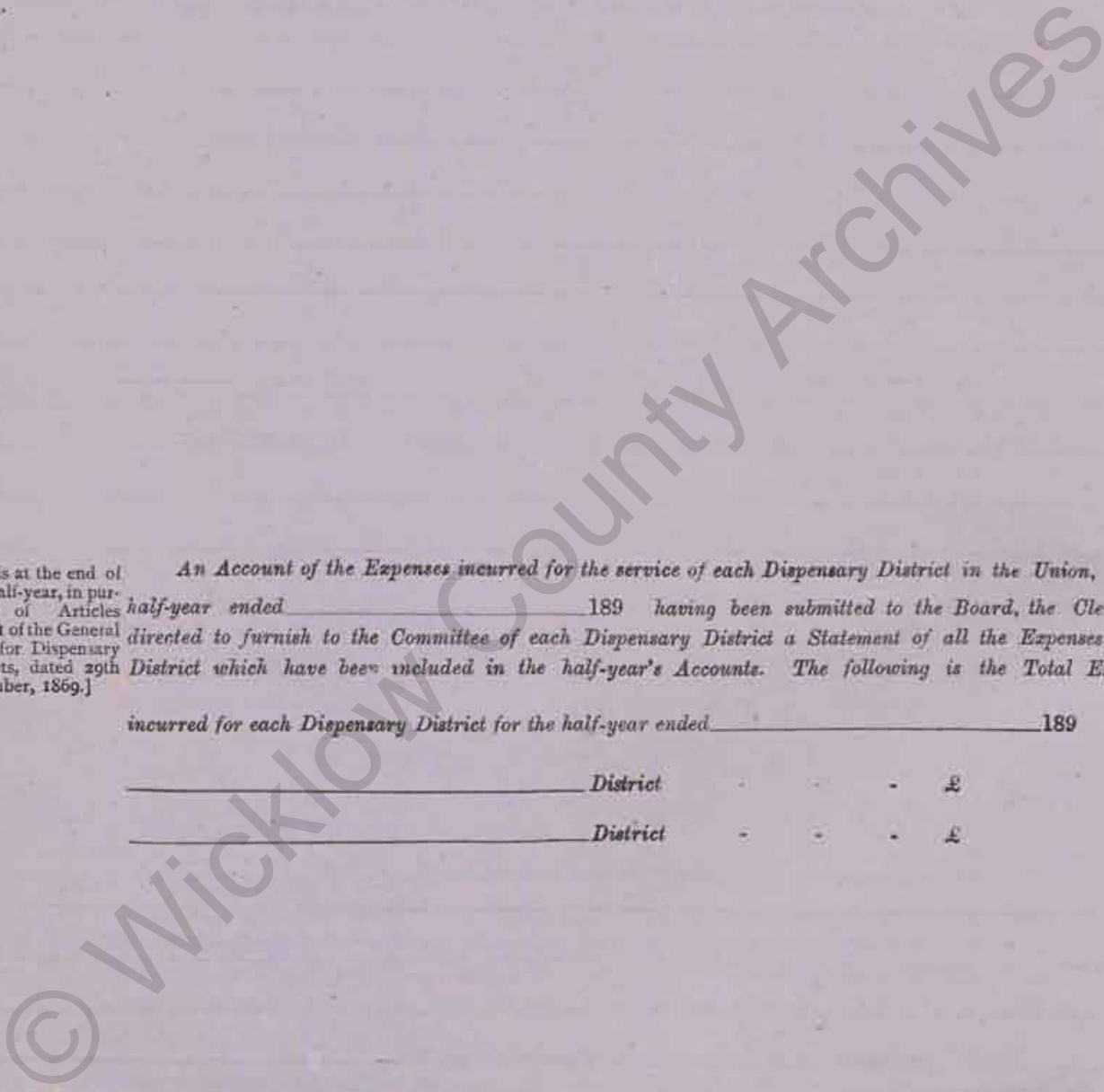
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District.

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1859.]

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

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

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

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

Read Letter from Local Govern. Board dated 4<sup>th</sup> instant  
stating that

They have carefully considered the reason advanced by the Guardians for proposing to increase the Salaries of the Medical Officers of Wicklow, Rathfriland & Newcastle Disp<sup>y</sup> Districts, and they are of opinion that a sufficient case has not been established in support of the proposal, and they must accordingly decline to sanction it.

Read the following Resolution passed at a meeting of the Newbridge Dispensary Committee held on the 1<sup>st</sup> instant.

Colonel Bayly in the Chair

Other members present - Messrs A. A. Wynne, N. Dunne, J. Manley, R. Heath, Mr. H. Jones, Hon. Secy. & Dr. Hudson

Resolved—

That a midwife for the Newbridge Disp<sup>y</sup> District (who shall act as general nurse in non infectious cases as may be required by the Medical Officer to attend to) at a salary of £25 a year. to reside in the neighbourhood of Orca, be advertised for.

Passed unanimously  
Matt. H. Jones, Hon. Secy.

Read R.R.D. 5.7.95

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

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

Wicklow - 26 cases

Newcastle - 12 " 2 unfit

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:— Notices to be served, except in the 2 unfit cases:—

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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



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

Read Letter from L.G. Board, Dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, stating that they must adhere to the opinion expressed in their letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> instant with regard to the proposal of the Guardians to allow the Clerk of the Union, and S.S.O. Murphy, the sum of £1. each, for attending as witnesses at the local inquiry held into the Kelpedder Drainage Scheme.

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Read Report from P.S.O. Manley, stating that he has inspected the three mile water grave yard, and that he estimates the cost of piling the bed of the river underneath the grave yard, planting sabbies and repairing the fences at £20.

Order -

Referred to the Drain<sup>g</sup> Dispo<sup>s</sup> Committee.

W. W. Tottenham Secretary Museum  
12/7/95

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 12<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1895

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



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

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 3 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 3 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	552	223																		
Temporary Buildings	—	—																		
Additional Workhouse	—	10																		
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—																		
Fever Sheds	—	—																		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>233</b>																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			17	41	58	59	5	4	29	2	19	234	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	102	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	30	13			
Admitted during the Week			19	7	8	—	2	1	5	1	—	43	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10		5				
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>36</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>				
Discharged during the Week			16	7	6	1	2	1	7	1	1	42	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS							
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	No. Believed during week	21	Females	5	Children under 15	4	TOTAL	30
Total Discharged and Dead			16	7	6	2	2	2	7	1	1	44	No. in Workhouse at date	9		—	—	—	9	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	41	60	57	5	3	27	2	18	233	No. at corresponding period last year,						207	

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 July 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

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	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
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No. II.	73	113	John Manley
No. III.	178	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	89	147	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>= 653</b>

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

the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Major Tottenham JP & Mr. P. J. Carey — Other Guardians:—

- Mr. Albert P. Donke JP
- " Patrick Padrin JP
- " Pat<sup>r</sup> J. Carey
- " J. J. Karanagh
- " Wm Grant
- " C. Merrigan
- " G. Byrne
- " W. Fuller

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 121 to No. 160 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *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.

£ 190
£ 240 : 12 : 8
£ 427 : 14 : 1

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	57	10	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	44	8	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
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:—

970 Loaves Bread  
 264 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Buttermilk  
 26 lbs Butter  
 510 " Meat  
 24 Hens  
 10 cwt Rice  
 32 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 6 day of July 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	37	19	3
In Kind			
Total	£ 37	19	3

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	DAVID EDGE ...	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ...			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ...	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ...	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
McNew	5	-	-
P. Haskins	27	5	10
J. McManoll	15	13	6
P. Doyle	5	16	8
	2	2	-
In for Mr. to pay			
J. Nolan	1	11	6
V. Fitzpatrick	1	-	-
J. Summitt		15	-
L. Balfa		15	-
J. Dany		8	3
	4	9	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):—

Read Letter Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> inst: calling for the usual quarterly Return of Rates made &c.

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Read Letter Dated the 6<sup>th</sup> instant from Paine, returning the Specification and estimate of the alterations in the Workhouse buildings and stating that they will not object to the works in question.

=  
Read Letter Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant from the Under Secretary, Dublin for the acknowledgment of the Chairman's letter in reference to the 'Dangerous Lunatic Robt. Fortune'

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Read Letter of same date from the office of the Registrar in Lunacy stating that the patient Robert Fortune referred to in the Guardians letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> instant was admitted to the Richmond Lunatic Asylum on the 13<sup>th</sup> June last and was still an inmate of the Asylum at the date of the Guardians letter;

The case is stated to be one of recurrent insanity and the Governors of the Asylum are of course bound to discharge the patient on his recovery.

On the last occasion the patient was under observation for three years.

Order -

The Clerk to write to H. M. Inspector of Lunatic Asylums to call his attention to the case of Robert Fortune.

Read Circular Dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant, from the Under Secretary, Dublin Castle, transmitting for the Guardians information copies of two Orders in Council making Regulations and setting forms of certificates under the Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs Act 1893.

Read Report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse on the Condition of the Workhouse, Infirmary and Fever Hospital, as requested by the Local Government Board in their letter of the 4<sup>th</sup> instant.

Order -

This report to be sent to the Local Government Board.

Read Letter, Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant, from

the Schoolmaster of the Workhouse asking permission  
to have his brother to visit him for a week!  
Allowed

✓ Read Letter Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant from  
Patrick Connolly, asking to have his name placed  
on the Rate Book instead of his wife Anne Waters.  
Allowed

Read Letter Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant from  
Mr. Michael Byrne, Contractor for carrying out  
certain works in the Workhouse, asking for an  
extension of time for one week in which to  
complete his contract.

Order - It be allowed another week: -

R. P. Doughty  
Ch. Secy. 19.7.95

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	8
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	7

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair

*Majr Tottenham P*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 241*

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

*The Clerk to forward same to the Contractors:*

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

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

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

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

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

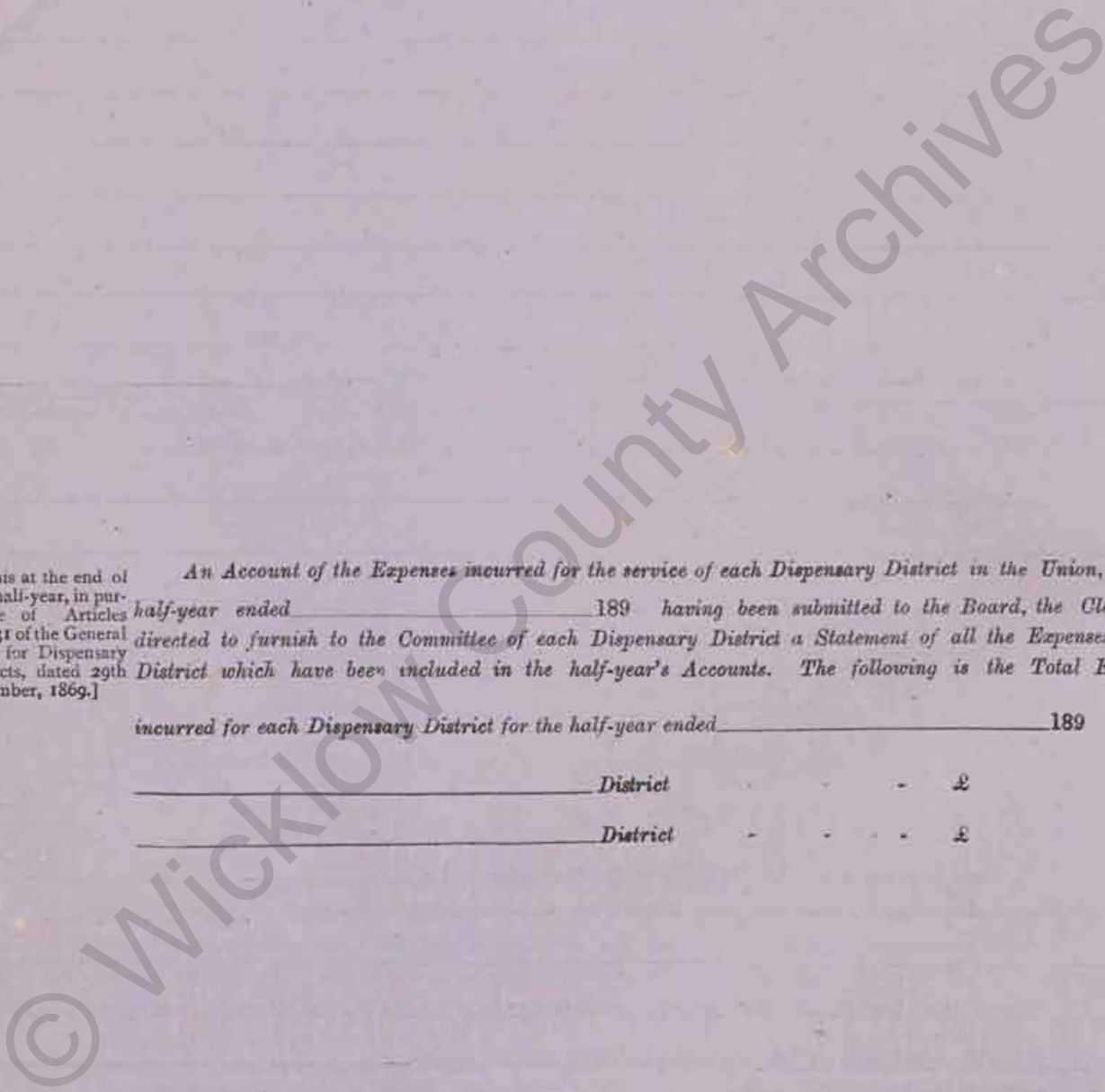
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.]

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 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

Mr. L. Murphy R.O. presented a bill of 15/- for three days spent by him in personally noticing the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in Newcastle District as ordered by the Guardians.

Order — To be paid, Subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

[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 F 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. :—

Aughrim — 7 cases of default

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

The usual notices to be served. —



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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS
Newcastle	D. Lovelock	Excavations on the sites of the pigsties on the Green at Kilsnoe which are receptacles for all sorts of obnoxious matter & dangerous to the public health. Recommended to be filled in as already one case of typhoid fever has occurred in the village.	Order - SSO Murling to ascertain the order of the Magistrates at the time of the convictions & report to the next Board.

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



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

Read Letter Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Joseph Smyth, Wicklow, calling the attention of the Guardians to the necessity of having something done at once with a view to protecting the Graveyard at Three-mile-water from the encroachment of the river.

The Clerk of the Union was directed to write to the Dungannon Sanitary Committee and request to be furnished with their views as to what is best to be done in the matter.

Read Letter Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin, informing the Guardians that the Confirming Bill in the matter of the Keshder Drainage Scheme has received the Royal assent; The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Dooney and ask what step the Guardians are now to take.

Read Letter Dated the 10<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Maurice Knight, agent to the Earl of Meath forwarding a Draft of the Lease proposed to be granted to the Guardians by Lord Meath for the purpose of forming a Reservoir in connection with the Rotherdown Water Supply.—

The Clerk was directed to forward the Draft to Mr. Dooney, the Guardians' Solicitor in this matter, for perusal and advice.

Mr. George Sharpe, from whom the Guardians propose to acquire water rights &c in this matter appeared before the Board in order that he might inspect the Deed of Submission to Arbitration signed by him, which having done he declined  
Hill

Till further advised to sign the Deed conveying these rights to the Guardians.

Mr Johnson SSO reported that the game yard at Kilmagie is grown over with weeds and rubbish and requires to be cleaned at a cost of 10/-.

Ordered to be done.

Mr Manley OSC reported that Patrick Bergin of Ballyclough N. (one of the Guardians tenants for labourers cottages) is two months in arrears of rent which he refuses to pay.

Order.

The Clerk to write that if the rent is not paid notice to quit will be served.

R. P. Droughe  
Ch. M.

17.7.95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1895

Signed,

J. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value. £ 127967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of July 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	559	208															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	89	12															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	649	220															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	41	60	57	5	3	27	2	18	233	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	102	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	30	23
Admitted during the Week			24	4	6	1	1	—	1	2	1	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	12		5	
TOTAL			44	45	66	58	6	3	28	4	19	273	TOTAL	114	TOTAL	35	
Discharged during the Week			32	6	5	1	1	2	3	2	1	53	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Believed during week	17		17	
Total Discharged and Dead			32	6	5	1	1	2	3	2	1	53	No. in Workhouse at date	—		—	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	39	61	57	5	1	25	2	18	220	No. at corresponding period last year,			199	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I	66	106	David Edge
No. II	75	121	John Manley
No. III	178	219	Samuel Johnson
No. IV	89	145	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS	408	591	= 650

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

the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—Richard R Drought Esq JP VC

Other Guardians:—Major CRW Tottenham JP  
Mr John Kavanagh.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 161 to No. 200 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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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 was

been received during the week . . . . . £ 37 : 7 : 11

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 174 : 7 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 564 : 12 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL ...	Altidore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	"    Upper ...									
WILLIAM G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneytown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	"    South ...									
	"    West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

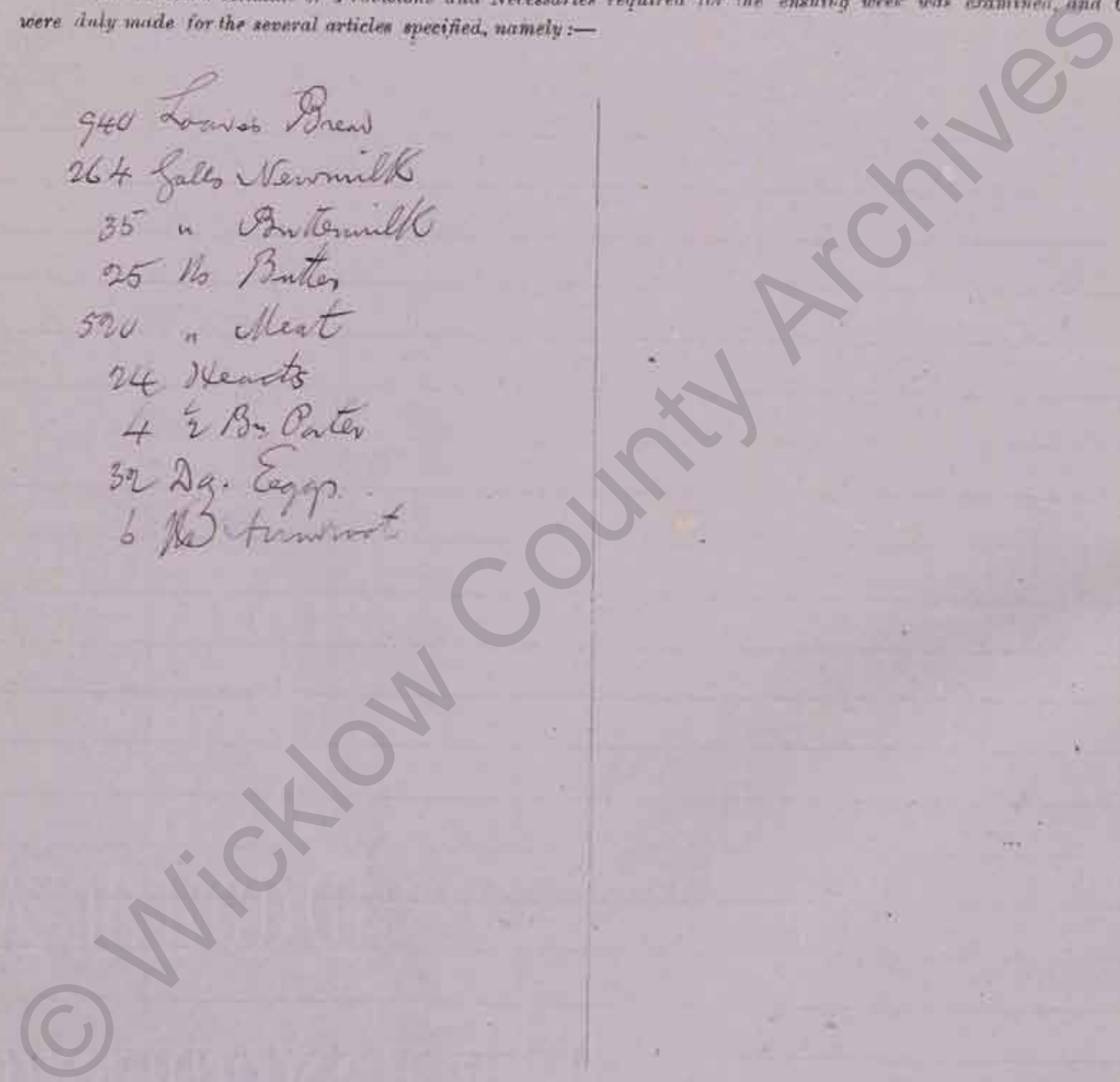
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1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	42	16	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	42	17	7
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	0

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

- 940 *Louis Dried*
- 264 *Galls Newmilk*
- 35 *" Buttermilk*
- 25 *lb Butter*
- 520 *" Meat*
- 24 *Meats*
- 4 *1/2 Bx Butter*
- 32 *Dz. Eggs*
- 6 *lb Flour*



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 13<sup>th</sup> day of *July* 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money ... ..	35	9	0
In Kind .. .. .		2	0
<b>Total</b> ... ..	<b>35</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>

*Credit was Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books*



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:—

No.	Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer		
			£	s.	d.
No. I.		DAVID EDGE ... ..			
No. II.		JOHN MANLEY ... ..	20	-	-
No. III.		SAMUEL JOHNSON ... ..			
No. IV.		LAURENCE MURPHY ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
G. Wilson	9	17	10
Davy Quinn	3	3	3
C. Wilson	2	5	-
J. Clark	3	9	9
J. Flower	10	-	-
J. Whelan	1	7	7
C. Ellis		6	4
L. Murphy		15	-
	2	8	11

*Infow flk to pay*

*Nothing*  
*Bacon*  
*Jen*  
*Rep. Imp*  
*Jen Repts*  
*Steam*  
*Reps.*  
*Var. Exp.*

£ 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:—

Read Sealed Order, Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> June 1895, from the Local Government Board relating to the appointment of Union Officers and their tenure of office.

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

~~from the~~ Read Circular Dated the 15<sup>th</sup> instant from the L.G. Board forwarding the above sealed Order.

Read Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Inspectors of Lunatic Asylums, Dublin Castle, forwarding in the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter received by them from the Medical Superintendent of Dublin Lunatic Asylum with reference to the case of Robert Fortune a Dangerous Lunatic.

Dr. Condy Norman states that Rob<sup>t</sup> Fortune was admitted to the Asylum on the 13<sup>th</sup> Ultimo and has been there ever since,

He was admitted to, and discharged from, the Asylum on the following dates:—

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Admitted	Discharged
=	=
11 <sup>th</sup> August 1887	19 <sup>th</sup> March 1888
27 <sup>th</sup> February 1891	5 <sup>th</sup> May 1891
8 <sup>th</sup> October 1891	6 <sup>th</sup> February 1892
1 <sup>st</sup> April 1892	3 <sup>rd</sup> August 1892
21 <sup>st</sup> March 1892	5 <sup>th</sup> February 1895

on 4 of these occasions he was discharged as having recovered, and on the other occasions he was discharged under Magnanimity.

He was admitted from the Workhouse on the present occasion only.

He is not, in the opinion of Dr. Norman, and never was dangerous.

Order -

The Guardians are satisfied that Fortune was sent four times from the Bath drain Workhouse.

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Read Letter Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Local Government Board, informing the Guardians that they have instructed their Inspector, Mr. A. Bowker, to hold a Local Inquiry respecting the Improvement Scheme made by the Guardians under the Labourers Act, and that the Inquiry will be held in the Board-room on Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> of August next, at 12 o'clock noon, due notice of which will be published in newspapers circulating in the District.

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Read Letter from Dr. Leeper, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, recommending that the

three new windows to be put in the male Ward of the Infirmary be made of wood, instead of the old-fashioned iron framed ones.

Approved

Revd reports from the R I Constabulary stating that Pneumonia is supposed to exist on the premises of the following persons.

viz.  
 3 John Ireston - Pungborough - Arklow  
 David Galum - Kilcoole - Greystones

The Clerk was directed to write to the Sergeant at Kilcoole, for an explanation as to why this latter case is reported now, having been reported before a short time ago.

Thos. J. Lottman  
 26/7/95.  
 Chas.

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

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

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

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

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



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, R. D. Doughty Esq. M.P.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

Major Tottenham  
Mr. John Kavanagh

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

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractor.

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

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

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

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

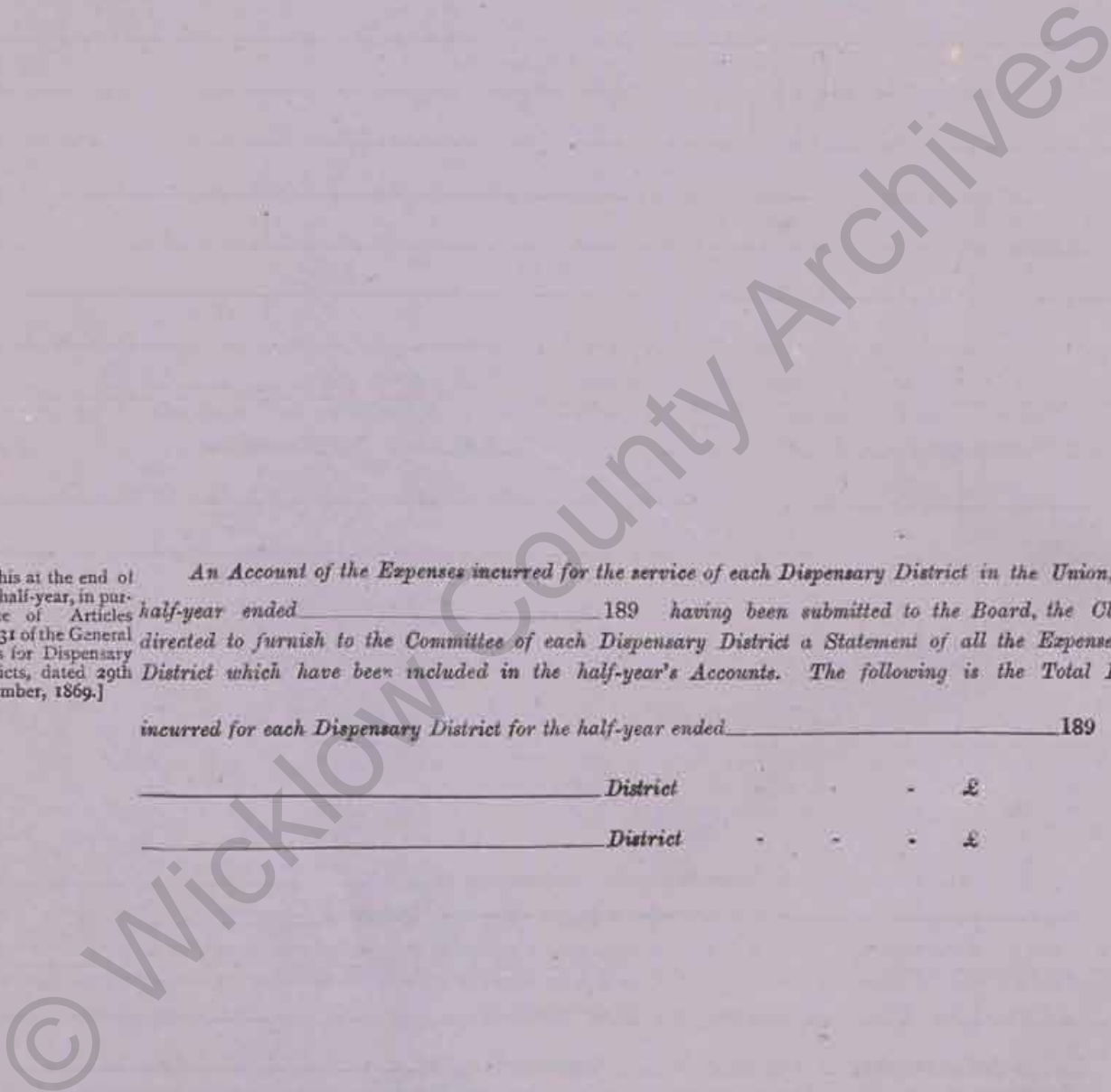
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

	District	-	-	£
	District	-	-	£



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts, 1878 and 1880, 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.G. Board dated 17 instant:

expressing their sanction to the proposal of the Guardians respecting the Salary proposed to be fixed for the office of Midwife in the Arklow Dispensary District.

Order - To be forwarded to the Dispensary Committee.

Read letter from same dated the 18<sup>th</sup> instant expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £57- to R O Murrell for his services in noticing defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act.

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

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

Newbridge - 18 Defaulters

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

The usual notices to be served.





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

Recd Letter Dated the 15<sup>th</sup> instant from the Hon. Sec. of Derry and Linn Dispensary fund with reference to the condition of the fence of the three-mile-water grouse ground; stating that it was his intention to bring the matter before the usual monthly meeting of the Committee, but as the Guardians wish to have the views of the Committee at once he will summon a special meeting.

Recd Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. A. D. Price Esq. informing the Guardians that Probate was granted in the Estate of Mr. James Price Esq. late of Grey Stone, to Messrs. A. D. Price and J. D. Price to whom all Cheques should be made payable.

Mr. Price asks for instructions with regard to the preparation of the map and other necessary documents connected with the Killyder Drainage Scheme.

Order—

The map to be prepared at once. To hold the other documents in readiness.

Wm. J. Tottenham  
Chair

26/7/95.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1895

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



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	217															
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	12															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	668	229															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	39	61	59	5	1	25	2	18	220	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	106	In separate Wards (In Wards with other inmates)	30	16
Admitted during the Week			14	3	8	1	1	—	1	1	1	30	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	12		5	
TOTAL			26	42	69	60	6	1	26	3	19	250	TOTAL	118	TOTAL	35	
Discharged during the Week			12	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	20	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			12	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	1	21	No. Relieved during week	13	1	—	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	40	63	58	6	1	26	2	18	229	No. in Workhouse at date	1	—	—	1
													No. at corresponding period last year, 648				

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 July 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	66	106	David Edge
No. II.	75	109	John Manley
No. III.	177	217	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	89	143	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	407	575 = 648	

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

the 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham DL Chm

Other Guardians:— Messrs P Padin A  
 Paul Dewse  
 Wm Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 201 to No. 240 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. 7 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 £ 80 : 7 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	38	0	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	43	9	6
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	0

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

- 970 Loaves Bread
- 270 Galls Newmilk
- 30 " " Suther milk
- 26 lbs Butter
- 530 " Meat
- 30 " Hens
- 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Dg. Eggs
- 5 Galls Whiskey
- 1 Case Brandy
- 7 lbs Pepper

12 Days Leave for Master

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 on 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, at per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
J. Sharpe	55	-	-
M. Johnson	11	7	2
J. Doyle	2	2	-
New Price	24	00	-

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant from the Chief Secretary's Office informing the Guardians that the Governor and Council of the Bank of Ireland have been authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Union the Sum of £246 : 18 : 9 on account of Probate Duty Grant for the year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> of March last.

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Read Letter Dated the 15<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland in reply to the Guardians letter relative to the transfer of Dangerous Lunatics from the Workhouse to the Richmond Lunatic Asylum, stating for the information of the Guardians that there is full power under the General Rules and Regulations made by the Lord Lieutenant in Council to deal with cases such as mentioned in the Guardians letter; In any case where the Med. Officer



Considers that asylum treatment is needed for a lunatic detained in the Workhouse, it is only necessary for him to apply to the Resident Medical Superintendent of the asylum for the prescribed form; on this being properly filled up authority for the admission of the patient can be obtained under Rule XVIII of the Privy Council Rules.

Read Circular Dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant, from the Local Government Board, transmitting for the use of the Guardians a copy of their Annual Report for the present year. -

Read Letter Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> instant from Sergeant McWhirter R.I.C. Kilcoole stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry that a pig suffering from Swine Fever was slaughtered by Mr Newson V.D. on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June last on the premises of David Jaham; there were 9 other pigs there at the time, one of the other pigs got sick and Jaham reported the matter to the sanitary authority as he was bound to do.

Proposed by Mr. Dorze seconded by Mr. Ellison  
Resolved -

That the Local Government Board be requested to give their sanction that application be made to the Board of Works for an advance of the Loans sanctioned on account of Labourers Cottages built by the Guardians in the following Electoral Divisions. -

Ballyathrum £48  
Drington South 100  
Newcastle

A. A. Dorsey = £148  
W. 2. 17. 8. 93

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

<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>	...	...	...

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Jol. Tottenham DL Chm

OTHER GUARDIANS:—see page 281

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

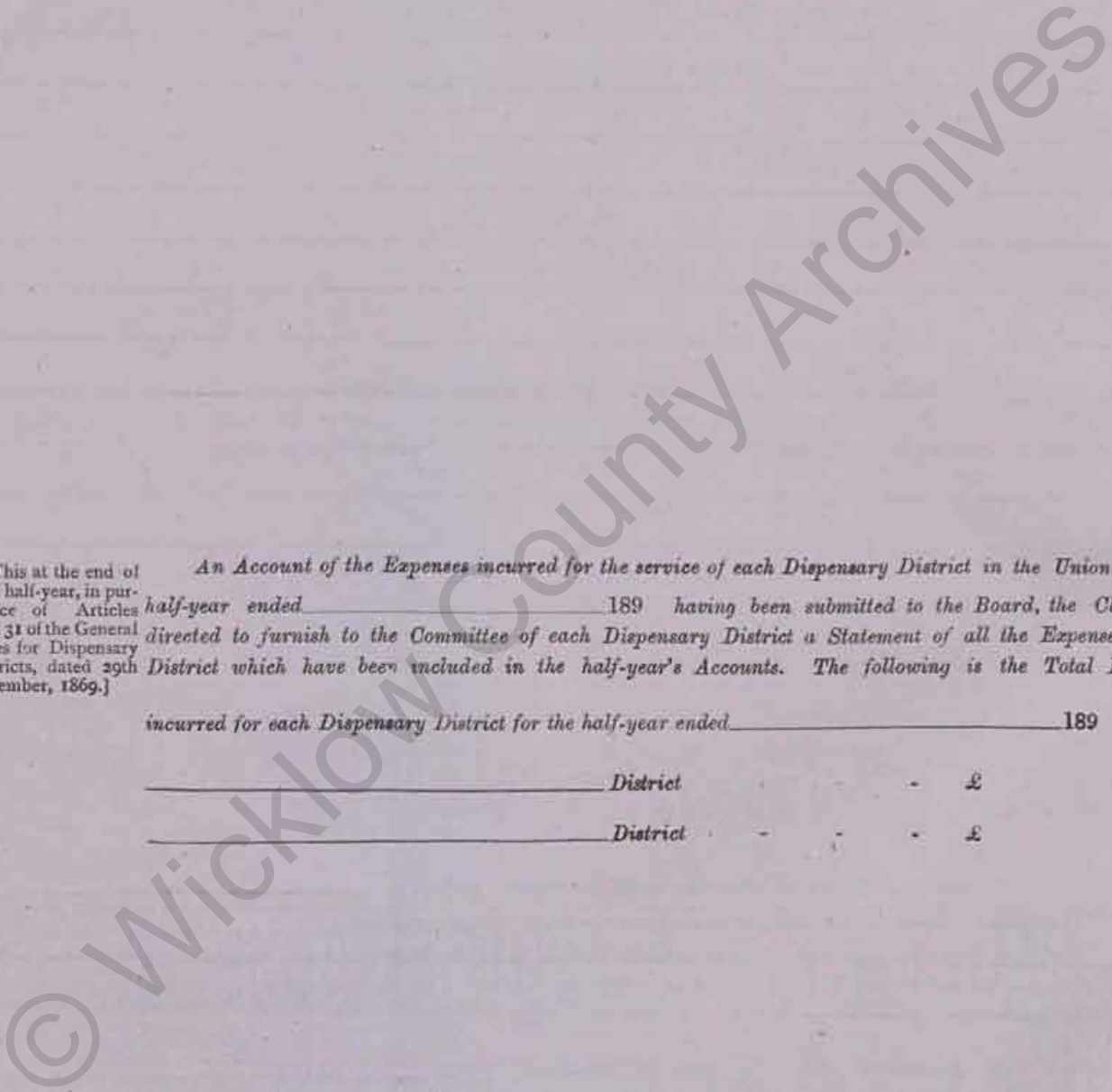
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

_____ District	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	£



[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 Acts of 1851 and 1869 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated 23<sup>rd</sup> July 1895 (state subject.)

authorizing the appointment of a Midwife for the Arklow Dispensary District at such salary as they may from time to time approve.

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

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

Mr L Murphy R.O. presented a Bill amounting to 19/6 expenses incurred in prosecuting a Defaulter under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in this District—viz

Cost of Court	4:6
2 Days attending PS	15:0
	<u>19:6</u>

The Board reduced this amount by 7/6 the expense of one days attendance of R.O. on the ground that he need not have attended a second time inasmuch as the prosecution was abandoned;

An order was made for payment of 12/- subject to the approval of the L.G. Board. —

[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
Newbridge	S. Hudson	The unsanitary partition of the house occupied by Bridget Doyle of Castlemaclagan which he recommends to be thrown down as totally unfit for human habitation.	Order - This house must be levelled after notice given to the owner and occupier.

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.

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Government Board forwarding for the information of the Guardians a memorandum of proceedings under the Lands Clauses Acts in connection with the further steps to be taken respecting the Kildredder Sewerage Scheme.

Read Letter from same Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> instant, acknowledging the receipt of the amended plans, specification and Estimate relating to the Loan of £1000, required by the Guardians for the proposed Waterworks at Rath Down, and with reference thereto the Board desire to state that the land and water rights, other than those of Kent Meath, do not appear yet to have been settled, and that sanction to the Loan in question must await the settlement of these particulars.

Order—

The Consent of Lord Fitzwilliam in writing to be applied for, and the Deeds to be signed by Mrs Dalpin and Mr. Sharpe.

Mr Sharpe attended before the Board and signed the Deed conveying his water rights &c & received a Cheque for £55, the sum awarded by the Municipality in this matter.

Read Letter Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr A D O'Neil Esq. stating that he hopes to be able on Saturday to visit Kildredder and verify boundaries, levels, &c after which he will complete the plans.

Read Letter Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> instant

from the Honorary Secretary of Dungannon Dispersal Committee stating that at a meeting of the Com<sup>tee</sup> held on that day the following resolution was passed—

Resolved—

That in the opinion of this meeting the former resolution sent in to the Board of Guardians with regard to fencing Three-mile-water Graveyard meets all the requirements of the case, and that Mr. Manley's estimate for above work is extravagant.

The following notice of motion was served.—

"I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight (the 9<sup>th</sup> of August 1895) I will move that a substantial concrete wall be built for the proper protection of the grave yard at Three-mile-water.

J. Patrick Padlin

26<sup>th</sup> July 1895

JP  
26/7/95

R. R. Dwyer  
Ch. Secy

9.8.95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
day of August 1895

Signed,

P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	221													
Temporary Buildings	—	—													
Additional Workhouse	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>232</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	40	63	58	6	1	26	2	18	229	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 107 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11 TOTAL, 118	In separate Wards 30 In Wards with other inmates 5 TOTAL, 35	18
Admitted during the Week			21	3	5	—	1	—	2	2	—	34			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>36</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>263</b>			
Discharged during the Week			17	3	3	—	2	—	2	2	1	30			
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
<b>Total Discharged and Dead</b>			<b>17</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31</b>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	40	64	58	5	1	26	2	17	232			No. at corresponding period last year, 195

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 July 1895 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.	67	108	David Edge
No. II.	75	109	John Manley
No. III.	179	219	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	88	142	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>= 646</b>

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

the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Board on this day only two Guardians being in attendance— viz. Col. Tottenham D.R. Esq. and R.R. Drought Esq. P.V.C.

R.R. Drought

Ch. M. 7.8.95

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 G. MURPHY ..	Ballyeuken ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING... ..	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ... ..	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ... ..	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ... ..	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ... ..	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ... ..	Anghrim ...									
	Ballinacush ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
	TOTALS, £									

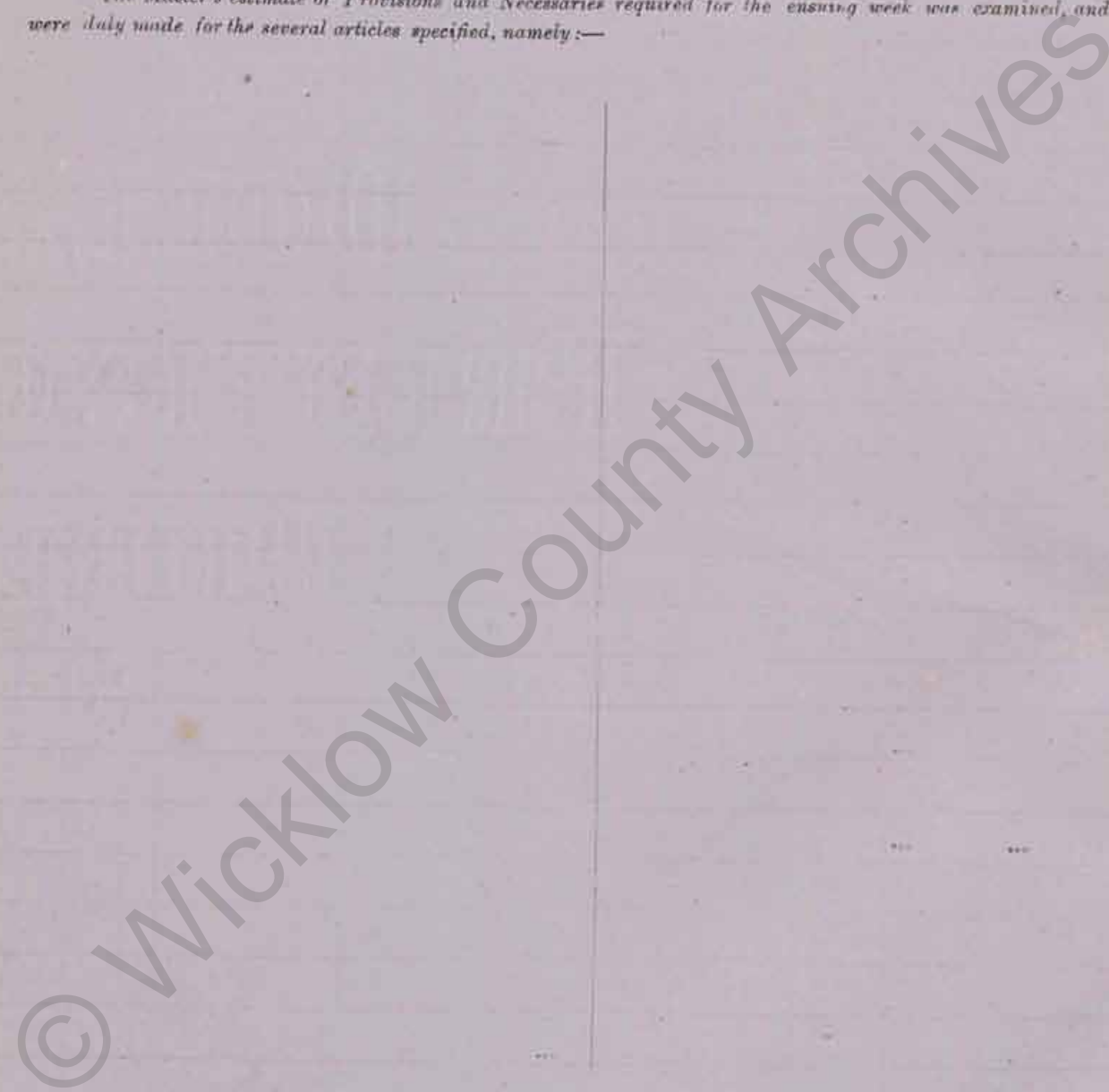
\*NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union, Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	:	:	:
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 \_\_\_\_\_ 189 \_\_\_\_\_ whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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



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.	DAVID EDGE ... ..			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ... ..			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

£      s.      d.

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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.*

<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>	...	...	...

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

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



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

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

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

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

District	-	-	-	£
District	-	-	-	£

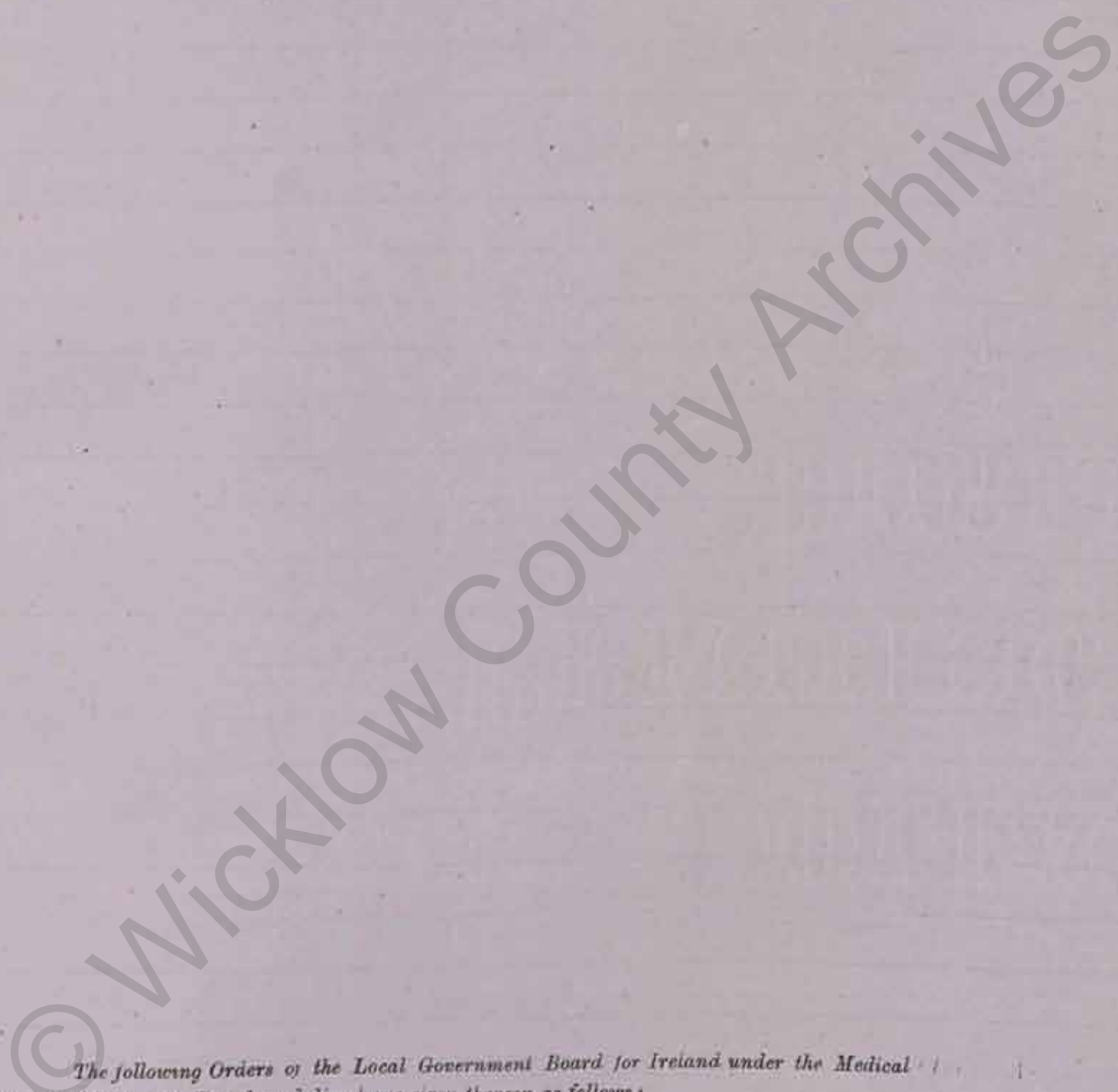
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts, 1878 and 1881, 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 F 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

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



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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the.....  
day of..... 189

Signed,.....  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1891— 27 626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1895

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 2 and under 9 years of age	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	529	254															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	16															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>250</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	40	64	58	5	1	26	2	17	232	Under-Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 108	In separate Wards with other inmates 30	19		
Admitted during the Week			26	5	7	1	—	—	1	1	2	43	Under-Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 16	TOTAL, 35			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>TOTAL, 124</b>	<b>TOTAL, 35</b>			
Discharged during the Week			19	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Believed during week	Males 22	Females 2	Children under 15 —	TOTAL 24
Total Discharged and Dead			19	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	No. in Workhouse at date	3	—	—	3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			26	44	66	59	5	1	27	3	19	250	No. at corresponding period last year,				210

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	67	108	David Edge
No. II.	75	109	John Manley
No. III.	178	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	88	142	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS.</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>= 638</b>

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

the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Richard R. Drought Esq. F.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Colonel Keenan P. — Mr. J. D. Carey — Mr. J. W. Burne  
 Captain Drnell P. — M. Somers — " E. Strey  
 Major Welch P. — J. Byrne — " J. Keane  
 Mr. Acton P. — W. J. Shepard — " J. Byrne  
 " Patton P. — M. Doyle — " E. Ellison  
 " — " — " W. Cullen

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 241 to No. 275 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 £ 241.16.11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	39	5	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	45	8	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	5
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		4	8

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

Dweells

19	60	Lanes Bread
52	8	Galls Newmill
60		" Pothermill
56		lbs Butter
11	00	" Meat
56		Heads
6		cwt Sugar
4		lbs Annisroot
72		Dy. Eggs
1		Roll Tobacco
4		cwt Salt
2		Chests Tea
1		cwt Bacon

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 Receipts 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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1885 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	38	18	6
In Kind ...			
Total ...	38	18	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipts and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J. P. Evans	Paint	20	-	-
W. King	on a/c Cont	25	-	-
R. Gregg	Rent	4	-	-
E. Mulhem	Eggs	6	5	3
S. Ryan	Van	9	8	-
" Gantner	Reg.	4	13	6
" Kalfin	"	4	2	9
" Ryan	"	2	1	6
J. Doyle	"	2	4	8
P. Farrell	Colrs Fees	25	06	-
J. Douglas	"	12	5	1
S. Kalfin	Van	8	00	-
M. New	Lease	5	-	-
S. Satchwell	Van	3	10	-
John Farrell	fuel	52	5	-
J. Payne	Bread	42	17	5
R. Hill	Outmeal	9	4	-
J. Panton	Groceries. Van. Co. to	49	9	-
P. Doyle	Reg.	2	2	-
Martin & Co	Timber	2	3	11
J. Brady	Lease Fees	4	13	9
S. Brady	"	2	3	3
M. Clarke	on a/c Cont. LC	67	10	-
"	"	48	15	-
J. Little	Engineers Fees	5	5	-
Bank of Merion	Small pay	16	18	8
				over
		436	4	9

Returning Off  
 Clerk of Court  
 W. Murphy  
 S. Lovewell  
 " Payne  
 " Patchwell  
 J. Flower  
 J. Nolan  
 J. Deering  
 L. Murphy  
 W  
 S. Johnson  
 W

	£	s.	d.
Electon Exp.	4	11	2
Postage	1	7	4
Reg <sup>n</sup> Fees	1	17	-
"	1	18	6
"		19	6
"		18	6
Deput	1	15	3
"		5	1
Daily	1	2	6
B S	1	-	-
Van Exp		12	-
B S		10	-
Janry		1	10
	16	18	8

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Ultimo. from L. J. Board, requesting to be furnished with a Return (Form A.) under the Seed Potatoes Supply (Ireland) Act 1895.

Order — Return to be furnished: —

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Read Letter from Same, Dated the 30<sup>th</sup> Ultimo forwarding for payment by the Guardians, the Returning Officers amount of Expenses, attending the General Election of Guardians in March last. amounting to £4.11.2.

Account laid before the Guardians and ordered to be paid.

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Read Letter from Same, Dated the 8<sup>th</sup>



instant, stating that they will raise no objection to the payment by the Guardians of the Results Fees to the Workhouse School Teachers in respect of the examination held in January last, if 14 days notice of the proposal has been given, and the amount does not exceed the sum certified by the Commissioners of National Education.

Order — To be paid: —

Read Letter from same. Of same date, in reference to the Guardians application for relative to the Loans granted to them to enable them to carry out an Improvement Scheme. The L.G. Board state that an inspection of the works executed under these Loans will be made in due course by one of their Engineering Inspectors.

Read printed Circular from the Medical Superintendent of Richmond Lunatic Asylum stating in reply to an application made to him for the necessary forms for the admission of two dangerous lunatics from the Workhouse to the Asylum, that the only way to have patients admitted to the asylum is by giving them in charge to the police as dangerous lunatics.

In reference to this communication D. Keiper Medical Officer of the Workhouse, wrote to say that this method of removal cannot be applied to the class of lunatics which he wishes to have removed at once from the Workhouse to the Asylum, and is not in conformity with the ~~proceedings~~ <sup>proceedings</sup> pointed out in the letter received from the office of the Chief Secretary, Dublin Castle, of the 18<sup>th</sup> ultimo. D. Keiper adds that

The answer to the Guardians letter relative to the lunatic Robert Fortune was an entire misstatement, as the lunatic was sent from this Workhouse four times.

Proposed by Colonel Kemmis, seconded by Dr. Duell -  
Resolved -

That Dr. Norman be informed that the procedure <sup>recommended</sup> in his letter as to the disposal of lunatics is ~~that~~ practically that now pursued under the Lunacy Act & which in certain cases is unsuitable - for instance in cases of lunatics whom the Medical Officer is satisfied are dangerous and undesirable to want for an exact act.

In these cases the Board desire to follow the procedure under Rule 18 of the Privy Council, and request to be furnished with necessary forms to act upon.

Copy of letter of Under Secretary of the 15<sup>th</sup> of July to be enclosed to Dr. Norman to explain the matter.

Passed unanimously  
R R D

9/8/95

Read Report from the Vets Department, Dublin Castle, stating that in the opinion of the Vets Officers of that Department Swine Fever did exist in the Case No 2236; Jno Prestage, Spring Branch, Wicklow, owner. -

The R.D. Constabulary reported the existence of suspected Swine Fever on the premises of the following persons -

Alex <sup>r</sup> Richardson	, Dallymacrow, Ashford
Denis Norton	, Summer Hill, Wicklow
John Cancey	, Brewery Lane, Rathdrum

Read a letter from a man named Denis Mooney, of Newtown, Mount. Kennedy, complaining of the action of the Master of the Workhouse with regard to a child of Mooney's who had died in the Workhouse; Mooney complained that when he arrived at the Workhouse to take away the remains of his child the Master had no coffin ready; and in the morning when the coffin came it was too small; that afterwards the remains were put into a coffin 6 feet in length, which had been used to contain the deceased paupers awaiting interment, from which there was so strong a smell that it nearly cost him his life.

The Master explained in reference to this complaint, that this man, Mooney had been an inmate of the Workhouse some months ago, that he took his discharge & left his sick child in the house, and asked the Master to let him know when the death of the child would take place, which he accordingly did by sending a telegram to Mooney; that in the evening when Mooney came to the Workhouse accompanied by a man named Duffy, he made a disturbance because the coffin was not in readiness, which was impossible as the person who has the contract for coffins lives 2 miles away; The Master told Mooney & Duffy that they might remain in the Workhouse till morning if they wished, which they agreed to do, but after the house was locked up the ~~reputed~~ Porter informed the Master these men were again making a disturbance, & demanding to be let out, which was accordingly done.

In the morning when the coffin came it was found to be too small, the child's limbs being distorted from the disease of which she died; It was suggested that the body should be forced into the coffin, but he - the Master -

would not allow this to be done, At the same time saying that Morney could have a coffin that was in the dead house, which was found to be not more than sufficiently wide and deep to hold the remains. He, the Master stood by all the time and did not perceive any smell whatever coming from the coffin; And only now after the lapse of 2 months does Morney make any complaint.

The Board considered the Master explanation to be satisfactory.

Recd Communication from Vet. Depart, Dublin Castle stating that Swine Fever did exist in the case No 2236 John Prestage, owner. —

Recd reports from R.D.C. stating Swine Fever is supposed to exist on the premises of the following persons.

John Clancy, Brewery Lane, Rathdrum  
 Denis Norton, Summerhill, Wicklow  
 Alex. Richardson, Ballymacross, Ashford

✓ Recd Claim to be entered from Mrs. Plunkett, Knocktemple  
 & his mother, deceased. Allowed

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

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

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair. R R Drought Esq. P. M.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—see page. - 321

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

The clerk to forward same to the contractors for supply.

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

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

Received Representations duly signed stating that  
the following Labourers Cottages are required to be  
built by the Guardians.

3 Dungannon East, Brittas. — 1 Dwelling  
Dungannon South, Foranower — 1 " "

Over to be considered with next batch: —

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, £ \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed by Mr. Ellison. Seconded by Colonel Kemmis. -  
Resolved -

That a sum of £8.12.0 additional be given to John Daville, for providing 8 Kerrhans patent iron ventilators in substitution of wooden ventilators, which have already been constructed for in the Infirmary of Rotherham Workhouse.

Passed unanimously  
J. H. D. - 9-8-95

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

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

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 were laid before the Board, and directions given therein as follows:

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

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

Read Letter from Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board dated 10<sup>th</sup> instant  
stating that

expressing their sanction to the proposed payment of a sum of £2/- to Relieving Officer Murphy for expenses in connection with the prosecution of a Vaccination Defaulter in the Newcastle Dispensary District.

Read Letter from same of same date, requesting to be informed whether the Defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Wicklow District reported in June last have since complied with the Law.

Order—The Medical Officer to be asked to supply this information.

Read Letter dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant from the Governors of the Kilkenny Fever Hospital, applying to the Guardians for two years rent of portion of that building occupied by the Guardians as a Dispensary, at the rate of £8. a year; and intimating that in default of payment within 3 months, the Governors will resume possession of the Dispensary Premises.

[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. :—

Charles J. Tottenham  
Chair

Aug 16<sup>th</sup> 1895.

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



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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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



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

Read Letter Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> Ultimo from Frank Brooke Esq. agent to Earl Fitzwilliam, giving permission to the Guardians on behalf of His Lordship to lay a water main pipe through Ballygannon to the public road for the purpose of supplying the town of Rathdrum with water.

The Clerk of the Union informed the Board that Mrs Dalpin and her Co. Executor attended in the Board room on Thursday <sup>the 1<sup>st</sup> inst</sup> for the purpose of signing the Deed conveying to the Guardians her rights to the Water &c. proposed to be acquired by the Guardians to supply the town of Rathdrum.

Having heard the Deed read both Mrs Dalpin and Mr. Mates declined to sign it except on condition that the Guardians gave her a water trench or ball-cock in connection with the water main.

The Guardians directed the Clerk of the Union to inform ~~the Guardians~~ Mrs Dalpin that if she does not sign the Deed they will apply to have the consent to Arbitration made a rule of Court and proceed to acquire the water rights. Compul-  
= sory.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the notices of Motion served by Mr. Padin J.P. and Mr. John Byrne J.P.

Proposed by Colonel Kemmis seconded by Mr. Padin:—  
Resolved—

That the Recommendation of the Dispensary Committee as to the protection of the Grave yard at Three-mile-water be carried out, and further that the face of the slope over the River be

be planted with hardy shrubs and the existing thorn hedges at the top be continued to the wall.

Passed unanimously  
R.R.D. 9-8-95

Proposed by Mr Padin, seconded by Mr Ellison -  
Resolved -

That a plan and specification be drawn up to carry out the conditions of the above resolution; and that Mr Little make his report by this day week to this Board.

Passed unanimously  
R.R.D. - 9/8/95

Proposed by Mr John Byrne, seconded by Mr J. Keane  
Resolved -

That every grave yard under the control of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union be placed in charge of a competent caretaker, who shall hold the key and keep the grave yard properly cleaned and fenced for a sum of 20/- per annum. Each caretaker to be nominated by the local Guardian.

Passed R.R.D. 9.8.95

Mr Johnson SSO reported that Demplering grave yard is grown over with weeds & rubbish and he recommends it to be cleaned at a cost of 10/-

Order - This work to be done - R.R.D.  
9-8-95

Charles J. Pottman  
Aug 16<sup>th</sup> 1895. Chan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 9<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1895

Signed,

P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967:8

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of August 1895

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS						
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date							
Workhouse	538	222																			
Temporary Buildings	—	—																			
Additional Workhouse	—	—																			
Permanent Fever Hospital	60	19																			
Fever Sheds	—	—																			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>241</b>																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			26	44	66	59	5	1	27	3	19	250	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward	104	In separate Wards	30	17				
Admitted during the Week			31	7	2	—	—	0	2	3	3	409	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	19	In Wards with other inmates	5					
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>57</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>					
Discharged during the Week			32	9	4	2	1	—	2	3	4	57	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS								
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	25	Males	3	Females	4	Children under 15	32	
Total Discharged and Dead			32	9	4	3	1	—	2	3	4	58	No. in Workhouse at date	3							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	42	64	56	5	1	27	3	18	241	No. at corresponding period last year, 195								

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of August 1895 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.	67	108	David Edge
No. II.	75	109	John Manley
No. III.	178	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	87	138	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>= 637</b>

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

the 16th day of August 1895

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

Other Guardians: Major Tottenham JP  
 Mr. S. Delahunt JP  
 " Pat. P. Padua JP  
 " Wm. J. Shepard  
 " Edw. Ellison  
 " Jas. Keane  
 " Geo. Doyle  
 " J. Murphy  
 " P. Hiley

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 275 to No. 360 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Retaining Officer's Account of expenses attending the general election of Guardians to this Union in March last, as ordered to be paid on last Board day, together with the several Bills duly paid and receipted by the respective persons to whom the sums were due, in all amounting to £ 4. 11. 2

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 was  
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.

£	70
£	378 : 5 : 8
£	550 . 2 . 7

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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	.. South ...									
	.. West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovooca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrin ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in *Red Ink* at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one 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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

W King  
J McAnoll

	£	s.	d.
State Cust	35	-	-
Total	26	2	6

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Local Government Board, informing the Guardians that The Paymaster General, Dublin Castle has been authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Union £315:11:10<sup>s</sup>, being the proportion of the actual expenses incurred by the Guardians in the half year ended the 25<sup>th</sup> of March last for Educational and Medical purposes.

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Read Letter Dated the 14<sup>th</sup> instant from the Commissioners of National Education, stating that Mrs Sarah Bandy, Teacher in the Workhouse Schools has been promoted from the lower to the higher division of Second Class.

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Read Letter of same Date from the acting Medical Superintendent of Richmond

Lunatic Asylum, stating in reply to the Guardian's inquiry that the abolition of the admissions of patients on House Farms was due to the overcrowding in the Asylum;

Temporary accommodation having been recently completed the Governors have given further instructions that in future the Resident Medical Superintendent admit suitable cases more freely;

The form of application for the admission of patients under the new Privy Council Rules is at present in the hands of the Printer.

Read Letter from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, reminding the Guardians that now that the chimneys and outside walls of the Infirmary have been cemented and rendered water tight, the inside walls urgently need plastering; the plaster is falling off on the beds and bedding and the Infirmary cannot be painted and the walls coloured until this state of things is amended and the ventilators reopened.

Order - To be brought up this day five weeks:-

Read Letter from the Secretary of the Catholic Institution for Deaf and Dumb, in reference to the Deaf-Mute James Furlong, who was considered too young for admission to the Institution in February last; unless the child is strong and hardy it would be better to keep him at home till next Spring, he is at present only 7 years.

Order - He should not be sent till next Spring

Read Letter from Mr. James Brady,  
Winklemee Schoolmaster, asking for a fortnight's  
leave of absence for himself and Mrs. Brady. —

= Leave granted: —

✓ Read Letter from Mr. Edward Gleeson,  
asking to have his name entered on the Rate  
Book, in respect of a (stone and yard on the  
North Quay, Winklemee, of which he has been  
in occupation and paying rates for over 2 years,

= Ordered to be Rates off

Read Reports from Veterinary Department,  
Dublin Castle, stating in the opinion of the  
Vet'y Officers of that Department Swine Fever  
did exist in the following cases: —

viz:  
3 No. 2558 - John Clancy, Rathdunn, owner. —  
2559 - Denis Norton, Winklemee, owner —

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Received Representation signed by the  
 requisite number of Ratepayers stating that  
 a labourer dwelling is required to be built at  
 Ballymorris, in Ballinacush E.D. for a labourer  
 named John Cummins.

Ordered to be considered with next batch: —

= Charles Pottenham.

Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> 1895

Chair.

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*The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ..*

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



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(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Colonel Tottenham D.C. Esq.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 341*

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Newcastle  
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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 Contractors  
for supply. A Liverpool is requested to state reasons  
for ordering special drugs not in the printed  
Schedule whenever he thinks them required in  
preference to those for which the Board has made  
a contract.*

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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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Dispensary District.

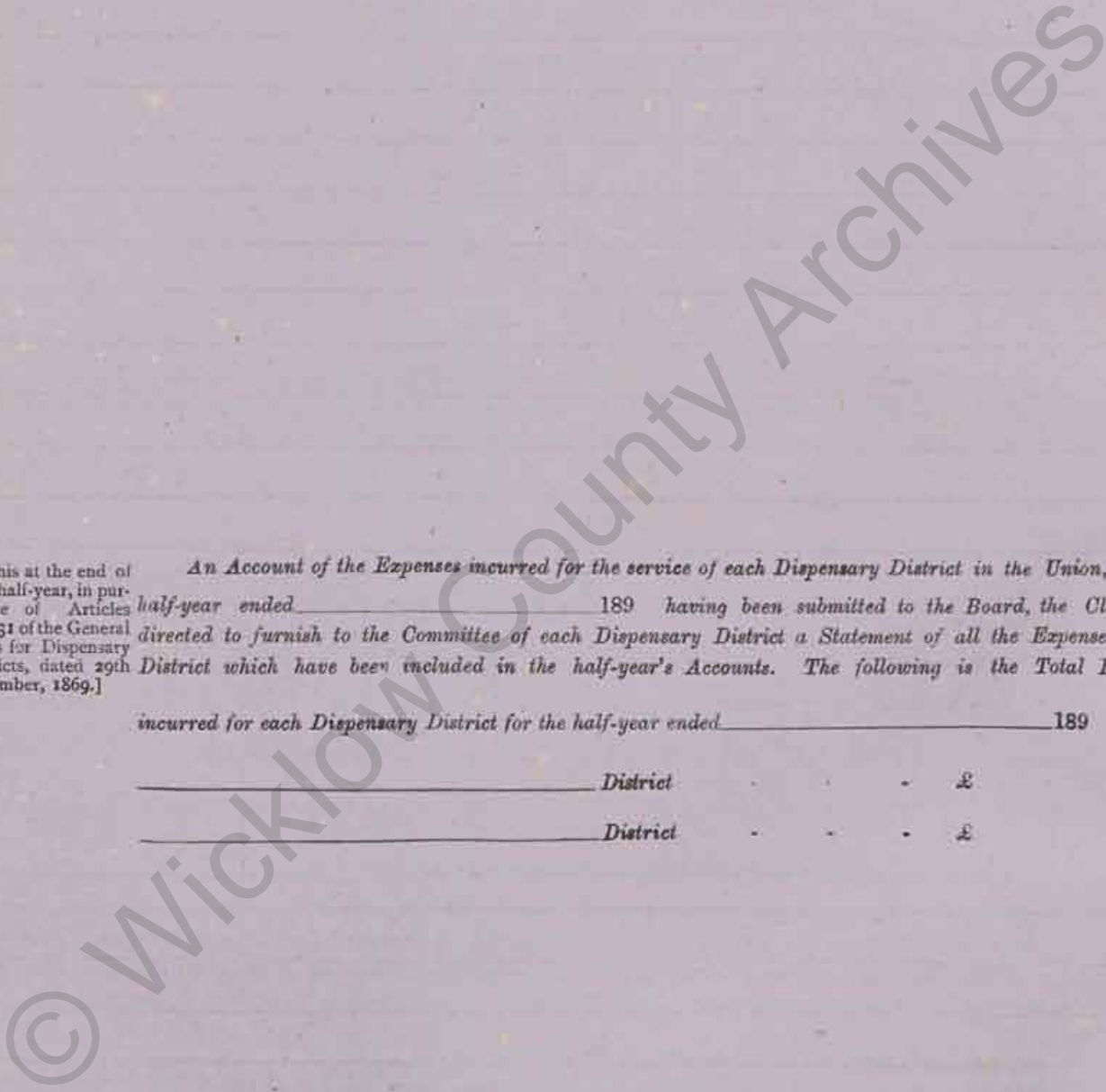
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

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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. :—

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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

*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 14<sup>th</sup> instant, calling the attention of the Sanitary Authority to the provisions of the Public Health (Ireland) Act 1878, in regard to the registration of common lodging houses;

The L.G. Board trust, that, in the interest of the Public Health and of morality, the Sanitary Authority will, if they have not already done so, take such steps as will ensure strict compliance with the important provisions of the Public Health Act to which the Board have drawn attention.

Read Letter from same of same date, informing the Guardians that they have directed their Engineering Inspector Mr J. Brien Smyth, to hold a local inquiry with respect to the application of the Guardians for a loan of £1000, for the purpose of waterworks for the town of Rathdrum; and that the inquiry will be held at the Workhouse, on Wednesday the 21<sup>st</sup> of August 1895 at 10 o'clock noon, due notice of which will be published.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison, seconded by Mr. J. P. Keane—  
Resolved—

That in the opinion of this Board it is not necessary or desirable to hold a second inquiry with respect to the expenditure of £1000, on the construction of waterworks in the town of Rathdrum. as all the facts of the case were before the L.G. Board Inspector at the enquiry held in this behalf in 1894, and are well known both to the L.G. Board and the Ratepayers; and a second inquiry would entail further cost on an already highly rated and limited area of charge.

Ed. J. J. Keane - Chm

Read letter from Mr. J. K. Jooney, Cork  
Dublin, returning the Draft Lease proposed to be  
granted by Lord Meath to the Guardians in connection  
with the Rathdrum Waterworks.

Mr. Jooney approves of the Lease with certain  
amendments inserted by him therein.

Order - The Lease to be returned for improvement: -

Read Letter from Mr. Price Esq. enclosing  
Plan, with Schedule and Estimate of Value of Land  
required for the Kierpedder Drainage Works, and  
suggesting that an offer should be made to the  
owner of the Land, so as if possible to have the  
purchase arranged privately.

Order - An offer of the sum named (£200) to be made  
to the owner of the Land, without prejudice.

Mr. Little Esq. submitted to the Board his  
Plan, Specification and Estimate of the proposed  
fencing of the Three-mile-water Graveyard. -

Proposed by Mr. Doyle seconded by Mr. P. Radin JP -  
Resolved -

That a concrete wall be erected  
for the protection of Three-mile-water Graveyard,  
on condition that Wicklow Electoral Division  
and the Wicklow Urban Sanitary District bears  
half the expense. -

Passed nem. con. CJD  
Aug 16 - 95 -

23<sup>rd</sup> Aug 95. Charles J. Fitzhugh  
Chair

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
day of August 1895

Signed, J. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	500	329															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	18															
Fever Beds .. .. .	—	—															
TOTAL .. .. .	600	247															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	42	64	56	5	1	27	3	18	241	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	105	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	30	23
Admitted during the Week			29	6	5	1	3	1	4	2	1	52	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	18			
TOTAL			54	48	69	57	8	2	31	5	19	293	TOTAL	123	TOTAL	35	
Discharged during the Week			22	6	5	2	2	—	3	3	2	45	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died .. .. .			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead			22	6	5	2	2	—	3	3	3	46	No. Relieved during week	25	1	3	29
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			32	42	64	55	6	2	28	2	16	247	No. in Workhouse at date	7	—	—	7
													No. at corresponding period last year, 1891				

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 August 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	105	David Edge
No. II.	82	113	John Manley
No. III.	177	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	85	135	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	408	571	= 630

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

the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham DL Chm.

Other Guardians.

- Mr R P Drought DVC
- " J F Grehan DVC
- Major Tottenham R
- Mr L W Payne R
- " P Padin JP
- " Edw. Ellison
- " Lance Wolohun
- " David Samers
- " Martin Doyle
- " Mr Cullen
- " P. H. Miley

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 361 to No. 400 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            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 G. MURPHY	Ballycullen									
	Brockagh									
	Calary									
	Glendalough									
	Moneystown									
	Oldtown									
	Togher									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy									
	Wicklow									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East									
	"    South									
	"    West									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennerally									
	Kilbride									
JAMES M'ANANAMA	Arklow									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur									
	Cronebane									
	Ovooca									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Anghrim									
	Ballinacush									
	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	68	9	7
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	47	6	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	2

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

1050 Loaves Bread  
 294 Galls Newmilk  
 35 " Buttermilk  
 25 lbs Butter  
 550 " Meat  
 30 Hens  
 40 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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	34	12	0
In Kind ...		0	6
Total ...	34	14	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	DAVID EDGE ... ..	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY ... ..			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON ... ..	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY ... ..			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
W. Smith	26	4	1
J. Mananama	18	5	4
C. Wilson	12	5	3
S. Cole	2	14	4
Henry Quinn	2	17	6
J. Doyle	2	2	-
J. Decaney	8	15	5
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Paper			

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> instant from the Local Government Board stating that they have observed from the Return (Form A.) furnished to them in connection with the Seed Potatoes Return that a sum of £7. remains unexpended, and they request that the Guardians will be so good as to report to the Commissioners of Public Works this unexpended balance, if they have not done so already.

Order—To be completed with: 6/30

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The Clerk of the Union laid before the Board the Ledger and Abstracts of the accounts of the Union for the half year ended the 25<sup>th</sup> March last, as audited by Mr. Drury, L.G.B. Auditor on the 21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> instant:

Mr. Drury made the following



entry on the Ledger:

"The Registrar of Arklow Cemetery has not attended the audit; The Clerk should at once examine her Books and make a full report to next Board as to the present condition of her accounts."

James W Drury, Audr.

noans: 95

The Clerk reported that immediately after Mr. Drury's departure he went down to Arklow Cemetery and examined Mrs. New's Books:

He found that in addition to a sum of 8/9 which remained in her hands at the close of the half year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March last she had received in Burial Fees, up to date, £23:18:3 on account of which she had lodged a sum of £10; and had on that day, 22<sup>nd</sup> inst, as she stated sent £75:5:6 to be lodged with the Union Treasurer; the Bank acknowledgment for which has since arrived to hand; so that on her Burial account she owes nothing, having rather over-logged that account by a sum of 18/6.

On her labour account she appeared to have in hand, giving her credit for £3 — allowed to her for cutting and saving the hay which grew on the Cemetery, a sum of £3:15:10 which is not more than sufficient to pay wages and other outgoings to the end of the current half year. So that on the whole Mrs. New's accounts are in a satisfactory condition;

She states that she meant to attend the audit as usual, coming by the train arriving at Rath Drum at 2:44 p.m. when she expected to meet her messenger with the Bank docket for the lodgment made that day.

Mr Drury

made the following other entry in the Dubman cottages Rent Book for Duryans town Parish S.D.

"Here appears to be a balance due in respect of this Division for Rent of Cottages to 29<sup>th</sup> of September 1894 amounting to £1:11:0. This should have been paid on long before this date but no effort has apparently been made to get it, nor was the Rentals made up. I hold the Clerk Mr. Manning & Mr. J. Douglas jointly responsible for this amount and I require it to be lodged to Cr. of the Union within a fortnight of this date.

W<sup>th</sup> August 95

James W. Murray

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The following notice of motion was served: -

"We hereby give notice that on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895, we will move that Rate Collectors Brennan, Darling and Mc Anamara be placed on the same footing as Agents Fees and Emoluments attached to the office in their respective Districts as the other Collectors in the Rathfriland Union.

Dated this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1895. -

Daniel Jones

Edward Ellison

Martin Doyle

William Cullen

James J. Graham

J. J.  
Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> 1895

— Ch. P. Brennan  
Chair  
Aug 30<sup>th</sup> 1895

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

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

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 361*

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 30 & 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 29th November, 1869.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

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

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1861 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

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

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

Read Letter from The Navy Serv of Newbridge Dispensary District stating that ~~the~~ Newbridge Dispensary Committee passed a resolution on the 20<sup>th</sup> of July 95 to increase the salary for the midwife to £25 a year, which was sanctioned by the Board of Guardians, the L.G. Board not sending a reply. Colonel Bayly wrote to them and received a reply (enclosed) from which it would appear that the matter had been overlooked by them, the Committee desire again to call attention to the matter.

Proposed by Mr. Ellison, seconded by Miss Tottenham —  
Resolved —

That the salary for the midwife of Newbridge Dispensary, as recommended by the Committee, be approved viz £25 a year.

Passed unanimously 23/8/95

Read Letter from the Navy Serv of Arklow District Committee stating that at the monthly meeting of the Committee held on the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst: present Hanagan Esq, P & D Cudren, D. Gardner reported number of successful Vaccinations from 16<sup>th</sup> April to 21<sup>st</sup> Aug (36). Tickets issued since last meeting 432.

Letters were read from Mrs New, caretaker.

[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.:

of Dublin Cemetery in reference to the hay ground on the fair ground and it was decided to give her the hay for the expense of mowing and making same.

It was decided to hold the election for Nurse on the 19<sup>th</sup> of September 1895, date of monthly meeting: — and Mr Manning is hereby requested ~~to be laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:~~

To issue the usual advertisements for Nurse.

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Approved by the Guardians  
G Tottenham  
Aug 23 1895



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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant from the Local Government Board in reference to the Guardians Resolution of the 16<sup>th</sup> instant on the subject of the area of charge proposed for the expenses to be incurred in fencing the Burial Ground at Three-mile-water; The L.G. Board state that the Guardians have no power to include any portion of Wicklow Urban Sanitary District in the area to be charged with the cost of the Work.

The following notice of motion was served, in reference to the above subject.

"I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight, the 6<sup>th</sup> Proximo, I shall submit for the consideration of this Board that proper and legal steps shall be taken for the repairs and preservation of Three-mile-water grave yard, and that the chargeable area for such repairs be defined by this Board.

Patrick Padlin

Aug 22<sup>nd</sup> 95  
EGG

Order—

The Clerk of the Union to call on the several Sanitary Sub-Officers to furnish Returns of the Common Lodging Houses in their respective districts:

By Patterson  
 30/8/95. W. Carr

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 30<sup>th</sup>  
day of August 1895

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

Population in 1891— 27 626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967. 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	589	212															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	15															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>227</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	42	64	55	6	2	28	2	16	247	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 58	In separate Wards with other inmates 30	16		
Admitted during the Week			26	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	—	35	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 15	TOTAL, 35			
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>58</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS</b>				
Discharged during the Week			38	4	4	3	1	1	2	2	—	55	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	19	—	—	19
Total Discharged and Dead			38	4	4	3	1	1	2	2	—	55	No. in Workhouse at date	7	—	—	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	40	61	53	6	2	28	1	16	227	No. at corresponding period last year, 203				

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No. II.	84	116	John Manley
No. III.	196	217	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	85	135	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>= 625</b>

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

the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895

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

Other Guardians:—  
 Richd. McDougall Esq. P. VC  
 Major Tottenham P.  
 Mr. Edw. Ellison  
 & Jas. Murphy

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 441 to No. 440 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week

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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING... ..	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ... ..	Dunganstown East ...									
	"    South ...									
	"    West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ... ..	Ennerelily ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ... ..	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ... ..	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMITH ... ..	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinaeor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

<sup>2</sup> NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one 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 and therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -

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:—

950 Loaves Bread  
 987 Galls Newmilk  
 35 " Butter milk  
 116 lbs Butter  
 530 " Meat  
 24 Hens  
 39 doz. Eggs  
 5 Gall Whiskey  
 4 1/4 Casks of Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him on the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of August 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	...	...	...	...	...	£	34	=	17	=	6
In Kind	...	...	...	...	...			=	2	=	0
Total	...	...	...	...	...	£	34	=	19	=	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books



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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
M Johnson	Newmilk	17	19	5
E Fallon	Shoes	17	5	10
W King	Rep <sup>rs</sup>	15	3	-
L <sup>r</sup>	on a/c Cont.	55	-	-
J Little	to pay amount	18	3	4
M Byrne	com <sup>rs</sup> Cl.	2	-	-
J Whelan	Infur Clk to King			
W Barton	Straw	1	-	3
L Murphy	Rep <sup>rs</sup>	1	16	-
P Doyle	Making Cl.	1	16	-
J Manley	Out	1	1	-
	Lawrence		7	-
		6	=	3

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 28<sup>th</sup> instant, from the Local Government Board enclosing Extracts from a letter received by them from the Commissioners of Valuation on the subject of the Annual Revision of the Valuation of Heriots in Ireland which they trust may receive due attention:

Copies of the Circular are enclosed to enable the Guardians to forward a copy to each collector.

Read Letter from same Dated the 29<sup>th</sup> instant forwarding for the Guardians information extracts from the report of their Inspector Mr. St. Bourke, on his recent inspection of the Workhouses, which they request may receive the Guardians consideration;

The R<sup>d</sup> Board draw attention to the fact that the Visiting Committee have met only five times

during the past half year, and point out that it is essential to the good management of the Institution that the provisions of Article 59 of the Workhouse Rules should be strictly adhered to by the Committee.

✓ Read letter from Mr. Richard Bradshaw, of Rockstown asking to have the name of his son, William Thomas Bradshaw, placed in the Rate Book as Rates occupier for his holding in Ballygannabeg and Kilmanogue.

Order - Vouched and approved - am<sup>y</sup> 30.95 CGD

Read Report from R. J. C. Rathdrum, stating that supposed Swine Fever, exists on the premises of Henry Sault of Rathdrum.

Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> 95 = Charles W. H. M. -  
Chair.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	6
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do, in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	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 FRIDAY,  
 the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1895  
 (SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Colonel Tottenham DL Clerk*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*see page 387.*

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

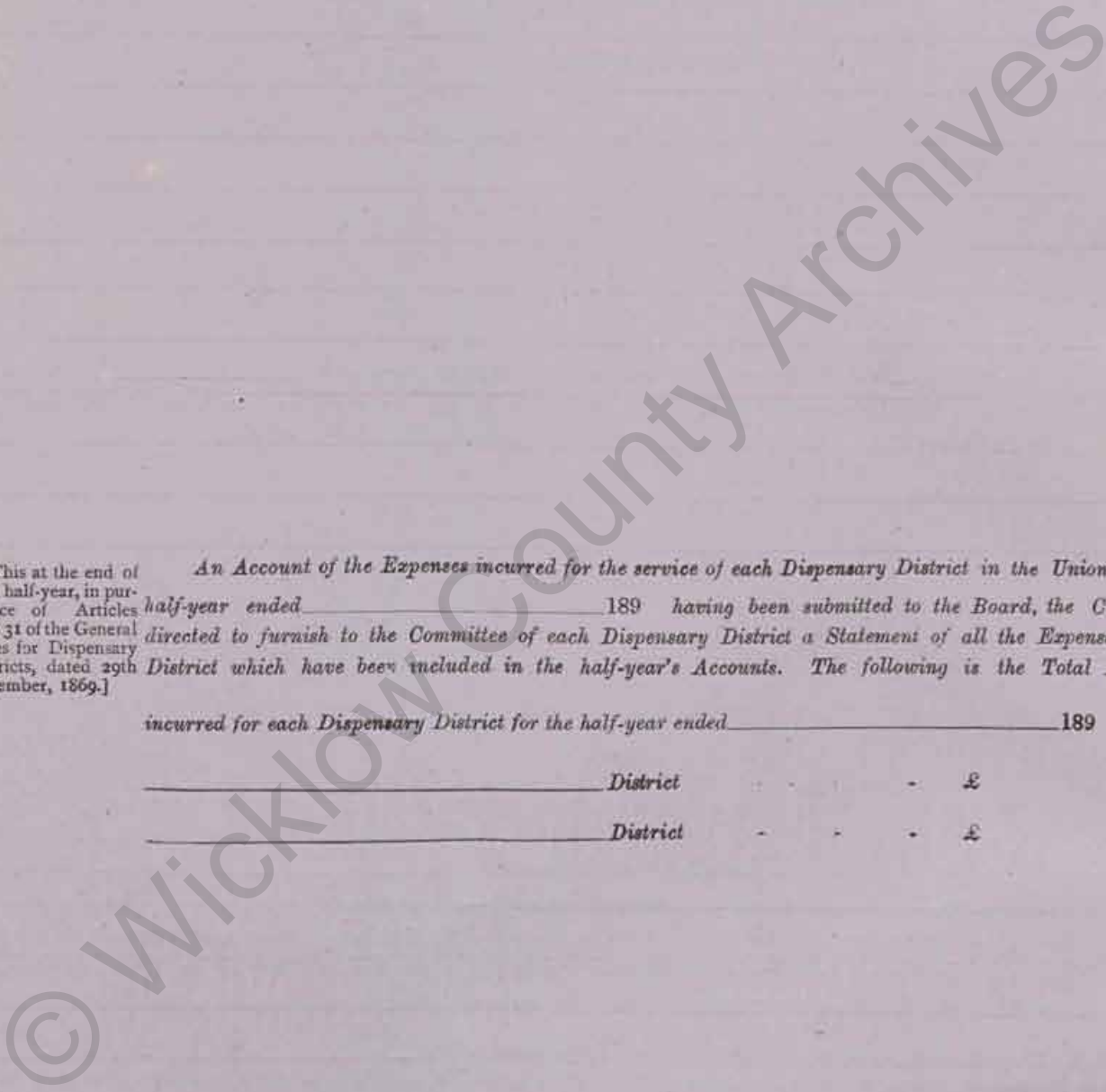
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

_____ District	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	£



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

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

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

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

*The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Act, 1861, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:*

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

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

Read Letter from Lord Mayor's Board dated 28 August 1895 stating that

it will be necessary for the Guardians to consider the proposal to increase the salary allowed for the office of Midwife of the Newbridge Dispensary District after giving the usual 14 days notice of their intention to do so in accordance with the requirements of Article 12 of the General Regulations.

[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

*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 D. Farland, Med. Officer of Health, Annamoe Dispensary, District certifying that in disinfecting the house of a man named Muzan Byrne after the removal of two cases of Typhus Fever to the Workhouse Fever Hospital he found it necessary to destroy bedding and other articles to the value of about £2.

Approved by the Board, compensation £2, to be paid to Muzan Byrne:

Read Report from S.D.O. Carrigrohane, stating that there are only two common lodging houses in his district, viz. John Leahy, Antrim, and Catherine Byrne, Ballinacush.

Wm. J. Fitzgibbon  
 Apr 11<sup>th</sup> 45.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 6<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1895

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



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 27967-8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	359	207															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	10															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—																
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>217</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	40	61	53	6	2	28	1	16	227	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 100	In separate Wards in Wards with other inmates 30	8		
Admitted during the Week			22	1	2	—	1	—	—	1	1	28	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 10	15			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>42</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>TOTAL 110</b>	<b>TOTAL 35</b>			
Discharged during the Week			24	5	1	—	1	—	2	2	2	38					
Died .. .. .			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Total Discharged and Dead			24	5	1	—	1	—	2	2	2	38					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	36	62	53	6	2	26	—	14	217					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
														Males	Females	Children under 12	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during week	17	1	2	20
													No. in Workhouse at date	5	—	—	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 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	105	David Edge
No. II.	77	115	John Manley
No. III.	179	216	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	84	132	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>= 620</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

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

Other Guardians:

- Mr. Jas J. Graham D.V.C.
- Colonel Kemmis P. Mr. Landon
- Major Tottenham P. Mr. Sheehan
- Mr. Stur. Burton P. Mr. O. Payne
- Mr. S. Delahunt P. Mr. Ellison
- Mr. P. Padin P. Mr. Robinson
- Mr. O'Gorman P. Mr. Doyle
- Mr. M. Jones
- Mr. W. J. Shepard
- Mr. L. Wolohan
- Mr. J. Somers
- Mr. W. B. B. Keane
- Mr. J. P. Cullen

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed  
 D. Howard P. Mr. Grant, Mr. Kavanagh  
 Mr. P. Miley Mr. Dunne Mr. W. Fullen

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 441 to No. 512 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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	„ South ...									
	„ West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinaclash ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ..									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	37	5	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	43	9	5
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	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:—

925 Loaves Bread  
 270 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Buttermilk  
 25 lbs Butter  
 520 " Meat  
 24 Heads  
 35 Doz Eggs  
 1 Roll Tobacco

2 Days leave per Master

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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1845 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ... ..	35	1	0
In Kind ... ..		9	6
Total ... ..	35	10	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
L Dwyne	Newmills	23	5	-
E Short	"	23	14	11
E Mulhern	Eggs	6	2	9
J. Fluva	Paps	4	1	7
J Brennan	Colrs Fees	9	1	7
J Dowling	"	14	1	6
J Saville	on a/c Cont	20	-	-
J Dany	Avance fuel	4	4	-
J Whelan	suppl <sup>r</sup> flk to pay			
J Doyle	Upms	1	4	7
W. Vaugle	Sal	1	1	-
L Murphy	General Exp <sup>s</sup>	1	-	-
	Reps Pump	12	-	-
	Barry Exp <sup>s</sup>	10	4	-
		44	7	11

£ s. d.

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*The Cleric'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 30<sup>th</sup> August 1895, enclosing extracts from the Report of their Engineering Inspector, Mr. O'Brien Smyth relative to his recent inspection of the cottages erected in this Union in pursuance of Improvement Scheme No 3, Dated 19<sup>th</sup> October 1889, and requesting the Guardians to be so good as to give their attention to the matters brought under notice by the Inspector.

The L.G. Board will recommend the Commissioners of Public Works to issue to the Guardians (on their making the necessary application therefor) the following further instalments of the Loans granted in respect of this Scheme—

£ 3	D of Ballyasheen	40
"	Dung to South	100
"	Ennereilly	75
"	Newcastle	25
		<u>240</u> Total £ 240.



Order - Application to be made for the instalments sanctioned - The matters relating to the cottages to be referred to Mr Little C.R.

Read Letter from Same of same Date, enclosing further extracts from the Report of Mr O'Brien, Inspector of Public Works, relative to the cottages in course of erection under Improvement Scheme No 4, authorized by Provisional Order dated 8 Sep. 92, and requesting the Guardians to be so good as to give their immediate attention to the matters brought under notice by the Inspector.

The Lf Board will recommend the formation of Public Works to issue to the Guardians (on their making the necessary application therefor) the following further instalments of the loans granted in respect of this Scheme:

£	7
3/8 of Ballinacush	35
Dungannon South	55
Total	£ 90

Order - Application to be made for the instalments sanctioned, the other matters to be referred to Mr Little C.R.

Read Letter from Same, Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, with reference to the several matters brought under the notice of the Guardians by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in his Report as entered on the Guardians Minutes of the 19<sup>th</sup> of July last, which they request may receive the attention of the Guardians. -

Order -

The visiting Committee to be requested to see that the pots included in the Contract

for alterations to be supplied at once. -

The plastering in the Infirmary will be done in a few weeks.

The concrete and plumbing works have been completed. -

The following members of the Board are hereby added to the Visiting Committee -

Colonel Kemmis

Mr Ellison

Mr Kavanagh

Mr Padin

The Chairman and

Vice Chairman of the Board

Read Order of the Board of Agriculture Dated the 26. ultimo, entitled the Swine-Fever (movement from Ireland) - temporary Order of 1895

Read Report from Vetz. Deputy, Primary Council Office, Dublin Castle, stating that Swine-Fever did exist in case No. 2718, Henry Sault, Rathcrum, Co. Dub.

Read Reports from R I Constabulary stating that supposed Swine Fever exists in the premises of Joseph Bolger, The Brooke, Cullinstown, and Michael Heary, Townmore, Rotherham.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the notice of motion served with reference to the poundage fees to be paid in future by collectors Brennan, Darling and McAnanama.

Proposed by Mr Dan Somers, seconded by Mr. Martin Doyle  
Resolved

That Collectors Brennan, Dawling and  
McAnnamara be placed on the same footing as  
the regulars fees and emoluments attached to their  
offices in their respective Districts, as the other  
Collectors in the Rutherford Mission.

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Mr Ellison, seconded by Major Potterhouse  
Resolved -

That the Contractor for Trimmability  
labourers cottages be called upon to complete his  
contract within two months from this date

Passed

Read Letter from the Clerk of the Mission  
asking the Guardians to grant him a paid  
assistant, after a period of over 29 years in  
their service: and expressing a hope that  
they would not consider his request an un-  
reasonable one in his declining years and  
after so long a term in their service.

Order -

The Clerk's application to be considered  
on this day fortnight, notice to be given to  
each Guardian.

The Provision and Groceries con-  
tracts were ordered to be advertised for the  
20<sup>th</sup> instant, and the Clothing Contracts for  
the 27<sup>th</sup> instant

Charles Potterhouse  
Chairman

13/9/55

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

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*Samuel Tottenham D.L. Clerk*  
*See page 401*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts, 1851 and 1861, 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

Newbridge

The following notice of motion was served—

I hereby give notice that on Friday the 20th of September 1895 I shall move that the salary to be paid to the midwife to be appointed for the Newbridge Dispensary Dist. be fixed at £ 25. a year

Dated this 7th September 1895

Math. H. Jones P.L.S.

6/9/95  
E.G.O.

[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

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



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

Read Letter Dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant from Mr. John Hofius Donohue, in reply to the Guardians inquiring relative to the offer of £40 Compensation for the land proposed to be taken in connection with Kelperder Drainage Scheme, stating that there are difficulties in the way of coming to a Voluntary Settlement; and it would be more satisfactory for the Guardians to proceed in the usual way.

Read Letter Dated the 4<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. J. K. Journey, Dublin, the Guardians Solicitor in this matter, enclosing a copy of a letter received by him from Mess<sup>rs</sup> Rooke & Co, Solicitors to Major Gunfoundingham to the same effect; Mr. Journey asks when he may have the maps and plans for the Board of Works.

It was ordered that Mr. Journey be requested to take the necessary steps to acquire the land required for the Kelperder Drainage Scheme in the usual way, and that he obtain the necessary maps & plans from Mr. O'Neil C.E.

Read Letter Dated the 5<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Peter Inyrell, Ballinacorney, requesting to be compensated for the <sup>part of the</sup> land taken by the Guardians for the purpose of enlarging the General G. Road

Order - Mr. Inyrell to state the amount of his claim

Read Report from Mr. L. Murphy S.S.O stating that the parties against whom proceedings were taken at Newtown M<sup>rs</sup> Kennedy Petty Sessions for nuisances arising from Piggeries

which were kept so as to be dangerous to public health, and against whom the Magistrates presiding at Petty Sessions made Orders requiring them to abolish the piggeries, unless within of a month such structural arrangements shall be completed as shall to the satisfaction of the Public Officer of Health put an end to the nuisance.

Mr Murphy reported that notwithstanding that the Justices at Petty Sessions inflicted heavy fines for not complying with their order nothing has since been done by these parties to abate the nuisance.

It was ordered that fresh proceedings be taken.

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration Mr Padon's notice of motion respecting the fencing of three mile water grave yard, & after a full discussion it was resolved that a concrete wall, be made according to the plan prepared by Mr Little C.E.

On the motion of Mr Shepard seconded by Mr Delahunt it was

Resolved - That the area of Charge be Dunganstown East and Dunganstown West Electoral Divisions, with the rural portion of Wickham Electoral Division -

Paper 27

Ms Halpin appeared before the Board & having declined to sign the Deed assigning her rights to the water for Raturum Water Supply, it was -

Resolved - That Mr Dooney be instructed to take steps to have the award in Ms Halpin's case carried out.

Paper

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup>

day of September 1895

Signed,

*P. Manning*  
Clerk of the Union.

*Charles. B. Stewart* Treasr

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127967:8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

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 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	588	201													
Temporary Buildings	—	—													
Additional Workhouse	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	212													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	36	62	53	6	2	26	—	14	217	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 101 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11 TOTAL 112	In separate Wards with other inmates 30 5 35	30
Admitted during the Week			22	9	6	2	3	1	4	4	4	55	TOTAL 112	TOTAL 35	—
TOTAL			40	45	68	55	9	3	30	4	18	272			
Discharged during the Week			24	8	10	7	3	1	6	2	4	59			
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			24	8	11	7	3	1	6	2	4	60			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	37	57	54	6	2	24	2	14	212			

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 September 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	105	David Edge
No. II.	77	115	John Manley
No. III.	181	222	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	83	129	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	405	571	= 620

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham DL (Hon)

Other Guardians:—

Richard D Drought Esq. J.P.  
Major Tottenham J.P.  
" Welch J.P.  
W. J. Keane

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 513 to No. 538 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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING... ..	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS... ..	Dunganstown East ...									
	.. South ...									
	.. West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ... ..	Enneroilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ... ..	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ... ..	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ... ..	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacush ...									
	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	31	14	6
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	44	11	4
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			3-7½
Average Cost in Infirmary			4-0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			5-6

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

900 Loaves Bread  
 270 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Buttermilk  
 25 lbs Butter  
 528 " Meat  
 24 Heads  
 36 Doz Eggs  
 4 cwt Sugar  
 4 lbs Arrow Root  
 2 " Corn flour

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 September 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	38	11	6
In Kind ...		2	6
Total ...	38	14	-



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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-
		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.
James Byrne	Bread	37	17	-
Isaac Flower	Rep <sup>rs</sup>	7	10	-

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> instant from the Veterinary Department Dublin Castle transmitting a specimen set of Regulations under the Rabies (Ireland) Order 1895 and suggesting the adoption of same by the Local Authority

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Read Report from Vet's Dept. Privy Council Office, Dublin Castle, stating that Swine Fever did exist in case No 2816 Michael Creamy, Rathnew Commons, owner

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Read letter from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that there is now no reason why the inside plastering of Infirmary walls should not be done

as if the work is now completed it will not cause so much inconvenience to the patients as during the winter months when it is probable the Infirmary will be overcrowded

Order - Mr. Little to examine the walls and report to the Board what it is absolutely expedient for the Board to do and report quantities and estimate next week

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Read two Receivable Orders from the Commissioners of Public Works, one for Two Hundred & forty Pounds, the other for Ninety Pounds on account of Loans under the Labours Acts

3 Scheme No.	Ballynathun	40
	Dung <sup>to</sup> South	100
	Emersill	75
	Newcastle L.	25
		<u>£ 240</u>

Scheme No.	Ballinacush	35
	Dung <sup>to</sup> South	55
		<u>£ 90</u>

Charles Tottenham  
Chair

20/9/95.

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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.*

<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>	...	...	...

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

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



## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Colonel Tottenham R*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*see pag 421*

An Estimate of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Arkelow  
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's*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

*incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended* \_\_\_\_\_ *189*

_____	<i>District</i>	-	-	-	£
_____	<i>District</i>	-	-	-	£

[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 Acts of 1851 and 1852 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

Read Letter from the Medical Officer of Wicklow Dispensary stating that the Defaulters under Vaccination Act reported by him in June have not complied with the law

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

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

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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

*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:—

S J O Murphy, was directed to have the nuisance caused by the removal of the pigstys on the fair green Stilleoole <sup>abated</sup> and the holes filled up at a cost not to exceed £3.5

Charles - Tottenham  
Chair

20/9/95.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 20<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1895

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



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967: 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building as the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Aged Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse .. .. .	589	209													
Temporary Buildings	—	—													
Additional Workhouse	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6													
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—													
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>215</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	37	57	54	6	2	24	2	14	212	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 107	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 30	18
Admitted during the Week			24	3	8	—	2	—	1	1	2	44	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 5	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>TOTAL, 113</b>	<b>TOTAL, 35</b>	
Discharged during the Week			26	2	4	—	2	—	1	1	1	37			
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead			26	2	5	—	2	—	1	1	1	38			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	38	60	54	6	2	24	2	15	215			No. at corresponding period last year, 201

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	105	David Edge
No. II.	81	109	John Manley
No. III.	176	221	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	82	132	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>= 621</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

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

Other Guardians

- |                  |                 |                 |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Colonel Kemmis A | Mr. M. H. Jones | Mr. E. Ellis on |
| Major Welch A    | " R. Graydon    | " E. Storey     |
| Mr. A. Dailym A  | " P. J. Conroy  | " M. Doyle      |
|                  | " J. O'Keane    | " W. Byrne      |
|                  | " C. Merrigan   | " J. Byrne      |
|                  | " W. Grant      | " J. W. Byrne   |
|                  | " A. Sheehan    | " J. Kavanagh   |
|                  | " J. Somers     |                 |

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 539 to No. 600 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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	"    South ...									
	"    West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Eunereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoea ...									
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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

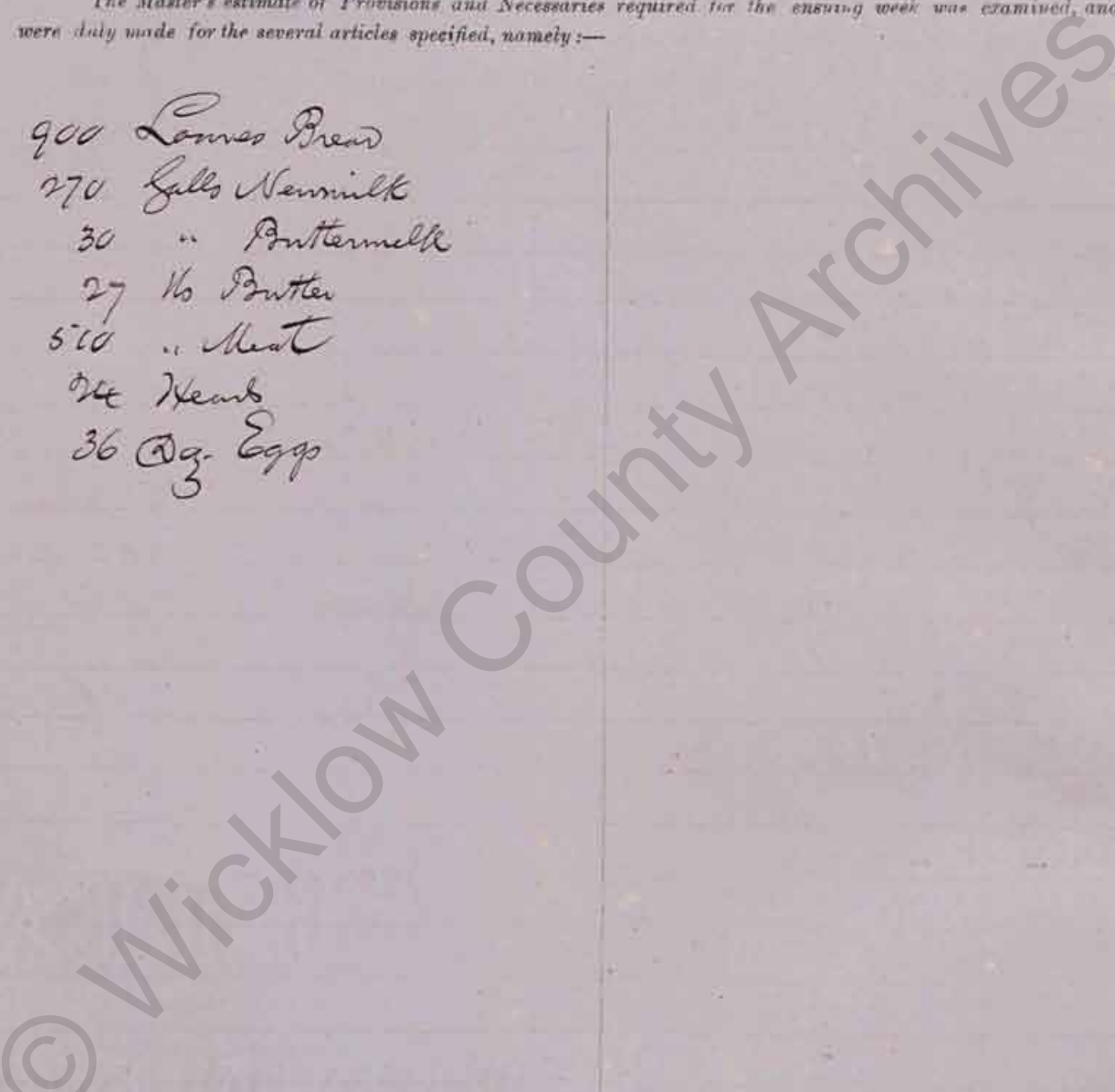
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1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	34	4	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	42	15	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6

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

900 Loaves Bread  
 270 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Porter-milk  
 27 lbs Butter  
 500 " Meat  
 24 Hens  
 36 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 on the last week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of *October* 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ... ..	35	6	0
In Kind ... ..		15	0
Total ... ..	36	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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	.
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	20	-	.
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	.

(1)

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.
W Nangle	on a/c Cont	30	-	.
M Johnson	Newmilk	8	14	.
P Doyle	July	2	2	-
S J Doyle	Advertising	5	11	4
M Clark	on a/c cont LC	26	17	6
W	Emergency	24	7	6
W	W	24	7	6
W	Dring <sup>m</sup> E	24	7	6
		90	0	0

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

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

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

Gentlemen -

It will be necessary to take Stock of Provisions & Clothing at the Close of the half year ending the 27<sup>th</sup> instant

The following Committee was appointed for the above purpose.

Mr E Ellison

" M Payne

" W Grant

" J Kavanagh

To meet at 11.30 O'clock on the 27<sup>th</sup> instant.

CPD

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> instant from the L.G. Board, requesting to be informed whether the Guardians propose to allow collectors Brennan Dowling and M<sup>c</sup> Ananama 6<sup>d</sup> in the £ on all the Rates collected and lodged by them, no matter whether such lodgments are made after the <sup>time</sup> specified in their Bonds or not:

In reply the Guardians desire to state that according to the terms of their resolution of the 6<sup>th</sup> instant, these collectors would be entitled to receive full fees on all Rates collected by them, whether collected within the time allowed or not.

Read Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant from the Registrar General requesting to be informed



whether the improvements in the Strong Closet recommended by the Inspector of Registrations have been carried out, and whether the Books in the Closet show any further signs of injury from damp.

The Clerk of the Museum informed the Board that the Strong Closet is now in a satisfactory condition, and he was directed to inform the Registrar General accordingly.

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A letter was read from the Schoolmistress of the Workhouse complaining that the Matron of the Workhouse had assaulted her on two recent occasions by deliberately pushing her.

The Matron was called before the Board and denied that she assaulted the Schoolmistress on either of the occasions named.

After having heard both parties fully, the Board considered that the matter should proceed no further, and through the Chairman admonished both the Matron and the Schoolmistress to be more circum-spect in their demeanour to each other in future, and to avoid a disagreement of any kind which would disturb the harmony which has hitherto existed in the Establishment.

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Read Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Patrick Farrell, resigning his Office of Poor Rate Collector after a Service of 45 or 46 years.

Order

Resignation accepted with regret: A new  
 statement to be issued for the election of a new  
 Collector on the 4<sup>th</sup> of October next, according  
 to the Regulations, at 6<sup>th</sup> in the £ on all Rates  
 Collected and lodged with the Treasurer.

In accordance with notice duly given to  
 each Guardian, the Board proceeded to take  
 into consideration the application of the Clerk  
 of the Union for a paid assistant.

Proposed by A. Dailymon Esq<sup>r</sup>, seconded by Mr Ellison.  
 Resolved.

That Mr Manning be allowed  
 to employ an Assistant and that the latter's  
 Salary be fixed at £50. per annum.

Passed unanimously  
 At Tottenham

## Contracts

The following contracts were declared, viz.

For three months

Mr E. McJunk	Best Mutton	@	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> p lb
do	Beef	"	5 "
do	Bacon	"	5 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> "
do	Apples	"	1/9 Each
do	Sheep	"	8 "
Mr J. P. Payne	White Bread	"	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> p 4 lb
" R. Hill	Oatmeal	"	£10. " Doz

For six months

Mr Hawkins	Best Black Tea	@	1/6 p lb
do	Soft Sugar	"	14/- " Cwt
Mr J. Smyth	XX Porter	"	11/6 " Doz
do	Port wine	"	15/- " Doz
Mr E. Mulhern	Eggs	"	1/2 " "

Men <sup>r</sup> Kelly Bros	-	Best Whiskey	@	15/6 7/8 Gal.
"	"	" Masala	"	13/- " Doz
"	"	" Gin	"	27/0 " "
"	"	" Brandy	"	52/6 " "
"	"	" Pepper	"	5 " lb
Men <sup>r</sup> Denny & Durin	"	" Black Tea	"	2/4 " "
Mr. J. S. Saul	"	" Tobacco	"	3/3 " "
" W. Smith	"	" Salt	"	1/8 " cwt

For Twelve Months

Mr. Hoskins	Best Rice	@	11/- per cwt
"	" White Soap	"	18/- " "
"	" Starch	"	2 3/4 " lb
"	" Candles	"	3 1/2 " "
Mr. J. S. Smith	" Blue	"	4 1/2 " "
"	" Brown Soap	"	17/- " cwt
"	" Washing Soda	"	4/2 " "
Mr. J. Smyth	" Carbolic Soap	"	24/- " "
" W. Smith	" Rock oil	"	7 " Gal

The following claim to be rated was allowed being adequately vouched.

Mr. Chas. Creghton, Copse v Mr. E. Moore deceased

A Representation, duly signed, was received for the erection of a labourers cottage at Aughrim or Trimakilly, in Aughrim E.D.

Order - Do be considered with next batch of Representations:

Chas. C. Creghton  
27/9/95  
Chair

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	6
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	6
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	6

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Colonel Tottenham D.L. Esq.

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

see page 441

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

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

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

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

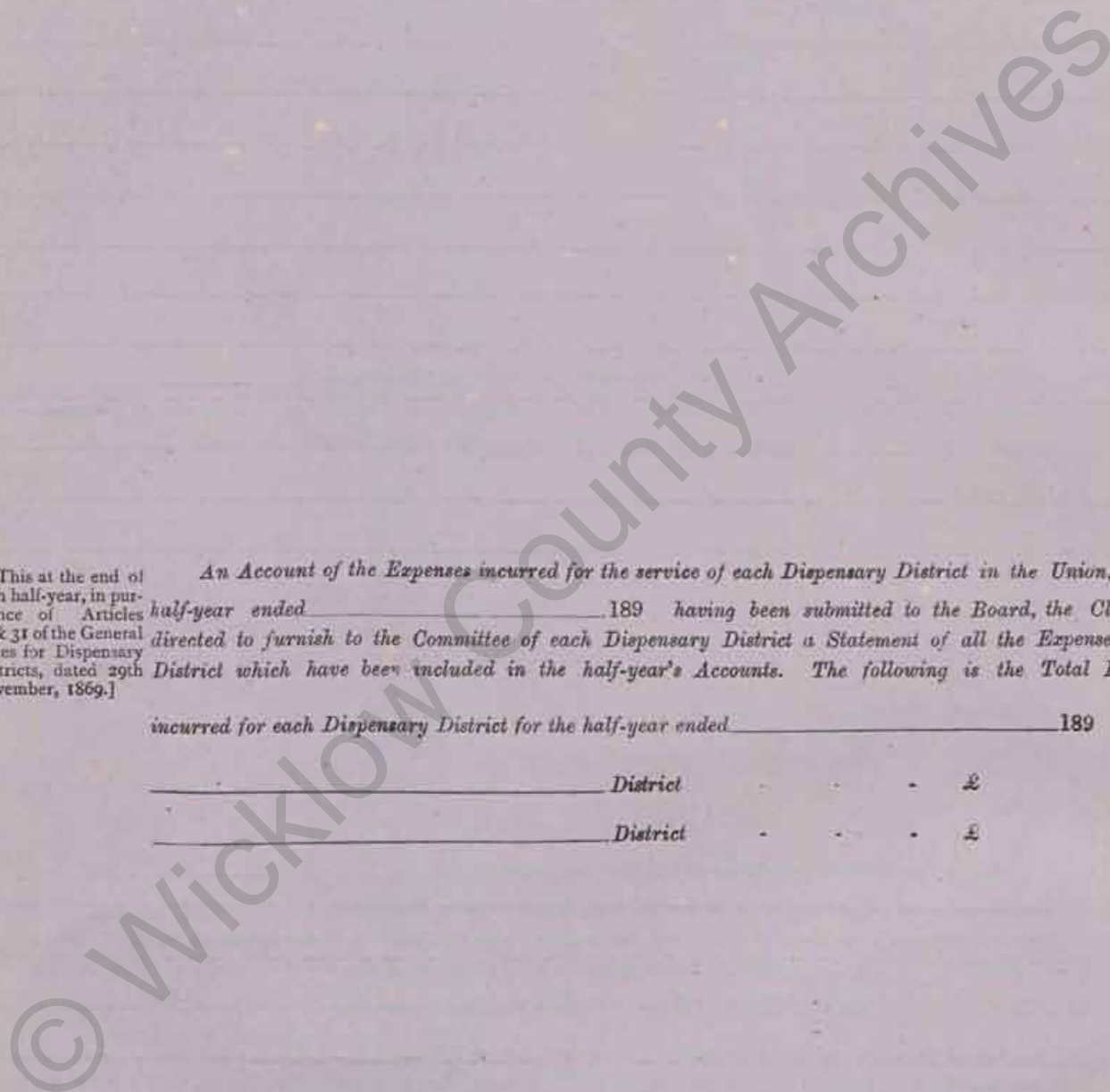
Dispensary District.

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

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

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

	District	-	-	£
	District	-	-	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 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 Newbridge Newcastle Dispensary Committee stating that

at a meeting of the Committee held on the 16<sup>th</sup> instant leave of absence was given to Dr. Raverock on account of the state of his health and that Dr. Furthbert Eccles was appointed to act as locum tenens for such time as Dr. Raverock may be absent, at a remuneration at the rate of two guineas per week.

Approved by the Guardians  
 J. G. 20/9/95

In accordance with notice duly given the following resolution was proposed by Mr. M. H. Jones and seconded by Mr. E. Ellison—

Resolved—

That the salary to be paid to the Midwife to be appointed in the Newbridge District be fixed at £25 a year.

J. G.

[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.

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. from the Local Government Board, requesting to be informed whether due notice was given to each Guardian, that the question of the area of charge for expenses to be incurred in fencing the Three-mile-water Burrell Ground would be considered on the 6<sup>th</sup> instant; and if so, the Board would be glad to be furnished with a copy of the notice.

Order — Copy of the notice to be furnished: —

Read Letter from same dated the 19<sup>th</sup> inst. stating that the Paymaster General, has been authorized to pay to the Union Treasurer £53.15.0, on account of Sanitary Salaries paid by the Guardians in the half-year ended the 25<sup>th</sup> of March last.

Read Letter from Mr J K Dooney Solr. Dublin, forwarding for deposit in the office of the Clerk of the Union, Plan, Schedule & Estimate relating to the Killepedder Drainage Scheme; Also forwarding for payment by the Guardians the account of the Parliamentary Agents for their services in connection with Killepedder same.

Order — Mr Dooney to be asked if he advises that this account should be taxed.

The Guardians accept a tender from Mr Pyne, for scavenging the town of Arklow, for the sum of £8.10.0 a month, in accordance with Specifications:

Charles W. Statham  
27/4/55

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 1895

Signed, J. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127 9 6 7/8

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1895

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 8 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 8 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse .. .. .	589	210														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5														
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—														
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>215</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			14	38	60	54	6	2	24	2	15	215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 111 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 5	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 30 15	22	
Admitted during the Week ..			22	6	3	2	4	—	4	3	3	47	TOTAL 5	TOTAL 35		
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>			<b>36</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>262</b>	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week ..			25	5	2	1	3	1	4	3	3	47	Males Females Children under 15 TOTAL			
Died .. .. .			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week 18	2	5	25
Total Discharged and Dead ..			25	5	2	1	3	1	4	3	3	47	No. in Workhouse at date 5	2	5	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	39	61	55	7	1	24	2	15	215	No. at corresponding period last year, 223			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	105	David Edge
No. II.	81	109	John Manley
No. III.	176	221	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	82	132	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>= 632 last year</b>

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

the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham *Ch. Ch.*

Other Guardians.—

- |                           |                |                |
|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Colonel Keenan <i>JP</i>  | Mr. L. Wolohan | Mr. E. Ellison |
| Mr. S. Delahunt <i>JP</i> | " D. Somers    | " J. Kavanagh  |
| " P. Padri <i>JP</i>      | " A. Sheehane  | " O. Byrne     |
| " L. Hanagan <i>JP</i>    | " M. Doyle     | " C. Byrne     |
| S. German <i>JP</i>       | " W. Fullen    | " W. Grant     |
|                           | " D. Byrne     | " J. W. Dunne  |
|                           |                | " C. Merrigan  |

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 601 to No. 640 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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.

£ 57 : 1 : 4

£ 286 : 19 : 10

£ 470 : 18 : 5

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

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

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

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

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - <i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>	35	00	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was <i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>	44	0	4
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6

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

950 Loaves Bread  
 270 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Buttermilk  
 27 lbs Butter  
 20/0 " Meat  
 Okeads  
 12 cwt Oatmeal  
 40 doz Eggs  
 1 cwt Bacon

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 September 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...										34	10	0	
In Kind ...											12	0	
Total ...											35	2	0

*Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books*



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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	-	-
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY			

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rev R W Guinness	10	-	-
" P Conberry	20	-	-
" R R Keefe	30	-	-
B Manning	25	-	-
J Flower	20	-	-
M Flower	10	-	-
J Brady	8	15	-
S Brady	8	15	-
M Kenny	6	5	-
J O'Leary	5	-	-
A Fitzgerald	5	-	-
W Reeves	5	-	-
D Ege	8	15	-
J Manley	8	15	-
S Johnson	8	15	-
L Murphy	8	15	-
S Tallon	5	-	-
S Cole	5	-	-
B Manning	2	10	-
D. Garland	30	-	-
" Gaudin	25	-	-
" Byrne	25	17	6
" Satchwell	25	-	-
" Hudson	30	-	-
" Leverock	25	-	-
" Ryan	25	-	-
" Halpin	25	-	-

			£	s.	d.
R. Brien		Salz	5	-	-
J. Yarny		"	5	-	-
W. M. C. Cury		"	3	15	-
E. Douth	Annamoe Dis	Rent	5	5	-
Lv	"	"	15	15	-
J. Woodburne	Ballinacush	"	2	15	-
B. Payne	Dungannon	"	5	-	-
Rev. J. A. Stampes	Newcastle	"	5	-	-
J. S. Dighe	Ariford	"	4	-	-
E. Hopkins	Wicklow	"	4	10	-
Clerk to pay Dispensary Payments			-	10	10
W. M. Murphy		Salz Fees	15	3	5
L. Payne		Newmillk	8	4	4
E. Short		"	7	14	8

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

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

On the report and recommendation of the Committee appointed to take Stock of Clothing &c at the end of the half year, The following articles of cast clothing were ordered to be taken off the Books

viz:			
3	42 ✓ Sheets	32 ✓ Coats M & B -	38 ✓ Gowns W & G
	20 ✓ Blankets	17 ✓ Vests "	40 ✓ Bed coats
	13 ✓ Rugs	55 ✓ Drawers "	24 ✓ Shirts
	7 ✓ Ticks	57 ✓ Shirts "	45 ✓ Aprons
	22 ✓ Pillows	24 ✓ Caps "	1 ✓ Handkerchief
	102 ✓ Pr Shoes	15 ✓ Dres "	13 ✓ Caps
	150 ✓ Socks		

The Guard accepted a tender from J<sup>r</sup> McDonald, proposing to give  $\frac{4}{6}$  for the above old rags.

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

There was only one tender for the plastering of the inside of the Hospital Building, namely from Mr William King, who offered to do the work as specified for the sum of  $\underline{\underline{£122.3.0}}$ .

The Guardians considered this tender too high and directed fresh tenders to be invited.

The Guardians accepted a tender from Christy Dolan, proposing to pay  $\underline{\underline{£1.19.6}}$  for the slop and refuse of the Workhouse Kitchen for the ensuing three months.

The tender for oaten straw was considered to be too high ( $\underline{\underline{£2.14.6}}$  per ton) and was therefore not accepted.

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> inst. from the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle, informing the Guardians that the Governor and Company of the Bank of Ireland have been authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Union £50.56.4 being the balance of the amt. payable to the Guardians in respect of the Probate Duty Grant for the year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> of March last.

Read Letter Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Govern<sup>t</sup> Board, expressing their sanction to the proposal to allow collectors Brennan, Dowling and McAnanama perquisites of 6<sup>d</sup> on all rates collected and lodged by them with the Union Treasurers.

Read Letter from Same of same Date informing the Guardians that they have received from Mr. Joseph Keane a Communication tendering his resignation of the office of Guardian for the Electoral Division of Killybegs, which they have accepted, and have given directions that an order should be issued for an election to supply the vacancy caused thereby.

Read Letter from Same of same Date, transmitting the usual Query Sheet to be filled up and signed by the Clerk of the Union and the person who may be elected to the office of Rate Collector, in room of Mr. Patrick Farrell, resigned.

Read the following report of the Visiting Committee — 27th Sept 1895

The Visiting Committee went through the Workhouse and found it generally in a proper and satisfactory condition. — The following points they desire to draw the attention of the Guardians to, viz—

(1.) That the pits for the draintraps in the yards &c. have not yet been supplied by the Contractor, and are urgently needed; this is a point referred to by the Local Government Board Inspector.

(2.) There is not proper ventilation in the wash house of the female lunatic ward; the window over the door should be made to open & shut, and a window instead of loophole is needed in the wall opposite to give light when the door is closed.

(3.) A WC is needed in both male and female lunatic wards as

pointed out by the Local Government Board Inspector; this is very urgently needed and might be supplied at a small cost by putting a patent dry earth closet in each yard.

(4.) The ceiling in the Female Hospital ward should be whitened for sanitary reasons as well as appearance when the walls of the ward are coloured.

(5.) The shed in which the lamps are filled should not be directly part of the house, for perfect safety it should be a separate annex.

(6.) In his report the Local Government Board Inspector states that generally the traps require close attention, with regard to this it now appears that some of the traps have not yet been completed and handed over to the master; that the traps in some of the closets are defective in that when they become choked it is almost impossible to put a brush up the bend to clear them.

Charles G. Tottenham  
New-Kennisis - Col.  
Edward Ellison

Order -

- (1) The Contractor to be desired to supply the pots.
- (2) This to be done.
- (3) Mr. Little to make a report.
- (4) Approved.
- (5) The Master to suggest a remedy.

Read Letter from the Workhouse Schoolmistress asking to be allowed to have her sister to visit her for a fortnight.

Leave granted

The following claimants to be rates were allowed being adequately vouched.

✓ Viz: Jane Dawson, Ballybeg V Law<sup>a</sup> Dawson,  
✓ Anne Roche, Licken V Alex<sup>a</sup> Roche.

Read Report from Vet<sup>y</sup> Depart. Dublin Castle, stating that Swine Fever did exist in case No 2864, J Hogan, owner.

# Contracts

The following contracts were declared for twelve months:

## Clothing

Name	Item	Quantity	Price	Unit
Mr. J. Leeson -	✓ Tweed	1	@	2/4 1/2 yard
	✓ Linsey Woolsey	1	"	1/2 "
	✓ Irish Flannel	1	"	1/2 "
	✓ Print	1	"	5 "
	✓ Rugs - large	1	"	5/1 each
	✓ Sheeting Calico	1	"	1/2 1/2 yard
	✓ Bedticken	1	"	2/10 "
	✓ Worsted	1	"	1/14 1/2 lb
	✓ Stockings (H & C)	1	"	4 9/10 pair
	✓ Cape - broad -	1	"	2/6 " Sq.
	✓ Bone Sticks	1	"	5 " Grop
	✓ Knitting needles	1	"	1/6 " 100
	✓ Leather laces	1	"	4/9 " Grop
	✓ Peels - (Tailors)	1	"	2/6 " Sq.
	✓ Piece	1	"	4/6 1/2 yard
Mr. John Sutton	✓ Bengal Stripe	1	"	7 1/2 "
	✓ Womens Handkerchiefs	1	"	6 1/2 each
	✓ Mens small -	1	"	3/1 1/2 "
	✓ Plain linen	1	"	9 1/2 1/2 yard
	✓ Plain Calico	1	"	5 "
	✓ Stockings (mens)	1	"	7 1/2 pair
	✓ Suspenders	1	"	4 + 2 1/2 "
	✓ Sewing needles	1	"	5 1/2 100
	✓ Marking Ink	1	"	7/6 1/2 Gal
	✓ Pins	1	"	1 Sheet
	✓ Thimbles - tailors - W.	6 d	"	4 1/2 1/2 doz.
	✓ Shoe Nails	1	"	1/1 " 1000
	✓ Neats foot oil	1	"	5/10 Gal
	✓ Iwine - fine + coarse	1	"	7 + 8 1/2 "
	✓ caps - boys	1	"	7 1/2 1/2 each
Mr. C. Wilson	✓ Check	1	"	7 1/2 1/2 yard
	✓ Blankets @ 12/- + 11/-	1	"	7 pair
	✓ White Linen	1	"	10 1/2 1/2 yard
	✓ Bengal Stripe - narrow	1	"	7 1/2 "
	✓ Mending Calico	1	"	3 "
Mr. E. Dalton	✓ Thread	1	"	1/10 1/2 lb
	✓ Cape - narrow -	1	"	1/9 1/2 " Sq.
	✓ Stockings womens	1	"	1/11 " pair
	✓ Shoes @ 6/6, 4/9 + 3/6	1	"	1/2 pair
	✓ Making clothes as per tender M & B	1	"	
Mr. S. Cole	✓ Making clothes as per tender M & B	1	"	
Miss R. Mumpsey	✓ " W. G. clothes as per tender.	1	"	

Mr John Shaw - ✓ Butt Leather @ 1/5-2 W  
 ✓ Kuf " " 1/8 " "  
 ✓ Saw Blades " 3/10 " Grop  
 ✓ Shoe Nails " 14/- " W  
 ✓ Saw Handles " 4/30 " Grop

Establishment

Mr John Sutton - ✓ Iron Horse Buckets " 9/- each  
 ✓ Iron Coal Boxes " 1/7 " "  
 ✓ Sweeping Brushes " 2/4 " "  
 ✓ Scrubbing " " 1/2 " "  
 ✓ Limers " 10/- " "  
 ✓ Mops Heads " 10 " "  
 ✓ Horse Buckets (kinds) 1/9 " "  
 ✓ Brush Handles " 1/6 7/12 Day  
 ✓ Quaint Irms " 1/11 " "  
 ✓ Pint " 1/4 " "  
 ✓ Iron Spoons " 1/1-1/2 Grop  
 ✓ Enamelled Basins " 12/- 15/- Day  
 ✓ Tin Plates " 1/- Day

Mr James Wilson - ✓ Currents Nails " 1/5 1/2 Stone  
 ✓ Stone Hammers " 8/- Stone each  
 ✓ Mark Embly " 11/- Day  
 ✓ Tine " 22/- Grop

Mr J B Smyth - ✓ Whitewash Brushes " 1/- each  
 ✓ Bar Brooms " 1/3 each  
 ✓ Nurses Irms " 4/1 7/12 Day  
 ✓ Platters. 6 & 5 " 6/6 "  
 ✓ Tin Cans " 6/- 7/12 Gal.  
 ✓ Hemp " 1/9 " "

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ... .. 11

Ditto disallowed ... .. -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... .. 11

Mr Jas Doyle - ✓ Wooden Horse Buckets @ 2/- each

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... .. 1

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

4/10/95 Charles J. Pittman Chair

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 FRIDAY,  
the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895  
(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Wm. Tottenham D.L. Chm.*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 2461*

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:—

*Burial*  
Frank Waddell — *Offins* @  $4\frac{5}{8}$  each  
Mr. Leeson — *Shroving* "  $2\frac{1}{2}$  yard

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:—

*Mr. J. R. Dollan* - Books, Forms and Stationery as per tender. —  
*Mr. J. McPhail* - Small Printing at prices as per tender  
*William Star* - Advertising @ 2<sup>s</sup> per line  
*Mr. J. Gellie* - Cleaning & repairing Park @ £1:15:0 - for the year. —

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

Dispensary District.

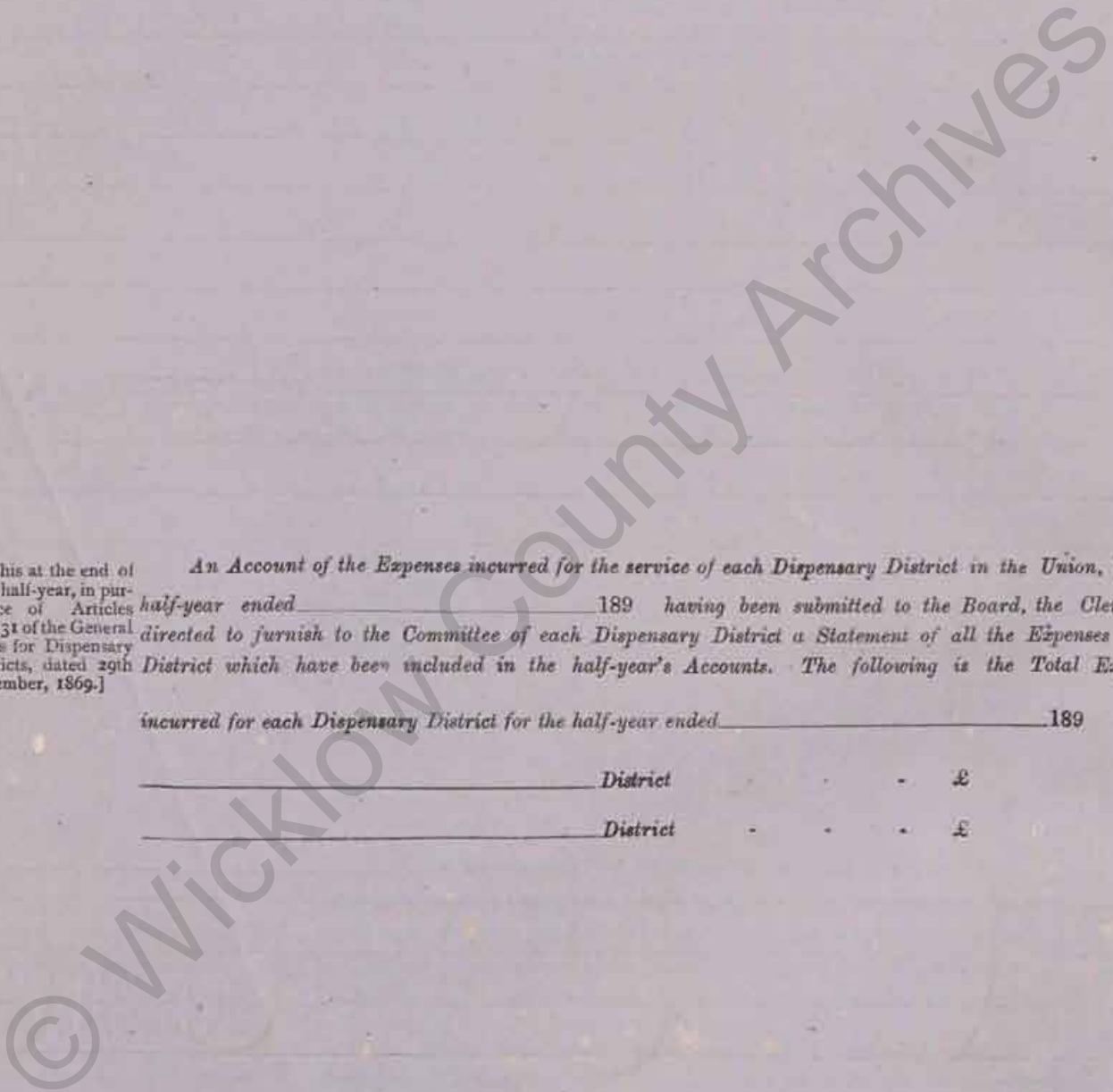
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

	District	-	-	£
	District	-	-	£



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts, 1851 and 1852, 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 26<sup>th</sup> instant  
~~stating that~~

expressing their sanction to the remuneration at the rate of £2.2.0 a week proposed to be paid to D. Eccles for his services as temporary substitute in St. Roverock, Medic<sup>e</sup> Officer of the Newcastle Dispensary District.

Read Letter Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> instant from the Hon. Secy of Dublin Dispensary ~~Committee~~ Committee stating that a monthly meeting of the Committee was held on the 19<sup>th</sup> instant

D. O'orman in the Chair  
 other members present A. Dailymon Esq, A. Hanagan Esq,  
P. M. A. Sheehan, D. Somers & D. Curran F.R.C.S.

On the motion of Mr. Dailymon seconded by Mr. Somers, it was unanimously resolved that Ms. Mary Anne Connell be appointed midwife for the Dublin Dispensary District, at a salary of £15 a year, and a fee of 2/6 for each case attended within the township and 7/6 for each case outside said township. The Nurse answered the necessary questions and will be prepared to take up her duties on the 1<sup>st</sup> of November next.

The Secretary was directed to return the Draft Lease of the D. residence to the Clerk of the Union.

[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.:

Order— The Clerk of the Union to forward the Draft Lease to Lowry's Collection for engraving.

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

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s.	d.
Mun at Large	J Manning	3	15	-
	D. Leeper	3	15	-
	D. Ede	7	10	.
	J. Manley	6	5	-
	S. Johnson	6	5	-
	L. Murphy	7	10	.
	J. Evans	7	10	.
	P. Cartz	3	15	-
Dispensary District	S. Ireland	3	15	-
	" Gardner	2	10	-
	" Byrne	3	15	-
	" Satchwell	2	10	-
	" Hudson	3	15	-
	" Lovemot	2	10	-
	" Ryan	2	10	-
	" Halpin	6	5	-
	J. Newson	15	-	-
	J. Manning	6	5	-
	M. New	3	15	-
	J. Manning	30	2	9
	J. Dowling	4	8	.
	P. Farrell	4	-	-
	W. Smith	3	13	4
J. McAnanana	3	12	8	
J. Douglas	3	3	8	
J. Evans	3	-	-	
J. Brennan	2	15	-	
W. G. Murphy	2	13	-	

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

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

Read Letter Dated the 26<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Government Board informing the Guardians that they have received the report of their Engineering Inspector, Mr. Brian Smyth, relating to the Local Inquiry held by him into the application for sanction to a loan of £1000, in providing a supply of water for the town of Rathdrum, and the Board desire to state that they will be prepared to sanction the loan when the Solicitor of the Sanitary Authority certifies that they have definitely acquired the right to take the water from all parties interested.

Read Letter Dated the 24<sup>th</sup> inst. from Mr. J. K. Dooney, Solicitor, Dublin; stating that he must consult with Mr. Spence before replying to the Guardians inquiry respecting the lease proposed to be made to the Guardians by Lord Meath in respect to water rights &c. Re Rathdrum Water Supply. He would not advise the Guardians to tax the Parliamentary Agents Bill of costs in the matter of the Kildrider Drainage Scheme, which would cost more than the matter is worth.

Read Letter Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Peter Dyrce, Ballinapark, stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry that the least the Guardians could allow him for the grass of the land taken by them for the enlargement of Gleneaf Grave yard would be £2.

Order - Job held over for the consideration of the local Guardians.

Mr. Martin Doyle brought under the consideration of the Board the question of the

selection of a tenant for the Labourers Cottage  
at Kill-oy, in Donnybrook South Electoral Divis.<sup>n</sup>  
and proposed that a man named Smullen  
should be accepted as tenant for said cottage  
which was seconded by Mr William Allen:—

Proposed by Mr. Kavanaugh & seconded by Mr. Delahunt  
That Robert Strahan be accepted as  
tenant for this cottage

Mr. Kavanaugh's amendment was carried by a large  
majority—

Smullen to be allowed a reasonable  
time to take out the crops he planted.

Thos. M. M. M.  
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4/10/95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 4<sup>th</sup> October,

day of October 1895

Signed,

*R. Manning*  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127567.8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.					Boys	Girls		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	569	217													
Temporary Buildings	-	-													
Additional Workhouse	-	-													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	5													
Fever Sheds	-	-													
<b>Total</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>222</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			11	39	61	55	7	1	24	2	15	215			
Admitted during the Week			20	5	4	-	2	1	2	2	2	38			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>31</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>253</b>			
Discharged during the Week			20	3	1	-	1	-	1	1	1	28			
Died			-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	3			
Total Discharged and Dead			20	3	2	2	1	-	1	1	1	31			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	41	63	53	8	2	25	3	16	222			
											Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	167	In separate Wards	30	23
											Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates	5	
											<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>35</b>	
											NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
											No. Relieved during week	14	1	-	15
											No. in Workhouse at date	2	-	-	2
											No. at corresponding period last year. 224				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	105	David Edge
No. II.	81	109	John Manley
No. III.	177	222	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	82	132	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>= 623</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Colonel Tottenham & L. Chr

Other Guardians—

- Mr. Hon. The Earl of Cargifort K.P.
- Colonel Kemmis P.
- Col. Howard Brooke P.
- Major Tottenham P.
- Major Fanningham P.
- Major R. D. Welch P.
- Mr. Macment P.
- Mr. S. Gailym P.
- Mr. John Atton P.
- Mr. L. W. Byrne P.
- Mr. M. J. Beresford P.
- Mr. W. Culleri P.
- Mr. J. Doyle P.
- Mr. J. Murphy P.
- Mr. E. W. Wynne P.
- Mr. L. Hanagan P.
- Mr. S. Delahunt P.
- Mr. P. Padin P.
- Mr. H. Sandy P.
- Mr. D. Somers P.
- Mr. L. Wolohan P.
- Mr. D. Cadden P.
- Mr. N. Drume P.
- Mr. M. Doyle P.
- Mr. M. Byrne P.
- Mr. D. Byrne P.
- Mr. G. Byrne P.
- Mr. Saunders P.
- Mr. Miley P.
- Mr. Kavanagh P.
- Mr. Shepard P.
- Mr. Douce P.
- Mr. E. Fuller, Storey P.
- Mr. J. Doyle, Sheriff P.
- Mr. J. P. Pym, Ellison P.
- Mr. Merrigan, Jones P.
- Mr. Graydon, Mandy P.
- Mr. W. Grant P.
- Mr. M. Somers P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 641 to No. 665 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 ...	Altadore ...									
	Kilcoole ...									
	Killiskey ...									
	Newcastle Lower ...									
	"    Upper ...									
WILLIAM G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS...	Dunganstown East ...									
	"    South ...									
	"    West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	Aughrim ...									
	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	34	-	2
<i>Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.</i>			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	43	10	1
<i>Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.</i>			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	10
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	11½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		3	7

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

520 Loaves Bread  
 270 Galls Newmilk  
 30 " Buttermilk  
 27 lbs Butter  
 520 " Meat  
 2½ Hens  
 4 Chests Tea  
 10 cwt Sugar  
 10 " Rice  
 2 " White Soap  
 ½ " Starch  
 2 Boxes Candles  
 10 cwt Brown Soap  
 2 " Soda  
 14 lbs Blue  
 6 " Corn Flour  
 6 " Annisroot  
 30 " Tea  
 4½ Bos Porter & 1 cwt Carbolic Soap

10 Galls Whiskey  
 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 to the last week ended Saturday, the 28 day of September 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	34	10	6
In Kind ...		1	0
Total ...	34	11	6

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

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

Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY			

*Credit Treasurer with Cheques.*

*Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.*

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

£      s.      d.

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£ s. d.

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

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

On the report and recommendation of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse an artificial arm was ordered to be supplied to an inmate of the Workhouse named Matthew Cowler, a wardman in the Infirmary whose artificial arm was injured just meeting in a struggle with a refractory inmate.

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> inst. from the Local Government Board, transmitting forms for the usual Annual Return of Guardians and Union Officers; and containing instructions for the preparation of same.

Read Letter from same of same Date. transmitting the usual Query Sheet to be signed by the Clerk of the Union and the person who may be appointed to the office of Assistant Clerk of the Union.

Read Report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse urging upon the Guardians to have the two new Ventilators put into the lying in Ward; As the Ward is in an almost constant use it cannot remain in its present state



with two large holes through the walls: -

Order — The Contractor to be directed to put these in.

Order — The Works inside the house, the tender for which was not accepted last week, to be re-advertised.

Order — The Contractor for the Dinnakilly cottage to be reminded that unless he completes the contract immediately it will be withdrawn from him and transferred to another.

The R.I. Constabulary reported the existence of supposed Swine Fever on the premises of Mary Anne Dinné, Dinnabrook Arklow.

The Guardians proceeded, in accordance with notice and advertisements, to the election of a Poor Rate Collector for No. 1 District, with the following result.

	1 <sup>st</sup> Poll	2 <sup>nd</sup> Poll	3 <sup>rd</sup> Poll	4 <sup>th</sup> Poll
Mr. Joseph Keane -	8	9	14	26
" Robert Gray -	16	18	20	21
" William Byrne -	9	12	13	-
" Bernard Kelly -	6	7	-	-
" Wm. Murphy -	5	-	-	-
" John Swip -	2	-	-	-

Mr. Joseph Keane was accordingly declared elected

R. P. Wright  
Ch. M.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	10
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	10

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	1

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 4<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

*Colonel Tottenham D.L. Chm*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 481*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £

\_\_\_\_\_ District - - - £

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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1861 were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

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

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

Read Letter from The Local Govt Bd dated 26<sup>th</sup> September 1895  
~~stating that~~

expressing their sanction to the proposal to fix the salary for the office of Midwife of Newbridge Dispensary District at £25. a year.

Read Letter from the Hon. Secy. of Anaruae Dispensary Committee, enclosing a letter received by them from Dr. Garland, Med. Off. of the District, applying for leave of absence on account of an accident which he met with, by a fall from his bicycle on returning from a visit to a patient, also enclosing a certificate from Dr. Denton J. R.C.S.D. stating that Dr. Garland will not be able to resume his duties for several weeks.

Mr. Murphy, the Hon. Secy. stated that he summoned a meeting of the Committee, but as only two members attended nothing could be done.

Order — another meeting of the Committee should be called to deal with this matter; there is no special quorum fixed so that if only one or two attend they can act.

[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 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, forwarding to be laid before the Guardians a letter which they have received from Mr. David W. Durne, relating to the proposed area of charge for expenses incurred in connection with the three-mile-water Burial Ground, and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject.

Order — The area of charge was decided upon by the Board after due notice. It is a mistake to say that Wicklow town; promised to contribute, though some gentlemen at the Board said they would endeavour to obtain subscriptions from that town.

Read Letter from Mrs. Halpin, of Ballinderry, Dated the 4<sup>th</sup> instant stating that she is now prepared to sign the Deeds conveying to the Guardians her water rights &c in connection with the Rathfrum Water supply, provided no deduction is made from the amount awarded to her by the Arbitrator viz. £60.

Order — The Guardians agree to pay Mr. Peter Dwyer £1. as compensation for loss of the grass of the plot of land taken by the Guardians to enlarge Glenealy Burial Ground.

R. F. Dwyer  
Ch. Secy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 11<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1895

Signed, P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967:8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse .. .. .	589	218															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6															
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—															
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>224</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			11	41	63	53	8	2	25	3	16	222	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 109 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6 TOTAL 115	In separate Wards 30 In Wards with other inmates 5 TOTAL 35	18		
Admitted during the Week			21	5	6	1	—	—	1	—	1	35					
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>32</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>257</b>	NIGHT LODGES OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			18	4	4	1	1	—	2	1	2	33	No. Relieved during week 17	Males 17	Females —	Children under 15 —	TOTAL 17
Died													No. in Workhouse at date 7				
Total Discharged and Dead			18	4	4	1	1	—	2	1	2	36					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	42	65	53	7	2	24	2	15	224	No. at corresponding period last year, 215				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 81, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	65	102	David Edge
No. II.	75	109	John Manley
No. III.	180	224	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	84	135	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>= 623</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:— There was no Board on this day only two Guardians being in attendance — viz. Major Tottenham JP and Mr. William Fuller. —

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.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967 : 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouses on the above date		
Workhouse .. .. .	180	213														
Temporary Buildings .. .	—															
Additional Workhouses .. .	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital .. .	80	6														
Cover Sheds .. .. .	—															
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>219</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	42	65	53	6	2	24	2	15	224	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 109 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6	In separate Wards in Workhouses with other inmates 30 15	18	
Admitted during the Week			18	5	2	—	2	—	3	1	2	33	TOTAL 115	TOTAL 35		
<b>TOTAL</b>			33	47	67	53	8	2	27	3	17	257	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			21	4	4	—	1	—	3	2	2	37	No. Relieved during week 11	1	3	15
Died											1	1	No. in Workhouses at date 4	1	3	8
Total Discharged and Dead			21	4	4	—	1	—	3	2	3	38	No. at corresponding period last year, 224			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	43	63	53	7	2	24	1	14	219				

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 October 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 21, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	101	John De Edge
No. II.	77	116	John Manley
No. III.	176	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	83	131	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>= 607</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Richard R Drought Esq. P. K.C.  
 Other Guardians:— James F Grehan Esq. P. K.C.  
 Major Tottenham P.  
 Law— W. Byrne Esq. P.  
 Mr. Pat. Carey

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 666 to No. 719 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. ~~717~~ to No. 719 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 of the Union laid before the Board the Returning Officers Returns relative to the election of a Guardian for Killiskey Electoral Division in room of Mr. Joseph Keane resigned;

The Returns showed that Mr. Lawrence Cullen of Rathmore was returned unopposed.

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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING ...	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ...	Dunganstown East ...									
	" South ...									
	" West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ...	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ...	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ...	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ...	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 one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was - Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	:	:	:
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:—

*2 weeks orders*

1880 Loaves Bread  
540 Galls Newmilk  
70 " Buttermilk  
56 lbs Butter  
1040 " Meat  
48 Sheep Heads  
76 doz Eggs  
1 Roll Tobacco

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him of the last week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money ...	39	12	2	
In Kind ...		2	0	
Total ...	39	14	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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	.
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY	20	.	.
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	.	.
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	.	.

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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 Brennan	Meat	186	2 4
J Byrne	Bread	21	3 8
P Burke	Butter & Milk	22	12 2
M Johnson	"	5	17 11
E Shurt	"	3	4 5
L Byrne	"	3	2 2
Kelly Bros	Whiskey &c.	22	5 10
J Sant	Tobacco	22	15 10
P Hastings	Tea	18	- -
E Mulhern	Eggs	5	8 -
J Sutton	Sugar &c.	5	1 -
J Smyth	Paper &c.	4	19 10
J Leeson	Clothing	25	5 3
J Sutton	"	7	13 6
C Wilson	"	4	13 6
S Cole	making Clo.	2	10 10
Deanehan & Co.	Amusement	12	18 11
Junge & Jaggart	Bushes	2	16 9
J Sutton	Hay &c.	5	16 2
W. Murphy	Insurance	7	10 -
J Little	Engineers Fees	16	4 -
S. Gardiner	Vacc <sup>n</sup>	3	12 -
" Byrne	"	4	4 -
" Coverock	"	3	6 -
D O'Brien	Mainten <sup>n</sup> DM	7	10 -
F Mc Phail	Printing Jany List & Printing	8	12 3
J Dollard	Books & Journals	59	10 4
R Simpson	Pump	9	8 6

		£	s.	d.
J McPhail	Advertising	11	2	4
J. Advertiser	"	5	8	"
J. M. Walsh	"	9	8	8
J. S. Diche	Rent	2	-	-
J. K. Donney	Arbitration	20	-	-
L <sup>o</sup>	Party Fees &c	31	8	-

Infer: All to party

J Flower	Reps	1	12	1
J Fellettie	Reps. cloths	1	15	-
J Smyth	Timware	1	2	9
P Doyle	Pal	1	4	-
L Byrne	Reps		10	2
R Hill	Entiment	1	3	-
Darry Quinn	Bacon	1	9	4
W Smith	Palt		13	4
J Whelan	Straw	1	3	3
J Shaw	Leather	1	3	4
L Byrne	Nails		8	5
J Whelan	Coffins	1	4	7
S. Eccles	Jembly Sal	1	10	-
E Tyrnell	Rent Vac. Dep.	1	-	-
J Wilson	Stationary		11	1
J Darry	Coal		8	3
W Hawkins	Gate		3	-
J. H. Darry	Reps. Bentsails		4	-
J Johnson	Pal	1	5	-
J. Maudley	flanning B. G.		10	-
D. Earls	Rt. Pe. Dep.	1	6	-
L Byrne			10	-
J. Maudley	Convoie		10	-
J Johnson	Convoie		3	8
L. Hudson	Witness Fee	1	1	-
J Hayden	Reps well		4	-
L. Balle	Pr. Carcases		18	6
W. G. Murphy	P. R. Lub. Jt		1	8
		23	15	5

6  
7  
8  
9

W Vangle  
J Evans  
M New  
J McFarrell

on at Contract	40	-	-
Dary Ex	10	-	-
Leads	5	-	-
Leads	100	-	-

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

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

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

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

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

Read Circular Dated the 4<sup>th</sup> inst:  
from the Local Government Board, calling for the  
Usual Quarterly Return of Rates made in the  
Union.

Read Circular from Same, Dated the  
8<sup>th</sup> instant, calling for a Return showing the  
expenses incurred in the Union for medical &  
educational ~~expenses~~ purposes during the half  
year ended the 29<sup>th</sup> of September last.

Read Circular from Same Dated the  
16<sup>th</sup> instant, requesting to be furnished with  
a statement showing the liabilities & assets  
of the Union at the close of the financial year  
ended on the 25<sup>th</sup> of June last.

Read Letter Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> instant from the Local Government Board relative to the appointment of an Assistant Clerk of this Union, in reference to which the Board state that they consider that the appointment in question should be made by the Guardians, and the requirements of Article 25 of the General Regulations consequently carried into effect.

Order - The consideration of this letter postponed

Read Letter from same of same Date expressing their approval of the appointment of Mr. Joseph Keane as Poor Rate Collector in this Union, at a poundage of six pence on all Rates collected and lodged by him with the Union Treasurer.

+ Read Letter from same Dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant, informing the Guardians that they have received the Report of their Inspector Mr. A. Pompe, with notes of the evidence taken at the Local Inquiry recently held into an improvement Scheme made by the Guardians for the erection of seven cottages under the Labourers Act, and on consideration thereof the Local Government Board are not prepared for the reasons stated in the Schedule which accompanied their letter to authorise the erection of the two cottages proposed to be built in the townlands of Palleeshal and Ballinameeda.

As regards the remaining five houses it appears that in two Cases, Mallow E.D. and Aughrim E.D. it was represented at the Inquiry that the owners would them-

Schemes provide the applicants with new cottages in the event of the Inspector recommending that the proposal of the Guardians should be approved of.

The L.G. Board will be glad to know whether under the circumstances mentioned the Guardians wish that the erection of these cottages should be formally sanctioned by Provisional Order, and they suggest that the owners should be communicated with on the subject.

In the case of the cottage proposed to be built at Knockadozen, in Rathdrum E.D., it was stated at the Inquiry by the Solicitor acting for the occupier of the lands that Mr. Speares (Sub-agent to Lord Fitzwilliam) would give the applicant a suitable cottage.

The Guardians might ascertain & inform the L.G. Board whether this man & can be provided with proper house accommodation in the locality in which he usually finds employment, and if so upon what terms.

It would appear from the evidence given at the Inquiry that there were no cottages then vacant in Rathdrum.

In the mean time the L.G. Board will give instructions for the preparation of the necessary Provisional Order in respect of the Guardians Scheme.

Order -

The Clerk of the Union to communicate with the owners as suggested by the L.G. Board.

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Read Letter from same of same date - forwarding for the Guardians information the Schedule above referred to.

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Read Circular Dated the 17<sup>th</sup> inst.  
from the Commissioners of Valuation relating  
to the Annual Revision of the Valuation  
of the Union.

Read Communication from the  
Veterinary Department, Dublin Castle,  
stating that Swine Fever did exist in case  
No. 2894, Mary Anne Dume, main Street  
Arklow, Owner.

Read Report from Mr. Newson V.D.  
stating that he inspected a flock of sheep  
29 in number, belonging to Daniel Mc Gee,  
Kilmullen, Newtown Mount Kennedy, on  
the 13<sup>th</sup> instant and found 10 of them to be  
suffering from Sheep Scab.

Order - No sheep to be moved off these lands

The Guardians accepted a tender  
from Mr. Wm King, for plastering, cleaning  
and lime washing the inside of the  
Workhouse Hospital Building, according  
to Specification for the sum of £132: 3: 0.  
There was no other tender.

The Clerk of the Union applied for leave  
of absence for 10 days; his assistant to  
act for him during his absence.

Leave granted

P. A. Wright

25 Oct. 95

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

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

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

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

the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair.

*R R Drought Esq. P. V.C.*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*See page 501*

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

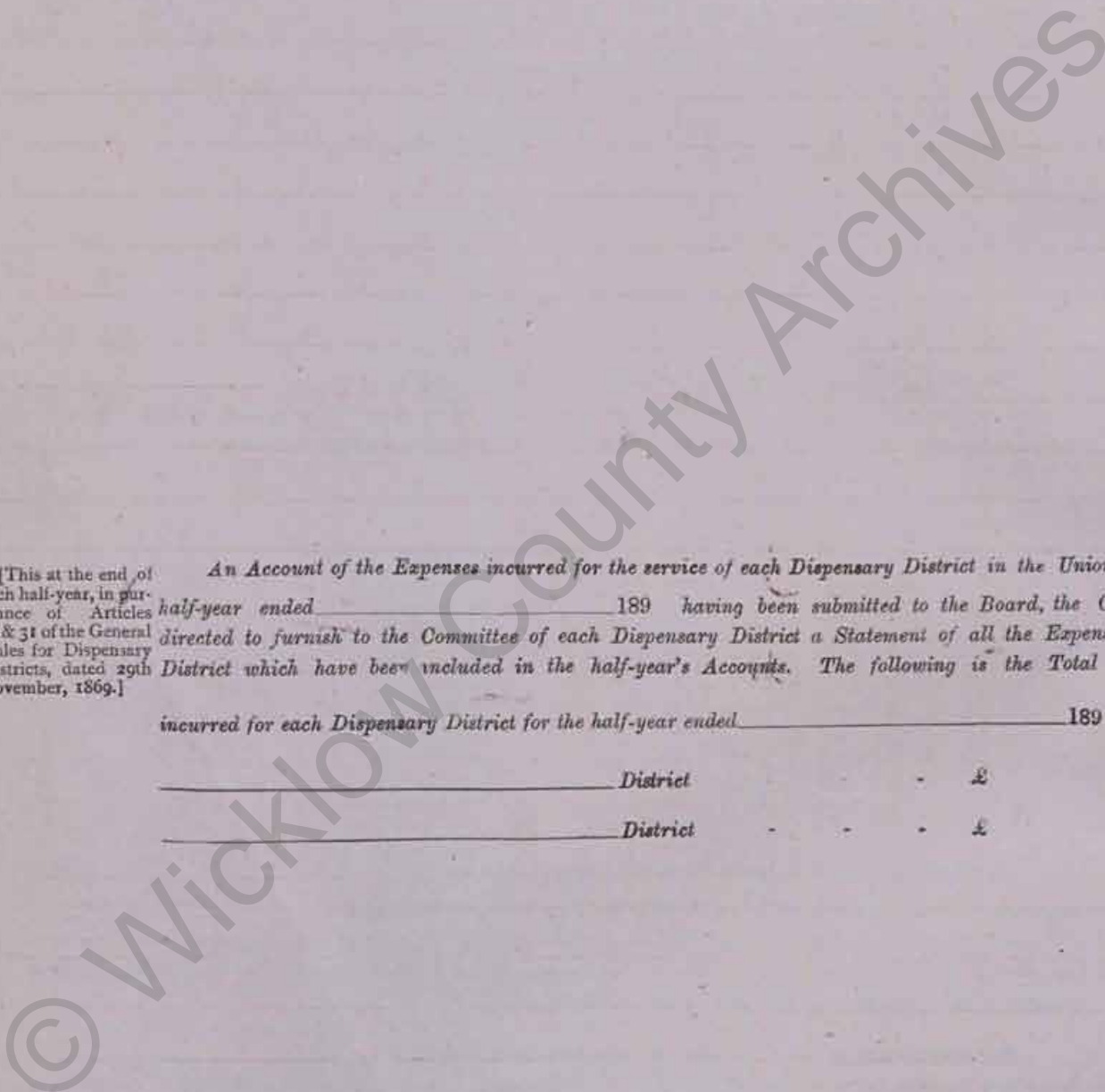
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount, £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 189

	-	-	£
	-	-	£



[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 \_\_\_\_\_

Anamoe

Read Letter ~~Dated~~ the \_\_\_\_\_ from Doctor P. J. Garland, Dublin, informing the Guardians that he has acted as *Comm. tenens* for Doctor James Garland, Medical Officer of the Anamoe Dispensary District who was incapacitated by an accident from the performance of his duty from the 10<sup>th</sup> of September to the 9<sup>th</sup> of October 1895, and for such service he submits he is entitled to the ordinary remuneration of £3. per week.

The consideration of this letter was postponed until the report of the Dispensary Committee is received.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Acts of 1851 and 1869 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 5<sup>th</sup> instant,  
~~stating that~~

transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter which they have addressed to the Arklew Dispensary Committee expressing their approval of the appointment of Miss Mary Anne Carroll as Midwife for that District at a salary of £15 a year, and an additional allowance of 2/6 for each midwifery case attended in the township, and 7/6 for each case attended outside the township.

Read Circular from same dated the 15<sup>th</sup> instant, calling for a Return relating to the several Dispensaries in the Union showing the expenses of each District during the year ended the 24<sup>th</sup> Ultimo—

Read Letter dated the 8<sup>th</sup> instant from Messrs. J & W Stanley, Solicitors to the Earl of Carysfort stating that they will have engrossed the lease proposed to be granted by Lord Carysfort to the Guardians of a site for a Doctors Residence and Dispensary at Arklew.

[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. :—

Arklew — 18 Defaulters —

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

The usual notices to be served: —







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

Read Circular Dated the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., from the Local Government Board enclosing a copy of a form of Bye Laws, under the Public Health Act for the guidance of Sanitary Authorities with respect to Common Lodging Houses.

Read Circular from same of same Date, calling for the usual half-yearly Return of Salaries paid by the Guardians under the Public Health Act, with a view to a portion thereof being recouped out of the Parliamentary Grant for that purpose.

Read Letters Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> September and 15<sup>th</sup> of October 1895. from Mr J K Dooney Solicitor, Dublin, with reference to the map referred to by the Lease proposed to be granted by Lord Meath to the Guardians in connection with the Rathdrum Water supply, which he requires in order to understand the nature of the rights conveyed by the Lease:— And reminding the Guardians that the Board of Works will not receive a deposit of the Plans of the Kilsedder Drainage scheme until a sum of £20. is lodged with them to defray the costs of appointing arbitrators &c.

Order — Cheque to be drawn for £20. —

Read Letter from Mr William Nangle, Contractor for fencing Gleencollege Grave Yard applying for £40, on account of his contract which is completed all but setting up the gate.

Order to be paid £40. on account. —

Read Letter Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> instant from Mr. Peter Inwell of Ballinapark, stating that he will not accept the £1. offered to him by the Guardians as compensation for loss of crop by the enlargement of General graveyard, but in order to save trouble he will accept £1.10.0

Order - The Board adhere to their offer of £1.0.0

Read Report from Mr. L. Murphy S.S.C. stating that the Downs pump is out of order and requires a new suction pipe, the probable cost will be about £3.

Order - This work to be executed by Mr. Murphy at a cost not exceeding £3.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 25<sup>th</sup>

day of October 1895

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

P. P. Murphy  
25 Oct 95

P. Manning  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £127967 : 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse .. .. .	559	233												
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—												
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital	89	6												
Fever Sheds .. .. .	—	—												
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>239</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			12	43	63	53	7	2	24	1	14	219	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 114 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6 <b>TOTAL, 120</b>	In separate Wards 30 In Wards with other inmates 5 <b>TOTAL, 35</b>
Admitted during the Week			15	6	4	—	—	—	1	4	3	34		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>27</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>253</b>		
Discharged during the Week - Died			11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	No. Relieved during week 11 No. in Workhouse at date 3	Males 11 Females 2 Children under 15 — <b>TOTAL 11</b>
Total Discharged and Dead			11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	No. in Workhouse at date 3	Males 3 Females — Children under 15 — <b>TOTAL 3</b>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	49	65	53	8	1	25	5	17	239	No. at corresponding period last year, 229	

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 October 1895 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 81, s. 1		Names of Relieving Officers
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	64	101	David Edge
No. II.	78	122	John Manley
No. III.	17	218	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	83	129	Laurence Murphy
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>= 617</b>

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on FRIDAY, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair— Richard R Drought Esq JP & C

Other Guardians:—

Major Tottenham JP  
Mr Edward Ellison

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 720 to No. 760 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.

£ 199:0:0

£ 338:19:0

£ 730:13:7

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 G. MURPHY ...	Ballycullen ...									
	Brockagh ...									
	Calary ...									
	Glendalough ...									
	Moneystown ...									
	Oldtown ...									
	Togher ...									
THOMAS DOWLING... ..	Glenealy ...									
	Wicklow ...									
THOMAS DOUGLAS ... ..	Dunganstown East ...									
	South ...									
	West ...									
GEORGE EVANS ... ..	Ennereilly ...									
	Kilbride ...									
JAMES M'ANANAMA ... ..	Arklow ...									
JOHN BRENNAN ... ..	Ballyarthur ...									
	Cronebane ...									
	Ovoca ...									
WILLIAM SMYTH ... ..	Aughrim ...									
	Ballinacush ...									
	Ballinacor ...									
	Ballinderry ...									
	Knockrath ...									
	Rathdrum ...									
	Trooperstown ...									
TOTALS, £										

<sup>2</sup> NOTE.—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as one for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer, and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

	£	s.	d.
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	169	4	6
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	18	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	6½
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	10½
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:—

1000 Loaves Bread  
 40 Gall Buttermilk  
 28 lbs Butter  
 270 Gall New Milk  
 550 lbs Meat  
 27 Heads  
 40 Doz Eggs  
 6 Bottles Soda Water  
 2 lbs Barley Hospital  
 4 lbs Loaf Sugar

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 in the last week ended Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	34	10	-
In Kind		5	-
Total	34	15	-

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.	DAVID EDGE			
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON	30	-	-
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
M flarke	On acct of contract of Dunganstown	30	-	-
Do	" Newcastle L.	60	-	-
Do	" Enniscilly	24	7	6
John Saville	" Workhouse	20	-	-

£ 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:—

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]*

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

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

Read Letter dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst from Mr. J. H. Mulhall, Solicitor Wicklow stating that Mr. James Smullen has consulted him with reference to the language of several of the Guardians at the meeting of the Board held on the 21<sup>st</sup> ulto. and asking the Guardians to retract what has been said otherwise his client will take such steps as he may be advised

Order of the Board = justify

Read a petition dated the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst signed by a number of ratepayers in the Ennereilly Electoral Division in reference to a woman named Georgina Bens who they state is in great need of Put Door Relief

The Rtd Constabulary reported the existence of supposed swine fever on the premises of Andrew Byrne Ballyrannie Upper Arklow

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Read Letter from the R I C at Newtown M<sup>r</sup> Kennedy stating that they had been informed that a dog supposed to be mad had bitten a child of M<sup>rs</sup> Nevell's Newcastle and that the dog which is a stranger is still at large

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Read letter from same dated the 21<sup>st</sup> inst stating that the dog reported on the 19<sup>th</sup> inst as still at large was killed by the police that morning & was inspected by M<sup>r</sup> Newsom V S who believed him to be suffering from Rabies

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Read letter from same dated 24 October with reference to above stating that having made careful inquiry about the District that about 10 dogs have been bitten by the dog almost all the dogs bitten are destroyed by their owners there were three children bitten by the same dog

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Read Report dated the 21<sup>st</sup> inst from M<sup>r</sup> Newsom V S stating that on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst he made a post mortem examination on the carcass of a dog which had been destroyed by the Police at M<sup>r</sup> Kennedy and in his opinion the animal was affected with Rabies:-

Proposed by Major Tottenham  
Seconded by M<sup>r</sup> Ellison and seconded

That a muzzling Order of Dogs according to the form issued by the Local Government Board be put in force for six months in the Electoral Divisions of Altadore (along Kilcoole Upper & Lower Newcastle

Passed R.R.D

25.10.95

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Read Letter Dated 25<sup>th</sup> inst from Dr. Leiper Medical Officer of the Workhouse requesting to be furnished with some Drugs outside the contract

Approved R.R.D

= Charles W. W. W.  
Chair

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

<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>	...	...	...

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *R R Drought Esq JP &c*

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*Major Tottenham JP*  
*W. Edward Ellison*

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

*The Clerk*  
*to forward same to the contractors for supply*

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

_____ District	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	£





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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Act, 1861, 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 23<sup>rd</sup> instant  
stating that

requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Wicklow Dispensary District have since complied with the law

Order = The Medical Officer to be requested to furnish this information -

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Read Letter Dated the 21<sup>st</sup> inst from ~~Mr~~ H & W Stanley Solicitors to Lord Langsfort sending to be perfected by the Guardians a lease in duplicate of the site for the erection of Dispensary & Doctors Residence at Arklow

[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

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



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

Read Letter Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant from the Local Government Board forwarding to be laid before the Board of Guardians a communication which they had received from Mr Joseph Smyth relating to the condition of the Wall surrounding three mile water Burial Ground; and requesting to be furnished with the Guardians' observations on the subject -

Order = consideration postponed

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Read Report Dated 25 inst from Mr Murphy SSO stating that he found it necessary in carrying out the order of the Board, to fill & level piggeries on Dilcoole commons to give the sum of £4 for contract of same

Approved RRB

25.10.95

= Charles Tottenham  
1/11/95

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 1<sup>st</sup>  
day of November 1895

Signed, A Manning  
for Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891— 27626

Present Net Annual Value, £ 127967. 8/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1895

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	234													
Temporary Buildings	—														
Additional Workhouse	—	6													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80														
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	669	240													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	49	65	53	8	1	25	5	17	239	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 115	In separate Wards in Wards with other inmates 30	
Admitted during the Week			15	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6		8
TOTAL			31	50	70	53	8	1	25	5	17	260	TOTAL 121	TOTAL 35	
Discharged during the Week - Died			16	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	19			
Total Discharged and Dead			16	—	4	—	8	x	25	5	17	20	No. Relieved during week 13		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	50	66	53	8	1	25	5	17	240	No. in Work-house at date 1		
													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 October 1895, 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.	63	100	David Edge
No. II.	77	116	John Manley
No. III.	177	217	Samuel Johnson
No. IV.	86	142	Laurence Murphy
TOTALS,	403	575	= 615

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

the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1895

PRESENT: In the Chair Colonel G. Tottenham D.R. Chm.

Other Guardians: Richard A. Drought Esq. P.M.C.

Mr. Patrick Padin V.P.

" Law, Wolohan

" John Kavanagh

" Edward Storey

" Mr. Cullen

" J. P. Keane

" O'Merigan

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 761 to No. 799 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

£ 118 : 13

£ 312 : 8 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 923 : 10 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was -	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	39	2	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	46	4	11
And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average Cost in Infirmary		3	6 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	10 1/2
		4	6

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

- 10 10 Loaves Bread
- 270 Galls Newmilk
- 36 " Pottermilk
- 28 lb Butter
- 550 " Meat
- 40 Doz Eggs
- 1/2 " Chickens
- 2 lb Anonroot
- 27 Sheep Heads

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him on the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of October 1885 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money	£	s.	d.
In Kind	39	11	8
		14	0
Total	£	54	8

Credit due Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.	DAVID EDGE	20	-	-
No. II.	JOHN MANLEY			
No. III.	SAMUEL JOHNSON			
No. IV.	LAURENCE MURPHY	20	-	-

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
St. Garland	6	-	-
J Doyle	4	1	-
J Keaf	2	-	-
L Byrne	1	5	-
D <sup>r</sup> Gurtines	16	-	-
Wicklow Star	1	2	6
	3	14	6

*Yours*  
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*part Glenageary*  
*Infan clk to pay*  
*Rt. Hon Dep*  
*n Fees*  
*Postage &c*  
*Advertising*

£ s. d.

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

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

On the report and recommendation of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, a pauper inmate of the Workhouse named James Duffy was ordered to be sent to St Marks Hospital Dublin, for operative 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):—

Res. Circular, Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> October 1895 from the Local Government Board requesting to be furnished with a Return showing the Receipts and Expenditure of the Union during each of the half years ended the 25<sup>th</sup> of March & 25<sup>th</sup> of September 1895, and the number of persons who received relief during the year ended on the latter date.

In reference to the letter of the Local Government Board of the 17<sup>th</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> inst. relative to the Guardians resolution of the 20<sup>th</sup> of September last proposing to grant £50 a year for an Assistant to the Clerk of the Union; the following resolution was proposed by Mr. Wolohan and seconded by Mr. Kavanagh—

Resolved—

That the £50 a year referred

As in the Guardians resolution of the 20<sup>th</sup> of September last was voted to the Clerk of the Union to enable him to make arrangements for the employment of the assistance required by him in the discharge of the several duties attached to his office; But this sum is not to be included in the salaries and emoluments of his office in case he should hereafter at any time apply for a superannuation allowance on his retiring from office.

= Paper  
CJ D  
17/11/95

Charles Tottenham  
8<sup>th</sup>/11/95. Chairman.

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

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

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

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

## RATHDRUM UNION.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on FRIDAY,  
the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November 1895

(SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.)

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

II. PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS:—

*Colonel Tottenham D.L.C.*  
*See page 541*

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

*The Clerk*  
*to forward same to the Contractors for supply.*

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

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

Anamoe

At the ordinary meeting of the Anamoe Dispensary Committee held on the 5<sup>th</sup> ultimo, members present.

Mr. Jas. Murphy P.L.S. Mr. George Byrne P.L.S. Mr. C. Merigan P.L.S. + Mr. Wm. Murphy Hon. Sec.

An application from Dr. Garland for a locum tenens was considered, the Doctor having met with an accident on the 10<sup>th</sup> of September last and which has rendered him unable to do duty for some time, and a substitute having to be called in from date of accident.

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

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

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

District	£
District	£

Prepared by Mr. W. Murphy seconded by Mr. C. Merigan Resolved.

That said substitute be paid remuneration for four weeks at the rate of £2 per week from date of accident.

Passed unanimously  
Wm. Murphy  
Hon. Secy

Approved by the Guardians  
[Signature]

1-11-95

[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 Letter Dated the 30<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, from the Local Government Board, forwarding for the Guardians information a copy of a letter which they have addressed to the Newbridge Dispensary Committee expressing their approval of the appointment of Mrs Mary P. Rourke as Midwife for that District at a Salary of £25 per annum.

Read Letter from the Governors of the Fever Hospital Dated the 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo expressing their astonishment that the Guardians should persist in holding a portion of the Fever Hospital premises as a Dispensary without paying any rent therefor, and informing the Guardians that unless payment is made within the time named in their letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> of August last the Governors will place the matter in a Solicitors hands.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Act 1859 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 28<sup>th</sup> October 1895

Calling the attention of the Guardians to their Letters of the 14<sup>th</sup> Feb and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept, 1894, relative to the proposal to provide a Medical Officers Residence & Dispensary for the Arklow Dispen. Dist. and pointing out that the Board have not yet received the Guardians application for the requisite Certificate under Per. 4 of the Dispen. Houses Act. A fresh form for this purpose accompanied this letter. —

Read Letter from the Hon. Secy of Arklow Dispensary Committee stating that at a meeting of the Committee held on the 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 1895. members present — Mr Edw<sup>d</sup> Ellison P.H. in the Chair D. Howard P. — D. Gardner and Mr Little C.E. also in attendance.

Letter from L.G. Board read sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Ma Carroll as Midwife for the District; also letter relating to services of nurses.

Altered plan of D<sup>o</sup> residence & Dispen. submitted by Mr Little, with hot water service added & approved.

D<sup>o</sup> books examined, Requisition for Medicines signed Midwifery instruments recommended to be replated as less expensive than buying a new set.

[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.:

Mr. Wolohan P.H. objected to the proposed alteration in Plan of D<sup>o</sup> residence being approved by the Guardians until submitted to a special meeting of the Guardians. The matter was therefore referred back to the Guardians for consideration at a meeting specially summoned ~~to be laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:~~ for the purpose. —

Vaccination Defaulters — Anamoe Dist. 2 Defaulters  
Order — Notices to be served on the Defaulters: —

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

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

DISTRICT	Name of Officer	General Subject	PARTICULARS

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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 Sealed Order from Local Government Board, Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> of October 1895, fixing the Area of Charge for the expenses incurred or about to be incurred by the Guardians in connection with the three-mile-water ~~Sanitary~~ Ground

viz. The Electoral Divisions of Dunganstown East  
Dunganstown West  
and Wicklow —  
except such portion or portions of any of the said Electoral Divisions as may be included in an Urban Sanitary District.

Proposed by Mr. Padin & seconded by Mr. MacCullen  
Resolved —

That advertisements be issued for a contractor to execute the works at three-mile-water grave yard according to the specification & plan drawn by Mr. Riddle C.E. and approved by this Board on the 16<sup>th</sup> of Sept. 1895.

Paper CGD  
1-11-95

Proposed by Mr. Cullen seconded by Mr. Storey —  
Resolved —

That James Hughes be employed to keep the key of Rathnew grave yard, and to keep same cleaned up and the gate locked at the sum of £1 a year —

Paper CGD  
1-11-95

= Charles. W. W. W.  
9/11/95. W. W. W.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on FRIDAY, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 1895 123

Signed, [Signature]  
Clerk of the Union.

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