

BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

weekly meeting of the Ennis Board was held on Wednesday, at which annually presided. There were also Messrs F Kerin, J Doohan, M Moloney, and J Conside. The Clerk, with the other officers, were present.

FINANCE.

The Clerk reported a credit balance of £1,360

REFERRED ENNISTYMON INMATES.

The Government Board wrote relative to the proposal to allow a sum of £25 a year and £15 per year to the Master of the Workhouse from Ennistymon. They stated that only four lunatics were referred. They considered that the remuneration proposed to be granted to the Master was excessive for the trifling extra work they might have been expected to perform.

The Clerk suggested that the Local Government might be asked what they meant by work being trifling.

Chairman—Would you accept a reduced sum or would you prefer to ask the Local Government to reconsider their decision?

—As regards the amount of work they are to do, that does not really affect the question whether or not we are entitled to the money it is just as easy to keep the accounts in order.

Chairman—Will we ask them to reconsider or will you suggest a smaller sum?

—If they don't sanction it as it is, we can ask them to suggest a sum after. It is the Board of Guardians will have to pay the money it is the admission of their inmates that is brought about the increased work.

Chairman—It is better perhaps to pin the money on the Board to something, and we can ask afterwards if they don't.

Decided to ask the Local Government to reconsider their decision, or to suggest that should be given by the Guardians for the work.

NO COUNCIL.

There was no meeting of the District Board in the absence of a quorum, though the Clerk put a whip requiring the Councillors to appear on account of an accumulation of arrears of

Messrs Moloney, J Lynch, T Purcell, and J Conside attended.

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FUNERAL OF MRS M NUNAN

The funeral took place on Monday of the late Mrs Mary Nunan, licensed vintner, Carey's Road, for the family burial place at Mungret. The deceased, who had attained a rather advanced age, had been in failing health for some time, and she passed away on Saturday night. The remains were removed to St Michael's parochial church on Sunday, and the cortege to Mungret on Monday was large and representative. It testified to the esteem and respect in which the deceased was held in the city, and the sympathy felt for her family in their affliction.

The chief mourners were—John, Cornelius, Martin, Patrick, David, Joseph, Henry, and Daniel Nunan (sons); Mrs T Brinn (daughter), Timothy and John J Brinn (grandsons), Patrick and Martin Hartigan (brothers), Mrs P Mullins (sister), Patrick Mullins (brother-in-law), Martin, Michael, John, and Patrick Carmody (nephews), and other relatives.

The clergy present were—Rev Fr Dwane, Adm, St Michael's; Rev Fr Carroll, C.C; Rev Fr Treacy, C.C; Rev Fr Hannan, C.C; Rev Canon Kirby, P.P, Patrickswell, Rev Fr Rea, C.C, do.

Canon Kirby officiated at the graveside.



NEWCASTLE WEST U

Mr D Corbett presided, and the other present were—Messrs M Flynn, John Quaid, M O'Connell, M Cussen, P C Brosnahan, J L Curtin, T McEniry, J D O'Brien, P Roche, J Magner, J M Brosnahan, P Buckley, T Liston.

TENANTS IN ARREARS.

A letter was received from Mr Ed Council's solicitor, stating he attended several Petty Sessions in connection against tenants in the Cahir division, second time they were adjourned, only one magistrate present. He asked the Council, to avoid further expenditure bring ejectments for non-payment of these cottiers before the County Court.

Chairman—What action will you take? Clerk—These tenants in the Cahir division paid a halfpenny.

Mr Curtin—That is bad for the other divisions, who have to pay. Are there any tenants there?

The Clerk—There are ten, and these tenants in the whole district who do not pay rent.

Mr J D O'Brien—What do they expect? Surely they don't think they should pay for them.

The Chairman—In case the Court make an attempt to collect the rent, people, it will mean that they will be evicted.

The Clerk—Not alone is it a great rates, but it has done a great deal of deserving labourers, because there were lodged as far back as 1912, and there were 200 applicants, and it would have been through before the war only for the And while these class of tenants are new cottages will be built. He even to pay instalments, but they will pay the current rents.

It was decided to leave the matter of the solicitor and proceed as he thought fit.

MALICIOUS INJURY AWARE.

The Solicitor also wrote for instructions the Council's appeals against the award of Mr Patrick Sheehan, Ardagh, and J O'Brien, Clonmeagh, for malicious injury.

It was decided to proceed with the appeal and withdraw the latter, as it was there was no chance of reducing the

MIDWIVES' SALARIES.

The midwifery nurses of the Union appealed for an increase of salary to £5 which they asserted at the present very reasonable, considering the services to render, and the great reduction in money. They pointed out that rates in Listowel were allowed £52 per year.

It was decided to adjourn the appeal and the new Board was elected.