

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	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0

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).

Minutes of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Acts.

[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. :—

Galway, No. 1,	defaulters.	Oranmore,	defaulters.
do. 2,	do.	Spiddal,	do.
do. 3,	do.	Tourloughmore,	do.
Moycullen,	do.		

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

Estimates of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, 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 reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer in the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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 _____ dated _____
stating that

Meeting adjourned to 22nd inst.

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,629.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to 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	816											TOTAL				
Temporary Buildings	222															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44															
TOTAL	1082															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return													Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In (separate) Wards; In Wards with other inmates		
Admitted during the Week Born													TOTAL	TOTAL		
TOTAL,												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week Died													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead													No. Relieved during week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE													No. in Workhouse at date			
												No. at corresponding period last year, _____				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. V.						
No. III.							No. VI.						
No. IV.													
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, ^{adjourned} at a Meeting held on ^{Friday} WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of August, 1902,

PRESENT: In the Chair—Thomas Grealy Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Mess^{rs} Shawless, M. Redington, M. Crowley, J. F. Egan, J. Hornolly, B. Lydon, and M. Brooke.

Thomas Grealy, Chairman.

^{Adjourned} Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ^{Friday} WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of August, 1902,

(Signed) Robert J. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Galway Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Out-door „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190 _____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of days
				By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.		
Provisions ...								}
Necessaries ...								
Total ...								

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : ...

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : ...

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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 Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190 _____, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY	Relieving Officer McNEILL	Relieving Officer MARTYN	Relieving Officer KYNE	Relieving Officer CULLINAN	TOTAL £ s. d.
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...							
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...							
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...							
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given							
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...							
9. Total ...							

[Form 1 B]

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same, as follows:—

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment						
(b.) Workhouse Farm						
(c.) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Jr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

.....190 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month						
Total						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at this meeting						
Total						
Net Balance due.....Treasurer being difference of above Totals)						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)						
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer						

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

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week ...	...	Admitted during the Week ...	...
Discharged ...	...	Discharged ...	...
Died ...	...	Died ...	...
Remaining ...	...	Remaining ...	...

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

Sarah Cooke, a patient in Hospital, was transferred to Solway Hospital for special treatment on the 31st inst.

Bridget Mee, a wardmaid in the Workhouse, died on the 18th inst.

Order. The issue of advertisement by placard for a wardmaid at a salary of £4 a year with rations (same as before). Applications to be considered at meeting on the 3rd prox.

Please grant me three weeks' vacation. The Schoolmaster and the man who assists in my office will attend to my duties while I am away.

Granted.

The Clerk applied for, and was granted a fortnight's vacation. His assistant to attend to the duties of his office during his absence.

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):—

40832/02, }
31st July } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Mary Flaherty as Wardmaid in the Workhouse Fever Hospital; and, stating that the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of seven shillings a week, with rations, to this woman for her services has received the sanction of the Board.

93/m/02, }
31st July } Transmitting forms for a return of persons who had been nurses, and who are at present on receipt of either indoor or outdoor relief.
Nil Return furnished

38564/02, }
5th Aug. } Adverting to previous correspondence relative to the salary of the Matron of the

Workhouse, and pointing out that in the replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Sister M. B. Skerrett to that office the amount of salary is stated to be £50 a year without rations and has been stated to be so in each annual return of officers since her appointment, (Sept. 1891) up to the present. Requesting to be furnished with an explanation as to why they were not informed of the amount of the salary that was actually being paid to the Matron.

Explanation furnished on the 7th inst.

40,000/02 } Forwarding a copy of the Report of the Auditor
7th Augt. } on his audit of the Guardians' accounts for the half-year ended 31st March last, with attested Abstracts of the Accounts.

"I have examined the Accounts and found them to agree and be correct.

"I find that at the close of the half-year under

"audit there was a sum of £59-18-5 due

"from pay patients on the Separate Register

"(of which 30-19-6 was due from the previous

"half year) at the time of my audit £39-13-3

"of this had been received, leaving £20-5-2

"still outstanding, and I would recommend

"that steps be taken by the Guardians for the

"recovery of this amount.

"I enclose Abstracts duly certified.

(Signed) G. Wynne, Auditor.

20-7-'02.

The Guardians considered it necessary to strike off the sum of £20-5-2 - above referred to - as unrecoverable.

42445/02. } Stating that the Board have had before them
11th Augt. } the Minutes of the 30th mtg. containing an entry of a report from the Workhouse Master in compliance with the request contained in Board letter of the 28th mtg. relative to the admission of a man named John Cum-reen to the Workhouse and to his employment in the Boys' School; and the Board desire to inform the Guardians that the Master's report in this case does not explain why this man was put on hospital diet. The Board request that the Guardians will obtain a report from Dr. Waters on the subject.

Dr. Waters' Report.

"Mr. Toole, Schoolmaster, came to see (on a day while doing duty) to the Surgery of the Hospital with a card saying that he had procured an assistant for his school and wished to have him dieted by me which he said was necessary. I then dieted him on the understanding that he would be put on the ordinary diet of the house but not on Hospital diet as I had never seen him or attended him as a patient in Dr. Lyden's wards. If my dieting this man was intended for Hospital diet it would be a mistake, and singular my attention was never called to it afterwards, or up to the time that I ceased to do duty there."

107/m/02. } Enclosing a form for a return of the number
14th Augt. } of Roman Catholic and Protestant children boarded out by the Guardians, including those

those in Public Institutions.
Return furnished on 16th inst.

6th Aug. '02. From Mr. J. J. Nester, Gate Porter of the Fever Hospital, submitting the name of Mr. Jas. J. Laine, Upper Dominick St. Galway, as one of his saxes in room of Mr. Dominick Burke, deceased.
Approved.

12th Aug. '02. From Mr. J. Behan, Coal Contractor, respecting the relative value of Whitehaven and Scotch Coal as supplied to the Workhouse.
Referred to the Coal Consumption Committee.

18th Aug. '02. From the Clerk to the Galway Hospital, forwarding a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Management of the Hospital as follows:—
"That we would desire to bring under the notice
" of each Board of Guardians in the County the
" non-attendance of several of the members
" nominated by the Board of Guardians on the
" Hospital Board. In fact, out of the 49 members
" of the Board it frequently happens that not
" even a quorum (5) attend. This is a serious
" state of things as far as the Hospital is con-
" -cerned. A most important meeting of the
" Board will take place in September to con-
" -sider a report of the Medical Staff relative
" to the training of Nurses in the Hospital, and
" we would earnestly request the several
" Boards of Guardians to get their members
" to attend."

Order - The representatives from this Union to be

requested to attend the meeting referred to.

20th Aug. '02. From Mr. P. O'Sullivan, Inspector under the Infant Life Protection Act for the Galway District, furnishing Monthly Report. No infringement of the Law in the District.

20th Aug. '02. From Miss K. Carless, Workhouse Hospital Nurse, applying for a fortnight's vacation, stating that she took the liberty of leaving off duty on the 18th inst. but left Miss O'Reilly, a trained nurse, to act as her substitute. That she will remunerate Miss O'Reilly for her services.
Granted.

20th Aug. '02. From Miss M. Brighton, Workhouse Midwife, applying for a month's vacation, stating that she has had no holidays for nearly 3 years, and feels much in need of a rest.
Granted.

Order - The Midwife of the Galway (182) Dispensary District to be asked to act as substitute in the event of her services being requisitioned by the Workhouse Medical Officers.

Notice of Motion.

"I give notice that at the Weekly Meeting of the Board of Guardians on the 27th inst., I will move the co-opting of Mr. John Naughton of Cross St. Galway, in room of Mr. Thomas McDonogh, &c. deceased."

22-8-'02. Signed "John Cornolly".

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	...	...	41
Ditto disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	0

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).

Minutes of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Acts.

[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. :-

Galway, No. 1,	defaulters.	Oranmore,	defaulters.
do. 2,	do.	Spiddal,	do.
do. 3,	do.	Tourloughmore,	do.
Moycullen,	do.		

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

Estimates of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :-

Spiddal - A truss for a right Inguinal Hernia, 38" Ordered,

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 reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer in the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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 L.G.B. No 42446/02, dated 7th August, stating that

adverting to an entry in the Minutes of the 30th ult., and requesting that the Relieving Officer may be called upon for a report at the end of a month in regard to the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the Galway No 2 Dispensary District.

Order such report to be called for.

42446/02, } Referring to Minutes of the 30th ult. and stating
7th Aug. } that the Board approve of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Galway No 2 Dispensary District during his absence for the periods specified.

43531/02, } Informing the Guardians that they have had
11th Aug. } before them the Medical Officers Returns, Form L, relating to the several Dispensary Districts of the Union for the Quarter ended 30th June last. As regards the state of Vaccination in the Union which formed the subject of previous correspondence, the Board observe that the number of defaulters is still large.

The Board trust that the Guardians will press forward vaccination during the present favourable season, and that they will take every means in their power to compel the defaulters to comply with the law. Suggesting that placards be posted throughout the District clearly intimating that defaulters who have already been noticed will be prosecuted without further

delay if they do not at once present their children for vaccination.

Order this suggestion to be acted upon.

43531/02, } Forwarding an extract ~~an extract~~ from the
19th Aug. } Return Form L, furnished by the Medical Officer of the Craunmore Dispensary District for the Quarter ended 30th June last, as follows:—

The Water closet attached to this Dispensary and Residence is still most insanitary and dangerous to Public Health, there being no water to flush it especially in the summer months. A good supply of water can be had from the river 20 yards off, but the Guardians refuse to lay down a lead pipe. There were two cases of Typhoid fever in this house some time since resulting in one death. The Board request that they may be furnished with the Guardians' observations on the subject.

The Guardians beg to state once again for the information of the Local Government Board, that the Dispensary and Residence are new buildings erected originally at a cost of £500. Up to the present the alterations and improvements have added one £400 to this amount. The Guardians are determined not to expend any more money on improvements.

Moved by Mr D. Connolly, seconded by Mr Pawlek and unanimously

Resolved - That Mr Kirwan be informed that if he be dissatisfied with the Dispensary Residence the Guardians are quite willing to allow him to reside elsewhere, as they are of opinion

opinion they can readily set the house to another person.

6th Aug: 02. Notice from Sir A. Macbullaugh, L.S. Medical Inspector, that he will hold an inquiry on oath directed by the L.S. Board into charges preferred against Dr. Glynn, on the 14th inst. in the Dispensary at Loughagh. He clerk reported having given notice to each Guardian of the Union.

The Analyst furnished reports on samples of drugs received from the Workhouse and the Galway (1 & 2) and Moykullen Dispensary Districts.

Original reports accompany the copy of Minutes to the L.S. Board, and copies have been furnished to the Medical Officers concerned.

Report Form H, Galway (1 & 2) Dispensary District, 27 cases of successful vaccination between the dates 7-2-02, and 7-7-02.

J. Cannon Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of August, 1902.

(Signed) Robt. J. Mellersy Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,629.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1902.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, 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.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1902, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 19 Vic. c. 31, s. 1), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

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

the 27th day of August 1902.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Patrick Cannon Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Lord Killanin, Messrs—J. Bunniffe, J. Hession, M. King, J. O'Donohoe, S. Fahy, A. Kane, P. Delaney, M. Cunningham, M. Redington, J. Leonard, M. Browley, D.K. Lydon, J. F. Egan, J. J. Connolly, J. B. Macdonnell, J. Gealy, M. J. Cooke, E. J. Burke, P. Curran, W. Sturney, M. McNeill, T. Naughton.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Galway Union.

Meeting held the 27th day of August 1902.

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1134 to No. 1170
 Separate „ No. 60 to No. 61
 Out-door „ No. 797 to No. 800

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1902, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week		Received during the week		Total			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week		Collective No. of days					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total		£	s.	d.		
Provisions	30	19	3	58	27	89	110	54	7	8	573	8	60	14	29	0	6	
Necessaries	8	0	5	4	6	12	6	11	5	6	139	6	0	1	6	6	10	2321
Total	38	19	8	62	9	101	8	9	59	14	6	75	66	15	35	7	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 3:7
 Average Cost in Infirmary - : 5:3½
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital - : 7:9

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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 Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1902, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY	Relieving Officer McNEILL	Relieving Officer MARTYN	Relieving Officer KYNE	Relieving Officer CULLINAN	TOTAL
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16 7 1	24 9 3	0 7 14	17 0	14 6	7 18 2	45 2 1
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16 7 1	24 9 3	0 7 14	17 0	14 6	7 18 2	45 2 1
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	8 6 0	1 9 6	1 0 6	3 9 0	7 6	2 13 6	17 6 0
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	7 0						7 0
7. Total Relief given	8 13 0	1 9 6	1 0 6	3 9 0	7 6	2 13 6	17 13 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7 14 1	15 3	2 0 1	11 8 0	7 0	5 4 8	27 9 1
9. Total	16 7 1	24 9 3	0 7 14	17 0	14 6	7 18 2	45 2 1

[Form 1 B]

FINANCIAL MINUTES.
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same, as follows:—

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Lodgments						
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief						
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce						
Cr. Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows:—

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries						
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment						
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment						
(b.) Workhouse Farm						
(c.) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses						
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

.....190 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month						
Total						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at this meeting						
Total						
Net Balance due.....Treasurer being difference of above Totals)						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)						
Net Balance as above due.....Treasurer						

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

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.				FEVER HOSPITAL.			
Admitted during the Week	...	...	19	Admitted during the Week	...	...	4
Discharged	...	...	9	Discharged	...	...	0
Died	...	...	0	Died	...	...	0
Remaining	...	...	93	Remaining	...	...	7

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

It would be well to invite tenders for a plot of meadow on the Workhouse Farm.
Ordered. Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight.

Dr. Bolahan, Workhouse Medical officer, applied for one month's leave of absence. Stating that Dr. Sandys will do duty for him during his absence.
Granted.

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):—

25th Aug. 02. From the Clerk of Mountmelick Union, forwarding a copy of a resolution adopted by the Guardians of that Union as follows:—

That we are of opinion that the suggested conference between the representatives of Landlords and Tenants, regarding a final settlement of the land question would be conducive of good results, and worthy of our support.

Adopted.

26th Aug. 02. From Mrs. O'Hara, Lenaboy, thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of sympathy and condolence with her in her bereavement.

27th Aug. 02. From Mr. Sinns, B.C. also thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of sympathy with him and family in their bereavement.

27th Aug. 02. From Bridget Sweeney, Workhouse Wardsmaid, applying for leave of absence for some time, that she will arrange for a substitute during her absence.

Granted.

In accordance with notice given for this date Mr. J. J. Connolly moved - that Mr. John Naughton of Cross St., Galway, be co-opted a member of the Board in room of the late Mr. Thomas McDonogh.

The motion was seconded by Mr. J. O'Donohue and carried unanimously. *Mr. Naughton, who was in attendance, signed the declaration of acceptance of office.*

Order - A special meeting to be summoned to meet at the Board Room at 12 o'clock on Monday week, 8th prox. to revise the list of persons in receipt of out door relief in the Galway District.

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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	...	...	42
Ditto disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	2
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	0
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	0

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).

Minutes of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68),
Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Acts.

[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. :—

Galway, No. 1,	defaulters.	Oranmore,	defaulters.
do. 2,	do.	Spiddal,	do.
do. 3,	do.	Tourloughmore,	do.
Moycullen,	do.		

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

Estimates of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, 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 reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer in the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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 *Dr. Kirwan*, ^{U.O. of Oranmore D.D.} dated *27th Augt 1902*
stating that

applying for a month's leave of absence, and stating that *Dr. Dandys* will do duty for him during his absence.

Consideration deferred to this day week.

27th Aug. 02. Application from the caretaker of the Galway Dispensary for the usual supply of Lamp oil, & firewood, 1 sweeping brush, 1 bucket, 1 lock & 1 broom.

Ordered.

The Analyst furnished a report on a sample of medicine received from the Spiddal Dispensary District.

Original report accompanies the copy of minutes to the L. G. Board, and a copy has been furnished to the Medical Officer.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,629.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 1902

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to 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 8 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	816	296															
Temporary Buildings ..	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	7															
TOTAL	1082	333															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			3	21	105	128	20	6	24	9	17	333	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 88	In separate Wards } 8			
Admitted during the Week Born			5		15	5	2	1			1	29	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 7	In Wards with other inmates } 1			
TOTAL			8	21	120	133	22	7	24	9	18	362	TOTAL	95	TOTAL	8	
Discharged during the Week Died			7	2	11	6	1	1			1	29	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Dead			7	2	11	6	1	1			1	29	No. Relieved during week	8	3	1	12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	19	109	127	21	6	24	8	18	333	No. in Workhouse at date	1			1
																	No. at corresponding period last year, 312

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of August 1902, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	127	198			127	198	Bt. forward	194	287			194	287
No. II.	20	26			20	26	No. V.	6	8			6	8
No. III.	13	18			13	18	No. VI.	30	40			30	40
No. IV.	34	45			34	45							
Car. forwd.	194	287			194	287	TOTAL	230	335			230	335

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of September 1902.

PRESENT: In the Chair— M. Cunningham Esq. S.V.B.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs J. Cunniffe, J. Hession, J. Wickey, J. Bassenerly, M. Redington, M. Browley, J. J. Connolly, J. Naughton, J. Lydon, E. J. Burke, J. Walsh, M. Grealish, M. McNeill and W. Keane.

M. Cunningham

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of September 1902

(Signed) John Brennan
acting Clerk of the Union.

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Galway Union.

Meeting held the 3rd day of Sept 1902

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk.

Indoor, from No. 1171 to No. 1190
 Separate „ No. 62 to No. 67
 Out-door „ No. 801 to No. 804

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

The following Books were submitted 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 Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 1902, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week		Received during the week		Total			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week		Collective No. of days							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	29	0	6	65	7	10	94	84	56	18	7	5	11	8	62	10	3	31	18	1
Necessaries	6	6	10	6	2	12	9	0	5	14	6	13	9	6	8	3	6	0	9	
Total	35	7	4	71	10	0	106	17	4	62	13	16	5	5	68	18	6	37	18	10

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3:83/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5:4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 8:0

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

1. The Clothing Materials and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Out-door Relief Order Book.
7. The Medical Weekly Return.
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
9. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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 Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 1902, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY	Relieving Officer McNEILL	Relieving Officer MARTYN	Relieving Officer KYNE	Relieving Officer CULLINAN	TOTAL
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	714 1	153 2	0 1 11	8 0	7 0	548	2791
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	1500	500			500		2500
3. Total to be accounted for ...	2214 1	5153	201	1180	570	548	5291
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	890	196	106	3116	76	2136	17116
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility						130	130
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...						40	40
7. Total Relief given	8130	226	106	3116	76	2136	1886
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	1411	3129	197	7166	4196	2112	3407
9. Total	2214 1	5153	201	1180	570	548	5291