

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer, and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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:—

Galway County

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Joint Rural District Council

The first meeting of the Rural District Council of Galway was held in the Boardroom of the Workhouse this 15th April 1899.

Mr. J. Milne was appointed Chairman of the meeting.

The other members present were:—
Messrs. Mr. Lally, Mr. Minogue, Jas. Joyce, Mr. Coen, Edw. Hallinan, Thos. Deely, Wm. Kinsgrave, Mr. Burke, Thos. Clifton, Mr. Grady, Mr. O'Donnell, Mr. Fallon, Thos. Neill, John Dunn, John O'Dea, Thos. Sweeney, Thos. O'Connor, Thos. Nolan, Patsy Nelly, Mr. Dammian, Mr. Feeney, Jas. Quinn, Andrew Larkin, Mr. Keely, Wm. Carr, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Conolly, Pat. Linn, Pat. Hayes, Mr. Moylan, Mr. Donohoe, Mr. Hynes, Thos. Prendergast, Mr. Burke, Mr. Keane, Mr. Hanfield.

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

All the members having made a declaration accepting office the Council proceeded to co-opt members.

Resolved— That the following qualified late Ex-officio Guardians be co-opted members of the District Council and Board of Guardians:—

Messrs. J. D. Daly, J. B. Schiff, and J. O'Keefe Murray.

Resolved— That the following be co-opted as additional members of the Rural District Council and Board of Guardians:—

Messrs. Jas. O'Donnell, Jas. Noone, and Thos. Corless.

Messrs. O'Donnell and Noone having made declarations accepting office, took their seats.

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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:—

Proposed by Mr. Tho. Sweeney.

Seconded by Mr. Jas. Keane and
Unanimously Resolved:—

"That Mr. Patrick J. Nolan be
elected Chairman of the Rural District
Council"

Mr. Nolan ~~then~~ made a declaration of
acceptance of the Office of Chairman

Proposed by Mr. Pat Hayes

Seconded by Mr. M. Mitchell and
Unanimously Resolved:—

That Mr. Patrick Kelly be elected
Vice Chairman of the District Council.

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):—

Resolved — That application be made
to the County Council for an
advance of £1000 pending the
provision of funds in the prescribed
manner.

Resolved — That we the members of
the Gort District Council, at this our
first meeting elected under the extended
franchise, declare our unalterable
devotion to the cause of National Self
government for Ireland, and while we intend to
utilise the Local Govt. to the best of our ability
by no means consider it a substitute for Home Rule
and are determined to use every legitimate means in
our power to secure that National Self government
Proposed by Mr. Pat Hayes.

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Gort Board of Guardians

The first meeting of the Board of Guardians
was held this 15th April 1899 when
the following members attended
(See page 623)

Proposed by Mr. O'Connor

Seconded by Mr. Kelly and

Resolved —

That Mr. John Quinn be
elected Chairman

Proposed by Mr. J. Quinn

Seconded by Mr. Jas. Keane and

Resolved —

That Mr. Tho. Sweeney
be elected Vice Chairman.

Proposed by Mr. J. Quinn

Seconded by Mr. W. Carr and

Resolved —

That Mr. James Keane
be elected Deputy Vice Chairman.

Resolved — "That the next meeting
of the Board of Guardians be held
on Saturday next (the ordinary day
of meeting) and that the subsequent
meetings be held on every alternate
Saturday as heretofore"

The Board then adjourned without
transacting any other business.

Prepared by Mr Hayes
 Secured by Mr Mitchell and
 Resolved — That as the York Rural
 District Council express a hope that
 the Commission on National Education
 at present sitting will not separate
 without making a due provision for
 the teaching of the Irish Language in
 the National Schools now very
 inadequately provided for

Wm. Quinn

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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 22nd 1899

day of April 1899

(Signed) [Signature]
 Clerk of the Union

Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68). Vaccination Acts, and
 Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
 a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 18

PRESENT—In the Chair,
 OTHER GUARDIANS,

An Estimate of 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:

Population in 1881— 14201

Gort UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017.10

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of *April* 1899

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 8 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Inmate 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	729	140												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	67	6												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	780	146												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	26	37	39	22	7	4	4	137	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 46 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6	In separate Wards with other inmates 3	
Admitted during the Week			22	1	3	4					30	TOTAL, 52	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL,			38	27	40	43	22	7	4	4	167			
Discharged during the Week			15	1	4	1					20			
Died						1					1			
Total Discharged and Dead			15	1	4	1					21			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	26	36	42	22	7	4	4	146	No. at corresponding period last year, 163		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of *April* 1899 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.	130	199			130	199	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	130	199			130	199

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the 22nd day of *April* 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr. John Lewis*.

Other Guardians:—
Mr. The Lally, Mr. Minogue, J. Joyce, E. Hallinan, Thos. Deely, Mr. Krougrace, Mr. Bunt, Clayton, Mr. Grady, Mr. O'Donnell, Mr. Dillon, J. O'Neill, J. Keane, J. Sweeney, J. Nolan, P. Nelly, Mr. Fanning, J. Kelly, O. Larkin, W. Carr, Mr. Mitchell, P. Quinn, Mr. Connolly, J. Hayes, Mr. Magan, Mr. O'Donoghue, J. Bunt, Mr. Mansfield, J. Horan, J. Moore, L. O'Donnell, J. W. Brady, Murray J. P. J. O'Leary J. P., and J. O'Daly J. P.

Next Meeting to be held on *Saturday* the 22nd day of *April* 1899

Signed, *[Signature]*
 Executive/Sanitary Officer.

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

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 -	£ 31 : 2 : 3
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	29 : 2 : 5
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	: 4 : 8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	: 5 : 0 ³ / 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:—

968 lbs to Bread
 128 " Meat
 122 1/2 p. full Milk
 300 Eggs
 640 oz Wine
 2 - 1/2 Bar. Porter
 112 lbs Biscuits
 33 3/4 St. Potatoes
 12 lbs Bk Bread
 4 Tons Coal
 5 lbs Tobacco

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the _____ 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	£		

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		By Order on Contractors		Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Carried forward,						TOTAL,					

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

R. E. Burke	ODR	£ 20	s. d.
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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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 letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 20th inst stating with reference to the proposal to appoint Miss Kate Brennan as Wardsmaid in the Fever Hospital, that from the replies furnished to their inquiries they regret they cannot approve of her appointment.

Ordered— Advertise for Wardsmaid for this day fortnight on previous conditions

From same ^{30th} 25th ulto stating with reference to the Guardians resolution of 25th ulto that they are unable to vary the rule as to the qualifications for Trained Nurses Existing Workhouse Nurses might be granted leave of absence with a view to becoming qualified "Read"

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 same dated 6th inst forwarding copy of Article 19 of the Transitory Provisions (No 2) Order in Council which deals with matters relating to the discharges of the liabilities of the various Electoral Divisions referred to in the Guardians Resolution of 25th ulto. Read

Ordered— That each Collector furnish a full list (by Electoral Divisions) of the persons owing Poor & Seed Rates.

The lists to be printed and furnished to each Guardian as soon as possible

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Letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 17th inst forwarding a communication received from an inmate of the Workhouse named M. Kearney, and requesting the Guardians will obtain a report on the subject from the Medical Officer & forward it to them together with their observations.

The Medical Officer furnished his report which the Clerk was directed to send to the Local Gov^t Board and to state that the Guardians are fully satisfied with it.

An inmate named Mich^l Kearney was allowed a pair of boots (not to exceed 5/-) to enable him to leave the House.

On Dr. Foley's recommendation Mr. Murg. O'Donnell of Hollymount was ordered to be sent to Galway Hospital for treatment. The Master ~~has~~ to allow her 10/- for expenses out of any Petty Cash he has on hand.

The Master was also directed to pay £1 on acc of car hire to John Mulken.

Ordered— Master to provide necessary benches (same as pattern) to provide accommodation in the Board room
Tenders for this day fortnight.

Ordered— That 29 yards of flannel be purchased from Cath Kelly @ 7/6 per yard

Resolved— We hereby confirm our resolution of 9th April 1898 appointing Messrs. Brady, Murray, Pat. Corbett, Jas. Joyce & Col. L. Blava as members of the Board of Management of Galway Hospital.

Letter from Local Govt Board dated 30th ulto requesting the Guardians to obtain fuller reports from the Master and the Attendant John Kennedy, as to the assault upon the boy Pat Lyons referred to on 25th ulto.

The reports were submitted and ordered to be sent to the Local Govt Board

The Guardians do not think any blame should be attached to the Wardsmaster under the circumstances.

Ordered— The Clerk to attend at Ardara on the 1st May to obtain possession of the field which he holds from the Guardians and then hand over possession of same to Dr. Foley.

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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____

day of _____ 189

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68). Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 18

PRESENT—In the Chair, OTHER GUARDIANS,

The following were unanimously appointed Wardens.

Patrick Moran, Hean's Pound

Shady Burke, Lavally

All Clergymen in the Union

An Estimate of 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 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 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, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 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.:

Ardraban	58	Defunctors
Gort	39	do

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

Usual notice to be issued by book by Mr. John Gormally at 7/6^d for both lists.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 18

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

Gort Rural District Council

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

Minutes of Proceedings of the ~~Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts,~~ *District Council* at a Meeting held on Saturday the 22nd day of April 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS—

See members present at Guardians meeting.

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Ardraban	D. Foley	Mussines in yards at	
		Mr. Hays	Mr. O'Donnell and
		Mr. Frangle, Peterwell.	
		owing to want of proper	
		drainage.	
		Ordered Referred to Mr. Perse C.E for his	
		report as to what should be done.	
Ardraban	D. Foley	made 7 Reports as to mussines	
		in various parts of his district, but stated	
		verbally they had since been abated.	

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

D. Moran reported that pigs as allowed in the dwellinghouses of Pat Kennedy and Mrs. Chamberlaine both of George St Gort and S. S. O'Hardiman was directed to require immediate removal or summon the occupiers to next Petty Sessions.

Resolved - That a Committee be appointed to fix the salary to be attached to the office of Clerk of the District Council as recommended by the Local Gov^t Board.

That they be requested to consider the whole matter of the Clerks salary as Clerk of the Union and Clerk of the Council, having regard to the requirements of, and the changes necessitated by the Local Gov^t Act.

The Committee to consist of the following:-
 Messrs John Quin Martin J Burke, M Mitchell,
 Jas Nelly, Michael Connolly, Pat Hayes,
 Jas Keane, J W Brady Murray J P, Jas Joyce,
 J B Lahiff J P, Messrs Donohoe & M P Horless.

Read Sealed Order of the Local Gov^t Board dated 14th inst prescribing that High Constables and Poor Rate Collectors shall notify their willingness to serve under the County Council at any time on or before the 13th May 1899.

Mrs Bond Walsh, The Square, Gort, wrote complaining of the condition of her house owing to defects in the roof.

Order - This matter cannot be dealt with by the Council.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 6th

day of May 1899

(Signed)

J. P.
 Clerk of the Union Council

Resolved - That the existing service of trains from Dublin fails to meet the wants of the West of Ireland and especially of this District, owing to the fact that there is no train service from the Broadstone between the hours of 9.15 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. and that for stations in the line from Athenry to Ennis the only available train is the 7 a.m. Mail Train.

It appears to us that a mid-day service would be of great value to the West of Ireland as it would enable travellers to receive their letters and transact their business before leaving Dublin, and still reach their destinations at a reasonable hour while at the same time giving increased facilities to tourists.

And we believe this could be supplied without difficulty if the present 11.50 a.m. train from Dublin to Streamstown were made a through train to Galway.

And we further request the Waterford Limerick & Western Railway to give a connection from Athenry with the 9.15 a.m. train from Dublin which can be done by putting back the train now leaving Athenry at 12.40 p.m. by 35 minutes.

And that copies of this resolution be sent to the secretaries of the Midland Great Western & Waterford and Limerick Railways, to the Galway and Clare Councils, and to the other District Councils and Unions of this County."

Proposed by Mr James W. Brady Murray J P.
 Seconded by Mr Martin J. Burke

Population in 1881— 14201

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017.10.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 1899

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	729	142												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..	51	6												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	780	148												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	27	37	40	2	2	7	5	4	146	47	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			26	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	6	In Wards with other inmates
TOTAL			48	32	39	41	3	2	8	6	5	184	53	TOTAL
Discharged during the Week			29	3	1				2			35		
Died											1	1		
Total Discharged and Dead			29	3	1				2		1	36		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	29	38	41	3	2	6	6	4	148		
												No. at corresponding period last year, 159		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of April 1899 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.	134	229			134	229	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	134	229			134	229

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 6th day of May 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr Kilan + Mr Quinn

Other Guardians:—

- Messrs J. Lally, M. Monogue, J. Joyce, J. Coen, E. Hallinan, J. Deely, M. J. Burke, M. Rosengrove
- J. Clayton, M. Brady, M. O'Donnell, M. Fallon, M. S. Taylor, J. O'Neill, J. O'Sea, J. Sweeney, J. Connor,
- J. Nolan, P. Kelly, M. Tannian, J. Quinn, M. Jerey, A. Darkin, J. Keely, M. Barr, M. Mitchell
- M. C. Connolly, J. Quinn, P. Hayes, M. Moylan, M. O'Donohue, M. Hynes, J. Tredegarast, J. Burke
- M. Cantfield, J. Keane, J. B. Lahiff, J. B. J. D. Daly, J. B. L. O'Donnell, J. Keane + J. P. Keless

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 1899

Signed _____ Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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.

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 general 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	£		

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		By Order on Contractors		Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Carried forward,						TOTAL,					

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:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

D. Dulle's Petty Cash 20 . . .
 Mrs. Hardeman ODR 10 . . .

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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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:—

Letter from Local Govt Board dated 2nd inst stating that they cannot regard the Wardenmaster Kennedy's explanation relative to the assault committed on the boy Lyons as satisfactory and they are entering an unfavourable record of the incident in their books
"Read"

From same dated 2nd inst stating with reference to the complaint preferred against the Medical Officer of the Workhouse by a man named Michael Kearney that they would further inquire into the matter only that the complainant has left the Workhouse
"Read"

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):—

Ordered— The Relieving Officers to supply, by Electoral Divisions, the names of persons in receipt of out door relief.

Mr Hayes gave notice that on next Board day he will call the attention of the Guardians to the number of inmates in the Workhouse, their age, classification and other matters and move a resolution thereon with a view of curtailing expenditure.

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Proposed by Mr. John Quinn, seconded by Mr. Shaw Taylor
Resolved— That as there are many districts in this Union congested and overpopulated and the people in these districts are in dire poverty and distress we are of opinion that it would be most desirable and advantageous to the people to have the York Union district scheduled under the Congested Districts Board and we call upon the Government to affect such alterations in the law as would enable our Union and other districts similarly situated to be brought under that Act

That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Chief Secretary and our Parliamentary representatives.

Resolutions of the Guardians of North & South Dublin & Bandon Unions were submitted and adopted.

There were two tenders for providing benches in the Boardroom ~~and~~ neither of which was accepted and the Clerk was directed to advertise again, the material to be white deal.

Ordered— Advertise for 150 yards of material for petticoats

There was one applicant for the position of assistant in the Fever Hospital - Miss Kate Broderick - who was not appointed and the Clerk was directed to re-advertise.

The Clerk submitted an estimate of the sum required by the Guardians for the service of the financial year ending 31st March 1900 amounting to £4,965 which was reduced to £4,805 and a demand for this sum made on the County Council.

The Local Gov^t Board forwarded an Order made by them under the Pauper (Ireland) Act 1898 together with a copy of the Act.

On Dr. Mally's recommendation a patient named John Mulkeni was sent to Galway Hosp.

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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 20th day of May 1899

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Govt Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 6th day of May 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair,
OTHER GUARDIANS,

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Rural 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: and 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 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, £

The Board had under consideration the Local Govt Board's Circular of 8th March with reference to new Dispensary Rules.

It was verbally agreed between the Medical Officers and the Guardians that the charge for attendance upon persons whose circumstances would not admit of their paying the Doctor's usual fee should be 5/- a visit and (in case of need) two visits to be paid for 5/-

The fee to be paid by the Guardians An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18 _____, 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18 _____

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

the Medical Officer is to the Medical Officer's substitute when, on sick leave or annual vacation was fixed at £3:3:0 per week.

By a majority of 20 votes to 13 the fee for extra professional assistance and the employment of temporary Medical Officers was fixed at £1:1:0 per case. The Medical Officers did not consent to this fee.

A Committee of 5 Guardians for each District to be appointed at next meeting to examine the Medical Officers Books & records

The question of appointing an Analyst was postponed. The Medical Officers to fix up Minute Books

[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 vacancy 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 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr _____ of _____

Letter from Local Govt Board dated 28th ulto requesting that their letter of 4th Feb. last relative to Sir Archibald MacCullagh's report may be again considered. Ordered—

The Guardians are not at present prepared to meet the expense of a Midwife's salary in Gort District.

Request Mr Hyner to provide a fireplace, or stove, and have a fire regularly kept in damp weather in Kinnaird Dispensary. Wrote 10 May 99

Mr Hyner gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that the question of providing a residence for the Medical Officer of Kinnaird District be considered.

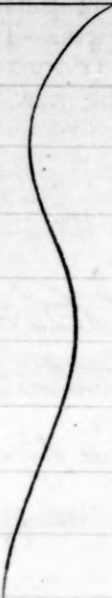
The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The Clerk reported that on the 1st inst, in compliance with the Guardians directions, he attended at Ardaraun and obtained possession from Mr. James Joyce of the field adjoining the Dispensary Residence which he then handed over to Dr. C. H. Foley

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 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, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 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.:

Knivarra - 36 defaulters

Mr. Gormally, to serve usual notice by post card @ 5/-

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

John Quinn

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

20th day of May 1899

(Signed), Angus Burke
Clerk of the Union.

Govt Rural District Council

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

Minutes of Proceedings of the District Council Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary

Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the

6th day of May 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr. J. J. Nilan

OTHER GUARDIANS—

No Guardians present Folio

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<u>Govt</u>	<u>D. Moran</u>	<u>Pigs are permitted in the</u>	<u>houses of Pat Kerins, John Deane</u>
		<u>and Mrs. Curley (now Lane</u>	
		<u>S.S.O. to order immediate removal of Pigs</u>	
<u>Do</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>Dirty state of John Curley's yard</u>	
		<u>(The Square) owing to choking of sewer</u>	
		<u>S.S.O. to give Curley notice to have the sewer</u>	
		<u>and yard cleaned.</u>	
<u>Do</u>	<u>Do</u>	<u>Carcase of dog and donkey in lines</u>	
		<u>Orders - Both have been removed & buried.</u>	

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

D. Nally reported that the wells at Polansh,
Crephane East & West require cleaning.
Orders - S.S.O. to have them cleaned -

Scaled Order of Local Gov^t Board dated 29th ulto certifying that the average expenditure on roads in Gov^t Rural District to be £2,018, the yearly limit of expenditure being £2,522.10:0

"Read"

Scaled Order dated 1st inst regulating the procedure as to declarations of County Councils with respect to Main Roads

The Committee appointed to fix the salary of the Clerk of the Council reported that they unanimously agreed to recommend £40 per annum

Consideration of the report was adjourned for three months if, in the meantime, the Local Gov^t Board do not themselves fix the amount.

The salary in either case to date from the coming into operation of the Act.

The Clerk submitted an estimate of the sum required by the District Council for service of the Financial year ending 31st March 1900 amounting to £800 which was reduced to £684 and a demand for this sum was made on the County Council

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 30th
day of May 1899

(Signed)

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Clerk of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60; and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the
day of 189

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

Read letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 26th ulto stating that a sum of £175.19.8 ^{for another year till 31 March 1899} remains to credit of the Union in the Books of the Paymaster General as their share of £40,000 voted in aid of the liabilities of Board of Guardians under the Labourers Act.

Read.

P. F. Nelson

Population in 1881— 14 201

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1899

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 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 3 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														
Temporary Buildings ..	729	138												
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	7												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	780	145												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	27	40	40	2	2	7	5	3	146	45	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			24	4	14	6	2	2	2	4	3	61	7	In Wards with other inmates
TOTAL,			44	31	54	46	4	4	9	9	6	207	52	TOTAL,
Discharged during the Week - Died			26	5	14	4	2	2	2	4	3	62		
Total Discharged and Dead			26	5	14	4	2	2	2	4	3	62		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	26	40	42	2	2	7	5	3	145		
												No. at corresponding period last year, 161		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of May 1899 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.	134	229			134	229	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	134	229			134	229

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 20th day of May 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John Lunn

Other Guardians:—

- Messrs. J. Kelly, M. Minogue, J. Joyce, J. Coen, J. Deely, W. Rosengrave, M. J. Burke, J. Clayton, M. Gredy, M. O'Donnell, M. Fallon, J. O'Neill, J. Burke, J. Sweeney, J. Honnor, P. J. Milan, J. Nolan, P. Kelly, M. Jannian, M. Feeney, A. Larkin, M. Barr, M. Mitchell, M. J. Connolly, P. Lunn, P. Hayes, M. Moylan, M. Hynes, J. O'Sullivan, M. Caulfield, J. Keane, J. Moore, J. B. Corless, L. O'Donnell, J. O. Daly, J. P. & J. B. Cahiff, J. P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 20th day of May 1899

Signed, _____ Executive Sanitary Officer.

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

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 - £ 30 : 10 : 7
 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 28 : 6 : 1
 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 - £ 4 : 5 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 4 : 10

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

970 lbs. W. Bread
 104 1/2 " Meat
 49 3/4 " Butter
 95 Gals Milk
 395 Eggs
 494 lb Potatoes
 22 lbs B. Bread
 4 " Tobacco
 1/2 " Snuff
 50 cut coal

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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	£

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 :-

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No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Carried forward,						TOTAL,					

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 :-

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

No Finance

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Establishment Account.

8. Timothy Hardiman. O.D.R. 5

9. Richard E. Burke. O.D.R. 10

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 8th inst approving of the proposed appointments of Mary Harle as Wardsmaid of the Infirmary, at a salary of £6 per annum with rations

Miss Katie Broderick ^{again} applied for the position of Fever Hospital Attendant, and, as there was no other candidate, she was appointed on probation subject to the approval of the Local Govt Board and until this is obtained she is not to take office.

Wardmaster Kennedy tendered his resignation which was accepted
Advertisements to be issued for his

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):—

Successor, on same conditions for this day fortnight.

M^r M Sheehan's tender to supply 150 yards of material for petticoats at $\frac{1}{4}\frac{1}{4}$ per yard was accepted.

Martin Lunnane's tender to provide additional seats in the Boardroom according to pattern was accepted at £3.18.0 on conditions a hat rack is also provided. The work to be subject to the Guardians approval and to be completed by the day 3 weeks.

Resolved — That Mr. J. A. Glynn be empowered in his position as Solicitor to the Board of Guardians.

Ordered — That the beef brought before the Board by the Master be kept this time, and that the contractor be requested to supply better in future.

Resolutions of the Claremorris, Middleton, Ballinacree, and Mohill Guardians were submitted and approved.

Ordered — That John Galvin be allowed a pair of shoes not to exceed 5/- on leaving the House

That 26 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds flannel be purchased from M^{rs} Anne Curley and 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards from M^{rs} Morrissey @ $\frac{1}{7}$ per yd.

Ordered — That no more flannel be purchased until advertised for

Two children named Peter & John Harle aged respectively 9 & 7 years were sent to nurse with their uncle Mich^l Harle of Drummin at $\frac{3}{4}$ ~~per~~ ^{per} week. The necessary agreement to be signed next Board day.

Ordered — Inform each Guardian that all Committees will be appointed next Board day.

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Ordered — Inform each Guardian that all Committees will be appointed next Board day.

Consideration of Mr Hynes' recommendations relative Classification &c &c of the inmates was adjourned to a future day.

Ordered — That an Official Seal for the Guardians be provided according to pattern approved at cost of 4/9/-

The Wardsman & Wardsmaiden were allowed 2 eggs each instead of a half pound of meat on Fridays and fast days.

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
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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).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 3rd day of June 1899

(Signed) Wm. J. Bush
Clerk of the Union

Gort Union.
Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on Saturday the 30th day of May 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair,
OTHER GUARDIANS,

An Estimate of 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.

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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):

_____ Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18____, 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18____.

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

Galway County

[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 a vacancy 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 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr _____ of _____

Consideration of the Local Govt Board's letter of 16th inst relative to the scale of fees so adopted under the Dispensary Rules was postponed to next meeting.

The question of providing a residence for the Medical Officer of Kinsvara District was adjourned.

Ordered— Ask Sir C. Cameron what are his terms for analysing medicines &c.

The Clerk was directed to state in reply to the Local Govt Board's letters of the 11th and 19th insts that the Vaccination defaulters in Ardaraun and Kinsvara Districts are now coming in for vaccination.

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

Dr. Foley Medical Officer of Ardaraun District was granted leave of absence on urgent business from the 17th to the 24th ^{June} during which Dr. Hally will act for him.

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 were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

D. Moran Medical Officer of Gort District was granted three weeks leave of absence commencing about the 6th or 8th June during which D. Grogan will act as his substitute

The Medical Officer of Araraban District drew attention to the death of the child of Denis Hynes, Lisbrien from suspicious throat disease. The child was dead on his arrival and he was not prepared to say it was

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.:

Case of diphtheria but he recommended the Sanitary Officer to direct to immediately visit the house and see it is completely disinfected and disinfected. The parents consented were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

to bury the child today and not to hold a wake.
Order - "Mr Hardiman to comply with the Doctors recommendations"

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 18

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Gort Rural District Council

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority, under the above mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the

20th day of May 189

PRESENT - In the Chair, Mr P. J. McLean

OTHER GUARDIANS -

See Members present Folio

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Gort	D. Moran	Sewer choked and heap of manure deposited in Miss Fahy's yard Bridge St	
	Ordered -	Notice Miss Fahy to remove manure & open sewer	
Do	Do	Stagnant water in Glynis Lane	
	Ordered -	Occupiers to be notified to put the Lane in a sanitary condition	

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

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UNION.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60; and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the ~~Board of Guardians~~ ^{District Council}, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 20th
day of May 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. P. J. Nilan.

Other Members:—

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Read Sealed Orders dated 9th & 15th insto
with reference to the Compulsory
acquisition of land for the purpose
of widening an old road or making
a new one; and sudden damage
to Public Works

Read letter from C. Surveyor stating
that the next quarterly meeting of
the District Council will be held
on the 15th July.

Proposed by Mr. P. J. Nilan
Seconded by Mr. Jas. Keane and
Resolved:— That Mr. J. A. Glynn
be appointed Solicitor to the
Govt Rural District Council.

Resolved — That our Solicitor be instructed
to oppose all claims for compensation
for criminal injury, which may affect
the Govt Rural District and that our Clerk
be directed to transmit to him all
notices

L. M. Kerrin

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 3rd
day of June 1899

(Signed) Prof. B. B. B.
Clerk of the Union.

Notices of claims served or to be served after same shall have been laid before the District Council.

Proposed by Mr. M. Burke
Seconded by Mr. Nilan and

Resolved - That where possible all roads in the Gort District as recommended by the County Surveyor be cut into sections of one mile limit so as to enable small farmers and labourers who used heretofore to shut off for competition for such to contract for same and thereby conduce to the bettering of their condition.

Resolved - That it is of the utmost importance that the fair held here on the 10th May should be changed to a more suitable day as the present date clashes with the important fair of Tuam which leaves this fair almost without any buyers. This being one of the principal fairs of the year & a fair at which all the farmers of the surrounding districts show their stock it is a great loss to them to have it spoiled by the two fairs clashing.

We respectfully ask those having control of the fair to change it to the 11th; that would enable the buyers to do their business in Tuam and then come up for the fair here.

We

From Sec. 24 May 99

From Mr. Burke 24 May 99

We also consider that the March pig market is very badly managed so at present neither the buyers nor sellers appear to be sure of the proper date. The pigs should be sold on the 16th and the cattle & sheep on the 17th.

If these dates were fixed and no stock allowed to be exhibited on any other dates mistakes would be avoided; and we also ask the traders and all others interested in the matter to cooperate with us in the general improvement of the fairs and markets of this Town and District.
Proposed by Mr. Nilan.

Resolved - That in view of the Agricultural Industries and Technical Instruction Bill introduced by Her Majesty's Government we feel it to be our duty to urge on our County Council the importance of considering at the earliest opportunity what steps they ought to take to promote Technical Instruction throughout the County and so enable us to be prepared to get a fair portion of the annual grant to be obtained by the Bill. Copy of this resolution to be sent to the Chairman of the Council.

Proposed by Mr. John Quinn.

Seconded by Mr. Corless.

Ordered - That an Official Seal of the District Council be provided according to pattern approved at cost of 49/-

From Sec. 24 May 99

7th Sec.
24 July 99

The following notice was given:-
That at the quarterly meeting to be held on the 15th July I will apply that the Road leading from Ballyturn through Gorthacarnane be put in proper repair

(Signed) Michael Minogue

Resolved - We recommend to the County Council that the following should be declared Main Roads:-

- 1) From Raheen Cross to Kiltiernan Cross (known as the Gort to Galway Road)
- 2) From Church Lane through Fernesin on to Bundo Road to Curranue
- 3) From Labane School House to the Cross at Peterwell by Tullyra & Reggclass
- 4) From Lough Contra National School by Bunnahon to the County Bounds
- 5) From Lough Contra Gate to Scariff to the County Bounds.
- 6) From Kilmacduagh to Ararshan through Killamran
- 7) From Houston's (Lough Contra Road) to Crossford through Shanaglish
- 8) From Keane's Pound to Scariff by Cherry Cross to the County bounds
- 9) From Lisatunary Cross to Isserkelly to the bounds of Gort District
- 10) From Ballyturn Falls House by Killaslin to the Scariff Road
- 11) From Ballyturn National National School through Derrynchamane to the Cherry Cross Road.
- 12) From Gort to Crophin by Kilmacduagh and Gorthacarnane

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 3 day of June 1899

Signed: *[Signature]*
Chairman of the Board

Yort UNION.
Population in 1881 - 14201
Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0
STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of May 1899

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 9 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	729	151															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	10															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	780	161															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	27	38	39	3	2	7	6	3	14	7				
Admitted during the Week			15	2	9	3			3	2	1	35	10				
TOTAL			37	29	47	42	3	2	10	8	4	182	24				
Discharged during the Week			11	1	3	1			2			21					
Died																	
Total Discharged and Dead			11	1	3	1			2			21					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			26	28	42	41	2	2	8	8	4	161					
												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards		Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital			
												49		10			
												TOTAL, 59		TOTAL, 14			
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS					
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL		
												No. Relieved during week	20	1	2	23	
												No. in Workhouse at date	9		2	11	
												No. at corresponding period last year, 157					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of May 1899 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.	140	254			140	254	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	140	254			140	254

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3rd day of June 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair - Mr John Lunn
Other Guardians:-
Messrs. M. Minogue, J. Conn, E. Hallinan, J. Deely, M. J. Burke, J. Clayton, M. Grady, M. O'Donnell, M. Fallon, J. O'Neill, P. J. Kilan, J. Nolan, M. Lannan, P. Kelly, M. Feeney, A. Parkin, J. Keely, M. Mitchell, M. Hart, M. B. Connelley, P. Lunn, P. Hayes, M. O'Donohue, M. Agnes, J. Burke, M. Caulfield, J. Keane, S. O'Donnell & Thos. B. Corless

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

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 - £ 24 : 7

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 28 : 9 : 10

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 3 : 4

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 : 1

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:—

960 lbs W. Bread
 136 1/2 " Meat
 91 3/4 Gals Milk
 500 Eggs
 49 1/2 lbs Butter
 12 " B. Bread
 224 " Soap
 5 " Tobacco
 2 Iron Coal

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 ...	£		

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.	By Order on Contractors		Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Carried forward,					TOTAL,				

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:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
D. Dulles Petty Cash	20		
J. H. Hadden O.P.H.	40		
R. E. Burns	20		

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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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 letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 31st ulto declining to sanction the appointment of Miss Kate Broderick to the position of Fever Hospital attendant.

Ordered— "Advertise again and offer a salary of £12 and rations."

From same dated 26th ulto stating that they observe from the Abstracts Nos 4^a & 4^b that the Bonds of the Masters and Porters are not registered.

Ordered— The Guardians do not think it now necessary to have these bonds registered.

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 notification of transfer of £1201:5:0 to the Union Treasurer from the County Fund, this being 1st instalment of demand for year ending 31 March 1900.

Mr. Barth^l Curran applies for the vacant position of Wardman.
Ordered— Appointment postponed to next Board day. Candidates to produce recommendations from the Medical Officer and Nuns in the Hospital if known to them.

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Read letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 25th ulto requesting that the Guardians will appoint members of their body to be members of the Board of Management of Galway Hospital in room of Col. L. Blake and Mr. J. Corbett who have ceased to be Guardians.

Resolved— That Messrs. P. J. Miland^l and John Lunnin be elected members of the Board of Management in addition to Messrs. J. W. Brady, Murray, J. P. and Jas. Joyce two qualified Guardians already appointed.

Letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 27th ulto forwarding a report, of a satisfactory character, from the National School Inspector relative to the Workhouse School.

The following notice ^{of motion} was given:—

That owing to the few children ^{at} present in the Workhouse School we consider it both opportune and desirable to have them boarded out provided suitable persons are found willing to take charge of and send them regularly to school at cost not exceeding their present maintenance in the Home. We also consider that after allowing the Teacher suitable remuneration a saving of over £20 will be effected by closing the School.
(Signed) Michael Hynes.

Resolved - That Mr. J. Armstedt Ray Jr. be appointed Analyst to the Board of Guardians and District Council of York Union at a salary of £10 per annum.

The following Committees were appointed: -

Finance Committee.

Mr. P. J. Nilan, John Quinn, M. J. Burke, M. Hynes, J. W. Brady Murray, M. Connolly, Thos. Corless, P. Hayes, Jas. Keane, Mick O'Donohoe, Thos. Coen, Jas. Joyce, Thos. Nolan, John O'Dea, John Burke, and Pat. Nelly. (16)

Visiting Committee

Mr. P. J. Nilan, John Quinn, M. J. Burke, W. S. Taylor, M. Connolly, Thos. Corless, Pat. Hayes, M. Hynes, Jas. Joyce, Jas. Keane, Pat. Nelly, Thos. Nolan, Jas. Noone, Mick O'Donohoe, Thos. Sweeney, W. S. Taylor and J. W. Brady Murray. (17)

Admission & Out-door Relief Committee

Mr. Mick. Munnogue, Coen, Deely, M. J. Burke, Clayton, Mick O'Donnell, O'Neill, John Quinn, Sweeney, Nolan, J. Quinn, J. Keane, Mitchell, J. O'Donnell, O'Donoghue, Sweeney, Caulfield & O'Donnell, and J. W. Brady Murray. (21)

The cases of provisional relief and applications for relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Applications and Report Book.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	...	35
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	"
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	2
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	...	...	...	...	140
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	...	5

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 17th

day of June 1899

(Signed) J. W. Brady Murray Clerk of the Union

Gort Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3rd day of June 1899

PRESENT - In the Chair, OTHER GUARDIANS,

Resolved - That the following be appointed Committee to examine the Medical Officers Books, Ardara District

Mr. Joyce, Shaw Taylor, Keane, J. Burke, Coen, Caulfield and O'Neill. (7)

An Estimate of 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:

Gort District Mr. Nilan, Nolan, Munnogue, Lally, Connolly, and Nelly (6)

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:

Kinnaird District Mr. Corless, O'Donohoe, Hynes, Mitchell, John Quinn and O'Dea (6)

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, £

In compliance with the Local Government Board's letter of 16th ulto the Medical Officers submitted the following scale of fees:—

Sir - In accordance with the Local Gov. Board's Circular of the 10th May, requiring the Medical Officers of the Govt Union to furnish in writing a scale of charges for attendance on people who are unable to afford to pay the Medical Doctors' usual fee, but who are not so poor as to be fit recipients for Medical relief; we the Medical Doctors of the Govt Union wish to state

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of Article 32 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 3rd November, 1885.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 18

_____ 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 18

District,	£
District,	£
District,	£
District,	£

that we shall be glad to attend that class of people at a fee of 5/- (Five shillings) per visit, medicine not included.

Your obedient Servants

(Signed) J. P. Moran
C. J. Nally
C. H. Foley.

P.S. We wish to state in conclusion that the circular of the Local Gov. Board only affects those people who heretofore used to get Medical relief tickets and whose excuse was that they could not afford to pay the Doctors' usual fee, but who are not the really deserving poor and for whom this small scale of charge is intended

Govt. June 3rd 1899.

"Approved"

[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 vacancy 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 30 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr _____ of _____

Letter from Local Gov Board dated 1st inst requesting the Guardians will obtain a report from the Medical Officers as to the necessity for the appointment of a Midwife for Govt Disp. District
Ordered— Request Dr Moran to furnish this report.

I am same dated 2nd inst requesting to be furnished with replies to queries respecting the Temporary Medical Officers of Govt and Ardrahan Districts.

Ordered— The Substitutes in these cases are the Medical Officers of the Workhouse and of Kinnorah District respectively. Will the Board please

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

Say if they wish the queries to be answered by Temporary Medical Officers who are already in the employment of the Guardians as permanent Officers

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 were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from Local Gov Board dated 25th inst stating that

inquiring whether the Vaccination defaulters in Gort District have yet complied with the law.
Ordered - The Medical Officer states the defaulters are now coming in.

Ordered - The Medical Officer is hereby authorised to take the necessary proceedings against parents who do not take in their children for inspection on the 8th day after vaccination.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

17 day of June 1899

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Gort Rural District Council

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

(41 & 42 Vic., cap. 52, &c.)

Minutes of Proceedings of the District Council Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary

Authority, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the

3rd day of June 1899

PRESENT - In the Chair, Mr P. J. Milau

OTHER GUARDIANS -

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<u>Gort</u>	<u>Dr Moran</u>	<u>Dead foot in Church St.</u>	
		<u>Ordered - S.S. O to have carcass buried</u>	
<u>Kinnaird</u>	<u>Dr Nally</u>	<u>Surroundings of Crephane and Kinnogera wells in an insanitary state</u>	
		<u>Ordered - That the question of these wells be left to the Committee appointed to look after them and that they be authorised to</u>	

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

make the necessary expenditure on the work. Committee to invite tenders.

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Gort Rural District Council

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

46 & 47 Vic., cap. 60; and 48 & 49 Vic., cap. 77.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, acting as the Rural Sanitary Authority,
under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on _____ the
day of _____ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

Read notification of the transfer of £171 to the Treasurer from the County Fund, this being the 1st instalment of demand for year ending 31 March 1900.

Read letter from County Council requesting to be informed if the District Council are agreeable to having the Grant for Technical Instruction to Gort Convent School continued as a charge to be levied off their District.

Ordered—
The Council approve of the grant being continued and levied off the ^{Gort} District.

Copy 3
5 June 99

The Council accepted Mich. Gallagher for repairs and improvements at Killeenahilly Graveyard for £3.10.0 on condition the work is extended from the "Ash tree" to Fallon's boundary. The whole work to be subject to the approval of J. O. Farrell and M. Conolly.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 17th
day of June 189 9

(Signed)

John Burt
Clerk of the Union.

Resolved - That each Councillor in a position to obtain, or afford, any information with regard to malicious injury claims be requested to send the names of witnesses, and give all assistance in their power, to Mr. Glynn, and also to attend the hearing of the claim.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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day of June 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

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P. F. Moran

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 17th day of June 1899

Signed, *[Signature]*
Secretary

Population in 1881— 14201

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 10 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1899

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Admitted during the Week			20	1	9	1	3		1	1	1	37	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7		
TOTAL			42	28	52	41	5	2	7	9	5	191	TOTAL	55	TOTAL	3
Discharged during the Week			24	3	8	2	2		1	4	1	43				
Died																
Total Discharged and Dead			24	3	8	2	2		1	4	1	45				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	25	44	39	3	2	6	5	4	146				
													No. at corresponding period last year.			150

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of June 1899 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.	142	256			142	256	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	142	256			142	256

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 17th day of June 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John Quinn

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. J. Kelly, M. Minogue, E. Mallinan, J. Deely, M. Keeney, J. Clayton, M. Grady, M. Fallon, M. Donnell, J. O'Dea, J. Aweeney, J. Connor, P. J. Kilan, J. Nolan, M. Danman, P. Kelly, James Quinn, M. Barr, M. Mitchell, M. C. Connolly, P. Quinn, P. Hayes, M. Moylan, M. O'Donohue, M. Hayes, J. Pendergast, M. Baulfield, J. Keane, L. O'Donnell, J. P. Keane, J. Moore + J. B. Lahiff, J. P.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Galway County Council

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 17th day of June 1899

Signed, _____ Executive Sanitary Officer.

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

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Meeting held the 17th day of June 1899

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 10th day of June 1899 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	21	3	5	19	2	3	40	5	8				24	19	10	15	5	10	1031
Necessaries	4	5	9	15	10		5	1	7				2	1	3	3	4		
Total	25	9	2	19	18	1	45	7	3				27	1	1	18	6	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 2 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4 : 1 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 8

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 Workhouse Register was produced, ^{not} 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, ^{not} 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 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 Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the.....day of.....18.....was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		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.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ 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...17...day of...June..., 18.9.9

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				1201	5	.
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 ...				1201	5	.

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 ...	73	8	11			
Clothing and Bedding ...	2	10	6			
Establishment ...	2	3	9			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment ...						
(b.) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c.) Medical Charities ...						
Workhouse Farm ...						
Workhouse Burials ...						
Medical Charities ...				12	6	
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	3					
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 ...	81	15	8	81	15	8

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

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 - £ 19 : 18 : 1 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 27 : 1 : 1 Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 2 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary - : 4 : 1 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - : 4 : 8

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

- 980 lbs. W. Bread
- 114 " Meat
- 93 1/2 Gals Milk
- 300 Eggs
- 1 Doz Lemons
- 1 " Oranges
- 4 7/2 lbs Butter
- 24 " B. Bread
- 12 jelly Sqrs.
- 5 lbs Tobacco

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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 ...	£		

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		By Order on Contractors		Relief District	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Carried forward,						TOTAL,					

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 :-

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

