

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 16th inst requesting to be informed whether 14 days notice was given of the proposal to appoint an Analyst, and stating that before they approve of Mr Kay's appointment they must be furnished with his diploma &c.

Ordered— "The required notice was not given—Advertisement for an Analyst for this day fortnight at salary of £10 per ann. The Gentleman appointed to satisfy the Local Gov^t Board as to his qualifications and previous experience".

The Board accepted Mr. J. B. Kennedy's tender to supply 140 tons best Scotch house coals @ £1. 1. 6 per ton. Mr. Glynn to prepare bond according to advertisement.

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):—

There was but one candidate for the position of Fever Hospital attendant—Miss Kate Broderick—who was not appointed.

Resolved—As the Guardians cannot obtain the services of a suitable person as attendant in the Fever Hospital, ^{even at a salary of £12 and rations} they request the Medical Officer and Master will for the present make such arrangements as they can for the discharge of the duties by pauper inmates.

Ordered—Advertisement again for a Wardsmaster. Request John Kennedy to continue to act until his successor is appointed.

Ordered—That in future no porter be allowed to the Wardsmaster.

Ordered— "That each Collector be required to lodge, by this day fortnight, any money which he has on hands as Poor or Seed Rate."

Ordered—The Master to employ a Carpenter for 2 days to do some work in the Home. Also, a Carpenter for the necessary time to put up shelves, presses, &c in the Clerk's small Office. Master to provide materials.

Mr. Hynes's motion with reference to the boarding out of Workhouse Children and closing the School was postponed to next meeting.

The Clerk drew attention to Major Rutledge's Fair's report of 22nd July last with reference to the providing of bathrooms and water closets in the Workhouse, and the need for external and internal painting of the Home. and he was directed to issue notices that these matters would be considered ^{at} next meeting.

Ordered—The Master to give an order for whatever clothing he thinks necessary for the child at Nurse with Mr. Rooney.

A resolution of Longpres Guardians with reference to the amalgamation of unions was adopted.

The Board accepts Thomas Cahill's tender to make two wheelbarrows for 26/- The material to be larch and the work done to satisfaction of the Master.

Orders - Procure seven additional Beauverd Spraying Machines from Mr. Glynn at price not exceeding last year.

Spraying Machines ~~and material~~ to be hired out and material supplied on same conditions as last year.

The Master to discharge this duty at same rate of remuneration in proportion to the work done as last year.

The Orders for material to be signed by the Guardians instead of the Rate Collectors.

A supply of Medicines was ordered for the Workhouse.

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 1st

day of July 1899

(Signed) *James Burt*
Clerk of the Union.

Loft 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 17th day of June 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.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

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

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

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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 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 _____

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 15th inst requesting that the Medical Officers be called upon to furnish a scale of fees under Article 7 of the Dispensary Rules including the cost of supplying medicine which cannot be given from the Dispensaries to persons not provided with tickets for medical relief.

Ordered — Request the Medical Officers to furnish the scale of fees inclusive of medicine.

I am same dated 15th inst stating the presume the Dispensary Records are to be examined in the Board room.

Ordered — The Guardians think the records can be more conveniently examined at the Dispensaries by the

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).

local Committees which they have appointed in each District for that purpose.

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.:

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

John Dennis

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

1st day of July 1899

(Signed), *John Dennis*
Clerk of the Union.

Galway Rural District Council Union.

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

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

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

17th day of June 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS—

See Members present Folio

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<u>Adrabhan</u>	<u>D. Foley</u>	<u>Latrine</u>	<u>Pump out of order</u>
<u>Ordn</u>	<u>Notice</u>	<u>Contractor</u>	

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

Read letter from Mr. J. J. Perse dated 7th inst stating that under Sec. 2 of the Public Health Act 1878 Lord Gaugh (as owner) is not liable for the paving of Glynn's Lane the rents being less than $2/3$ of the valuation.

20/6/90
 Resolved — Request Mr. Glynn (Soc.), to state who is responsible for doing this work.

The Council accepted the tenders of Patrick Gresham, Thomas Keenan and Pat. Spelman for repairing the piers and gate at Kilmacduagh for £1:10:0.

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

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 16th inst again urging on the District Council the desirability of taking steps to procure a proper supply of wholesome water for the inhabitants of the Ardrahan portion of their District.

The Board fear the Council do not fully appreciate their responsibility in this matter, and they point out that in the event of a complaint being addressed to them in the terms of Sec. 15 of the Public Health Act 1896 they would be obliged to take action thereon —

Adjourned to next meeting for the attendance of the members from the locality. Sent them copy of this letter, and inform them the matter will then be considered.

Galway Rural District ^{UNION.} Council
LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

~~District Council~~
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 17th
day of June 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

Mr. J. A. Glynn, Solr., reported that four
malicious inquiry claims were heard
at Gort Sessions on the 10th inst.
Keely & others £35 claimed - £20 allowed,
to be levied off the Townlands of Ballinbuff
and Ballymarchann
John McNamara £5 claimed - £4 allowed,
to be levied off the Townlands of Ternon
Ballyboy and Derry.
Michael Halvey £50 claimed } Refused, with costs.
Patrick Mannion £15 " }

Mr. Glynn further reported that Michael
Halvey has appealed against the
order refusing him compensation.
Ordered— Mr. Glynn to take the necessary
steps to oppose this and all other
appeals

Ordered— Injunct Mr. Glynn that in the
case of Keely & others an appeal has
been lodged by the Ratepayers in the
area in which the charge has been
placed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 1st
day of July 1899

(Signed) James Curran
Clerk of the Union.

Resolutions of the Tipperary (South Riding) and Queens County Councils and Larne, Clifden, Navan District Councils and the Board of Conservators of Limerick Fishery District were submitted and read

Request the Local Gov Board to state if a notice of an application to be made at a Quarterly meeting must be given at an ordinary Council meeting, or will it be sufficient to hand it to the Clerk of the Council at any time before 10 days previous to the date of the quarterly meeting

Labourers Act

Eleven Representations under the Labourers Acts were submitted and consideration adjourned to this day six weeks until all the applications are in.

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1881— 14201

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 10 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 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	139															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	6															
Fever Sheds .. .																	
TOTAL .. .	780	145															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	24	44	40	2	2	6	5	4	142	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	S		
Admitted during the Week			12	6	9	7	3	1	2	3	3	40	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates			
TOTAL			27	30	53	47	5	3	8	8	7	182	TOTAL, 50	TOTAL, 3			
Discharged during the Week			12	5	10	1	3	1	2	1	2	37	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died																	
Total Discharged and Dead			12	5	10	1	3	1	2	1	2	37	No. Relieved during week	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	25	43	40	2	2	6	7	5	145	No. in Workhouse at date	17	2		19
														2			2
																	No. at corresponding period last year, 145

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th 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.	145	262			145	262	Et. 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	145	262			145	262

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 1st day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John Quinn

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. M. Minogue, J. Coen, E. Hallinan, J. Deely, M. J. Burke, M. Rosengrave, M. Grady, J. L. Layton, M. O'Donnell, M. Fallon, J. O'Neill, J. Nolan, P. J. Kilan, M. Tannan, P. Kelly, M. Feeney, A. Larkin, J. Keely, M. Bart, M. Mitchell, M. L. Bonnelly, P. Hayes, M. Morgan, M. O'Donohue, M. Hynes, J. Burke, M. Baulfield, J. Keane, A. O'Donnell, J. Hoone + Thos. P. Corless

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Galway County Council

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 1st day of July 1899

Signed, [Signature] Executive Secretary Office

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

The 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.

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Fort's Union.

Meeting held the 1st day of July 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. 412 to No. 632

Separate " No. _____ to No. _____

Out door " No. _____ to No. _____ *not examined*

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 1st day of July 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	7	5	27	2		48	9	5				25	6	4	23	3	1	} 1040
Necessaries	2	11	5	22	5	10	24	17	3				3	2	3	21	15		
Total	23	18	10	49	7	10	73	6	8				28	8	7	44	18	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 4
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4 : 3/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 7/2

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, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. _____ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The 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.

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Fort Union.

Meeting held the *1st* day of *July* 18*99*

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

Indoor, from No. *412* to No. *632*

Separate, No. _____ to No. _____

Out door, No. _____ to No. _____ *not examined*

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 *1st* day of *July* 18*99* 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	7 5	27	2	48	9 5			25	6 4	23 3 1	} 1040
Necessaries	2	11 5	22	5 10	24	17 3			3	2 3	21 15	
Total	23	18 10	49	7 10	73	6 8			28	8 7	44 18 1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : *3 : 4*
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : *4 : 3 1/4*
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : *4 : 7 1/2*

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 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 - £ 49 : 7 : 10
 Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 28 : 8 : 7
 Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary - £ 4 : 3 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - £ 4 : 7 1/2

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

460 lbs. W. Bread
 168 3/4 Meat
 72 Gals Milk
 1/2 chest Tea
 240 Eggs
 3 1/2 lbs Butter
 157 st Potatoes
 12 lbs B. Bread
 112 " Flour
 20 ton coal
 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.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

The following irrecoverable Rates were cancelled

Division	Reason why irrecoverable	£ s. d.		
		Amount		
Ardamullivan	Jas Joyce Vact Ho Toorcen	2	1	✓
Araraban	John Connors over 6 years due	14	10	
Ballycubalan	Errors in totos &c	3	1	✓
Beagh	Nil			✓
Cahermore	Emo, Vact Ho Carron, & Charles B.	6	1	✓
Cappad	Error in tot		1	
Castle Taylor	John Connors, over 6 years due	9	5	
Donas	Vact Ho & errors	2	7	✓
Drummas	over 6 years due, Vact Ho & Ruins	2	5	6

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

Goit	Vact Ho, Ruins, & Errors	3	1	5	✓
Kilbracanty	Error in tot			1	✓
Killilly	Over 6 years due & Errors	4		9	
Kilkenanara	Nil				
Kilbunry	Error in tot			1	✓
Kiltartan	Nil				✓
Kilthomas	2 Errors in totos &c			17	8
Kinvarra	Vact Ho, Ruins & Errors	2		11	3
Rahesane	over 6 years due, Ruins & Errors			5	
Shehanagh	Error in tot				4

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:— £ 0. 3. ✓
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

A resolution of the Ennistimole Guardians expressing their opinion that the action of the Local Gov Board in fixing the pensions & salaries of Public Officers without consulting the representatives of the Ratepayers is at once arbitrary and unenimistimole was marked "Read"
The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

On Dr. Foley's recommendation a woman named Norah Martyn of Ballynabueky was ordered to be sent to Galway Hospital for treatment and of expenses allowed.

Resolved — That the next meeting of the Board of Guardians be held at 11 o'clock to enable the District Council to hold their Quarterly meeting at the Court House at 12 o'clock.

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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 22nd ulto stating that the Guardians must bear the responsibility should any loss be incurred by the Union in consequence of the non registration of the Bonds of the Master & Porter of the Workhouse.

Ordered — The Guardians do not anticipate any loss to the Union by not registering these Bonds.

From same dated 23rd ulto pointing out that it would be contrary to the requirements of the Nursing Order of 11th Sep 97 to employ pauper inmates to discharge the duties of Fever Hospital Attendant.

Ordered — "Advertise again and offer

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):—

Salary of £15. Other conditions as before"

From same dated 21st ulto stating that it appears from a Constabulary report referred to them that on the 7th inst a man named Martin Mullins was evicted from his house and farm at Kiltomas and that due notice was not served on the Relieving Officer.

Ordered — "Mr Glynn to take the necessary steps to recover the penalty from John Mullins, Gortadragan, who is the landowner at whose instance the eviction was carried out";

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765
From same dated 23rd inst pointing out that the Collectors should lodge to the credit of the County Council any sums which they have received in account of Poor rate and Seed Rate.

The Clerk reported that Collector Hoyle has not as yet complied with the order of 17th ulto requiring the Collectors to lodge, by this day, any money on hands as Poor or Seed Rate.

From same dated 24th forwarding extracts from the Army Act 1881 and the Army (Annual) Act 1899

Resolved — "That £2 be allowed as Emigration assistance to Thos Reilly and family if sanctioned by the Local Gov^t Board."
Mr. Kelly, Mr. Connolly.

There were two applicants for the position of Wardenmaster — John Kennedy and Martin Hickey — both of which were proposed and seconded. By a majority of 13 votes to 2 Mr Hickey was appointed on probation for three months, but he is not to take office until approved of by the Local Gov^t Board.
Mr. Hynes, Mr. Corlew.

The Night Nurse was allowed a fortnight's leave of absence, the Medical Officers having no objection.

Resolved - That Mr. J. Armistead Ray be appointed Analyst for the Union at a salary of £10 per ann. subject to his satisfying the Local Govt Board as to his qualifications & previous experience.

Mr Ray must understand that this appointment is made on conditions that he makes analyses of every description of articles (food, water, drugs &c) required by the Board of Guardians and the District Council.

Consideration of the question of providing bathrooms and water closets as recommended by the Inspector - for which the Guardians were specially summoned - was adjourned for six months.

Ordered - Invite tenders for external painting of the Workhouse for this day fortnight.

Mr Hynes withdrew his motion with reference to the Boarding out of the Workhouse children and closing the School.

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	...	...	...	40
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	...	...	...	145
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	4

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 15th day of July 1899

(Signed) *Angela Burt*
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 1st day of July 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr John Drunn
OTHER GUARDIANS,

See Guardians Jolio 757

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 signed

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

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

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

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

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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 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 _____

In compliance with the Local Govt. Board's request of the 1st ulto for a report as to the necessity for the appointment of a Midwife for the Govt Dispensary District Dr Moran wrote as follows
x x The number of births annually average 120 of which 25 per cent occur among very poor people who are unable to provide themselves with sufficient nursing even of the kind available, which is a very serious matter as it exposes them to the ravages of disease which once having originated might make itself felt among all classes with lamentable results. It is to you the poor, and the public at large as well, look for protection from the consequences attending on the existing state of affairs and

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).

I hope you will rise to the occasion and appoint a duly qualified Midwife"
(Signer) J.P. Moran

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 30th ulto stating that

They have no power to approve of the arrangements proposed to be made for the examination of the Medical Officers Books & records by Committees at the Dispensaries.

Ordered — The Medical Officers to send their Books &c to the Board room for examination by the Committees appointed on the 1st Board day in each month.

[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.:

Ardara — 19 defaulters.

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

Mr. J. Gormally to serve usual notice at 1/6 remuneration.

John Quinn

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the

10th day of *July* 1899

(Signed), *Angus Burt*
Clerk of the Union.

East 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

1st day of *July* 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS—

Sec Guardians present Folio 757

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<i>Ardara</i>	<i>Dr. Foley</i>	<i>Widow Hassett's house</i>	<i>at Ballynabuckley, ragging lime-washing.</i>
<i>Ardara</i>	<i>S.S.O.</i>	<i>supply</i>	<i>1/2 barrel of lime</i>

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

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

Galway County

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :-

Ordered - Invite tenders for clearing the graveyards and gravelling the walks at Kiltomas & Mountcross for this day month.

The Clerk was directed to state in reply to the Local Govt Board inquiry of 21. ulto that it is proposed to light the streets of the Town of Gort by oil.

The question of providing water at Ardraban, referred to in the Local Govt. Board's letter of 16. ulto, was considered. - notice of same having been issued to each member.

A deputation of Ratepayers appeared to oppose any proposal to provide such. They are of opinion the present supply at Ballyboy and Labane, which are within one mile of Ardraban, cannot be improved upon, several attempts made by Mr. Drane Taylor to procure water in the vicinity having resulted in failure to find it at a great depth.

The District Council agree with this, and decline to incur the expense of searching for water which they do not think required. There is a constant supply throughout the year at Ballyboy and Labane.

Read Scaled order dated 19th June fixing the Gort Rural District as the area of charge for expenses incurred, or which may be incurred, for the purpose of executing sewerage works at Peterawell.

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Galway County Council

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 15th day of July 1899

(Signed) Amey Burch
Clerk of the Union

Gort Rural District Council

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

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 1st day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Mr. J. Nilan.

Other Members:—

(See Guardians present Folio 707)

Two representations were submitted and consideration adjourned to 29th July.

Orders — "Request Mr. Glynn, Secy, to state plainly, ^{also in full detail} what preliminary steps (notices, advertisements, &c.) are required under the Labourers Acts" "That Mr. Glynn be hereby authorized and directed to take such steps as may be requisite when requested to do so by the Clerk."

Gort Rural District Council

Read letter from Cap^t W. A. Perse, High Sheriff, dated 30th ulto, granting the Council permission to use the Gort Court House for their quarterly meeting on the 15th inst.

Resolved — That the Quarterly meeting of the Rural District Council be held at Gort Courthouse at 12 oc. on the 15th inst.

Ordered — Request Mr. Glynn, Solr. to attend the Quarterly meeting to advise on any matters referred to him.

Read letter from Mr. Glynn, Solr. with reference to Glynn's Lane stating that the proper course to adopt is to have a plan & specification prepared showing what works must be done to place the premises in a sanitary condition. A special form of notice must then be served on the occupiers to abate the nuisance & do the necessary works and if not complied with summonses must be issued.

Ordered — Adjourned for a month.

The following notices of applications to be made at Quarterly meeting on the 15th July were given :-

No. 2. To keep in repair, from year to year, the road leading from Reilly's-road at Drummin, to Moran's-road at Chevy Chase (804 perches at 1s. 6d. per perch). The expenditure to be charged on the Rural District.

MICHAEL TANNIAN.

No. 3. To repair the road at Derralafina (Drummin), leading from John Dwiny's house into the village of Derralafina. The expenditure to be charged on the Rural District.

PATRICK NELLY.

No. 4. To repair the Malls of the Town of Gort, and the approaches to the Gort River. The expenditure to be charged on the Rural District.

P. F. NILAN.

No. 5. To repair about 410 perches of the road running through Scarriff, Knocktoby, and Gortavoher, open at both ends to the public roads. Probable cost of the work £145, to be charged on the Rural District.

MARTIN J. BURKE.

No. 6. To erect a Bridge across the River at Boleyneendorrish. The expenditure to be charged on the Rural District.

MICHAEL MOYLAN.

No. 7. To make a new road from John Headd's house, Cloughcola, to Michael O'Donnell's, Keelderry. Probable cost of the work £300, to be charged half on the County at Large, and half on the Rural District.

MICHAEL FALLON.

No. 8. To erect a Bridge over that portion of the River at Killafin, where the ruins of an old one are still observable, and close by the old Constabulary Barracks, and at the point of the river which intersects the public road between Killafin and Gorthacarnane. (No arrangements have been made as to land with persons concerned). Probable cost of the work £750, to be charged half on the County at Large, and half on the Rural District.

MICHAEL MINOGUE.

No. 9. To repair the road leading from Thomas Lambert's contract, through the village of Bally-eighter. The expenditure to be charged on the Rural District.

THOMAS DEELY.

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 15th day of July 1899

Signed,

Michael Burke
Responsible Officer.

Population in 1881— 14201

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 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 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															
Temporary Buildings ..	729	126													
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds	51	8													
TOTAL	780	134													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			13	26	44	37	1	2	6	5	4	138			
Admitted during the Week ..			25	2	3				1			31			
TOTAL			38	28	47	37	1	2	7	5	4	169			
Discharged during the Week ..			22	2	10					1		35			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead ..			22	2	10					1		35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE ..			16	26	37	37	1	2	7	4	4	134			
												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards .. 38		In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates .. 3	
												TOTAL, 46		TOTAL, 3	
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
												No. Relieved during week .. 28	1		29
												No. in Workhouse at date .. 3			3
												No. at corresponding period last year, 153			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 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.	145	262			145	262	Et. 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	145	262			145	262

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 15th day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John Quinn

Other Guardians:—

Mrs. J. Kelly, M. Minogue, J. Joyce, J. Coen, J. Deely, M. J. Burke, M. Roseingrave, J. Clayton, M. Brady, M. O'Donnell, M. Fallon, M. A. Taylor, J. O'Neill, J. O'Dea, J. Sweeney, J. O'Connor, P. J. Nolan, J. Nolan, M. Tannian, P. Kelly, M. Feeney, J. Quinn, A. Larkin, J. Keely, M. Barr, M. Mitchell, M. L. Bonnelly, P. Quinn, P. Hayes, M. Moylan, M. O'Donohue, M. Hynes, J. O'Donnell, J. O'Donnell, J. Keane, L. O'Donnell, J. Hoone, J. P. Corless, J. D. Daly, J. P. J. Burke, M. Baulfield, J. Keane, L. O'Donnell, J. Hoone, J. P. Corless, J. D. Daly, J. P. J. M. Brady Murray, J. P. + J. A. Lahiff, J. P. (43)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

The 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.

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Fort Union.

Meeting held the 15th day of July 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 18th day of July 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	19	8	8	19	13	7	39	2	3				22	17	4	16	4	11	935
Necessaries	116	8	11	15	10		117	4	9				3	5		113	19	9	
Total	135	17	7	20	9	5	156	7					26	2	4	130	2	8	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 4 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4 : 3

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 0

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July, 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Total		
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	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 15th day of July, 1899

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

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

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

	DR.			CR.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz:—						
Provisions and Necessaries ...	185	18	2			
Clothing and Bedding ...	12	14	3			
Establishment ...	15	12	3			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment ...	142	10	10			
(b.) Workhouse Farm ...	.	.	.
(c.) Medical Charities ...	111	6	.			
Workhouse Farm ...	.	.	.
Workhouse Burials ...	.	.	.
Medical Charities ...	.	.	.
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...	21	7	6			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	60	.	.			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...	3	14	.			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	55	5	5			
Superannuation Allowances ...	6	6	.			
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 ...	632	14	11	632	14	11

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
18....., including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1039	9	4			
Total sums received during the month						
Total	1039	9	4			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at this meeting	692	14	11			
Total						
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	346	14	5			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	999	19	1			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	653	4	8			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	346	14	5			

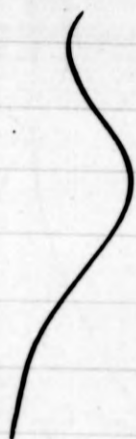
The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
TOTALS, £										

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

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

Scaled Order dated 14th inst. sanctioning emigration assistance of £2 to Mr. Reilly & family of Gorteenoy.
"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):—

Resolved:—

That Mrs. Mary Kate Bell be appointed attendant in the Fever Hospital on probation for 3 months but she is not to take office until her appointment is sanctioned.

The Board accepted James Griffin's tender for external painting (two coats) of the Workhouse, Fever Hospital, two Greenhouses, &c. at £22 subject to compliance with the terms of the advertisement. Substitutes to be named to Mr. Glynn who is to prepare Bond.

66. April 61

Resolutions of Athy Langtree Galway and Larne Guardians were submitted and read.



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 29th day of July 1899

(Signed) [Signature]
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 15th day of July 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.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

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

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

[This at the end of each Half-year, in pursuance of 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,	- - -	£

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any 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 _____

The Board accepted James Griffin's tender to paint the several notice Boards at the Dispensaries and Workhouse for 12 months at 30/- on condition new Boards are provided for Kinnisnoe (and elsewhere, when required) Mr. Glynn to include this work in Workhouse painting Bond.

Letter from Local Gov^t. Board dated 14 July requesting the Guardians will again take into consideration the question of the appointment of a Midwife for the Gov^t Dispensary District.

Ordered - Consideration postponed for six months.

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

Order dated _____ (state subject).

The following Letters 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.:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the

29th day of July 1899

(Signed),

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Galway Rural District Union Council

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

Minutes of Proceedings of the ^{above Council} ~~Board of Guardians~~, acting as the Rural Sanitary

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

15th day of July 1899

PRESENT—In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS—

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

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

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		
		£	s	d

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

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

The Council accepted Mr. Shaughnessy's tender for clearing Mountess's graveyard at £2:0:0. The work to be subject to approval of Mr. Hayes Corless & O'Donohoe.

Read letter from Mr. J. W. Brady Murray dated 13th inst stating that he had carried out the recommendations of the Committee as to improvements at Polonah Well and that he had much pleasure in doing so at his own expense.

Resolved—

The Council beg to thank Mr Brady Murray for his kindness in this matter

Labourers Acts

The Clerk was directed to issue the requisite notices that Requisitions will be taken into consideration on the 12th Aug.

Next Meeting of the ^{Council} Guardians to be held on Saturday the 29th
day of July 1899

(Signed)

[Signature]
Chairman of the Union.

LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS

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

^{Council}
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 15th
day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. J. J. Milan

Other Members:— (All) (except Mr. Edw. Hallman) (43)

See names folio 779

The first quarterly meeting of the District Council was held at the Court House, Gort, this day.

The County Surveyor's report on the condition of the Roads was "Read" and the Clerk was directed to have it printed & circulated amongst the members.

The County Surveyor's recommendations as to new maintenance contracts were approved; certain roads to be divided into two or three contracts.

9. Applications (by notice of motion) for new works were considered; five were rejected as being informal, three were rejected on the merits by large majorities, and one (Briag at Killafin, estimated cost £750, 1/2 on County at Lurg and 1/2 on the District) was passed by the Chairman casting vote and consideration formally adjourned to next Quarterly meeting.

The County Surveyors recommendations as to payments to Contractors were adopted.

Certain other imperative payments were ordered.

The final certificate of road expenditure issued by the Local Gov^t Board was submitted. The yearly limit of expenditure in Gort District being fixed at £2,755.

The quarterly meeting was adjourned to the 29th inst at the Court House, Gort at 2 o'clock for consideration of tenders for ~~maintenance~~ works recommended by the County Surveyor.

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(For the Ordinary Meeting next after the stated Finance Meetings only).

Gort DISTRICT.

Meeting held the 15th day of July 1899

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 June, 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 District Council						
Cr. Labourers' Cottage Rents						
Cr. Water Rents						
Cr. Burial Fees						
Cr. Other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

nil

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the Signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held next before 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.:						
Salaries	15	.				
Burial Ground Expenses						
Labourers Acts Expenses						
Sanitary Expenses:—						
General Charges	18	12	1			
Separate Charges						
Office Expenses						
Superannuation and Retiring Allowances						
Repayment of Loans:—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Intercepting Hospital						
Expenses under Special Acts:—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Expenses of Local Committees:—						
General Charges						
Separate Charges						
Elections, Law, and other Expenses						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer:—						
Total Amount of Orders Issued	33	12	1			

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 exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Register of separate charges.
2. The Register of Mortgages.
3. The Labourers Acts Ledger.
4. The Labourers Acts General Rental.

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of _____, including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	171	.	.			
Total sums received to close of last month						
Total	171	.	.			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	171	.	.			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	33	12	1			
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer	137	7	11			

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FORM I (continued).—MONTHLY ABSTRACT OF Cottage Rent Collection and of Rent Collectors' Cash Account.

Collector's District No.	NUMBER OF COTTAGES			RENT COLLECTION						COLLECTORS' CASH ACCOUNT			
	Built	Let	Unoccupied	Arrears due by Tenants at close of last Month	Rents accrued during the Month	Total for Collection	Collected during the Month	Arrears due by Tenants at the close of this Month	Balance (if any) in hands at close of last Month	Collected during the Month	Total to be paid for by Collector	Lodged with Treasurer during the Month	Balance (if any) in hands at close of this Month
I.													
II.													
III.													
IV.													
V.													
VI.													
VII.													
VIII.													
IX.													
X.													
<i>nil</i>													
Total,													

The Rent Collection Book and the Report Books of the several Rent Collectors were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

On the Report Books of the several Collectors orders were made in individual cases as follows :-

In what Collector's District	Name of Tenant	Nature of Report	Order made by the District Council thereon
	<i>nil.</i>		

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Seed Supply

The Master reported that since the 3rd mt he had to cease fixing out Spraying Material on credit. Consequent on a wire received by the Clerk from the Local Gov. Board that it should only be sold for cash. The effect is that very little is being sold and that therefore a large quantity (nearly £100 worth) must remain on hands until next year and the question for consideration is whether it will ~~remain~~ ^{be} good for that length of time.

Proposed by Mr. Nilan
Seconded by Mr. L. O'Donnell.

That as the material will not keep for a longer period it is hereby ordered that the Master supply same on credit as last year at 2³/₄ per lb. Spraying Machines are also to be hired on credit at 1/- per day.

Galway County
[Signature]

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 29th day of July 1899

Signed, *[Signature]*
Secretary

381-14201

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £43017:10:0

Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1899

No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
129	127															
51	8															
780	135															
Previous Saturday												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	41	In separate Wards		5
the Week												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other inmates	3	
TOTAL												49	TOTAL	3		
TOTAL												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
the Week																
Died																
Total Discharge and Dead																
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE																
												No. Relieved during week	16	5	6	37
												No. in Workhouse at date	5	2		7
												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 22nd day of July 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.	183	288			183	288	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	183	288			183	288

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 29th day of July 1899

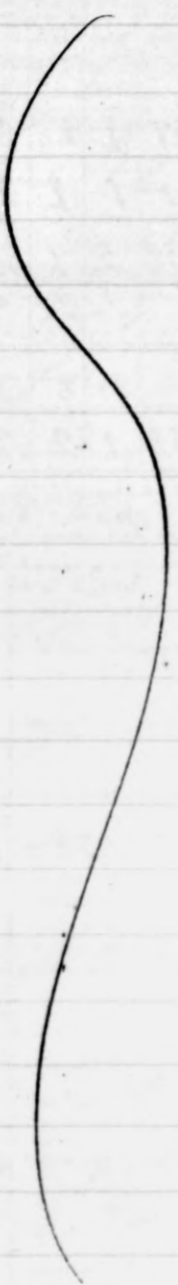
PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr John Quinn

Other Guardians:—
Messrs. M. Minogue, J. Joyce, J. Boen, E. Hallinan, M. J. Burke, M. Grady, J. Clayton, J. O'Neill, J. Pweeney, P. J. Kilan, J. Nolan, M. Tannian, P. Kelly, A. Harkin, J. Keely, M. Carr, M. C. Bonnelly, P. Quinn, P. Hayes, M. Moylan, M. O'Donohue, M. Caulfield, J. Keane, L. O'Donnell & J. Keane

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

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

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



The 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.

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes

(For every Meeting).

Fort Union.
Meeting held the 29th day of July 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. 633 to No. 760
Separate „ No. Nil to No. _____
Out door „ No. 1681 Nil to No. 1692

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 22 day of July 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	20	7	10	18	5	4	38	13	2				22	5	7	16	7	7	939
Necessaries	111	7	9	15	10	11	12	3	7				3	11	1	108	12	6	
Total	131	15	7	19	12	150	16	9	22	4	4	3	12	4	25	16	8	125		1

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

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

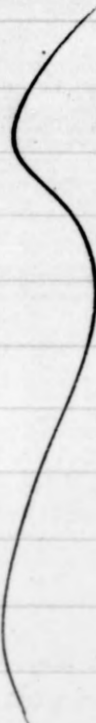
Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged during the Week			Total Rate and Arrears Collected and Lodged			Remaining Uncollected		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
TOTALS, £										

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Hardman</i>		Relieving Officer <i>Burke</i>		Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total		
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.						District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	17	13	8	12	5	6			29	19	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20								20		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	37	13	8	12	5	6			49	19	2
EXPENDITURE.											
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—											
In Money ...	8	14	6	6	12	6			15	7	6
In Kind ...		1	6							1	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility											
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		13	6							13	6
7. Total Relief given	9	9	6	6	12	6			16	2	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	28	4	2	5	13				33	17	2
9. Total	37	13	8	12	5	6			49	19	2

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



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

Read letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 21st inst requesting the Guardians will satisfy themselves as to the sufficiency of the sureties of James Griffin in his contract for painting the Workhouse. This duty should not be delegated to any person.

Ordered —

The Guardians approve of Griffins sureties, viz. Thos. Glynn (George's), and Dan? Shanahan, and the bond has been perfected.

Request the Local Gov^t Board to supply a copy of their specification for external painting

From same dated 20th inst requesting to be informed whether Mr Hoyle has yet lodged to credit of the County Council all rates collected by him since the 31 March last.

Ordered — "The Guardians understand Mr Hoyle is lodging £25 today and will lodge the balance on Monday"

Read letter from the Clerk of Golway Hospital notifying that the Assessment on Gort Union for maintenance of the Hospital for year 1899-1900 is at a rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ in the £.

Resolved — "The Board of ~~Management~~ protest against the increase in their assessment as they think that with better management the previous amount annually contributed by the Unions of the County ought to be quite sufficient."

Ordered — The Guardians are ^{by Mr O'Donohue} informed that Mr. Martin Hickey, who was appointed Wardmaster on the 1st inst, will not take up the appointment. The Clerk is directed to re-advertise for this day fortnight.

12 August 99

Resolutions of the Guardians of Mountmelick, Mullingar, Westport South Dublin and Newtownards Unions were submitted and adopted.

Read letter from W. J. Armistead Ray stating that as his private practice and engagements are daily increasing he cannot undertake analysis for urine & withdraws his application.

Ordered - Advertisement again for this day fortnight.

Wardmistress M^o Inerney was allowed a weeks leave of absence and M^o Martin (Workmistress) 4 days leave of absence.

Ordered - That the inmates generally be allowed a dinner of potatoes on tomorrow and that they be allowed on each succeeding Sunday until all grown on the Workhouse farm be consumed.

Ordered - That £1 worth of Bacon be provided for the inmates dinner tomorrow (Garlands Sunday).

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.

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 29th day of July 1899

PRESENT - In the Chair,

OTHER GUARDIANS, Sec Guardians present Folio 801

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.:

Minwarra
Quadrant — 40 defaulters

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

Mr. Gormally to serve usual notices by post at remuneration of 6/-

J. Quinn

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the

12th day of *Aug.* 18*99*

(Signed), *J. Quinn*
Clerk of the Union.

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Port Union
District Council
PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS.

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

District Council
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

29th day of *July* 18*99*

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Mr. P. J. McLean*

OTHER GUARDIANS—

See Members present at Guardians Meeting Folio 801

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

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
<i>1</i> <i>Port</i>	<i>D. Moran</i>	<i>Empty house in Cross Lane</i>	<i>used as manure pit</i>
		<i>S.S.O to notice the parties and if nuisance</i>	<i>not abated to prosecute.</i>
<i>2</i> <i>Port</i>	<i>D. Moran</i>	<i>Slipper St. is used as a</i>	<i>public closet</i>
		<i>Ordered — That the parties be watched</i>	<i>and prosecuted</i>
<i>1</i> <i>Quadrant</i>	<i>D. Foley</i>	<i>Miss Hassetts house at Ballypore</i>	<i>is unfit for human habitation</i>

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

Ordered — Serve notice on the Landlord to repair this house.

3 *Port* *D. Moran*. *Houses of Rich. Barrett and Tom Divering in Slippy St. is an unsanitary state*

Ordered — Notice Landlord to whitewash these houses.

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

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount	

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :-

Read Local Govt Board Scaled Orders
"Dairies Cowsheds and Milk Sheds Act 1899
and appointment of Inspector and other
Officers thereunder

Ordered - The Council do not think
this matter applies to their District.

Notices of applications for compensation
for criminal injury to property were
received from :-

Pat Hollman, Townagh, £60 for injury to his Bull
Pat Cooney, Cow Lane Govt, £4 " " " " Donkey

Submitted letter from Mr. Mica Halvey
requesting the Council will not ask
him to pay £2:7:0 costs of affirmative
dismissal of his application for compensation
for malicious injury "Read"

Resolved - That we tender to Dr. J. D.
Hyde the best wishes of this Council
for his eloquent and beautiful
lecture on the Irish tongue on Thursday
evening last, and we wish him
every success in his laudable
effort to restore our native language

Also to Dr. Fahey for presiding
at the lecture and for the great
interest he is taking in the matter
in this neighbourhood

Mr Nilan
Mr Hayes.

The Council accepted Mich. Hallman's tender at £1:10:0 to clear the graveyard of Kilmomas of brambles &c provided the walks are gravelled.

The work to be subject to approval of J. McHugh and Messrs. Hayes, Moylan, and L. O'Donnell.

Submitted letter from Mrs. B. Walsh, The Square, Gort with reference to the unsanitary condition of her dwelling house to which she drew attention on 22nd April
"Read"

Letter from Local Govt Board dated 27th inst referring to the appointment of a Committee in connection with Kilmomas Water supply requesting to be informed if due notice of the appointment of this Committee was given —
Ordered — The Committee referred to was appointed last year and now reported on the work which had been done

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 12th
day of Aug. 1899

(Signed)

James Burt
- 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 _____ 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Members:—

From same dated 20th inst referring to the Council's resolution of 3rd ulto relating to the lighting of the Town of Gort stating that in the first instance the Council should adopt a formal resolution, after due notice to each member, requesting that they may be invested with the powers possessed by an Urban District Council under Sec. 80 of the Public Health Act 1878 within a certain area which should be distinctly shown on a tracing from the Ordnance Map.
Ordered.

Give requisite notice for this day fortnight

The Council adjourned to Gort Court house to hold an adjourned Quarterly meeting.

The Adjourned Quarterly meeting
of the District Council was held
at Court House at 2 o'clock this
29th July 1899

Resolved - That it be a standing
Order of this Council that any
tenders not received by the Clerk
by 4 o'clock p.m. on the day previous
to the day fixed for the holding
of an adjourned Quarterly meeting
be not considered.

That no tender be accepted
unless the contractor's sureties are
present and declare their willingness
to act as sureties

Tenders for maintenance of works
recommended by the County Surveyor
were considered and accepted.

Three tenders, in excess of the adopted
price, were referred to the County Council

No tenders were received for two works

Labourers Cottages

Scaled Order prescribing the forms which may be used under the Labourers (Ireland) Acts 1883 to 1896
"Read"

Resolved - That all Representations received be considered at a special meeting to be held this day month.

Galway County

Next Meeting to be held on Saturday the 12th day of Aug^r 1895

Signed, [Signature]
Executive Sanitary Officer

Population in 1881—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 189

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 9 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 ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates		
Admitted during the Week												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital			
TOTAL,												TOTAL,			
Discharged during the Week												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead												No. Relieved during week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE												No. in Workhouse at date			
												No. at corresponding period last year,			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 189, 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.							No. X.						
No. II.							No. XI.						
No. III.							No. XII.						
No. IV.							No. XIII.						
No. V.							No. XIV.						
No. VI.							No. XV.						
No. VII.							No. XVI.						
No. VIII.							No. XVII.						
No. IX.							TOTAL						
Car. forwd.													

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 189

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

[Signature]