

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

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

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

Galway County

Thomas Sweeney

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of March 1901.

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

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43,017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of March 1901.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	729	140														
Temporary Buildings	—	—														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	7														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	780	147														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	24	34	46	4	2	9	7	3	142	45	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			22	3	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	27	7	In Wards with other inmates	3	
TOTAL			35	27	35	46	4	2	10	7	3	169	TOTAL	TOTAL	3	
Discharged during the Week			18	11	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	22				
Died																
Total Discharged and Dead			18	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	22				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	26	33	46	4	2	9	7	3	147				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of March 1901, 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 19 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	164	254			164	254	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwrd.							TOTAL	164	254			164	254

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of March 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr Thomas Sweeney*

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. J. Burke, W. Carr, M. Caulfield, J. Coen, M. C. Connolly, M. Fallon, M. Feeney, M. Grady, E. Hallinan, P. J. Hayes, J. Keane, J. Keely, J. Lally, M. Mitchell, M. Moran, P. Nelly, J. Noonan, J. O'Connor, M. O'Donohue, L. O'Donnell, M. O'Donnell, P. O'Neill, J. Quinn, P. Quinn, J. Quinn, W. Roseingrad, & P. F. Niles

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed. (28)

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

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

960 lbs W Bread
 12 " B "
 26 " Butter
 111 " Meat
 480 Eggs
 85 Gals Milk
 7 cwt Salt
 2 st Sugar
 1 Tin Biscuits
 5 lbs Tobacco

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Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION

Meeting held the 9th day of March 1901.

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

Indoor, from No. 3335 to No. 3520
 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 2nd day of March 1901 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					
				By Inmates			By Officers									
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.		
Provisions	31	17	4	34	18	11	66	16	3	26	15	10	40	5	1023	
Necessaries	50	7	5	2	11	8	52	19	1	6	3	4	46	15		9
Total	82	4	9	37	10	7	119	15	4	32	19	2	86	16		2

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3:9³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4:7
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5:—

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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of March 1901 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN			Relieving Officer BURKE			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.		
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	18	13	8	6	17	7													25	11	3
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																					
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	13	8	6	17	7													25	11	3
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	8	17	6	6															14	17	6
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	1	2	2																1	2	2
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1		3		2	3													1	2	6
7. Total Relief given	10	19	11	6	2	3													17	2	2
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	13	9	15	4														8	9	1
9. Total ...	18	13	8	6	17	7													25	11	3

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....1.....

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

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

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

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

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

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 Govt. Board dated 1st inst stating that the Guardians have a long time under consideration the question of appointing a Ladies Committee under Article 17 of the General Regulations and requesting that the Committee may be appointed without further delay

Ordered—
 Referred to Very Rev^d Dr. Fahy to suggest the names of 3 Ladies as a Committee.

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There were 3 candidates for the position of Fever Hospital attendant

Resolved:— That Miss Anne Gibbs be appointed attendant in the Fever Hospital on probation for three months at a salary of £15 a year and rations
 Passed by 16 votes to 7.

Ordered— That Frick Jordan (an inmate) be allowed one month's pass to look for employment— leaving his child in the Workhouse— and that he be given the boots he wears in lieu of his own worn out.

The Board approved of resolutions
of the Birr and Wescford Guardians.

The Master reported that the Workhouse
donkey died on the 24th ulto
Ordered —

Purchase an ass for
present use.

The Master was directed to sell one
of the Workhouse cows which is
nearly fat at Gort fair on 18th inst.

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

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

Ditto disallowed ...

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

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

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

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

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

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

(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 23rd day of March 1901.

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of March 1901.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians—

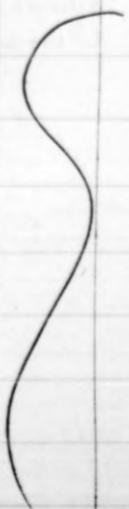
See Guardians Present Folio 775

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
<i>Ardrahan</i>				<i>Medicines and Appliances Ordered</i>
<i>Knvraia</i>				<i>Appliances Ordered.</i>

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c, required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	



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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:

Patrick Nelly

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of March 1901.
 (Signed) *J. J. Quinn*
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 42017: 10: 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of March 1901.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729	142												
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—												
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	7												
Fever Sheds	—	—												
TOTAL	780	149												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Report			20	25	34	45	4	2	8	6	4	148		
Admitted during the Week			17	6	6	1	1	3	3	3	3	37		
TOTAL			37	31	40	46	4	3	11	9	4	185		
Discharged during the Week			22	2	4	3	1	2	2	2	2	36		
Died														
Total Discharged and Dead			22	2	4	3	1	2	2	2	2	36		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	29	36	43	4	2	9	7	4	149		
												No. at corresponding period last year, 149		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of March 1901, 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.	161	251			161	251	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Car. forwrd.							TOTAL	161	251			161	251

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of March 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Mt Patrick Nelly

Other Guardians:—

Messrs W. Carr, M. Brady, M. Hynes, M. Minogue,

M. Mitchell, M. Moylan, M. O'Donohue, J. Quinn

& W. Reingrave

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

960 lbs W. Bread
 12 " B "
 54 " Butter
 105 " Meat
 780 Eggs
 89 Gals Milk
 1/2 Bl Porter
 £ 224 lbs Sugar
 5 " Tobacco

Galway County

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION.

Meeting held the 23rd day of March 1901.

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 16th day of March 1901 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	43	19	9	21	11	3	65	11								26	4	11	39	6	1	1043
Necessaries	47	12	10	17	1		48	9	11							6	1		42	8	11	
Total	91	12	7	22	8	4	114	11								32	5	11	81	15		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3:10 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4:5 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5:6

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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of March 1901 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN			Relieving Officer BURKE			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.					
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	12	4	6	15	4																23	7	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																								
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	12	4	6	15	4																23	7	8
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	8	18	6	6	2																	15	6	
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	1	15	6																			1	15	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1		3		2	3																1	2	6
7. Total Relief given	11	14	3	6	4	3																17	18	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	18	1		1																	5	9	2
9. Total ...	16	12	4	6	15	4																23	7	8

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 9th day of March 1901

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 February, 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 ...	5	8	14	8		
Clothing and Bedding ...	1	1	9			
Establishment ...						
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment ...	2	16				
(b.) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c.) Medical Charities ...	3	6	8			
Workhouse Farm ...						
Workhouse Burials ...	1	6	6			
Medical Charities ...						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	40					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	2	8	10			
Superannuation Allowances ...						
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans ...						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	109	14	5	109	14	5

Handwritten initials and number:
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of *February* 1901. 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	801	15	4			
Total sums received during the month			
Total	801	15	4			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at this meeting	109	14	5			
Total	109	14	5			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	692	-	11			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer <i>22 Mar</i>	713	14	8			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	21	13	9			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	692	.	11			<i>correct</i>

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

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



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

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 19th inst forwarding copy of the National School Inspector's report on the Workhouse School and requesting that an explanation on the subject may be obtained from the Teacher for their information.

Ordered:—

Teacher to furnish explanation to next meeting.

- No 12841 -

From same, dated 13th inst sanctioning the appointment of Miss Christina Lee as Cook & Wardmaid on probation for three months pending a report from their Inspector - Major Rutledge - Fair - as to her fitness for the position.

"Read"

From same dated 15th inst respecting the case of a woman named Mary Kelly referred to ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ the Minutes of 9th inst and requesting to be informed on what point the Guardians require their advice.

Ordered:—

The point on which the Guardians are doubtful is as to whether the United States Authorities, or other persons, have power to remove

lunatics.

lunatics, or persons mentally affected, from the United States to Ireland.

From same dated 12th inst respecting the proposed appointment of Miss Ellen O'Leary as Trained Nurse in the Workhouse, stating that they do not recognise the Union Hospital, Clonmel, as a training Hospital for Nurses under Sec 58 of the Local Govt Act, and that they cannot regard her as a Trained Nurse for the purposes of the Act mentioned.

Ordered -

Advertise again at £40.
Midwifery qualification necessary.

Resolved:-

That Mr. E. Glynn, Mr. M. Sheahan, Mr. M. Spelman, and Mr. L. M. Shannon be appointed a Committee of Ladies to visit and report on the condition of the children boarded out by the Board of Guardians.

W. J. J. J.

Ordered:-

That Mr. Glynn, Solicitor, apply to Patrick M. Mahon for the amount due for maintenance and treatment of his servant in this Infirmary, and if the sum due be not paid to take proceedings at next Sessions.



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 6th day of April 1901.

(Signed) James Burt
Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of March 1901.

PRESENT--In the Chair,

Other Guardians--

See Guardians Present Folio 793

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:--

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c, required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
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The following tenders - being the lowest, - were accepted: -

(1) Messrs P. A. Leslie & Co, Drugs, @ abatement of 22½% on the prices in the Local Govt Boards Prescribed List of Medicines 1901-2

(2) Messrs Fannin & Co, Appliances, @ abatement of 16% on the prices in the Local Govt Boards prescribed lists of Medical & Surgical Appliances 1901-2

Galway County Council Archives

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
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Galway County Council Archives

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

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

Blank lines for reporting dispensary districts.

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

James Keane

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 6th day of April 1901.

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1891--14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017. 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of March 1901.

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, and medical returns. Includes rows for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', and 'Died'.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of March 1901, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes a 'TOTAL' row at the bottom.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 6th day of April 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr Patrick F. Nilan James Keane

Other Guardians:—

Messrs William Carr, Michael Caulfield, Thomas Coen, Michael C. Connolly, Michael Grady, Edward Ballinien, Michael Minogue, Michael Mitchell, James Noon, Laurence O'Donnell, Thomas O'Neill, Patrick Quinn, Wm Rosegraver, Michael Tannian, Patrick F. Nilan + Walter Shaw Taylor, D.L.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

(17)

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

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

980 lbs. W. Bread
 24 .. B ..
 12½ .. Butter
 126¾ .. Meat
 280 .. O. meal
 1140 Eggs
 66 Gals Milk
 5 lbs Tobacco

Galway County Council Archives

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION.

Meeting held the 6th day of April 1901

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

Indoor, from No. 3520 to No. 3690
 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 30 day of March 1901 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	33	3	6	20	15	7	53	19	1				26	9	27	18	4	1092
Necessaries	31	3	11		17	1	32	1					57	6	26	36		
Total	64	7	5	21	12	8	86	1					31	18	3	54	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 5½
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4 : 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5 : 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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of March, 1901, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN	Relieving Officer BURKE	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.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...							
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...							
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— In Money ... In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given							
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...							
9. Total ...							

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....1.....

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

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

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

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

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

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 Board dated 27th ~~12th~~ ^{ult} forwarding attested copies of the Abstracts of the Union accounts for half year ended 30th Sep. 1900

From same dated 25th ult stating with reference to the deficiency in the supply of milk by the Contractors that the attention of the Auditor has been called to this question.

Ordered— "Deduct deficiency from amount due to each Contractor"

Circular from same dated 23rd ult requesting to be informed of the views of the Guardians on the proposals in the Bill which has been introduced into Parliament in regard to the Superannuation of Officers of Boards of Guardians and Rural District Councils.

Resolved:— "The Guardians desire to express their warm approval of the provisions in the Bill"

Resolved:— "That the Master of the Workhouse be allowed the usual remuneration of Five pounds for his trouble in connection with the taking of the Census in the Workhouse"

Submitted letter from Local Govt Board dated 4th inst. stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry of the 23rd ult. as to the power of the United States Authorities to remove lunatics or persons mentally affected to Ireland, that the matter is not one upon which it is their function to offer an opinion.

Read

In compliance with the request contained in the Local Govt Board's letter of the 19th ult. the Schoolmistress furnished an explanation of the faults found by the Inspector of National Schools on his recent visit to the Workhouse School.

Ordered:- "Forward Mrs Whelan's explanation to the Local Govt Board as requested. The Boots supplied to the children are of the quality contracted for, and as a rule the Shoemaker takes measures before making. Boot laces to be supplied by the Master when required.

No application was made to the Guardians for "requisites", nor is any list submitted now"

The Board ordered a set of brass mounted cart harness @ 42/6 from Mr Reidy subject to the Guardians approval of the material & workmanship which must be of the best.

The following were ordered:-

200 yds sheeling, 4 stone feathers,
20 yds calico, a steamer for potatoes.

James Hassett, Wardmaster, gave a months notice of his intention to resign his position. The Clerk was directed to advertise for this day fortnight at a salary of £8 a year, with rations.

Ordered - That clothing (not to exceed 7/6) be allowed to Mr Finn of Labane for the Orphan she has at nurse. Master to supply a cancelled blanket.

Ordered - That 26 yards of flannel be bought from Mr Kate Kelly of Ballyfarn, Ardaraun, @ 1/6 per yard.

Mr P. J. Nilan gave notice that on this day month he will move that the Out door relief list be revised for the Summer half year

The Clerk was directed to get a new frame for a pair of special spectacles supplied many years ago by the Guardians to James Mulville, Roveagh.

Proposed by Mr. James Keane, Seconded by Mr. P. Quinn and Resolved:-

That we the Guardians of Gort Union approve of the Bill for Superannuation of Poor Law Officials as promoted by the Poor Law Association of Ireland, as the passing of the said Bill will be a great saving to the Ratepayers of Ireland who heretofore had to bear the burden of pensions. That copies of this resolution be sent to Mr. J. E. Redmond M.P. Chairman of the Irish Parliamentary Party, our County Members, and the Chief Secretary for Ireland with a request that they expedite the passing of same into law.

Resolutions of the Guardians of Abbeyfeir and New Ross Unions in support of the Bill were also adopted.

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 20th day of April 1901.

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a

Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 6th day of April 1901.

PRESENT--In the Chair,

Other Guardians--

See Guardians Present Folio 811

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Name of Dispensary District, Total Cost (£ s. d.), Directions given by the Board.

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:-

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary District, Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists, Total Cost (£ s. d.), Directions given by the Board.

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
Submitted dated 23 rd Rules	Local Gov ^t Boards Scaled Order March amending Dispensary Rules	'Read'

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
		Read letter from Dr. J. J. Gwendly, Medical Officer of Kinnara District applying for leave of absence during Saturday and Sunday 6 th + 7 th insts. He has requested the Relieving Officer to procure medical attendance for any case requiring it during his absence, and he undertakes to pay any costs incurred.	"Approved"
		Relieving Officer Hardeman reported that Dr. C. H. Foley, Medical Officer of Ardara District was ill and requested him to appoint Dr. J. P. Moran as locum tenens, and he had done so.	"Approved"
		Consideration of a resolution of the Galway Guardians with reference to the erection of a Hospital for consumptive patients on the spare ground behind the Galway Hospital, was adjourned for a larger meeting.	

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

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

Gort — 34 defaulters

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

M. John Gormally to serve usual notice at remuneration of 5/-

James Keane

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of April 1901.

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

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of April 1901.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729	147												
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—												
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	7												
Fever Sheds	—	—												
TOTAL	780	154												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	26	39	45	4	2	9	7	4	159	47	In separate Wards 3
Admitted during the Week			22	8	3	5	2	3	5	1	1	49	7	In Wards with other Inmates 3
TOTAL			45	34	42	50	6	5	14	7	5	208	54	TOTAL 3
Discharged during the Week			20	8	6	5	2	3	4	2	1	57		
Died			1	2								3		
Total Discharged and Dead			21	8	8	5	2	3	4	2	1	54		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	26	34	45	4	2	10	5	4	154		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 day of April 1901, 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 19 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	162	259			162	259	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Car. forwrd.							TOTAL	162	259			162	259

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of April 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr Thomas Nolan*

Other Guardians:—

Mr J. Burke, J. Burke, J. W. Brady, Murray, W. Carr, M. Caulfield, J. Clayton, J. P. Coles, J. Coen, M. C. Connolly, J. D. Dally, J. Dally, M. Fallon, M. Feeney, M. Grady, E. Hallinan, J. F. Hayes, M. Hynes, J. Joyce, J. Keane, J. Keely, J. Shaff, J. Lally, A. Larkin, M. Minogue, M. Mitchell, M. Moylan, J. Kelly, J. Noone, J. O'Dea, L. J. Donnell, M. O'Donnell, J. O'Neill, J. Prendergast, P. Quinn, J. Quinn, W. Rosengrave, M. Tannian, & J. J. Nolan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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:—

1040 lbs. W. Bread,
 24 " B "
 44½ " Butter
 235 " Meat
 500 sh Potatoes
 1100 Eggs
 40½ Gals Milk
 1 chest Tea.
 2 cwt Sugar
 2 doz Lemons
 5 lbs Tobacco

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION

Meeting held the 20th day of April 1901.

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 13th day of April 1901, 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	27	16	2	46	8	8	74	4	10				24	7	9	49	17	1	919
Necessaries	24	10	9	17	1		25	7	10				5	12	5	19	15	5	
Total	52	6	11	47	5	9	99	12	8				30	2		69	12	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3:8
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4:6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5:2

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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of April 1901 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN			Relieving Officer BURKE			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.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	14	7	6	6	9															20	16	6		
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																								
3. Total to be accounted for ...	14	7	6	6	9															20	16	6		
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	8	13		6	2															14	15			
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																								
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1		3			2	3														1	2	6	
7. Total Relief given	9	13	3	6	4	3														15	17	6		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	14	3			4	9														4	19		
9. Total ...	14	7	6	6	9															20	16	6		

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....1.....

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

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

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

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

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

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):—

Submitted notification of transfer from the County Fund of £500 on ac of the 1st instalment of the Quaidians demand for the year ending 31 March 1902

There were no applicants for the vacant positions of "Trained Nurse" and Infirmary Wardsmaster.

Miss Bridget Hoarty resigned her position as Infirmary Wardsmaid.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a Trained Nurse at £50 a year as there are no applicants at £40.

He is also to advertise for a Wardsmaster and Wardsmaid at salaries of £10 each. Elections to be on 4th May

The Porter was allowed the usual Suit of clothes but not to exceed £3.

The Matron was authorised to employ a Painter for one week to do some necessary work in the Chapel, and to procure the requisite paints &c

The Clerk was directed to communicate with the contractor for building Baths &c as to when he will proceed with the work

24 April 1901

Ordered - If any inmate selected to mind a child refuses to do so the Master is to have her prosecuted (with the approval of the Medical Officer) without waiting to bring the matter before the Board.

Resolved - The Board of Guardians of Gort Union desire to request the attention of the Directors of the Great Southern Railway to the fact that the facilities afforded to newspaper reporters by the late Waterford & Limerick Railway to have been withdrawn, and as a consequence the Reporters do not now attend the meetings of this Board.

Resolved - That Mr. J. C. Glynn, Solr, be offered a sum of £35 in settlement of his taxed Bills of Costs viz: -
Guardians £16:18:2, Council £36:3:8,
The Charge of £5:5:0 in connection with the lighting of Gort to be referred to the Lighting Committee.

23 April

Ordered - Instead of publishing the Union and District Council Abstracts as heretofore the Clerk is to make a table of receipts & expenditure and publish that only.

Ordered - If Thomas Keane remains an inmate of the Workhouse the cost of his maintenance is to be deducted from his pension.

The Guardians approved a resolution of the County Tipperary Superintending Board with reference to the qualifications and training of Nurses.

Requisites for the Workhouse School costing £2:10:2 were ordered.

On the Medical Officer's recommendation inmates named Ellen Kellagher and Paddy Mack were ordered to be sent to St. Mark's Hospital for treatment, and £2:10:0 allowed for their travelling expenses.

23 April

The Master reported that he has in his ~~possession~~^{hands} a Deposit Receipt for £11 found in the possession of an inmate named Michael Glynn before his death a few days ago. A Cousin of the deceased named James Glynn of Calf Hill had him buried and paid the funeral expenses Ordered -

Deposit receipt to be handed to James Glynn on condition of his paying £1 towards cost of maintenance of deceased man in the Workhouse.

An inmate named Mrs Kelly was ordered to be discharged, and another inmate named Mary Kellagher to be brought before the Magistrates for refractory conduct.

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	...	49
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	...	162
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 4th day of May 1901.

(Signed) James Burt
 Clerk of the Union

Gort Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of April 1901.

PRESENT--In the Chair,

Other Guardians--

See Guardians Present Folio 829

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
<i>Knivara</i>		<i>Goods ordered</i>

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:--

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
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Submitted letter from Local Gov Board dated 17th inst. requesting to be furnished with queries respecting the temporary appointment of Medical Officers of Ardaraun District.

Order - Referred to Dr. Murray.

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The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

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

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

Kinnivana - 34 defaulters.

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

Mr. J. Gonnally to serve usual notice at remuneration of 5/-

M. C. Connolly
Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 4th day of May 1901.

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

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of April 1901.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729	139												
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—												
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	13												
Fever Sheds	—	—												
TOTAL	780	152												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	27	40	47	4	1	8	6	4	16	49	
Admitted during the Week			25	5	4	1			1	1	1	38	13	
TOTAL			52	32	44	48	4	1	9	7	5	202	62	
Discharged during the Week			32	5	8	1						44		
Died						1						1		
Total Discharged and Dead			32	5	8	2			1			50		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	27	36	46	2	1	8	7	5	152		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of April 1901, 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 19 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	159	262			159	262	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	159	262			159	262

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 4th day of May 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr Thomas Nolan + Mr M. C. Connolly*

Other Guardians:—
Messrs M. J. Burke, J. Burke, W. Carr, M. Caulfield, J. Coen, M. C. Connolly, J. Dealy, M. Feeney, J. Joyce, J. Keenan, J. Lally, M. Mitchell, M. Moylan, J. O'Connor, M. O'Donohue, L. O'Donnell, M. O'Donnell, J. Prendergast, P. Quinn, W. Roseingrave, J. Sweeney, + P. J. Nolan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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:—

- 1020 lbs 40. Bread
- 12 " B "
- 19½ " Butter
- 144½ " Meat
- 540 Eggs
- 58½ Gals Milk
- 3 St Sugar
- 256 Pts Porter
- 2 Doz Lemons
- 4 lbs Tobacco

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Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION

Meeting held the 4th day of May 1901

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 17 day of April 1901 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
				By Inmates		Total		
				£	s. d.			
Provisions	27 17 8	35 8 6	63 6 2			30 8 5	32 17 9	1097
Necessaries	13 10 3	1 7	14 10 10			6 2 5	8 18 5	
Total	41 7 11	36 9 1	77 17			36 10 10	41 16 2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3: 11

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5: 1½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4: 11

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of April 1901 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN			Relieving Officer BURKE			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.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	14	17	4	18	15	5																33	12	9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																								
3. Total to be accounted for ...	14	17	4	18	15	5																33	12	9
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	8	13		6	7	9																15		9
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																								
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1		3			2			3													1	2	6
7. Total Relief given	8	13	3	6	10																	15	3	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	4	1																			18	9	6
	9	13	3	12	5	5																21	18	8
9. Total ...	14	17	4	18	15	5																33	12	9
	5	4	1																			33	12	9

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 20th day of April 1901.

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 ...	79	19	1			

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 ...	195	11	7			
Clothing and Bedding ...	19	3	4			
Establishment ...	19.9.7					
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment ...	25.0.0					
(b.) Workhouse Farm ...	119.16.4					
(c.) Medical Charities ...						
Workhouse Farm ...	26	4	11			
Workhouse Burials ...		8	10			
Medical Charities ...	96.11.8					
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...	39.19.16					
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	60					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...	20	16				
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	18	4	11			
Superannuation Allowances ...	6		6			
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans ...	17	10				
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	768	13	9			

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March 1901 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	692	.	11			
Total sums received during the month	79	19	1			
Total	772	-	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	768	13	9			
Payments ordered at this meeting						
Total	768	13	9			
Net Balance due ^{by} Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	3	6	3			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{30 March} by Treasurer	751	13	9			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	748	7	6			
Net Balance as above due ^{by} Treasurer	3	6	3			

RMT
31 March 1901

Cancel

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

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

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

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 1st inst requesting that a report may be obtained from the Medical Officer as to the sufficiency of the existing arrangements for nursing of children in the Workhouse.

The Medical Officer reported as follows:—

"I have to report that when Mothers are dead or desert their children these are handed over to inmates to be nursed, who accept the charge very reluctantly. This arrangement appears to be insufficient. When Mothers are living they, of course, nurse their own children"

Mr. J. V. Hoyle submitted his report on Stocktaking on 31 March last
Ordered —

All articles of condemned clothing, together with any other waste clothing in the Workhouse, to be cancelled and sold by auction viz:—

50 Sheets 4½ Blankets 14 Pillow Slips,
3 Rollers 3 Men's ^{& boys} Coats, 3 vests, 3 Trowsers,
64 Shirts, 3 Shoes, 10 Stockings, 7 F. drawers,
6 F. Vests, 14 Womens & Girls Gowns, 5 Petticoats,
9 upper Petticoats, 26 Shifts, 56 Aprons, 20 Shoes,
10 Stockings 8 Shawls

Mr Huban Contractor for supply of sugar applied for an advance on his contract price of $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cwt. owing to increased duty of that amount.

Ordered - Increased duty may be charged in contract. 7 may

Wardmistress M^{rs} Inerney was allowed £1 for attending three midwifery cases in the Workhouse.

There were two applicants for the position of Trained Nurse, but as neither appeared to be qualified the Clerk was directed to re-advertise for the day fortnight.

Miss Bridget Hoarty was re-appointed Infirmary Wardsmaid.

There was no applicant for the post of Wardmaster & the Clerk was directed to re-advertise.

The Contractor for making new buildings in the Workhouse wrote that he would commence work next week.

The Master reported that on the 24th ulto the Fever Van broke down whilst conveying a patient to Hospital. It had to be secured with ropes to finish the journey. He is having it temporarily repaired until a new ambulance is provided. In the old van there was no room for an attendant and this accommodation should be provided in the new.

"Postponed"

The Master was granted 5 or 6 days leave of absence during which the Matron, aided by the Porter, will discharge his duties.

The following were ordered:-
1 doz Sweeping brushes, 3 small bolts,
1 - 12 ft 1 x 9 leaf, $\frac{1}{4}$ sheet zinc.

The Master reported that James Hassett the Hospital Attendant left the Workhouse on the 24th ulto without finishing his month's notice.
"Read"

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

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

Ardraraun — 28 Deputters

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

Mr. J. Gonnally to give usual notice at remuneration of 5/-

James Keane

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 18th

day of May 1901.

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

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of May 1901.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	729	142															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	15															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	780	157															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last return			22	27	38	46	4	1	8	8	5	159	48	In separate Wards			
Admitted during the Week			22	4	4	1				2	1	34	15	In Wards with other Inmates	3		
TOTAL			44	31	42	47	4	1	8	10	6	193	TOTAL		3		
Discharged during the Week			23	5	4	1				2	1	36					
Died																	
Total Discharged and Dead			23	5	4	1				2	1	36					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			21	26	38	46	4	1	8	8	5	157					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week	26	4		30
													No. in Workhouse at date	4			4
													No. at corresponding period last year,			134	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of May 1901, 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 19 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	159	262			159	262	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwrd.							TOTAL	159	262			159	262

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 18th day of May 1901

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr James Keane afterwards Mr Tho Nolan*

Other Guardians:—
Mrs Martin. J. Burke. William Carr. Michael. T. Connolly.
Michael Minogue. Michael Moylan. James Noonan
Michael O'Donnell. Patrick Lunnin. Wm Rosengrave
+ Patrick. F. Nilan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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:—

480 lbs. W. Bread
 24 " B "
 4 1/2 " Meat Butter
 135 1/2 " Meat
 206 " O. Meal
 720 Eggs
 40 Gals Milk
 2 cwt Sugar
 1 Dzn Lemons
 5 lbs Tobacco

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Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION.

Meeting held the 18th day of May 1901.

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 11 day of May 1901 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	23	19	11	28	14	2	52	14	1				31	8	8	1105
Necessaries	14	8	9	17	1		15	5	10				4	10	6	
Total	38	8	8	29	11	3	67	19	11				35	19	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 11 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 6

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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of May 1911 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN		Relieving Officer BURKE		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Relieving Officer		Total £ s d.			
	District No. I. £ s d.	District No. II. £ s d.	District No. III. £ s d.	District No. IV. £ s d.	District No. V. £ s d.	District No. VI. £ s d.	District No. VII. £ s d.	District No. VIII. £ s d.	District No. IX. £ s d.	District No. X. £ s d.	District No. XI. £ s d.	District No. XII. £ s d.				
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	15	10	10	24	15	8							40	6	6	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	10	10	24	15	8							40	6	6	
EXPENDITURE.																
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																
In Money ...	8	8		6	12	9							15		9	
In Kind ...																
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1		3		2	3								1	2	6
7. Total Relief given	9	8	3	6	15								16	3	3	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	6	2	7	18		8							24	3	3	
9. Total ...	15	10	10	24	15	8							40	6	6	

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....1.....

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. £ s d.			CR. £ 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. £ s d.			CR. £ s d.		
	Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz:—					
Provisions and Necessaries ...						
Clothing and Bedding ...						
Establishment ...						
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment ...						
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(c.) Medical Charities ...						
Workhouse Farm ...						
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Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...						
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Superannuation Allowances ...						
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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 ...						

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

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 Board dated 10th inst requesting that in the circumstances mentioned by the Medical Officer in his report of the 4th inst the Guardians will appoint a woman experienced in the care of infants as attendant in the Workhouse Nursery.

Ordered—

There is only one deserted child in the Workhouse and the Guardians will endeavour to have it nursed outside.

From same dated 10th inst requesting the Guardians will take immediate steps to procure a four wheeled fever ambulance of a suitable modern type.

Ordered— Adjourned to next meeting

From same dated 10th inst requesting that the Medical Officer may be asked for a written report setting forth the qualifications of Wardeness Mrs Dorney to act as Midwife in the Workhouse

Ordered—

Request Dr. Geoghegan to report

Proposed by Mr. M. J. Conolly
 Seconded by Mr. Jas Keane and
 Resolved:—

"That Miss Bertha M. Conolly
 be appointed Trained Night Nurse
 subject to the approval of her qualifications
 by the Local Govt. Board."

Proposed by Mr. P. J. Neillan
 Seconded by Mr. W. Carr, and
 Resolved:—

"That Thomas Hannegan be
 appointed Wardenmaster in the Infirmary
 on probation for three months. He
 may commence his duties on Monday
 next"

Ordered:— Request Mr. Glynn to
 notice Patrick Callinan to fulfil
 his contract for erecting new buildings
 in the Workhouse

19 May 01

Ordered:— "That in future Patrick Stack
 is not to graze sheep or other animals
 on the Workhouse graveyard; but he
 may cut & remove the grass"

Ordered:— Apply to Mr. M^r Namara
 for the amount he owes for ~~rent~~ rent
 of the land attached to the W. H. graveyard

Ordered:— That the Master get fresh
 meat daily from the Contractor for the
 use of the inmates

Ordered:— That a feather bed be
 purchased from Mr. Lynch @ 30/-
 if the Master considers it value for that
 sum

Ordered— That 16 yards of flannel
 be purchased from Mary Grogan
 @ 1/5 per yard.

The following were ordered for repairs in
 the Hospital:—

24 Leaves 12 x 9 x 5/8, 18-1 1/2 in. screws,
 12 pair Butt Hinges, 1 gross 3/4 in. screws
 5 lb cut nails.

Also: 1 doz Bass Brooms 2 lb Bass, 2
 Boxes steel pens, 1 scythe tree, 8 yds reins,
 3 doz tin saucepans 1 doz tin platters,
 a Carpenter for a few days.

On the Medical Officers recommendation
 a patient named Mary Moore was ordered
 to be sent to the Mater Hospital for
 treatment. The Guardians agree to pay half
 the cost of maintenance in the Mater. The girl's
 father to pay remainder of maintenance
 charge and entire travelling expenses.

Thomas Nolan

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 ... 234

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 ... 159

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was ... 3

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 June 1901.

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a

Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 18th day of May 1901

PRESENT--In the Chair,

Other Guardians--

See Guardians Present Folio 865

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	Consideration of the question of providing a residence for the Medical Officer of Kinnara Dispensary District was adjourned to next meeting in consequence of the small attendance owing to Kinnara fair	

Dr. J. P. Moran Medical Officer of Gort Dispensary District applied for his month's leave of absence. He will appoint a duly qualified substitute before leaving. He may require to take a few days, or a week, of the leave next week, in which case Dr. Geoghegan will do his duty

"Approved"

The following report was received from Sir Charles Cameron
Workhouse

Cod Liver Oil. specific gravity 924. Pure and free from rancidity
Bismuth Oxynitrate — One gramme yielded 0.91 gramme of bismuth sulphide. On chemical treatment according to the method recommended in the Pharmacopoeia the proper quantity 0.94 gramme. No lead, arsenic or other occasional impurities met with in bismuth. The slight excess of bismuth in this preparation is of no consequence.

J. M.

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 1st day of June 1901.

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

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of May 1901

Table with columns for Number of Inmates, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes sub-tables for NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of May 1901, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. X and a TOTAL row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 1st day of June 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Thomas Nolan

Other Guardians:—

Mr. J. Burke, W. Carr, M. Caulfield, T. P. Corless, M. Hynes, J. Keane, M. Mitchell, M. Moylan, J. Noone, L. O'Donnell, M. O'Donnell, T. O'Neill, W. Rosengrave, J. Quinn & P. F. Milan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

980 lbs. W. Bread
 12 " B "
 65½ " Butter
 133½ " Meat
 26 2½ st Potatoes
 540 Eggs
 36½ Gals Milk
 1 chest Tea
 ½ doz Brandy
 1 " Wine
 25½ Pts Porter
 2 doz Lemons
 5 lbs Tobacco

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

GORT UNION.

Meeting held the 9th day of June 1901.

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

Indoor, from No. 3689 to No. 4019

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 25th day of May 1901. 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	17	6	11	45	13	9	63	8				30	10	4	32	10	4	106 7
Necessaries	7	17	4	1	17	1	8	14	5			3	12	2	5	2	3	
Total	25	4	3	46	10	10	71	15	1			34	2	6	37	12	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 11 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 6

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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of May, 1901, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer HARDIMAN		Relieving Officer BURKE		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.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	15	4	18	2	2							34	17	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...															
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	15	4	18	2	2							34	17	6
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	8	12	6	6	12	6							15	5	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1		3			2			3				1	2	6
7. Total Relief given	9	12	9	6	14	9							16	7	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	2	7	11	7	3							18	10	
9. Total ...	16	15	4	18	2	2							34	17	6

[FORM 1 B.]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 18th day of May, 1901

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 April, 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	500					
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 ...	500					

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 ...	46	15	8			
Clothing and Bedding ...	3	11	6			
Establishment ...						
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment ...						
(b.) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c.) Medical Charities ...	3	6	8			
Workhouse Farm ...						
Workhouse Burials ...						
Medical Charities ...			5			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...	2	9	6			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	130					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	24	3				
Superannuation Allowances ...						
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results' Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act, 1875 ...						
Repayment of Loans ...						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	210	11	4			

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of *April* 1901 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	3	6	3			
Total sums received during the month	500	.	.			
Total	503	6	3			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	210	11	4			
Payments ordered at this meeting						
Total	210	11	4			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	292	14	11			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer <i>17 May</i>	455	5	2			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	162	10	3			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	292	14	11			

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

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

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

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):—

Submitted notification of transfer from the bounty Fund of £500, being balance of the first instalment of the Guardians demands for the year ending 31st March 1902.

Letter from Local Govt Board dated 31st ulto, ^{no. 30. 293} sanctioning the appointment of Bridget Hoarty as Wardsmaid in the Infirmary, on conditions that she should not be employed to discharge any nursing duties, and requesting the medical officer to give an undertaking that she shall not act in that capacity during either day or night.

Ordered— Not to be employed as Nurse in future.

The question of providing a suitable four wheeled Ambulance was adjourned to the annual meeting to be held on June 6th.

Proposed by Mr L. O'Donnell, seconded by Mr Moylan, and Resolved:—

"That the spraying material at present on hands be given to poor people recommended by the Guardians of the Division for nothing; also machines — machines out of order to be put in order."

Ordered — advertise for three quantities of coal viz: — Whitehaven, Orrel, and Scotch.

10 June 1901
Ordered — That the contractor and parties be noticed by Mr Glynn, Solicitor, to carry on the work of erecting new buildings in the Workhouse. otherwise a penalty according to the Bonds will be enforced.

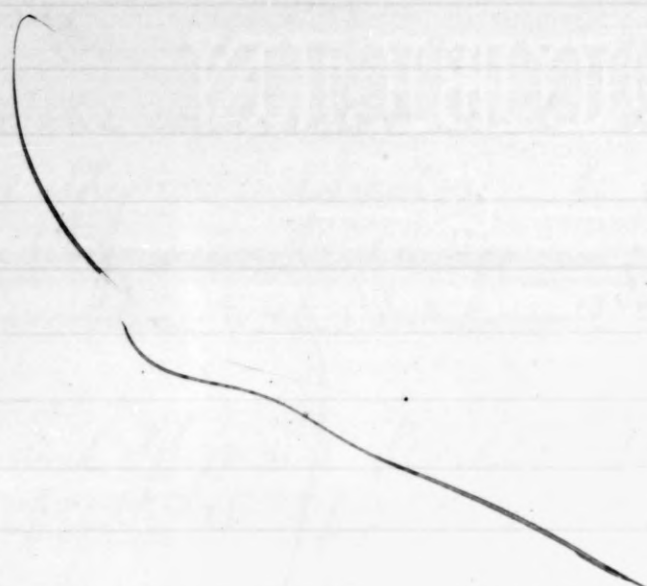
Messrs Halvey and Glynn's tender for broken stones was accepted at $2/3$ per yard.

A patient in hospital named John Brian wrote stating that he would pay $3/6$ per week towards his maintenance.

Ordered — Accept $3/6$ per week.

The Master reported that an inmate named Michael Doolin who was granted 3 days pass last Board-day has not returned, and his wife and child are in the Workhouse.
"Read"

Various small articles were 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 ...

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

(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 Saturdays the _____ day of June 1901.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

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PRESENT--In the Chair,

Other Guardians --

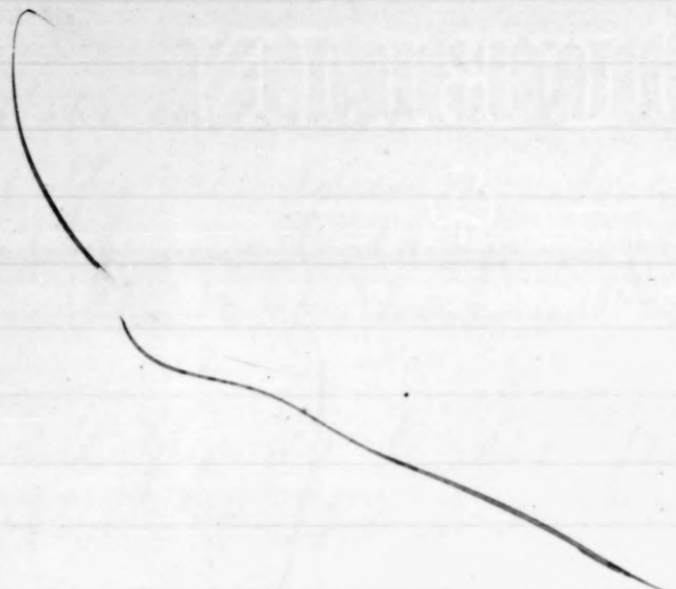
See Guardians Present Folio 883

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Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
<i>Workhouse</i>				<i>Ordered</i>

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:--

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	



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		£	s.	d.	

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
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10 June 1901
The question of providing a Residence for the Medical Officer of Kinsarra Dispensary District having been considered, it was ordered to apply to Mr Glynn, Solicitor, for advice and instructions in the matter.

The following report was received from Sir Charles Cameron:—
Ardrahan Dist^l District

Sulph - Melting point 43.1 centigrade. Almost insoluble in water. Soluble in 10 parts of cold spirit of 90 per cent alcohol. Free Selenic acid absent.

These and other tests prove the purity of the specimen.

Glucose Pure saccharin as it responded satisfactorily to all the tests of purity applied to it.

Glycerine specific gravity 1.258 which is close to the correct gravity 1.260 - No lead sugar or other impurity or adulterant present.

Cod Liver Oil - specific gravity 922.

Pure and free from rancidity.

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
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On Dr. Geoghegan's recommendation an inmate named Peter Cery was ordered to be sent to the Mater Hospital for treatment; and on Dr. Connolly's recommendation a woman named Sarah Staves was ordered to be sent to Galway Hospital.

The letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 30th ulto, pointing out that the Medical Officer of the Workhouse did not comply with the instructions contained in the Board's Circular letter of 20th February 1900, from which he will observe that from 3 to 6 samples should be selected from each quarterly supply for transmission to the Analyst, was referred to Dr. Geoghegan.