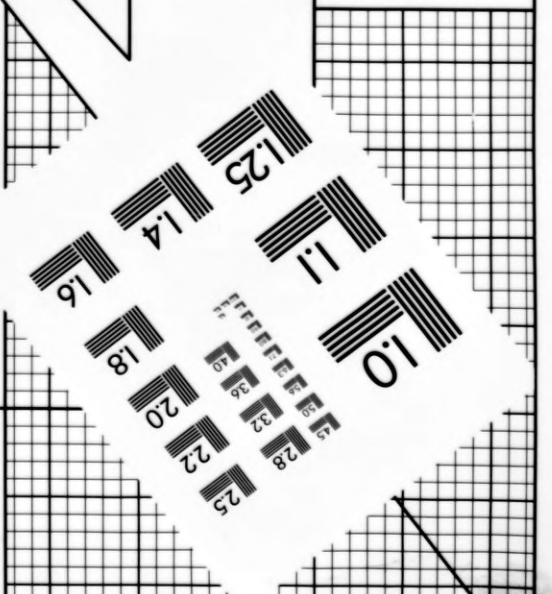
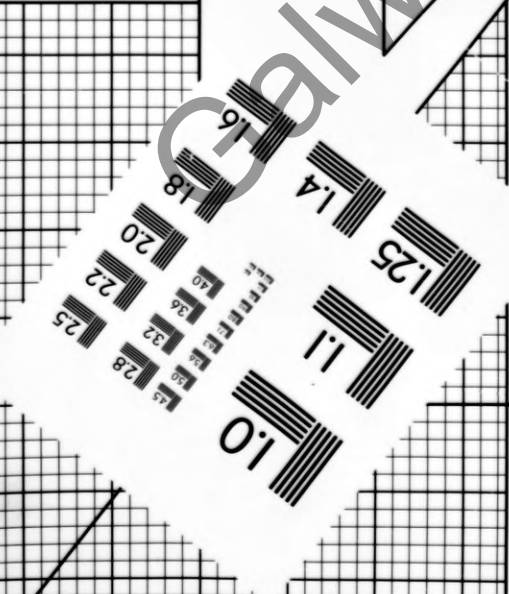
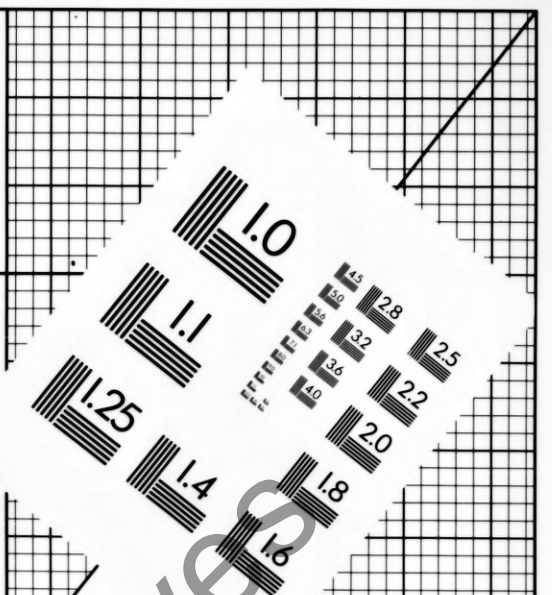
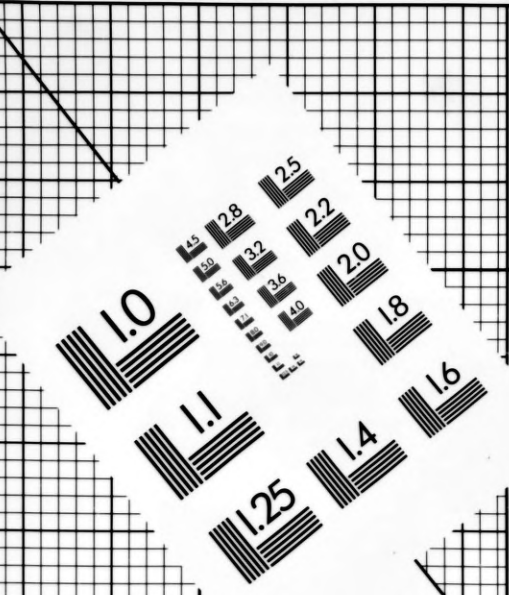
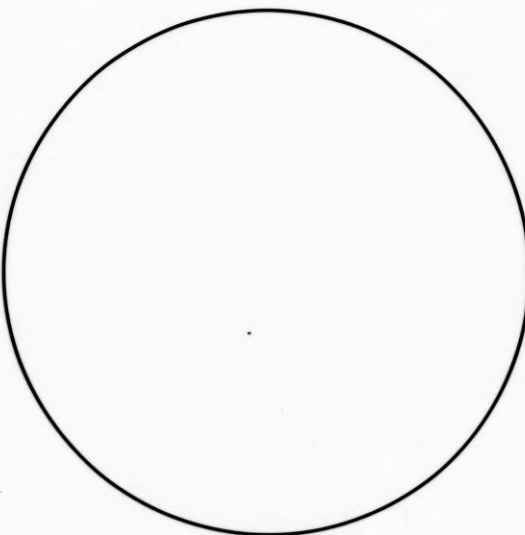




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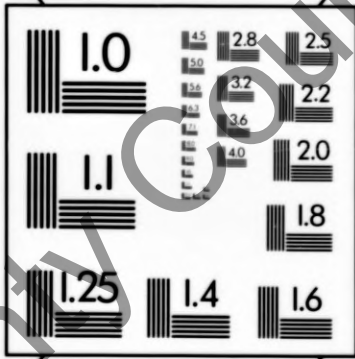
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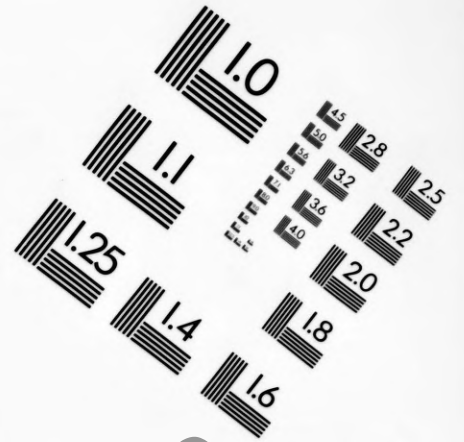
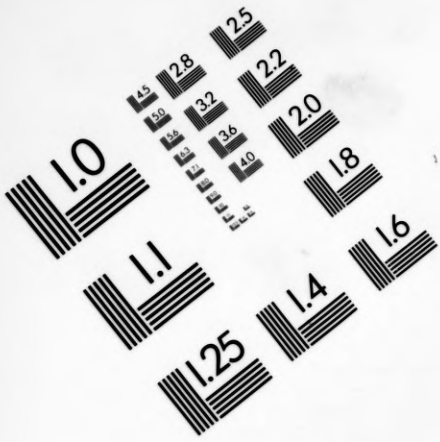
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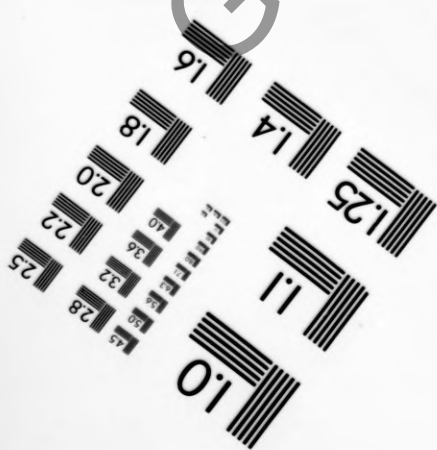
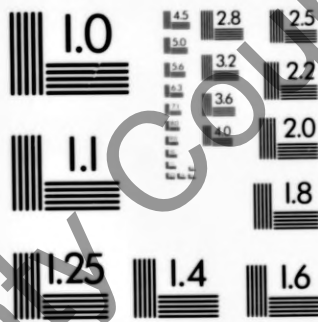


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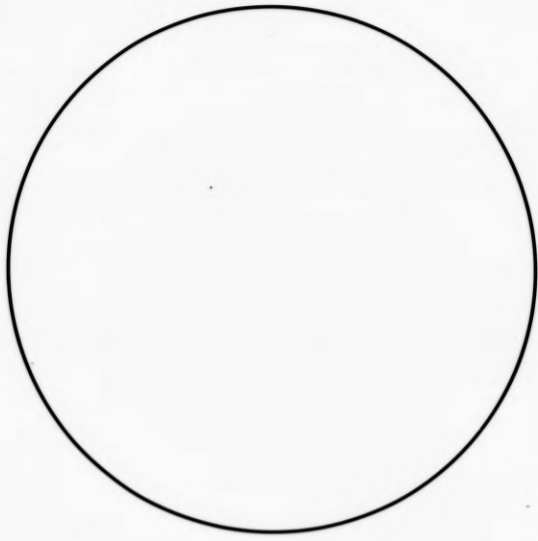
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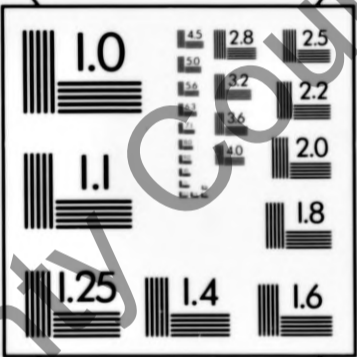
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G01/12/3	8 June 1844 - 5 July 1845
G01/12/4	Missing See Rough Minutes GS01/12/109
G01/12/5	3 April 1846 – 26 March 1847
G01/12/6	2 April 1847 – 28 January 1848
G01/12/7	4 February 1848 – 1 December 1848
G01/12/8	Missing See Rough Minutes G01/12/113
G01/12/9	19 October 1849 – 30 July 1850
G01/12/10	6 August 1850 - 24 March 1851
G01/12/11	31 March 1851 - 20 October 1851
G01/12/12	Missing See Rough Minutes G01/12/117
G01/12/13	25 May 1852 – 22 November 1852
G01/12/14	November 1852 – 9 May 1853
G01/12/15	16 May 1853 – 24 October 1853
G01/12/16	31 October 1853 – 3 April 1954, CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/17	17 April 1854 – 9 October 1854
G01/12/18	16 October 1854 – 9 April 1855
G01/12/19	16 April 1855 - 4 October 1855
G01/12/20	18 October 1855 - 27 March 1856
G01/12/21	29 March 1856 - 7 August 1856 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/22	2 October 1856 – 21 March 1857
G01/12/23	2 April 1857 – 24 September 1857
G01/12/24	8 October 1857 – 1 March 1858
G01/12/25	6 April 1858 – 28 September 1858
G01/12/26	2 October 1858 – 29 March 1859
G01/12/27	5 April 1859 – 17 September 1859 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/28	Missing See Rough Minutes G01/12/134
G01/12/29	27 March 1860 – 25 September 1860
G01/12/30	2 October 1860 – 24 September 1861 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/31	1 October 1861 – 25 March 1862
G01/12/32	1 April 1862 – 23 September 1862



G01/12/33	30 September 1862 – 24 March 1863
G01/12/34	31 March 1863 – 22 September 1863
G01/12/35	29 September 1863 – 22 March 1864
G01/12/36	29 March 1864 – 17 September 1864
G01/12/37	Missing
G01/12/38	28 March 1865 – 19 September 1865
G01/12/39	26 September 1865 – 20 March 1866
G01/12/40	27 March 1866 – 18 September 1866
G01/12/41	25 September 1866 – 19 March 1867
G01/12/42	26 March 1867 – 17 September 1867 - Condition: Fair
G01/12/43	21 September 1867 – 14 March 1868
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G01/12/45	19 September 1868 – 13 March 1869
G01/12/46	28 March 1869 – 11 September 1869
G01/12/47	18 September 1869 – 26 February 1870 (with gaps)
G01/12/48	19 March 1870 – 10 September 1870
G01/12/49	17 SEPTEMBER 1870 – 11 MARCH 1871
G01/12/50	8 MARCH 1871 – 9 SEPTEMBER 1871
G01/12/51	11 November 1871 – 9 March 1872
G01/12/52	16 March 1872 – 7 September 1872
G01/12/53	14 SEPTEMBER 1872 – 8 MARCH 1873
G01/12/54	15 March 1873 – 26 July 1873
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G01/12/59	23 October 1875 – 6 May 1876
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G01/12/64	20 July 1878 – 8 February 1879
G01/12/65	15 February 1879 – 6 September 1879



G01/12/66	13 September 1879 – 20 March 1880
G01/12/67	27 March 1880 – 2 October 1880
G01/12/68	9 October 1880 – 9 April 1881
G01/12/69	16 April 1881 – 22 October 1881
G01/12/70	29 October 1881 – 6 May 1882
G01/12/71	13 May 1882 – 18 November 1882 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/72	25 November 1882 – 2 June 1883
G01/12/73	9 June 1883 – 8 December 1883
G01/12/74	15 December 1883 – 14 June 1884
G01/12/75	21 June 1884 – 20 December 1884 - CLOSED – due to fragile condition
G01/12/76	2 January 1885 – 4 July 1885
G01/12/77	11 July 1885 – 2 January 1886
G01/12/78	17 July 1886 – 22 January 1887
G01/12/79	5 February 1887 – 6 August 1887
G01/12/80	13 AUGUST 1887 – 3 MARCH 1888
G01/12/81	22 September 1888 – 5 October 1889
G01/12/82	19 October 1889 – 31 October 1891
G01/12/83	14 November 1891 – 9 December 1893
G01/12/84	6 January 1894 – 18 January 1896
G01/12/85	1 February 1896 – 26 February 1898
G01/12/86	12 March 1898 – 29 July 1889 - Incorporates minutes of Gort Rural District Council 15 April – 29 July 1899
G01/12/87	2 September 1899 – 15 June 1901
G01/12/88	24 August 1901 – 22 August 1903
G01/12/89	Missing
G01/12/90	28 October 1905 – 9 November 1907
G01/12/91	23 November 1907 - 7 November 1908
G01/12/92	21 November 1908 – 23 October 1909
G01/12/93	6 November 1909 – 8 October 1910 - CLOSED due to its Poor Condition
G01/12/94	22 October 1910 – 23 September 1911
G01/12/95	7 October 1911 - 21 September 1912
G01/12/96	5 October 1912 – 6 September 1913
G01/12/97	6 September 1913 - 25 July 1914



G01/12/98	8 August 1914 – 24 July 1915
G01/12/99	7 August 1915 – 14 April 1917
G01/12/100	12 May 1917 – 12 April 1919
G01/12/101	10 May 1919 – 14 May 1921
G01/12/102 – 103	Missing

Indoor Relief Register

G01/12/104 24 August 1914 - 11 August 1920 - Restricted Access

Indoor Relief List

G01/12/105 March 1917 - 30 September 1919 - FRAGILE – IN POOR CONDITION

Incoming Letter Book

G01/12/106 11 March 1912 - 25 March 1916 - RESTRICTED ACCESS IN POOR
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Provision Receipt and Consumption Account and Provisions Check Account

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**Board of Guardian Rough Minutes**

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G01/12/117	25 October 1851 – 18 May 1852
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G01/12/120	16 May 1853 – 24 October 1853
G01/12/121	31 October 1853 – 10 April 1854
G01/12/122	17 April 1854 – 9 October 1854
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G01/12/124	16 April 1855 – 11 October 1855
G01/12/125	25 October 1855 – 27 March 1856
G01/12/126	Missing
G01/12/127	16 October 1856 – 12 March 1857
G01/12/128	7 April 1857 – 30 April 1857
G01/12/129	Missing
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G01/12/132	2 October 1858 – 29 March 1859
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24 August 1901 - 22 August 1903

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GORT UNION.

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43017: 10:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of August 1901.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	729	128														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	9														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	780	137														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			13	21	32	45	3	8	4	8	136	44	In separate Wards 3			
Admitted during the Week			37	14	7	1	2	7	5	73		9	In Wards with other Inmates 3			
Born																
TOTAL			52	35	39	45	4	10	11	13	209	53	TOTAL 3			
Discharged during the Week			36	14	5	2	3	6	6	72						
Died																
Total Discharged and Dead			36	14	5	2	3	6	6	72						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	21	34	45	2	7	5	7	137					
												NIGHT LODGES OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	41	12	12	65
												No. in Workhouse at date	3		1	4
												No. at corresponding period last year, 130				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of August 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.	165	263			165	263	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL ..	165	263			165	263

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 24th day of August 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Thomas Nolan

Other Guardians:—

Mept. M. J. Burke. J. W. Brady. Murray. W. Carr.

J. Clayton. J. P. Coles. M. C. Connolly

M. Feeney. M. Hynes. M. Mitchell

M. O'Donnell. J. Quinn, P. Quinn + P. J. Nolan

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

1070 lbs W. Bread
 36 " B "
 43 3/4 " Butter
 67 1/2 " Meat
 300 " Bacon
 480 Eggs
 54 1/2 Gals Milk
 1/2 Barrel Poter
 2 Doz Oranges
 2 cwt Soap
 5 lbs Tobacco

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:—

Galway County Council

[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 24th day of August 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. 4296 to No. 4468

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 17th day of August 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	34	11		28	18	11	62	19	10				25	11	2	37	8	8
Necessaries	5	19	10		13	8	6	13	6				3	9	2	3	4	4
Total	40	9		29	12		69	13	4				29	11	4	40	13	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	£	s.	d.
	3	6	
Average-Cost in Infirmary	4	4	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	4	3 1/2	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of August 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 ...	23	18	8	21		8							44	19	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...															
3. Total to be accounted for ...	23	18	8	21		8							44	19	4
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ..	8	11		6	13	6							15	4	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		18	9		2	3							1	1	
7. Total Relief given	9	9	9	6	15	9							16	5	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	14	9	11	14	4	11							28	13	10
9. Total ...	23	18	8	21		8							44	19	4

Form 1b.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 July, 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	5	00				
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 ...		18	9			
Cr. Loans received ...						
Total as above ...	500	18	9	500	18	9

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	52	4	5			
Clothing and Bedding	17					
Establishment	2	6	8			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment						
(b.) Workhouse Farm						
(c.) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	14	17	6			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	15	18	8			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations		5				
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	70					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	68	1	6			
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	15					
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	238	13	9	238	13	9

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurers Account for the month ending the last day of *July* 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	129	8	5			
Total sums received during the month	500	18	9			
Total	630	7	2			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	"	"	"			
Payments ordered at this meeting	238	13	9			
Total	238	13	9			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	392	13	5			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer <i>9 August</i>	639	10	11			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	247	17	6			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	391	13	5			

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 the transfer to the Union Fund of £500 being the balance of 2nd instalment of the Guardians demand in respect of the year to 31 Mar. 02

The Guardians had under consideration the Local Govt. Board's Circular of the 4th ulto with reference to the accommodation and medical treatment of Sane Epileptics in the Workhouse
Ordered—

So far as this Union is concerned we consider the proposed Institution unnecessary

The Clerk was allowed a fortnight's leave of absence — including next Board day if necessary —

Mr Gormally (Assistant Clerk) will discharge his duties free of all extra cost to the Guardians.

The Master reported that on the 12th inst he sold for £14 a cow nearly dry and not in calf; and later on bought an in-calf cow for £14: 17: 6
Approved.

The Master reported that there is on the Workhouse farm a small plot of early potatoes rather much blighted.

Ordered— To be given to the inmates.

Ordered— Contractor to be informed that the supply of coals contracted for must be sent direct from the vessel to the Workhouse, not being first stored in any yard.

26 Aug

Various small articles were ordered for use in 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	73
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	165
 The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	 2

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 7th day of September 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 24th day of August 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

See Guardians Present Folio 1

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.	

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

On the application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 E 2 and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Guardians therein; namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
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Letters from Local Govt. Board dated 14th and 23rd insto forwarding copy of a letter which they have addressed to Mr. Peter R. Garvey, and his reply thereto relative to the proposal of Major Gallraith to build a Dispensary House at Peterswell.

Ordered —

"The Guardians are not prepared to guarantee a Loan or to assume any responsibility in connection with the building of a Dispensary House at Peterswell.

They are however prepared to take any suitable building from Major Gallraith at the same rent they are now paying, namely £7 a year, and on the same terms as to six months notice &c."

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 report on Drugs from Cork Workhouse was received from Sir Charles Cameron:—

cod liver Oil — specific gravity, 926. Free from foreign oils — Not rancid.

Aromatic spirit of Ammonia — specific gravity, 890.
Ammonia 2.14 grammes per 100 cubic centimetres
Alcohol by volume 61.1 p. cent. equal to spirit of 90 p. cent, 69 p. cent. Oils of and
lemon present — correct —

Compound Tincture of Senna — specific gravity, 987.
Extract 10.5 grammes per 100 cubic centimetres.
Alcohol by volume 4.3 per cent equal to 45.5
per cent of spirit of 45 per cent alcohol —
barra-way, Raisins and borax present — correct —

Galway County

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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Ordered — Ask Mr. Glynn to apply to the Land Commission to consent to the sale of the site of the Kinnvara Dispensary Residence to the Guardians; and to apportion the annual instalment to be paid by the Guardians in respect of same.
26 Aug

Ordered — Request the Local Govt Board to ~~say~~ state whether the Dispensary District or the Union at Large would be the area of charge for repayment of expenses in connection with the building of a Dispensary Residence at Kinnvara.

Dr. Joly, Medical Officer of Ardaraun District, reported that he had ordered, from a local Carpenter, a pair of crutches for a poor man named Pat Larkin of Ballynabuckly, aged 73 years, who met with an accident which caused a fracture of head of thigh bone

Approved

[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 :-

Galway County
James Keane

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of September 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 31st day of August 1901.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, Children above and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of August 1901, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

Table with columns: Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, 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.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of September 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Tho. Nolan afterwards Mr. Jas Keane
Other Guardians :-
Messrs Martin, J. Burke, Thomas P. Colless, Thomas Lally,
Michael Mitchell, Michael O'Donohue, Michael O'Donnell
William Roseingrave, Michael Tannian + Patrick F. Nilan

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:—

1030 lbs W Bread
 36 " B
 47 " Butter
 88 " meat
 480 Eggs
 47½ Gals Milk
 1 chest Tea
 4 lbs Tobacco

Galway County Council Archives

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting.)

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 7th day of September 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. 4468 to No. 4550
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out door „ No. 96 to No. 200

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 31st day of August 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	35	13	3	19	18	1	55	11	4			23	7	7	32	3	9
Necessaries	12	14	8	13	8		13	8	4			3	12	10	9	15	6
Total	48	7	11	20	11	9	68	19	8			27	5	4	41	19	3

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 9
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 10½
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 4 : 5½

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of August, 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 ...	24 19 2	17 17 2					42 16 4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	24 19 2	17 17 2					42 16 4
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	8 9 .	6 13 .					15 2 .
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	18 9 .	2 3 .					1 1 .
7. Total Relief given	9 7 9	6 15 3					16 3 .
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	15 11 5	11 1 11					26 13 4
9. Total ...	24 19 2	17 17 2					42 16 4

Form 1b.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 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 Letter from Local Govt Board dated 30th ulto stating that they have received Major Rutledge Fair's report on his recent inspection of the Workhouse which is of a satisfactory character.

The Board are glad to observe that bath-rooms water closets & lavatories are being provided and that the Guardians have accepted a tender for a new ambulance of modern design.

The Inspector suggests that the Guardians would do well to provide a substantial range for the Workhouse kitchen as it is impossible to cook properly with the antiquated arrangement now in use.

He further reports:- that the walls of the maternity ward should be plastered; two ^{new} grates are required in the male & female infirmary wards; the lower infirmary wards (male side) are very damp; a few arm chairs are required in the sick wards.

Ordered:- Question of providing new kitchen Range & new grates in the infirmary postponed for new Board. The walls of maternity ward to be plastered. The building now in progress will remedy the dampness in the lower ward to some extent. Four arm chairs to be provided by the Master for the sick wards.

From same, dated 28th ulto forwarding copy of Capt. Wynne's report on his recent audit of the Union accounts which he states he found to agree and to be correct.
Read

Resolved:- That Miss Louisa Reade be appointed Trained Night Nurse in the Infirmary at a salary of £50 a year with rations on condition that she goes through a three months course of midwifery training at her own expense. In the meantime the Medical Officers may requisition a temporary Trained Nurse, if required.

Ordered - The Master to provide a heat indicator for the new kitchen at cost not exceeding 12/6

Ordered - Invite tenders for usual yearly supplies of all sorts (including hay) for this day fortnight. Notice the Guardians, and advertise in "Clareman" & "Clare Record" in addition to the usual papers.

A draft for £366 being the 1st instalment of Loan of £466 for new baths &c in the Workhouse was received from the Board of Works.

Clothing not to exceed $2\frac{5}{8}$ was allowed to a woman leaving the Workhouse.

An Eccise pensioner named John Boland was admitted to the Infirmary for medical treatment at a charge of $\frac{3}{8}$ per week. The Collector to be requested to pay full amount of pension direct to the Master who is to hand the balance to Mr Boland.

The Board accepted Andrew Lynskey's tender to purchase broken stones at $\frac{2}{6}$ per yard.

An inmate named Christy Farrell was allowed 10/- worth of clothing on leaving the Workhouse and Mary Doolin was granted a rug, two ticks, and a half blanket out of cancelled clothing.

Relieving Officer Burke did not attend the Board meeting, nor did he forward his Books or any explanation as to the cause of his absence.

The Master reported that he had to employ a Range Setter from Galway to set the new Range lately purchased for the Infirmary. The man is not yet quite finished but estimates his charges will amount to about £2= Approved.

Various small articles were ordered for use in 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 ...	82
Ditto disallowed ...	—
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...	441
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 ...	164
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was ...	2

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 21st day of September 1901.

(Signed), Myling Buid
Clerk of the 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 7th day of September 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

See Guardians Present 21

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.	
<u>Kinnarra (Medicines)</u>				<u>Ordered</u>

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.	

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

On the application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.— The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 E 2 and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Guardians therein; namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
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The following report on Drugs from Andrahan Dispensary Dist was received from Sir Charles Cameron:—

Syrup of Cascara Sagrada
 Specific gravity 1.108 — Extract ~~138.52~~ 138.52 gramme per 100 cubic centimetres. Absolute alcohol by volume 17.01 per cent equal to 18.9 per cent of spirit of 90 per cent of alcohol. — Correct —

Juice of Taraxacium
 Specific gravity 995 — Extract 4.85 gramme per 100 cubic centimetres. Absolute alcohol by volume 23.22 per cent, equal to 25.8 per cent of spirit, of 90 per cent of alcohol — Correct —

Citrate of iron and quinine
 It seems correct but the sample came in papers and absorbing moisture mixed with the papers and rendered examination unsatisfactory.

Solution of Ammonium acetate
 Specific gravity 1.017 — Neutral or being boiled leaves no residue on ignition only water. Acetic acid and ammonia present — Correct —

Charles. A. Cameron

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
	Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 6 th inst stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry of 24 th ulto that the area of charge for expenses in connection with the erection of a Dispensary Residence at Kinvanna is under sec 43 of the Local Government Act to be the Union at Large.	
	Mr Perse C.E. submitted drawings of the proposed Dispensary Residence. Ordered — Referred to Committee & Dr Formally for report as to suitability of plans. Summon meeting of Committee for 1 st or on Monday week	
	The following notice was given:— I will move on this day fortnight that the Resolution proposing to build a Dispensary Residence for the Medical Officer of Kinvanna Dispensary District be rescinded (Signed) James Keane	

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:—

Blank lines for reporting dispensary districts.

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



Thomas Nolan

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 21st day of September 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 14th day of September 1901.

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, Boys and Girls), and medical status (RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS).

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSON relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of September 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 (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and other categories.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 21st day of September 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Nolan afterwards Mr. Keane. Other Guardians:— Capt. M. D. Burke, W. Carr, J. Clayton, J. P. Corless, M. C. Connolly, J. Deely, M. Fallon, M. Feeney, M. Grady, E. Hallinan, P. J. Hayes, M. Hynds, J. Keely, J. Kelly, M. Minogue, M. Mitchell, J. Noone, J. O'Connor, M. O'Donohue, L. O'Donnell, M. O'Donnell, P. Quinn, J. Quinn, W. Rosengrave, M. Tannian

The Minutes of the 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:—

1080 lbs. W. Bread
 24 " B "
 42 3/4 " Meat Butter
 92 " Meat
 11 st Potatoes
 480 Eggs
 2 cwt Sugar
 4 lbs Tobacco

Galway County Council Archives

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 21st day of September 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 14th day of September 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	32	3	9	33	11	6	65	15	3				25	6	40	14	9
Necessaries	9	15	6	69	4		78	15	10				4	2	74	13	4
Total	41	19	3	102	11	10	144	11	1				29	3	115	8	1

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 3: 9 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary £ 4: 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ 4: 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 Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of September 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 ...	16 6 8	20 2 8					40 9 4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16 6 8	20 2 8					40 9 4
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	8 11	6 15					15 6
In Kind ...							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	2 10						2 10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	18 9	2 3					1 1
7. Total Relief given	9 12 7	6 17 3					16 9 10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	6 14 1	17 5 5					23 19 6
9. Total ...	16 6 8	20 2 8					40 9 4

Form 1b.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 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):—

In compliance with the Local Gov Board Letter of 13th inst Relieving Officer Burke submitted an explanation as to his failure to attend the Board meeting on the 7th inst.

No order

Ordered — Request R. O. Burke to return to the Master the two Spraying Machines given to him in 1899 and to send in his account of receipts for hire of same.

Resolved — That the Workhouse Officer be allowed the same remuneration as last year (£2) for selling vegetables off the Workhouse Farm.

Clothing, not to exceed 15/-, was allowed to a late inmate named Mrs Fitzgerald.

The contractor for building Baths in the Workhouse was allowed an instalment of £50 on producing the necessary certificate from Mr. P. C. E.

The following tenders for work + supplies to 30th Sep 1902 were accepted:—

M. McCarthy	White Bread	@ 6 ^o per 4 lb loaf
	Brown "	@ 5 ^o "
Mr. J. Tierney	Oatmeal	10 ^o 3 per cwt.
	Flour	9/11 "
	White Bran	5/10 "
M. O'Grady	Rice	1/6 per stone
	Tobacco	3/3 " lb
	Snuff	4/2 " "
	Ale	1/10 " doz
	Malaga Wine	20/- " "
	Silver Paraffin Candles	8 1/2 " lb.
	Starch	3 1/2 " "
	Blue	5 " "
D. J. Burke	Black Pepper	9 ^o " lb.
	White "	1/11 " "
	Arrowroot Biscuits	5 1/2 " "
	Whiskey	18/8 " gallon
	* Potraidy	55/- " doz
	Maroala Wine	12/6 " "
	Fresh Brown Soap	18/5 " cwt.
	Washing Soda	4/6 " doz
	Oranges Lemons	1/3 " doz
Malachy Huban	Arrowroot	8/6 " stone
	Pure Wax Candles	1/8 " lb.
Annie Lammage	Fresh Hen Eggs	9 ^o per 120 over market price
"	Butter	10 1/2 per lb (Fresh + salt)

Michael Hayes Port Wine ¹² c 14/- per doz

Edw Kennedy Phoenix XXX Porter 2 1/6 per 1/2 Barrel

E.M. Nilan New Milk, 5 galls daily, @ 9/- per gal.

Ellen Ruane Do 4 " " 9/-

M.A. Reynolds Do 4 " " 9/-

John Mulkerre Do 2 " " 8 1/4

Joseph Dollard Books, Forms, &c

Clareman Printing Co All Printing & advertising @ £25-

John Cartz Posting Notices, Ararat handist £2:5:0

Do Do Gort £2:15:0

Mien Tully Do Kinsale £2:5:0

Michael Glynn Coffins & Shrouding @ 8/- each

Thos French Plumbing Work @ £9-

John Mulkerre All Horse work @ £20-

Mrs. Ellen Glynn Royal Daylight Petroleum @ 8 1/4 gallon

Do Hardware, Timber, Paints, &c &c

James Mastor Plastering Malabar Ward £1:5:0

Do Cementing Eastern £0:15:0

George Gibbs Drains @ half price

Thos Broderick Making mens suits @ 6/6 each

" " " " " 8/-

" " " " " 8/-

" " " " " 3/6

Pat Brennan Making Mens Shoes @ 5/- per pair

" " Womens 4/-

" " Boys 2/6

" " Girls 2/6

" " Hospital 2/6

Soleing & wetting 2/6

Soleing only 2/-

Mrs. Sheahan 100 yds Oxford Shirting @ 6 1/2 per yard

100 " Cotton Sheetting (70) 9 3/4

200 " Do (60) 8 1/2

400 " Shirting (alias) 4 1/4

200 " Lining 3 5/8

150 " Linen Check (36) 5 1/2

60 lb Warsted 1/4 per lb

2 gross Reels 16/- per gross

24 pieces Tape 3/- per piece

100 yds Petticoat material 8/- " yd

1 piece undressed Calico 5 1/2

12 lb Housewife Thread 2/10 " lb

40 yds Print Calico 8 1/4 " yd

50 " Corduroy 1/4 " "

Gort Industries Ltd, 300 yds Linen Sheetting 1/10 per yd

James Griffin Glazing &c @ £4-

Do Dispensary or Boards @ £1:10:0

Samples of Tea to be sent to Sir C. Cameron for analysis. Contract for sugar to be given to the best sample of tea at the lowest price of sugar among tenders.

Ordered - The Master to purchase American Pork as required.

Ordered - The Master to purchase the quantity of Hay he requires at price not to exceed 4.5/- per ton.

Ordered - Advertise again for meat and potatoes.

Ordered - That Honor Birmingham be given a child, or two, to nurse out of the Workhouse on usual conditions, and at the rate of £6 each per annum.

Ordered - The Master to get any necessary repairs done to the roofs &c of the Workhouse when required at a sum not to exceed £6:10:0 for the year.

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 5th day of October 1901.

(Signed), *Wm. J. Smith*
Clerk of the 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 21st day of September 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair-

Other Guardians -

See Members Present Folio 41

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

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 Local Govt Board dated 12 th with referring to vaccination defaulters and requesting that active steps be taken to enforce compliance with the law.	Ordered - Notices have been served on all the defaulters in the Union and they are now coming in.
		The Kinnivarra Dispensary House Committee reported that they have unanimously approved of the plans of the buildings.	Ordered - Ask Mr Perse to complete the drawings &c as soon as possible.
		Mr. James Keane's motion to rescind the resolution proposing to provide a residence for the Medical Officers of Kinnivarra District was defeated by 25 votes to 2.	

[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 names of children.

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

Galway County

Thomas Nolan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of October 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 28th day of September 1901.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of Sept. 1901.

Table with columns: 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.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of October 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Thomas Nolan. Other Guardians: Messrs. M. J. Burke, W. Leary, M. Caulfield, J. Joyce, M. Minogue, M. Mitchell, J. Noonan, M. O'Donohue, L. O'Donnell, W. Roseingrave, and P. J. Nilan.

The Minutes of the 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:—

- 1040 lbs. W. Bread
- 24 " B
- 47 " Butter
- 101½ " Meat
- 500 Eggs
- 44½ Gals Milk
- 2 half Bls Poter
- 2 cwt Sugar
- 4 lbs Tobacco

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[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 5th day of October 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 28 day of Sept 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	35	10	1	21	10	.	57	.	1				25	39		31	16	4
Necessaries	115	10	.	.	17	1	116	7	1				4	13	.	111	14	1
Total	151	.	1	22	7	1	173	7	2				29	16	9	143	10	5

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	...	£	s.	d.	3	7
Average Cost in Infirmary	...	...	£	s.	d.	4	4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	...	...	£	s.	d.	4	9½

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of Sept, 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 ...	36	14	1	30	9	2																67	3	3
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																								
3. Total to be accounted for ...	36	14	1	30	9	2																67	3	3
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ..	8	9	6	6	13																	15	2	6
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																								
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	18	9		2	3																	1	1	
7. Total Relief given	9	8	3	6	15	3																16	3	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	27	5	10	23	13	11																50	19	9
9. Total	36	14	1	30	9	2																67	3	3

Form 1b.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 August, 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			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	266	1	11			
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment	4	16	8			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment						
(b.) Workhouse Farm	2					
(c.) Medical Charities	3	6	8			
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials		17	8			
Medical Charities	3	14				
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	2					
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	90					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	15	4	5			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	5		8			
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	50					
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	443	2				

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurers Account for the month ending the last day of August 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	391	13	5			
Total sums received during the month	500					
Total	891	13	5			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	393	2				
Payments ordered at this meeting	443	2		50		
Total	393	2		50		
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	498	11	5	* 50		* Due to Trans?
	448	11	5			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer 20 Sep.	868	12	2			nil
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	370		9	50		
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer	498	11	5	* 50		* Due to Trans?
	448	11	5	Correct		

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):—

Tenders for supply of meat and potatoes were considered too high, & the Clerk was directed to readvertise for these articles; as also for the conveyance of patients to the Workhouse if Mr. Mulkerin does not agree to accept £20 (provided he is able to satisfactorily work the new Ambulance)

The Clerk was directed to inquire of the Local Govt Board whether there is any objection to the examination of the Relieving Officers Books by a Committee appointed for the purpose instead of submitting them to the Board.

Ordered— That Patrick Lee be discharged from the Workhouse next week

Clothing (including boots) not to exceed 15/- was allowed for two children boarded out with Mr. Brady Coen.

The Clerk reported that the time allowed to Patrick Callinan & Robert McDonald for completion of their contracts for building and fitting up Baths &c in the Workhouse expired on the 30th ulto.

He understands that Mr. Callinan's portion of the work is not yet half finished, but that Mr. McDonald cannot proceed further until Callinan makes way for him. By the terms of the Bonds the Architect has power to extend the time at his discretion; but failing this each contractor is liable to a penalty of £5 per week from the 1st October until his contract is completed.

Ordered— Mr. Glynn (Solr) to notice Callinan of his liability under the Bond.

The Master reported that his receipts during the half year to 30th ulto amounted to £64:17:3 and that he had lodged this sum to the credit of the Union.

Various small articles were ordered for use in the Workhouse.



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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 19th day of October 1901.

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the 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 5th day of October 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

See Guardians Present Folio 61

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.	
Gort	—			Ordered

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

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
		A sum of £3 was ordered to be paid to Dr. Moran for acting as locum tenens in Ardaraheen Dispensary District for six days during the illness of Dr. Foley.	

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[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	15	defaulters
Kinnvara	22	do
Ardrahan	27	do

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

Informally to serve the usual notices at remuneration of 2/6 + 5/-^{5/12} respectively

Galway County Council

Thomas Nolan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 19th

day of Oct. 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 12 day of October 1901.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 8 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 8 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	121														
Temporary Buildings	—	—														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	11														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	780	132														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	21	33	44	2	1	8	5	8	145	41	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			27	7	8				3	4		50	11	In Wards with other inmates	3	
Born																
TOTAL			50	28	41	44	2	4	12	5	9	195	52	TOTAL	3	
Discharged during the Week			28	8	10	2			3	6	1	63				
Died																
Total Discharged and Dead			28	8	10	2			3	6	1	63				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	20	31	42	2	1	6	4	4	132				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of October 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.	166	259			166	259	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	166	259			166	259

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 19th day of October 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Nolan subsequently Mr. Keane

- Other Guardians:-
- Messrs. M. J. Burke, J. Burke, J. W. Brady-Murray, W. Carr, M. Caulfield
 - J. P. Coles, J. Coen, J. Daly, M. Fallon, M. Fenech
 - M. Grady, P. J. Hayes, M. Hynes, J. Joyce, J. Kelly
 - M. Minogue, M. Mitchell, M. Nolan, P. Nelly, J. Wood
 - J. O'Connell, J. O'Dea, M. O'Donohue, K. O'Donnell, M. O'Donnell
 - J. O'Neill, J. Quinn, J. Quinn, W. Rosegrave
 - J. Sweeney, M. Tannan

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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:—

- 180 lbs W. Bread
- 24 " B "
- 57 " Butter
- 101 " Meat
- 760 eggs
- 7 3/4 lbs Biscuits
- 128 PK Porter
- 2 cwt Soap
- 5 lbs Tobacco

[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 19th day of October 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. 4550 to No. 4819

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 12th day of October 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	4	23	7	7	57	.	11				26	12	2	30	8	9
Necessaries	109	8	7	2	7	1	111	15	8				570	8	106	5		
Total	142	11	11	26	4	8	168	16	7				32	2	10	136	13	9

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3:10 ³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary : 5: 1 ³/₄

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 4: 9 ³/₄

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

Read notification of the transfer to the Union Fund of £500 being an ap of the 3rd instalment of the Guardians demand in respect of the year ending 31 Mar. 1902

Read letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 16th inst stating in reply to the Guardians inquiry of 5th inst that they could not approve of the proposal to submit the Relieving Officers Books to a Committee instead of the Board unless the Guardians wish to appoint a Committee under Sec 39 (1) of the Local Gov^t Act.

Ordered - That the following flannel be purchased:-
 Mr Kelly 30 yards @ 1/5⁰ per yard
 Mr Connolly 62 " " " "

Sir Charles Cameron forwarded the result of his analysis of tea samples and on his recommendation the Guardians accepted sample No 1, Mr D & Burke, @ 2/- per lb. Mr Burke was also declared Contractor for Sugar @ 16/4 per cwt.

Clothing not to exceed 10/- was allowed for the child boarded out with Mr Sabina Sheedy.

Ordered - Request Mr Glynn (Sols.) to take the necessary steps to get up possession of the Workhouse Graveyard from the tenants, P. Stack & J. M. Namara, and to advise them not to put any grazing stock on the lands in the meantime.

Ordered - That Mr John Mulkeas be allowed a sum of £20 for the conveyance of patients to the Workhouse and doing all horse work on the Farm to the 30th September 1902 provided he is able to work the new Ambulance satisfactorily.

The Guardians reserve to themselves the right to terminate this contract at any time Mr Mulkeas does not give the Master satisfaction, or is found to be unable to properly work the new Ambulance.

The Guardians accepted Mr M. O'Grady's tender for supply of Potatoes @ 2⁹/₁₀₀ per Stone.

Tenders for meat were considered too high and the Clerk was directed to advertise again inviting separate tenders for Beef & Mutton.

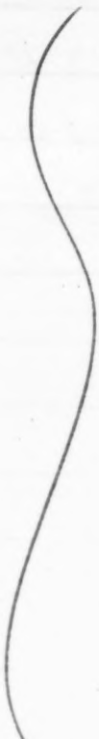
The Matron reported that having had to wait for a supply of sheeting she used 21 old sheets to repair others
"Approved"

The Stock Taker submitted his return
The condemned articles of clothing were ordered to be sold by tender

Read letter from Mr. O'Mallonan stating that he is doing his utmost to complete his contract for Bates & Co. He has one part almost finished and asks an extension for a few months more.

Ordered - Let Mr. O'Mallonan apply to Mr. Perse for an extension of the time, and if he grants it the Comptroller will not object.

List of Articles of Clothing Condemned:-
52 Sheets, 16 Quilts, 9 Blankets, 5 Straw Bolsters
29 Pillow Slips 22 Towels, 21 Bed Ticks, 10 News Coats
14 Vests, 14 Trowsers 42 Shirts 22 Shoes, 4 1/2 Stockings
6 Hats, 9 F Drawers, 13 F Vests, 25 Gowns,
11 Under Petticoats, 15 Upper do, 22 Shifts, 65 Aprons,
4 Hkerchiefs, 2 1/2 Shoes, 17 Stockings, 12 Caps,
11 Shawls, 12 Coats



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 2nd day of November 1901.

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the 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 19th day of October 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

See Members Present Folio 81

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.	
<u>Ardrahan</u>				<u>Good order.</u>

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.	

[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 Council

Thomas Nolan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day of November 1901.

(Signed) *James Beub*
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 26th day of Oct. 1901.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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	133														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	10														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	780	143														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	22	29	44	3		9	6	6	146	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary	44	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			25	4	5	8		1	3			41	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	3
Born																
TOTAL			52	26	34	47	3	1	12	6	6	187				
Discharged during the Week			23	5	4	4		1	3	1	1	42				
Died						1	1					2				
Total Discharged and Dead			23	5	4	5	1	1	3	1	1	44				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			29	21	30	42	2		9	5	5	143				
												No. Relieved during week	27	5	2	34
												No. in Workhouse at date	5			5
												No. at corresponding period last year, 147				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of October 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.	160	245			160	245	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	160	245			160	245

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 2nd day of November 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Mr Thomas Nolan

Other Guardians :-

Messrs M. D. Burke, W. Keane, M. Caulfield, J. Clayton, J. Coen, E. Hallinan

P. J. Hayes, J. Keane, M. Mitchell, M. Moylan, M. O'Rourke

P. Quinn, J. Quinn, W. Rosengrave & P. J. Nolan

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:—

- 1136 lbs W. Bread
- 24 " B "
- 88 " Butter
- 123 " Meat
- 224 " Bacon
- 50 Gals Milk
- 1 chest Tea
- 256 Pts Poter
- 1 doz Lemons
- 4 lbs Tobacco

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[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting)

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 2nd day of November 190 1.

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

Indoor, from No. 4820 to No. 4897

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 26th day of October 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	32	1	4	29	16		61	17	4				28	10	7	33	6	9
Necessaries	102	19	7		16	3	103	15	7				573	4	98	2	6	
Total	135		11	30	12	3	165	13	2				34	3	11	131	9	3

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 11 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 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 Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of November 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.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	19	10	1	23	15	8							43	5	9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...															
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	10	1	23	15	8							43	5	9
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ..	8	12	7	6	7								14	19	7
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility			9	7											9
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1	3	3	2	3								1	5	6
7. Total Relief given	10	5	5	6	9	3							16	14	8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	4	8	17	6	5							26	11	1
9. Total ...	19	10	1	23	15	8							43	5	9

Form 1b.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 September, 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 Offai, old stores, and other Receipts				64	17	3
Cr. Loans received				366		
Total as above	430	17	3	430	17	3

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.:—				788	14	6
Provisions and Necessaries	204	-	11			
Clothing and Bedding	22	16	-			
Establishment	124	7	5			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment	162	.	.			
(b.) Workhouse Farm	-	-	-			
(c.) Medical Charities	103	13	2			
Workhouse Farm	58	4	7			
Workhouse Burials		16	10			
Medical Charities	36	2	3			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	3	5	6			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	-	-	-			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	12	12	-			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	35	19	10			
Superannuation Allowances	7	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	788	14	6	788	14	6

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurers Account for the month ending the last day of *September* 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	498	11	5			
Total sums received during the month	64	17	3	366	.	.
Total	563	8	8	366	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	"	"	"	50	.	.
Payments ordered at this meeting	788	14	6			
Total	788	14	6	50	.	.
Net Balance due <i>to</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	225	5	10	316	-	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer <i>30 Sep 01</i>	582	2	5	366	.	.
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	807	8	3	50	.	.
Net Balance as above due <i>to</i> Treasurer	225	5	10	316	-	-

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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):—

Mr Patrick Burke tendered for supply of mutton @ $6\frac{1}{2}$ per lb & Sheep's Heads @ 9^s each
Ordered —

The Guardians are willing to accept this tender provided mutton is supplied @ $6\frac{1}{4}$ per lb & Heads @ 8^s each.
If Mr Burke does not agree advertise again.

Mr John M^r Namana tendered for supply of Beef (1) without cap or hough 7^s per lb
(2) with hough off from stifle joint $6\frac{1}{2}$
(3) Cow Heads @ 2^s each.

He also tendered for supply of mutton @ $6\frac{1}{4}$ lb, & Sheep's heads @ 8^s each
Ordered —

Advertise again for Beef and Cow's heads

Ordered — Request the Master to go to Ennis & Limerick to make inquiries as to the conditions on which he could procure meat; the tenders received being considered too high. Expenses to be paid.

Ordered — That a piece of flannel be purchased from Mr's Bondart Stelly Quannore, Ardaraun @ $\frac{1}{6}$ per yard

Resolved — That no more flannel be purchased until after 30th Sep 1902, there being a sufficiency in the Home

Relieving Officer Burke applied for a sum of £5:15:0, for postage, telegrams, and stationery in the 12 years ended 30 Sep 1901.

Resolved — That the amount of this Bill £5:15:0, be allowed and paid although the Relieving Officer is not in a position to supply details

Relieving Officer Burke applied for payment of £4:10:4 cost of Coffins supplied & expenses attending burial of 5 paupers in his District during the 12 years ended 30th Sep 1901.

Resolved — That the amount of this of £4:10:4 be paid as soon as the Relieving Officer enters the particulars, and amount, of each case on his Application & Report Book; and such is authorized by the initials of the Chairman.

Medicines & Surgical Appliances were ordered for the Workhouse

The Master was authorized to employ a Carpenter for about 2 weeks; to purchase about 20 Larch poles for drying wire; one load of small faling; and other articles.

On the Medical Officer's recommendation Miss Catherine Gibbs (Fever Hospital Nurse) was ordered to be sent to the Galway Hospital for special treatment. She is to pay her travelling expenses.

The Abstracts of the Union accounts for 1/2 year ended 30th Sep. were forwarded to the Auditor on 31st ulto.

Resolved:— That M. J. J. Purse be reappointed Engineer to the Council and Board of Guardians at same remuneration as last year viz £50 to be apportioned:—

Council £15
Guardians £35

Ordered — Inform Mr. Glynn that the tenants have not given up possession of the Workhouse Graveyard, and request them to take the necessary steps to get up the place.

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The Clerk was directed to request the Local Gov^t Board to state if they approve of the appointment (7th September) of Miss Louisa Peade as Trained Night Nurse in the Infirmary.



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	...	...	...	...	...	47
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	...	...	...	...	...	160
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 16th day of Nov 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 2nd day of November 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

See Guardians Present Folio 101.

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

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
		On Dr Foley's recommendation a girl named Anne Mann, Caherfurness, was ordered to be sent to Galway Hospital, + 2/6 travelling expenses allowed.	

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. :-

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

Thomas Nolan

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 16th day of November 1901.

(Signed, *Angela 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 9th day of Nov 1901.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	729	140														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	11														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	780	151														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			31	25	33	40	4	1	9	8	7	158	34			
Admitted during the Week			33	6	6				2		1	48	11			
Born																
TOTAL			64	31	39	40	4	1	11	8	8	206	45			
Discharged during the Week			39	4	2				2	1	1	56				
Died					1											
Total Discharged and Dead			39	4	3				2	1	1	55				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	22	36	40	4	1	9	7	7	151				
												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	34	In separate Wards		
												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other inmates	3	
												TOTAL	45	TOTAL	3	
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
												No. Relieved during week	33	6	3	42
												No. in Workhouse at date	6			6
												No. at corresponding period last year, 145				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 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.	164	250			164	250	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw.							TOTAL ..	164	250			164	250

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 16th day of November 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr Thomas Nolan*
Other Guardians :-

Messrs M. J. Burke, W. Carr, E. Hallinan, M. Hayes, J. Keane, J. Noon, W. S. Taylor & P. J. Wilson

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:—

900 lbs 10 Bread
 24 " B
 76½ " Butter
 96 " Meat
 415 st Potatoes
 200 Eggs
 224 lbs Sugar
 112 " Flour
 4 " Tobacco
 256 pts Porter

[Form 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting).

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 16th day of November 190 1.

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 9th day of November 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	76	4	10	30	2	9	106	7	7			28	16	1	77	11	6
Necessaries	93	4	1		13		93	17	1			5	15	9	88	1	4
Total	169	8	11	30	15	9	200	4	8			34	11	10	165	12	10

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3: 10

Average Cost in Infirmary 5: 10½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 5: 1

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of November 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.		£ s. d.			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	18	18	2	14	8	5								33	6	7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	18	2	14	8	5								33	6	7
EXPENDITURE.																
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																
In Money ..	8	4		6	6									14	10	
In Kind ...																
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	18	9		2	3									1	1	
7. Total Relief given	9	2	9	6	8	3								15	11	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	9	15	5	8		2								17	15	7
9. Total	18	18	2	14	8	5								33	6	7

Form Ib.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 Offai, old stores, and other Receipts						
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above						

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 letter from Local Gov^t Board dated 8th inst. Stating that the proposed payment of £5:15:0 to Relieving Officer Burke for postage, telegrams & stationery in the 12 years ended 30th Sep last will be brought under the Auditor's special observation.

The Chairman gave the following notice:—
"I, or some Guardian on my behalf, will move on this day fortnight that the resolution of 2nd inst proposing to pay Relieving Officer Burke £5:15:0 for 12 years postage &c, be rescinded."
(Signed) Thomas Nolan.

From same dated 15th Nov. requesting to be informed whether Miss Reade has complied with the condition on which she was appointed Trained Night Nurse with regard to a course of training in midwifery.

Ordered — Miss Reade lately informed the Board that she is undergoing a course of midwifery training and hopes to get her certificate in January.

John Kellogher was allowed a pair of boots at cost not to exceed 6/-

From same dated 15th inst forwarding, for the Guardians observations, copy of a letter which they received from Mr. John McNamara relating to the meat contract.

Ordered — "The Guardians did not give a higher price than that asked by Mr. McNamara, and in accepting a tender other than his they think they were creating future competition"

Mr. John McNamara (only) again tendered for supply of Beef and Heads at same prices as on 2nd inst; and on the motion of Mr. Nolan seconded by Mr. Stallinan it was Resolved:— "That fresh advertisements be issued for next meeting on same conditions as last"

Ordered — That the Master have mattresses teased & refilled at cost not to exceed 2/6 each exclusive of any material required.

Read letter ^{5th Nov} from Mr. Patrick Burke expressing his willingness to supply mutton & sheep's heads at the prices named by the Guardians

The Board accepted Michael Glynn's tender to purchase, from them, the broken stones at the Workhouse @ 2/6 per yard. The stones to be removed before 10 Dec.

Messrs J B Knox & Son "Clare Journal" applied for payment of an acc for advertising due for many years. Ordered —

The payment of this acc (if correct) seems to be barred by the Statute of Limitation & other Regulations

3 Dec

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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 30th day of November 1901.

(Signed), Raymond Buech 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 16th day of November 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

See Guardians Present Folio 121

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>Knuvara</i>	<i>Drugs</i>			<i>Ordered—</i>
	<i>Instruments</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.	

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
	The following report on Drugs supplied from was received from Sir Charles Cameron:— <u>Concentrated solution of Quassa</u>	Dispensary
	Specific gravity 979. Extract 0.3 grammes per 100 cubic centimetres. Alcohol 18.25 per cent equal to 91.25 per cent of spirit of 20 per cent alcohol. correct— <u>Solution of arsenic</u>	
	Specific gravity 1.013. 10 cubic centimetres decolourized— 20.9 cubic centimetres of volumetric solution of wine— only 20.32 cubic centimetres should be decolourized therefor there is a trifling excess of arsenic. <u>Cod Liver Oil</u>	
	Specific gravity 929. It was free of foreign oils and gave in every respect good reactions. It was not rancid— correct— <u>Sodium Salicylate</u>	
	It was free from phenol (a common impurity) and it responded favourably to all the tests of purity applied to it— correct—	
	(Signed) C. A. Cameron	

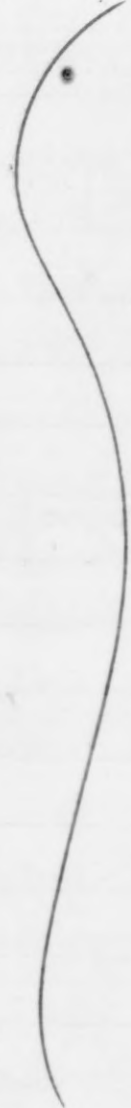
The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them respectively as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	Dr. Foley	reported that arrangements have been made by Major Galbraith to change the Peterswell Dispensary Depot from the present House to the Gale Lodge above the village.	
		Ordered— Communicate with Major Galbraith as to the rent of the new Depot & whether he is taking over possession of the old House.	30 ⁰⁰
		Ordered— That Mr. Donohoe of Newtown (Kilcolgan) be sent to Galway Hospital for treatment & 5/- expenses allowed	
	Dr. C. H. Foley	applied for an allowance of half the cost of repairing the house on the land attached to Ardahan Dispensary Residence lately vacated by Miss Anne Donohoe	
		Ordered— Approved, not to exceed 50/-	

[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

Thomas Nolan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 30th day of November 1901.

(Signed) *J. J. Burke*
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1891—14,201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 3017 : 10 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of Novr 1901.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 8 and under 9 years of age	Children above 5 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 3 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	729	148												
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—												
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	7												
Fever Sheds	—	—												
TOTAL	780	155												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			28	25	36	40	4	1	9	7	7	157	40	
Admitted during the Week			14	3	6	2	1					26	7	3
Born														
TOTAL,			42	28	42	42	5	1	9	7	7	183	47	3
Discharged during the Week			12	4	7	7			1	1	1	27		
Died						1								
Total Discharged and Dead			12	4	7	2			1	1	1	28		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			30	24	35	40	5	1	8	6	6	155		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of Novr 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.	164	250			164	250	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							TOTAL	164	250			164	250

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 30th day of November 1901.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr Nolan* afterwards *Mr Brady-Murray*

Other Guardians :-

Messrs M. S. Burke, J. Burke, W. Carr, M. C. Connolly, P. J. Hayes

M. Hayes, J. Joyce, T. Kelly, M. Minogue, M. Mitchell

M. O'Donnell, T. O'Neill, P. Quinn, J. Quinn, W. Rosengrave

+ P. J. Nolan

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 10 Bread
 24 " B "
 76 " Butter
 83½ " ~~Meat~~ Beef
 26½ " Mutton
 224 " Bacon
 245 st Potatoes
 92 Gals Milk
 224 lbs Sugar
 105½ " Biscuits
 1 doz Brandy
 5 lbs Tobacco

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[FORM 1 A.]

Financial Minutes.

(For every Meeting)

Gort Union.

Meeting held the 30th day of November 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 23 day of Nov 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	Total		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Provisions ...	73 12 6	34 8 9	108 1 3			29 5 9	78 15 6	
Necessaries ...	85 . 9	16 3	85 17 .			5 14 9	80 2 3	1101
Total ...	158 13 3	35 5 .	193 18 3			35 . 6	158 17 9	

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

Average Cost in Infirmary :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital :

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of November 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.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	20	19	2	21	12	2							42	11	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.							.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	19	2	21	12	2							42	11	4
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ..	7	11		6	7								13	18	
In Kind ...	.	.	.	.	.	.							.	.	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	.	3	8	.	.	.							.	3	8
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	18	9	.	2	3							1	1	
7. Total Relief given	8	13	5	6	9	3							15	2	8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	12	5	9	15	2	11							27	8	8
9. Total ...	20	19	2	21	12	2							42	11	4

Form 1b.—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only.)

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 October, 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	5	15				
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians				5	00	
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 ...					5	
Cr. Loans received						
Total as above	5	15		5	15	

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	102	.	10			
Clothing and Bedding	4	15	6			
Establishment	4	15	6			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment						
(b.) Workhouse Farm						
(c.) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	27	14	6			
Workhouse Burials	12	8	.			
Medical Charities	3	6	8			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	130	.	.			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	9	6			
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						
<i>Petty Expenses</i>	12	10	.			
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	290	.	6	290	.	6

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurers Account for the month ending the last day of *October* 190/ including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	.	.	3/6	-	-
Total sums received during the month	5/5	.	.	-	-	-
Total	5/5	.	.	3/6	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	225	5	10	-	-	-
Payments ordered at this meeting	290	.	6	15	-	-
Total	515	6	4	15	.	.
Net Balance due <i>to</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	-	6	4	30/	.	.
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ^{15th Nov}	274	7	11	32/	-	-
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	274	14	3	20	.	.
Net Balance as above due <i>to</i> Treasurer	=	6	4	30/	-	-

* Originally debited to General etc

* Due by Treas.

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 Master reported that Miss Gibbs Fever Hospital Nurse returned from Galway Hospital on the 26th inst and at once resumed her duty.

Various articles were ordered for use in the Workhouse, and 40 loads of gravel for the yards, also the employment of a Carpenter for a week or two.

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