

GALWAY UNION.

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

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

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

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	...	...	...	17
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	2
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered, was	...	...	...	0

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in Pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer in the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use for the Guardians.

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

Dispensary Districts.

£ s. d.

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

Read Letter from D. Kirwan, Oramore dated 27th June '99, stating that

"The Local Government Medical Inspector is correct in stating that there was no entry in the Medical Relief Register since the 22nd March. This was caused from two reasons; 1st the want of glass in the front window, which was blown in by a storm last winter, on which occasion occasion also the ceiling of one of my rooms was blown down, the occupant narrowly escaping. The result of this is that all papers are blown about indiscriminately whenever there is any wind and rain comes in and damps books and papers. This matter was pointed out to the last Committee meeting that met, but no action was taken. Even if I opened up the Register on the desk the place is so small I could not pass to dispense medicines. This matter was brought under notice by the Inspector who asked for a consulting room for me, but it was refused. I have to give the same answer as to the non-filling up of the Vaccination Register. I could not bring them into my own residence as we have not even sufficient room to seat ourselves in it.

As regards the untidy and unclean state of the Dispensary, I have only to state that the Dispensary Porter is the rural postman and must be always in attendance on the Post office when required. No one can serve two masters. I have over 10 days ago told him to clean

clean and tidy the Dispensary every morning and to place fresh water there. It was 5 pm when he completed yesterday.

It will be very hard to do the work next winter without a consulting room, and also one for a boy to sleep in.

(Signed) "W. P. Kirwan, M.D."

Order. The Relieving Officer of the district to see that the ceiling of the room in the Residence will be repaired, and the dispensary window glazed, as soon as possible.

Mr. P. W. O'Connell

day of

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 5th

July 1899

Signature

Robt. A. Mullery
Clerk of Union.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,780.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1899

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Tot. No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 9 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 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 1st day of July 1899 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 Wednesday the 5th day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Thomas McDonogh Esq. J.P. Other Guardians:—

- Messrs P. Kearns, C. J. Lee, M. Cunningham, C. J. Burke, P. Curran, M. Walsh, M. Fallon, J. Casserly, R. H. French, J.P. and J. C. MacDonnell.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

(FORM 1A).

Financial Minutes

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

Indoor, from No 445 to No 498

Separate ,, No 29 to No 32

Out door,, No 9653 to No 9658

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 1 day of July 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.		£	s.	d.								
Provisions	32	7	4	52	9	2	84	16	6	51	8	1	5	11	2	58	19	3	27	17	3	2393
Necessaries	3	12	5	7	4	1	10	16	6	4	10	3	-	12	8	5	2	11	5	13	7	
Total	35	19	9	59	13	3	95	13	0	55	18	4	6	3	10	62	22	33	10	10		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3.3 1/4
 Average Cost of Infirmary ... : 4-10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 8.0

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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 1st day of July 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer McNEILL District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer MARTYN District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer KYNE District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer CULLINAN District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4 8 0	5 8 0	4 5 0	8 13 0	4 2 7	4 16 5	31 13 0
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	50 0 0						20 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	74 8 0	5 8 0	4 5 0	8 13 0	4 2 7	4 16 5	51 13 0
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money	7 6 0	1 12 6	17 0	2 1 6	18 6	3 3 0	15 7 8 6
In Kind							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	14 0						14 0
7. Total Relief given	8 0 0	1 12 6	17 0	2 1 6	18 6	3 3 0	16 12 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	16 8 0	3 15 6	3 8 6	6 11 6	3 4 1	1 13 5	35 0 6
9. Total	24 8 0	5 8 0	4 5 0	8 13 0	4 2 7	4 16 5	51 13 0

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 1

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

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 195
1. including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

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

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

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week...	19	Admitted during the Week ...	1
Discharged ...	27	Discharged ...	0
Died ...	2	Died ...	1
Remaining ...	84	Remaining ...	8

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

Contractor Duggan's milk was under the standard class during the past week, registering only 7 degrees of cream. The quantity of milk becomes forfeited to him.
Order. To be cautioned.

The Clerk having informed me that he requires my books written up by Tuesday morning in each week for checking. I find it impossible to include the Provision Account having only one day, exclusive of Sunday, for the purpose.

If you would extend the time to Friday morning I would have it completed by that time.

Extension of time granted.

The Master's estimate of petty requirements for the Workhouse was examined and orders were issued on contractors.

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

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

37/139/99 } Referring to Minutes of the 24th ult.
1st July. } and expressing the Board's sanction to the payment of the poundage fees due to Collector Nicholas Kyme in respect of rates lodged by him up to the 1st of April last, if the Union Accounts of the past half year are still unaudited, this payment should be made from the account of the former Board of Guardians as existing on the appointed day.

The Accounts are still unaudited.
Order. Payment as sanctioned to be made to Mr. Kyme.

37/802/99 } Referring to entry on the Minutes of the
1st July. } 24th ult.

24th ult. relative to the office of Inspector under the Infant Life Protection Act, 1897, and stating that the Board of Guardians continue to be the local authority under the Act in question, and that Mr. Sullivan therefore remains an officer of the Board of Guardians.

3rd July, '99. From Mr. J. Dollard, Printer, Dublin, stating that he cannot receive the goods which the Clerk is returning to him, as portions of the work had been proceeded with, when the letter cancelling the order came to hand. That the goods were special printed for the Union.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that the goods referred to were ordered in March last; that he complained frequently of the delay in supplying them; and in May last, finding he could not wait for them longer, he procured the Books and forms from a local Printer.

Order. Mr. Dollard to be informed that the Guardians will not pay for these goods unless compelled by law to do so.

On the motion of Mr. J. MackDonnell, seconded by Mr. C. J. Lee it was unanimously Resolved. That we strongly approve of the action of the Board of Management of the Galway Hospital in appointing a Sister of Mercy as Matron of the Hospital as we are aware that such appointment will conduce to the economic

and efficient management of the Institution. We are aware that the lady appointed - Sister Mary Bernard Ryan - is very capable to discharge the duties attaching to the office as she had large and varied experience for nearly 4 years in connection with nursing in this Union Hospital. This has been certified by the Medical staff of the Hospital in the certificate of training given to Sister Ryan, and we hope the Local Government Board will approve of the appointment.

We may mention that the Galway Union Hospital has been recognized for many years as a Clinical School of Instruction for the Medical Students attending the Galway Queen's College and the students regularly attend at the Hospital.

That a copy of this resolution be sent to each Board of Guardians in the County for adoption.

Order. Notice by placard over the Union to be given that Sprayers and Potato Spraying Material are on sale at the Workhouse.

Order. Application to be made to the Manager of the M. G. W. Railway for payment of the charge for the maintenance of Railway Porter Morrissey in the Workhouse Hospital.

Galway County Council Archives

GALWAY UNION.

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

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers of the Board of Guardians Quarterly, 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 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

Table with 4 columns: District Name, Number, defaulters, District Name, defaulters. Rows include Galway, No. 1, 2, 3, Moycullen, Oranmore, Spiddal, Turloughmore.

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

The Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts submitted their Books and Returns for examination, viz; Galway No. 1, Galway No. 2, Moycullen, and Oranmore.

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

Table with 4 columns: Description, ... , ... , Rows include provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed (71), disallowed (0), applicants admitted (3), provisional Out-door Relief (0), other Applicants (0), and applicants for whom relief was not ordered (0).

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Dispensary District, in Pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer in the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use for the Guardians.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,789.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1899

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building in each date.	Tot. No. in each building 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	816	298															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	8															
TOTAL	1082	336															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			6	16	119	117	23	12	22	10	10	338	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	93	In separate Wards	4	
Admitted during the Week			11	2	17	12	2	1	3	3	3	51	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates		
TOTAL			17	18	136	129	25	13	25	13	13	386	TOTAL	98	TOTAL	4	
Discharged during the Week			15	3	18	4	1	1	2	1	2	47	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died					1	1						3	Males.	Fe. males.	Children under 15	TOTAL.	
Total Discharged and Dead			15	3	19	5	1	2	2	1	2	50	No. Relieved during week	10	6	4	20
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			2	15	117	124	24	11	28	9	11	336	No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	1	5
													No. at corresponding period last year, 353				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 1899, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31 s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	112	181			112	181	Bt. forward	166	246			166	246
No. II.	22	22			22	22	No. IV.	14	16			14	16
No. III.	32	43			32	43	No. V.	17	20			17	20
Car. forwd.	166	246			166	246	No. VI.	22	32			22	32
							TOTAL.	219	314			219	314

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 12th day of July 1899

PRESENT: In the Chair— Thomas McDermogh Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians:—

Messrs M. Cunningham, C. J. Burke, P. J. Burke, A. Kane, P. Curran, C. Griffin, M. Fallon, and J. B. Fitzpatrick.

John McDonogh

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of July 1899.

Signature *Robert Mullery*
Clerk of Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

(FORM 1A).

Financial Minutes

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

Indoor, from No 499 to No 546
 Separate ,, No 33 to No 34
 Out door ,, No 9659 to No 9662

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 8th day of July 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in Hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week.			Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	27	17	3	62	7	3	90	4	6	49	15	1	57	1	2	55	6	3	34	18	3		
Necessaries	5	3	7	3	12	11	9	6	6	4	4	0	1	8	4	5	2	4	4	4	2	23	38
Total	33	10	10	66	0	2	99	11	0	53	19	1	6	9	6	60	8	7	39	25			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 3
 Average Cost of Infirmary : 4 : 9 3/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 8 : 6

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

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

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

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

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer McNEILL District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer MARTYN District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer KYNE District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer CULLINAN District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.																
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	8	0	3	15	6	3	8	0	6	11	6	3	4	1	1	13	5	35	0	6		
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	8	0	3	15	6	3	8	0	6	11	6	3	4	1	1	13	5	35	0	6		
EXPENDITURE.																							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																							
In Money	8	18	0	1	12	6	1	7	0	2	1	6	1	8	6	2	1	0	1	6	5	6	
In Kind	8	0																				8	0
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																							
7. Total Relief given	8	13	0	1	12	6	1	7	0	2	1	6	1	8	6	2	1	0	1	7	3	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	15	0	2	3	0	2	11	0	4	10	0	2	5	7								
9. Total	16	8	0	3	15	6	3	8	0	6	11	6	3	4	1								

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 12th day of July, 1899

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced, examined, and authenticated, by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which has 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	160		10			
Cr. County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief				16	0	10
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	16		10	16	0	10

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 preceeding 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	229		8			
Clothing and Bedding						
Establishment	17		26			
Salaries—						
(a.) Establishment	343		17			
(b.) Workhouse Farm						
(c.) Medical Charities	229		54			
Workhouse Farm						
Workhouse Burials						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccination						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	71		0			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	3		40			
Superannuation Allowances	19		15			
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts						
Unpaid Bills of last half-year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued						913
						55

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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of June 1899 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	1072		51			
Total sums received during the month				16		10
Total	1088		511			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered at this meeting	980		55			
Total	980		55			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	108		06			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	1022		194			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)				914		1810
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer	108		06			

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

HOSPITAL REPORTS.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week...	23	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged ...	16	Discharged ...	3
Died ...	1	Died ...	0
Remaining ...	90	Remaining ...	5

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

The boiler in the Fever Hospital wash house requires to be reset and the chimney put in order. The Disinfecting Chamber is out of order.

Referred to Engineer.

The estimate of petty requirements for the Workhouse was examined, and orders were issued on Contractors.

Order. Clothing to amount of £1.5.0 to be supplied to each of the boys Connor Kennedy, Dan and Pat Lawless, to enable them to leave the Workhouse and accept employment offered them.

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

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

39750/99.
11th July.

Forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of a telegram received from the Master of the Workhouse respecting the entering up of the Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book, Form 31, and also a copy of the Medical Officer's reply, and the Board's decision in the matter.

Read and noted.

7th July '99. From the Secretary, M. G. W. Railway Co., acknowledging the receipt of claim for the maintenance of a Railway employe in the Workhouse Hospital, and stating that the matter has been referred to the Locomotive

Engineer to report upon.

12th July 1899. An application from Dr. J. Trealy, Work-
house Apothecary, for leave of absence from
1st of August till 1st of September, and
stating that his assistant, under the super-
vision of the Medical Officers, will dis-
charge his duties during his absence.

Granted.

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

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

Table with columns for District Name and defaulters. Rows include Galway, No. 1, Oranmore, Spiddal, Turloughmore, and Moycullen.

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

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

Table with 4 columns: Description, ... , ... , and numerical values (33, 0, 2, 0, 0, 0).

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:-

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Dispensary District, in Pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of ... having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and reported that he had forwarded a Copy to the Medical Officer in the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use for the Guardians.

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

Dispensary Districts.

£ s. d.

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

Read Letter from L. J. Wood No 38966 dated 6th July, stating that

in reply to Clerk's inquiry, that it is not contemplated that samples of all the drugs supplied to the Union should be sent for analysis in pursuance of Article 36 (IV) of the Dispensary Rules.

The Medical Officers should be instructed to forward to the Clerk for the purpose of being sent to the Analyst, a few samples selected from each quarterly consignment of drugs, as soon as possible after they have been received from the Contractor.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that he had so instructed all the Medical Officers in the Union.

12th July '99. An application from Dr. N. Grealy, Galway Dispensary Apothecary, for leave of absence from 1st of August till 1st of September, and stating that his assistant, under the supervision of the Medical Officers, will discharge his duties during his absence.
Granted.

12th July '99. An application from Dr. H. Hyden, Medical Officer of Galway No 1 Disp. Dist., for leave of absence for a fortnight, stating that his brother will discharge his duties during his absence.
Granted.

The tender of Mr Thomas Hill for repairs at Oramore Dispensary for the sum of £2 was accepted.

Thos M'Donogh

day of

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

July, 1899.

Signature

Robert Muller
Clerk of Union.

Population in 1891—38,719.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,523

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1899.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Tot. No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse	816	298															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	4															
TOTAL	1082	332															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			2	15	117	134	24	11	23	9	11	336	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	91	In separate Wards	4	
Admitted during the Week			9	5	16	10	2	1				45	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates		
TOTAL			11	20	133	134	26	12	23	9	11	379	TOTAL	97	TOTAL	4	
Discharged during the Week			10	6	16	8	4	1	1			47	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15	TOTAL.	
Total Discharged and Dead			10	6	16	8	4	1	1			47	No. Relieved during week	9	5	1	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	14	117	126	27	11	22	9	10	332	No. in Workhouse at date	1	1		2
													No. at corresponding period last year,				357

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 day of July 1899 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31 s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	111	180			111	180	Bt. forward	166	246			166	246
No. II.	23	23			23	23	No. IV.	14	16			14	16
No. III.	32	43			32	43	No. V.	17	20			17	20
							No. VI.	22	32			22	32
Car. forwd.	166	246			166	246	TOTAL.	219	314			219	314

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 19th day of July, 1899.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Thos M'Donogh Esq. JP.*
Other Guardians:— *Messrs E. Shee, M. Davoren, M. Wallace, and R. H. French (JP.)*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

(FORM 1A).

Financial Minutes

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

Indoor, from No 547 to No 581
 Separate ,, No 35 to No 36
 Out door,, No 9663 to No 9665

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 15th day of July 1899 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in Hand at close of preceeding week		Received during the week		Consumed during the week.			Stock in hand at close of this week.		Collective No of Days							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.								
Provisions	34	18	3	53	7	188	54	504	9	578	9	56	3	6	32	110	
Necessaries	4	4	2	5	12	8	9	16	10	4	150	10	9	5	5	9	411
Total	39	22	5	58	19	998	22	54	199	6	9	6	61	9	3	36	1211

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 3 : 3/4
 Average Cost of Infirmary : 4 : 10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 10 : 0

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday the 15th day of July 1899 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer McNEILL District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer MARTYN District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer KYNE District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer CULLINAN District No. VI. £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	7150	230	2110	4100	257	177	177
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	1000	1000	300	500	300	2000	6700
3. Total to be accounted for ...	17150	1230	5110	9100	557	18125	68170
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money	7180	1126	170	230	186	310	16100
In Kind							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility			110				110
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		80					80
7. Total Relief given	7180	206	180	230	186	310	1790
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	9170	1026	430	770	471	1571	55780
9. Total	17150	1230	5110	9100	557	18125	68170

FINANCIAL MINUTES
(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 1

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

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

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

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of _____ 1 including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

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

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