

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

Read Letter from *L.G. Board No. 5300 of 04*, dated *17<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1904*, stating that

adverting to Minutes of the 7<sup>th</sup> inst. and requesting that the Board may be informed whether the Guardians propose to allow remuneration to D. Waters for his services as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of the Oranmore Dispensary District during the further period referred to in the Minutes.

*The Guardians propose to allow D. Waters remuneration for his services while so acting at the rate of £4-4-0 a week.*

*16<sup>th</sup> Sept. '04*, From D. J. Hart, expressing his regret at being unable to undertake *locum tenens* duties in the Galway No. 1 Dispensary District, during the absence of the Medical Officer on vacation.

*Order. The Medical Officer to be asked to nominate some other substitute.*

*20<sup>th</sup> Sept. '04*, From D. Kirwan, Medical Officer of the Oranmore Dispensary District, at present in London, acknowledging the receipt of the notification that the Guardians require him to furnish weekly, during his absence, a medical certificate as to the state of his health, and stating that compliance with this order would cost him £1-1-0 a week, besides fees for medical attendance. That this would be a great expense added to what he is under at present trying to eradicate an ailment which every Guardian in his District knows he is subject to

periodically, and seems likely to be permanent in spite of all care and treatment in London. Under these circumstances he requests the Guardians to rely on the certificate already forwarded, for the short time that remains of this month.

*Order. To be informed that the Guardians must insist upon a weekly certificate, otherwise they will not pay for the services of his substitute.*

*21<sup>st</sup> Sept. '04*, From the Medical Officers of the Galway (1 and 2) Dispensary Districts, informing the Guardians that the Vaccination defaulters are coming in quickly, and that if another week be allowed they hope to have all vaccinated.

*The Relieving Officer reported that he had personally warned each defaulter in these Districts to at once comply with the law.*

*Resolved*— That the defaulters in Galway (1 & 2) Districts be allowed another week to comply.

*The Relieving Officer of the Curloughmore Dispensary District to serve a second notice on the defaulters in that District. After the lapse of <sup>a week</sup> all defaulters in the three Districts named are to be prosecuted.*

*D. Kinsella, Medical Officer of the Galway No. 3 Dispensary District, furnished a form of application for extension of time for the payment of Vaccination fees to him.*

*The form of application accompanies the copy of the Minutes forwarded to the L.G. Board. The Guardians beg to call attention to the reply to query 4, which, in their opinion, is misleading.*



Small-pox at Aran Islands.

The Clerk submitted the following replies he had received re Hospital accommodation.

"Outquarter, 19th Sept. 1904. I am willing to let my rooms & 16, adjoining my house, for three months at £6 unfurnished. (Signed) Margaret Pirrane."

"Outquarter, 19th Sept. 1904. I am willing to let the old school, which is my property, at £5 for three months. I decline to let it monthly. (Signed) David O'Callaghan."

The Guardians considered the terms reasonable, and will accept them should occasion arise.

P. Cannon PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of September, 1904. (Signed) Robt. H. Muller, Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,876.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of September, 1904.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated to each building, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm Persons, 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 24th day of Sept. 1904, 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, Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,

the 28th day of September, 1904.

PRESENT—In the Chair,—P. Cannon Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Lord Killamin, Sir J. O'Souther, Messrs W. Kavanaugh, J. Cumiffe, Connell, Thawless, M. Cunningham, M. Redington, Leonard, M. Crowley, J. Egan, J. O'Sullivan, J. Naughton, J. Lydon, M. Cooke, O'Curran, P. Naughton, J. Heine, M. McNeill, W. Keane, M. Kyne, P. O'Sherity, and D. Moloney.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.



**Financial Minutes**

(For every Meeting).

**Galway Union.**

Meeting held the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1904

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

Indoor, from No. 4519 to No. 4572  
 Separate „ No. 65 to No. 65  
 Out door „ No. 1188 to No. 1195

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 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1904 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.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.		d.								
Provisions	47	13	2	52	4	11	99	18	1	55	16	6	8	1	61	9	7	38	8	6	2233
Necessaries	8	9	8	6	7	9	14	17	5	6	16	3	16	10	7	13	1	7	4	4	
Total	56	2	10	58	12	8	114	15	6	61	17	9	7	4	69	2	8	45	12	10	

£            s.            d.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 8 : 8

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1904 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN			Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY			Relieving Officer McNEILL			Relieving Officer MARTYN			Relieving Officer KYNE			Relieving Officer, CULLINAK			TOTAL					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	12	12	10	5	6	1	6	2	14	1	6	3	8	0	2	15	8	38	10	3				
2. Money since advanced by Guardians	20	00					5	00							5	00		30	00					
3. Total to be accounted for	32	12	10	5	6	1	5	6	2	14	1	6	3	8	7	15	8	68	10	3				
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money	8	12	0	12	6		1	2	6	3	4	6	8	0	1	18	0	15	17	6				
In Kind																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	16	9																				16	9	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	1	0																			1	1	0
7. Total Relief given	10	9	9	12	6		1	2	6	3	4	6	8	0	1	18	0	17	15	3				
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	22	3	1	4	13	7	4	3	8	10	17	0	3	0	5	17	8	50	15	0				
9. Total	32	12	10	5	6	1	5	6	2	14	1	6	3	8	7	15	8	68	10	3				



**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_

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

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

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

\_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_ including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
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) .. .. .						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
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 REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.			FEVER HOSPITAL.		
Admitted during the Week ...	...	11	Admitted during the Week ...	...	0
Discharged ...	...	12	Discharged ...	...	1
Died ...	...	1	Died ...	...	0
Remaining ...	...	72	Remaining ...	...	5

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

*Please examine repairs of trousers, 7 coats and 7 vests for male inmates delivered by the contractor, ordered into stock.*

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:—

16<sup>th</sup> Jan/04. } Circular Letter - Small-pox - Casual Paupers.  
23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. } Read, no order made by the Guardians.

53895/04. } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their in-  
23<sup>rd</sup> Sept. } quires respecting the temporary employment of Dr. W. A. Sandys as Medical Officer in the Workhouse, and the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £3-3-0 a week to Dr. Sandys for his services while so employed.

54300/04. } Stating that they observe from the Minutes of the  
24<sup>th</sup> Sept. } 14<sup>th</sup> inst. that Mr James Sullivan has changed his residence from Galway to Athlone, and has taken with him the boy, Martin Badger, whom the Guardians hired out to him; and in reference thereto, requesting that the Board may be informed what



arrangements the Guardians now propose to make for the inspection of Martin Badger. The Guardians are satisfied that Mr. Sullivan will continue to treat the boy kindly, and they do not consider it necessary to arrange for his inspection.

52.475/04, }  
27<sup>th</sup> Sept. } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss A. Torney as nurse in the Fever Hospital of the Workhouse, and stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-11-6 a week, with rations, to Miss Torney for her services.

24<sup>th</sup> Sept. '04, From the Manageress of the Catholic Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, St. Mary's, Cabra, Dublin, requesting that the Guardians will send to this Institution a female inmate of the Galway Workhouse named Bridget Lweeney, aged about 40, who has never received any religious instruction. Stating that she has been informed that some time ago the Guardians had this case under consideration but that owing to the age of the woman, they declined to send her to the Institution for a few years' instruction. Many older have been under instruction and where the subjects are intelligent, much has been done for them. Two years or thereabouts is sufficient to enable them to learn all that they are capable of at this period of life. Pointing out that if the Guardians send the poor afflicted woman without delay the blessings so long denied her will be afforded her.

It was proposed by Mr. M. Hooke, seconded by Mr. M. McNeill, and unanimously Resolved - That Bridget Lweeney be sent to the Institution named, at a charge of 5/- weekly for her maintenance, &c.

28<sup>th</sup> Sept. '04, From Martin Owens, tendering for the sweeping of the chimneys of the Workhouse, Fever Hospital, and Galway Dispensary Buildings for one year, for the sum of £7.

Not accepted.  
Order. The re-issue of advertisement, by placard only, for tenders which will be considered at next meeting.

The Manager of "The Couraught Champion" submitted an account for Union advertisements amounting to £7-16-0, but according to the scale agreed to by the other local Newspaper Proprietors the amount should be only £4-10-0. Payment of £7-16-0 was ordered, but no advertisements are to be sent in future to that Newspaper.

#### Notice of Motion.

"I give notice that on this day fortnight I will move, or some Guardian on my behalf will move, that the resolution adopted at the meeting of this Board on the 7<sup>th</sup> inst. limiting the quantity of milk to be supplied by each contractor to not less than 4, nor more than 10 gallons daily, and the period of contract to one year, be rescinded, and that <sup>it refer to</sup> the old arrangement, that 10 gallons daily be supplied by each Contractor, and that the period of contract be 3 years.  
(Signed) James O'Donoghue, Kat."

28-9-'04,



The former contractors for the supply of milk to the Workhouse promised to continue the supply during the next three weeks.

Sir J. McDonogh called attention to the fact that the Master of the Workhouse had recently taken into his employment as an assistant a McLeamy, recently dismissed from the office of Master of the Charward Union Workhouse.

It was proposed by Mr. H. Crooke, seconded by Mr. Lawless, and  
Resolved - That the Master be called upon to dispense with the services of McLeamy forthwith.

Resolved - That we beg to remind the Local Government Board that we appointed Mr. Thomas Walsh to the office of Relieving Officer in the Crummore District on the 24th inst. and that his appointment has not, up to the present, been sanctioned.

Relieving Officer P. Sullivan of the Galway District, reported that a man named Michael Forde has been giving him great annoyance in his office by threats and abuse.

Order, The Solicitor to be instructed to proceed against the man Forde at next Petty Sessions Court.



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 ... 48

Ditto disallowed ... 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 5

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)

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

October, 1904,

(Signed)

*Robert Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway Union.

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

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

Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of September, 1904,

PRESENT—In the Chair, *R. Shannon Esq.*

Other Guardians:—

*(Same as at page 145)*

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the three 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, _____ "	Spiddal, _____ "
do. 3, _____ "	Tourloughmore, _____ "
Moycullen, _____ "	

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

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were 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 of the Guardians.



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

Read Letter from L. G. B. No. 54,301/1904 dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1904, stating that

adverting to previous correspondence, and to an entry in the Minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst., and requesting that they may be informed whether the Guardians are satisfied that the patient, Margaret Connolly of Cuskmagmore, is a "poor person" within the meaning of the Act 14 & 15 Vic. cap. 68.

*The Guardians are quite satisfied that she is.*

54,301/04. } Adverting to the Minutes of the 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and  
27<sup>th</sup> Sept. } 21<sup>st</sup> inst., and stating that the remuneration at the rate of £4-4-0 a week proposed to be allowed to Dr. Waters for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Kerwan in his capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Oranmore Dispensary District, has received the sanction of the Board.

54,301/04. } Referring to the Minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. and  
27<sup>th</sup> Sept. } pointing out that payments for extra professional assistance in Dispensary cases made in accordance with an approved scale of fees under Article 23 of the Dispensary Rules do not require their sanction.

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. 04. } From Dr. Kerwan, Medical Officer of the Oranmore Dispensary District, enclosing a Medical Certificate that he is still suffering from Leistia but it is anticipated he will be able to travel home on the 1<sup>st</sup> prox.

28<sup>th</sup> Sept. 04. } From Dr. Landys, Acting Medical Officer of the Galway No. 2 Dispensary District, stating that he had occasion to requisition the services of Dr. W. W. Brereton in a difficult midwifery case during the past week.

*Order. Dr. Brereton to be paid a fee of £2-2-0 for his services on this occasion.*

The Relieving Officer of the Turloughmore Dispensary District reported that with one exception the defaulters under the Vaccination Act had complied with the notices he served on them. The one defaulter promised to comply soon.

Resolved. That the defaulters under the Vaccination Act, in the Galway Nos 1 & 2 Disp. Dist., be allowed another week to comply.



Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,876.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse .. . . .	816	288														
Temporary Buildings ..	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	5														
TOTAL .. . . .	1082	323														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			8	18	116	115	15	5	21	13	10	321	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards with other Lunatics	6
Admitted during the Week			8	9	6	5	3	2	1	3	1	38	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5		
Born .. . . .																
TOTAL			16	27	122	120	18	7	22	16	11	359	TOTAL	74	TOTAL	6
Discharged during the Week			9	5	9	2	3	1	2	2		31	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died .. . . .												5	Males	5	Females	4
Total Discharged and Died			9	5	11	2	3	1	2	3		36	No. Believed during week			3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	21	111	118	15	6	20	13	11	323	No. in Workhouse at date			4
													No. at corresponding period last year, 359			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904, 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.	122	183			122	183	Bt. forward	146	212			146	212
No. II.	8	8			8	8	No. IV.	28	40			28	40
No. III.	14	21			14	21	No. V.	4	8			4	8
Car. forwd.	146	212			146	212	No. VI.	24	35			24	35
							TOTAL	205	295			205	295

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,

the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904.

PRESENT—In the Chair,—J. Curran Esq. D.C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Scunniffe, J. Ryan, H. Redington, M. Crowley, D. K. Lydon, J. Egan, J. Holmolly, M. Hooke, W. Walsh, M. Hyde, D. Moloney, and H. Moloney.

J. Curran,  
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904.

(Signed) Robert Muller,  
Clerk of the Union.



**Financial Minutes**  
(For every Meeting).

**Galway Union.**

Meeting held the <sup>5<sup>th</sup></sup> day of October, 1904

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

Indoor, from No. 4572 to No. 4601  
 Separate „ No. 65 to No. 67  
 Out door „ No. 1195 to No. 1200

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 <sup>1<sup>st</sup></sup> day of October, 1904 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.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.		d.									
Provisions	38	8	6	57	4	8	95	13	2	53	5	4	6	12	1	59	17	5	35	15	9	2214
Necessaries	7	4	4	5	15	11	13	0	3	6	5	7	16	10	7	2	5	5	17	10		
Total	45	12	10	63	0	7	108	13	5	59	10	11	7	8	11	66	19	10	41	13	7	

£            s.            d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 8

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 3½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 7 : 10

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the <sup>1<sup>st</sup></sup> day of October, 1904 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY	Relieving Officer McNEILL	Relieving Officer MARTYN	Relieving Officer KYNE	Relieving Officer CULLINAK	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	22 3 1	4 13 7	4 3 8	10 17 0	3 0 0	5 17 8	50 15 0
2. Money since advanced by Guardians							
3. Total to be accounted for	22 3 1	4 13 7	4 3 8	10 17 0	3 0 0	5 17 8	50 15 0
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money	8 8 6	12 6	1 2 6	3 3 0	8 0	2 2 6	15 17 0
In Kind							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	3 6						3 6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	6 0						6 0
7. Total Relief given	8 18 0	12 6	1 2 6	3 3 0	8 0	2 2 6	16 6 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	13 5 1	4 1 1	3 1 2	7 14 0	2 12 0	3 15 2	34 8 6
9. Total	22 3 1	4 13 7	4 3 8	10 17 0	3 0 0	5 17 8	50 15 0



Form 1 B]

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

\_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_ including payments made at the Stated Finance Meeting held on this date.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
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) .. .. .						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
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 REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week ...	7	Admitted during the Week ...	2
Discharged ...	6	Discharged ...	1
Died ...	2	Died ...	1
Remaining ...	71	Remaining ...	5

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

Nurse Clynnes resumed duty in the Workhouse after vacation on the 28<sup>th</sup> ult, and her substitute, Nurse Saunders, left on same date. Nurse Brennan resumed duty in the Fever Hospital after vacation on same date, and her substitute, Nurse Formey left. I had to return 60 eggs supplied by the contractor during the past week. Contractor Crowe's milk was under the standard once, registering only 7 degrees of cream. He forfeits the quantity, 2 gallons.

The Schoolmaster left the Workhouse without leave at 2.50 pm. on the 30<sup>th</sup> ult. According to the Porter's Book the time of his return is unknown but the Porter told me he saw him coming in through the gate about 7 a.m. on the 1<sup>st</sup> inst.

*Order. The Schoolmaster to be cautioned against a repetition of such conduct.*

Miss W. Dillon, Head Nurse in the Fever Hospital of the Workhouse, applied for a month's vacation.

*Four weeks' vacation granted, but she is to be informed that it must be clearly understood that should she overstay that time for any cause whatsoever, she will be required to defray the cost of her substitute for the periods overstayed.*

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 :-

55609/04  
1<sup>st</sup> Oct. } Referring to the Minutes of the 21<sup>st</sup> ult. and sanctioning the proposed payment of a sum of £3-3-0 to Mr. E. K. Sweeney, as remuneration for his services in baking and valuing stock of the clothing, &c. in the Workhouse for the half-year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> ult. Payment not to be made until the work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Guardians.

55082/04  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting Mr. Thomas Walsh, who has been appointed as Relieving Officer for the Electoral Divisions of Ballinacourty, Ballintemple, Carrimore, Clareubridge, Braumore, and Stradbally; and stating that they have sanctioned Mr. Walsh's appointment as Relieving



Officer at the salary specified, namely, £37 a year.

54.300/04. } Adverting to the Minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> ult. re-  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct. } lative to the report of Relieving Officer O'Sullivan in regard to the removal to Athlone of Mr. James O'Sullivan, with whom the boy, Martin Badger, is hired out, and requesting that the Board may be informed of the date of the Relieving Officer's report, and also of the date on which Mr O'Sullivan moved to Athlone. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of December last, the Relieving Officer in his monthly report of boarded-out and hired out children in the Galway District, mentioned that the boy Martin Badger had been brought to Athlone by his employer. The removal was made in the month of November, but the Relieving Officer understood the stay in Athlone would be only temporary. Finding he had not returned, the Relieving Officer on the 14<sup>th</sup> ult. reported the matter to the Guardians.

55.668/04. } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct. } inquiries respecting Sarah McDonagh, who has been appointed as Wardmaid in the Workhouse; and stating that the Board approve of the appointment on the terms specified, namely, at a salary of £6 a year with rations.

56.007/04. } Forwarding a letter which the Board have  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct. } received relative to the butter supplied for use in the Workhouse; and they request that they may be furnished with the observations of the Guardians on the subject.

The Guardians decline to make observations on the subject, because the letter referred to is anonymous. The letter is returned with the copy of the Minutes forwarded to the Board.

56.661/04. } Forwarding a letter which the Board have  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct. } received from a man named Michael Ford, complaining of the refusal of the Relieving Officer of the Galway District to grant him a ticket of admission to the Workhouse; and requesting that the Guardians will obtain a report in writing from the Relieving Officer on the subject, and forward it, together with their own observations thereon to the Board. Ford's letter returned with the copy of the Minutes.

Relieving Officer's report:

"Michael Ford is continually coming in and out of the Workhouse and when he comes to me he is generally under the influence of drink, when he abuses me and threatens myself, wife and children. I reported him to the Guardians at last meeting when they directed a prosecution. I did not consider him a fit subject for admission to the Workhouse, but I told him to come before the Guardians and I would have his application entered on my book.

5-10-04.

(Signed) Pat<sup>l</sup> O'Sullivan, R.O.  
The Guardians beg to observe that this man Ford is well fit, but very much disinclined, to work, preferring to live in the Workhouse at the cost of the ratepayers. For an assault on the Workhouse Porter a short time ago, he was committed to prison for 3 months. A prosecution for threatening and



*abusing Relieving Sullivan is now pending against him.*

29<sup>th</sup> Sept '04. From the Clerk of Union, Drogheda, forwarding a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Guardians of that Union as follows:—  
"That whereas the Catholics of Ireland accepted the National System of Education solely on the condition that their Priests were to be Managers of their Schools; and an attempt is now being made to rescue that management from their hands, we protest in the strongest manner against any such change being made in the Primary Education of the country. We furthermore call upon the Government to pay towards the upkeep of our Schools and to supplement the very inadequate salaries of our Teachers, £180,000 a year equivalent to grant to Ireland, of the £1,500,000 voted by Parliament some years ago for Primary Education in the British Isles."

*The adoption of this resolution was proposed by Mr. H. Redington, seconded by Mr. H. Crowley and carried unanimously.*

29<sup>th</sup> Sept '04. From the Analyst, furnishing the result of the analyses of 16 specimens of Tea analysed for the Guardians, sample marked No 2 being the best. *The owners of No 2 sample, Messrs B. Connolly & Sons, were declared contractors for the supply of Tea to the Workhouse for 12 months.*

4<sup>th</sup> Oct '04. From the Manager of the "Comnaught Champion",

explaining the reasons for their scale of charges for advertisements being higher than other local newspapers.

4<sup>th</sup> Oct '04. From Mr. Joseph Cox of Quay St. Galway, informing the Guardians that a boy named Edward Haley, whom the Guardians hired-out to him 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> years ago, left his employment and returned to the Workhouse.

*The boy was called before the Guardians and questioned as to his reason for leaving the employment, and he explained that Mr. Cox ill-treated him, and he declined to return.*

4<sup>th</sup> Oct '04. From Mr. Thomas Walsh, recently appointed as Relieving Officer of the Drogheda District, submitting for the approval of the Guardians the name of Mr. Daniel Cannon of Moneymore, Farmer, as one of his sureties instead of Mr. Myles King of Drogheda, Licensed Publican. *Approved.*

5<sup>th</sup> Oct '04. From Michael Peilly, Workhouse Shoemaker, complaining that the Master deducted the sum of one shilling from his wages last week for being 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> hours late in the mornings coming to work.

*Order. In future when behind time coming to work, he is to be sent away for a quarter day.*

5<sup>th</sup> Oct '04. From Martin Owens tendering for cleaning the chimneys of the Workhouse, Fever Hospital, and Galway Dispensary buildings for a year for the sum of £6.0.0. *Accepted.*



*The following Guardians were appointed a Committee to meet at the Board Room at 12 o'clock on the 10th inst. to examine tenders & samples for annual supplies to the Workhouse. Messrs. Curran, St. Lydon, M. Crowley, M. Hoole, J. Keane, & Keane, & O'Donoghue.*

*Order.* Anne Leahy to be supplied with clothing to the value of 15/- to enable her to leave the Workhouse and accept employment offered her.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that Mr. Joseph O'Sullivan had not perfected his Bonds for the supply of meat to the Workhouse during the current year.

*Order.* Mr. O'Sullivan to be informed that his Bond must be perfected before next meeting of the Guardians.

*Notice of Ejection.*

At suit of John Keane against Peter Barrett of William St. West, from the house and premises

Relieving Officers O'Sullivan & Sullivan furnished monthly Reports on children boarded-out - hired-out in their respective districts

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	...	...	29
Ditto disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	0
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	3
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.)

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

October 1904.

(Signed) *Robert Mullery*  
Clerk of the Union.

**Galway Union.**

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

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

Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 5th day of October, 1904.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *P. Curran Esq. D.C.*  
Other Guardians:—

*(Same as at page 161)*

[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.:-

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

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

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

*Galway Nos 1 & 2, also the Workhouse ordered from Contractors.*

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 of the Guardians.



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

Read Letter from L. G. B. No 149/m/1904, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 1904,  
stating that

transmitting forms for a statement showing the sums paid by the Guardians for medical and educational purposes in respect of the half-year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> inst. and the other usual particulars.

1<sup>st</sup> Oct 04. From Dr. Conolly, Medical Officer of the Moycullen Dispensary District, applying for 2/6 cost of postage on official letters from April 2<sup>nd</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> Sept.  
*Payment ordered.*

3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 04. From Dr. Kirwan, Medical Officer of the Oranmore Dispensary District, stating that he will leave Raddon for home on the 5<sup>th</sup> inst.

The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from the Galway Dispensary. The original accompanies the copy of the Minutes to the L. G. Board and the Medical Officers have been furnished with a copy.

Order. The Medical Officers of Galway Nos 1 and 2 Dispensary Districts to be requested to furnish to the Guardians at next Meeting, lists of the persons who were returned on Form P for the Quarter ended the 30<sup>th</sup> June last, who have not since complied with the law.

Reports Form H.  
Galway No 1 Dispensary District, 130 cases of successful Vaccination from 13-4-04, and 3-10-04.  
Moycullen Disp. District,  
28 cases from 31-3-04, to 30-9-04.



Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £66,876.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse . . . . .	816	286												
Temporary Buildings . . . . .	222	30												
Permanent Fever Hospital . . . . .	44	8												
TOTAL . . . . .	1082	324												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			5	22	113	118	15	6	20	13	11	323	73	In separate Wards 6
Admitted during the Week			5	2	15	14	1		1	3	1	32	8	In Wards with other inmates
Born . . . . .														
TOTAL			10	24	128	122	16	6	21	16	13	356	81	TOTAL, 6
Discharged during the Week			4	6	11	3		1	2	3	1	31		
Died . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Died			4	6	11	3		1	2	3	1	32		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	18	117	118	16	5	19	13	12	324		No. at corresponding period last year, 364

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904, 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.	121	190			121	190	Bt. forward	146	219			146	219
No. II.	8	8			8	8	No. IV.	29	48			29	48
No. III.	14	21			14	21	No. V.	7	8			7	8
Car. forwd.	146	219			146	219	No. VI.	24	35			24	35
							TOTAL	206	310			206	310

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY,

the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904.

PRESENT—In the Chair,—P. Curran Esq. D.B.

Other Guardians:—

Lord Killaurin, Sir J. O'Donoghue, Messrs. Cumiffe, C. H. French, S. Fahy, P. Lawless, T. Delany, M. Cunningham, M. Redington, D. K. Lydon, J. J. Conolly, M. J. Cooke, E. J. Burke, M. Castells, M. McNeill, W. Keane, C. F. Griffin, D. Moloney, and M. Davoren.

J. Curran  
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904.

(Signed) Robt. H. Muller  
Clerk of the Union.



**Financial Minutes**

(For every Meeting).

**Galway Union.**

Meeting held the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904

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

Indoor, from No. 4601 to No. 4633

Separate „ No. 67 to No. 3

Out door „ No. 1200 to No. 1206

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 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904, 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	35	15	9	53	0	0	88	15	9	53	5	1	5	16	9	59	1	10	29	13	11	2245
Necessaries	5	14	10	7	14	2	13	15	0	7	8	1	16	10	8	4	11	5	10	1		
Total	41	13	7	60	14	2	102	10	9	60	13	2	64	13	7	64	6	9	35	4	0	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	...	3 : 9
Average Cost in Infirmary	...	...	5 : 4
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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1904, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN		Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY		Relieving Officer McNEILL		Relieving Officer MARTYN		Relieving Officer KYNE		Relieving Officer CULLINAK		TOTAL								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	13	5	1	4	1	1	3	1	2	7	14	0	2	12	0	3	15	2	34	8	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																					
3. Total to be accounted for	13	5	1	4	1	1	3	1	2	7	14	0	2	12	0	3	15	2	34	8	6
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money	8	4	6	12	6		1	2	6	3	3	0	8	0	2	2	6	15	13	0	
In Kind																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out																					
7. Total Relief given	8	17	1	12	6		1	2	6	3	9	0	8	0	2	2	6	16	11	7	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	4	8	0	3	8	7	1	18	8	4	5	0	2	4	0	1	12	8	17	16	11
9. Total	13	5	1	4	1	1	3	1	2	7	14	0	2	12	0	3	15	2	34	8	6