

[FORM 1 A]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For every Meeting).

Meeting held the 4th day of October, 1905

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 Separate ,, No. 29 to No. 1
 Out-door ,, No. 1370 to No. 1370

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.							
Provisions ...	40	10	8	63	1	3	103	11	11	63	10	10	8	1	2	71	12	0	31	19	11	
Necessaries ...	7	8	11	6	15	3	14	4	2	7	2	4	1	0	2	8	2	6	6	1	8	2383
Total ...	47	19	7	69	16	6	117	16	1	70	13	2	9	1	4	79	14	6	38	1	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 10
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 2 1/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 10 : 9

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7. The Medical Weekly Return
8. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
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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 ended Saturday, the 30th day of September, 1905, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN			Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY			Relieving Officer McNEILL			Relieving Officer WALSH			Relieving Officer KYNE			Relieving Officer CULLINAN			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2	19	8	3	1	2	1	17	8	7	0	8	2	8	6	16	2	18	3	10	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	0	0	"	"	"	5	0	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	0	0	35	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	27	19	8	3	1	2	6	17	8	7	0	8	2	8	6	5	16	2	53	3	10
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	11	0	6	13	0		19	6		2	8	6	13	0		2	4	0	17	18	6
In Kind ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	"	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	6	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. Total Relief given	11	6	6	13	0		19	6		2	10	0	13	0		2	4	0	18	6	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	16	13	2	2	8	2	5	18	2	4	10	8	1	15	6	3	12	2	34	17	10
9. Total ...	27	19	8	3	1	2	6	17	8	7	0	8	2	8	6	5	16	2	53	3	10

Form 1 B]

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190

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 ended 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) Es:abishment						
(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 ended 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.
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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	13	Admitted during the Week	3
Discharged	10	Discharged	5
Died	1	Died	1
Remaining	70	Remaining	15

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

Kate Walsh recently appointed as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse entered on her duties on the 1st inst. The Contractor failed to supply Butter last week, I purchased a supply and charged him with the extra cost.

I rejected Beef Tea meat supplied on the 1st inst. and the contractor having refused a further supply I purchased it at 3^d per lb.

It was proposed by Mr. N. Lydon, seconded by Mr. M. Redington and — Resolved — that the contract for Beef Tea meat be cancelled.

Nurse Cahill was not in the Hospital when the Medical Officer visited at 11 pm. on the 26th ult. to attend to a bad patient. She left directions with a male patient to go to her room to call her when the Doctor arrived. She wrote to the Head Nurse on the night of the 30th ult. that she was unable to do duty through illness, it being too late to requisition a nurse, other arrangements had to be made for the night.

Workhouse Medical Officers,

I beg to draw attention to the fact that the Night Nurse is bound to remain in the Wards whilst on duty, see Night Reports.

W. A. Sandys,
Acting Med. Officer.

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

A large glass bell jar is required for keeping leeches in the surgery.

M. McDonogh, Med. Officer.

Ordered.

Night Nurse.

There having been no night report written for three nights by Nurse Corless, and as ^{she} has five years' experience here, I naturally thought I was right in following her example. If Sister Ursula objects to noise made by me she had better have her sleeping apartment changed. She had no compassion for me when she refused to have a bowl of beef tea made in the dietary. If no noise were made the next thing we should hear is that the nurse was not on duty. I understand also

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:—

that Dr. Sandys objected to P. Kelly calling me when he arrived. I am not ashamed to acknowledge that at 11 pm. I said to Kelly call me when the Doctor comes. I have to go to my room to fix up a few things. Considering that all doors were locked, I, as an officer, did not feel I was infringing Workhouse Rules by getting a man to respectfully knock at my door. Nurse Corless on a previous occasion did not write a night report. Why one law for one and another for No. 2. Kindly see to the Electric Bells being put in order as between Female and Male Wards as I sit in Surgery and if bell were not in order as at present I could not hold myself responsible. The patients appeared to sleep well when I visited the Wards at 11 pm., 1 am, 3 am, and 5 am.

K. Cahill.

The Electric Bells in the convalescent Dining Room were in order when I visited the Hospital this morning at 9 o'clock. The Surgery is not the Nurse's Room.

28-9-05.

W. A. Sandys, Acting M.O.

To the Master.

Have all the Bells overhauled, the bell from the Female side to the Surgery is out of order.

W. A. Sandys.

Order. Nurse Cahill to be warned that while on night duty she must remain in the Wards, and that any further report against her will be seriously noticed by the Guardians.

Correspondence.

58665 to 30th Oct. Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting Kate Walsh, who has been elected Wardsmaid in the Workhouse; and pointing out that this girl, being only 19 years, is 2 years under the minimum age prescribed by the Board's Order of 5th July, 1905, for persons appointed to the post of Wardsmaid, and that no sufficient reason for dispensing with the provision of the Article in question has been put forward in this instance.

Mrs. L. S. B. in error should have stated 5th July, 1907

A copy of the Order referred to has not been received. The Guardians beg to inform the L. S. Board that considerable difficulty is experienced in getting outsiders to apply for the position, as young females prefer domestic service to Workhouse service. The girl, Kate Walsh, has been reared in the Workhouse and has been specially trained

in Wardsmaid's duties by the terms in the Workhouse Hospital. In the circumstances the Guardians request the Board to sanction the appointment.

60002 to 30th Oct. Forwarding a copy of a letter which the Board have received from Mr. Peter Hoare relative to the contract for the supply of boots for the inmates of the Workhouse, recently entered into by the Guardians. Requesting that the Board may be favoured with the observations of the Guardians on the subject.

cause of complaint.

Two tenders for the supply of boots were received, namely, Peter Hoare at 7/- per pair, H. J. Newell " 10/- " "

The higher tender was accepted though Peter Hoare's sample boot was best. The difference of 5/- per pair when 200 or 300 pairs are wanted will be a big item.

The Guardians beg to observe that they consider Mr. Newell's boots at 10/- per pair better value than Mr. Hoare's at 7/-. The item was men's boots and the annual supply averages 50 pairs. Mr. M. Ryan alone dissented from these observations.

29th Sept. 05. From Dr. W. A. Sandys, accepting the appointment as substitute for Dr. H. McDonogh, Medical Officer of the Workhouse and Galway No. 2 Dispensary District at £4-4-0 a week until such time as Dr. Colahan's leave has terminated. After that time he will expect £5-5-0 a week.

Order. To be informed that the Guardians will not give

more than £4-4-0 a week for the 4 weeks' vacation granted to Dr. McDonogh.

3rd Oct 05, From Joseph Bradley, Workhouse Tailor, tendering his resignation as, owing to old age and infirmity he is unable to continue to work, begging of the Guardians to grant him a small pension to support himself and wife.

Resignation accepted, outdoor relief to the amount of 5/- a week was ordered.

Order, The issue of advertisements for a Tailor experienced in cutting out garments and who will undertake to instruct boys in the Workhouse in the tailoring trade. Applicants to state salary, experience, &c. Applications to be considered at meeting on the 18th inst.

4th Oct 05, From Mr. Binns, B. C. stating that the foundations for the Weighbridge at the Workhouse are completed.

That he has only now succeeded in procuring a suitable testing machine for the drains at the Workhouse, &c, and the work will be proceeded with at once.

4th Oct 05, From Mr. James Walsh, acting as Steam Boiler Attendant, requesting payment for Sundays as he has to attend same as on week days.

It was proposed by Mr. M. D. Cooke and seconded by Mr. N. Lydon - that he be paid $\frac{3}{4}$ ^d for each Sunday's work.

It was proposed as an amendment by Mr. P. Cannon and seconded by Mr. J. Casserly, - that the weekly wages of £1, including Sunday work,

as agreed upon, be not increased. In a division the amendment was carried, 16 votes being recorded for, and 8 against it.

John Farrell and Michael Doherty, inmates of the Workhouse, applied to be allowed out on pass on Sundays -

Left to be dealt with by the Master at his discretion.

Order, Clothing to the amount of £1-10-0 to be supplied to Henry Cooney to enable him leave the Workhouse and accept employment offered.

Mr. M. Ryan moved on two notices given for this date, but as they were not seconded, the motions fell through.

The following Guardians were appointed a Committee to select a site for a Tailor's Workshop on the ground floor of the Workhouse as the one at present used is on the top floor, namely: - Messrs. N. Lydon, M. Cooke, M. Redington, R. Hoole, M. Cunningham, F. D. Bailey, and J. Ryan.

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 - 41
 Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 0
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 0
 The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - 0
 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 Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

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, _____ "	Spiddal, _____ "
do. 3, _____ "	Turloughmore, _____ "
Moycullen, _____ "	

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

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

Galway No 1 & 2, Moycullen, also Workhouse, ordered of contractors.

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 N. Walsh, Craunmore, dated 27th Sept. 1905, stating that

he is sadly in need of a bag to carry medicines and instruments in during the winter. The bag he found in use when he took up duty in the District has now gone to pieces. The Dispensary is also badly in need of a few trays such as are in the Workhouse list. It is almost impossible to properly attend to wounds without some such to hold the dressings in; at present he has to manage with an old cracked basin.

Order to be supplied with a bag value for £1-1-0, and three trays value for $\frac{5}{2}$ each.

27th Sept. 05 In the High Court of Justice, King's Bench Division, in the matter of Barroway v Healey, garnishing the sum of £7-19-0 against the salary due by the Guardians to the Defendant as Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that he deducted the amount from the salary due to D. Healey for Quarter ended the 30th ult.

Approved.

30th Sept. 05. From D. Hopkins of Castlebar, applying for a fee of £3-3-0 for a consultation with the Medical Officer of Galway No. 3 Dispensary District, on a Dispensary patient.

Payment of £1-1-0 ordered.

2nd Oct. 05. From the Medical Officer of the Moycullen Dispensary District, applying for payment of

a sum of $\frac{5}{2}$ expended for postage of letters addressed to the Clerk of Union during the half year ended 30th ult.

Payment ordered.

Reports Form II.

Successful Vaccinations.

Resp. Dists.	No. of cases.	Dates.
Galway No 1	67	from 1-4-05 to 20-9-05.
" " 2	69	" 6-4-05 " 30-9-05.
Moycullen	19	" 1-4-05 " 30-9-05.
Spiddal	52	" 4-7-05 " 30-9-05.

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £67,876.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ended SATURDAY, the 7th day of October, 1905.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons and Adult Persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Inmates 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	300															
Temporary Buildings	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	11															
TOTAL	1082	341															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			17	22	115	43	21	5	21	11	17	353	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 76	In separate Wards }			
Admitted during the Week Born			10	3	12	1	1	2	1	2	2	34	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 11	In Wards with other Inmates }	7		
TOTAL			27	25	127	44	22	7	22	13	19	386	TOTAL	87	7		
Discharged during the Week Died			20	3	13	4		2	1		1	44	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged and Died			20	3	14	4		2	1		1	45	No. relieved during week	Males 12	Females 2	Child'n under 15 4	Total 18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	22	113	120	22	5	21	13	18	341	No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	3	6
													No. at corresponding period last year				324

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday the 7th day of Oct, 1905, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. 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 to Vict. 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.	147	225			147	225	Bt. forwd.	168	250	"	"	168	250
No. II.	9	10			9	10	No. IV.	25	31	"	"	25	31
No. III.	12	15			12	15	No. V.	11	12	"	"	11	12
Car. forwd.	168	250	"	"	168	250	No. VI.	25	36	"	"	25	36
							TOTAL	229	329	"	"	229	329

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of October, 1905.

PRESENT—In the Chair, M. Cunningham Esq. D.D.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. A. Kane, T. Lydon, M. Redington, M. Ryan, J. Egan, H. MacDonnell, M. Crowley, C. Robbitt, M. Cooke, and M. McNeill.

M. Cunningham
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of October, 1905.

(Signed), Robt. H. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 1 A]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For every Meeting).

Meeting held the 14th day of October, 1905.

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

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Provisions	31	19	11	71	15	8	103	15	7	57	19	11	✓	29	11	62	19	10	38	15	9	2355
Necessaries	6	1	8	7	19	0	12	0	8	8	17	11	✓	19	10	9	17	9	2	2	11	
Total	37	20	19	78	34	8	115	15	15	65	36	22	✓	48	21	71	36	17	40	17	8	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 3 : 1 1/4
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	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.			£ s. d.			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	13	2	2	8	2	5	18	2	4	10	8	1	15	6	3	12	2	34	17	10	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	13	2	2	8	2	5	18	2	4	10	8	1	15	6	3	12	2	34	17	10	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	11	4	6	13	0	19	6	2	10	0	13	0	2	4	0	18	4	0	18	4	0	
In Kind ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
7. Total Relief given	11	4	6	13	0	19	6	2	11	6	13	0	2	4	0	18	5	6	18	5	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5	8	8	1	15	2	4	18	8	1	19	2	1	2	6	1	8	2	16	12	4	
9. Total	16	13	2	2	8	2	5	18	2	4	10	8	1	15	6	3	12	2	34	17	10	

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(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Stated Finance Meeting, held the 11th day of October, 1905

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	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				12	7	1
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				12	7	1

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment at the Finance Stated Meeting held on the above-mentioned day, being in respect of expenses for the period ended 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	315	2	0			
Salaries— (a) Establishment	377	17	8			
(b) Workhouse Farm						
(c) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm <u>W.H. Medicines</u>	80	10	2			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	422	7	2			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	75	0	0			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	30	10	0			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	54	18	0			
Superannuation Allowances	16	0	0			
District School Account <u>Lucy Fair</u>	2	4	0			
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	542	19	10			
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	1917	8	10			

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of September, 1905, 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	1912	18	9			
Total sums received during the month	12	7	1			
Total	1925	5	10			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	"	"	"			
Payments ordered at this meeting	1917	8	10			
Total	1917	8	10			
Net Balance due <u>by</u> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals)	7	17	0			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1961	1	6			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting)	1953	4	6			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> Treasurer	7	17	0			

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

*Retd
13 Oct 1905*

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.				FEVER HOSPITAL.			
Admitted during the Week	...	...	16	Admitted during the Week	...	...	1
Discharged	...	...	10	Discharged	...	...	4
Died	...	...	0	Died	...	...	0
Remaining	...	...	76	Remaining	...	...	12

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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 :—

On the motion of Mr. J. J. Egan, seconded by Mr. W. Browley it was ^{resolved} Resolved— That as a mark to the memory of Mr. John J. Lynch, superannuated Master of the Workhouse, whose death we have just learned, this meeting will stand adjourned for a week.

The following tables show the total number of persons in the county in 1851 and 1861, and the number of persons in each of the several classes of the population in 1861.

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Galway County

Council Archives

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	-	34
Ditto disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	-	0
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 Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

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, _____ „	Spiddal, _____ „
do. 3, _____ „	Tourloughmore, _____ „
Moycullen, _____ „	

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

An Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned Dispensary Districts ^{was} were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

Spiddal, Ordered of contractors,

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 _____ dated _____ stating that

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Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £67,876.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ended SATURDAY, the 14th day of October, 1905.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons and Adult Persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	816	299													
Temporary Buildings	222	30													
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	11													
TOTAL	1082	340													
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			8	22	113	120	23	6	22	12	15	341			
Admitted during the Week			8	3	13	4	3	"	"	"	2	33			
Born															
TOTAL			16	25	126	124	26	6	22	12	17	374			
Discharged during the Week			9	3	12	2	3		2	1	2	34			
Died															
Total Discharged and Died			9	3	12	2	3		2	1	2	34			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	22	114	122	23	6	20	11	15	340			

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
No. relieved during week	10	1	1	12
No. in Workhouse at date	1	0	0	1
No. at corresponding period last year	333			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday the 14th day of October, 1905, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. 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 to Vict. 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.	143	217	"	"	143	217	Bt. forwd.	164	242	"	"	164	242
No. II.	9	10	"	"	9	10	No. IV.	25	31	"	"	25	31
No. III.	12	15	"	"	12	15	No. V.	11	12	"	"	11	12
Car. forwd.	164	242	"	"	164	242	No. VI.	25	36	"	"	25	36
							TOTAL	225	321	"	"	225	321

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of October, 1905.

PRESENT—In the Chair, *J. Curran Esq.*

Other Guardians—*Lord Killanin, Messrs J. Molloy, W. Coen, S. Ruane, R. H. French, A. Kane, P. Lawless, P. Delany, N. Lydon, M. Cunningham, M. Redington, J. Leonard, M. Ryan, M. Crowley, C. Rabbitt, M. Ashe, M. J. Cooke, R. Hooke, F. J. Bailey, W. Lawless, P. Naughton, J. Kearney, M. Hurney, P. Hynes, M. McNeill, W. Keane, W. Walsh, M. Kynes, S. Moloney, J. Francis, P. McDonagh, M. Davoren, and J. Costello (C.)*

J. Curran
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of October, 1905.

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

[FORM 1 A]

FINANCIAL MINUTES

(For every Meeting).

Meeting held the 18th day of October, 1905.

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

Indoor, from No. 1459 to No. 1492
 Separate ,, No. 3 to No. 7
 Out-door ,, No. 1370 to No. 1387

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 ended Saturday, the 14th day of October, 1905, 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 ...	38	15	9	67	3	6	105	19	3	58	8	6	6	15	7	65	4	1	20	15	2	
Necessaries ...	4	2	11	13	17	8	18	0	7	8	10	3	18	8	9	8	11	8	11	8		2363
Total ...	42	18	8	81	1	2	123	19	10	66	18	9	24	3	7	74	13	0	49	6	10	

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of October, 1905, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN			Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY			Relieving Officer McNEILL			Relieving Officer WALSH			Relieving Officer KYNE			Relieving Officer CULLINAN			TOTAL					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5	8	8	1	15	2	4	18	8	1	19	2	1	2	6	1	8	2	16	12	4			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	0	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	10	0	0	5	0	0	10	0	0	50	0	0			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	30	8	8	1	15	2	4	18	8	11	19	2	6	2	6	11	8	2	66	12	4			
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	10	12	6	13	0	19	6	2	10	0	13	0	2	4	0	17	12	0						
In Kind ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	1	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	3		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. Total Relief given	10	13	9	13	0	19	6	2	11	6	13	0	2	4	0	17	14	9						
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	19	14	11	1	2	2	3	19	2	9	7	8	5	9	6	9	4	2	48	17	7			
9. Total ...	30	8	8	1	15	2	4	18	8	11	19	2	6	2	6	11	8	2	66	12	4			

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(For Stated Finance Meetings only).

Form 1 B]

Stated Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190

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 ended 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) Es.ablishment						
(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 ended 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.
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 the Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	22	Admitted during the Week	3
Discharged	10	Discharged	3
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	88	Remaining	12

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

Nurse Cahill left the Workhouse on the 14th inst. leaving Nurse Helen Griffiths as her substitute at her own expense.

Patrick Toole, Steam Boiler Attendant, was discharged from the Fever Hospital on the 13th inst. I submit a medical certificate that he is now convalescent from Typhoid Fever but will require a month's rest before he can resume duty.

Granted a month's leave of absence.

The charge nurse in the Fever Hospital reported to me that the Porter was not on duty on the night of the 12th inst. By order of the Medical Officer I wrote to him about 12 noon on that date that he was to resume duty that night and discontinuing the services of the Night-man. I submit the Nurse's report

Order the Porter to be called upon to furnish an explanation.

Miss Fox, temporary nurse in the Fever Hospital, left on the 4th inst. and Anne Faherty, temporary ^{Wardmaid} in same Hospital left on the 6th inst.

The Tea contractor sent in 22 chests on the 10th inst. and they are stored in the Workhouse. A sample from each chest has been sent to the Tea Taster.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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:—

145/10/05 }
6th Oct. } transmitting forms for 1/2 yearly statement showing the sums paid by the Guardians for medical and educational purposes.

57484/05 }
6th Oct. } Approving of the appointment of Michael Connor as Wardsman in the Workhouse at a salary of £5 a year, with rations, also sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of 1/11^d a week to same person for his services as temporary Wardsman prior to his election to the permanent office.

60084/05 }
7th Oct. } Referring to entries in the Minutes of the 27th inst. and requesting that they may be furnished with a list giving the names and ages of the orphan and deserted children in the Workhouse.

house who might be boarded-out in the Union.
Furnished.

60,084/05 } Transmitting questions for answers respecting
7th Oct. } Dr. Sandys who has been appointed temporary
substitute for Dr. McDonogh, Medical Officer of
the Workhouse and the Galway No 2 Dispensary
District.

Questions answered, signed, and returned.

60,084/05 } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration
7th Oct. } at the rate of 12/- a week to Mr John Bradley
for his services as temporary substitute for
the Workhouse Tailor.

53,105/05 } Adverting to the entry on the subject in the
12th Oct. } Minutes of the 23rd August last, and request-
ing that they may be informed whether the
Guardians are taking any steps to carry
out the proposed works for the protection of
the Workhouse in the event of an outbreak
of fire.

Consideration deferred.

58,665/05 } Adverting to previous correspondence res-
16th Oct. }pecting the proposed appointment of Kate
Walsh as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse, and
stating that they have sanctioned the ap-
pointment on the terms specified in the replies
to queries in this case, namely, at a salary of
£10 a year with rations. In sanctioning this
appointment notwithstanding the fact that
she is under 21 years of age, the Board have had
regard to the statement that she has been specially

trained by the Matron with a view to being
employed as Wardsmaid. It must, however,
be distinctly understood that in future no
person can be employed as a Wardsmaid
who has not reached the prescribed age of
21 years, inasmuch as many of the duties
are of such a nature as makes it undesir-
able that young girls should be called
upon to perform them.

Noted.

61,581/05 } Transmitting questions for answers respecting
16th Oct. } the person who may be appointed as Tailor for
the Workhouse.

Answered, signed, and returned.

61,581/05 } Referring to the Minutes of the 4th inst. pro-
16th Oct. } posing to cancel the contract for the supply
of beef-tee meat to the Workhouse, and re-
questing that the Board may be informed
why the Guardians consider that this con-
tractor should not be kept to the terms of his
contract. The Board desire to point out
that a contract can only be cancelled
after due notice and with the consent of
the local Government Board first had and
obtained.

*The Guardians beg to observe that this was the
first occasion they invited tenders for the
supply of beef-tee meat, and their reasons for
doing so, being, an unusually large number
of patients in the Fever Hospital at the time,
now that the number of patients has been reduced,
the required quantity of beef-tee meat can be*