

Board of Guardians minute book
Wexford Union

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26 July 1902 – 24 January 1903

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 26 day of July 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
													Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	278											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	}
Total..	812	278	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			3	21	112	101	1	1	19	13	14	285	112	34	}
Admitted during the week			9	10	8	6	-	-	8	5	-	46			
Born															}
TOTAL			12	31	120	107	1	1	27	18	14	331	112	39	
Discharged during the week,			9	11	14	3	-	-	8	4	2	51			}
Died						2	-	-	-	-	-	2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	11	14	5	-	-	8	4	2	53			}
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			3	20	106	102	1	1	19	14	12	278			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		}
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Childr'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
														9 10 13 32	}
													No. in Workhouse at date	3 3 6 12	
													No. at corresponding period last year		272

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 day of July 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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
No. I.	236	368				
No. II.	127	194				
Total ..	363	562				

Comparative No. last year..... 564

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 26 day of July 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Denis L. O'Brien Esq. Chairman

Other Guardians—

Messrs. B. H. Blacocks Jt., John Codd, Grange.
 Patk Murphy, Edward P. Kearns, Andrew Joyce, James McMahon
 Hugh Mc Guire, Tom Kehoe, James Codd Jt. Thos Rowe
 Richd Murphy, John Keane, Michl Doyle, John Codd, Adm'r
 James Hore, James Cullen Michl Murphy, Thos Rowe, Thos Kehoe
 John Codd Jt., John Codd, John Loffan, Patk Lambert, James
 Meyler, Michl C. rowley, W. J. Scallan, Michl Sinnott, Coleman

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 912 to No. 958
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of July 1902 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

Statement, 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	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	64	5	7	43	15	9	108	1	4	38	8		1	19	7	40	7	7	67	13	9	1926
Necessaries ...	56	16	9	-	-		56	16	9	6	8	2	-	9	11	6	18	1	49	18	8	
Total ...	121	2	4	43	15	9	164	18	1	44	16	2	2	9	6	47	5	8	117	12	5	

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

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of July 1891 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer, <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	43	10	2	42	13	8	86	3	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...									
3. Total to be accounted for ...	43	10	2	42	13	8	86	3	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	17	8		9	9	6	26	17	6
In Kind ...		2	6		12			14	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		6	6					6	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		16			16		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	18	13		10	17	6	29	10	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	24	17	2	31	16	2	56	13	4
9. Total ...	43	10	2	42	13	8	86	3	10
				<i>Last yr £ 29-6-0</i>					

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{5}{8}$; MR. REDMOND, 10 ;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{4}$.

A Committee required to condemn old clothes.
ordered. Messrs Hove, Peacocke & McFinnie will attend
after Board.

An Inmate, named Michel Rossiter, absconded, from the house
with the Workhouse clothes, on Thursday the 24th inst
and has not since been heard of. Ordered. The Master
will look after this man.

HB. This man has returned to the
house on Saturday after Board meeting.

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):

No Local Government Board letters.

Dr M. J. Sheridan, Medical Officer of the Workhouse wrote stating, he examined, a sample of new boiled potatoes which appeared fairly dry, and recommended them for dinner to the healthy inmates once a week. Ordered. Allowed.

Mr Patrick, Porter of the Fever Hospital, wrote, applying for the Annual Suit of clothes. Ordered. Advertiser.

The tender of Mr Tom Malone, Belvidere, was accepted for supplying 50 gallons sweetmilk weekly, at 8d per gallon, to be taken as required by the Master, the full amount being taken from the Cheap Contractors.

On the motion of Mr O'Brien, seconded by Mr Tom Kehoe the following Resolution was passed.
 "That his meeting of the Wexford Guardians, wishing
 "to take part in the National Mourning, expresses
 "its profound regret, at the death of the late

patriot, Dr Broke, Archbishop of Cashel, and hereby tender to the Archbishop, priests and people of Cashel, our heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1902

Signed..... *Asis Kehse* Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of July, 1902

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians—

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

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
22 nd July	John Clarke & Co.	in further reference to the Sample of Glycerine, reported on by Profr Tichborne as containing a slight excess of water. The Contractors state, they have communicated with the manufacturer, who stated he was not prepared, to accept the figures given by the Analyst, he being certain that his Glycerine is up to the (B.P.) Standard in every respect. The Contractors further request, that a 4 oz sample, be sent to them for an independent analysis. Ordered: That to be written to, to supply a sample	
	The Chief Secretary and Messrs Redmond and French M.P.s	wrote acknowledging receipt of the Guardians Resolution of 19 th inst, proposing that a clause be inserted, in the Local Govt, Ireland, Amending Bill now before Parliament, for recovery of half the salaries of Analyst and temporary paid officers.	

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

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

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

Denis O'Brien
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 2nd day of Aug 190 2

(Signed)

Thos Kehoe
Clerk of the Union

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date			
Workhouse, Temporary Build-ings, Additional Work-house, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	784											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards			
Total..	81	784											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other Inmates			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			3	20	106	102	1	1	19	14	12	278	TOTAL	117	TOTAL	34	
Admitted during the week			22	4	14	6	1	-	-	-	-	47					
Discharged during the week											1	1					
Died																	
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	6	13	4	1	-	-	-	-	42					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	18	107	104	1	1	19	13	13	284					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
														M.	F.	Childr'n under 15	TOTAL
													No. relieved during week	22	4	-	26
													No. in Work-house at date	7	2	-	9
													No. at corresponding period last year				266

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of August 190 2 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
	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.	235	361			235	361	567
No. II.	126	193			126	193	
Total	361	554			361	554	

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 2nd day of August 190 2

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Denis O'Brien Esq. Chairman,

Other Guardians—

Messrs G.H. Peacock, J. Barry, J. Kehoe, J. Murphy, J. Murphy, P. Scallan, Patk Murphy, Walter Kehoe, John Clancy, James Hone, Peter Walsh, J. Breen, Jas. McMahon, John Connors, Patk Fortune, Richard Joyce, John P. Keating, John Codd, John Lurion, Hugh O'Connor & John Codd, & George

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the *2nd* day of *August 1887* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer, <i>M. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	<i>24</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4</i>
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	<i>24</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4</i>
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	<i>17</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>6</i>		<i>26</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>6</i>
In Kind ...		<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>		<i>12</i>			<i>14</i>	<i>6</i>
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...									
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...					<i>8</i>			<i>8</i>	
7. Total Relief given ...	<i>17</i>	<i>12</i>		<i>10</i>	<i>6</i>		<i>27</i>	<i>18</i>	
	<i>Corresponding date last Year £28 15 6</i>								
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	<i>7</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>4</i>
9. Total ...	<i>24</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4</i>

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{1}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{1}{2}$;
~~MR. MALONE,~~ ; MR. FORTUNE, $7\frac{1}{2}$.

Received from Lady Maurice Fitzgerald, a plentiful supply of gooseberries, for children and Hospital patients.

On the motion of Mr Peacock, seconded by Mr Richard Joyce, a vote of thanks was passed to Lady Maurice Fitzgerald.

I have to report the Tailor, Peter Sempsey, for failing to carry out my instructions on several occasions of late. I asked him 6 weeks ago to bring his week work in to me every Saturday evening with his book written up. This order he complied with for 2 weeks the remaining 4 he has failed to carry it out. On a previous report of mine, an order was made by Board, that no inmates be allowed in the Workshop, only on such hours as specified by me, this order he has altogether ignored, although cautioned several times.

Sempsey was called before the Board, and practically admitted the charges, made by the Master. The Chairman cautioned Sempsey, to obey the Master's orders and stated it would be the last time he would be pardoned.

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):

Mr James Lusk, Rath Luncormick, wrote thanking the Board for their Resolution of Sympathy passed to him on the death of his wife.

Mrs Fortune, Crossabeg, wrote stating that the nurse child Thomas Murphy required boots. Ordered. Referred to Relieving Officer.

Lady M. Fitzgerald wrote stating, she was suffering from a cold, and consequently could not attend on the Visiting Committee.

The Board expressed regret at Lady Maurice Fitzgerald being indisposed.

Mr Colfer Solr, New Ross wrote enclosing form of information, to be made by the Master, against a man named Leo for desertion of his children.

Mr Hane proposed and Mr Kehoe seconded that the matter be left rest for the present.

Mr Peacock proposed and Mr John Dodd seconded that Leo be prosecuted, and

praying for a warrant for his arrest. On a show of hands Mr Peacock's proposition was carried.

The Committee appointed to inspect the pigs for sale recommended that they be taken to the fair, and if not sold at £4-4/- each, that they be kept for 3 weeks.

The tender of Mr James Culbimore for the supply of 150 tons of Newport, Red ash coals for the sum of £1-0-5 per ton was accepted.

The Clerk applied for and was allowed 3 weeks leave of absence. His assistant, Mr Sullivan, was appointed to do duty in his absence.

The Master was directed to purchase 6 tons of hay.

The Clerk was directed to write to the Milk Contractor drawing attention to the low percentage of cream shown by the morning's supply of milk.

The Teachers applied for the usual Summer vacation for the School children, and also the annual excursion ordered allowed. also £4 expenses of annual excursion, which the Local Government Board are requested to sanction.

The following is list of clothing condemned by Committee.

Bedding &c -	Sheet 39.	Blankets 11	Rugs 22	Ticks 8
	Towels & Roller 15.	Table Cloth 5.	Window blinds 26	
	Booster cases 74.	men's shirts 8		
	Stockings 40	Flannel & vest 4.	Handkerchiefs 4.	
Women's & girls.	Wrappers 27.	Petticoats 66	Shirts 39	
	Aprons 61.	Handkerchiefs 5.	Stockings 80	
	20.	Bodies 1	shawls 7.	Trunks 13
				Bib 26

The Free Press, Wexford.

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 41360 = 1904 dated 1 st August 1904.		Stating that they had sanctioned the appointment of Dr David Hadden Junr, as substitute for Dr Hadden Medical Officer of the Crossabeg Dispensary District at a remuneration of £3 0 0 per week.	

Dr Hadden forwarded a Medical Certificate, which stated, that he was undergoing treatment for Rheumatism, and would require a further fortnight of treatment.

It was resolved that Dr Hadden be allowed another fortnight, Dr Hadden Junr to do duty at a remuneration of £3 per week.

Dr Thomas Preise Wexford wrote stating that the caretaker of Wexford Dispensary was suffering from inflammation of the lung and would be unable to perform her duties for at least two weeks. He recommended that Mrs Bridget Donovan, be appointed to do duty, during Mrs Brady's absence.

Ordered. That Mrs Donovan be appointed at the same remuneration as Mrs Brady receives.

The Dispensary records for the Bannow, Broadway, Crossabeg, Tashmon Oghynn and Wexford, Dispensary Districts, were examined and signed. The several Medical

These Reports are to be
and forwarded by the
Officers to the Board of
as quarterly, viz—on the
1st 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.:

Officers reported their Districts
healthy. The records for the Biddgetown
Dispensary district were not received.

A Report of the result of the analysis
of sputa from Broadway
Dispensary, was received and
found to be correct

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

Denis O'Brien

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 9 day of

August 1907

(Signed)

A. Sullivan
Acting Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date	
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Additional Work-house.															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	81												Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	268													
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			8	18	107	104	1	1	19	13	13	284			
Admitted during the week			13	6	18			2	2	4	1	46			
Discharged during the week															
Total			21	24	125	104	1	3	21	17	14	330			
Discharged during the week, Died			17	7	21	6		2	4	3	2	67			
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	7	21	6		2	4	3	2	67			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	17	104	98	1	1	17	14	12	268			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Childr'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
													No. in Work-house at date		
													No. at corresponding period last year		264

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 9 day of August 1907 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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
No. I.		238	367				
No. II.		126	193				
Total		364	560				

Comparative No. last year..... } 575

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 9 day of August 1907

PRESENT.—In the Chair, *Denis L. O'Brien Esq. Chairman*

Other Guardians—*James P. Ryan, John Kehoe, James Hore*

John Codd, Andrew, Wick Murphy, John L. Barry, John Peacocke Jr. Hugh McGuire, John Lafferty, John Murphy, John Codd, George, James Codd Jr. Edward Keane, Patrick Fortune, Hon. Mr. Seane Morgan, Lady Fitzgerald, Mrs. M. A. Ennis, John Codd, Arthur William, John Byrne, Peter Walsh, Patrick Rowe, John Lambert, Stephen Rowe, J. P. Keating, J. O. Keating, John Power, Jacob Allen, C. H. O'Keefe, Michael Murphy, Michael O'Sullivan

The Minutes of last Meeting were Read and Signed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1006 to No. 1052
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1890 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

Consumption, or 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			Coll No. o			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	61	6	6	38	0	6	99	7		37	1	6	1	19	7	39	1	1	60	5	11	} 19
Necessaries ...	62	4	4	-	-	-	62	4	4	6	8	7		9	11	6	18	6	55	5	10	
Total ...	123	10	10	38	0	6	161	11	4	43	10	1	2	9	6	45	19	7	115	11	9	

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

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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 ...						
Dr. County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...						
Dr. Repayment of Relief ...						
Dr. Rents of Dispensary Residences ...						
Dr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...						
Dr. Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ...						
Dr. 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. Sanitary 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 ...						
Registration, Law and other Expenses ...						
Superannuation Allowances ...						
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875 ...						
Payment of Loans ...						
Payment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Dr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...						

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 9th of August 1880 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	7	5	2	21	10	2	28	15	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	97	-	-	-	-	-	97	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	104	5	2	21	10	2	125	15	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	17	10	6	9	6		26	16	6
In Kind ...		2	6		12			14	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		4						4	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...				1	12		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	17	17		11	10		29	7	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	86	8	2	10		2	96	8	4
9. Total ...	104	5	2	21	10	2	125	15	4
	<i>Last yr £30-8-6</i>								

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{5}{8}$;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{4}$.

I could not realise the amount named by Committee for the 8 pigs on the fair ordered. That recommendations of Committee appearing in previous minutes be carried out.

Purchased 2 load. of hay 1st crop @ $\frac{2}{3}$ per cwt.
approved.

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):

No. 43097-1902 dated 8th August 1902. Sanctioning the proposed expenditure of £2-0-0 for the annual excursion to the Workhouse children.

The County Council transferred the sum of £1787-10/- to the Union Fund account, being 3rd instalment of the yearly demand.

The tender of Mr Matthew O'Connor for supplying suit of clothes and Wexford made boots, as per sample for £2-11-9, to the Jervis Hos Parker was accepted.

It was decided by the Board, Mr Lambert, dissenting, that 15 attendants in Hospital, 5 laundry women 4 kitchen women and 4 attendants in Female Infirmary wards - a total of 28 persons, be each allowed as extras weekly - 10oz of tea and 1 lb of sugar on the recommendation of a Committee. This allowance will remain in force for a period of 6 months. The sanction of the Local Govt Board to this allowance is requested.

The Clerk was directed to furnish the L.G.B. with a return of nurses of the Sick (including midwives) in receipt of Out-door or Indoor Relief as requested by them.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 16 day of August 1902

Free Press, Wexford.

(Signed)

John Barry
Chairman of the Union meeting

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 16th day of August 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on 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 above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Building, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	767											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
	81	1											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	768											TOTAL 119	TOTAL 39	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			4	17	104	98	1	1	17	14	12	268			
Admitted during the week			22	5	10	5	1	-	7	3	1	49			
Discharged during the week															
Dead															
Total			26	22	114	103	2	1	19	17	13	317			
Discharged during the week, Med			20	5	14	5	1	-	3	3	-	49			
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	5	14	5	1	-	3	3	-	49			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	17	102	98	1	1	16	14	13	268			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Childr'n und'r 15	TOTAL
														22 5 7	34
													No. in Workhouse at date	4 1 -	5
													No. at corresponding period last year		269

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of August 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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
No. I.		239	364				
No. II.		177	194				
Total ..		366	558				

Comparative No. last year..... 568

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 16th day of August 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair,

John Barry Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs Richard Murphy, John Codd, George John Sinnott, Keelogue, Nicholas J. Keallan, John O'Connor, Mrs M. A. Ennis, Lady M. Fitzgerald, James Mc Mahon, Thomas Barding, James Codd Jr, John Furlong, Michael Murphy, and James Furlong.

Minutes of last Meeting were Read and Signed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1052 to No. 1101
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of August 1902 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

Summary 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	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	60	5	11	31	3	7	91	9	6	36	7	9	1	19	7	38	7	4	53	2	2	} 1891
Necessaries ...	55	5	10	-	-	-	55	5	10	6	8	6	-	9	11	6	18	5	48	7	5	
Total ...	115	11	9	31	3	7	146	15	4	42	16	3	2	9	6	45	5	9	101	9	7	

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

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR STATED FINANCE MEETINGS ONLY.)

Stated Finance Meeting held the 9th day of August 1902

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Dr. Treasurer—						
Total Amount of Lodgments ...						
Cr. County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...						
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...	215	12				
Clothing and Bedding ...	12		2			
Establishment...	26	4	11			
Salaries—						
(a) Establishment ...	6	8				
(b) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c) Medical Charities ...						
Workhouse Farm ...	22	5	6			
Workhouse Burials ...						
Medical Charities ...						
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations ...						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	157					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...						
Superannuation Allowances ...						
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875.						
Repayment of Loans ...						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Dr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	439	10	7	439	10	7

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	7208	4	1			
Total Sums received during the month						
Total ...	7308	4	1			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at this meeting ...	439	10	4			
Total ...	439	10	4			
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	1868	13	6			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ...	7427	13	9			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	559		3			
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer ...	1868	13	6			

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

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>h. S. S. S.</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	86	8	2	10	-	2	96	8	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	60	-	-	60	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	86	8	2	70	-	2	156	8	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	17	11	-	9	7	-	26	18	-
In Kind ...	-	2	6	-	9	6	-	12	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		4			4			8	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		8		1	4		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	18	5	6	11	4	6	29	10	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	68	2	8	58	15	8	126	18	4
9. Total ...	86	8	2	70	0	2	156	8	4

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $10\frac{2}{3}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

Purchased 1 load oat straw at $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cart
and 1 load hay at $2\frac{1}{4}$ & 3 loads at $2\frac{1}{4}$ per cart.
Ordered. approved.

Would the Board kindly allow me three weeks
leave of absence.

Ordered. allowed. to be taken
at intervals.

I had to procure a Night nurse from Cork St
Hospital Dublin for the Fever Hospital at the usual
terms viz £1-11-6 per week and rations. approved.

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):

The resolution of the Rathdown Union calling on the Government to allow clerks of Unions to give Certificates of valuation as formerly, was adopted as was also the resolution of the Balrothery Union, calling on the constabulary to exercise a more vigilant observance of the Vagrant Act.

The Board granted clothes to an inmate named Murphy, on his leaving the house.

The Clerk was directed to write to a man named Kelly the father of the children who were admitted to the house on Saty week, having been deserted by the grandmother on that occasion.

The Committee appointed to visit the Free Hospital regarding the painting, reported they had done so and suggested some more painting and improvements.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1902

Signed *W. Sullivan* Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 16 day of August 1902

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	
A Requisition for Surgical appliances from Wexford Dispensary was allowed.				

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 43,098-1901	dated 14 August 1901.	Sanctioning the payment of the sum of £3 per week to Dr S Hadden Junior, for his services as temporary medical officer of the Crossabeg Dispensary District.	
		The Contractors for medicine wrote stating they would replace the supply of Glycerine, unfavourably reported on by the analyst.	
		Dr H. A. G. Hadden, ^{apothecary} Wexford Dispensary wrote stating that he was going on a few weeks vacation and that he would provide a substitute at his own expenses. Ordered. Approved.	

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

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

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

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.		No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date		ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Work-house, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	269	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls						Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date	
	81	1												120	1	34	
Total..	812	270														6	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			6	17	102	98	1	1	16	14	13	268					
Admitted during the week			22	6	16	5	1	3	3	3	4	63					
Born																	
TOTAL			28	23	118	103	2	4	19	17	19	333					
Discharged during the week,			23	6	14	5	2	2	2	3	4	61					
Died					2												
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	6	16	5	2	2	2	3	4	63					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			5	17	102	98		2	17	14	15	270					
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.																	
			M.	F.	Child'n und'r 15	TOTAL											
No. relieved during week			22	6	14	42											
No. in Work-house at date			4	1		5											
No. at corresponding period last year																	

Return of Destitute Persons relieved, out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.		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
No.	I.	238	362				
No.	II.	123	186				
Total	..	361	548				

Comparative No. } 578
last year..... }

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

PRESENT-In the Church of the Holy Trinity, the 23rd day of August, 1902

PRESENT.—In the Chair, *Benis L O'Brien Esq. Chairman* 1902
Other Guardians—*Messrs John Murphy, Benis Malone, Richd Murphy, Michl Browne h. 166*
Pat Rossiter, John Duggan, John Codd, Aughwilliam, Louis Barty, John Lambert, Pat
McCallan, James Furlong, John Codd, Ardara, John Byrne, Chas Chapphy, Hon
Thos Morgan, Wm Kehoe, John Clancy, CH Pearce JP h. 166, Michl Murphy, Michl Murphy
Simon Walsh, Edw Kearns, Peter Walsh, Mrs Martinis, Lady FitzGerald, John Howlin
JP h. 166, Pat Murphy, John Barty, James Codd JP h. 166, John Cosley, Helmannon,
Chas Elchingham, Richd Joyce, Thos Power, Michl Staple, Pat Ryan, John Ryan, John Barry
h. 166, Richard Jansz, Martin French, Pat Lambert, John Dwyer, Michl Doyle, Jas Cullen
h. 166, Walter Kehoe, Thos Rowe, Michl Murphy, BH Roe JP, Michl Minott, John Grogan
JP h. 166, John Cosley JP. The Minutes of last Meeting were Read and Signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 23rd day of

August 1902

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1101 to No. 1166
 Separate " No. 1101 to No. 1166
 Out Door " No. 1101 to No. 1166

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of August 1906 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	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	53	2	7	38	7	4	91	9	6	37	4	4	1	19	7	59	3	11	52	5	7	1906
Necessaries ...	48	7	5		4	6	48	11	11	6	10			9	11	6	19	11	41	12		
Total ...	101	9	7	38	11	10	140	1	5	43	14	4	2	9	6	46	3	10	93	17	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost of Infirmary ... : 3/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 3/2

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the *23rd* day of *August '07* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	68	2	8	58	15	8	126	18	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Total to be accounted for ...	68	2	8	58	15	8	126	18	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	17	11		9	4		26	15	
In Kind ...		7	6		6	6		14	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		4						4	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		16			16		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	18	18	6	10	6	6	29	5	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	49	4	2	48	9	2	97	13	4
9. Total ...	68	2	8	58	15	8	126	18	4

*The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in the first meeting in every month—
Number of successful cases—*

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

[The following section of the page is crossed out with a large diagonal line.]

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, 10 ✓ ; MR. REDMOND, 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ ✓ ;
~~MR. MALONE,~~ ; MR. FORTUNE, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ✓ .

Received from Hon Mrs Jane Morgan, some pictures and books for Indian patients.

An unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the Hon Mrs Jane Morgan for her kindness.

Received from Mrs Richards 8/- for maintenance.

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):

No. 489/190v dated 20th August 190v. Requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Scale of dietary proposed to be allowed, to the attendants in the Workhouse.
(Clerk has furnished information)

No. 45886/190v dated 20th Aug 190v. Forwarding queries for answers, by the person who has been employed as temp nurse in the Fever Hospital.
(Clerk has furnished queries already).

No 45886/190v - dated 20th August 190v. Requesting to be informed, what order, the Guardians made, on the report of the Committee, relative to certain improvements required in the Fever Hospital.

Ordered. The improvements suggested by Committee, have already been carried out.

A Committee consisting of the chairman, the lady Guardian and Messrs Hore, John Bodd, Ardahan, John Lambert, Michel Doyle, Peacocke & Capt Milgure, was appointed to revise the annual list of contracts.

Shoes and clothing were granted, to an inmate named Jasper Murphy and his two children, also to Kate Boggan on leaving the Workhouse.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 30th day of

August 190²

(Signed)

Ralph McQuinn

Clerk of the Union

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WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 190²

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	763											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards			
	81	1											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates			
Total..	812	764											TOTAL	TOTAL			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			5	17	102	98	-	2	17	14	15	270	170	33			
Admitted during the week			19	3	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	34	1	1			
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
TOTAL			24	20	110	102	-	2	17	14	15	304	171	34			
Discharged during the week,			20	3	11	5	-	-	-	-	-	39	-	-			
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	3	12	5	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	17	98	97	-	2	17	14	15	264	-	-			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													No. relieved during week	M. F.	Child's und'r 15	TOTAL	
														19	3	-	22
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	-	4
													No. at corresponding period last year			266	

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 30th day of August 190² authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		240	372					591
No. II.		124	187					
Total ..		364	559					

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 30th day of August 190²

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Capt. H. McQuinn Esq. M6*
 Other Guardians—*Lady M. Fitzgerald, John Codd, Wm. Staggard, Wm. Kehoe, J. Scallan, Phurphy & H. Peacocke, J. Lambert & M. Sinnott.*

Minutes of last Meeting were Read and Signed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1166 to No. 1200
 Separate " No. 1166 to No. 1200
 Out Door " No. 1166 to No. 1200

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of August 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.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	5 ²	5	7	39	4	10	91	10	5	86	15	4	7	6	.	89	1	4	52	9	1	1906
Necessaries ...	41	12	.	.	.	.	41	12	.	6	8	8	.	11	3	6	19	11	34	12	1
Total ...	93	17	7	39	4	10	133	2	5	43	4	.	2	17	3	46	1	3	87	1	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the *30th* day of *August 1871* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>M. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	49	4	2	48	9	2	97	13	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	49	4	2	48	9	2	97	13	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	3		9	4		27	7	
In Kind ...		2	6		6	6		9	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		4			8			12	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...					8			8	
7. Total Relief given ...	18	9	6	10	6	6	28	16	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	30	14	8	38	2	8	68	17	4
9. Total ...	49	4	2	48	9	2	97	13	4

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

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

The Offence & Punishment Book contained the following.

James Hayes of class 3, for refusing to wash 3 waggons
Punishment by Master—sent to Bathroom. Hays
appeared before the Board and stated he was
not able to clean waggons. The matter was
referred to the doctor, and if he is satisfied
that Hayes is able for the work the Master will
see to the matter.

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

There are 14 pigs fit for sale.
A Committee was appointed to value the pigs
and the Master was ordered to ship them in case
he could not get the price the Committee fixed
for them.

The supply of coal is being delivered; the quality
seems good. Attached is bill of lading.

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):

No 46, 153/1904 dated 26th August 1904. Sanctioning the payment of £1. 11^s. 6^d per week and rations to Miss Mary Owens as temporary nurse in the Fever Hospital.

Miss Sinnott Duncomin wrote stating that Miss Jeffares and herself visited the Boarded out child in their district and found him very well cared for and clothed.

At the suggestion of Mr. Peacocke it was ordered that the Medical Officers be requested to employ a local night nurse for Fever Hospital, when the services of one are required, and in case a suitable local person can be obtained.

A man named Kelly, whose children were deserted by their grandmother, wrote stating he could not understand why the grandmother deserted them, stating he allowed her money for their maintenance, and that he would contribute to their support in the workhouse.

It was ordered that the Master send this man an account of his children's maintenance and that

they be admitted by way of loan. Should Kelly fail to contribute it was resolved that he be asked to remove them from the workhouse.

The Committee who revised the annual list of supplies, recommended on the representation of the Master stating the Cocoa at present is very poor that 4^{oz} of Shell Cocoa be allowed to each pint instead of 3^{oz} 6^{oz} as at present. Also that the same quantity of Golden Syrup be allowed children for lunch instead of Treacle.

The Board approved of these recommendations, provided the Medical Officers and the Local Govt Board approve of same.

A Committee was on the suggestion of Mr. Kehoe appointed to examine the sleeping apartments of the tramps, and found same in a satisfactory state.

The list of the annual supplies as revised by the Committee was approved of.

Denis O'Brien

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 6th day of

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 6th day of September 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	767											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	34
	81	1											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	268													6
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			4	17	98	97	-	2	17	14	15	264			
Admitted during the week			17	7	11	3	-	-	3	2	1	44			
Born															
TOTAL			21	24	109	100	-	2	20	16	16	308			
Discharged during the week,			13	5	11	3	-	-	4	2	1	39			
Died						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			13	5	11	4	-	-	4	2	1	40			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	19	98	96	-	2	16	14	15	268			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		261
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Child'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
													No. in Workhouse at date	17 7 6 30	
													No. at corresponding period last year	7 2 2 11	

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th day of September 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		241	377					592
No. II.		123	186					
Total ..		364	563					

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday, the 6th day of September 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Denis O'Brien Esq., Chairman,

Other Guardians—

Messrs J. Bodd, Angheilliam, Denis Malone, Pat Scallan, John Murphy, John Lambert, Mrs M. A. Ennis, Vick. Hays, Tom Kehoe, Phazza, J. Bodd Jr. N. J. Scallan, G. H. Peacocke Jr. P. Rowe, Thos O'Brien, Ch. Browne, Ch. Murphy, Pat Lambert, Pat Fortune.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 6th day of

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1200 to No. 1244
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out Door „ No. _____ to No. _____

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 1902 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	52	9	1	33	17	1	86	6	2	36	2	7	2	2	7	38	5	2	48	1	1847	
Necessaries ...	34	12	1		8		35		1	5	5			9	11	5	14	11	29	5		2
Total ...	87	1	2	34	5	1	121	6	3	41	12	7	2	12	6	44	-	1	77	6		2

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

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of September 1891 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	20	19	8	28	2	8	69	2	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	19	8	28	2	8	69	2	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	17	17		9	4		27	1	
In Kind ...		2	6		6	6		9	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		6						6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	—	—	—	1	12		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	18	5	6	11	2	6	29	8	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12	14	2	27	—	2	39	14	4
9. Total ...	30	19	8	38	2	8	69	2	4

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

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

The Offence & Punishment book contained.
Class 3. Bridget O'Leary for causing disturbance
amongst other inmates, and using the most obscene
language, being in a drunken state, and violently re-
sisting being taken to the bathroom.
The Board ordered that this woman be prosecuted.

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{2}$;
~~MR. WALSH~~ ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{3}{4}$.

Mr. Kelly Local Government Board Inspector visited
the house on Wednesday the 3rd inst.

I shipped 14 pigs to Messrs Casey & Blaney Bristol
on Tuesday 2nd inst, and purchased 6 stores for £11.5
for which a cheque is required.
Ten or twelve more stores are required.

A woman named Mary Baier formerly of Gortins
was admitted to the house on 3rd inst, this woman
is receiving some yearly money, and is satisfied
to pay 2/6 per week for her maintenance.
Ordered. That she be admitted by way of Loans
and charged at the rate of 16/- per month for her maintenance.

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):

No 46,438/1901 dated 3rd September 1901. Asking whether the Medical Officer has approved of the proposed scale of dietary for the attendants etc in the workhouse. Clerk has already forwarded doctor's letter of approval.

Father Ring Inchicore Dublin, wrote presenting his compliments to the Board, and stating that the Pilgrimage Committee will be pleased to act as a medium of communication if the Guardians wished to send a message of congratulation to the Pope.

On the motion of the Chairman (Mr O'Brien), seconded by Mrs W A. Ennis, the following resolution was adopted, and ordered to be sealed and forwarded to Father Ring and also a copy to Cardinal Logue.

"That this meeting of the Wexford Board of Guardians representing an overwhelming vast majority of Thy spiritual children, whose proud boast is their inviolable spiritual attachment to the See of Peter, beg of Your Most Holy Father to accept our heartfelt congratulation on the occasion of the jubilee of Your glorious Pontificate."

Miss Finn, Infant Schoolmistress, wrote requesting a fortnight's leave of absence. Mrs Gwin to attend to her duties during her absence. Ordered allowed.

to Thos J & owse, Wexford wrote certifying that Mr Kehoe, Clerk of the Union, was suffering from a very severe and painful injury to his hip, and that he would be quite unable to move about or do any duty for at least 3 weeks.

It was resolved that Mr. O'Sullivan assistant clerk, be appointed to do duty for the clerk and that he be remunerated at the rate of £1 per week for acting from the Guardians, from the date of the clerk's illness. (Sanction of L.G. Board requested.)

The Tradesmen applied for and were allowed a holiday on Monday being the day of the Regatta.

The Free Press, Wexford.

[illegible]

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 48, 578/1904		dated 5 th September 1904. Stating the Analysts report, regarding the sample of medicine should be forwarded to the Contractor for explanation and a fresh supply of the drug of standard quality should be had from him.	
		The Contractor wrote stating he would replace the drug in question.	
		The report	
		The Dispensary records from the different Dispensary districts were examined and signed. The reports as to the health of the districts were favourable.	

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

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

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

Hugh McGuire

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 13th day of September 1902

(Signed)

[Signature]
Acting Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 13th day of September 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
													Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	266	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
Total..	812	267											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			8	19	98	96	—	1	17	14	5	268	170	34	
Admitted during the week			16	10	19	4	2	—	2	2	2	57			
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
TOTAL			24	29	117	100	2	1	19	16	7	375			
Discharged during the week,			18	12	15	2	2	—	3	3	7	57			
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			18	12	16	2	2	—	3	3	2	58			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	17	101	98	—	1	16	13	15	267			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Childr'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
													No. in Workhouse at date	5 1 — 6	
													No. at corresponding period last year	267	

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of September 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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
No. I.	247	378				
No. II.	123	186				
Total ..	365	564				

Comparative No. last year..... 593

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 13th day of September 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, Hugh McGuire Esq.
Other Guardians—Messrs James Hore, Thos O'Brien, Mrs Maria Ennis, Lady Fitzgerald, James McMahon, Thos Scallan, G.H. Barocke.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1244 to No. 1301
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of September 1872 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	48	1	.	79	14	4	77	15	4	36	3	9	1	19	7	38	3	4	39	12	1857	
Necessaries ...	79	5	7	151	11	10	180	17	.	5	8	3	.	8	10	5	17	1	74	19		11
Total ...	77	6	7	181	6	7	228	12	4	41	12	.	7	8	5	44	-	5	214	11		11

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...
 Average Cost of Infirmary ...
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of September 1891 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	12	14	2	27	-	2	39	14	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	67	-	-	-	-	-	67	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	79	14	2	27	-	2	106	14	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	17	18		9	4		27	2	
In Kind ...		26			6	6		9	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		6		-	-	-		6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		8		1	4		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	18	14	6	10	14	6	29	9	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	60	19	8	16	5	8	77	5	4
9. Total ...	79	14	2	27	0	2	106	14	4

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

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

The offence & Punishment book contained two entries of the insubordination and refractory conduct of Bridget Carew on the 6th and 8th inst.

Carew having taken her discharge, it was ordered that she be prosecuted for the offence reported on that week in case she returns.

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $10\frac{1}{4}$

MR. REDMOND, 10

~~MR. NALONE~~

MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$

A Committee required to condemn old clothes.

A Committee was appointed.

Purchased Spigs at 14/- each, 4 at $3\frac{1}{6}$ each and 9 at 29/- each. Indued Approved.

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):

No 49 834/1902 dated 12 September 1902. Expressing their sanction to the payment of £1 per week to Mr. S. Sullivan for discharging the duties of the Clerk of the Union during the illness of the latter.

No 49 018/1902 dated 12 September 1902. Approving of the scale of dietary adopted for the use of attendants in the workhouse.

No 49 577/1902 dated 12 September 1902. Approving of the proposed change of dietary of the workhouse children.

The Secretary of the Asylum wrote stating, the deaf mute Gerald S. Fitzgerald, was discharged from the institution on 7 July last.

An anonymous letter from the Infirmary Board was received and no action was taken on the subject, as the request it contained was contrary to Art 16 of Workhouse Rules.

Denis Malone

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 20 day of

September 1902

(Signed)

A. S. Sullivan
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—\$5,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 20th day of September 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
													Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Building, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	764	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
Total..	81	764											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			6	17	101	98	3	1	18	11	12	767	171	33	
Admitted during the week			11	3	13	2	-	-	2	-	1	37			
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
TOTAL			17	20	114	100	3	1	20	11	13	799			
Discharged during the week,			13	2	10	5	1	1	1	-	2	35			
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead,			13	2	10	5	1	1	1	-	2	35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	18	104	95	2	-	19	11	11	764			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Child'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
														11 3 3 17	
													No. in Workhouse at date	3 2 1 6	
													No. at corresponding period last year	281	

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of September 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		245	381			245	381	595
No. II.		123	182			123	182	
Total ..		368	563			368	563	

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 20th day of September 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, Denis Malone, Esq.

Other Guardians—James Todd Jr. G. H. Placochke Jr.

P. Murphy, Simon Walsh, Patk Fortune, J. Todd, Grange
J. Codd, Ardcolm, Peter Walsh, Thos Kehoe, John Lappin
Patk Rowe, Patk Rossiter, John Sinnott, Keelogue.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1301 to No. 1333
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 13
 day of September 1902 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	39	12		42	-	4	81	12	4	36	8	7	1	19	7	38	8	2	43	4	2	1843
Necessaries ...	174	19	11	-	-	-	174	19	11	5	1	1		8	10	5	9	11	169	10		
Total ...	214	11	11	42	-	4	256	12	3	41	9	8	2	8	5	43	18	1	212	14	22	

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

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

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

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FORM 1 B

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR STATED FINANCE MEETINGS ONLY.)

Stated Finance Meeting held the 13th day of September 1902

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Dr. Treasurer—						
Total Amount of Lodgments ...	1797	8	3			
Cr. County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...				1787	10	
Cr. Repayment of Relief ...				1		
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences ...				8	18	3
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...						
Cr. Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans Received ...						
Total as above ...	1797	8	3	1797	8	3

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz :—						
Provisions and Necessaries...	290	14	3			
Clothing and Bedding ...	15	8	3			
Establishment...	38	17	5			
Salaries—						
(a) Establishment ...	8					
(b) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c) Medical Charities ...						
Workhouse Farm ...	37	3	6			
Workhouse Burials ...						
Medical Charities ...	12					
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations ...						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	105					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...	15					
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	1	1				
Superannuation Allowances ...						
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875.						
Repayment of Loans ...	43	10				
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	566	14	5	566	14	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of August 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 ...	1868	13	6			
Total Sums received during the month ...	1797	8	3			
Total ...	3666	1	9			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	-	-	-			
Payments ordered at this meeting ...	566	14	5			
Total ...	566	14	5			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	3099	7	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	3708	14	3			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	609	6	11			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	3099	7	4			

The Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of September *by* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer, <i>M. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	60	18	8	16	5	8	77	4	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	38	.	.	38	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	60	18	8	54	5	8	115	4	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	4	6	9	4	.	27	8	6
In Kind ...	.	2	6	.	6	6	.	9	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	6	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	16	.	.	16	.	1	12	.
7. Total Relief given ...	19	9	.	10	6	6	29	15	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	41	9	8	<i>Last year £</i>			30	7	6
				43	19	2	85	8	10
9. Total ...	60	18	8	54	5	8	115	4	4

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$;

It will be necessary to appoint some person to take stock of clothing on Wednesday the 24th inst and that of provisions on 30th inst.

It was resolved that Mr Sullivan be appointed at the usual remuneration of £3 (Sanction of Local Government Board requested)

Received the following sums 10/- from Patrick Kelly for maintenance of his children; 8/- from Mrs Richards Milltown and £56. 8. 5- for 14 pigs.

Mr & Mrs LeHunte late of Artramon, visited house on the 19th inst and presented the children with Picture books and sweets.

A vote of thanks was unanimously passed to Mr & Mrs LeHunte.

A Soutane is required for the R. C. Chaplain. It was ordered that the Master procure same.

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):

Cardinal Logue wrote thanking the Guardians for the copy of Resolution passed by them in congratulating the Pope on the occasion of his jubilee which was sent him.

A Ballot was held to select a committee of inspection of the supplies for ensuing year. It was unanimously resolved that the Lady Guardian viz The Hon Mrs. Jane Morgan, Lady Maurel Fitzgerald and Mrs. Ennis be ex-officio members of the Committee. The following gentlemen were selected viz The Chairman (Mr. O'Brien) and Messrs. Peacocke, Hore, Malone, and Rossiter.

The following contracts were declared.

For the quarter ending 31st December 1902.

Best beef, hind and fore quarters alternately, at 5th per lb.
Mrs. Tom Hayes

Best mutton at 7th per lb. - Mrs. Tom Hayes

Oxheads 1/2 each

For the half year ending 31st March 1903.

Oatmeal at £13.5.0 per ton Mrs. James Kavanagh

Indian meal at £7.0.0 per ton - Messrs. James & Co.

Flour at 19/ per bag of 16 stone - Mr. Martin Kehoe.
For the year ending 30th September 1903.

Arrowroot at 8th per lb. Mr. David Lavin

Cocoa 3th "

Rice 1/6 st

Pepper 11th lb

Golden Syrup 2nd "

Tea 2nd "

Port Wine 20/ doz.

Snuff 4/ lb

Candles dip 5th "

Soap 23/ cwt

Tobacco 3/5 lb

Washing Soda 3/9 cwt

Whiskey 14/9 gal

Gin 2/6 bottle

Brandy 5/6 "

Eggs 1/ doz

Porter 1/5 "

Loaf Sugar 2nd lb

Soft 13/6 cwt

Wine, Altar, 20/ doz

Starch 24/ cwt

Soda Water 1/ per doz

Lemonade 3th lb

Blue 3th lb

Butter 1/ "

Salt 1/5 cwt

Bacon 8th lb

The following is list of clothing & condemned by Committee.

Bedding &c - Sheet 14 - Blankets 6 - Rug 17 - Ticks 4 - Towels 10 - Collars 3.
Bolster Cases 22.

Men's cloz - Shirts 14 - Stockings 11 - Flannel vest 3 - Handkerchiefs 2

Boys' - Shirts 14 - Stockings 11 - Flannel vest 3 - Handkerchiefs 2

Girls' - Shirts 14 - Stockings 11 - Flannel vest 3 - Handkerchiefs 2

Handkerchiefs 14. Stockings 27. Caps 2
Bonnetts 0. Bodies 1. Shawls 6
Kerchiefs 8. Bibs 30. Jackets 1. Shoes 46.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 27 day of

September 1902

(Signed)

P. Scallan
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 27 day of September 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the 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	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Work-house, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	767											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
	81	✓											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	769											TOTAL	TOTAL	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			4	18	104	95	2	-	19	11	11	264			
Admitted during the week			15	7	10	2	-	-	4	1	1	40			
Born															
TOTAL			19	25	114	97	2	-	23	12	12	304			
Discharged during the week,			14	7	6	2	-	-	4	-	1	34			
Died			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			14	7	6	3	-	-	4	-	1	35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			5	18	108	94	2	-	19	12	11	269			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of September 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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
No. I.	247	385			247	385
No. II.	123	182			123	182
Total ..	370	567			370	567

Comparative No. } 610
last year..... }

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 27 day of Sept 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, Park Scallan Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mrs M. Annis, Lady M. Fitzgerald, Mrs O'Brien, Mrs Power, Park Rossiter, John Lambert, John Cadd, A. deane, Hugh Chelquie, Martin French, Chas. H. Peacocke Jr. John P. Keating.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1333 to No. 1373
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of September 1902 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	£	s	d					£	s	d
Provisions ...	42	4	2	32	14	3	76	18	5	36	0	6	1	19	7	38	0	1	38	18	4	1843
Necessaries ...	16	9	10	-	-	-	16	9	10	5	1	5	-	8	10	5	10	3	16	3	9	
Total ...	58	14	2	32	14	3	76	18	5	41	1	11	2	8	5	43	10	4	10	21	1	

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

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of *September* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	41	9	8	43	19	2	85	8	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	41	9	8	43	19	2	85	8	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	6	.	9	4	.	27	10	.
In Kind ...		2	6		6	6		9	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		8	6					8	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-		8	.		8	.
7. Total Relief given ...	18	17	.	9	18	6	28	15	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	22	12	8	<i>Last year</i> £	30	9	6		
9. Total ...	41	9	8	43	19	2	85	8	10

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{4}$.

Received for maintenance.

From Messrs. M. J. O'Connor & Co for M. A. Keating £3-18-5
Patt. Gaul £1-10-0. Mrs. Coady £6-0-0. Mrs. Doyle £4-12-0
Mrs. Barry £2-18-0. Mrs. Cousins £1-6-0.

Purchased 1 load of straw at $\frac{2}{3}$ and 1 at $\frac{2}{3}$ per cent.

The Mds. laid before the Board a list of persons owing money for maintenance, and the Acting Clerk was instructed to wait them and failing ams not being paid that they be proceeded against.

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):

Mr John Creane Wexford wrote Certifying that the Clerk Mr Kehoe was progressing favourably but would not be able to resume duty for at least 3 weeks.

The Board unanimously granted the Clerk 3 weeks leave Mr O'Sullivan to do duty in the meantime.

The following tenders for clothing for year ending 30th September 1903 were accepted.

Mr James J. Whelan - Habit cloth at 4^d per yard.

Card Thread at 4^d per gross.

Flannellette Blankets at 4^d per pair.

Boys' caps at 6^d each.

Bone buttons at 8^d per gross.

Mr John Ryan - Calico Blay 33" wide Irish at 3^d per yard.

Table Linen 54" - at 1^d per yard.

Grey worsted Thread 1/8 per lb.

Blay Calico 33" wide at 5^d per yard.

Linen 36" wide at 1^d per yard.

Heavy blue dungree 27" wide at 9^d per yard.

Linen Ticken at 10^d per yard.

Long cloth Calico 36" wide at 1^d per yard.

Mr Tom Connors - Calico Blay 27" wide at 10^d per yard.

Rolling 18" wide at 5^d per yard.

White quilts at 3/9 each.

Coloured do.

Housewife Thread at 2/1 per lb.

Mr R. Young - Galatea at 10^d per yard.

Heaven Ticken at 8^d per yard.

Mr Peter Hyne - Black worsted Thread at 1/8 per lb. Irish,

Linen check 36" wide at 8^d per yard.

Brown Corduroy at 1/1 per yard.

Lawn at 6^d per yard 36" wide.

White Shroud at 2^d per yard.

Women's kerchiefs at 1/4 each.

Mr John P. Rochford - White worsted Thread, Irish at 1/8 per lb.

Twilled Blay Calico 31" wide at 5^d per yard.

Flannel at 10^d per yard.

Truel at 2/6 per yard.

Misses Lennon & Brown - Tailors machine Thread 2/9 per doz spools.

Mr Matthew O'Connor - Women's machine thread at 6^d per doz per doz of.

Sewing needles at 5^d per doz package.

Steel knitting needles at 9^d per lb.

Thimbles large at 4^d per dozen.

Small 3^d.

Linen buttons at 8^d.

Suit of 6 clothes for Two Men Porters each.

Hand made boots that £2.9.9 when agreed.

The consideration of the tenders for Hardware and Shoefinders was postponed until Saturday the 4th October 1902.

The People and Independent were accepted for advertising, the former at 3^d per line and the latter at 2^d per line. The Free Press also tendered but on lot the People were accepted.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 4th day of October on

Signed: *[Signature]* Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of September 1902

Present: In the Chair— *Park Scallan Esq*

Other Guardians—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	
An Estimate and Requisition for medicines received from Dr. Anglin was allowed.				

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 4th day of

October 1902

(Signed)

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 4th day of October 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	269											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards } 116	In separate Wards } 34			
	81	—											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital } —	In Wards with other Inmates } 6			
Total..	812	269											TOTAL 116	TOTAL 40			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			5	18	108	94	2	—	19	12	11	269					
Admitted during the week			17	6	13	2	1	1	3	2	2	47					
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
TOTAL			22	24	121	96	3	1	22	14	13	316					
Discharged during the week,			18	5	14	1	1	—	3	3	2	47					
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Total Discharged and Dead,			18	5	14	1	1	—	3	3	2	47					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	19	107	95	2	1	19	11	11	269					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
														M.	F.	Childr'n und'r 15	TOTAL
													No. relieved during week	12	6	8	26
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	3	2	8
													No. at corresponding period last year				275

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th day of October 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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		
No. I.	246	382			246	382
No. II.	123	182			123	182
Total ..	369	564			369	564

Comparative No. last year..... 593

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 4th day of October 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, James Hone Esq.

Other Guardians—

Charles Lowkehol, John Ladd, Ardahan, Mrs M. Allen, Thos Scallan, Michael Murphy, Ardahan, Thos O'Brien John Laffan.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1373 to No. 1420
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out Door „ No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of September 1875 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	38	18	4	38	11	7	77	9	11	37	5	4	1	19	7	39	4	11	38	5	1850	
Necessaries ...	162	19	9	1	2	6	165	3	3	5	5	9	-	8	10	5	14	7	159	8		8
Total ...	500	18	1	39	15	1	542	13	2	42	11	1	48	8	5	44	19	6	197	13		8

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of *October 07* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer, <i>Mr. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	<i>22</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>34</i>	-	<i>8</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4</i>
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	<i>22</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>34</i>	-	<i>8</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4</i>
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	<i>17</i>	<i>16</i>	-	<i>9</i>	-	<i>6</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>6</i>
In Kind ...	.	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	.	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	.	<i>5</i>	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	<i>6</i>	.	.	.	.	.	<i>6</i>	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	.	.	<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	.	<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	.
7. Total Relief given ...	<i>18</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>15</i>	.	<i>28</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>6</i>
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>10</i>
9. Total ...	<i>22</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4</i>

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

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



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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, 10 ; MR. REDMOND, 10½ ;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, 9¼ ;

Portion of shed at Fever Hospital require to be felted
Ordered. The work be done by Carpenter.

A supply of tea is required also ½ dozen Baskets
for bread and clothes and ½ dozen sweeping canes.
Ordered. Advise for 45 half chests of tea, tenders for
this day 3 weeks.

Baskets and canes to be purchased at best advantage
by the Master

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):

No 57442/1904 dated 20th September 1904. Sanctioning the payment of £3 to Mr. Sullivan for his services in taking stock of the Provisional store in the Workhouse during the half year ending 30th inst.

No 125M 1904 dated 2nd October, 1904. Stating the undermentioned sums were paid to the County Council on behalf of the Wexford Union in respect of the half year ended 30th 30th ult.

Estate Duty Grant	£ 329 - 3 - 2
Educational & Medical	279 - 9 - 5
Agricultural Grant	1418 - 5 - 0

No 41,118/1904 dated 30th September 1904. Stating to be furnished with a Return of persons in the Infirmary or wards used as an infirmary and Fever Hospital of the Workhouse for 6 months prior to that date and that the same be furnished at intervals of 6 months.

Ordered. That the Return be furnished

The School Teacher wrote applying

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continue the School during the getting out of Potatoes.
Ordered. Allowed.

Dr. Sheridan certified that Patrick Brian Porter of the Fever Hospital was confined to his bed suffering from Bronchitis.
Deceased S. B.
Ordered. That Mr. [unclear] act in his stead

Messrs O'Connell & Mather were accepted for leather and shoefinding, according to the respective prices marked on tenders.

The consideration of the tenders for Hardware was postponed until Saturday next 11th inst.

Denis O'Brien

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 11th day of

October 1902

(Signed)

John J. Sullivan
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 11th day of October 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	271											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards } 118	In separate Wards } 34			
Total..	81	-											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital } -	In Wards with other inmates } 7			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			4	19	107	95	2	1	19	11	11	269	TOTAL	118	TOTAL	41	
Admitted during the week			21	7	13	4	1	-	3	1	1	51					
Born																	
TOTAL			25	26	120	99	3	1	22	12	12	320					
Discharged during the week,			15	8	13	3	1	1	3	3	1	48					
Died			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1					
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	8	14	3	1	1	3	3	1	49					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	18	106	96	2	-	19	9	11	271					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
														M.	F.	Childr'n und'r 15	TOTAL
													No. relieved during week	21	7	6	34
													No. in Workhouse at date	8	2	-	10
													No. at corresponding period last year				288

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of October 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to 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
No. I.	249	391			249	391
No. II.	124	183			124	183
Total ..	373	574			373	574

Comparative No. last year..... 681

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 14th day of October 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, Denis L. O'Brien Esq. Chairman,

Other Guardians—

Messrs James Hone, Park Rossiter, Hon Mrs Seane Morgan, Lady M. Fitzgerald, Mrs M. Hennes, Mrs Kehoe, Park Scallan, John Dodd, A. de Colin, Peter Walsh, G. H. Pearce, John E. Richards, H. Scallan, Chas. Etchingham,

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1420 to No. 1471
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out Door „ No. _____ to No. _____

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of October 1891 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.				
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total									
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d					
Provisions ...	28	11	6	30	17	-	59	8	6	20	13	-	1	17	10	22	10	10	36	17	8	1851	
Necessaries ...	157	5	2	12	2	-	169	7	2	5	5	11	.	14	10	6	-	9	16	3	6		5
Total ...	185	16	8	42	19	-	228	15	8	25	18	11	2	12	8	28	11	7	200	4	1		

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4
day of *October 1897* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	4	11	2	23	5	8	27	16	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	69	-	-	-	-	-	69	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	72	11	2	23	5	8	96	16	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	9	6	9	1	.	27	10	6
In Kind ...	.	2	6	.	2	6	.	5	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	2	.	.	3	.	.	5	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	8	.	1	4	.	1	12	-
7. Total Relief given ...	19	2	.	10	10	6	29	12	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	52	9	2	12	15	2	67	4	4
9. Total ...	72	11	2	23	5	8	96	16	10

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

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

The Roman Catholic Chaplain wrote requesting payment of the sum of £3 being amount expended by him in providing Scapulars, Rosary Beads and Prayer Books &c.

Ordered. allowed.

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, 10 $\frac{1}{4}$

MR. REDMOND, 10

MR. MALONE, —

MR. FORTUNE, 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Lodged to the Credit of the Union, for maintenance £38-5-3; for stones £11-4-4 for cabbage plants 17/-; balance of Cheque for hay £2-17-9.

The new passage requires ere shoots also portion of one of hospital buildings, and some old shoots require to be repaired. Ordered. That the Master get estimates for the work and have same done.

Our supply of coal I consider will hold only until the middle of March.

Ordered. That 100 tons of Best Kentport Red Ash Coal be advertised for on same terms as before.

On examining rugs recently contracted for, I find they are not the size advertised for.

Ordered. That the Master ascertain what the Contractor will supply rugs of the required size for.

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):

Mr O'Sullivan reported that he had taken stock of the clothing and Provisions in the Workhouse and Free Hospital for the half year ended 30th ult. he entered the stock found in the several books. The tailor made 43 articles of clothing and the shoemaker 46 pairs of new shoes. He took a roll call and found the correct number of inmates on the books.

The Proprietors of the Free Press wrote applying for the same advertisements at the rate of 2d per line per insertion. No action was taken on the matter.

Messrs Harpur Stafford and Furlong were declared contractors for the respective items of Hardware &c as marked on tenders.

On the motion of the Hon Mr Deane Morgan it was resolved that 2 dozen hair brushes, be advertised for.

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

October 1902

(Signed)

W. J. Sullivan
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 18th day of October 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Work-house, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total..	731	778											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards } 20	In separate Wards } 33	
	81												Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital } -	In Wards with other inmates } 7	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			10	18	106	96	2	-	19	9	11	271	TOTAL	20	40
Admitted during the week			26	7	9	4	-	-	2	1	-	49			
Born															
TOTAL			26	25	115	100	2	-	21	10	11	320			
Discharged during the week,			23	6	9	2	-	-	1	-	-	42			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	6	9	2	-	-	1	-	-	42			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	19	106	98	2	-	20	10	10	278			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of October 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		250	401			250	401	592
No. II.		123	182			123	182	
Total ..		373	583			373	583	

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 18th day of October 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, John Barry Esq. V.6.

Other Guardians—Messrs Shalane, Tom Kehoe, J. B. Add, Graye, Hon Mrs Deane Morgan, James Hone, Pats Rossiter, Hugh Higgins, Peter Walsh, John Laffin, Mrs M. A. Ennis, John B. Add, Ardahan, Pats Murphy, Mich Murphy, Hugh O'Connor, Thos Kehoe, John Cardiff, Jas Furlong, Mich Hayes, James B. Add Jr., Luke Stafford, Pats Lambert, Mich Doyle, Ch Lennott, Chas Murphy.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1471 to No. 1520
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of October 1907 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	36	17	8	37	11	4	74	9		36	2	6	1	17	10	38		4	36	8	8	1851
Necessaries ...	163	6	5		12	6	163	18	11	7	19	6		14	10	8	14	4	155	4	7	
Total ...	200	4	1	38	3	10	238	7	11	44	2	-	2	12	8	46	14	8	191	13	3	

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

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

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

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

FORM 1 B

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR STATED FINANCE MEETINGS ONLY.)

Stated Finance Meeting held the 11th day of October 1907

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Dr. Treasurer—						
Total Amount of Lodgments	119	11	1			
Cr. County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Cr. Repayment of Relief				38	5	3
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce				60	2	2
Cr. Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts				21	2	8
Cr. Loans Received						
Total as above	119	11	1	119	11	1

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Dr. Sundry Accounts, viz:—						
Provisions and Necessaries	157	14	3			
Clothing and Bedding	19	2	9			
Establishment	79	3	9			
Salaries—						
(a) Establishment	206	15	3			
(b) Workhouse Farm						
(c) Medical Charities	200	2				
Workhouse Farm	30	1	6			
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	83	10	11			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations	15	11	11			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	5					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	15	6	11			
Superannuation Allowances	20	13	2			
District School Account						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875.						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	833	2	5	833	2	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of September.....
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 ...	3099	7	4			
Total Sums received during the month ...						
Total ...	3099	7	4			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at this meeting ...	833	2	5			
Total ...	833	2	5			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	2385	16				
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	2220	9	11			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	834	13	11			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	2385	16				

The Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of October ^{11th} was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>h. Walsh.</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	52	8	8	12	14	2	67	2	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	36	-	-	36	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	52	8	8	48	14	2	103	2	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	11	.	8	15	6	27	6	6
In Kind ...	.	26		.	26		.	5	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	8	.	.	3	.	.	11	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	16	.	.	16	.	1	12	.
7. Total Relief given ...	19	17	6	9	17	.	29	14	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	34	11	2	38	17	2	73	8	4
9. Total ...	52	8	8	48	14	2	103	2	10

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, 10

MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$

~~MR. MALONE~~

MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$

Received from Mr. Richards Milltown 8/-
and from Mrs. Byrne, Liverpool, 8/- a
balance due for maintenance.

The following goods require to be sampled
Wool calico single, Flannel, Rolling
Table Linen, white calico. All were passed.

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):

Mr John O'Leary, Wexford wrote certifying that the clerk Mr Kehoe was still under medical treatment, and would be unable to resume duty for fourteen days.

Mr Stone proposed and Mr Roscher seconded that leave be granted, Mr O'Sullivan to do duty at the same remuneration as heretofore.

The Board accepted a proposal from Mrs Kelly, grandmother of the ^{children} whom she left in the Union, to pay 7/- per week for their maintenance to be as balance due by their father.

The Contractor for rugs, Mr Wm Connick wrote stating he would supply rugs of the required size as advertised for at 1/6 each rug extra.

It was ordered that the Contractor supply the rugs as ~~at~~ according to his tender.

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
/			

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

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

*Form P containing 6 defaulters
under the vaccination act was received
from Dr. Anglin, Broadway Disp.*
*R. J. Walsh was directed to serve
notices—*

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

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 25th day of October 1897

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of October 1907 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Comparative No. } 595
last year..... }

the 25th day of October 1902

PRESENT.—In the Chair, Denis L. O'Brien Esq. Chairman,
Other Guardians—Hon Mrs Jane Morgan, Lady M. Fitzgerald,
John Lambert, Charles Parocke JP, James Hore, Richard Murphy,
Wm Scallan, John Codd, Aughrim, John Blaney, John Sinnott,
Keelogue, John P. Keating, James Codd JP. M.B.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 25th day of

October 1907

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1520 to No. 1563
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of October 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 ...	36	8	8	31	16	10	68	5	6	36	4	7	1	17	10	38	2	5	}
Necessaries ...	155	4	7	-	-	-	155	4	7	7	19	10	14	10	8	14	8	146	
Total ...	191	13	3	31	16	10	223	10	1	44	4	5	2	12	8	46	17	1	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of *October 19* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>M. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	34	11	2	38	17	2	73	8	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	34	11	2	38	17	2	73	8	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	13	.	8	15	6	27	8	6
In Kind ...	.	26		.	26		.	5	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	2	.	.	3		.	5	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	8	.	-	8	.
7. Total Relief given ...	18	17	6	9	9	.	28	6	6
				<i>Last week £</i>			32	1	.
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	15	13	8	29	8	2	45	1	10
9. Total ...	34	11	2	38	17	2	73	8	4

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

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

visited some of the male and female Infirmary wards found them clean and well kept. Should recommend the use of Bolster covers in nursery dormitory for the nurses. Also visited female school, children appeared clean and well cared for.

Adelaide Fitzgerald
25 Oct. '07

On the motion of Lady M Fitzgerald seconded by the Hon Mrs Sean Morgan it was resolved that Bolster covers be used as suggested.

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$

MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$

MR. MALONE, —

MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{3}{4}$

The following goods require to be sampled viz
Corduroy, Lawn, checks, Shrouding, Black worsted.
The sampling was postponed until next meeting.

Received from Mrs MacEnnis, books and papers for the inmates.

Lady Maunice Fitzgerald proposed and it was unanimously agreed upon that a vote of thanks be passed to Mrs Ennis for her kindness.

The Master brought under the notice of the meeting the case of a woman named Mary Browne, a servant from the Bank of Ireland who was admitted to the Fever Hospital suffering from Scarlet Fever.

Mrs Scallan proposed and Mr Peacocke seconded that the woman be admitted by way of loan. Passed

The Master brought under the Guardian's notice the cases of persons who owed money for the maintenance of their relatives in the house. In the case of Eliza Mullins of Colinstown it was resolved, that the acting Clerk write to her son to the effect that he will be prosecuted unless he pays. In the case of Eliza Gane the Clerk was directed to write to the owner of the vessel in which the father is employed. It was resolved that the sum of 15/9 be struck off the separate Register being the amount appearing thereon as being due for the maintenance whilst in hospital of the child of Mary Ann Bennett a girl in very poor circumstances.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Friday the 31st day of October '02

Signed J. J. Sullivan Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 25th day of October 1902

Present: In the Chair— Levi Lobbren Esq. Chairman

Other Guardians—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	
				Requisitions for the supply of medicine for the Laggan, Oghlin and Wexford dispensary districts were allowed signed by the Chairman

James Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 31st day ofOctober 1902

(Signed)

J. Sullivan
Acting Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 1st day of November 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	274											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
	81	1											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	275											TOTAL	TOTAL	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			6	19	106	97	2		21	10	10	271			
Admitted during the week			17	6	17	2	2		5	1	2	52			
Born															
TOTAL			23	25	123	99	4		26	11	12	343			
Discharged during the week,			17	8	9		2		6	3	2	47			
Died					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	8	10		2		6	3	2	48			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	17	113	99	2		20	8	10	275			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Childr'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
													No. in Workhouse at date	5 1 . 6	
													No. at corresponding period last year		304

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of November 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. C. 31, & 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		150	399			150	399	591
No. II.		173	182			173	182	
Total ..		323	581			323	581	

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Friday, the 31st day of October 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, James L. O'Brien Esq. Chairman
 Other Guardians—Lady M. Fitzgerald, Mrs M. A. Ennis, and
Messrs B.H. Maccocke M.P., J. Codd. J.P., P. Scallan, J. Codd
(Aide-de-camp), P. Fortune, James Mahon, Patrick Rossiter, John
L. Barry, John Codd (Grange), Capt McGeare, John Lambert,
Thos Kehoe, B.H. Rowe J.P., John Sinnott (Keelogue), Andrew
Joyce, & Thomas Power.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1564 to No. 1607
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out Door „ No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of November 1902 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.		
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total							
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d			
Provisions ...	30	3	1	36	4	.	66	7	1	34	5	1	1	14	10	39	2	11	27	4	2
Necessaries ...	146	9	11	.	.	.	146	9	11	7	19	11	.	14	10	8	14	9	137	15	2
Total ...	176	13	.	36	4	.	212	17	.	45	5	.	2	14	8	47	17	8	164	19	4
1890.																					

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the *1st*
day of *November, 1902* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	<i>15</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	<i>98</i>			.	.	.	<i>98</i>		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	<i>113</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	<i>18</i>	<i>13</i>	.	<i>8</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>6</i>
In Kind ...	.	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	.	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	.	<i>5</i>	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...				<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	.	<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	<i>2</i>	.	.	<i>3</i>	.	.	<i>5</i>	.
7. Total Relief given ...	<i>18</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	.	<i>29</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Corresponding period last year</i>							<i>31</i>	<i>1</i>	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	<i>94</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>4</i>
9. Total ...	<i>113</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>

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

The Report of the ~~Visiting~~ ^{on Supplies} Committee was read, and orders were made thereon, as follows:

"We have inspected Linen, Check, Shrouding, Ticken, and Black Worsted and recommend the Board to accept Shrouding, Ticken & Corduroy and in case of Black Worsted as supplied by Mr Patrick Hynes, Contractor, we find the worsted not up to sample nor has it attached to it, the Blarney Trade Mark as accepted by Board.

"We therefore recommend the Worsted to be returned to Contractor and that he be notified that he must supply the same class of Worsted as tendered for.

"In the case of Linen check supplied by Mr Patrick Hynes we find there were two pieces one wrapped up inside the other, the inner one we find is not up to sample, either in width or quality, the other piece which measures $8\frac{1}{2}$ yards we recommend to accept."

Signes: "Adelaide Fitzgerald
"Monica Ennis
"Hugh McGuire
"G. H. Peacocke
"Patrick Rossiter."

Orders: "That the Committee's report be adopted and their recommendations be carried out"

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$

MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$

~~MR. MALONE~~

MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{3}{4}$

A supply of Oats is required for Horse.
Orders: "That 10 Brls of Oats be bought by the Master on the market."

Heaven Ticken requires to be sampled.
Orders: "Passed"

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):

D^r J. Purse, Medical Officer Wexford Dispensary District, wrote certifying that Mr Walter Doyle, Relieving Officer, was suffering from a feverish cold and would be unable to do duty for a fortnight.

The Acting Clerk stated he received one of the Certificates on Monday and employed Mr Patrick Keating until the Board met. Mr Peacocke proposed and Mr John Todd seconded and it was resolved:

"That Mr Patrick Keating be employed as temporary relieving officer for a period of two weeks to date from the previous Monday at a remuneration of 30/- per week (Sanction of Local Government Board requested)

The Acting Clerk reported the death of one of Mr Doyle's sureties - Mr Warren of Clonmore

It was resolved that the surviving sureties be noticed and the Board summoned to take the matter into consideration on that day fortnight

Present Net Annual Value—£109.889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 8th day of Nov 1882

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED				Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date		Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date				
Workhouse, Temporary Building,	731	277													Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards } 118	In separate Wards } 54			
Additional Work-house,															Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital } 3	In Wards with other Inmates } 3			
Permanent Fever Hospital,	81	3																	
Fever Sheds,																			
Total..	812	280													TOTAL 121	TOTAL 41			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			6	17	113	99	2	-	20	8	10	275							
Admitted during the week			25	6	13	2	.	.	3	2	1	52							
Born											1	1							
TOTAL ..			31	23	126	101	2	-	23	10	12	328							
Discharged during the week,			24	5	13	.	1	.	.	2	2	47							
Died									1			1							
Total Discharged and Dead,			24	5	13	.	1	.	1	2	2	48							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	18	113	101	1	.	22	8	10	280							
															NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
																M.	F.	Child'n und'r 15	TOTAL
															No. relieved during week	25	6	6	37
															No. in Work-house at date	6	2	-	8
															No. at corresponding period last year 298				

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 190 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.		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
No.	I.	250	399			250	399
No.	II.	124	183			124	183
Total	..	374	582			374	582

Comparative No. }
last year,..... } 579

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday.

PRESENT.—In the Chair, *the* *8* *day of* *Nov* 190 *2*
Patrick Seasse Esq.

Other Guardians—

Other Guardians—
Messrs. James H. H. Scudder, Jas. Furber,
C. C. Peasocke & John Codd and others, Patk. Rowe,
Jas. Codd Jr.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 8th day of

Next Meeting of the Gu
November 1902

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1615 to No. 1668
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out Door „ No. _____ to No. _____

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of Nov 1892 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	27	4	2	35	10	7	62	14	9	38	17	1	1	17	10	40	14	11	21	19	10	1900
Necessaries ...	37	15	2	9	1		138	4	3	8	-	3	-	14	10	8	15	1	129	9	2	
Total ...	164	19	4	35	19	8	200	19	-	46	17	4	2	12	8	49	10	-	151	9	-	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of Nov was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer.			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.			TOTAL		
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	98	12	2	18	15	2	117	7	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...									
3. Total to be accounted for ...	98	12	2	18	15	2	117	7	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	19	6	8	17	6	27	17	-
In Kind ...		2	6		2	6	-	5	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	-	2	-	-	3	-	-	5	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	8	-	1	4	-	1	12	-
7. Total Relief given ...	19	12	-	10	7	-	29	19	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	79	-	2	8	8	2	87	8	4
9. Total ...	98	-	12	18	-	15	117	-	7

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{4}$.

The following goods require to be sampled. Blue & white
Rugs & Linen . Ordered. Passed.

The woman Budget Caw who was ordered to be
prosecuted by the Board for insubordination on the 13th
Sept/1902 (if she returned to house), has returned on the
3rd inst.

Ordered that she be prosecuted for the most serious
charges against her

Our present supply of milk is not sufficient, two Cows
being somewhat short of the Amt. of milk, but even with
the full amt, a substitute will have to be provided.

Ordered—That any extra milk required be obtained
from Mr Malone. New Contractor.

Mr Howlin Bally Cronigan paid me 13/4 being bal of wages
due the boy Murphy who was hired by him out of the house
who has since returned. I wish to know what I am
to do with the money. Master stated that since he wrote
his Report, the father & the boy had taken their discharge
he had handed them the money.

Had to wire to Cork & Limerick for a right nurse on
the 4th inst. Nurse Jawley arrived on the 5th.

Resolved: That the Clerk write to the Dist. Officer requesting
him, when possible, to employ a local nurse; &
— over

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

that the Board understand that a local person, a Miss Richards is ^afully qualified nurse.

A girl named Alice Purcell of weak intellect, was admitted to the house during the week. I am informed she has some means & is willing to contribute of her week towards her maint.

Ordered - that the Doctors attention be drawn to this case & that he be requested to consider the advisability

(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):

of transferring her to the Asylum being a fresh case, in the meantime that she be admitted by way of loan

"Local Govt Bd letters"

No 60459/1902: 7 Nov. Forwarding queries for answers respecting Mr Patrick Keating who has been appointed temporary R.O during the illness of Mr Doyle.
Queries enclosed herewith

A Requisition for medicine & medical appliances required for the workhouse was passed

* Did the Board consider it advisable to erect a shed for stone breaking
The matter was referred to a Committee for consideration

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the

15 day of

Nov = 09

Signed

Miss Kehoe Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 8th day of Nov 1902

Present: In the Chair—

Patrick Scallan Esq

Other Guardians—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	
<i>a Requisition for Medicines & Medical Surgical Appliances required for the Bandon Disp. was passed.</i>				

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
		The Dispensary records of the Bredjetown, Broadway, Crossahy, Lashmon & Flynn & Wexford Dispensaries were examined & signed. The Bannow Disp. records were not transmitted for examination.	
		There were no Reports submitted from Bredjetown, Crossahy, Lashmon & Flynn.	
		Dr. Anglin Broadway reported as follows— There met a case of scarlatina at Kilrane during the month; otherwise the District is healthy.	
		Dr. Purse Wexford reported. Diseases of the respiratory organs are prevalent owing to the severity of the weather. Met with one case of diphtheria at Linnottstown Drinahy.	
		The Analyst's report on the sample of drugs sent from Bannow Disp. was satisfactory. Copy enclosed herewith.	

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

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

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

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.		No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date		ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	180.													Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
	81	2	Males	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys	Girls						Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other Inmates
Total..	812	282													117	34		2	7
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			7	18	113	101	1		22	8	10	280			TOTAL 119	TOTAL 41		
Admitted during the week			23	5	17	2	1			1	3	52						
Born											1	1						
TOTAL ..			30	23	130	103	2		22	9	14	333						
Discharged during the week,			23	4	18	3					1	49						
Died					2													
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	4	20	3					1	51						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	19	110	100	2		22	9	13	282						
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.																		
															M.	F.	Childr'n under 15	TOTAL
No. relieved during week															23	5	2	30
No. in Workhouse at date															5	3	1	9
No. at corresponding period last year															207			

Return of ~~Destitute~~ ¹⁵ Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of November 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.		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
No.	I.	249	396			249	396
No.	II.	124	183			124	183
Total	--	373	579			373	579

Comparative No. } 593
last year..... }

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 15th day of November 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, *James L. O'Brien* Esq. *Chairman*

Other Guardians—
 Miss P. Rossiter, J. Clancy, J. Coffey, P. Scallan, W. H. Peacocke
 J. P., J. A. Hore, John Breen, J. McMahon, Lady M. Fitzgerald, N. J.
 Scallan, R. Murphy, J. Scallan, M. Hayes, J. Burlong, M.
 Hayles, J. Codd (Aughwilliam), J. Kehoe, J. Laffan, W. Kehoe,
 J. Ryan, M. Sinnott (Corkran) & Chas. Murphy.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 15th day of

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1668 to No. 1721
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out Door „ No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of November, 1901 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week	Total	CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of days.
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	
Provisions ...	23	7	2	35	11	8	58	18	10	38	15	4	17 17
Necessaries ...	129	9	2	.	.	.	129	9	2	8	4	17 1	17 5
Total ...	152	16	4	35	11	8	188	8	46	15	8	33 7	19 40

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

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

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

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

FORM 1 B

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR STATED FINANCE MEETINGS ONLY.)

Stated Finance Meeting held the 8th day of November 1901

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

	Dr.			Cr.		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Dr. Treasurer—						
Total Amount of Lodgments ...	1805	3	6			
Cr. County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...				1787	10	-
Cr. Repayment of Relief ...				10	12	-
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences ...				6	1	6
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...						
Cr. Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ...						
Cr. Loans Received ...						
Total as above ...	1805	3	6	1805	3	6

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 ...	176	6	11			
Clothing and Bedding ...	41	9	5			
Establishment ...	24	9	4			
Salaries—						
(a) Establishment ...	6	8				
(b) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c) Medical Charities ...						
Workhouse Farm ...	5					
Workhouse Burials ...						
Medical Charities ...	4	15				
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations ...						
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	252					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	1	1				
Superannuation Allowances ...						
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875.						
Repayment of Loans ...						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	512	9	8	512	9	8

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of October.....
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 ...	2385	16				
Total Sums received during the month ...	1805	3	6			
Total ...	4190	19	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at this meeting ...	512	9	8			
Total ...	512	9	8			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	3678	9	10			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	4154	11	2			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	476	1	4			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> Treasurer ...	3678	9	10			

The Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November, 1902 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	79	.	2	54	8	2	133	8	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	79	.	2	54	8	2	133	8	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	17	6	8	17	6	27	15	.
In Kind ...	.	2	6	.	2	6	.	5	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	2	.	.	3	.	.	5	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	16	.	.	16	.	1	12	.
7. Total Relief given ...	19	18	.	9	19	.	29	14	.
				<i>Last year</i>			31 1 6		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	59	2	2	44	9	2	103	11	4
9. Total ...	79	-	2	54	8	2	133	8	4

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{1}{4}$

MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$

MR. MALONE,

MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$

Received from Lady Maurice Fitzgerald books and papers for the infirm inmates

An unanimous vote of thanks was passed to Lady Maurice Fitzgerald for her kindness

The Contractor has refused to take rags and bones unless they are delivered to him.

It was ordered that the Master dispose of the rags and bones to the best advantage

Would the Board consider it advisable to procure a new hearse, as the old one has got very dilapidated
Orders: Referred to the Visiting Committee.

An Iron Shed or suitable building is badly wanted for a coach house.

This matter was also referred to the Visiting Committee as well as the consideration of the Master's Estimate of the cost of erecting a shed for Stonebreaking

Hair Brushes require to be sampled.
Orders: Reported

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):

N^o 61,866/1902 dated 14th November, 1902, Sanctioning the payment of 30/- a week to Mr Patrick Keating for his services as temporary relieving officer for a period of two weeks.

N^o 62,006/1902 dated 14th November, 1902. Forwarding queries for answers respecting the temporary employment of Miss Gawley as nurse in the Jervis Hospital.

Dr M. J. Sheridan, Med. Officer wrote, in reply to the Clerk's letter, stating that he would be glad if the Master could procure a local qualified nurse to act when required by him at the fever hospital and that the lady mentioned has had to give up nursing owing to her health. Regarding the girl, Pithell, the Doctor states she was under observation and, if her state warranted him to sign a certificate, he would be glad to transfer her to the Asylum.

The Doctor drew the Guardians' attention to a very dangerous nuisance existing caused by a flow of water coming from the ...

side of the horse and hoped the matter would be rectified as soon as possible.

The latter portion of the Doctor's letter was referred to the Visiting Committee.

Dr J. Purse wrote certifying that Mr Walter Doyle Relieving officer, was suffering from Acute Rheumatism and would be unable to perform his duties for at least two weeks.

On the motion of Mr Rossiter, seconded by Mr Store the leave was granted and Mr Patrick Keating who is at present acting, appointed to do duty for two weeks at a remuneration of 30/- a week.

(Sanction of Local Government Board requested)

The Master of the Vessel "Virginian" forwarded money order for £1 1: 4 being amount stopped from the wages of Patrick Gaul for the maintenance of his child in the Workhouse.

Patrick Mullins, Colestown, who owes the Board money for the maintenance of his mother came before the Board and stated that he had only 4/- assets of land and was unable to pay the amount (£3: 5/-) which was due. On consideration of the matter it was decided that Mullins should take his mother out of the house which he promised to do during the coming week.

The Board took into consideration the matter of the Security to be given by Relieving Officer Doyle.

There were three sureties to the original bond and it was resolved that the surviving sureties be ... (they agreed to act) to enter into

Signed
Michael Browne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 22nd day of

November 1902

(Signed)

Nicholas Kehoe

Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of November 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Work-house on the above date			
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Work-house, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	271											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	}		
	81	6											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other Inmates			
Total..	812	277											TOTAL	TOTAL			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			7	19	110	100	2	-	22	9	13	282					
Admitted during the week			19	7	10	7	-	-	5	3	-	57					
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
TOTAL			26	26	120	107	2	-	27	12	13	333					
Discharged during the week,			23	9	12	5	-	-	3	2	1	55					
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1					
Total Discharged and Dead,			23	9	12	5	-	-	4	2	1	56					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			3	17	108	102	2	-	23	10	12	277					
													NIGHT LODGERS & CASUALS.				
														M.	F.	Childr'n und'r 15	TOTAL
													No. relieved during week	19	7	5	1
													No. in Work-house at date	3	-	-	3
													No. at corresponding period last year	303			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of November 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31. & 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
No. I.		250	296				
No. II.		123	182				
Total		373	578				

Comparative No. last year.....) 588

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 22nd day of November 1902

PRESENT.—In the Chair, Michael Browne Esq. M.B.

Other Guardians—

Mrs Malnis, Jas Hore, Patk Rossiter,
John Codd, Ardealm, John E Richards, Jas Codd Jr.,
Nich Murphy, Patk Fortune, Chas Ettingham,
Thos Kehoe,

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1771 to No. 1772
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out Door „ No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 1875 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	17	17	.	50	2	.	67	19	.	39	.	5	2	6	6	41	6	11	26	12	1	1950
Necessaries ...	120	11	9	-	-	-	120	11	9	8	-	3	.	17	1	8	17	4	11	14	5	
Total ...	138	8	9	50	2	-	188	10	9	47	-	8	3	3	7	58	4	3	38	6	6	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the *22nd*
day of *November 1891* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	59	2	2	44	9	2	103	11	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	59	2	2	44	9	2	103	11	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	14		8	17	6	27	11	6
In Kind ...		26			26			5	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		2			8			10	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...									
7. Total Relief given ...	18	18	6	9	8		28	6	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	40	2	8	35	1	2	75	4	10
9. Total ...	59	2	2	44	9	2	103	11	4

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

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

The following report was read from the Visiting Committee on the several matters referred to them for consideration.

1st. Harse.

We recommend that the Master obtain some designs to be submitted for future consideration.

2nd. Stonebreaking shed.

We recommend that the Master shall obtain a plan and specification of the proposed shed.

3rd. Shed for ambulance.

We recommend that a "lean to" shed 30 feet long be erected, and that the Guardians purchase the materials and the Carpenter erect shed.

4th nuisance of Pigg.

We consider, if a wooden partition, be placed across the floor of the old waggon road it will prevent the nuisance complained of, we therefore recommend that the Carpenter shall make the partition, and the open sewer in front be reset and improved.

Signed. G. H. Peacocke
Patrick Rossiter
James Hore
Monica Ennis.

The Committee's recommendations were ordered to be carried out.

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

The following require to be sampled. viz. Blay Calico Linsey, Flannellette Blankets. Check. Worsted & tea. All the goods were accepted with the exception of Flannellette Blankets which were rejected.

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):

no 64,026 - 1904 dated 4th November '04. Stating that they had appointed Miss A Fitzgerald Kenny, as a Lady Inspector of Boarded out Pauper children in Ireland.

no 63,711 - '04 dated 21st Nov '04. Sanctioning the proposed payment of £1-11-6 per week and rations to Miss Gawley for acting as temporary nurse in the Levens Hospital.

Dr M J Shendon Medical Officer wrote stating that nurse O'Connor was suffering from the effects of a severe cold, and would be unable to resume duty for some days. (Temporary nurse is attending to Miss O'Connor's duties.)

Messrs Colles & Gethin Solicitors wrote reporting, the woman Bridget Cawen, who was prosecuted for four offences committed in the workhouse, was convicted on all the offences, and received 7 days imprisonment with hard labour for being drunk, and one month's imprisonment with hard labour for each of the other three offences.

The Hon Mrs Seane Morgan wrote regretting, being unable to attend the meeting of the Visiting Committee today.

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
The reports of the analyst on samples of drugs submitted from Zaghmon ellynn and Overford Dispensaries were satisfactory.			

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

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

John Codd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 29th day of

November 1902

(Signed)

Miss Kehoe

Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 29th day of Nov 1902

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
													Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse,	731	271	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
Temporary Buildings,													120	34	
Additional Workhouse,													Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	81	6											6	4	
Fever Sheds,															
Total..	812	277											TOTAL	TOTAL	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			3	17	108	102	2	-	23	10	12	23			
Admitted during the week			19	4	12	4	1	-	2	2	-	44			
Born											1	1			
TOTAL			22	21	120	106	3	-	25	12	13	327			
Discharged during the week,			20	5	9	5	-	-	2	2	-	43			
Died					1	1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	5	10	6	-	-	2	2	-	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			2	16	110	100	3	-	23	10	13	277			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of Nov 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vic. C. 31, & 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
No. I.	249	395			249	395
No. II.	123	182			123	182
Total ..	372	577			372	577

Comparative No. last year..... } 576

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 29th day of Nov 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair,

John Codd Esq.

Other Guardians—

Ed Pearce & Lady M. Fitzgerald. Jas Horne Denis Malone. John Lambert. Martin Lynch. Tho O'Brien C P Kearns. R Sealean. Jas M Mahon. Patk Rossiter Mick Murphy Ardern John Summ. Tho Rowe. Tho Power Jas Heyler. Jas Codd & sec John Ryan. Mick Murphy. Ballygulla, B. Rowe. Mick Murphy. Rick Joyce

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1722 to No. 1817
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out Door „ No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of Nov 1892 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 ...	26	12	1	146	15	173	38	26	40	11	132	9	1945
Necessaries ...	111	14	5	-	111	8	8	17	8	17	102	17	
Total ...	138	6	6	146	15	285	46	33	49	15	235	6	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the *29th* day of *Nov. 02* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer.			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	40	3	8	36	1	2	76	4	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...									
3. Total to be accounted for ...	40	3	8	36	1	2	76	4	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	15	6	8	16	6	23	12	
In Kind ...		2	6	1	2	6	1	5	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	-	2	-	-	7	-	-	9	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	.	.	1	12	-	1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	19	-	-	11	18	-	30	18	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	21	3	8	23	3	2	44	6	10
9. Total ...	40 = 3 = 8			35. 1. 2			75 = 4 = 10		

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{1}{2}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;

MR. MALONE, ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

Had to employ a woman for one day to do laundry work at Fever Hospital at a cost of 2/- per day.

Ordered - Approved.

There are 10 fat pigs 8 of which ought to be sold and if the Board was kindly allow 2 of them to be killed for Vmas

Ordered. A Committee having valued the 8 pigs at £4 each if that sum is not realised locally, that they be shipped and 2 killed for the inmates.

The Sisters require a small heating stove in Paenishy ordered. That same be procured.

The following goods require to be sampled viz Linned White Worsted, & sheeting.

Ordered. That Worsted & sheeting be accepted & Linned be rejected as not being equal to sample.

The Master was directed to obtain from Mr O'Brien Engineer, an estimate of the cost of erecting the new Stone breaking Shed.

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):

No. 63.660/1902 dated 27 Nov. Sanctioning the proposed payment of 30/- weekly to Mr Patrick Keating for acting as Temporary R.O. during a further period of 2 weeks.

Messrs. Little & Phipps, wrote in reply to the Clerk's letter on the subject, stating that the wall at the back of the workhouse was the Landlord's property, but Mr Wm Rossiter, the tenant of the adjoining land, is bound under his lease to keep it in repair, and when his consent was first obtained, they were to submit the matter to the landlord for his approval. Also desiring to know what purpose the shed was to be used for and whether it was to appear above the wall.

The Clerk was directed to see Mr Rossiter with the view of obtaining his consent whereupon Messrs. Little & Phipps were written to again on the subject after the consultation with Mr Rossiter, giving them a description of the shed which is to be used as a Car Shed.

And
Shannon
E.H. Keavocke

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 6th day of

December 190 2

(Signed)

Wes Kehoe

Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 6th day of Dec 190 2

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
													Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	285	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
	81	8											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	293											TOTAL	TOTAL	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			2	16	100	100	3	-	23	10	13	277			
Admitted during the week			24	6	16	2	3	2	5	5	1	64			
Born															
TOTAL			26	22	126	102	6	2	28	15	14	341			
Discharged during the week,			20	4	12	1	2	1	3	3	1	47			
Died					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			20	4	13	1	2	1	3	3	1	48			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	18	113	101	4	1	25	12	13	293			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th day of Dec 190 2 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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
No. I.	253	407				
No. II.	123	182				
Total ..	376	589				

Comparative No. last year..... } 586

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 6th day of Dec 190 2

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Chas Keavocke

Esq.

J. Chas Colman

Other Guardians—

Mr. M.A. Ennis. Jas Hore. Peter Walsh. John Clancy. Pat Scallan. Hugh McGinnis. Mike Browne. Miss Scallan. Mrs Scallan. Jas Codd p. Grange. Mrs Kehoe; Mike Timott.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1817 to No. 1881
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out Door „ No. _____ to No. _____

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of Nov 1882 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	132	9	2	33	14	7	166	3	9	35	16	2	2	6	6	38	2	8	128	1	1	1971
Necessaries ...	102	17		-	7	6	103	4	6	8	-	3	-	17	1	8	17	4	94	7	2	
Total ...	235	6	2	34	2	1	269	8	3	43	16	5	3	3	7	47	-	-	222	8	3	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the
day of *December 27* 18*64* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>W Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	21	3	8	23	3	2	44	6	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	21	3	8	23	3	2			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21	3	8	23	3	2	44	6	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ..	19	11		8	17		28	8	
In Kind ...		26			26			5	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		2			7			9	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		8		1	4		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	20	3	6	10	10	6	30	14	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	1		2	12	12	8	30	14	
9. Total ...	21 = 3 = 8			23 = 3 = 2			44 = 6 = 10		

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{1}{2}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{1}{4}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

Sold 8 pigs for £34, and purchased 6 stores at 35/- each for which a cheque is required

Ordered - Approved

Had to employ a horse on two occasions to bring patients from Drinah to Lincnos, also had to engage a woman to go in Ambulance for above patients.

Ordered - Approved

The following goods require to be sampled, viz 13lay Calico, Habit Cloth, Linen Sheet, Blue Ouzie, & Worsted.

All were passed.

A woman named Mary Anne O'Neill formerly of Raythe and at present an inmate of the workhouse, Lincnos, is I believe in receipt of an allowance of 8/- per week

Ordered. To be entered by way of loan.

This morning the Schoolmaster, ^{Came to me,} and informed me that he took a boy named James Carew to the Doctor on Saty 29th inst who was suffering from a rash on his arms & body. He complains that the Doctor refused to admit him to hospital. I saw the boy myself today & I find him with rash.

Ordered. That this matter be referred to the Med

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

Recd for Maint 16/- for Matthew Byrne, 8/- for Alice Purcell of 2-8-0 from Mrs Brien

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):

D. M. Sheridan Med offr wrote reporting that the Landress of the Fever Hos is confined to bed since last Monday with Scarlatina and that there were cases of that disease in hospital at present. The Doctor again called attention to the unsanitary state of the purg at the women's side

The latter matter was referred to a Committee

Mr. E. S. Brien, B.E., wrote stating that the probable cost of erecting the Stone breaking shed would be about £30. - Ordered - That the Master have the work carried out

A Committee of the Ladies inpection of Boarded out children at Duncominck, wrote reporting that the child boarded out in their district was very well cared for but was badly wanting clothes & boots. Clothing & boots were allowed.

Profr. Tichborne reported that the sample of whiskey submitted to him was a sample of the

fully up to strength

Mr. Mes Walsh R.O. wrote applying to the Board for an increase of his present salary of £25, to that at which it stood in his predecessors time viz £35, he trusted he had given every satisfaction in his position and the Board wd kindly allow the increase.

The Consideration of the matter was adjourned for a week

The Manufacturers of the Lined which was rejected on Saturday last wrote regarding same, saying that it was almost impossible to turn two pieces of goods entirely alike.

That the Committees decision be acted and the Lined returned to Contractor

The sum of £4.1.9 being amt due by a labourer Laurence Keyle for the Maint of his child Elizabeth Keyle in hospital and who was unable to pay, was ordered to be written off the Separate Register.

The Master was directed to furnish the Manager of the Bank of Ireland with the acc for the Maint of his servant in the Fever Hospital.

The Free Press, Wexford.

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
		The Analyst report on the Sample of Dimp Submitted from the Bridgetown Dispy was Satisfactory (Copy enclosed herewith)	
		The Medical officers books were examined signed There were two Reports on Bannow & Bridgetown District The following were the Reports on the other District Kerssakey = District healthy Tashmore & Glyn = Health of District excellent Broadway = District healthy Wexford = Two Cases of Scarlatina occurred this week at Sinnottstown, Dinagh both of which were removed to Hospital. Six Cases of the disease were reported to me from Bannow all members of the same household. Precautions are being taken by the Med Practitioner in attendance on the latter. Diseases of the respiratory organs are prevalent owing to the severity of the weather	

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

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

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

Chairman

Dennis O'Brien

December 190 2

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 13th day of

(Signed)

Wm Kehoe
Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 13th day of Dec 190 2

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Building, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	731	285											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	7
	81	12											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	297											TOTAL	TOTAL	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			6	18	113	107	4	1	25	12	13	293			
Admitted during the week			20	4	9	1	2	2	-	2	3	43			
Born															
TOTAL			26	22	122	107	6	3	25	14	16	336			
Discharged during the week, Died			19	4	6	2	-	1	-	3	1	36			
Total Discharged and Dead,			19	4	7	3	-	1	-	3	2	39			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	18	115	99	6	2	25	11	14	297			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 190 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
	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.	255	415			255	415	586
No. II.	122	181			122	181	
Total ..	377	596			377	596	

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 13 day of Dec 190 2

PRESENT—In the Chair, Dennis O'Brien Esq. Chairman
Other Guardians—

Ch Deane, J. James, Wm. Keane, John O'Connell, John Luffan, John Byrne, Hugh McFadden, Peter Walsh, Jas McMahon, Wm Kehoe, Talk Rossiter, Dennis Malone, John Lambert, Talk Murphy, Mrs Hayes, Wm Scallan, Mrs Murphy, John P. Keating, Jos O'Donnell, Wm Kehoe, Mrs Doyle, Mrs Samuels, James Maylor.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1881 to No. 1924
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of December 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 ...	128	1	1	53	13	8	181	14	9	40	-	10	2	6	6	42	7	4	1984
Necessaries ...	94	7	2	-	-	-	94	7	2	8	-	4	-	17	1	8	17	5	
Total ...	222	8	3	53	13	8	276	1	11	48	1	2	3	3	7	51	4	9	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of *December* 1892 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer.			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	1	-	2	12	12	8	13	2	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	82	-	-	-	-	-	82	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	83	-	2	12	12	8	95	2	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	19	14	6	8	17		28	11	6
In Kind ...		2	6	-	2	6	-	5	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	-	2	-	-	1	6	-	3	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	16	-	-	16	-	1	12	-
7. Total Relief given ...	20	15	-	9	17	-	30	12	-
				<i>Latyer</i>			29	12	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	62	5	2	2	15	8	64	10	10
9. Total ...	83	-	2	12	-	12	95	-	2

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{1}{2}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{1}{4}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

Recd from Manage Bank of Ireland 12/8 for Maint of
May Browne in Fever Hospital

Wice Board kindly allow the usual Xmas fare to
the inmates

Ordered allowed

The Med offr recommend that the wall leading to the
back side of the house (and protecting Carway), be raised
about 2 feet as he believes it is dangerous to the old inmates.

Ordered: that the Doctor's recommendation be
carried out

Recd from Mrs Richards Innetown of for Maint

Mr Seawell having consulted with the Master
recommended a fire in the infirm wards, during the
winter months as there was not sufficient room at
the Day Room for all the inmates.

Lady. Maunee Fitzgald wrote asking permission to
provide plum pudding for the inmates on Xmas day.
Permission was granted and a vote of thanks was passed
to Lady Maunee Fitzgald for her kindness.

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):

No 67918 12 Dec/07

Acknowledging Recd of the mins of the 6th inst relative to the proposed erection of the Stone breaking Shed, and stating that the Ldms had enter into a Contract in accordance with the requirements of Article 17 of the Gen Regulations.

It was resolved that this Contract be advertised for

Mrs Isabel O'Connor Nurse General Hospital wrote resigning her position as trained nurse

It was resolved that a Trained Nurse be advertised for in the Freeman's Journal, Independent Gen Advertiser & Local Papers at the same salary. Election to take place on that day 3 weeks.

The Board took into Consideration Relieving Officer Walsh's application for an increase of salary to the same amt recd by his predecessor.

Mr Denis Malone gave notice that he was on that day fortnight, move that Mr Walsh's application be taken into consideration & move a resolution thereon.

Mr Wallis Doyle R.O. submitted as his future Sureties Messrs John LeBarry & Frank O'Connor in a Bond of £100 = each
Ordered - approved

The following resolution from Castlebar Union was adopted
That we the Ldms of the Castlebar Union, call upon the proper authorities, not to allow the importation of foreign Store Cattle into Great Britain & Ireland, as such we subject the live Stock of our Country to the Contagion of foreign Disease. It is also our opinion that by allowing foreign Store Cattle into this Country that it will cause the ruin of the Tenant farmer of the West of Ireland.

It was ordered that the next Contract be advertised for & that the Analyst be communicated with regarding his reappointment for the coming year.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Dec 1908

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of Dec 1902 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Comparative No. } 378
last year..... }

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 20 day of Dec 1902

PRESENT—In the Chair, *John W. Alden* Esq.

Other Guardians—

Other Guardians—
 Mr. M. Ennis. Tho Power.
 Jas. H. Babon. Lady. Dr. Fitzgerald. John Furlong.
 Jas Furlong. Mike Murphy. Park Screen. Est Deacock.
 John Loda Grange, Walter Keast.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 20th day of

Next Meeting of the Guild
December 190 9

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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The Minutes of last Meeting were Read and Signed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1924 to No. 1968
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of Dec 1906 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	139	7	5	35	5	4	174	12	9	41	3	8	2	6	6	43	10	2	131	2	7	} 252 1/2
Necessaries ...	85	9	9	-	5	-	85	14	9	8	-	3	-	17	1	8	17	4	76	17	5	
Total ...	224	17	2	35	10	4	260	7	6	49	3	11	3	3	7	52	7	6	208	-	0	

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

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

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

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

FORM 1 B

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR STATED FINANCE MEETINGS ONLY.)

Stated Finance Meeting held the 13 day of Dec 190 2

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	266	10	3			
Clothing and Bedding	174	19	3			
Establishment	28	9				
Salaries—						
(a) Establishment	8					
(b) Workhouse Farm						
(c) Medical Charities						
Workhouse Farm	10	10				
Workhouse Burials						
Medical Charities	1		11			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations		17				
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	126					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions						
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	2				
Superannuation Allowances						
District School Account						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875.						
Repayment of Loans						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year						
Expenditure out of Loans						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued	618	8	5	618	8	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of November.....
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 ...	3678	9	10			
Total Sums received during the month						
Total ...	3678	9	10			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at this meeting ...	618	8	5			
Total ...	618	8	5			
Net Balance due Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	3060	1	5			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due Treasurer ...	3710	13	5			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	650	12	-			
Net Balance as above due Treasurer ...	3060	1	5			

The Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Dec 1902 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer, <i>Mr. Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	62	5	2	2	15	8	65	0	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	44	-	-	44	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	62	5	2	46	15	8	109	0	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	19	8	6	8	19	-	28	7	6
In Kind ...		2	6	1	2	6	1	5	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...					8	-		8	
7. Total Relief given ...	19	13		10	9	6	30	2	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	42	12	2	36	6	2	78	18	4
9. Total ...	62	5	2	46	15	8	109	0	10

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{1}{2}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

Read through Mrs. M. Ennis a beautiful Scrap album for the children.

The clerk was directed to convey through Mrs Ennis the thanks of the Board for the very nice gift of the friend.

The clerk was directed to convey the thanks of the Board to Miss Le Hunter formerly of Ashmont for her kindness in presenting (shawls to the Infants women & mas cards to the children, also to a friend of Infants Home who offered obtained permission to give a treat to the school children during the Xmas holidays.

A vote of thanks was passed to lady Maunsi Killypale for her wife's kindness in giving the school boy a football.

Mrs. M. Ennis. Mr. C. B. Cascoe J asked & obtained permission to give the school children a treat during the Xmas holidays. Permission was granted ~~and the Chairman~~ and the Chairman proposed and it was unanimously adopted. That the best thanks of the Board are hereby tendered to Mrs M. Ennis & Mr C. B. Cascoe J for their continued kindness in looking after the wants of the little children.

I think it was advisable for a Committee to visit the ~~school~~ and give instructions as to how it is to be prepared

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

A Committee ~~with the Master~~ visited and gave the Master directions as to how the farm was to be managed.

Read on this day a beautiful selection of Xmas Cards stop for the Children. Purchased a load of straw for 2/6 per cart. A woman named Mary Connolly and her 3 children are inmates of her husband is outside = Orderd: That Connolly be served with 4 days notice under Sec 58 of 182 Act failing to comply with which that he be prosecuted.

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):

No. 69.461 19 Dec "02

Forwarding list of names for the person to be appointed nurse & matron at the Fever Hospital in room of Mrs O'Connor resigned.

Mr Philip Luce Schoolmaster applied to the Board for leave of absence for one week, the Master to attend to his duties in the meantime. Leave was granted.

The Teachers applied for a fortnight's vacation for the Children during the Xmas holidays. This was allowed.

Professor Siebhorne writing from Let for George St Dublin ~~on the 18th Dec~~ stated he had much pleasure in accepting the position of Analyst to the Wexford Bd of Jan for a further period of 12 months. On the motion of Mr Macoveke & seconded by Mr ~~that~~ it was unanimously resolved that Professor Siebhorne act for another year.

at a salary of £10 per annum

Sanction of Local Govt Board requested. 429

Mr Macoveke asked the Clerk to look up the revised list of medicines before next revision. See if there were any other things that could be put on for improvement.

The Clerk promised to attend to the matter.

It was ordered that a man named Connolly be served with a seven day notice to take out his wife & children failing which that he be prosecuted.

The Clerk reported a man named John Redmond for not paying up the usual monthly instalments for names of his 2 children at Cidera.

Orderd: That the Clerk furnish Mr Redmond with a full account of his liability and inform him that the Board will be obliged to prosecute him unless he pays up a substantial instalment at once.

Mr Walsh R.O. brought under the notice of the meeting the fact that the body of an unknown person was washed ashore at Kilmor during; A neighbouring man at considerable expense buried same and applied to Mr Walsh for payment. Sec 23 of 25 & 26 but Chas only allows a total expenditure of 7/6 in such cases ^{which the Board consider although too small} but Mr Macoveke & Mr Macoveke & Mr Macoveke called attention to the fact, referring to the following order was made: That the Local Govt Board be requested to state the maximum expenditure ^{out of the rates} they are satisfied to sanction in this & similar cases. The Relieving Officer Walsh also stated that a coroner's inquest was held on the body by 2 magistrates in the absence of the Coroner, ~~who~~ ^{and} ~~stated~~ ^{stated} he had only authority to certify for 7/2 expenses.

It was ordered that Miss O'Connor's successor
 a successor Miss O'Connor Nurse at General Hospital
 be appointed on Sat. the 3rd Jan. Salary £55 with furniture
 apartments, fuel, light, & other to be issued,

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the

27th day of December

Signed..... Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 20th day of December 1902

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	
				A Requisition for medicine from Workhouse dispensary, was allowed.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 27th day of December 1902

Return of ²⁷Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the ²⁷ day of ^{December} 1902, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Comparative No. } 604
last year,..... }

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 24th day of December 1902

PRESENT.—In the Chair, *James L. O'Brien* Esq. *Chairman.*

Other Guardians—
Messrs McBrowne, J Murphy, H McQuire, P Scallan, J Stone
acock, J Howlin P Walsh, J Gogby, P Murphy, J Boen, J Lambert
lone, J Mc Mahon, Lady M Fitzgerald, P Ryan J Ladd, J Cardiff, J Walsh
mors, J O'Brien, J Farlang, J E Richards J Ladd A. de
nture, A Joyce, J Tower, J Gogby, J Raffin, H Murphy, J J. C. C.
taffard, Mch. Murphy, J. C. C. J Ladd, Arthur J L Barry, J. C. C.
Joyce, James Daley, J. C. C. Mch. C. C. H Murphy, P Lambert
J Barry, J. C. C. Mch. C. C. P. C. C. H. C. C. J Ladd J.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 27 day of

December 190

(Signed).

Clerk of the Union

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FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 1968 to No. 2010
 Separate „ No. 1968 to No. 2010
 Out Door „ No. 1968 to No. 2010

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of December 1907 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	131	2	7	36	8	7	167	11	2	41	17	11	2	6	6	44	4	5	23	6	9	} 2075
Necessaries ...	76	17	5	11	10		88	7	5	8	-	4	-	17	1	8	17	5	79	10	.	
Total ...	208	-	-	47	18	7	255	18	7	49	18	3	3	3	7	53	1	10	202	16	9	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the
day of *December 6th* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Walsh</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	<i>42</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>4</i>
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...									
3. Total to be accounted for ...	<i>42</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>4</i>
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	<i>19</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>6</i>
In Kind ...	<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>-</i>
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		<i>2</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>3</i>	<i>-</i>		<i>5</i>	<i>-</i>
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>-</i>
7. Total Relief given ...	<i>21</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>6</i>
				<i>Last year £</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	<i>21</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>10</i>
9. Total ...	<i>42</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>4</i>

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, 10 ; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{3}{4}$.

All the inmates desired me to thank Lady M. Fitzgerald for the abundant supply of plum pudding supplied them on Xmas Day.
A vote of thanks was unanimously passed to Lady M. Fitzgerald.

On this day 2 store pigs died and 3 more are dying. I sent for Mr. Malone and he told me to report it immediately to the police which I did.
Ordered. Agricultural Committee to visit.

The horse is unable to work and I had to hire a horse at a cost of 8/- to bring a patient from Benestown to Cumshingaun. Approved.

Received from Lady M. Fitzgerald a lot of papers & journals for the inmates.

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):

There were two tenders for meat & oxheads for the quarter ended 31st March 1903 viz.

Mr. John Hayes, Beef at 5^d per lb. best mutton at 6^d per lb. Oxheads 1/9 each.

Mr. Jas O'Rourke Beef at 5^d per lb. Mutton at 7^d and Oxheads 1/9 each.

The former being the cheapest was accepted.

Two tenders for erection of stonebreaking shed according to plan and specification viz. Mr. G. Walsh at £444-10-0 Keane £43-10-0, the Engineer estimate for same is £30-0-0.

The following order was made. "That we consider the tender altogether too high, and taking into consideration the fact that the Guardians can supply labour and attendance for the carrying out of same, we respectfully request the Local Government Board to be good ^{enough} to sanction the construction of the works under the supervision of a Committee of the Guardians and the Master.

The Clerk read a circular in Mr. Malone's name, on behalf of Mr. Michael Browne, convening a special meeting of the Board to consider the application of Mr. Michael Walsh R.O. for an addition of £10 per annum to his present salary ~~now £33 as Referee's Office~~.

The following resolution proposed by Mr. McMahon and seconded by Mr. O'Connor was adopted, Mr. Lambert dissenting.

"That we the members of the Wexford Board of Guardians do hereby protest against the action of the British Government in charging Col. Lynch M.P. with high Treason, that we consider he should be treated the same as the Cape Rebels, and receive pardon. He being an Irishman, the vengeance of England is ~~not~~ cast upon him for fighting side by side with his 'Compatriots' in the Transvaal for the independence of his flag."

X After a full discussion on the matter a vote was taken with the result that 33 voted for an addition of £8 per annum to Mr. Walsh's salary as Referee's Office whilst 15 voted against.

The Motion was accordingly carried which makes the salary now £33 as Ref. Officer.

The Sanction of the Local Govt Board is requested

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto,	disallowed
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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 3rd day of January '03

Signed Wesley R. Jones Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of December 1902

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians—

den Lobmen Esq.
no Business

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

[illegible]

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—\$5,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of January 1903

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 3 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	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	794											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	
Total..	812	303											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			5	18	120	100	7	2	23	11	15	301	124	34	
Admitted during the week			23	6	14	7			1		4	55	9	7	
Born															
TOTAL			28	24	134	107	7	2	24	11	19	356	133	41	
Discharged during the week, Died			27	5	12	4	1		2		2	53			
Total Discharged and Dead,			27	5	12	4	1		2		2	53			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	19	122	103	6	2	22	11	17	303			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of January 1903 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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
No. I.	255	412				
No. II.	126	188				
Total ..	381	600				

Comparative No. last year..... 600

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 3rd day of January 1903

PRESENT—In the Chair, Denis O'Brien Esq. Chairman
 Other Guardians—Mrs. Mahon, Jas. Hore, John Klean, Patk. Rossiter, John Blaney, Martin Kehoe, James Boddie, Jas. McMahon, Patk. Murphy, Jas. Lusk, Chas. Town, Michael Browne, John P. Keating, H. J. Scallan, B. H. Maccokey, Michael Murphy, Jas. Lusk & Rath, Michael Murphy/Lonhaggard

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 3rd day of

January 1903

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 2080 to No. 2095
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out Door „ No. _____ to No. _____

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of December 07 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	123	6	9	50	14	11	174	1	8	50	5	4	2	6	6	58	11	10	121	9	10	} 2106
Necessaries ...	79	10		-	-	-	79	10		8	-	4	-	17	1	8	17	5	70	12	7	
Total ...	202	16	9	50	14	11	253	11	8	58	5	8	2	3	7	61	9	3	192	2	5	

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of *December* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE. District No. 1.			Relieving Officer, <i>M. Walsh</i> District No. 2.			TOTAL		
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	21	10	8	25	7	2	46	17	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...									
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21	10	8	25	7	2	46	17	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	19	6		9	1	6	28	7	6
In Kind ...		2	6		2	6		5	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		7			7			14	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		8		1	4		1	12	
7. Total Relief given ...	20	3	6	10	15		30	18	6
				<i>Last year</i>			31	10	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	1	7	2	14	12	2	15	19	4
9. Total ...	21	10	8	25	7	2	46	17	10

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{1}{2}$.

On New Year's day the children partook of all the good things supplied by Mr. Placothie. Another gentleman supplied the hospital's infirm patients with barm brack. I wish to tender thanks on behalf of the children and inmates to both these gentlemen.

The Board also passed them a vote of thanks

A supply of Newport Coal will be required in 8 weeks time.

Ordered. To advertise for a supply from 80 to 100 tons similar in other respect to the previous advert.

Linsey & Linen taken require to be sampled.
Sampled & passed.

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):

There were 6 applications for the position of Trained Nurse at the Wexford Fever Hospital, all of whom were duly qualified Nurse Brady who attended the Board meeting, and supplied excellent testimonials, was the only candidate proposed and seconded.

She was accordingly declared elected at a salary of £55 per annum, and promised to take up the duties on 10th inst. Enclosed herewith we send Certificate of training, with a request that the Local Govt Board will be good enough to sanction the appointment.

Mr John Redmond who now owes over £3 for the maintenance of his children at Lobra, wrote stating he was out of work for a long time, and only able to pay for his own board and that when work would turn up he would send large instalments until he was clear with the Board.

Ordered That Redmond be requested to name a date when he would be prepared to pay a substantial instalment to the Clerk.

Mr R. W. Elgee writing on behalf of the Board.

Messrs Johns in reference to the Guardians proposition of erecting a shed adjoining the wall at back of the workhouse, stated that the Messrs Johns were quite willing such a shed should be erected but that the Guardians should pay 7/6 per year for the right of erection, and undertake to remove shed by a 6 months notice if required to do so.

The matter was again referred to a Committee for next Duty at 11 o'clock, Messrs Peacock & Stone to report.

Mr McMahon P.M. asked that the visiting Committee be summoned for next Duty at 11 o'clock to inspect the clothes worn by the inmates. Hobbs was directed, to send postcards to the Committee.

The Clerk asked leave to be absent for a few days Mr O'Sullivan to act in his place.

Leave was granted.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto, disallowed ...

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

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

Ditto, ditto, 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 ...

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 Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the

10th day of *Jan'y* 1903

Signed..... Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the *3rd* day of *Jan'y* 1903

Present: In the Chair—

Amis Robinson Esq. Chm.

Other Guardians—

See page 461

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	
				<i>A Requisition for medicines and surgical appliances for Broadway district, was ordered to be procured.</i>

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
7/1/03	Dr Anglin	Certifying that Nurse Walker Broadway was suffering from acute Bronchitis and stating that she would be unable to attend to her duties for 2 weeks. The Clerk was directed to write to Dr Anglin asking him to be good enough to secure the services of some woman in the district, at a remuneration the same as that of Mrs Walker if possible.	
Broadway	Dr Anglin	The medical officers books were examined & signed, the following reports were made. reposting a few cases of Scarlatina of a mild type which had been properly isolated also a few cases of acute pneumonia.	
Lathom Wexford		visit in excellent health diseases of the respiratory organs are prevalent owing to severe weather. No case of Scarlatina has occurred in the Rural district since 12 th December last.	
Crossabeg		Fairly healthy. There were no reports from Bridgetown or Bannow.	

[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.:

Containing the names of 15 defaulters in Crossabeg dispensary district, and 13 in Wexford district.

Ordered. Notices be served.

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 10th day of

January 1903

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—\$5,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 1903

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	795											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	34
Total..	812	799											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			1	19	152	103	6	2	22	11	17	303	4	8	42
Admitted during the week			18	1	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	31			
Born															TOTAL 128
TOTAL			19	20	131	106	6	2	22	11	17	334			
Discharged during the week,			11	4	11	1	-	1	3	2	1	34			TOTAL 42
Died						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	4	11	2	-	1	3	2	1	35			TOTAL 42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	16	120	104	6	1	19	9	16	299			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		No. at corresponding period last year—301
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Child'n und'r 15 TOTAL	
													No. in Workhouse at date	8 - - -	19
													No. at corresponding period last year—301	8 - - -	

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of January 1903 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		252	408			252	408	617
No. II.		126	188			126	188	
Total ..		380	596			380	596	

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 10th day of January 1903

PRESENT.—In the Chair,

Denis L O'Brien Esq. Chairman

Other Guardians—

Messrs Patrick Rossiter, G.H. Blacoeke Jr
James Hore, O. Scallan, M. Staples, J. Dodd, Grange,
John Blaney, Edward Kearns, J. Sinnott, Kellogues,
John Codd, Wildealm, Patrick Fortune, J. Hardiff, O. Malone,
Jas Codd Jr, Chas Etchingham, Luke Stafford,
Patrick Lambert, M. Browne, J. Laffin.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 2095 to No. 2126
 Separate " No. to No.
 Out Door " No. to No.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of January 1903 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.		
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total							
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d			
Provisions ...	171	9	10	29	15	7	161	5	5	44	3	11	26	6	46	10	5	114	15	} 2106	
Necessaries ...	70	12	7		12		71	4	7	8		4	17	1	8	17	5	62	7		2
Total ...	191	2	5	40	7	7	232	10		52	4	3	3	3	7	55	7	10	177		2	2

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

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th
day of January 1893 was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr Doyle</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	1	7	2	14	10	2	15	17	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	103	-	-	-	-	-	103	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	104	7	2	14	10	2	118	17	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	19	4	.	9	3	.	28	7	.
In Kind ...		26			26			5	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...		5	6		3	.	8	8	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		16	.		8	.	1	4	.
7. Total Relief given ...	20	8	.	9	16	6	30	4	6
				<i>Last yr</i>			30	19	.
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	82	19	2	4	13	8	88	12	10
9. Total ...	104	7	2	14	10	2	118	17	4

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):

No 70, 927 = 1902 dated 9th January 1903. with reference to the minutes of the 20th ult containing an entry relative to the payment of expenses of the burial of a body washed ashore at Kilmore, stating that the limit imposed by the act 25 & 26 vii chap 83 on the payment of expenses incurred in the burial of bodies found drowned, is removed by the more enlarged provisions of sec 4 of the Public Health, Amendment, Act, 1879, and requesting that the Guardians, furnish them with a statement of the actual expenses incurred in connection with the burial referred to in the minutes. Relieving Officer to furnish statement of expenses. (Statement sent) Total cost of burial £2-5-0.

No 71, 793 / 1902 dated the 9th January 1903. Sanctioning the proposed increase of salary to Relieving Officer Walsh from £25 to £33 a year.

No 176 in 1902 dated 9th January 1903. Forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of the Lly. Ireland Act 1902.

Mr John Redmond who owes money for the maintenance of his children in Cobara, wrote stating that he was unable to state a date by which he would send a remittance, but would contribute 10/- a week when he would get work, until clear with the Board.

Mr Tom Hayes wrote refusing to sign bond to supply best beef at his contract price, as the bond was not worded in accordance with the advertisement. It was decided that Mr Hayes be asked to complete bond in accordance with his tender.

Lady Maurice Fitzgerald and the Hon Mr. O'Connell, both of whom were suffering from colds wrote regretting their inability to attend the Board meeting.

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
no 70923/1902		dated 9 January/1903. Approving of the appointment of Prof. Liehborne as medical analyst to the Union, for the period and terms specified in the minute of 20th ult.	
	Dr J. H. Anglin Broadway	wrote stating as requested by the Board he had arranged with a Mrs. Brien to act as temporary midwife for the District during the present week (the permanent midwife being ill) at a remuneration of £1, and stating that the permanent midwife would probably be able to resume duty at the end of the week.	ordered That Mrs. Brien be appointed to act for one week, at a remuneration of £1.
	The Wexford Branch of the Medical Association	wrote forwarding a list of their claims, and concessions they are seeking which was read by the Clerk.	

[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:—

Bridgetown Dist = 11 defaulters.
Ordered That they be vaccinated.

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January 1903

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date	ABLE-BODIED		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	799											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	34
	81	1											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	800											1	8	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			8	16	120	100	6	1	19	9	16	299			
Admitted during the week			18	5	16	5	-	-	1	-	1	46			
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
TOTAL			26	21	136	109	6	1	20	9	17	345			
Discharged during the week,			32	4	11	2	1	-	2	-	-	44			
Died			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			32	4	11	3	1	-	2	-	-	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	17	125	106	5	1	18	9	15	300			

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of January 1903 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	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
No. I.	249	391			249	391
No. II.	127	193			127	193
Total ..	376	584			376	584

Comparative No. last year..... 606

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Saturday,

the 17th day of January 1903

PRESENT—In the Chair, Denis O'Brien Esq. Chairman.

Other Guardians—Mr MacEneaney, Mr H Peacocke Jr

John Clancy, John Lambert, Louis Barry, Jas Codd Jr, Mike Sinnott, Chas Murphy, McMurphy, Jas Meyler, Edmond Kearns, James Mahon, J. B. King, Scallan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 17th day of

January 1903

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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Minutes of last Meeting were Read and Signed.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 2126 to No. 2142
 Separate „ No. 2126 to No. 2142
 Out Door „ No. 2126 to No. 2142

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 1903 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	
Provisions ...	114	15		46	10		161	5		44	15	6	2	6	6	44	2		117	3		} 2105
Necessaries ...	62	7	2	-	-	-	62	7	2	7	19	10		17	1	8	16	11	53	10	3	
Total ...	177	22	2	46	10		223	12	2	49	15	4	3	3	7	52	18	11	170	13	3	

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

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

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

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

FORM 1 B

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR STATED FINANCE MEETINGS ONLY.)

Stated Finance Meeting held the 10th day of January 1903

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 January 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 ...	59	7	4			
Cr. County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...						
Cr. Repayment of Relief ...					8	
Cr. Rents of Dispensary Residences ...						
Cr. Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...				33	16	
Cr. Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ...				25	3	4
Cr. Loans Received ...						
Total as above ...	59	7	4	59	7	4

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...	192	1	11			
Clothing and Bedding ...	33	15	1			
Establishment...	68	7				
Salaries—						
(a) Establishment ...	207	3	2			
(b) Workhouse Farm ...						
(c) Medical Charities ...	200	2				
Workhouse Farm ...		6	9			
Workhouse Burials ...						
Medical Charities ...	51	1	7			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations ...	11	1	9			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief ...	157					
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...	7	10				
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ...	12	2				
Superannuation Allowances ...	20	13	2			
District School Account ...						
Assessment and Results Fees of Workhouse Teachers under National School Teachers Act 1875. .						
Repayment of Loans ...						
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...						
Unpaid Bills of last Half-Year ...						
Expenditure out of Loans ...						
Cr. Treasurer						
Total Amount of Orders issued ...	951	4	5	951	4	5

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s	d	£	s	d
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	3060	1	5			
Total Sums received during the month ...	59	7	4			
Total ...	3119	8	9			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered at this meeting ...	951	4	5			
Total ...	951	4	5			
Net Balance due by Treasurer (being difference of above Totals) ...	2168	4	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ...	3189	9	4			
Outstanding Orders (including those issued at this meeting) ...	1021	5				
Net Balance as above due by Treasurer ...	2168	4	4			

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The Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of January 8th 19th was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer, Mr Walsh			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	83	19	2	4	13	8	88	12	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	52			52		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	83	19	2	58	13	8	142	12	10
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	19	-	6	9	3		28	3	6
In Kind ...	-	2	6					2	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	-	-	-		13			13	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-		16			16	
7. Total Relief given ...	19	3		10	12		29	15	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	64	16	2	48	1	2	112	17	4
9. Total ...	83	19	2	58	13	2	142	12	4

Last Year £

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. REDMOND, $9\frac{3}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{3}{4}$.

There are 9 pigs fit for sale.

The matter was referred to a Committee to advise as to the disposal of them.

The pig seen on last Saturday by the Committee, died during the week.

A fire guard is required for day room used by male idiots, also a stove, for the infirm women's day room. The matter was referred to the Visiting Committee.

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):

NO 3. M. 1903 dated 9th January/03. Forwarding an amended Order, made in pursuance of the Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts 1898 & 1902.

NO 174 = 1902 dated 12th January/03. Being a Circular letter on the subject of the adoption of orphan and deserted children.

The estimate for the ensuing year was submitted to the Board it amounting to £7451 it being £299 less than the estimate of the previous year. On the motion of Mr. C. H. Seacroke J.P. seconded by Mr. James Codd J.P. it was unanimously adopted.

The following articles were condemned - 50 Shirts; 17 Blankets; 49 Rugs; 13 Ties; 19 Towels & Rollers; 4 Table Cloths; 6 window Blinds; 43 Bolster Cases; 36 Shirts; 35 pair Stockings; 15 Hamel Vests; 11 Handkerchiefs; 12 Wrappers; 35 Petticoats; 62 Shifts; 94 aprons; 19 Neckkerchiefs; 45 Stockings; 4 Caps; 5 Bodies; 7 Shawls; 6 Frocks; 33 Bibs and 12 Hats.

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
/			

[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. :

Bannow 23 defaulters, 6 of whom are unfit.

Broadway 19 defaulters. none unfit.

Ordered. That notices be served by Relieving officers.

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1891—35,142

Present Net Annual Value—£109,889

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the week ending Saturday, the 24th day of January 1903

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that could 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	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	731	297											Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards	34
	81	1											Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates	
Total..	812	298											120	1	8
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last return			4	17	125	106	5	1	18	9	15	300			
Admitted during the week			17	5	17	6	1	-	3	2	2	53			
Born															
TOTAL			21	22	142	112	6	1	21	11	17	353			
Discharged during the week, Died			17	5	21	4	-	-	3	2	1	53			
Total Discharged and Dead,			17	5	23	4	-	-	3	2	1	55			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	17	119	108	6	1	18	9	16	298			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													No. relieved during week	M. F. Childr'n und'r 15	TOTAL
														17 5 -	22
													No. in Workhouse at date	3 1 -	4
													No. at corresponding period last year—		
													227		

Return of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 24th day of January 1903 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	No.	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.		Comparative No. last year.....
		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.		451	403			451	403	627
No. II.		128	195			128	195	
Total ..		379	598			379	598	

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the 24th day of January 1903

PRESENT—In the Chair, Hugh McQuire Esq. 146
 Other Guardians—Wesley M. Kehol, James Hare
John Bodd, Arthur William, Patk Scallan
John Ladd, Ardolun, Mrs Malin, Michael Browne
James M. Mahon, J.C., John L. Barry, Luke Stafford
James Bodd Jr. M.B., Thos Kehol, John Lambert
Patk Rossiter, John E. Richards, John Blaney
Mich. Murphy, Edward P. Kearns.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 24th day ofJanuary 1903

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(FOR EVERY MEETING)

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

Indoor, from No. 2172 to No. 2215
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Out Door „ No. _____ to No. _____

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to 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 Accounts of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of January 1893 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of Preceding Week			Received during the week			Total			CONSUMED DURING THE WEEK.						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days.			
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d				
Provisions ...	117	3		40		7	157	3	7	40	17	2	2	6	6	43	2	8	113	19	11	} 2107
Necessaries ...	53	10	3		5		53	15	3	7	19	11		17	1	8	17		44	18	3	
Total ...	170	13	3	40	5	7	210	18	10	48	17	1	2	3	7	52	-	8	158	18	2	

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

Average Cost of Infirmary ...

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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

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

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

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 ending the last day of the preceding month, and the Ledger entries to be made in respect of same as follows—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....
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 Abstract of Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of *January 03* was submitted as follows—

	Relieving Officer, MR. DOYLE.			Relieving Officer. <i>Mr. Doyle</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. 1.			District No. 2.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d
1. Balance in hand at close of previous Week ...	64	16	2	48	1	2	112	17	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	64	16	2	48	1	2	112	17	4
EXPENDITURE									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	18	18	.	9	3	6	28	1	6
In Kind ...	.	2	6	.	4	.	.	6	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	.	3	.	.	15	.	.	15	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	.	.	1	15	.	1	15	.
7. Total Relief given ...	19	3	6	11	11	6	30	15	.
				<i>Last Year</i>			32	1	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	45	12	8	36	9	8	82	2	4
9. Total ...	64	16	2	48	1	2	112	17	4

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

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

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

Master's Report:—

Cream Percentage—MR. L. HAYES, 10 ; MR. REDMOND, $10\frac{1}{4}$;
MR. MALONE, $9\frac{3}{4}$; MR. FORTUNE, $9\frac{3}{4}$.

Will the Board say what they consider an equal substitute for Oxheads, also define what is meant by "gross of beef without fat" as I am getting considerable trouble of late from Contractor.

It was resolved on the motion of Mr. Stone seconded by Mr. Browne that the Contractor Mr. Hayes be informed that he must supply meat without fat or rudder and that when Oxhead cannot be procured that he be permitted to supply 14 lbs of backs in lieu of each Oxhead which according to Contract are required to weigh 16 lbs each.

A block is required for Zeev's Hospital Gate Lodge as the one in use is worn out.

The Master was ordered to procure a suitable block.

The Sisters require a small sitting room papered. It was ordered that the Master get the work done.

Lweed require to be sampled.

Same was considered not fully up to sample but was accepted subject to the Contractor agreeing to a reduction of 1st party in the price.

A woman named Kate Austin is in Hospital while her husband is in Wales.

It was ordered that the Clerk write to Austin regarding the maintenance of his family.

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):

no 2553 = 1903 dated 23rd January 03. Sanctioning the appointment of Miss Mary J Brady as trained nurse at the Lanes Hospital at a salary of £55 a year with apartments fuel & light.

no 2494 = 1903 dated 16th January 03. Stating they all no objection to the payment of £2.5.0 expenses incurred in burying a body washed ashore at Kilmore.

no 71,793 = 1902 - dated 16th January 03. Requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Plan, Specifications and detailed estimate of the shed to be erected on the workhouse premises, together with a report from the Engineer as to the sufficiency of the estimate. The Clerk was directed to forward to the L.G.B. copies of all the documents he had relating to the work.

A letter was read from Mr Hayes meat contractor regarding the supply of meat which was considered with the Master's report thereon.
See Order on Master's Report.

the tender of Mr. James J Stafford for the supply of 100 tons of Newport Red ash coal at £1.3.3 per ton was accepted.

A manufacturer named J Potter of Dublin who had been interviewed by Mr Peacocke forwarded price list and diagram of hearses at prices ranging from £110 to £35.

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

Date	From Whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 2552/1903 dated 23rd January 03. Acknowledging the receipt of the queries respecting Mrs Anestond Brien whom the Guardians employed as temporary midwife of Broadway Dispensary, and pointing out that Mrs Brien does not possess the qualifications prescribed and is therefore ineligible for an appointment as a dispensary midwife either permanent or temporary.			
It was ordered that the L.G.B. be informed that this appointment only lasted one week. That this woman was selected by the medical officers, being the only person available in the district, and that the medical officers satisfied himself of her competency and on account of being a woman of considerable experience in midwifery.			
The Guardians therefore respectfully request the Local Govt Board to sanction the payment of £1 to Mrs Brien, guaranteeing at the same time not to employ a non-certificated midwife at any future time.			

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

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

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

Dennis Brien

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 31st day of

January 1903

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union

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