

Workhouse and Fever Hospitals three probationer nurses, free of charge, in exchange for their free services during the probation term of 1 1/2 years. The motion was seconded by Mr. Plummer. A division being challenged, 8 votes were recorded for, and 18 against the motion. The motion was declared lost.

The Clerk, as requested, submitted a return of the cost of extra nurses employed in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals during the past five years ended 31st ult. £563-6-0

making an average yearly, 72-13-3

cost of rations for these extra nurses for period, 12-1-4

making an average yearly, 24-4-3

The maintenance of a probationer nurse }
is estimated at same average, namely } 24-4-3

Mr. Nichol

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	30
Ditto disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	2
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	-	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	-	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	-	0

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from L. G. B. Memorandum dated 27th March, 1907.

requesting that when submitting for signature requisitions for Medicines, &c. the gross cost thereof be entered in the col. provided for the purpose in the Minutes, similarly in the case of extra Medicines, &c.

Will be complied with.

14,934/07. Referring to the resolution proposing to pay 28th March Dr. M. McDonogh a fee of £4-4-0 as remuneration for his services in acting as temporary Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District on the 12th and 14th inst.; and with reference thereto, the Board point out that £1-1-0 is the usual rate for duty for one day in a Dispensary District.

The Guardians beg to refer the Board to their own letter No. 52,294/06, dated 11th Sept., 1906, in which they express an opinion that Dr. Kirwan should be paid a fee of £2-2-0 per visit for services rendered under similar circumstances.

3rd April '07 From Dr. J. J. McDonagh, Medical Officer of Galway No. 1 Dispensary District renewing his application for a few days' leave of absence, and stating that Dr. M. McDonogh will do duty for him, when that Dr. Colahan has returned.

Granted.

3rd Apr '07. From Dr. W. A. Sandys, certifying that Dr. Kirwan is still confined to his bed. In reference to the order of the Guardians for a medical certificate to be furnished weekly. His (Dr. Sandys) certificate of the 27th inst. holds good for 3 weeks from that date.

Order. The Medical Officer of Galway No. 3 Dispensary District to be paid 7^d for postage, and the Medical Officer of Moycullen 18^d.

Report Form H,

Moycullen Dispensary District,
17 cases of successful vaccination between the dates, 30-9-06, and 31-5-07.

Population in 1901—36,465

Present Net Annual Value, £68,505.

STATE of the Workhouse for the week ended SATURDAY, the 6th day of April, 1907.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons and Adult Persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.	
			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	816	343											85	In separate Wards
Temporary Buildings	222	14											3	In Wards with other Inmates
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	44	3												6
Total	1082	360											88	6
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			9	18	131	127	16	6	17	15	17	356		
Admitted during the Week			11	5	6	8	1	.	.	2	.	33		
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			20	23	137	135	17	6	17	17	17	389		
Discharged during the Week			6	4	8	7	.	.	2	2	.	29		
Died			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Died			6	4	8	7	.	.	2	2	.	29		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	19	129	128	17	6	15	15	17	360		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1907, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.	157	223	"	"	157	223	Bt. forwd. No. IV.	22	25	"	"	22	25
No. II.	8	9	"	"	8	9	No. V.	12	12	"	"	12	12
No. III.	12	17	"	"	12	17	No. VI.	23	32	"	"	23	32
Car. forwd.	177	249	"	"	177	249	TOTAL	234	322	"	"	234	322

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of April, 1907.

PRESENT: In the Chair—M. Cunningham Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Sir J. O'Donoghue, Messrs. Cumiffe, R. H. French, V. Leydon, M. Redington, Martin Moloney, M. Ryan, C. Rabbitt, W. Lancelotti, and M. Davoren.

M. Cunningham
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of

April, 1907.

(Signed)

Robert Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 10th day of April, 1907

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

Indoor from No. 3965 to No. 4004

Separate ,, No. 3d, to No. 2

Outdoor ,, No. 1617 to No. 1618

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits.

The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. The Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of April, 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					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
Provisions	50	15	7	74	11	9	125	7	4	69	7	5	6	8	10	175	16	3	49	16	8	2482
Necessaries	7	12	5	15	2	11	22	15	4	11	12	6	1	16	3	12	8	9	10	6	3	
Total	58	8	0	89	14	8	148	22	8	80	19	11	7	51	13	188	50	6	60	2	11	

Stockholders balance carried fwd. on 1st April. 5/3 difference between Master's Books & his Return

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 6 3/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... £ : 5 : 4 1/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... £ : 8 : 0

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

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

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1907, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN			Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY			Relieving Officer McNEILL			Relieving Officer WALSH			Relieving Officer KYNE			Relieving Officer CULLINAN			TOTAL			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	21	17	d	1	16	d	5	1	8	5	6	2	6	2	6	5	1	8	45	5	8	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21	17	d	1	16	d	5	1	8	5	6	2	6	2	6	5	1	8	45	5	8	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	11	18	0	11	0	19	0	1	18	6	13	6	2	2	4	0	18	4	0			
In Kind ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
7. Total Relief given	11	18	0	11	0	19	0	2	0	0	13	6	2	2	4	0	18	5	6			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	9	19	d	1	5	d	4	2	8	3	6	2	5	9	0	2	17	8	27	0	2	
9. Total	21	17	d	1	16	d	5	1	8	5	6	2	6	2	6	5	1	8	45	5	8	

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	... .. 20	Admitted during the Week	... .. 1
Discharged	... .. 12	Discharged	... .. 0
Died	... .. 0	Died	... .. 0
Remaining	... .. 95	Remaining	... .. 4

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

James Haffy was transferred to the District Lunatic Asylum on the 5th inst.

By direction of Dr. McDonogh, I have allowed Pat. Lydon, Milk Contractor, to resume the supply of milk to the Workhouse as his premises are now in a sanitary condition.

The cases against two female inmates for misbehavior were on again at Petty Sessions Court on the 8th inst., and were adjourned for a fortnight to see how they will conduct themselves.

Patrick Toole, Steamboiler attendant, resumed duty this morning when the services of his substitute, John Hittle, were dispensed with.

By direction of Dr. McDonogh I employed Nurse Hoggan to attend a maternity case in Hospital as the Workhouse Midwife is engaged on septic cases.

Mary Walsh and child, from Gowlaun, in the Clifden Union, were admitted to Hospital yesterday evening. The woman stated she arrived in Galway the previous evening and gave birth to the child soon after; that the putative father is John Walsh, a servant, who left for America eight months ago.

Order. Inquiry into this case to be made.

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

Workhouse Medical Officers,
I have been called to England on urgent private business. My colleague, Dr. McDonogh, will attend to my duties during my absence.

Approved.

N. J. W. Colahan.

I have directed the Master to employ Nurse Hoggan for maternity cases as the Workhouse Midwife has to attend a septic case.

During the past two months I got the following articles repaired by the contractors, Messrs. Fanning & Co.
5 syringes, 4 needles sharpened, new piston heads to Syke's trocar, and a cannula cleaned, all at a cost of 5/-.

Approved.

M. McDonogh.

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:—

14,827/07. }
5th April. } Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the proposed appointment of Eliza Laine as wardmaid in the Workhouse; and stating that the Board observe that this woman is not in all respects suitable for an Infirmary Wardmaid, and they request that they may be informed whether the Guardians could not get any person better fitted for the position.

Proposed by Sir J. O'Sullivan, seconded by Mr. N. Lydon, and Resolved - That we beg the L. G. Board to approve of the appointment of this woman on probation for three months. The Medical Officers can then report on the manner in which she discharged her duties. The presiding Chairman dissented from this resolution.

3rd April. } Transmitting forms for a statement showing
5th April. } the sums paid for medical and educational
purposes in respect of the half-year ended the
31st Oct.

4th April. } Similar for the return of officers of the Union,
5th April. } in the usual form.

15.266/07. } Retaining the sketch of the mortuary pro-
6th April. } posed to be erected at the rear of the Work-
house Hospital; together with the sketch showing
the position of same; and stating that the
Board see no objection to the carrying out of the
work.

16.255/07. } Referring to the Minute of the 27th ult. proposing
9th April. } to accede to the application of Mr. J. O'Sullivan,
contractor for the supply of beef and mutton
to the Workhouse for an increase in the contract
price owing to the increase in the price of cattle
and sheep, and stating that an increase in the
cost of the articles he supplies is a contingency
for which a contractor must be prepared, and
the Board decline to recognize it as a reason
for releasing him from his obligations.

17.214/07. } Sanctioning the payment of a sum of 2^s 6^d to the
9th April. } Standriver's substitute, as remuneration for
his services as specified in the Minutes of the
3rd inst.

2nd April '07. } Invitation to two delegates from the Board of Guard-
ians to the Poor Law Guardians' Industrial

Conference to be held in the Mansion House,
Dublin, on the 18th inst.

*Messrs the Chairman and Vice Chairman were
appointed delegates.*

4th Apr. '07. } From the Clerk of Union, Ballinasloe, forwarding
a copy of a resolution adopted by the Guardians
of that Union and No. 1 Rural District Council
as follows:-

"That we, the Ballinasloe No. 1 Rural District Council and Board of
Guardians, do hereby appeal, through the Irish Parliamentary Party, to the
Liberal Government now in office, for the Repeal of Section 83 (7) of the
Local Government (Ireland) Act of 1898, which Section specifies that all
in-coming Clerks of Unions since the passing of said Act are deprived of
remuneration for the preparing of Voters' and Jurors' Lists, same being
transferred to the Secretaries of County Councils—as we believe it is only
through Clerks of Unions, owing to their close proximity and intimate
knowledge of the immediate localities, that accurate lists can be prepared.
And we deem it an injustice to the Ratepayers as well as to the Clerks, as
the deficit will have to be substituted owing to the impossibility of the
Guardians being able to procure eligible candidates to fill such important
positions at the reduced salaries, at the same time bestowing extravagant
livings on County Secretaries.

"Copies to be sent to John Roche, Esq., M.P.; J. E. Redmond, Esq.,
M.P.; the Chief Secretary for Ireland, and all surrounding Unions, for
adoption."

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

7th Apr. '07. } From Mr. Edw^d. Faherty, informing the Guardians
of his inability through illhealth of continuing
in office as Rate Collector in the Moycullen
District.

Referred to the County Council.

Reports of children hired out and boarded out
from the Workhouse were furnished by Relieving
Officers J. Walsh, Galway Union, B. J. Doyle, Athlone
Union,
W. Hughes, Mountbellew Union.
Copies forwarded to the L. G. Board.

Galway County Council Archives

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

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 Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 0
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 3
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 Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 0
 The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 0
 The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was - - - 0

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Moycullen, _____ "	

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

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Workhouse, Medicines £43-6-11, Appliances £22-13-8,
 Galway 1/12 " 15-11-5, " 7-5-10.
Ordered of contractors.

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

Read Letter from L. G. B. No 16,256/07, dated 8th April, 1907.

Referring to the entry in the Minutes of the 27th met., and to previous correspondence respecting the proposed contract for the supply of Medical and Surgical Appliances, and stating that as the balance of convenience would seem to be in favour of the firm whose tender has been accepted, the Board will raise no further objection, having regard to the small difference in the tenders.

The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from the Galway No 3 Dispensary District.

The original forwarded to the L. G. Board and a copy to the Medical Officer.

Reports Form H

Galway No 1 79 cases of successful vaccination from 10-10-06 to 10-4-07.

2 46 " " " " " " 1-10-06 " 31-3-07.

Population in 1901—36,465

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STATE of the Workhouse for the week ended SATURDAY, the 13th day of April 1907.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons and Adult Persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 2 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.	
			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	816	356												
Temporary Buildings	222	141												
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	44	41												
Total	1082	374												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			14	27	129	120	17	6	15	15	17	360		
Admitted during the Week			13	4	7	9	1	1	4	1	5	45		
Born											1	1		
TOTAL			27	31	136	129	18	7	19	16	23	406		
Discharged during the Week			11	2	9	5			2	1	1	31		
Died						1						1		
Total Discharged and Died			11	2	9	6			2	1	1	32		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	29	127	123	18	7	17	15	22	374		

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Childr'n under 15	Total
No. relieved during week	12	4	8	24
No. in Workhouse at date	9	3	4	16
No. at corresponding period last year	376			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 13th day of April 1907, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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							TOTAL	235	321	"	"	235	321

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of April 1907.

PRESENT: In the Chair— M. Crowley Esq.
Other Guardians:—

Sir J. O'Donohoe, Messrs M. Redington Martin Moloney, M. Ryan, C. Rabbitt, M. Burke, P. Brooke, F. J. Bailey, and Mark Moloney.

Michael Crowley PRESIDING CHAIRMAN

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of April 1907.

(Signed) Robert Mullery Clerk of the Union.

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 17th day of April, 1907.

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

Indoor from No. 4004 to No. 4043

Separate ,, No. 2 to No. 2

Outdoor ,, No. 1618 to No. 1622

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits.

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Provisions	49	16	8	71	17	2	121	13	10	65	13	6	6	13	4	72	6	10	49	7	0	
Necessaries	10	6	3	11	18	3	22	4	6	11	14	1	1	16	3	12	10	4	9	14	2	2542
Total	60	2	11	83	15	5	143	18	4	77	7	7	7	9	7	84	14	2	59	1	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 2 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary £ : 5 : 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ : 7 : 10/2

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN	Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY	Relieving Officer MCNEILL	Relieving Officer WALSH	Relieving Officer KYNE	Relieving Officer CULLINAN	TOTAL
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	9 19 4	1 5 4	4 2 8	3 6 2	5 9 0	2 17 8	27 0 2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 0 0	0 0 0	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	30 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	34 19 4	6 5 4	4 2 8	3 6 2	5 9 0	2 17 8	57 0 2
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	11 12 6	11 0	19 0	1 18 6	13 6 2	4 0	17 18 6
In Kind ...	" " "	" " "	" " "	1 6	" " "	" " "	1 6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	2 0	3 2	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	5 2
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
7. Total Relief given	11 12 6	14 2	19 0	2 0 0	13 6 2	4 0	18 5 2 ✓
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	23 4 10	5 11 2	3 3 8	1 6 2	4 15 6	13 8	38 15 0
9. Total	34 19 4	6 5 4	4 2 8	3 6 2	5 9 0	2 17 8	57 0 2

FORM 14
(ARTICLE 7.)

TABLE 1.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

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

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...			
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above			

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same

Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer.

TABLE (b).

	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

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

_____ 190 _____

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 during the month						
Total						
Net Balance due—the Union (being difference of above Totals						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due—Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders						
Net Balance as above due—the Union						

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	20	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	17	Discharged	1
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	97	Remaining	3

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

There were 17 tramps admitted on Saturday night last. Latterly they are coming on Saturday nights to avoid stone breaking. I recommend you to order to retain them in the Workhouse in future until Monday morning so as to make them break stones.

An order to this effect was made, 7 Guardians voted for, and 2 against it.

Delia Regan and Julia O'Dea, two able-bodied inmates, refused to work.

To be prosecuted.

I submit letters received from Thomas Kennedy of Dublin, claiming three children of his who are in the Workhouse, and from Patrick Walsh of Louisa, Clifden, relative to Mary Walsh and child, the case that was under consideration at last meeting.

Consideration deferred awaiting further information.

Workhouse Medical Officer,

The child Emily McKeon will soon be fit to be boarded out again.

Order. Arrangement to be made to return the child to her foster parent.

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

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

16.956/07. } Forwarding a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his
10th April. } Audit of the Union Accounts for the half-year ended
30th September, 1906, with attested abstracts of the accounts.

16.178/07. } Approving of the appointment of Julia Lowery,
10th April. } Mary Hickey, and Letitia Thompson as Wardsmaids
in the Workhouse at a salary of £6 a year and rations
at the weekly estimated value of 4^{s.} 0^{d.} 1/2 in each case.

17.699/07. } Forwarding a letter which has been received from
16th April. } Mr John Mack relative to the charge made for his
maintenance in the Workhouse Hospital,
Order. The claim for maintenance to be remitted.

John Mack's letter is returned with the copy of the Minutes.

17th Apr. '07. From Daniel Curley, requesting that the Guardians will again send his son Michael to St. Joseph's Blind Asylum, Drumcondra, Dublin.

Order. The superior of the Institution referred to, to be requested to report on this case.

17th Apr. '07. From Nurses Corless and Molloy, Workhouse Hospital stating that they have learned that they are to be deprived of their rooms and rations and to be treated as probationer nurses. Requesting that they may be treated same as other officers in the Workhouse and according to agreement.
Referred to the Visiting Committee.

Report of Visiting Committee.

10th April '07. We visited the dormitory about to be turned into nurses' apartments and we recommend that a sitting room be fitted up to accommodate five nurses and a sleeping apartment for four. Before any further work is done we suggest that the Engineer be requested to inspect the place and submit an estimate of the probable cost. Said estimate to include sanitary accommodation at the end of the dormitory, a bathroom, and a stove for the sitting room, and five new windows.

(Signed) Jas. O'Donohoe (Chm.) Martin Ryan, Martin Cunningham, Martin Redington, & R. H. French,

17th April '07. From Mr. Beems, B.C., stating that he has inspected

the ward, which it is proposed to convert into an apartment for nurses, and that in his opinion the arrangements proposed are not satisfactory. Suggesting that another meeting of the Committee be summoned and he will attend. The Medical Officers should also be consulted.
His suggestion was approved.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	29
Ditto disallowed,	-	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	5
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	-	2
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	-	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	-	0

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

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

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

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

Galway, No. 1,	85	defaulters.	Oranmore,	25	defaulters
do. 2,	69	"	Spiddal,	34	"
do. 3,	11	"	Tourloughmore,	37	"
Moycullen,	4	"			

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

The Relieving Officers to serve notices on defaulters.

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

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

Read Letter from L.G. B. No. 17215/07. dated 16th April. 1907.

Adverting to the Minutes of the 3rd inst., and stating that the remuneration of £4-4-0 proposed to be allowed to Dr. M. McDonogh for his temporary services in the Spiddal Dispensary District, has received the sanction of the Board, the Guardians should endeavour, in future, to secure the services of a resident temporary Medical Officer for the Dispensary District in question at the usual rate of remuneration, namely £4-4-0 a week.

17th Apr. '07. Certificate from Dr. W. A. Sandys, that Dr. Kinsman, Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District, is still unable to leave his house, but he expects to be able to resume his duty on this day week.

Report Form H,

Oranmore Dispensary District,

31 cases of successful vaccination between the dates 14-12-06, and 15-3-07.

The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from the Turloughmore Dispensary District.

The original forwarded to the L.G. Board, and a copy to the Medical Officer.

Reports Form L were received from all except the Medical Officers of Galway No. 1 and Spiddal

Dispensary Districts.

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

April, 19*17*

(Signed) *Robt. Mullery*

Clerk of the Union.

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