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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	20
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	4
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.)

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(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.)

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do. 2, _____ "	Spiddal, _____ "
do. 3, _____ "	Turloughmore, _____ "
Moycullen, _____ "	

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

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

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. 6157/08 dated 7th Feby 1908,

forwarding an extract from a letter which has been received from Dr. Kirwan, Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District, relative to his Report, Form P. of defaulters under the Vaccination Acts, for the quarter ended the 31st Dec^r last, "My form P. was before the Guardians on last Wednesday's meeting. I fully intended to have it sent in for their meeting on the 22nd inst. but for some time previous I was "unusually hardworked."

6.578/08. } Referring to the Minutes of the 22nd ult. and
11th Feby. } stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on leave for the periods specified in the Minutes.

11th Feby. '08. from Dr. Kirwan, Medical Officer of the Spiddal Dispensary District, in reply to the Guardians' orders made at last meeting re payment of fees to Dr. O'Sullivan and Francis, stating that "the cases referred to do not come under the jurisdiction of the Guardians"; that his sister will pay Dr. Francis for his services, and he (Dr. Kirwan) will pay Dr. O'Sullivan.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1901 - **36,465.**

Present Net Annual Value, **£68,707.**

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 15th day of February, 1908.

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 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 3 and under 9 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	355												
Temporary Buildings	222	17												
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	44	1												
TOTAL	1082	373												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			12	26	136	128	14	1	17	16	19	369	96	In separate Wards } -
Admitted during the Week			8	4	11	7			1	3	1	35	1	In Wards with other Inmates } 6
Born														
TOTAL			20	30	147	135	14	1	18	19	20	404	97	6
Discharged during the Week			5	3	11	4	1	1	1	2	2	28		
Died												3		
Total Discharged and Died			5	3	12	4	1	1	1	2	2	31		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	27	135	131	13	1	17	17	18	373		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 16th day of February, 1908, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	166	254	"	"	166	254	Bt. forwd.	190	286	"	"	190	286
No. II.	9	10	"	"	9	10	No. IV.	22	25	"	"	22	25
No. III.	15	22	"	"	15	22	No. V.	10	11	"	"	10	11
Car. forwd.	190	286	"	"	190	286	No. VI.	21	30	"	"	21	30
							TOTAL	243	352	"	"	243	352

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of February, 1908.

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

Other Guardians:—

Messrs N. Lydon, M. Ryan, and P. McDonagh.

M. Cunningham
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of February, 1908.

Signed Robt. H. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—**STATISTICAL MINUTES.**

Meeting held the 19th day of February, 1908

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

Indoor from No. 455 to No. 492
 Separate ,, No. 19 to No. 20
 Outdoor ,, No. 1740 to No. 1741

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 15th day of February, 1908, 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.				
Provisions	55	17	70	31	125	48	70	10	177	4	7	77	14	8	47	10	0					
Necessaries	9	11	5	15	6	3	25	0	8	16	15	6	19	0	17	14	6	7	6	2	2582	
Total	64	16	0	85	9	2	150	5	2	87	5	7	18	3	7	19	5	9	2	54	16	2

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was $\text{s. } 4 : 8\frac{3}{4} : \text{d.}$
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... $\text{s. } 5 : 7\frac{1}{4} : \text{d.}$
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... $\text{s. } 7 : 6 : \text{d.}$

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 15th day of February, 1908, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'SULLIVAN			Relieving Officer O'FLAHERTY			Relieving Officer McNEILL			Relieving Officer WALSH			Relieving Officer KYNE			Relieving Officer CULLINAN			TOTAL			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2	4	3	1	17	8	6	10	8	5	3	9	4	15	0	5	3	2	25	14	6	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	30	0	0	5	0	0	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	35	0	0	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	32	4	3	6	17	8	6	10	8	5	3	9	4	15	0	5	3	2	60	14	6	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ..	12	8	6	11	0	1	3	6	1	17	0	11	0	1	19	0	18	10	0			
In Kind ..	2	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	"	"	"	10	8	"	"	"	1	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12	2
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. Total Relief given	12	11	0	1	18	8	1	3	6	1	18	8	11	0	1	19	0	19	2	10		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	19	13	3	5	16	0	5	7	2	3	5	1	4	4	0	3	4	2	41	9	8	
9. Total	32	4	3	6	17	8	6	10	8	5	3	9	4	15	0	5	3	2	60	14	6	

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held theday 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 of190.....

	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 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	...	...	21	Admitted during the Week	...	...	1
Discharged	...	...	13	Discharged	...	...	0
Died	...	...	2	Died	...	...	0
Remaining	...	...	99	Remaining	...	...	2

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

On the 17th inst., at Petty Sessions Court, Stephen O'Brien was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment for insubordination in the Workhouse.

Nurse Holloy was admitted a patient on the 17th inst. By order of the Medical Officer I wired to Dublin for a nurse to act as her substitute, and Nurse Ellen O'Hagan arrived on the 18th inst. and took up duty.

Order. Kate Kimmey, a tramp, to be prosecuted for visiting the Workhouse too frequently, & John Ward, able inmate for insubordination.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

12 hair mattresses required for Hospital, and a water bed requires to be repaired.

Order. 12 fibre mattresses to be advertised for, and the water bed to be repaired.

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):—

31st Jan/08. } Circular Letter—Contract for Medicines, &c., for the year
18th Feb/08. } ending 31st March, 1909.

Order. The instructions in the circular to be followed.

14th Feb/08. From the Gaelic League, Galway, inviting the Guardians to send two delegates to a preliminary meeting to be held at the League Rooms at 8 p.m. on 27th inst. to organise a demonstration on St. Patrick's Day. Messrs P. Curran and M. Ryan were appointed delegates.

17th Feb/08. From the Rev. W. Conway, P.P., Glencannaddy, forwarding applications for five boys from the Workhouse to be boarded out in his Parish. All were approved. Copies of Form A forwarded to the

*L. S. Board.*19th Feb. '08.

From Mr Peter Hoare, pointing out that some of the boots supplied to the Workhouse are not in accordance with the contract.

*Road.*19th Feb. '08.

From the Relieving Officers of the Union, applying for remuneration for their services in posting up placards re supply of seed potatoes and seed oats, and for taking down the names of applicants.

Order. Notice to be given to each Guardian that this application will be considered at next meeting.

19th Feb. '08.

From John Ward, applying for the clothing of his cousin Pat. McGrath, who died recently in the Workhouse Hospital.

*Granted.**Notice of Eviction.*

At suit of Michael Clancy against Kate Flynn, from a dwellinghouse at Leibriff.

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	34
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	..	0

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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 St. Francis, dated 14th Feb. 1908.

stating that Dr. Kirwan has not paid him for his services in the Spiddal Dispensary District; that there was no private arrangement with him; that as his services were requisitioned by the Relieving Officer he expects the Guardians will pay him as he cannot procure payment otherwise.

Order. To be asked to furnish his account to the Guardians.

18th Feb. '08. From Dr. O'Sullivan, again complaining that Dr. Kirwan has not fulfilled his promise to pay him for his services in the Spiddal Dispensary District.

Order. To be informed that if his fee be not paid by Dr. Kirwan before next Finance Meeting, the Guardians will issue a Paying Order for £2-2-0 to him, and deduct the amount from Dr. Kirwan's salary.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February, 1908.

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 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 9 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	354												
Temporary Buildings	222	17												
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	44	2												
TOTAL	1082	373												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			14	27	136	131	13	1	16	17	18	373		
Admitted during the Week			8	3	10	8				1	1	31		
Born														
TOTAL			22	30	146	139	13	1	16	18	19	404		
Discharged during the Week			8	3	9	7				1	3	28		
Died												3		
Total Discharged and Died			8	3	9	7				1	3	31		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	27	136	131	13	1	16	17	18	373		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of February, 1908, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	163	247	"	"	163	247	Bt. forwd.	187	279	"	"	187	279
No. II.	9	10	"	"	9	10	No. IV.	23	26	"	"	23	26
No. III.	15	22	"	"	15	22	No. V.	10	11	"	"	10	11
Car. forwd.	187	279	"	"	187	279	No. VI.	20	28	"	"	20	28
							TOTAL.	240	304	"	"	240	304

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of February, 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair - P. Curran Esq.

Other Guardians :-

Messrs. Scunniffe, M. King, N. Lydon, M. Cunningham, M. Ryan, M. Crowley, and D. Moloney.

P. Curran
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of February, 1908.

Signed Robert H. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—**STATISTICAL MINUTES.**

Meeting held the 26th day of February, 1908.

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

Indoor from No. 492 to No. 521
 Separate „ No. 20 to No. 22
 Outdoor „ No. 1741 to No. 1744

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 22nd day of February, 1908, 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.				
Provisions ...	47	10	0	65	15	8	112	58	15	8	91	18	6	7	2	8	79	3	2	34	2	6
Necessaries ...	7	6	2	21	4	4	28	10	6	16	5	4	19	0	17	4	11	6	2	25	9	6
Total ...	54	16	2	87	0	14	110	28	3	10	18	3	8	96	7	6	45	8	8			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 4 : 9 :
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... 5 : 7/2 :
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... 7 : 9 :

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.
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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 22nd day of February, 1908, 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 ...	19	13	3	5	16	0	5	7	2	3	5	1	4	4	0	3	4	2	41	9	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	13	3	5	16	0	5	7	2	3	5	1	4	4	0	3	4	2	41	9	8
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ..	12	1	6	10	6		1	3	6	1	4	6	11	0	1	17	0	17	18	0	
In Kind ..	5	0		"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	0	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	"	"	"	"	"		"	"	"	"	"	11	10	"	"	"	"	"	11	10	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. Total Relief given	12	6	6	10	6		1	3	6	2	6	4	11	0	1	17	0	18	14	10	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	6	9	5	5	6	4	3	8	1	8	9	3	13	0	1	7	2	22	14	10
9. Total ...	19	13	3	5	16	0	5	7	2	3	5	1	4	4	0	3	4	2	41	9	8

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held theday 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 Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of190.....

	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 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	...	...	14	Admitted during the Week	...	...	2
Discharged	...	...	15	Discharged	...	...	0
Died	...	...	1	Died	...	...	0
Remaining	...	...	97	Remaining	...	...	4

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

Received by sale of Turnips £6-3-7 which has been lodged to credit of the Union.

Ann Campbell and child, departed from Glasgow, were delivered at the Workhouse on the 19th inst. and took their discharge on the 20th inst.

A patient, name unknown, was taken suddenly ill on the streets on the 21st inst. and removed to Galway Hospital as there was no vacant bed in the Workhouse Hospital. He died on 22nd inst. Two other patients were sent to Galway Hospital on the 25th inst. because there was no room for them in the Workhouse Hospital.

By order of the Medical Officer I stopped the supply of milk to the Workhouse by contractors Dan and Bridget Kelly owing to the insanitary state of their premises.

I submit a letter from the Local Government Board relative to Crimean and Indian War Veterans in Workhouses.

Order. The directions contained therein to be attended to.

Please order wall paper for the Schoolmaster's room. A painter inmate will put it on.

Order. Referred to Visiting Committee.

Order. The Visiting Committee to be summoned to meet at the Workhouse at 12 noon on the

28th inst. to confer with the Medical Officers relative to Hospital accommodation, &c.

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):—

7473/08.

21st Feb.

Referring to the Minutes of the 5th inst. and stating that the Board sanction the proposal to increase the wages of ~~the~~ Michael Reilly, Shoemaker in the Workhouse, from 12/- to 14/- a week.

10362/08.

24th Feb.

Sanctioning the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-1-0 a week and rations, to Miss Ellen O'Hagan while temporarily employed as nurse in the Workhouse. The date upon which she ceases to act should be recorded on the Minutes.

10351/08.

28th Feb.

Forwarding a copy of a letter which the Board have received from Mr. Hoare relative to the contract for the supply of boots to the Workhouse, and requesting that they may be furnished with

the observations of the Guardians on the subject. The Guardians beg to observe that on the 19th inst. they had before them a similar complaint from Mr. Hoare when they considered the matter fully and found there were no grounds for the complaint: that trade jealousy was the cause, and marked the communication "read".

The charge that a contract for the supply of leather to the Workhouse was given away without samples being produced to the Guardians, is quite false.

22nd Feby. '08. Notice of Audit of the Union Accounts on the 2nd prox.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that he had issued all the necessary notices.

25th Feby. '08. Further complaint from Mr. Hoare, re the supply of boots to the Workhouse.
Read.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that the notices of special business for this meeting, which were ordered from the Printing Contractor on the 20th inst., were not received until the 25th inst., too late for posting to the Rural Guardians. Similar delay in the supply of placards re Fibre Mattresses supply.

Order. The contractor to be called upon to furnish an explanation.

Fresh notices and placards to be procured.

Two applications for the boarding out of children

from the Workhouse from persons resident in Clannamaddy, were submitted and approved by the Guardians.

Copies have been forwarded to the L. S. Board. Five agreements with persons from the same district, which were previously approved, were signed by the Chairman.

Galway County Council Archives

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	31
Ditto disallowed	... ..	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	6
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	... ..	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	0

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

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

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

Oranmore, Medicines, £4-5-5; Applications, £2-8-6.
Ordered.

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.S.B. No 9149/08.* dated *24 February 1908.*

approving of the appointment of Miss Kate Ludon as Midwife of the Craunmore Dispensary District at a salary of £30 a year, commencing as proposed.

22nd Feb '08. From Dr S. A. Francis, claiming the sum of £4-4-0 for his services from the 19th to the 26th of January last, in the Spiddal Dispensary District, as substitute for Dr. Kirwan, Medical Officer, who was absent from the District on private business.

Order. Payment of this claim, and, as Dr. Kirwan has not fulfilled his promise of payment, the amount to be deducted from ^{his} (Dr. Kirwan's) salary.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1901 - **36,465.**

Present Net Annual Value, **£68,707.**

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 29th day of February, 1908

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	335												
Temporary Buildings	222	17												
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	44	2												
TOTAL	1082	354												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			12	28	139	131	13	1	16	17	16	373		
Admitted during the Week			8	5	6	1	1	1	5	3	1	31		
Born														
TOTAL			20	33	145	132	14	2	21	20	17	404		
Discharged during the Week			8	2	6	7			2		1	26		
Died					2	7						2		
Total Discharged and Died			8	2	8	7			2		1	28		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	31	137	125	14	2	19	20	16	376		

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.	
Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 95	In separate Wards } -
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other Inmates } 6
99	6
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
No. relieved during week	No. in Workhouse at date
Males Females Child'n under 15 Total	
7 1 0 8	2 1 0 5
No. at corresponding period last year 366	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 29th day of February, 1908, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	163	245	"	"	163	245	Bt. forwd.	189	286	"	"	189	286
No. II.	11	19	"	"	11	19	No. IV.	22	24	"	"	22	24
No. III.	15	22	"	"	15	22	No. V.	10	11	"	"	10	11
Car. forwd.	189	286	"	"	189	286	No. VI.	21	29	"	"	21	29
							TOTAL	242	350			242	350

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of March, 1908,

PRESENT: In the Chair - Human Esq.

Other Guardians:-

Sir J. O'Donoghue, Messrs. P. Hannon, S. Foley, P. Lawless, N. Lydon, Martin Moloney, M. Ryan, M. Browley, M. Cooke, M. McNeill, W. Walsh, and D. Moloney.

P. Human
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of March, 1908,

Signed Robert H. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.