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

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do. 2: _____
do. 3: _____

Mortality _____
were the _____ the Guardians and Directors of the _____ at Galway.

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 Applications to the Workhouse continued was _____
This disallowed _____
The number of Applications admitted to the Workhouse was _____
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was _____
The number of cases in which Relief was continued by the Guardians
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relieved by order of the Guardians was _____
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together with his Report thereon, as follows (this on the second Meeting after the Annual
Election in every year):—

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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	...	...	...	...	2
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

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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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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 of the Council, 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 19913/09.* dated *2nd Feb.* 1909.

referring to the Minutes of the 20th inst. & stating that in the exceptional circumstances set forth in the Minutes, they will not object to the proposed payment of a sum of £1 for car-hire to Dr. Sandys in the midwifery case in the Spiddal Dispensary District referred to in the Minutes.

Payment of £3-2-0 to Dr. Sandys was ordered.

3rd Feb. '09. From Dr. M. McDonogh, Medical Officer of the Galway No. 1 Dispensary District.

"I received a copy of the explanation given by Dr. Sandys to the Guardians at last meeting. He does not explain why he sent the child suffering from Diphtheria 3 miles in an open cart on such a bad, wet, stormy evening as it was. He says in his explanation - "If the usual routine for admission to Hospital of a patient was followed in this case, I believe it would nullify the child's chance of recovery." I am of opinion if the usual routine of admission was followed it would have increased the child's chance of living, as it was it hastened the child's death.

Dr. Sandys visited the case on the 16th inst. which was of a Saturday according to the date on his note, & he did not notify to the M.O.H. until Monday the 18th inst. He carefully avoids making mention of why he asked for admission of the mother to the Fever Hospital, that is one of the passages in his note that he cannot explain. He reported the Relieving Officer, Mr. O'Sullivan,

to Sir J. Mac Cullagh some time ago because he would not admit on his note to the Fever Hospital, & in this case he asked for an admission from Mr. O'Sullivan on a Saturday & did not report to me as M.O.H. until the next day which was Sunday. Dr. Sandys knows that he is bound to report forthwith to the M.O.H. of the District every case of a notifiable disease under a penalty not exceeding forty shillings. By reporting forthwith to the M.O.H. his responsibility ceases. He is the only medical man in town who tries to give any trouble to the Medical Officers of Health of No. 1 & 2 Districts.

Order. A copy of this letter to be furnished to Dr. Sandys.

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £69,190 11s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of February, 1909.

of inmates for accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.																	
			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	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
				Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys				Girls		
Workhouse ...	816	346																		
Temporary Buildings	222	13																		
Transient Fever Hospital	44	7																		
TOTAL ...	1082	366																		
Remaining on previous Saturday			11	32	124	129	9	6	15	3	8	2	5	8	352	87	In separate Wards	-		
Admitted during the Week			10	3	9	15	1	1	1	1	21				7	In Wards with other Inmates	16
TOTAL			21	35	133	144	10	6	15	3	8	3	7	9	373	94	16			
Discharged during the Week			4	2	7	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	24	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
TOTAL DISCHARGED AND DIED			4	2	7	5	1	1	1	1	28	Males	Females	Children under 15	Total	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	31	126	135	9	5	15	3	8	3	6	8	366	No. relieved during week	8	1	0	9
			18	33	125	123	No. in Workhouse at date	8	0	0	8	No. at Corresponding Period last year		369						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 6th day of February, 1909, 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.	158	258	"	"	158	258	Bt. forwd.	205	311	"	"	205	311
No. II.	10	11	"	"	10	11	No. V.	6	7	"	"	6	7
No. III.	15	18	"	"	15	18	No. VI.	18	22	"	"	18	22
No. IV.	22	22	"	"	22	22	VII. - Children Boarded out beyond Union.	12	12	"	"	12	12
Car. forwd.	205	311	"	"	205	311	TOTAL	243	356	"	"	243	356

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

WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of February, 1909.

PRESENT—In the Chair—P. Curran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Lord Killanin, Messrs. H. Murphy, P. Burke, M. Cunningham, M. Redington, J. Egan, W. B. Grievs, J. Lee, J. Griffin, J. C. McDonogh, J. Walsh, D. Moloney, J. P. McDonogh.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of February, 1909.

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

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 10th day of February, 1909.

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

Indoor from No. 2205 to No. 2241
Separate ,, No. 51 to No. 53
Outdoor ,, No. 1888 to No. 1889

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 ending Saturday, the 6th day of February, 1909, 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	37	10	11	66	6	8	103	17	7	63	14	8	7	0	4	15	0	33	2	7	
Necessaries	9	13	4	17	4	0	26	17	4	17	6	9	1	0	7	18	7	4	8	10	2486
Total	47	4	3	83	10	8	130	34	11	81	15	8	0	11	89	2	4	41	12	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 6 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary : 5 : 4 1/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 10 : 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 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 February, 1909 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Sullivan	Relieving Officer O'Flaherty	Relieving Officer McNeill	Relieving Officer Walsh	Relieving Officer Kyne	Relieving Officer Oullinan	TOTAL
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	23 0 2	6 1 6	3 11 0	2 16 2	1 16 6	5 6 8	44 12 2
Money since advanced by Guardians ...	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
Total to be accounted for ...	23 0 2	6 1 6	3 11 0	2 16 2	1 16 6	5 6 8	44 12 2
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	12 11 0	14 6	1 3 6	1 15 0	7 6 1	12 6	18 6 0
In Kind ..	8 6	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	8 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	12 19 6	14 6	1 3 6	1 15 0	7 6 1	12 6	18 12 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10 0 8	5 7 0	2 7 6	3 1 4	1 9 0	3 12 2	25 17 8
9. Total	23 0 2	6 1 6	3 11 0	2 16 2	1 16 6	5 6 8	44 12 2

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended £ : :

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held the 10th day of February, 1909.

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 January, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	D.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...	1382	0	0
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	...	1382	0	0

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 January, 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).		DR.		
		£	s.	D.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz.:				
Provisions and Necessaries	...	418	19	9
Clothing and Bedding	...	149	0	11
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...	11	9	5
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	"	"	"
(c) Farm	...	"	"	"
(d) Other Expenses	...	26	2	2
Workhouse Burials	...	"	"	"
District School Account	...	"	"	"
District Hospital Account	...	"	"	"
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	6	4	0
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	"	"	"
Medical Charities	...	16	16	3
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	...	"	"	"
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	...	18	19	6
Superannuation Allowances	...	"	"	"
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers	...	"	"	"
Expenses of Local Committees	...	"	"	"
Repayment of Loans	...	"	"	"
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	...	79	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...	"	"	"
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	"	"	"
Expenditure out of Loans	...	"	"	"
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	726	12	0

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of January, 1909.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	12	2	5			
Total Sums received during the month	1382	0	0			
Total	1396	2	5			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	"	"	"			
Payments ordered during the month	726	12	0			
Total	726	12	0			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	669	10	5			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	1406	7	5			
Outstanding Orders	736	17	0			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	669	10	5			

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	... .. 26	Admitted during the Week	... .. 1
Discharged	... .. 13	Discharged	... .. 2
Died	... .. 2	Died	... .. 1
Remaining	... .. 96	Remaining	... .. 5

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

Receiving Officer Keelivian has handed sub 8 belonging to Martin Coole a patient admitted to Hospital, which I handed to Mr. Mullery.
 Partly S. Henry was transferred to Galway Hospital on the 8th inst. for special treatment.
 Anne Laffey, Probationer Nurse in the Fever Hospital, resumed duty on the 8th inst. after illness.
 Mary Murray, Hospital Wardsmaid was admitted a patient on the 7th inst. Her duties are being performed by an inmate.
 Patrick Coole, Steamboiler Attendant, resumed duty this morning, and Mark Holland, his substitute left.
 The case against Mick Costello, for refusing to work, was adjourned for a fortnight to see whether he will still refuse to work.
 Please examine 100 yards of lining calico sent in by the contractor.
 Examined, & ordered into stock.

Workhouse Medical Officer.
 "Being informed by the Master that Mick Costello had procured a medical certificate from Dr. Sandys that he was unable to work, I decided to go down to the Court to give evidence for the prose-

-cution, I do not consider the action of Dr. Sandys very wise in this case, considering he was a gentleman whom the Guardians always treated with the greatest kindness. He now turns about & gives a medical certificate to this man, Mick Costello in order that he may put the Guardians to some trouble. The Magistrates on last Monday took a sensible view in this case by not accepting Dr. Sandys's certificate because they made an order on Monday week that I should examine him; also because Dr. Sandys was not there prepared to swear that he was unable to work.

The Guardians are somewhat to blame in this case also, because Costello wrote to them some time ago asking to be placed on helpers' diet & they complied without even consulting their Medical Officer. If the Guardians would leave the regulating of the diets to

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their Medical Officers there would be far less in-subordination in the Workhouse.

Peter McDonogh requires to be transferred to the Galway Hospital to be operated on.

M. McDonogh."

Order: Peter McDonogh to be transferred to Galway Hospital,

Correspondence.

15.9.19/09. } In compliance with the request contained in the
9th Feb'y. } Minutes of the 13th Selt. enclosing the map of the
lands taken for the purpose of erecting a new Fever
Hospital, which is to be carefully preserved and
returned when no longer required by the Guardians.

Order. Mr. Binus B.E., who prepared both maps, to be asked
to compare this map with the one in the Guardians'
possession & to explain the differences in the figures
marking the area of the site.

19.9.13/09. } Referring to the entry in the Minutes of the 27th
9th Feb'y. } Selt. relative to the proposal to require the School-
-master of the Workhouse to enter into a Bond,
& stating that if the Schoolmaster in virtue of
his office, has custody of any property of the
Guardians as would appear to be the case, he
should give security for the due performance of
his duties.

Order. The Schoolmaster to be called upon to enter
into a Bond forthwith.

23.5.49/09. } Transmitting questions for answers respecting
9th Feb'y. } the persons who may be elected a Wardmaid in
room of M. Gavin; also Mark Holland who has been
employed temporarily as Boiler Attendant,

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, & the Right Hon.
the Chief Secretary, acknowledged the receipt of
copies of resolutions passed by the Guardians at
last meeting.

16th Feb'y. '09. } From Dr. M. McDonogh, requesting 3 or 4 days leave of
absence, stating that Dr. Colahan will do duty for
him in the Workhouse, & Dr. J. McDonogh in Salway
No 2 Dispensary District.
Granted.

9th Feb'y. '09. } From Mr. Binus, P.E. stating in reply to the Guardians'
inquiry, that he understood that the Committee whom
he met at the Workhouse, while disapproving of
the erection of a covered way between the female
hospital wards & the main building, were in favour
of the shelters, hence his reason for preparing a speci-
-fication.

claiming a fee of £2-2-0 for preparing a speci-
-fication for all job plumbing work at the Work-
house, & £1-1-0 for specification & superintendance
of building a chimney shaft.

Order. To be informed that the specification for the shelters
was not ordered; that a specification for job plumbing
work was not furnished; that he will be paid £1-0
for specification, &c for chimney shaft.

16th Feb'y. '09. } From Mr. O'Keefe, thanking the Guardians for their
resolution of sympathy with him & family in
the death of his brother.

10th Feb'y. '09. } From Bridget Teeny, inmate of the Workhouse,
applying for some clothing to enable her to seek
employment outside.

Order. To be supplied with clothing to amount of £1-10-0.

Mr. Lawless, Architect for the new Fever Hospital,
reported that he had appointed Mr. Austin Scampl,

Suit. Clerk of Works at a remuneration at the rate of £2 a week; to give his whole time to the duties of the office; attending at all hours when work is being carried on; taking measurements, notes, &c, as may be required. To commence the discharge of these duties on the 8th inst.

Approved.

Notice of Eviction.

At suit of John J. Burke against Pat. Shaughnessy from a licensed house, &c, at Quay St.

Moved by Mr. D. Moloney, seconded by the Chairman, & unanimously

Resolved - That we beg to tender to our Colleague, Mr. Patrick Rye, our deep sympathy with him in the death of his son.

Hired-out & Boarded-out Children.

Relieving Officers O'Sullivan, Walsh, & Cullinan, furnished reports for month of January.
Copies forwarded to the L. S. Board.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 89), Voluntary Acts, and
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No. 11

No. 12

No. 13

No. 14

No. 15

No. 16

No. 17

No. 18

No. 19

No. 20

No. 21

No. 22

No. 23

No. 24

No. 25

No. 26

No. 27

No. 28

No. 29

No. 30

No. 31

No. 32

No. 33

No. 34

No. 35

No. 36

No. 37

No. 38

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Ditto disallowed	0
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Died ...						2		1							3	Males	Females	Children under 15	Total	
Total Discharged and Died			8		12	13		1		1		1	1	1	38	No. relieved during week	6	0	0	6
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	30	122	129	11	5	15	3	8	2	5	7	355	No. in Workhouse at date	2	0	0	2
																No. at Corresponding Period last year				373

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No. II.	10	11	"	"	10	11	No. V.	6	7	"	"	6	7
No. III.	15	18	"	"	15	18	No. VI.	18	22	"	"	18	22
No. IV.	22	22	"	"	22	22	VII. - Children Boarded out beyond Union.	12	12	"	"	12	12
Car. forwd.	205	311	"	"	205	311	TOTAL	223	356	"	"	223	356

J. Redington
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of February 1909.

PRESENT - In the Chair - M. Cunningham Esq. D.O.B.
Other Guardians - Messrs. Hanniffe, Shawless, P. Ryan, Martin Moloney, M. Redington, J. Egan, Shee, S. Siffle, M. Ashe, & D. Moloney.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of February 1909.

(Signed) Robert Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

FORM 14
Article 7.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 17th day of February, 1909

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

Indoor from No. 2241 to No. 2271
Separate ,, No. 53 to No. 53
Outdoor ,, No. 1889 to No. 1889

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 ending Saturday, the 13th day of February, 1909, 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	32	2	7	72	10	7	106	13	2	62	15	11	7	2	2	170	0	3	36	12	11		
Necessaries	8	10	0	16	10	9	25	0	9	16	11	6	1	2	2	17	13	10	7	6	11		2508
Total	40	12	7	90	14	16	131	13	11	78	26	17	8	4	4	187	10	13	43	19	10		

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

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 13th day of February, 1909, 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 ...	10	0	8	5	7	0	2	7	6	3	1	2	1	9	0	3	12	2	25	17	8		
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	0	0	"	"	"	5	0	0	10	0	0	"	"	"	5	0	0	45	0	0		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	35	0	8	5	7	0	7	7	6	13	1	2	1	9	0	8	12	2	70	17	8		
EXPENDITURE.																							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																							
In Money ..	12	11	0	4	6	1	3	6	1	15	0	7	6	1	12	6	18	6	0				
In Kind ..	8	6		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	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	12	19	6	4	6	1	3	6	1	15	0	7	6	1	12	6	18	6	0				
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	22	1	2	4	12	6	6	2	0	11	6	2	1	1	6	6	17	8	52	3	2		
9. Total	35	0	8	5	7	0	7	7	6	13	1	2	1	9	0	8	12	2	70	17	8		

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended £ : :

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).				DR.		
				£	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 ending the last day of

.....190.....

	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	... 16	Admitted during the Week	... 0
Discharged	... 23	Discharged	... 1
Died	... 1	Died	... 0
Remaining	... 88	Remaining	... 4

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

Peter McDonogh & Mich^e L. Toole were transferred to Galway Hospital for special treatment on the 13th & 15th inst. respectively.

Mary Murray, Wardmaid in Hospital, resumed duty after illness on the 13th inst.

Please order the sale of about 8 tons of turnips. *Ordered.*
 I submit a reply from the Governor of St. M. Prison in reference to the claim for maintenance, &c. of Dominick Caftery, a prisoner transferred from the Galway Prison to the Workhouse Fever Hospital, amount £10-0-0: - stating that, as the prisoner was discharged from Prison on removal to the Hospital, the liability of the Prison Authorities for the man then ceases.

Order. To be informed that inasmuch as the prisoner was re-arrested on discharge from Hospital, the Guardians consider that the Prison Authorities are liable for his maintenance & treatment while in the Hospital. Also that the Guardians consider it most unjust that a man committed from an adjoining ^{county} Galway Prison should become chargeable on the rates of Galway Union when he fell ill in Prison. In the event of the Prison Authorities continuing to repudiate their liability in this case, the Guardians will be compelled to refuse admission to their Hospitals of any prisoner in future.

At his request I allowed Sr. Gleeson, Schoolmaster, to town on the 12th inst. He left at 3-30 pm, & did not return until 10-20 pm. On my going to bed about 11 pm, I heard noises in the direction of his room, I found himself & Mr. Carroll, who sleeps in the dormitory in the room. He was under the influence of drink & excited & I found it difficult to induce him to go to bed. I had a man in charge of the boys in his absence.

The consideration of this report was deferred to next meeting; meantime a copy of it is to be furnished to the Schoolmaster.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

Mich^e L. Toole, being an urgent case, was transferred to Galway Hospital on the 15th inst. for special treatment.

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):—

27.08/09, }
 16th Feb. } Adverting to their Circular Letter of the 14th inst. respecting Army Pensioners in receipt of Poor Relief & stating that they learn from the War Office that "the attachment of the pay of Army Reservists for the payment of the cost of maintenance is not permissible. Such can only be issued to & drawn by the man himself. Reserve pay is not in the nature of a pension, but is given for services rendered by the Reservist, who is required to hold himself in readiness for service at any time when called upon".

12th Feb. '09. } From the Engine Boiler Insurance Co., stating in reply to inquiry, that the cost of a valve for the

Workhouse Steam Boiler, of a diameter of $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches would be little in excess of one $2\frac{1}{4}$ inches. The best people to communicate with on the subject would be Mess^{rs} Maguire & Hatchell who supplied the Boiler in 1901.

Order. Maguire & Hatchell to be written to on the subject.

13th Feb. '09. From the Gaelic League, Galway, inviting the Guardians to send two delegates to a meeting on the 18th inst. to organise a National Holiday Procession on St. Patrick's Day.
Mess^{rs} M. Moloney & J. Lee were appointed as delegates.

15th Feb. '09. From Mr. P. Ryan, P. S. thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of sympathy with him in the death of his son.

17th Feb. '09. From Mr. Binns, P. S. stating that he would like to see the copy of lease map of the site of the new Fever Hospital, before replying definitely to the Guardians' query.
Order. To be shown the lease map as requested.

17th Feb. '09. From Martin McInerney, applying for a new trousers, as the one he wore on admission to Hospital suffering from a broken leg. was cut in pieces.
Order. To be supplied with a trousers at a cost not exceeding 10/-.

In response to advertisement for a Wardsmaid in the Workhouse Hospital, applications were received from Delia Regan,

Mary Anne Murray, & Margaret Barrett.
The appointment of Margaret Barrett was moved by Mr. M. Moloney, seconded by Mr. J. Egan & carried.

Moved by Mr. J. Egan, seconded by Mr. Griffin, & unanimously
Resolved - That we beg to tender to the friends of the Rev. R. Rochford, S. J., whose interment took place today, our respectful sympathy with them.

[Faint, illegible handwriting on page 106]

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic. cap. 88), Vaccination Acts, and
Dispensary Houses Act.

Reports (Form P, containing the names of persons 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	_____	_____	_____
do. 2	_____	_____	_____
do. 3	_____	_____	_____

Monthly _____
were submitted to the Guardians for their consideration as follows:

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was _____
relieved by order of the Guardians was _____
The number of other Applicants in the following Officers' Books
in which Relief was ordered by the Guardians
Do. _____
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was _____
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was _____
Ditto disallowed _____
The number of Provisional Applicants to the Workhouse was _____
The number of Applicants for Relief, and Applications for Relief, were considered and
decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

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):—

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	...	25
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) :—

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

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

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

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

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

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 of the Council, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Read Letter from L. V. B. No 11348/09, dated 11th February 1909,

referring to the Minutes of the 13th Oct. & requesting that they may be informed whether the dispensaries under the Vaccination Acts in the several Dispensary Districts have since complied with the law.

Order. The Medical Officers to be called upon to furnish the information requested.

7th Jan 1909 } Circular letter; contracts for Medicines & Medical
12th Feb } Surgical Appliances, transmitting their Pre-
scribed lists for the year commencing on the
1st April next.

Order. The due issue of advertisements for Tenders.

9th Feb '09, From Mr. M. O'Leary, owner of the Dispensary at Grandland, informing the Guardians that he is about to put a slate roof on the Dispensary & that while the work is in progress he will give the use of his dwelling house, which is within 300 yards of the Dispensary, to the Medical Officer for a Dispensary, free of cost.

Approved.

valuation in 1901—38,485. Net Annual Value, 569,100 11s. 6d.

RETURN OF SICK AND DEATHS. Table with columns for Name, Age, Sex, Cause of Death, etc. Includes entries for various individuals and their medical details.

Table with multiple columns, possibly for financial or administrative records. Includes headings like 'Number of', 'Value', etc.

Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed. Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday, the 24th of February 1909.

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Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £69,190 11s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1909.

No. of inmates for whom 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	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls		Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse ...	816	321															
Temporary Buildings	222	13															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	4															
TOTAL ...	1082	338															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...			15	35	122	127	11	5	15	3	8	2	5	7	355	80	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			12	2	7	8				2		3		2	26	4	In Wards with other Inmates
Discharged during the Week			29	39	129	135	11	5	15	5	8	5	5	9	395	84	6
Total Discharged and Died			15	7	10	16		1	2		1	2	1	2	57		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	32	119	119	11	2	13	5	7	3	2	7	338		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1909, 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		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.	158	258	"	"	158	258	Bt. forwd.	205	311	"	"	205	311
No. II.	10	11	"	"	10	11	No. V.	6	7	"	"	6	7
No. III.	15	18	"	"	15	18	No. VI.	18	24	"	"	18	24
No. IV.	22	24	"	"	22	24	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	14	14	"	"	14	14
Car. forwd.	205	311	"	"	205	311	TOTAL	243	356	"	"	243	356

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of February, 1909.

PRESENT—In the Chair—*P. Curran Esq.*

Other Guardians—*Messrs Curran, M. Cunningham, M. Redington, W. Egan, W. B. Grievs, J. Lee, J. Griffin, J. B. McDonogh, M. Hoole, J. J. Bailey, B. J. Griffin, J. D. Moloney.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 24th day of February, 1909.

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

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.