

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 12472/10, dated 8th February 1910,

enclosing extracts from the report of their Medical Inspector, Sir A. MacBullagh, M. O. as follows:—

Galway No 1 Disp. Dist.

The list of instruments provided for dispensary use was not forwarded to the Clerk of the Union. There are too many vaccination defaulters in the district, 136 were returned in the Medical Officer's last report.

Galway No 2 Disp. Dist.

The list of instruments has not been forwarded. There are too many vaccination defaulters, 99 were returned in the M. O.'s last report.

Galway No 3 Disp. Dist.

There are no sanitary conveniences for use of the patients at the Dispensary.

Moycullen Disp. Dist.

There are no sanitary conveniences for use of the patients at the Dispensary.

Craunmore Disp. Dist.

There were 32 vaccination defaulters returned in the M. O.'s last report; there are too many defaulters in the district.

Spiddal Disp. Dist.

Spiddal dispensary requires some slight repairs. There are no sanitary conveniences for use of the patients. The cost of medicines for the past year viz. £20-12-7 is too high. The Medical Officer does not weigh the medicines delivered at the dispensary, — a pair of scales should be provided for the purpose. There are too many vaccination defaulters in the district, — 44 were returned in the M. O.'s last report.

Turloughmore Disp. Dist.

There are no sanitary conveniences for use of the patients. Fires had not been lighted at Lachagh Dispensary this winter. Medicine supplies were ordered only three times during the year.

Order. The Medical Officers of the Galway Nos 1 & 2 Disp. Dist. to be warned to be punctual in forwarding lists of instruments provided for dispensary use.

The Medical Officer of the Spiddal Disp. Dist. to be called upon to explain why he failed to requisition a pair of scales for the purpose of weighing the medicines delivered at his dispensary.

The owner of the Lachagh Dispensary has, since the date of the report, undertaken to light fires in the dispensary.

The Guardians have refrained from enforcing vaccinations as the winter has been exceptionally severe. The owner of Spiddal Disp. to be called upon to repair it.

8th Feb. 10 From Miss M. A. Brady, Midwife in the Moycullen Disp. Dist. requesting two weeks' leave of absence. Granted. The Medical Officer will look after the patients.

Order. The Insurance of the Dispensary Buildings at Craunmore in the sum of £50, & the contents of the Dispensary portion alone in the sum of £50. Heretofore the Buildings were insured by the Commissioners of Public Works.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of February 1910

Signed Robert H. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1901—36,465. Present Net Annual Value, £69,396 1s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of February 1910

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital), age groups (Able-Bodied, Aged and Infirm, Boys and Girls, Children, Infants), and medical status (RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS). Includes sub-tables for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', and 'Discharged during the Week'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 12th day of Feb 1910, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table showing relief lists for destitute persons. Columns include RELIEF DISTRICTS, Number of Cases relieved, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Rows list districts I through IV and a total row.

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

WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of February 1910

PRESENT—In the Chair—M. Cunningham Esq. D.O.B.

Other Guardians—

Sir J. O'Donoghue, Messrs P. H. French, S. Kelly, P. Burke, M. Lydon, Mark Moloney, W. B. Gieves, J. Lee, J. Griffin, M. Cooke, F. B. Lydon,

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 16th day of February 1910.

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

Indoor from No. 3851 to No. 3879
 Separate ,, No. 52 to No. 53
 Outdoor ,, No. 2024 to No. 2037

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 12th day of February, 1910, 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	46	4	9	62	12	11	110	8	8	62	9	1	7	4	7	70	28	40	50			
Necessaries	8	9	6	14	16	2	23	5	9	16	10	7	1	6	2	17	10	11	5	4	10	2397
Total	55	2	23	76	16	2	123	12	5	78	19	8	8	12	11	87	12	4	2	5	19	10

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 : 7 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... 5 : 2
 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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

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 12th day of February 1910, 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 ...	1	3	11	2	2	0	1	0	0	2	10	10	1	6	0	2	12	7	10	15	4	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	30	0	0	"	"	"	6	0	0	8	0	0	2	0	0	6	0	0	52	0	0	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	31	3	11	2	2	0	7	0	0	10	10	10	3	6	0	8	12	7	62	15	4	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ..	12	8	0	9	6	1	6	0	1	12	0	9	6	1	16	0	18	3	0			
In Kind ..	2	6		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	8	6		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	6	10	0			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7. Total Relief given	12	19	0	9	6	1	6	0	1	12	0	9	6	1	17	6	18	15	6			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	18	2	11	1	12	6	5	12	0	8	16	10	2	16	6	6	15	1	2	19	10	
9. Total	31	3	11	2	2	0	7	0	0	10	10	10	3	6	0	8	12	7	62	15	4	

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

£ : :

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held the.....day of.....191

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 ending the last day of191.....

	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	13	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	11	Discharged	2
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	83	Remaining	1

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

12th inst. Edward Sutton was transferred to Salway Hospital for special treatment.

Probationer Nurse Calbraith resumed duty in the Fever Hospital.

14th inst. Samples of milk were forwarded to the Analyst.
James Flaherty has not removed his wife & three children from the Workhouse as ordered by the Board on the 9th inst.

Allowed two weeks extra to look for employment.
Some of the Cooker Potato Trays are worn out, I gave an order to the Industrial School for 6 new ones.

Approved.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

Edward Sutton, suffering from cancer of the ear, was sent to the Salway Hospital, being an urgent case.

Approved.

Required a Paroplastic Jacket for a patient named Delia King, as per dimensions given.

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):—

7845/10. } Approving of the appointment of Bridget Flaherty
11th Feby. } as Launderess in the Workhouse at a salary of £7
a year, with rations of the estimated weekly value of
s. 6d.
4/6.

15th Feby. '10. From Mr. W. Costello, informing the Guardians that he received an "Instalment Order" from their Solicitor for the maintenance of his children in the Fever Hospital in July & August, 1909, stating that he had no children sick in 1909, & that he had reported the matter fully to the L. G. Board.
Referred to the Solicitor.

16th Feby. '10. From Sergt. M. D. Walker, R. S. C., Salway, submitting

a claim for £6-12-0 for the maintenance of four of his children in the Fever Hospital; stating that there were others of his children sick at home who were unfit for removal to Hospital; that as this sickness entailed a big amount of expense on him, he requests the Guardians to reduce their claim. His children while in Hospital received every kindness & attention from the Officials.

The Guardians were unanimous in reducing their claim from £6-12-0 to £3, to be taken in instalments.

A copy of the statement to be submitted to the County Council at meeting today by the Chairman, Vice Chairman, & Clerk, on behalf of the Board of Guardians, protesting against arrears of Rate being allowed to accumulate in the Manx Islands District.

The statement met with hearty approval of the Guardians.

Moved by Mr. B. Lydon, seconded by Mr. W. Lydon, & Resolved. That the contractor for the purchase of stones broken in the Workhouse be called upon to remove within a week the quantity at present lying outside the Workhouse.

That in future proposals for the purchase of broken stones be invited.

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THE CHILDREN ACT 1908
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The number of Applicants for whom Letters were not ordered was
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The number of Applicants in the following Officers' Books
 received by order of the Guardians are
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The number of cases of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse
 in which Letters was continued by the Guardians
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The number of cases of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse
 in which Letters was continued by the Guardians was
 0

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse
 with disallowance
 0

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was
 0

decided on as set forth in the Application and Inspection Books
 The cases of Provisional Letters and Applications for Letters were considered and

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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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	...	27
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	7
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	3
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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Medical THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS, and
And CHILDREN ACT. 1908.

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

Galway, No. 1	Granby	Defaultera
do. 2	Spittal	"
do. 3	Turloughmore	"
Moyne		

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 PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT 1908

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

[These Reports are to
be made up and for-
warded 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, _____ "	

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thereon, as follows:—

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Read Letter from *L.G.B. 130.187/09.* dated *11th February 1910.*

returning vouchers furnished in connection with the claim for recoupment in respect of the cost of medicines & medical & surgical appliances obtained for use in the Union during the past half year.

RETURN OF VOUCHERS AND RECEIPTS	
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GALWAY UNION.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1910.

Table with columns for No. of inmates, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, Children, Infants, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS, and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1910, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

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

WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of February, 1910,

PRESENT—In the Chair—P. Curran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs King, M. Cunningham, N. Lydon, J. Lee, J. Griffin, M. J. Donnellan, M. Kelly, M. McNeill, T. W. Keane,

M. Curran PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of February, 1910,

Signed Robt. H. Mullen Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 23rd day of February 1910.

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

Indoor from No. 3879 to No. 3907
 Separate ,, No. 53 to No. 54
 Outdoor ,, No. 2037 to No. 2037

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 :—

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Provisions	40	5	0	74	18	6	118	3	6	66	6	11	8	2	9	72	9	8	23	13	10		
Necessaries	5	4	10	22	15	2	28	10	2	16	15	2	1	2	1	17	17	5	10	12	9	2	55
Total	45	19	10	100	13	10	146	13	8	83	2	3	9	2	10	92	7	1	52	6	7		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was s. d.
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... 2 : 8 3/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... 5 : 3 3/4
13 : 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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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 19th day of February, 1910, 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 ...	18	2	11	1	12	6	5	4	0	8	16	10	2	16	6	6	15	1	43	19	10	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	2	11	1	12	6	5	4	0	8	16	10	2	16	6	6	15	1	43	19	10	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ..	12	8	0	9	6		1	6	0	1	12	0	9	6		1	16	0	18	1	0	
In Kind ..	2	6		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	9		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	9
7. Total Relief given	12	10	6	9	6		1	6	0	1	13	9	9	6		1	16	0	18	5	3	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5	12	5	1	3	0	2	8	0	7	3	1	2	7	0	4	19	1	25	12	7	
9. Total	18	2	11	1	12	6	5	4	0	8	16	10	2	16	6	6	15	1	43	19	10	

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

£ : :

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

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SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—				
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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 of191.....

	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	15	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	6	Discharged	0
Died	2	Died	0
Remaining	90	Remaining	1

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

19th inst. Martin Nolan was transferred from the Workhouse to the District Lunatic Asylum, six bed-sides are required in the Hospital, *ordered.* The electric wires & bells in Hospital were put out of order during the late storm, I got them repaired at a cost of 7/4- *Approved.* John Murphy who was allowed a week on last Board Day to take away the broken stones, has only removed a portion of them, *Allowed another week to complete the removal of the stones.*

Workhouse Medical Officer.

A small stove is required in my male hospital ward. *Referred to Visiting Committee.*

The gate of the goods in the Railway Dispensary where coal is kept requires to be repaired & a lock put on it as any one could take coal out of it at present. The fires in my room in the Dispensary are not as good as they used to be, *ordered.*

"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):—

18th Feb'y '10. From the Com^{rs} of Public Works, Dublin, in reply to the Guardians' request that the loan of £10,000 sanctioned for the provision of a new Fever Hospital at the Workhouse might be made repayable by the annuity system instead of by half yearly instalments of principal with interest on the amount outstanding from time to time, stating that the latter system of repayment was adopted so far back as the year 1843, & has since been followed, under instructions from the Lords Com^{rs} of H. M. Treasury for the following reasons:— (1) It is desirable, not only in the interests of the Borrower, but also in those of the borrowers who under this system pay in the aggregate a much less sum in respect of interest; (2) The

desirability of securing to ratepayers of the future some relief concurrently with the fresh burdens which the growing needs of local Bodies are certain to entail. Such concurrent relief can only be secured to them by a diminishing charge, in respect of old liabilities, & for such diminution, repayment by equal annual instalments of principal alone provides. The Board regret therefore that the Guardians' application cannot be entertained.

16th Feb. 10. From Mr. Murphy, Solicitor to the Guardians, in reply to the letter of Martin Costello re maintenance of his child in the Fever Hospital, stating that the summons was filled on the Workhouse Master's instructions; that he does not see how Costello can now raise any point as he had full opportunity to do so when he was served with the summons & with the civil bill in which same dates were set out.

The Clerk of Union, Carrick on Shannon, forwarded a copy of a resolution unanimously passed by the Board of Guardians of that Union as follows:—

"That we desire to impress on the new Government about to take office the absolute necessity of bringing in a bill as soon after Parliament meet as possible to confirm and establish in law, with the necessary amendments the report of the late Poor Law Commission. We are convinced that a reform such as pointed out in the Report of the Commission would mean a great saving of the rates in every Union in Ireland as well as compel all able-bodied men to work who are living on the Rates and a nuisance in Workhouses.

Approved.

The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from the Workhouse Hospital. The original has been forwarded to the L. S. Board, & a copy to the Medical Officers.

Moved by Mr. Cunningham, seconded by Mr. J. Griffin, & unanimously. Resolved. That we desire to place on record our appreciation of the services rendered by Relieving Officers Patrick Scellivan & Thomas Walsh, in removing to the Workhouse under exceptionally unpleasant circumstances, a demented old woman from a wretched abode, a hole in a wall at Lisheenanoran.

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THE PAUPER CHILDREN IRELAND
 1854-1861

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The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was
 The number of other Applicants to the Relief Office's books
 in which relief was granted by the Guardians
 The number of cases of Provisional Relief was
 The number of Applicants granted relief in the Workhouse was
 Also disallowed
 The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse was
 The cases of Provisional Relief and Applicants for Relief were considered
 decided on, as set forth in the Provisional and Relief Books

The Bonds and other Securities in cases were laid before the Guardians by the Agent
 together with his Report thereon, as follows: (to be 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	...	24
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	1
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):—

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS,
And CHILDREN ACT. 1908.

15347/10 } Sanctioning the Guardians' proposal to board out
28th Febry } Kate Redmond with Thomas Rafferty, Mill, Gleema-
maddy.

The form of contract in this case was submitted to the Guardians & their seal was affixed.

12474 }
12564 } 10. } Referring to the Minutes of the 2nd inst. & the proposal
28th Febry } of the Guardians that some of the children boarded out in the Gleemamaddy Union should, on account of their irregular attendance at school be transferred to other foster parents; the Board request that they may be furnished with the particulars relating to such changes.

The Rev. W. Conway P.P., Chairman of the Boarding out Committee in Gleemamaddy, has not yet reported a selection by the Committee of the new foster parents in these cases. When this has been done the usual form of report will be furnished & copies forwarded to the L.C. Board for approval.

Order. Clothing to the amount of £3-2-2 to be provided for two children boarded out at Clifden.

Estimates of the Medicine required by the Medical Officers of the under mentioned Dispensary Districts was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT 1908

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

[These Reports are to
be made up and for-
warded 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. No. 16/10/10. Misc, dated 21st Feb. 1910.

stating that their Prescribed Lists of Medicines, & Medical & Surgical Appliances for the year commencing on the 1st April next will follow.

The lists remain practically as they were, but the prices of the several articles have been revised in accordance with current market quotations, which take into account the additional spirit duties imposed by the House of Commons' resolution of the 30th April last. In the event of any change being made in the rate of duty under the forthcoming Budget, the matter can be adjusted under the provisions of Section 10 of the Finance Act of 1901.

Advertisements are to state that all tenders must be lodged with the Clerk of the Union not later than 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, the 12th March, 1910. If the Guardians' meeting should not fall on that date, the tenders should be placed unopened in a packet securely sealed up & carefully preserved until the next ordinary meeting when the packet should be opened in the presence of the Guardians, the Chairman first seeing that the envelopes containing the tenders have not been interfered with. The date on which the contracts will be decided should be mentioned in the advertisement.

Order. The issue of advertisements in due course, & the instructions above-mentioned to be fully carried out.

Order. Stationery to the amount of £7= to be supplied

for the use of the Medical Officers of the Salway Nos. 1 & 2 Dispensary Districts.

The several Medical Officers of the Union claimed a graded & retrospective scale of salaries as recommended in the circular letter of the L.G. Board, & furnished particulars of the present salaries & the proposed graded scale, the maximum to be reached after 25 years' service.

The Clerk of the Union on behalf of the non-professional officers of the Union made application for a graded & retrospective scale of salaries being adopted in their case also.

Notices of Motion.

1. By Mr. N. Lydon - That the application of the Medical Officers be considered by the Guardians at meeting on the 23rd prox.
2. By Mr. J. Griffis - That the application of the other Officers of the Union be considered on same date.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £69,396 1s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of February, 1910.

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	Aged and Infirm Persons and Adult Persons above 15 years of age but not working										Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.				
			Able-Bodied		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			Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	816	326	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards
Temporary Buildings	222	15																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	1														1	6	
TOTAL	1082	342																82
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			17	23	11	12	10	8	13	3	11	7	8	7	355			
Admitted during the Week			3	2	4	2	1	2							16			
Born																		
Total			20	25	12	12	10	9	13	5	11	7	8	7	371			
Discharged during the Week			4	4	8	6					3	1	1		27			
Died						1									2			
Total Discharged and Died			4	4	8	7					3	1	1		29			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	31	13	13	10	9	13	5	8	6	7	6	342	No. relieved during week	3	
																No. in Workhouse at date		
																No. at Corresponding Period last year	345	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 26th day of Feb., 1910, 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.	147	235	"	"	147	235	Bt. forwd.	189	282	"	"	189	282
No. II.	7	7	"	"	7	7	No. V.	6	8	"	"	6	8
No. III.	16	19	"	"	16	19	No. VI.	16	22	"	"	16	22
No. IV.	19	21	"	"	19	21	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23	"	"	23	23
Car. forwd.	189	282	"	"	189	282	TOTAL	234	335	"	"	234	335

M. Cunningham
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of March, 1910.

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

Messrs J. Cloonan, P. Turke, Martin Moloney, J. Griffin, M. Hooke, & D. Moloney.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of March, 1910.

Signed Robt. H. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.