

THE VACCINATION ACTS (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.]

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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:—

Galway 142,	Medicines, £13-16-3,	Appliances, £4-2-2
Moycullen	" 2-11-7	" - 6-5
Oranmore	" 3-9-0	" 1-14-8
Stockhouse	" 25-9-1	" 28-13-10
do.	Special, about - 6-0	
<i>ordered of contractors.</i>		

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 60075/10 dated 6th October, 1910.

referring to the Minutes of the 14th inst. & requesting that they may be informed whether the de-facto under the Vaccination Acts in the several Dispensary Districts have complied with the law.

*A fair number have complied. New returns Form O are now being furnished by the Medical Officers.*

10th Oct 1910. From the Sec. to the G. Galway Com. of Agriculturists, requesting that the Guardians will grant the use of the Lachagh Dispensary for the purposes of the Winter Classes in Agricultural subjects.

*Order. To be referred to the owner of the Dispensary, Mr. John Burke. If he consents the Guardians will offer no objection.*

Reports Form H.

Galway No. 2.	90	successful	vaccinations	from	1-4-10,	to	1-10-10.
Northallen,	27	"	"	"	30-3-10,	to	30-9-10.
Crummore,	20	"	"	"	22-7-10,	to	30-9-10.
Spiddal,	32	"	"	"	1-7-10,	to	30-9-10.

GALWAY UNION

Workhouse for the Week ending

1910

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the

day of

1910

Clerk of the Union

Howe, James James Street Galway

ESTIMATOR OF THE MEDICINE REQUIRED BY THE MEDICAL OFFICERS OF THE UNDER-MENTIONED DISPENSARY DISTRICTS AND BEFORE THE BOARD AND DIRECTIONS WERE GIVEN THEREON, AS FOLLOWS:-

PRESIDENT CHAIRMAN

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 15th day of October, 1910.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in such 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	282															
Temporary Buildings	222	12															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	5															
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>300</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...			13	24	99	107	5	6	11	1	4	10	6	286	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 63 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 5 In separate Wards } - In Wards with other Inmates } 7		
Admitted during the Week ...			8	6	12	8	1	3	1	2	2	1	1	45			
Born ...																	
<b>Total ...</b>			<b>21</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>331</b>			
Discharged during the Week ...			10	3	2	7			3			1	1	29	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Died ...					2	7							2	Males Females Child'n under 15 Total			
Total Discharged and Died			10	3	6	7			3			1	1	31	No. relieved during week } 7 } 1 } 0 } 8 No. in Workhouse at date } 1 } 0 } 0 } 1 No. at Corresponding Period last year } 295		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	27	106	108	6	6	11	2	6	11	6	1	300		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS, relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 15th day of October, 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		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.	152	240	"	"	152	240	Bt. forwd.	189	281	"	"	189	281
No. II.	5	5	"	"	5	5	No. V.	5	7	"	"	5	7
No. III.	13	16	"	"	13	16	No. VI.	16	21	"	"	16	21
No. IV.	19	20	"	"	19	20	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union	22	22	"	"	22	22
Car. forwd.	189	281	"	"	189	281	TOTAL	222	332	"	"	222	332

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

WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of October, 1910.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Shurran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs P. H. Greuch, H. Laney, M. Cunningham, N. Lidon, Martin Moloney, M. Redington, M. Crowley, W. B. Grievs, Lee, Griffis, J. C. McDonogh, Blyden, D. Moloney, & M. Davoren.

M. W. W. PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of October, 1910.

Signed Robert Mullery, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October, 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. 84 to No. 122  
 Separate ,, No. 2 to No. 2  
 Outdoor ,, No. 2131 to No. 2132

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 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 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	44	6	7	61	8	6	105	15	1	56	11	8	9	0	62	10	11	41	2			
Necessaries	10	15	2	10	16	11	21	12	1	11	15	5	1	2	9	12	18	2	8	12	11	2026
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 : 7  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. 5 : 2 1/2  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... .. 8 : 5

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 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1910 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Cullinan	
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	8 16 2	1 8 2	1 7 0	3 0 7	1 8 6	1 12 6	17 15 1
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 0 0	2 0 0	5 0 0	8 0 0	1 0 0	8 0 0	49 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	33 16 2	3 8 2	6 7 0	11 0 7	2 8 6	9 12 6	66 15 1
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	12 16 0	8 0	1 1 6	1 12 6	8 6	1 16 0	18 2 6
In Kind ..	5 0	"	"	"	"	"	5 0
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	" 2 6	"	"	"	"	"	2 6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	"	"	"	2 0	"	"	2 0
7. Total Relief given	13 3 6	8 0	1 1 6	1 12 6	8 6	1 16 0	18 12 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	20 12 8	3 0 2	5 5 6	9 6 1	2 0 0	7 18 6	48 2 1
9. Total	33 16 2	3 8 2	6 7 0	11 0 7	2 8 6	9 12 6	66 15 1

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 of .....191.....

	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	0
Discharged ... ..	13	Discharged ... ..	0
Died ... ..	0	Died ... ..	0
Remaining ... ..	60	Remaining ... ..	5

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

- 12<sup>th</sup> inst, Nurse Quinn of the Fever Hospital who left on one day's leave of absence on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. resumed duty.
- 13<sup>th</sup> " Bartly Byrne was transferred to Salway Hospital for operation.
- 15<sup>th</sup> " Margaret Duffy & her 3 children were admitted to the Workhouse. Her husband, Wm Duffy, a labourer, lives in Athlone. Being the mother of 2 illegitimate children she was previously in the Separation Ward. She now refuses to go there & is at present in the Probation Ward.

*Order. To be discharged unless she enters the Separation Ward. If she re-enters, to be prosecuted for insubordination.*

- 16<sup>th</sup> inst, Dr McDonogh having reported that Pat. Lydon, Milk Contractor, carried out the required improvements in his premises, he was allowed to resume supplying milk to the Workhouse. The milk supplied by Contractor Malachy Glynn was under standard one during the week registering 7 degrees of cream. He forfeits the quantity 2 gallons. This is the first report against him in 12 months.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

Re the education of children confined in the Workhouse Hospital; there are only 14 or 15 children of school going age usually in the Workhouse, & it rarely happens that any are detained in Hospital for any prolonged period.

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):—

64,070/10. Referring to an entry in the Minutes of the 5<sup>th</sup> inst.  
 12<sup>th</sup> Oct. of a communication from Receiving Officer O'Sullivan relative to an oversight in charging Out-door Relief in his accounts as having been afforded to a recipient named Mary Kenny who it appears died some time ago; & requesting that they may be informed as to the date on which Mary Kenny died.  
*She died on the 6<sup>th</sup> of March last.*

18<sup>th</sup> Oct 10, From M<sup>r</sup> Lydon, on behalf of self & brothers, tendering to the Guardians their thanks for the resolution of sympathy with them in the death of their mother.

18<sup>th</sup> Oct. '10 From Mr. Mathias Malley, Milk Contractor, requesting the Guardians to reconsider their decision at last meeting to cancel his contract. Stating that he is a long time a contractor & always gave satisfaction.

Notice of Motion.

I give notice that on this day fortnight I will move, or some Guardian on my behalf will move, that the resolution adopted by the Guardians at meeting on the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. cancelling Mathias Malley's milk contract, be rescinded.

19-10-10.

Nicholas Lydon.

19<sup>th</sup> Oct. '10, From Probationer Nurse O'Connor in the Fever Hospital, requesting leave of absence for 4 days.

*Granted.*

19<sup>th</sup> Oct. '10. From Margaret Duffy, complaining that the Master of the Workhouse ordered her to the Separation Ward on her admission to the Workhouse, although she is a married woman, producing certificates of marriage on two occasions.

*Read.*

The Guardians took into consideration the report re the defective sewerage of the Workhouse furnished by Mr. Cowlishaw, C. E.

*Order.* Mr. Cowlishaw to be requested to furnish an estimate of the extra cost of connecting the drains of the new Fever Hospital with the main drains on the public road, instead of the Workhouse main drain.

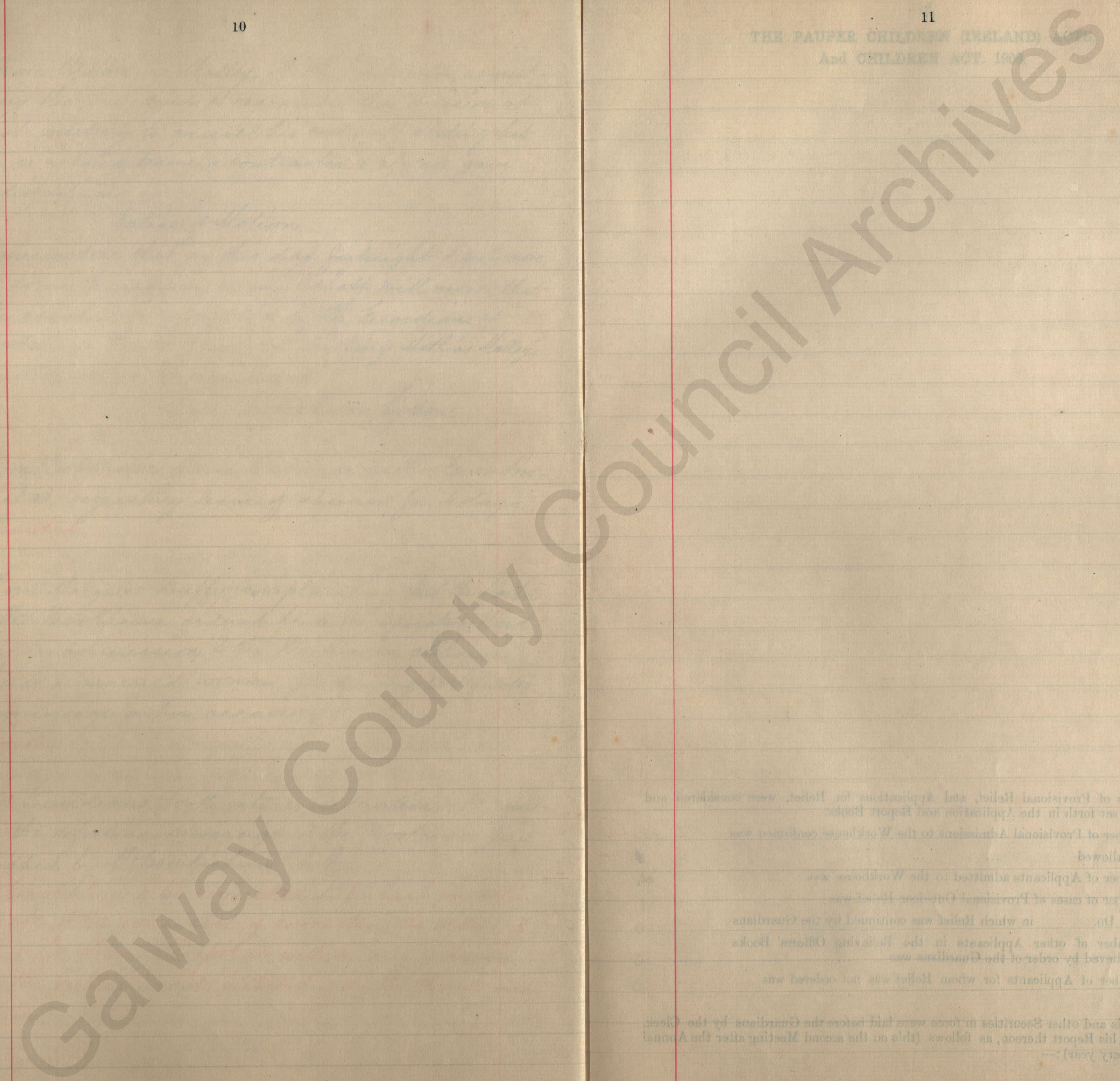
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THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT  
 And CHILDREN ACT, 1908

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 Relieving Officers' Books  
 in which Relief was continued by the Guardians  
 The number of cases of Provisional Guardians Relief was  
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was  
 Ditto disallowed  
 The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was  
 decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books  
 The cases of Provisional Relief, and Applications for Relief, were considered and

The Boards 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	...	...	...	...	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

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 THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS, Acts, and  
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Reports (Part II) ...

Following Diseases ...

the Guardians, and directions given ...

Estimates of the Medicines ...

Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given ...

THE PAPERS CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS  
AND CHILDREN ACT 1908

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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.)

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, <u>125</u> defaulters.	Oranmore, <u>12</u> defaulters.
do. 2, <u>79</u> "	Spiddal, <u>27</u> "
do. 3, <u>7</u> "	Tourloughmore, <u>25</u> "
Moycullen, <u>3</u> "	

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

*The Several Relieving Officers to serve notices on defaulters.*

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

*Spiddal. Medicines, £5-17-10 Appliances, £1-0-0  
Special, repairs of a Vaccinator,  
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 *St. Samon* dated *18<sup>th</sup> October 1910*,

*requesting a supply of coal for use in the Crown-shore Dispensary.*

*Order, One ton of coal to be supplied.*

*Report Form H,*

*Galway No 1 Dispensary District*

*97 cases of successful Vaccination between the dates 4-4-10, to 15-10-10.*

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

*The original was forwarded to the L.G. Board & a copy to the Medical Officer.*

GALWAY UNION

Population		Population		Population		Population		Population	
1901	1906	1901	1906	1901	1906	1901	1906	1901	1906
100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400	400
500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600	600
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900	900	900	900	900	900	900	900	900	900
1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on  
 Wednesday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1910  
 Present: *Chairman*  
 PRESIDING GUARDIAN  
*Mr. J. J. O'Sullivan*  
*Mr. J. J. O'Sullivan*  
*Mr. J. J. O'Sullivan*  
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday, the  
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 Signed *Mr. J. J. O'Sullivan*  
 Clerk of the Union

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1910

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital), age groups (Able-Bodied, Boys and Girls, Children, Infants), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Hospital, Infirmaries, Fever Hospital). Includes rows for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', 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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 1910, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table showing RELIEF DISTRICTS (I-IV) and RELIEF DISTRICTS (V-VII) with columns for 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1' and 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse'. Includes a 'TOTAL' row at the bottom.

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

WEDNESDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1910

PRESENT—In the Chair—Munn

Other Guardians—

Mr. J. O'Donoghue, Messrs E. M. Cumming, W. Lydon, M. Redington, J. Lee, D. Griffin,

Munn  
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1910,

Signed Robert Mullery  
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Meeting held the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1910

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Provisions	4	2	2	6	12	10	11	19	0	5	7	8	13	3	6	18	11	4	5	0	1				
Necessaries	8	13	11	12	12	6	22	6	5	11	12	7	11	2	9	12	17	4	9	9	1	2092			
<b>Total</b>	4	9	18	1	8	3	7	4	13	3	5	5	6	9	0	3	9	16	0	7	6	3	52	9	2

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 : 7  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. 5 : 4  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... .. 8 : 6

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

1. The Clothing Materials 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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October, 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 ...	20	12	8	3	0	4	5	5	6	9	6	1	2	0	0	7	13	6	48	3	1
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	12	8	3	0	4	5	5	6	9	6	1	2	0	0	7	13	6	48	3	1
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ..	12	15	0	8	0	1	1	6	1	12	6	8	6	1	16	0	18	1	6		
In Kind ..	5	0		6	0															11	0
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	13	0	0	14	0	1	1	6	1	12	6	8	6	1	16	0	18	1	26		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	12	8	2	6	4	2	4	0	7	13	7	1	11	6	6	2	6	29	10	7
9. Total	20	12	8	3	0	4	5	5	6	9	6	1	2	0	0	7	13	6	48	3	1

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 of .....191.....

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Total Sums received during the month						
Total						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month						
Total						
Net Balance due—the Union (being difference of above Totals)						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due—Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders						
Net Balance as above due—the Union						

## HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.			FEVER HOSPITAL.		
Admitted during the Week	12		Admitted during the Week	2	
Discharged ... ..	8		Discharged ... ..	2	
Died ... ..	0		Died ... ..	0	
Remaining ... ..	64		Remaining ... ..	5	

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

23<sup>rd</sup> inst. Probationer Nurse O'Connor, in the Fever Hospital, resumed duty after four days' leave of absence. The stop cock in the Secuale yard having got broken & as it is used for flushing the sewers I got the Plumber to replace it by a new one at a cost of £3-14-0.

*Approved.*

Workhouse Medical Officer,  
Barthly Hynes requires to be transferred to the Galway Hospital for operation on his eye.

*Approved.*

Workhouse Schoolmaster,  
I respectfully beg leave of absence for 4 days.

*Granted.*

*Order. The Workhouse Master to place a trustworthy person in charge of the boys.*

Punishment Book  
Order, Martin Lee & Pat. Griffin to be prosecuted for refusing to obey orders.

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):—

52757/10 }  
21<sup>st</sup> Oct. } Stating that they have recommended the Com<sup>r</sup> of Public Works to issue a sum of £2500, being a further instalment of the loan of £10,000 sanctioned for the purpose of erecting a Fever Hospital. The Guardians should make application to the Com<sup>r</sup> for the issue of this instalment.  
*Application has been made.*

65266/10 }  
24<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Adverting to previous correspondence relative to the failure of Mr O'Sullivan, Relieving Officer, to remove from his relief lists until October the name of a recipient named Mary Kenedy who died on the 6<sup>th</sup> of March last, & pointing out that this case gives evidence of very grave neglect of duty on the part of Mr O'Sullivan, for if he had complied

with the terms of Article 48 (3 & 6) of the General Regulations he could not have remained so long in ignorance of this woman's death. Requesting that the Relieving Officer be called upon to explain how, & to whom, he disposed of the weekly allowance of relief.

Relieving Officer's explanation.

"I beg to state that it was my habit in paying recipients of relief to trust more to memory than paying them out of the book, my list having an average of 200 names, the case escaped my notice. As soon as I discovered it I refunded the money. It was not paid to anyone. I now pay from the book & check the names as I pay, & go to the homes of all who are unable to call at the office, & distribute their relief to them in this manner. I hope no mistakes will occur as I promise to be most careful in future & express my regret for my oversight in this case, & trust you L. S. B. will overlook the matter this time.

(signed) Pat<sup>o</sup> O'Sullivan, R. O."

The Guardians expressed themselves satisfied with this explanation & undertaking to carefully discharge his duties in future.

65,461/10,  
24<sup>th</sup> Oct.

Adverting to previous correspondence & to the entry on the subject in the Minutes of the 12<sup>th</sup> inst., & stating that they have instructed their Inspector, Major Rutledge Fair, to hold an inquiry on oath into the charge of drunkenness preferred by the Master of the Workhouse against the Schoolmaster. Due notice of the time & place of holding the inquiry will be given to all persons concerned.

65,461/10,  
24<sup>th</sup> Oct.

Referring to the entry on the subject in the Minutes of the 12<sup>th</sup> inst., & stating that they have sanctioned the Guardians' proposal to cancel the contract of Mathias Malley for the supply of milk to the Workhouse.

The Guardians request that the L. S. Board will be good enough to reconsider their decision in this case, pending the result of the notice of motion to rescind the cancelling resolution which will be before the Guardians at next meeting.

52010/10,  
25<sup>th</sup> Oct.

Adverting to the entry on the subject in the Minutes of the 29<sup>th</sup> of July last, & requesting that the Board may be informed whether the Master has yet reported relative to the discrepancies between the stock shown on his books & on the returns furnished by the stocktaker Mr. J. W. Butler.

Master's Report

In reply I beg to state that the stocktaker had to go to Hospital last half year before finishing the stocktaking. After several unsuccessful attempts on his part, I completed it & submitted the returns to the Guardians of which they approved. A few discrepancies that occurred have been corrected in this half year.

(signed) B. J. Atkey, Master."

62,732/10,  
25<sup>th</sup> Oct.

Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1 a week with rations to Mrs. Agnes Moylan for her services as temporary substitute for Miss M. Carolan, Midwife in the Workhouse during that Officer's absence on leave for a period



of four weeks.

66,509/10,  
25th Oct.

Forwarding a communication which the Board have received from Margaret Duffy, relating to her treatment in the Workhouse, requesting that they may be furnished with the observations of the Guardians on the subject.

The communication referred to is returned to the Board with the copy of the Minutes.

The Guardians beg to observe that they directed that this woman, Margaret Duffy, being the mother of illegitimate children, be placed in the Separation Ward.

24th Oct. 10.

From the Harbour Exchange, Dublin, informing the Guardians that the Manager will visit Galway on the 28th inst, & attend at the Town Hall at 11-30 am, for the purpose of holding an inquiry to ascertain what support may be depended upon towards establishing a Harbour Exchange in Galway.

25th Oct. 10.

From Mr. W. Butler, Stocktaker, requesting an extension of time to the 29th inst, to furnish his return of stock of provisions, &c. in the Workhouse on the 30th inst, as the return of ironmongery & furniture takes a long time to copy in correctly.

Granted.

McCowlshaw, C. C. in compliance with the Guardians' request at last meeting, furnished a report on the drains of the new Fever Hospital & their outlet to the main sewer in the public road.

Referred to a Committee consisting of the following members of the Board, namely: the Chairman, <sup>Dep.</sup> Vice Chairman, Sir J. O'Donoghue, & Messrs Griffin, Dea, M. Redington, & N. Lydon. The Committee to meet Mr. Cowlshaw at the Workhouse on the 28th inst, at 10-30 o'clock, am.

### School Inspector's Report.

"I held the General Inspection of the Workhouse Schools on the 17th & 18th inst. The work in both schools is of a satisfactory character in view of the tender age & irregular attendance of the majority of the pupils.

#### Boys' School.

A very considerable improvement has been effected by Mr. Moyle during the past year, making allowance for the special difficulties due to the spasmodic attendance of the children, the proficiency may now be termed "good". A Monthly Progress Record should be kept as well as the Weekly Syllabus & Notes, more occupation e.g. sticklaying, paper folding & chalk drawing for the younger children might be introduced.

#### Girls' School.

The general proficiency is good. The Infants are neatly trained & evidently happy & well cared for. With the two older pupils, Arithmetic is still rather backward. More stories & games might be introduced for the little ones.

22-10-10.

Margaret Bourke, Inspector.

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	...	26
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	3
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.

65308/10.  
20th Oct. } Stating that the Board have had before them the reports of Relieving Officer Walsh for the month of September on the children boarded out from the Workhouse together with their school attendance records; also the report of the Ladies Committee for the quarter ended the 30th Oct. on two children boarded out in Belfield; pointing out that the attendances at school of Maria Gannon, Emily McKeon, & Mary O'Brien are very irregular, & that the foster parents should be warned by the Guardians that these children must attend school more regularly in future.

*Order. The foster parents to be so warned.*

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

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT  
AND CHILDREN ACT 1892

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:—

*Form H.*  
*Tourloughmore Dispensary District,*  
*28 cases of successful vaccination between the dates,*  
*2.8.10, & 17-10.10.*

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:—

*Galway No 3, Medicines, £ 3. 3. 2.*  
*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 \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ 191

Reports (Form B) 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:—

Outposts	_____
Spittal	_____
Townshammas	_____
Moyvallen	_____

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

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, \_\_\_\_\_ 191

Class	Male	Female	Total
Paupers	_____	_____	_____
Boarders	_____	_____	_____
Wages	_____	_____	_____
Medical	_____	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____
<b>Total</b>	<b>_____</b>	<b>_____</b>	<b>_____</b>

Month	Male	Female	Total
Jan	_____	_____	_____
Feb	_____	_____	_____
Mar	_____	_____	_____
Apr	_____	_____	_____
May	_____	_____	_____
Jun	_____	_____	_____
Jul	_____	_____	_____
Aug	_____	_____	_____
Sep	_____	_____	_____
Oct	_____	_____	_____
Nov	_____	_____	_____
Dec	_____	_____	_____
<b>Total</b>	<b>_____</b>	<b>_____</b>	<b>_____</b>

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_

Present: In the Chair—\_\_\_\_\_

Other Guardians—\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Board.