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GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1901—**36,465.** Present Net Annual Value, **£69,995 15s. Od.**
 STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1911

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	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.															
			Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 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	290																
Temporary Buildings	222	14																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	1																
TOTAL	1082	305																
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...			6	31	88	109	10	6	11	8	9	13	9	3	303			
Admitted during the Week ...			1	7	12	7			1	1					32			
Born ...																		
Total ...			7	38	101	116	10	7	12	8	10	13	9	3	335			
Discharged during the Week ...			2	6	10	4	1	1	1		1	3			29			
Died ...																		
Total Discharged and Died			2	6	10	4	1	1	1		1	3			29			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			5	32	91	111	9	6	11	8	9	11	9	3	305			
															NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
															Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
															1	2	0	3
															No. at Corresponding Period last year		306	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July, 1911, 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	Cases	Persons
No. I.	88	168	"	"	88	168	Bt. forwd.	100	194	"	"	100	194	
No. II.	2	16	"	"	2	16	No. V.	1	2	"	"	1	2	
No. III.	5	7	"	"	5	7	No. VI.	2	8	"	"	2	8	
No. IV.	3	3	"	"	3	3	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23	"	"	23	23	
Car. forwd.	100	194	"	"	100	194	TOTAL	128	227	"	"	128	227	

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 19th day of July, 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair— W. J. Little Esq.
 Other Guardians—
Messrs J. Blooman, J. Keane, J. Lydon,
J. Egan, M. Cooke, & S. Toller.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 19th day of July, 1911

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

Indoor from No. 1280 to No. 1313
Separate ,, No. 29 to No. 33
Outdoor ,, No. 2224 to No. 2225

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 15th day of July, 1911, 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	31	13	7	69	10	10	100	15	5	64	5	11	5	12	4	69	18	3	30	17	2	
Necessaries	12	3	0	5	5	9	17	8	9	6	15	2	15	0	7	10	2	9	18	7	2	2123
Total	43	16	7	74	7	19	117	24	14	70	11	13	20	12	11	79	20	12	40	15	4	

*The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was s. d. 4 : 8
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... 5 : 4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... 10 : 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 ending Saturday, the 15th day of July, 1911 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Oullinan	
	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 ...	1 12 3	6 10	1 1 6	1 12 1	5 6	1 9 6	6 9 8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 0 0	2 0 0	" " "	" " "	1 0 0	" " "	23 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21 12 3	2 6 10	1 1 6	1 12 1	1 5 6	1 9 6	29 9 8
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	8 4 0	9 6	9 6	4 6	3 0	8 6 10	2 0
In Kind ..	5 0	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	5 0
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	9 0	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	9 0
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
7. Total Relief given	9 1 0	9 6	9 6	4 6	3 0	8 6 10	16 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12 13 3	1 17 4	12 0	1 4 7	1 2 6	1 1 0	18 13 8
9. Total	21 12 3	2 6 10	1 1 6	1 12 1	1 5 6	1 9 6	29 9 8

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

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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	22	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	12	Discharged	0
Died	2	Died	0
Remaining	91	Remaining	0

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

- Received for sale of old clothing, &c. £3-3-7
- " " " " turnips - 9-3
- Lodged with Union Treasurer. £3-12-10
- 14th inst. Mark Molloy was transferred to Galway Hospital for special treatment.
- 16th " Martin Keedy, Warden, resumed duty after a week's vacation.
- 17th " Miss Burke, Probationer Nurse in the Fever Hospital, left, having finished her course of training.
- 19th " Nurse Quinn of the Fever Hospital, resumed duty after ten days' illness.

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):-

27246/11. } Referring to the Minutes of the 12th inst. sanctioning
 18th July. } the payment to the Master of the Workhouse at the rate of £1 for each sale of pigs made by him on behalf of the Board of Guardians.

37246/11. } Referring to the entry in the Minutes of the 12th
 18th July. } inst. of the Guardians proposal to admit to the Workhouse the child of a woman named Cloderty whose husband has gone to America; the Board desire to state that, unless this child is in need of nursing or hospital treatment it cannot be admitted to the Workhouse without the person liable for its maintenance.
 The Guardians beg to state that the child referred to is in need of nursing.

29,628/11. } Adverting to an entry on the subject in the
18th July. } Minutes of the 31st May last, & requesting that
the Board may be informed whether the
Guardians have since taken into consideration
the matters referred to in the last Half-Yearly
Report of the Board's Inspector, Major Pittledge
Fair, on the Union.

The following members of the Board were ap-
pointed a Committee to consider the report & to
advise the Board with their observations thereon,
namely: Messrs. O'Leary, Cleary, W. Cooke,
Griffin, & N. Lydon.

Order. The Committee to be summoned to meet at the
Board Room after the conclusion of the ordinary
business at next weekly meeting.

17th July '11. From Mary Bentley, Parlavera, stating that her
husband deserted her a year ago, & requesting
the Guardians to admit her child, a year old,
to the Workhouse, to enable her to go to domestic
service,
Refused.

18th July '11. From Rev. M. Ebert, P.P. Spiddal, tendering to the
Guardians his grateful thanks for their kind re-
solution of sympathy with him in the death of
his father.

19th July '11. From Dr. M. McDonogh, Workhouse Medical Officer,
in reply to the inquiry of the Guardians at last
meeting, ^{stating} that he examined Anthony Harlow
when admitted to Hospital, found no apparent
injury; that he considered him a malingerer.

& therefore refused to give him a certificate.

Order. Dr. Colahan, Workhouse Medical Officer, to be
requested to explain why Margaret Mulroy has
been an inmate of the Lying-in Hospital
since the 31st May last.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (RELIEF)
AND CHILDREN ACT

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The Board and other members 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
Meeting in every year):—
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 classes took
In which Relief was continued by the Guardians
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was
The case of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and
decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book

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The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	32
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
And CHILDREN ACT, 1908.

32,087/11,
18th July.

Adverting to an entry on the subject in the Minutes of the 7th Decr last, & requesting that the Board may be informed what steps have since been taken to carry out the recommendations of the Board's Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald Kenney, on the children boarded out in the Glennamaddy District, which suggestions were then adopted by the Guardians.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that a copy of the recommendations referred to was at the time, furnished to the Ladies Committee. The Committee did not approve of all the recommendations.

Order. The matter to be again referred to the Committee.

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

THE PAPER 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 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>137</u> defaulters.	Oranmore, <u>32</u> defaulters.
do. 2, <u>74</u> "	Spiddal, <u>36</u> "
do. 3, <u>12</u> "	Tourloughmore, <u>41</u> "
Moycullen, <u>13</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:—

Galway 142,	Medicines, £ 99-10,	Appliances, £ 2-13-6,
Spiddal,	" 6-5-8,	" 1-8-3
Workhouse,	" 12-13-1,	" 16-0-10.
<i>Ordered,</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 37115/11 dated 18th July 1911.

Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of ten shillings a case to Miss A. Lee, for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of Galway No 1 & 2 Dispensary Districts.
Returning Miss Lee's certificate of proficiency in midwifery.

34,492/11
18th July. Enclosing extracts from a report received from their Medical Inspector, Sir A. MacCullagh, M.D., relating to his recent inspection of the dispensary districts of the Union; & requesting that the several important matters adverted to herein may receive the Guardians' consideration.

Galway No 1 Disp. Dist.

The Medical Officer might be more punctual in his arrival at the dispensary. There are too many Vaccination defaulters; there were 130 returned in the Medical Officer's last report. The amount of Unguent. Acid, Nitrate's Oil, ordered seems to be rather high. The amount of calico used for bandages seems to be excessive.

Galway No 2 Disp. Dist.

Too many defaulters under the Vaccination Acts; 100 returned in the Medical Officer's last report.

Boycullen Disp. Dist.

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

Oranmore Disp. Dist.

The walls of the dispensary buildings require to be distempereed.

Spiddal Disp. Dist.

There are no sanitary conveniences for use of the patients at the dispensary. The Medical Officer does not weigh the drugs when delivered at the dispensary—there are no scales for the purpose.

Lurloughmore Disp. Dist.

There are no sanitary conveniences for use of the patients at the Dispensary. The cost of medicines for the past year amounted to £17-7-7; the cost is rather high. There were 44 vaccination defaulters returned in the Medical Officer's last report; too many defaulters in the district.

Order. Each Medical Officer to be furnished with a copy of the report which refers to his district.

Arrangement to be made for distempereing the walls of the dispensary buildings at Oranmore.

The Clerk submitted to the Guardians a copy of a communication which he forwarded to the Medical Officer of the Spiddal Disp. Dist. on the 10th of Feb. 1910, calling for an explanation of his failure to requisition a pair of scales for the purpose of weighing the medicines delivered at his dispensary. Also informing him that the Guardians were desirous of knowing how he could certify on each invoice that the medicines received were correct in weight & quantity if not weighed. The Medical Officer has not since furnished an explanation.

Order. The attention of the Medical Officer to be again directed to this important matter, & to be informed that the Guardians must insist upon an explanation being furnished by him without delay.

18th July 11. From D. Lannon, Medical Officer of the Downmore Disp. Dist., applying for a month's holidays, & nominating W. W. O'Brien to act as substitute.

Moved by Mr. M. Hooper, seconded by Mr. J. Egan, & Resolved. That D. Lannon be granted four weeks' vacation, & that Dr. J. S. Burke be appointed to act as substitute at a remuneration of the rate of £4-4-0 a week.

Relieving Officer Bullinan reported that Dr. Lynn, Medical Officer of the Durlingmore Disp. Dist., has been summoned to attend as witness at the Galway Assizes now on.

The Relieving Officer was directed to procure the services of a medical practitioner if necessary.

The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from the Moycullen Dispensary. Original forwarded to the L.S.B. & a copy to the Medical Officer.

M. Hooper
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of July 1911.

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

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Workhouse	816	288															84	In separate Wards	
Temporary Buildings	222	10																In Wards with other Inmates	
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TOTAL	1082	302															84	7	
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Total			11	41	100	117	10	6	11	11	12	13	12	3	347				
Discharged during the Week			4	9	5	9	5			3	4	2	2		43				
Total Discharged and Died			4	9	7	9	5			3	4	2	2		45				
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Dist. I.	94	196	"	"	94	196	Bt. forwd.	106	222	"	"	106	222	
Dist. II.	4	16	"	"	4	16	No. V.	1	2	"	"	1	2	
Dist. III.	5	7	"	"	5	7	No. VI.	5	9	"	"	5	9	
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Dist. forwd.	106	222	"	"	106	222	TOTAL	135	256	"	"	135	256	

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on

WEDNESDAY, the 26th day of July 1911.

PRESENT—In the Chair—*Hannan Esq.*
Other Guardians—

Messrs. Hornell, A. Toole, Lawless, P. Comeely, J. Keane, N. Lydon, M. Redington, W. J. Little, J. Egan, J. Griffin, M. Hooper, S. Faller, J. Walsh, P. Braun (C), M. McNeill, M. Kyme, D. Moloney, J. Kyme, P. McDonagh, A. H. French & J. D. Bailey.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total	£			s.	d.		
Provisions	30	17	2	75	0	5	105	17	7	62	7	9	6	1	68	9	1	37	8	6	
Necessaries	9	18	7	7	17	1	17	15	8	7	18	2	15	6	8	13	8	9	2	0	2123
Total	40	15	9	82	17	6	123	13	3	70	5	11	6	16	10	7	2	46	10	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was s. d.
2 : 7

Average Cost in Infirmary ... 5 : 3 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... —

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 ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July, 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Oullinan	
	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 ...	12 13 3	1 17 4	12 0	1 7 7	1 2 6	1 1 0	18 13 8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	" " "	" " "	2 0 0	" " "	" " "	" " "	2 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12 13 3	1 17 4	2 12 0	1 7 7	1 2 6	1 1 0	20 13 8
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	9 5 6	9 6	9 6	4 6	3 0	6 6	10 13 6
In Kind ..	5 0	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	5 0
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	18 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	12 10	1 11 2
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
7. Total Relief given	10 8 10	9 6	9 6	4 6	3 0	19 4	12 14 8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2 2 5	1 7 10	2 2 6	1 3 1	1 9 6	1 8 7	19 0
9. Total	12 13 3	1 17 4	2 12 0	1 7 7	1 2 6	1 1 0	20 13 8

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	17	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	18	Discharged	0
Died	2	Died	0
Remaining	58	Remaining	0

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

19th inst. Patrick Coale, Steam Boiler Attendant, was admitted to Hospital, I employed Mrs. O'Brien as his substitute on the 20th inst. at the rate of £1 per week.

Approved.

24th inst. A patient having been admitted to the Fever Hospital, & there being only one nurse there I applied to the Galway Hospital & Probationer Nurse Murray was sent down took up duty.

Approved.

25th inst. Keira Kelly gave birth to an illegitimate child in the lying-in Hospital. She states that the putative father is Wm Walsh a Dublin sailor, Thomas Naughton, Wardsman, resumed duty. On the 28th inst. he was allowed 3 weeks' vacation. He overstayed the time by a week.

Order. To be warned against a repetition of this offense.

Wick supplied under standard during the week, Martin Codyre, 6 degrees, Phydons 5 degrees, & P. Glynn on two occasions, 5 degrees & 6 degrees respectively. This is the second report within 12 months against each, M. Codyre & Phydons, & the third against P. Glynn.

Order. The defaulting contractors to be cautioned.

As directed by the Board on the 12th inst. I got 23 beds & 5 bolsters burned, also 1 table & 2 chairs, & 4 hot water jars & some tarpaulin can-

called as they were unfit for removal from the old to the new Fever Hospital.

Approved.

Please grant me a month's vacation.

Granted four weeks' vacation.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by the Chairman, & Resolved - that Mr. Hugh J. McDonogh be appointed to act as substitute at a remuneration at the rate of £1-10-0 a week.

Similar appointment sanctioned in L. G. B. Letter No 50224/10, dated 2nd Aug. 1910.

Dr. O'Sullivan recommended the transfer of Delia Flaherty, Hospital patient, to Galway Hospital for operation for tubercular abscess of her face.

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):—

Mrs. Amy Shawe Taylor, & Messrs. Mark Moloney & Bartholomew Lydon wrote thanking the Guardians for their kind resolutions of sympathy with them in the afflictions which have recently befallen them.

24th July 11. From Wardsmaid Mary Rush, enclosing a certificate from the Workhouse Medical Officer that she needs a fortnight's leave of absence to recruit her health after a severe fit of sickness. Granted. Her duties to be discharged by an inmate of the Workhouse.

25th July 11. From Thomas Gray, inmate of the Workhouse during the past 6 years, stating that his son & daughter

have promised to take him to live with them; that the old clothing he brought in are now worthless; requesting the Guardians to allow him a suit of clothes.

Order, to be supplied with a suit of clothes.

26th July 11. From Wardsmaid Julia Lowery stating that she has got married, & giving a month's notice of her intention to resign.

In response to advertisement, only one application for the position of Wardsmaid in the Male Infirmary was received.

The appointment of the applicant, Delia Lydon, was moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. P. McDonagh & carried.

In pursuance of notice given for this date, Mr. M. Dooke moved that Nurse Malloy's salary be increased by £10 a year.

The motion was seconded by Mr. N. Lydon.

An amendment, that no increase be given, was moved by Mr. Lawless & seconded by Mr. Walsh.

On a division the amendment was carried by 15 votes to 5.

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