

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	21	Admitted during the Week	1
Discharged	23	Discharged	2
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	91	Remaining	6

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

Realized by sale of 8 pigs, £40. Purchased 9 young pigs at a cost of £13. Expenses 7/-, own allowance £1, leaving £25-11-0 to be lodged with Treasurer.

Approved.

7th inst. Nurse O'Brien left the Fever Hospital on leave of absence.

9th " The services of Michael Costello, temporary Boiler Attendant, were discontinued, & Thomas Murphy, recently appointed by the Guardians, took up duty.

11th " Kate Sullivan, Wardmaid in Hospital, returned to duty.

Order. To be called upon to explain the cause of her absence from duty for 9 days without leave.

12th inst. By direction of the Medical Officer a patient named Bridget Triffie was transferred to Salvage Hospital for operation.

13th " Mr. Park Peresford, L. S. Inspector visited the Workhouse & Hospitals.

Please examine 100 yards of lining calico & 50 yards of Druggat supplied by a contractor.
Examined, approved, and ordered into stock.

Order. The worn out & cancelled dining hall tables & forms to be given for use in the Parochial Penny Dinner Rooms.

Mary Monahan, Workhouse Laundry, applied

for & was granted leave of absence for a week. The Matron will arrange for her duties being discharged by inmates during her absence.

The Clerk called attention to the case of Sarah Curley who has been acting as temporary Wardmaid in the Workhouse since 5th March last at a remuneration at the rate of 4/- a week with rations. Such temporary employment was approved by the L. G. B. in their letter No 12491/13, dated 20-3-13. She has discharged her duties satisfactorily.

Her permanent appointment at a salary of £10 a year with rations was moved by Mr. Egan, seconded by Mr. Walsh, & carried unanimously. The sanction of the L. G. B. is requested.

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:—

4673/13. } Advertising to previous correspondence on the
8th Aug } subject, & now sanctioning the appointment of
Julia Melvin as Wardmaid in the Workhouse.

69022/13. } Transcribing a copy of a letter received from an
9th Aug } inmate of the Workhouse named Joseph Heelia,
in which he complains that the Master of the Workhouse does not distribute to the inmates the full allowances of tobacco, & requesting to be furnished with the Guardians' observations regarding the matter.
The Guardians beg to observe that they are satisfied that the Master of the Workhouse discharges his duties conscientiously.

1576/14. } Forwarding a copy of a communication received
13th Aug }

from Mr. Wm. Malloran relating to the examination of the person elected as steam-boiler attendant, as to his efficiency, & requesting that the Board may be informed as to the qualifications of Mr. Michael Lydon to test the capacity of Mr. Thomas Murphy for the position in question. The Guardians beg to observe that they are perfectly satisfied with the qualifications of Mr. Michael Lydon as he has constructed Steam Boilers. He is a man of well known ability as a Mechanical Engineer.

Received a copy of the National Health Insurance (Employment under local & Public Authorities) (Ireland) Order, 1913, dated 30th December, 1913, made by the Irish Insurance Commissioners under Sec. 78 of the National Insurance Act, 1911, (172 Geo. 5, c. 55)

14th Jan'y '14. From Sir Jas. O'Donohoe, tendering his resignation as Guardian, & stating that during his term of office, over twenty years, he met with nothing but respect & esteem from his colleagues & from the Clerk & all the other officials, tendering his best wishes for future success to all.

Order. To be informed that his resignation should be forwarded to the L. S. Board.

Moved by Mr. Egan, seconded by Mr. Lawless, Unanimously Resolved, that we ^{do} beg to place on record our sincere regret at learning that Sir Jas. O'Donohoe has decided to retire from this Board, & our appreciation of

his valuable services as a member not only of this Board, but of every Committee of the Board. His genial presence will indeed be missed, that as a token of our regard for him, we invite our colleagues to unite in presenting him with a testimonial.

14th Jan'y '14. From Dr. F. Norman Hitchcock, tendering to the Guardians his appreciation of the kindness & care which he received from the Nursing Staff & Doctors while a patient in the new Fever Hospital. He considered himself fortunate in finding such a refuge in his illness, & he congratulates the Guardians in having made such first class provision for the treatment of Infectious Diseases. When furnished with a statement of what he owes he will be glad to pay it.

Moved by Mr. Ruane, seconded by Mr. Walsh, and Resolved - That the charge for his maintenance & medical treatment be fixed at the rate of £1 a week.

Order. Arrangements to be made for the conveyance of the deaf mute James Mulkenius to the Cabra Deaf & Dumb Institution, & of Pat Trohy, from the Children's Hospital, Temple St., Dublin, to the Workhouse.

In the absence of Mr. Proffie, Mr. Gallagher moved that all the officials & inmates of the Workhouse be provided with a dinner of fish on all Fridays & other Fast Days as extra rations. The motion fell through as it was not seconded.

The Clerk read a copy of the notice posted to each Guardian that at meeting today the estimate of the liabilities & expenditure of the Guardians for the financial year from 31st March, next, will be considered.

The Clerk's estimate was submitted & examined, Moved by Mr. Egan, seconded by Mr. Gallagher, & Resolved - That the Clerk's estimate be adopted, & that a demand be made on the County Council to provide for the sum of £11318 in respect of General Charges, & £650 in respect of Repayment of loans, That the demand be signed by the Presiding Chairman, countersigned by the Clerk, & the Seal of the Guardians affixed.

Copies forwarded to the L. G. Board & the Galway County Council.

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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	...	49
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	0
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):—

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

28th / 914. } Form A, in the case of the Boarded out child Andrew
8th Aug. } Section has not yet been furnished.
Form A was sent to the Committee on 20th ult. & has not as yet been returned. A reminder was sent on the 9th inst.

4th Aug. / 14. From the Clerk of Union, Glumamaddy, stating that the boy Martin Thornton was sent by ear to Tralee, & from thence by rail to Galway, at a cost of 13/- which he advanced.

Order. To be refunded this amount. The cost of the boy's maintenance in the Glumamaddy Workhouse Hospital, amounting £2-3-8, being at the rate of 3/- a week (same as would have been allowed to his foster parent had he not been in Hospital), to be paid to the Glumamaddy Board of Guardians.

13th Aug. / 14. From Rev. W. Conway, P.P. Glumamaddy, stating that the foster parents of the children Edward Blakeley & Winifred Lee have refused to comply with the Guardians' Order to give up the possession of these children. For the sake of discipline they should be compelled to do so. The foster parents not being parishioners of his he has little or no control over them.

Order. Our Solicitors to be instructed to institute legal proceedings against the foster parents.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1898

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

[These Reports are to
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Officers to the Board of
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viz., on the 31st March,
the 30th June, the 30th
September, and the 31st
December.]

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

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

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

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

Oranmore,	Medicines, £4-16-9,	Appiances, £1-16-10,
Turloughmore,	" 5-15-6	" 2-15-1
Workhouse,	" 25-0-10	" 47-17-4
<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 _____ dated _____ 1914

Thomas H.

Cranmore Disp. Dist.

28 cases of successful vaccination from 1-10-13, to 1-1-14.

Turloughmore Disp. Dist.

18 cases from 3-11-13, to 2-1-14.

Population in 1911—25,082. Estimated Not Available Value 270,000 1914

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending on Friday, the 11th day of January, 1914

Class	Number	Under Medical Treatment	Under Medical Treatment in Hospital
Male	320	6	6
Female	320	6	6
Total	640	12	12

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 9th day of January, 1914

Present—*John J. [unclear]*

Other Guardians—*[unclear]*

PRESIDENT: *[unclear]*

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Wednesday, the 16th day of January, 1914

Signed: *[unclear]*
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,124 16s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January, 1914.

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 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	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards				Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital
Workhouse	816	320												95	In separate Wards			
Temporary Buildings	222	6												6	In Wards with other Inmates	17		
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	6																
TOTAL	1082	332												101		7		
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			14	35	97	104	12	10	8	12	8	6	12	3	321			
Admitted during the Week			11	2	16	14	1			1		2		27				
Born																		
Total			25	37	113	118	13	10	8	13	8	8	12	3	368			
Discharged during the Week			9	1	7	13	1	1	2			1		35				
Died							1							1				
Total Discharged and Died			9	1	7	14	1	1	2			1		36				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	36	106	104	12	9	6	13	8	7	12	3	332			
														No. relieved during week	9	0	0	9
														No. in Workhouse at date				
														No. at Corresponding Period last year				309

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January, 1914, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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 10 Vic. 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.	82	148			82	148	Bt. forwd.	93	165			93	165
No. II.	2	10			2	10	No. V.	1	2			1	2
No. III.	3	5			3	5	No. VI.	3	6			3	6
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	24	24			24	24
Car. forwd.	93	165			93	165	TOTAL	121	197			121	197

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

WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of January, 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Patrick Curran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. King, W. Coen, Ryan, J. Murphy, Martin McLooney, M. Redington, W. Hill, P. Gallagher, H. Cooke, S. Toller, Whardner, M. Davoren.

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PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY,

the 21st day of January, 1914.

(Signed) Robert H. Mallery,
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 20th day of January, 1914.

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

Indoor, from No. 605 to No. 637
 Separate ,, No. 31 to No. 35
 Out-door ,, No. 2492 to No. 2494

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 17th day of January, 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week						Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of days						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	60	1	4	72	8	8	132	10	0	66	15	10	8	16	5	75	12	3	56	17	9	2303
Necessaries	10	13	11	19	7	1	20	1	0	20	5	6	1	3	5	21	8	11	8	12	1	
Total	70	15	3	91	15	9	162	11	0	87	1	4	9	19	10	97	1	2	65	9	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 5 : 3 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary 5 : 8
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 6 : 8

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

- 1—The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
- 2—The Clothing Receipt Book.
- 3—The Inventory Book.
- 4—The Labour Book.
- 5—The Workhouse Farm Account.
- 6—The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
- 7—The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
- 8—The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in Kind, and Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January, 1914, 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
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2 6 4	1 17 2	1 3 0	3 2 11	12 6	15 6	11 19 5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 0 0				1 0 0		21 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	22 6 4	1 17 2	1 3 0	3 2 11	1 12 6	15 6	32 19 5
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	8 10 0	8 6	6 6	2 6	3 0	7 0	9 19 6
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 ...							
7. Total Relief given	8 12 6	8 6	6 6	2 6	3 0	7 0	10 2 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	15 13 10	1 8 8	16 6	3 0 5	1 9 6	8 6	22 17 5
9. Total	22 6 4	1 17 2	1 3 0	3 2 11	1 12 6	15 6	32 19 5

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	...					

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

14th inst. Mr Colahan resumed duty.
 14th, 15th & 16th Mr P. C. Beresford, L.S. Inspector visited the House & Hospitals.
 19th inst. Annie Scott gave birth to an illegitimate child in the Lying-in Hospital. She states that the putative father is Stanley Mellor of London.
 A wringing machine is much needed for use in the Laundry.

Ordered.

The Clerk informed the Guardians that Mr. Howell has invited the School children in the Workhouse to witness a performance in the cinema theatre at 4.30 pm, tomorrow.
Accepted with the best thanks of the Guardians.

Explanation from Wardsmaid,
 I went to Limerick to see my son who was ill, hope the Guardians will excuse her this time.

Kate Sullivan,

Order, to be warned that a repetition of the offense will lead to her dismissal.

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:—

15/6/14. } Referring to an entry in the Minutes of the 7th
 14th inst. } of a report from the Master of the Workhouse
 in which he states that Wardsman Michael Kelly, left on pass & did not return to the Workhouse until the 5th inst.; & stating that this man should be called upon to furnish a written explanation of his conduct.

Explanation.

21-1-14. I met some friends from Ballinasloe & they detained me, I hope I may be given another chance & I promise that I will not offend again.

Michael Kelly, Wardsman,

Order, to be warned that a repetition of the offense will lead to his dismissal.

Notice of Eviction,
at suit of John B. O'Flaherty, against Huey
O'Reilly from a house, 46 in Drummore.

In response to advertisement the following
tenders were received,

M. Murphy;	for old clothes,	6/-	per cwt.
"	" " metal,	2/-	" "
"	" bones,	2/-	" "
B. Shapiro,	" old clothes,	7/-	" "
"	" " metal,	1/3	" "
"	" bones,	2/3	" "

The latter tender was accepted,

Mr. Gallagher objected on the grounds that the
tender was not handed in within the time
specified, his objection was overruled.

Moved by Mr. Cooke, seconded by the Chair-
man, & unanimously

Resolved that we request Sir Jas. O'Donoghue
to reconsider his decision to resign his seat
at this Board.

The Clerk submitted the Healthy Dietary
Table as revised.

Its adoption was moved by Mr. Lillie,
seconded by Mr. Redington, & carried unan-
-imously.

Copy forwarded to the L. G. B. for approval.

Moved by Mr. Haller & seconded by Mr. Lillie,
that the charge for maintenance & medical
treatment in the Union Hospitals be at the

rate of $3\frac{5}{8}$ a day, to persons in a position to pay
for such.

Mess^{rs} Cooke & Gallagher objected to any change
being made in the procedure hitherto followed.
After a discussion the original motion was de-
-clared carried, on the understanding that
it will be optional with the Guardians to re-
-duce the charge in exceptional cases.

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19th Jan'y 14. From Mess^{rs} H. Courton & Son, Solicitors, stating that in compliance with the directions of the Guardians, they wrote to Mess^{rs} O'Keeffe & Treacy to hand over the two children Blakeley & Lee to the Rev. W. Conway by the 24th inst, otherwise proceedings will be taken against them.

The Clerk of Blyden Union furnished reports for the past quarter on children boarded out from Galway Workhouse at Blyden.
Copies forwarded to the L. G. Board.

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Read Letter from *McDermis McDuffre* dated *14th Jan'y* 1914,

stating that in compliance with the Guardians' directions he has completed the repairs to the Spiddal Dispensary.

20th Jan'y. 14. From *De Colahan*, certifying that on this date he has seen *Sturse Alee* of the *Moyculleen Disp. Dist.* that she is suffering from the effects of a cold contracted some days ago & should not resume duty for a few days.

Leave of absence extended for a few days.

In response to advertisement inviting proposals for the sale of between 3 and 5 acres of land as a site for a Dispensary & Residence in the *Curloughmore Disp. Dist.*, the following were received:—

From *Wm Joyce*, 4 statute acres for £100 with a ground rent of 10/- per acre, adjoining the public road from *baekagh* to *Amaghdown*,
From *Kate Fallon*, 3 acres at *baekaghmore*, for the sum of £200.

From *Barth Liblin*, from 3 to 5 statute acres at *Kuochdae*, for £100 per acre.

*The prices asked were considered too high.
Order. Application to be made to the Congested Districts Board for a site, from 3 to 5 acres.*

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Wednesday

the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,124 16s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of January, 1914.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons and Adult Persons above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age		Infants under 2 years of age		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	816	319																
Temporary Buildings	222	6																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	4																
TOTAL	1082	329																
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...			16	36	106	102	12	9	6	13	8	7	12	3	332			
Admitted during the Week ...			5	7	9	6				1			1		29			
Born ...												2	1	3				
Total ...			21	43	115	110	12	9	6	14	8	7	15	4	364			
Discharged during the Week ...			5	4	10	7	1			1			1	1	30			
Died ...					1	3							1		5			
Total Discharged and Died			5	4	11	10	1			1			2	1	35			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	39	102	100	11	9	6	13	8	7	12	3	329			
															NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
															Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
															5	2	1	8
															No. in Workhouse at date		3 0 0 3	
															No. at Corresponding Period last year		3 16	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of January, 1914, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vic. 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 Vic. 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.	82	148			82	148	Bt. forwd.	92	169			92	169	
No. II.	5	12			5	12	No. V.	1	2			1	2	
No. III.	3	5			3	5	No. VI.	3	6			3	6	
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23			23	23	
Car. forwd.	92	169			92	169	TOTAL	121	200			121	200	

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

WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of January, 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Patrick Curran Esq.,

Other Guardians—

Messrs W. Lydon, M. Redington, R. Egan, P. Gallagher, M. Hooske, S. Fuller.

H. Huron
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 28th day of January, 1914.

(Signed) Robert Mullerdy
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 28th day of January, 1914.

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

Indoor, from No. 637 to No. 677
 Separate ,, No. 321 to No. 324
 Out-door ,, No. 2492 to No. 2495

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 24th day of January, 1914, 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	56	17	9	86	6	1	143	3	10	69	14	6	8	16	5	78	10	11	62	12	11	2321	
Necessaries	8	12	1	19	12	7	28	4	8	19	18	8	1	3	5	21	2	1	7	2	7		
Total	65	9	10	105	18	8	171	8	6	89	13	2	9	19	10	99	13	0	71	15	6		

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

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

- 1—The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
- 2—The Clothing Receipt Book.
- 3—The Inventory Book.
- 4—The Labour Book.
- 5—The Workhouse Farm Account.
- 6—The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
- 7—The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
- 8—The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in Kind, and Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1914, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL																
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Gullinan																	
	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 ...	15	13	10	1	8	8	16	6	2	0	5	1	9	6	8	6	22	17	5				
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...													1	0	0	1	0	0					
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	13	10	1	8	8	16	6	3	0	5	1	9	6	1	8	6	23	17	5			
EXPENDITURE.																							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																							
In Money ..	8	10	0	8	6		6	6	2	6	3	0		7	0	9	19	6					
In Kind ..	2	6															2	6					
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 ...																							
7. Total Relief given	8	12	6	11	0		6	6	2	6	3	0		7	0	10	21	6					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	1	2	17	8		10	0	2	15	11	1	6	6	1	1	6	13	12	11			
9. Total	15	13	10	1	8	8	16	6	3	0	5	1	9	6	1	8	6	23	17	5			

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:—

	£	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.

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month 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	1
Discharged	13	Discharged	3
Died	3	Died	0
Remaining	908	Remaining	5

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

- 21st inst. Missie Thompson was transferred to Galway Hospital for special treatment.
- 22nd " Mary Kennedy gave birth to an illegitimate child. She states that the putative father is John Phanstew, an Engineer in the employment of the County Surveyor. On the 26th inst. Kate Hardiman a native of Rosecommon was admitted in a state of pregnancy. She alleges that Pat Maloney of Paleigh Row is the cause. She has been in Galway during the past five years.
- Order. The Master to furnish a report on the case of Mary Kennedy.*
- As Kate Hardiman's confinement is not immediately expected, she be discharged from the Workhouse.*
- 22nd inst. Nicholas Connely was transferred to the District Lunatic Asylum, & on the following day William Brennan was transferred to the same Institution.
- 24th " By direction of D. Colahan, the services of Probationer Nurse Mary Toole were dispensed with, as the number of patients did not admit of her remaining in the Fever Hospital.
- 26th " I affixed a medical certificate that Nurse Laffey is suffering from a septic hand & unfit for duty. By direction of the Medical Officer I engaged the services of Nurse Toole of the Nursing Bureau, Dublin, at 25/- a week with rations.
- 26th " The services of Nellie Crosset as temporary Wardmaid

in the Fever Hospital were dispensed with, being no longer needed.

27th inst. The Food Inspector took samples of milk for analysis.

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:—

- 52369/13. } Sanctioning the appointment of Thomas Murphy
22nd July 14. } as Steam Boiler Attendant in the Workhouse
at a salary of £52 a year.
- 2981/14. } Requesting that they may be informed, whether
22nd July } Norah Culey's appointment as Wardmaid in
the Workhouse was made after advertisement
in accordance with the requirements of
Article 28 of the General Regulations.
- No.*
- Order. The issue of advertisement for a Wardmaid at a salary of £12 a year with rations. Applications to be considered at meeting on the 11th prox.*

26th Jan'y. '14. From Mrs. Shevell, requesting permission to give oranges to the children in the Workhouse on either the 30th or 31st inst.

Granted with the grateful thanks of the Guardians.

27th Jan'y. '14. From Sir Jas. O'Donoghue, stating that in deference to the request of the Guardians contained in their resolution on the 21st inst. he withdraws his resignation as member of this Board.

28th Jan'y. '14. From John Greene, applying for a pair of boots to enable him to leave the Workhouse & seek employment.

order To be supplied with a pair of boots.

28th Jan'y. '14. From Mr. Martin Murphy, protesting against the acceptance of the tender of M^r. B. Shapiro for old clothing, &c. at last meeting as the tender was received late.

Report of proceedings at a conference held on the 18th inst. for the purpose of considering whether the Salway Hospital Act, 1892, should be amended, & if so on what points.

consideration deferred.

