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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of September, 1914.

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Workhouse	816	292															
Temporary Buildings	222	3															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	8															
TOTAL	1082	303															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			12	29	103	89	10	6	12	13	11	6	16	1	308	81	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			4	10	14	1	2	2	3	1	2	2	1	1	42	8	In Wards with other inmates
Born																	
Total			16	39	117	90	12	6	15	14	13	10	17	1	350	89	7
Discharged during the Week			7	9	7	7	1	1	3	2	2	2	4	1	46		
Died						1									1		
Total Discharged and Died			7	9	7	8	1	1	3	2	2	2	4	1	47		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	30	110	82	11	5	12	12	11	8	13	0	303		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of September, 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		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		
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No. I.	80	139			80	139	Bt. forwd. No. V.	87	152			87	152
No. II.	3	9			3	9	No. VI.	4	7			4	7
No. III.	2	4			2	4	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
No. IV.	2	2			2	2							
Car. forw'd	87	152			87	152	TOTAL	112	185			112	185

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

WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of September 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Patrick Curran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs P. Gallagher, W. Gilhe, J. V. Walsh, H. Griffin.

J. Grover PRESIDENT CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of September, 1914.

(Signed) Robert Mullery Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 9th day of Sept 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. 2019 to No. 2066
 Separate ,, No. 38 to No. 38
 Out-door ,, No. 2532 to No. 2534

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits.

The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature :—

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The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of Sept 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.	
Provisions	52	55	66	130	120	185	64	127	8	167	73	92	27	93	2153				
Necessaries	8	3	2	6	18	8	15	20	9	121	136	10	157	265					
Total	62	89	73	118	136	05	79	148	10	01	82	109	51	158					

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
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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 5th day of Sept 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	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 ...	15 2 6	1 9 8	1 3 6	1 10 11	13 6	19 6 21	1 7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15 2 6	1 9 8	1 3 6	1 10 11	13 6	19 6 21	1 7
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	8 5 0	6 6	2 0	2 6	3 0	9 6 9	12 6
In Kind ..	2 6	.	.	.	.	.	2 6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	. 5 0	.	.	.	.	.	5 0
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7. Total Relief given	8 12 6	6 6	2 0	2 6	3 0	9 6 10	0 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6 12 0	1 3 2	19 6	1 6 5	10 6	10 0 11	1 7
9. Total ...	15 2 6	1 9 8	1 3 6	1 10 11	13 6	19 6 21	1 7

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

£ : :

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held the 9th day of Sept 1914.

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 August 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...	1296	0	0
Repayment of Relief	...	-	.	.
Rents of Dispensary Residences	...	-	.	.
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	...	-	.	.
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	...	-	.	.
Loans Received	...	-	.	.
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	...	1296	0	0

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of August, 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	...	398	2	11
Clothing and Bedding	...	25	5	11
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...	18	6	0
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	20	7	3
(c) Farm	...		8	6
(d) Other Expenses	...	39	10	8
Workhouse Burials	...		.	.
District School Account	...		.	.
District Hospital Account	...		.	.
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...		.	.
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...		.	.
Medical Charities	...	62	2	6
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	...	47	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...		.	.
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...		.	.
Expenditure out of Loans	...	230	12	6
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	£823	18	3

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of August 1914.

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	381	1	6	325	13	8
Total Sums received during the month	1296	0	0	.	.	.
Total	1677	1	6	325	13	8
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement		.	.		.	.
Payments ordered during the month	613	5	9	230	12	6
Total	613	5	9	230	12	6
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1263	15	9	95	1	2
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	1908	11	3	325	13	8
Outstanding Orders	624	15	6	230	12	6
Net Balance as above due to the Union	£1263	15	9	95	1	2

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	16	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	22	Discharged	2
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	80	Remaining	8

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

3rd inst. Delia Lydon, Wardsmaid, left on expiration of her month's notice.

5th " Maggie ^{Tempneely} Lydon, recently appointed, entered on her duties as Wardsmaid.

" " Miss B. M. Lore, Charge Nurse in the Fever Hospital, resumed duties after vacation.

" " Miss D. M. O'Keine, Nurse in the Fever Hospital, left on vacation granted to her, & Nurse Margt. Bolton took up duty as her substitute, in continuation of having acted as substitute for Nurse D. M. Lore, at the usual remuneration.

Approved.

6th " Sister M. Agnes McEormack, Head Nurse of the Workhouse, resumed duty after vacation.

7th " M^{rs} B. Lee, Cook, &c, in the Fever Hospital, left on vacation granted to her, & employed Mary King as substitute at 10/- a week with rations.

Approved.

A cistern is required for the W.C. in the Female side of the Hospital.

Ordered.

On the recommendation of Dr. McDonough, Workhouse Medical Officer, an order was made that John Dolan be transferred to the County Hospital for treatment, operation,

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):—

46087/14 }
3rd Sept: } Transmitting questions for answers respecting the person temporarily employed to discharge the duties ^{of Nurse O'Keine} during her absence on vacation. Nurse Bolton, sanctioned in Board Letter No 42603/14, dated 18th Oct. as substitute for Nurse Lore, & now continued in a similar capacity for Nurse O'Keine in the same Hospital.

34,522/14 }
8th Sept: } Adverting to the Minutes of the 24th Inst. last, & inquiring whether any further steps have been taken regarding the proposal to send a patient named Martin Murray to the Orthopaedic Hospital, Dublin, for treatment & to provide him with an artificial limb.

D. Colahan, Workhouse Medical Officer, undertook arranging for the treatment of his patient & the provision of an artificial limb for him.

Order. D. Colahan to be called upon to furnish a report on the case to the Guardians at next meeting.

9th Sept '14 Miss Minnie Laffey, Trained Nurse in the Workhouse applied for & was granted four weeks' vacation.

Order. The services of a Trained Nurse to be procured for the four weeks, at the usual remuneration at the rate of £1-5-0 a week with rations.

9th Sept '14. From Miss J. Bullinan, Relieving Officer for the Furlongmore Disp. Dist. applying for four weeks' vacation, & nominating her sister, Miss Maria J. Bullinan to act as her substitute.

Granted. Miss Maria J. Bullin, was appointed to act for four weeks at a remuneration at the rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ a week. Similarly employed & sanctioned in Board letter No. 55672/13, dated 27th Oct 1913.

In the matter of the appointment of a wardmaid in the Workhouse, before the Guardians at last meeting, when two candidates named Mary Arey & Mary Griffin received three votes each, the appointment was adjourned to this meeting.

Today, the appointment of Mary Griffin was carried unanimously.

Order. The Engineer & the contractor for sanitary annexes & porch in the Workhouse to be called upon to explain the cause of the delay in completing the work the four months allowed in the Specification having expired on the 22nd Oct. Penalty £3 a week.

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THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
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 Out-door Relief was
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed 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 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,
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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.

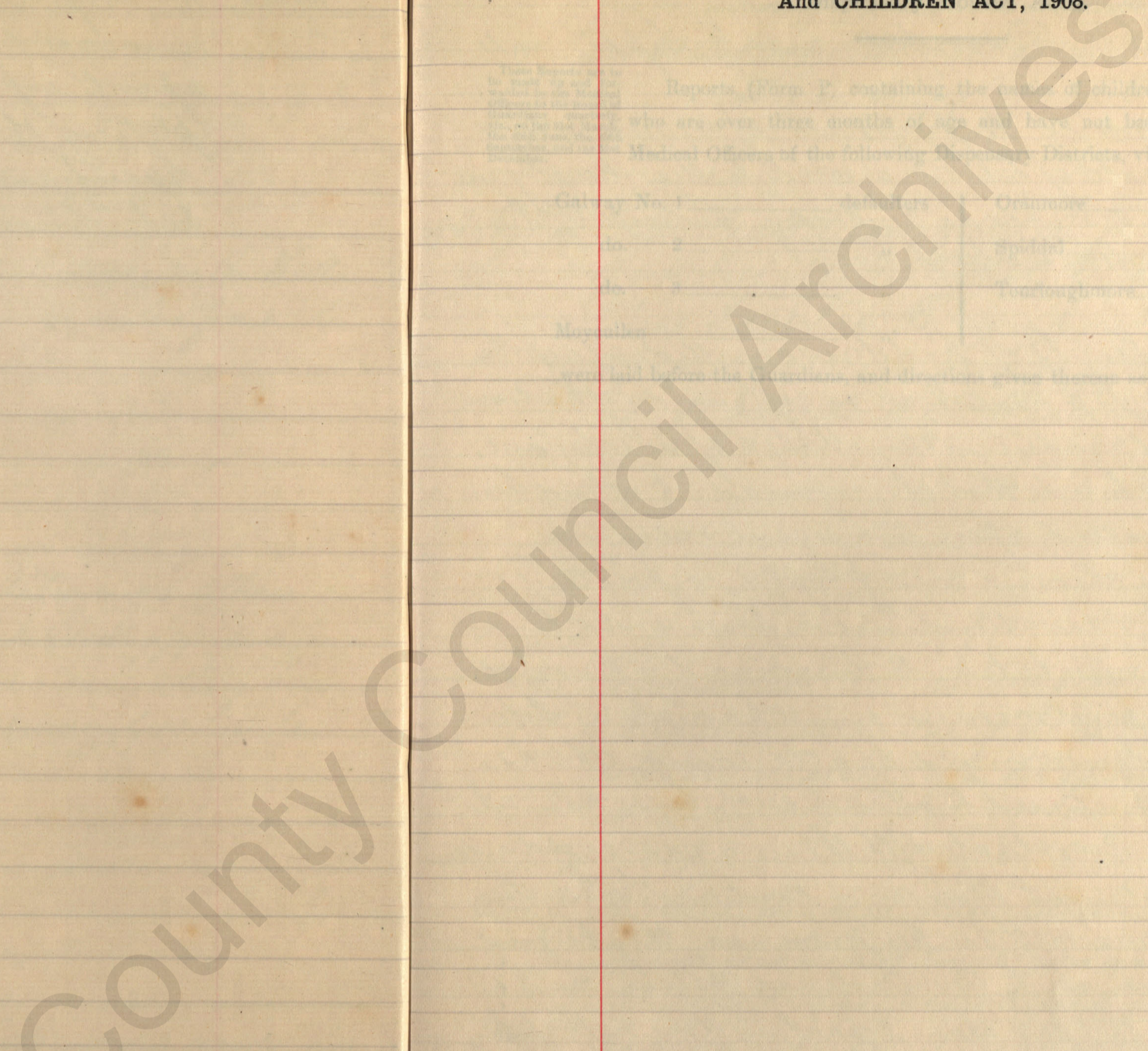
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	42
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	0
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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 Officer's Report (Form 2) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated from the Medical Officers of the following Districts:

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

Report on the balance of the ...
of the ...
of the ...



THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1906

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 three 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 :—

Requisites for Galway Dispensary:—
28 lbs. Soap, 3 lbs. Blacklead, 1 Hair Sweeping
Brush, + 1 Mop.
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 *L.G.B. No. 46354/14*, dated *4th Sept* 1914,

sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1.50 a week to Miss Mary Egan for her services as temporary Midwife of the Lurloughmore Disp. Dist.

7th Sept. 14 From Miss B. M. Hedderman, Midwife of the Galway No. 3 Disp. Dist. in explanation of the complaint made by John Maher of Inishuanin, Aran Delane, that she refused to attend him when called upon on a recent occasion. He is a chronic case of septic respiratory sputa, & her attendance on him would be a direct invitation to the spread of the infection to puerperal women on whom she as Maternity Nurse would be attending. She has always refused to attend such cases when she deemed contact with them a source of danger. The treatment of cases of cardiac disease does not come within her province, they belong exclusively to the Medical Officer. She is no philanthropic sham, quackery does not apply to her, & more careful consideration of these trivial complaints should convince the Guardians of the injustice of even asking for an explanation in anything outside the special sphere of duty.

Explanation considered quite satisfactory.

7th Sept. 14. From Dr. J. J. McDonagh, Medical Officer of the Galway No. 1 Disp. Dist. applying for leave of absence

for four days, & stating that the Medical Officer of No. 2 Disp. Dist. will do duty for him during his absence free of charge.

Granted.

9th Sept. 14. From the Relieving Officer for the Moycullen Disp. Dist. reporting that Nurse Lee appointed Nurse Mary Kate Browne to act as her substitute for 12 days remaining of her month's notice, free of expense to the Guardians.

Nurse Browne acted as temporary midwife in the Galway No. 2 Disp. Dist. recently, & her appointment was approved in Board Letter No. 41228/14, dated the 7th Oct.

Order. The Architect & the contractor to be called upon to explain the cause of the delay in proceeding with the erection of a Dispensary & Residence at Moycullen.

Order. The Solicitors to the Guardians to be instructed to prepare a Deed of conveyance in the matter of the residence purchased for the use of the Medical Officer of the Spiddal Disp. Dist. & submit it to the Registrar in Decease for approval. A cheque for the purchase money £230 was issued to the clerk to enable him pay the deposit of one fourth at present, & the balance when the conveyance has been completed.

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Admitted during the Week			9	16	12	2			2	1	2			1	51		
Born																	
Total			18	46	122	86	11	5	14	13	15	10	13	1	354	85	
Discharged during the Week			10	15	14	6		1	1	2	3	3		1	56	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Died					1										1		Males Females Child'n under 15 Total
Total Discharged and Died			10	15	15	6		1	1	2	3	3		1	57	No. relieved during week } 8 } 2 } 5 } 15 No. in Workhouse at date } 1 } 1 } 2 } 4	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	31	107	80	11	4	13	11	12	7	13	0	297	No. at Corresponding Period last year } 317	

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M. Moloney PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of September, 1914.

(Signed) Robt. J. Muller, Clerk of the Union.

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Necessaries	4	6	5	15	2	10	19	9	3	9	1	8	1	3	6	10	5	2	9	4	1	
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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	6	12	0	1	3	2	19	6	1	1	6	5	10	6		10	0	11	1	7			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	0	0	2	0	0										2	0	0	2	0	0		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	26	12	0	3	3	2	19	6	1	1	6	5	10	6		2	10	0	3	5	1	7	
EXPENDITURE.																							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																							
In Money ..	8	5	0	6	6		4	0		4	6		3	0		9	6		9	12	6		
In Kind ..	2	6																			2	6	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility												5	4									5	4
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																							
7. Total Relief given	8	7	6	6	6		4	0		9	10		3	0		9	6		10	0	4		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	18	4	6	2	10	8	15	6		16	7		7	6	2	0	6	2	5	1	3		
9. Total	26	12	0	3	3	2	19	6	1	1	6	5	10	6		2	10	0	3	5	1	7	

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

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held theday of191

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 of191., 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 Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of191.....

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	11	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	8	Discharged	1
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	82	Remaining	7

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

8th inst. Dr. Colahan on leave of absence, & Dr. M. McDonogh is performing his duties.

9th " Mrs Osborne of Glauville sent a quantity of fruit to the Workhouse children.

Order. The best thanks of the Guardians to be conveyed to Mrs Osborne for her thoughtful kindness.

12th inst. Patrick Kett, Warden, went out on pass & did not return till next morning. He has since been called up to join the Army, & left for that purpose on the 14th inst. An inmate has been acting as substitute.

Order. The Master to arrange for the temporary employment of a suitable person, as the Guardians desire to keep the place open till the return of Kett.

14th inst. Nurse Annie O'Connor returned after vacation,
15th " Nurse Annie Laffey left on vacation.

The Contractor has delivered 59 3/4 yds of Tweed, examined, approved, & ordered into stock. Miss Annie Murray who acted as substitute for Nurse O'Connor has been continued as substitute for Nurse Laffey at the same remuneration, namely £1-1-0 a week. Sanctioned in Board letter No 44289/14, dated 28th inst.

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):—

43622/14 } Circular Letter; Trade Boards Act, 1909.
8th Sept. } Contracts of Local Authorities.
Read & contents noted.

47278/14 } Transmitting questions for answers respecting
9th Sept. } the person employed as temporary substitute for Mrs Lee, Cook, &c. in the Fever Hospital during her absence on leave.
Mary King appointed as reported on the Minutes of the 9th inst. Was similarly employed & sanctioned in Board Letter No 52369/13, dated 13th Oct 1913.

150/22/14 } Circular letter to local authorities, stating that the
9th Sept. } Board will raise no objection to leave of absence

being given to employees who have joined His Majesty's Forces & to local Authorities making a reasonable payment in respect of wages or salaries to persons authorised by such employees to receive money. Further the Board will assent where necessary to local Authorities employing & paying temporary substitutes for such Officers who are summoned or volunteer for Naval or Military Service.

Contents noted.

47278/14 }
10th Sept } Sanctioning payment of a sum of £5-5-0 to Mr John Callaghan as remuneration for his services in taking & valuing stock in the Workhouse for the current half-year. Pointing out that payment should not be made until the work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Guardians.

128/02/14 }
14th Sept } Transmitting the Board's Annual Report for the year 1913-14.
Received with thanks.

14th Sept '14. From the N. H. Insurance Commission, giving particulars of the refund of 1/6 in respect of stamps affixed to cards subsequent to the issue of the Special Order of 22nd Oct 1913.

16th Sept '14. From Mr Birnie, B.C., stating that he called on Mr Macdonald for an explanation of the delay in completion of his contract at the Workhouse, & learned that he is absent in England. An explanation will be before the Guardians at their

next meeting.

16th Sept '14. From Dr M. McDonough, Medical Officer of the Workhouse & Galway N. L. Disp. Dist. applying for leave of absence for 4 or 5 days, stating that Dr J. J. McDonough will do duty for him.
Granted.

16th Sept '14. From Mary Murphy, Workhouse Wardsmaid, applying for leave of absence for 12 days.
Granted.

Order. The Station to be asked to arrange for the discharge of her duties by an inmate.

Applications for the appointment of Sea Gaster were received from Messrs L. McHughth Dublin & Mr Young Hare of Sligo.
On the motion of Mr Griffin, seconded by Mr Callaghan, Messrs McHugh & Co were appointed.

Moved by Mr Callaghan, seconded by the Chairman & Resolved - That we beg to tender to Mr Paek-Beresford our sincere sympathy with him in the death of his brother, Major Paek-Beresford, at the seat of war, while fighting for his King & Country.

The Guardians in attendance visited the Workhouse to examine the work done by the contractor for the erection of annexes &c, the time specified for completion having expired on the 22nd Oct. & found that half the work has not been done. An order was made that

the contractor be informed that the Guardians must impose the penalty mentioned in the Specification for non completion of contract on due time.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1875

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ...

Do. 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 ...

Date discharged ...

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was ...

The number of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief, were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books ...

The Bonds and other Securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk together with his Report thereon, as follows (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year):—

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

38110/14 } Referring to the reports of the Ladies Committee
10th Sept } at Clunnamaddy for Quarter ended 30th June last,
& stating that they observe that the foster mother
of Mary O'Brien & Mary K. Lore has died & they
request that they may be informed whether there
is now in the foster home a woman of full
age who has experience in the management
of children.

Referred to the Ladies Committee for report.

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	...	46
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 1899

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 three 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 :—

*Spiddal, Medicines, £ 5-15-0, Appliances, £ 4-18-6,
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 *Mr Campbell*, dated *9th Sept* 1914,

stating that her husband (the Hon. J. Campbell) will continue his subscription of £10 a year to the Nurse at Moyculleen provided she proves to be a thoroughly trustworthy competent woman, who will not charge the people too much.

Order. The best thanks of the Guardians to be conveyed to the Hon. J. Campbell & Mr Campbell for their generous contribution.

11th Sept '14. From the Congested Districts Board in reply to Guardians' inquiry, stating that the R. A. R. Herwan Estate is not yet vested in them.

16th Sept '14. From Mr A. Macdonald, Architect for the building of the Dispensary Residence at Moyculleen, stating that the delay in proceeding with the building is due to a misunderstanding between the contractor & quarrymen in connection with the delivery of building stone, but he now understands that the matter has been settled & the work will be proceed^{ed} with without any further delay.

In response to advertisement for a midwife for the Moyculleen Disp. Dist., one application only was received, Miss Mary K. Browne. Her appointment was moved by Mr Gallagher, seconded by Mr Griffin, & carried.

Order. Miss Browne to be informed of the conditions under which the Hon. J. Campbell promises

to subscribe £10 a year to the district nurse.

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others
 have been received and are hereby published in accordance with the provisions of the
 Act in that behalf made.

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,612 5s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 191

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		Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls		Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse - -	816																	
Temporary Buildings	222																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	44																	
TOTAL	1082																	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...																		
Admitted during the Week ...																		
Born ...																		
Total ...																		
Discharged during the Week ...																		
Died ...																		
Total Discharged and Died																		
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 _____ day of _____ 191, 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.							Bt. forw'd						
No. II.							No. V.						
No. III.							No. VI.						
No. IV.							VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.						
Car. forw'd							TOTAL						

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

WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of September 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair—*Martin Moloney Esq. D.O.B.*

Other Guardians—

Messrs N. Lydon, P. J. Gallagher, J. J. Walsh, & H. Moloney.

McCooke
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of September, 1914.

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

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

Indoor, from No. _____ to No. _____
 Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____
 Out-door ,, No. _____ to No. _____

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 _____ day of _____ 191, 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																				
Necessaries																				
Total																				

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was :
 Average Cost in Infirmary
 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 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 _____ day of _____ 191 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.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...							
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...							
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..							
In Kind ..							
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. Balance in hands at close of the week ...							
9. Total							

Special Meeting for contracts.

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