

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

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Finance Meeting held theday of.....191

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(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...			
(c) Farm	...			
(d) Other Expenses	...			
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Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...			
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Medical Charities	...			
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Total	...					
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Balance per Bank Book due.....Treasurer	...					
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HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	9	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	7	Discharged	0
Died	2	Died	0
Remaining	70	Remaining	0

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

12th inst. The Schoolmaster resumed duty.
 " " On the recommendation of the Medical Officer Mary Curran was transferred to the County Hospital for special treatment.
 16th " The Sailor resumed duty after leave of absence. During the week an escape of gas amounting to 30,900 cubic feet occurred in the disinfecting chamber at the Fever Hospital. I reported the matter to the Gas Works Manager & so far he has not given a definite explanation.
 Order. The Manager of the Gas Works to be called upon to state for the information of the Guardians how the escape of gas occurred.

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):—

60441/14. } Transmitting questions for answers respecting
 11th Nov^r. } the person who may be appointed as Cook & general helper in the Fever Hospital.
 60441/14 } Referring to the Minutes of the 4th inst. contain-
 12th Nov^r. } ing an explanation from Mr. P. Macdonald as to the delay in completing his contract for the erection of sanitary annexes, &c. at the Workhouse, & pointing out that the Engineer should make weekly reports to the Guardians stating the progress that has been made during the preceding week.
 Order. The Engineer to be called upon to furnish weekly reports.

56997/14 } Referring to the further entry on the subject
17th Nov: } in the Minutes of the 24th ult. & requesting
that they may be furnished with a specifi-
-cation & an estimate of the artificial limb
which the Guardians propose to provide for a
man named Martin Murray.

The patient has not, up to the present, been able to
undertake the journey to Dublin for the purpose
of measurement for the artificial limb.

Order, Mess^{rs} Haxmin & Co, Dublin, to be asked to furnish
the specification & estimate if they are in a position
to do so.

62,182/14 } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration
17th Nov: } at the rate of 10/- a week with rations for her
services as temporary wardmaid in the
Fever Hospital, to Nellie Crosset.

Mr. S. Coyne, M.P., the Chairman, & the Rev.
Mother of the Convent of Mercy, Galway,
tendered to the Guardians thanks for the
kind resolutions of sympathy passed
to them, respectively, at Guardians' last
meeting.

18th Nov: '14. From Mr. W. N. Riens, J.P., stating that he has
returned home after a vacation, & that the
several matters referred to him by the Guardians
during his absence will have his earliest
attention.

18th Nov: '14 From the Workhouse Schoolmaster, applying
for permission to take his wife into residence

in the Workhouse, as he finds it a great strain
on his income to be supporting her outside.
Referred to a Committee of the Guardians in at-
-tendance to inquire into the matter & report the
result to next meeting of the Board.

18th Nov: '14. From Dr. M. McDonough, Medical Officer of the
Workhouse & Galway No 2 Disp. Dist. applying
for leave of absence for 12 or 13 weeks, nom-
-inating Dr. J. J. Waters to act as substitute, &
stating that he will remunerate Dr. Waters
for his services for the time in excess of the
four weeks' vacation usually allowed,
Granted.

Moved by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. M. Moloney,
& Resolved - that Dr. J. J. Waters be appointed to act
as temporary Medical Officer of the Workhouse
& of the Galway No 2 Disp. Dist. during the absence
of Dr. McDonough, at a remuneration at the
rate of £5-5-0 a week for four weeks, Dr.
McDonough undertaking to remunerate him
for his services during the remaining period.

In response to advertisement for a Cook, Land-
-ress & General Helper in the Fever Hospital,
applications were received from Margaret
Hydon & Delia O'Donnell.

Margaret Hydon has been acting as Wardmaid
in said Hospital since sanctioned by the L.
S. Board on the 20th Oct. 1911. The Charge Nurse
strongly recommended her promotion to the
office of Cook, &c. as she frequently acted as such
during the absence of the Officer who has resigned.

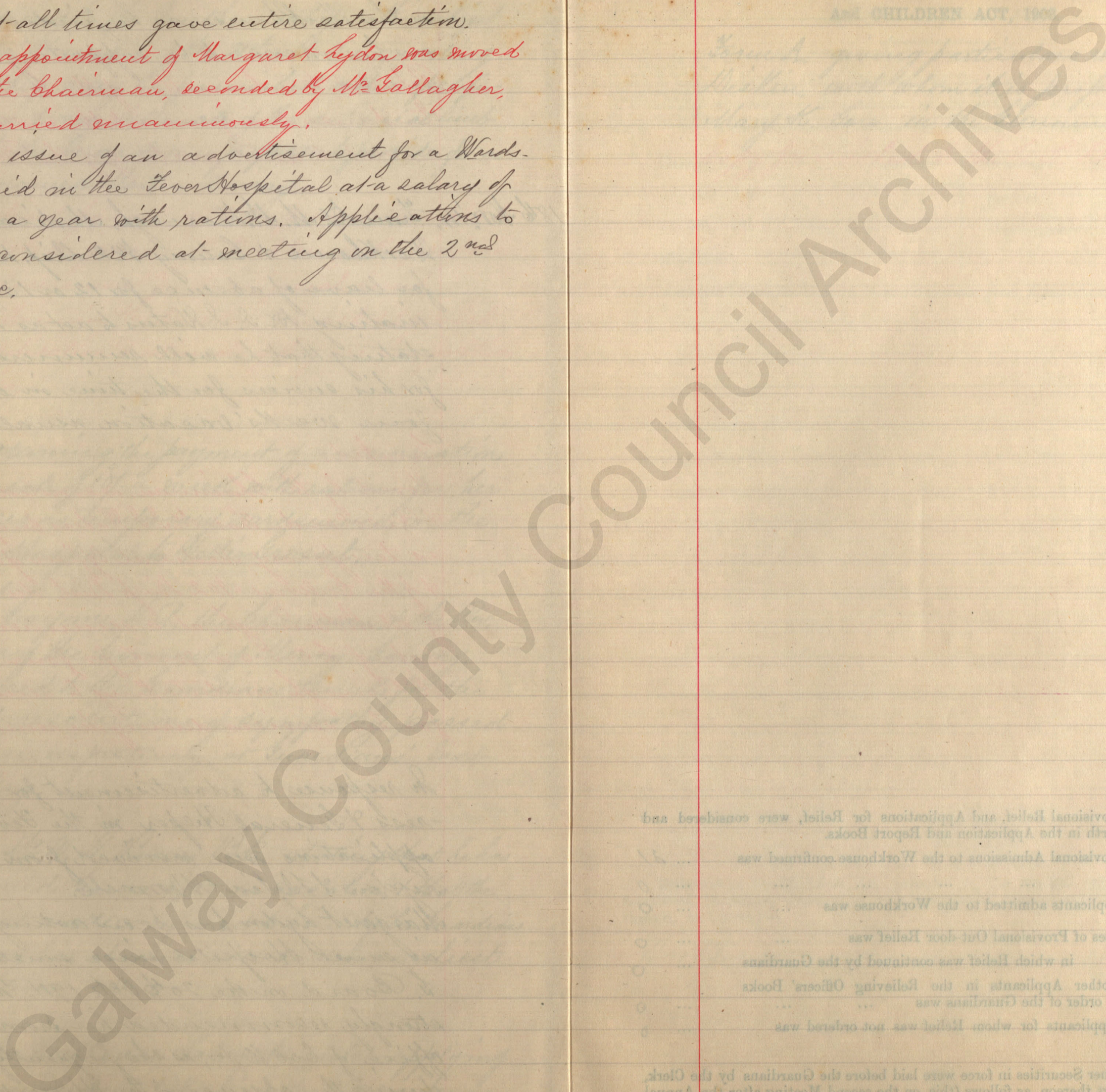
at all times gave entire satisfaction.
 The appointment of Margaret Lydon was moved
 by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Gallagher,
 & carried unanimously.

Order. The issue of an advertisement for a Wards-
 maid in the Fever Hospital at a salary of
 £16 a year with rations. Applications to
 be considered at meeting on the 2nd
 prox.

THE PAUPPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS,
 AND CHILDREN ACT, 1907

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 granted 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 continued was
 decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books
 The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief, were considered and

The 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 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	...	31
Ditto disallowed	... ..	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	0

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

Form A, giving particulars respecting Thomas Diskin, with whom it is proposed to Board out Mary K. Gore in the Glenamaddy District.
Copy furnished to the L. S. Board.

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

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

These Reports are to
be made up and for-
warded by the Medical
Officers to the Board of
Guardians quarterly,
viz., on the 31st March,
the 30th June, the 30th
September, and the 31st
December.

Reports (Form P, containing the names of children born in the District
who are over 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 :—

*Workhouse - Special medicines,
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. 62, 183/14* dated *17th Novr* 1914.

Sanctioning the payment to *Dr. Waters* of the sum of *£2-2-0* for his services as temporary substitute for *Dr. Sammon* in his capacity as Medical Officer & Medical Officer of Health of the *Crummure Disp. Dist.*

14th Novr '14. From Messrs *Boileau & Boyd*, Contractors for the supply of medicines, &c. in explanation of the complaint made by the Medical Officer of the *Crummure Disp. Dist.* in his report Form *L.* for past 1/2 year, that the delivery of medicines is not prompt. During that period two requisitions were received from him, one on April 17th, goods despatched on 27th of same month, the other on July 11th, despatched on 21st.

These requisitions reached at the beginning of the Quarter when there is an enormous rush of work, hence the delay. At any other period of the Quarter delivery could be given in about four days from receipt of order.

They will endeavour to expedite all future deliveries & they feel sure the Medical Officer will have no further cause for complaint.

Order. A copy of this explanation to be furnished to the Medical Officer.

14th Novr '14. From the Sec. to the Sanatorium Committee, *Galway County Council*, acknowledging the receipt of the communication from the Guardians re remuneration allowed by

the Committee to the Porter of the *Galway Dispensary* for attendance on the *Tuberculosis Officer*, promising that it will be laid before the Committee at their next meeting.

The Clerk called attention to the fact that *Mr. Richard Walsh*, Contractor for the building of the *Dispensary & Residence* in the *Moycullen Disp. Dist.* has not yet completed his Contract bond.

Consideration deferred, as the present season is unsuitable for commencing building work.

The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from *Galway 1 & 2 Disp. Dist.*

The original forwarded to the L.G.B. & a copy to the Medical Officers.

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,612 5s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of November, 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	Aged and Infirm Persons and Able-Bodied										RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
			Able-Bodied		Males		Females		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age		Children above 8 and under 15 years of age		Infants under 8 years of age		Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	816	269													
Temporary Buildings	222	6													
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	5													
TOTAL	1082	280													
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			19	10	10	22	85	78	10	11	17	12	9	283	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 72 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 5 In separate Wards } - In Wards with other Inmates } 17
Admitted during the Week			7	8			7	3	2	1		2		30	
Born													1	1	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS
Total			26	18	10	22	92	81	12	12	17	14	10	314	
Discharged during the Week			14	9			5	4			1		1	34	Males Females Childr'n under 15 Total 5 2 0 7
Died															
Total Discharged and Died			14	9			5	4			1		1	34	No. in Workhouse at date No. at Corresponding Period last year
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	9	10	22	87	77	12	11	17	14	9	280	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of November, 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	
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No. I.	82	147			82	147	Bt. forwd. No. V.	91	162			91	162
No. II.	3	9			3	9	No. VI.	1	2			1	2
No. III.	3	5			3	5	VII - Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
No. IV.	3	3			3	3	TOTAL	118	192			118	192
Car. forw'd	91	162			91	162							

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

WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of November, 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair—P. Curran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs S. Foley, Hornell, M. Cadington, N. Lydon, M. Moloney, W. S. Little, J. J. Walsh, D. Griffin, M. Hooke, & M. Grealish.

M. Beck-Beresford, L.S. Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

P. Curran
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of November, 1914.

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

TABLE (2)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 20th day of *Nov* 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. *2453* to No. *2478*
 Separate ,, No. *13* to No. *17*
 Out-door ,, No. *2557* to No. *2556*

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 *21st* day of *November* 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	57	2	51	19	10	10	109	2	0	52	1	0	9	16	3	6	19	3	27	2	9	1965
Necessaries	7	6	5	12	10	10	21	17	3	15	16	2	19	5	16	15	7	5	1	8		
Total	64	10	7	66	10	8	131	1	3	67	17	2	10	17	8	78	12	10	52	6	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
 Average Cost in Infirmary *4:10*
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital *6:7 1/2*
18:2

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 *21st* day of *November* 1914, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Sullivan			Relieving Officer O'Flaherty			Relieving Officer McNeill			Relieving Officer Walsh			Relieving Officer Kyne			Relieving Officer Gullinan			TOTAL			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	14	18	5	18	2		17	0		2	0	1	1	0	6	2	15	0	22	9	2	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																						
3. Total to be accounted for ...	14	18	5	18	2		17	0		2	0	1	1	0	6	2	15	0	22	9	2	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	8	6	6	6	6		6	6		7	6		3	0		9	6		9	19	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	16	0	6	6		6	6		7	6		3	0		9	6		10	9	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	2	5	1	1	8	1	0	6	1	1	2	7	1	6	2	5	6	1	2	0	2
9. Total	14	18	5	18	2		17	0		2	0	1	1	0	6	2	15	0	22	9	2	

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

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HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	16	Admitted during the Week	2
Discharged	12	Discharged	0
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	75	Remaining	6

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

19th inst. Received for old clothing &c, £450.

Order. To be lodged with the Treasurer.

23rd inst. Dr. McDonogh, Medical Officer, notified me that drink is being taken to the patients in Hospital by visitors.

Order. The Porters to be directed to put a stop to this practice.

24th inst. On the recommendation of the Medical Officer Martin Connor was transferred to the County Hospital for special treatment.

23rd 24th & 25th Mr Paek-Beresford, L. J. Inspector, made his half yearly inspection of the Workhouse.

The probation period of Martin Lee as Wardsman in the Workhouse has expired, owing to the unsatisfactory manner in which he performed his duties I cannot recommend his permanent appointment.

Resolved - that Martin Lee be dismissed, that advertisement be issued for a wardsman, salary &c. as before. Applications on the 9th prox.

The Relieving Officer for Calway District was directed to refuse Lee a ticket for admission to the Workhouse should he make application for such, as he is an able-bodied man & should be able to obtain employment if so inclined.

50 pairs of blankets delivered by a contractor were examined, approved, & ordered into stock.

Mr Paek Beresford, L. J. Inspector, directed the attention of the Guardians to the work performed by their Tailor & Shoemaker, respectively, during the past half-year, which did not compare favourably with the work got through by persons of the same calling in other Workhouses.

The Inspector was thanked for the information afforded, & an order was made that the Tailor & Shoemaker be informed that more work will be expected from them in the future, otherwise, a change will be made.

The Master to submit to Guardians a weekly return of the work performed by these tradesmen.

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):—

193/m/14.
23rd Nov 87

Circular Letter - British-born Wives & Children of Interned Aliens.

Informing the Guardians that the Government have had under consideration the arrangements to be made for affording relief to the distressed wives & children of interned enemy aliens.

It is understood that funds have been placed at the disposal of the American Embassy by the German & Austrian Governments for the benefit of their distressed nationals in this country, but that grants from these funds may not continue to be available for the assistance of British-born wives of interned persons & their children.

It is considered that the most effective manner

of affording assistance to such persons is to make grants through the agency of the Board of Guardians, not as poor law relief administered by the Guardians in the ordinary course of their duties, but as allowances made under the authority of the Government & charged upon funds placed at the disposal of the Local Government Board for this purpose. The Board feel assured that the Guardians & their officers will be willing to co-operate with them in the manner proposed.

Explaining the conditions upon which the amounts expended by the Guardians will be refunded.

Read & contents. The Guardians & their Officers will, with pleasure, co-operate with the Board.

The Guardians request information as to whether grants may be made retrospectively, as wives & children have lost the earnings of heads of families through internment during the past two months.

63,814/14.

24th Nov 14.

Approving of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of Dr. M. McDonough, Medical Officer of the Workhouse & the Calvary St. Disp. Dist. during his absence on vacation, & sustaining the payment of remuneration at the rate of £5-5-0 a week for a period of four weeks to Dr. Waters as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer of the Workhouse & Medical Officer & Medical Officer of Health of the Dispensary District.

24th Nov 14.

Notice from the Engine Boiler Insurance Co that an inspection of the Engine Boiler in the Workhouse will be made on the 30th inst.

24th Nov 14. From Mr James Lee, contractor for the supply of Tea to the Workhouse claiming 3% per lb. on the Tea stocked in the Workhouse being the increased duty on Tea imposed by the War Budget. *The duty on the Tea stocked having been long since paid the increase does not apply.*

24th Nov 14. From Messrs A. Guinness & Co, notifying an increase in their prices for Porter owing to the increased duty imposed under the Budget.

24th Nov 14. From the Sec. to the Calvary Gas Light Co notifying that that their Manager will attend on the Guardians at meeting to explain how the leakage in the gas pipe at the Disinfecting Chamber occurred.

The Manager attended & the Guardians in attendance were appointed a Committee to investigate the cause & report to the Board.

24th Nov 14. From Mr. Binns, Engineer, reporting that he has been urging the contractor for the building of the Sanitary Amenity, &c. at the Workhouse to complete his contract. The work is now well forward, & he is of opinion will be completed within a fortnight, as promised by the Contractor in a letter received from him & enclosed for the information of the Guardians.

25th Nov 14.

From Margaret Lydon thanking the Guardians for having appointed her as Cook, Lameress & General Helper in the Fever Hospital, & tendering her resignation as Wardsmaid in same Hospital.

a post filled by her since October, 1911.
Accepted.

In compliance with the request of the Guardians
Mess^{rs} ^J Jamieson & Co furnished a specification &
estimate of an artificial limb proposed to be
supplied for use to Martin J. Murray.

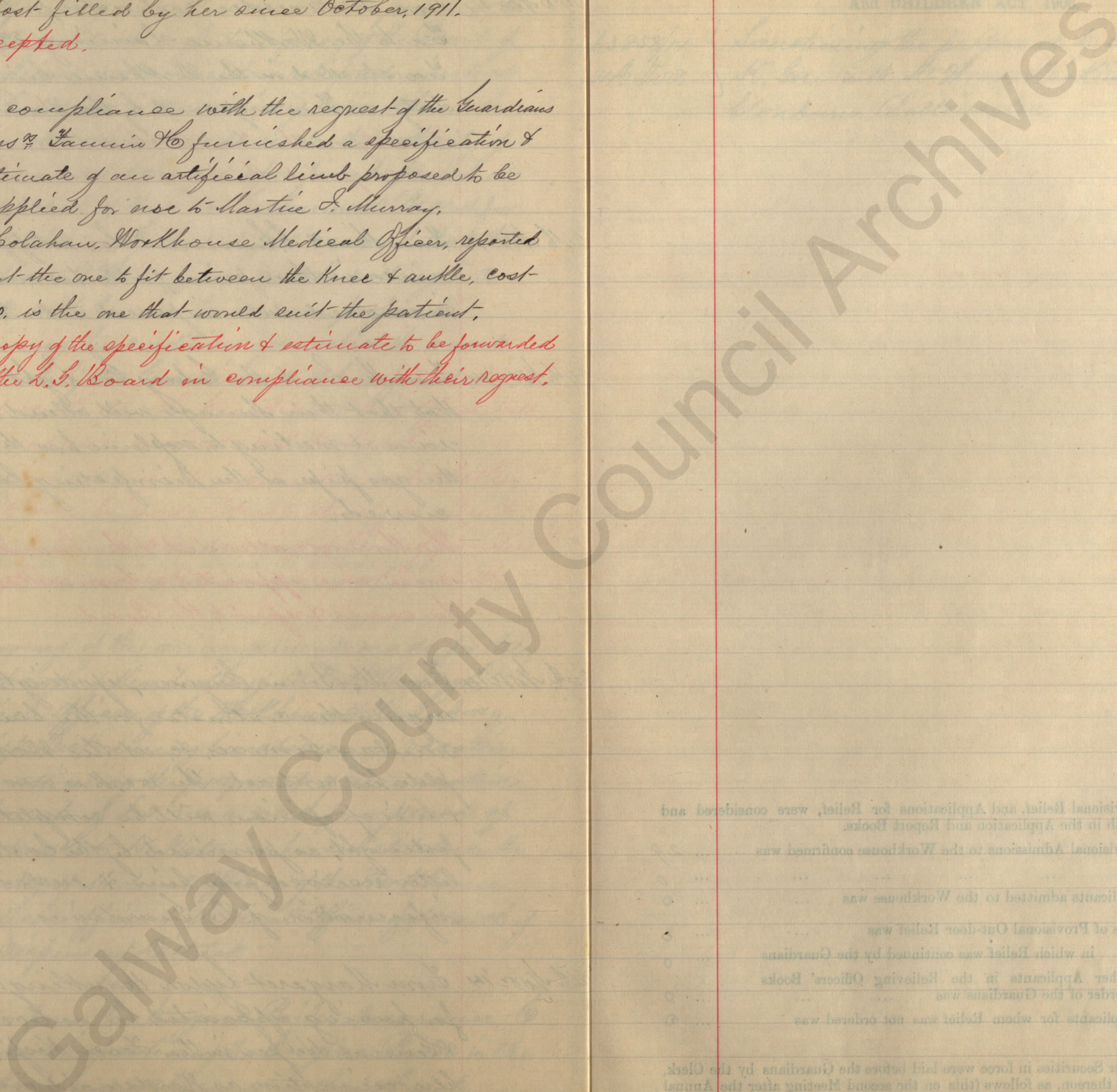
D. Colahan, Workhouse Medical Officer, reported
that the one to fit between the knee & ankle, cost
£10, is the one that would suit the patient.

*Order. A copy of the specification & estimate to be forwarded
to the S. B. Board in compliance with their request.*

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS,
AND CHILDREN ACT 1901

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

The 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 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	...	29
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	0

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

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

63858/14 }
 Mr. J. J. ... } Sanctioning the proposal to board out Mary
 St. Gore with Mr. Thomas Dickie, Cortgarow,
 Clonburn, Ballinacloe,

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THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1908

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

These Reports are to be made up and 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, £10-6-5,
Workhouse, Special Appliances £0-14-0.*

*Ordered,
Cost of special medicines ordered on the 18th inst. for use in the Workhouse. £4-19-6.*

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. 60442/14, dated 20th Novr. 1914,

referring to an entry in the Minutes of the 4th inst. & requesting that they may be informed whether the Relieving Officers have served notices on Vaccination defaulters as directed by the Guardians on the 21st inst. & if so, with what result.
The Relieving Officers reported having served the notices.
 Vaccination Reports.

Numbers who have since complied with the notices, Calway No 1-4. — Calway No 2-2. — Calway No 3-0
 Craunmore — 12. — Spiddal 28. — Turlingmore 25.
 The Medical Officer of Turlingmore Disp. Dist. called attention to a case of a family where four children remain unvaccinated & suggested a prosecution in this case.

Notice of Motion.

I give notice that on this day fortnight I will move, or some other Guardian on my behalf will move the rescission of any resolution in the Minutes prohibiting the prosecution of defaulters under the Vaccination Acts.

25-11-14,

(Signed) John Connell,

25th Novr '14.

From Dr. J. B. McDonough, Medical Officer of the Calway No 2 Disp. Dist. reporting that on the 18th inst. he asked the Porter of the Calway Dispensary to open a press in his (Dr. McDonough's) consulting room, & when this was done he found it contained buckets, articles of clothing, soap, looking glass, &c. &c. Up to recently it used to contain lint, cotton wool & other dressings. He asked the Porter to

clear out the press & give him up the Keys. When he arrived on the 18th inst. he found that the press had been removed to the Porter's apartments & when asked why this had been done the Porter claimed the press as his property. He (Dr. McDonough) considers the press belongs to the Guardians as he found it in the consulting room when he took up duty as Medical Officer. When he asked the Porter to restore the press to the room he refused & became most insolent, & he suspended him & ordered him out of the Dispensary. He asked Patrick Kelly, who attends in the Workhouse Surgery, to act in the Dispensary till next meeting of the Guardians. In his opinion Patrick Triffin the Porter is too old & feeble, walking with a shuffling gait, to perform his duties & should be called upon to resign. No doubt he will, as on a former occasion be able to procure a medical certificate as to his physical fitness.

Order. A copy of this complaint to be furnished to the Dispensary Porter & his explanation demanded.

John H.

Spiddal Dispensary District,
 68 cases of successful vaccination between the dates, 1-10-14. & 17-11-14.

Population in 1911—35,083.

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of November 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 above 15 years of age but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 years of age		Children above 3 and under 9 years of age		Infants under 3 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
Workhouse	816	274													
Temporary Buildings	222	6													
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	5													
TOTAL	1082	285													
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			11	9	10	22	88	77	12	11	17	13	10	280	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			4	10			7	3			2	1	1	28	In Wards with other Inmates
Born															
Total			15	19	10	22	95	80	12	11	19	14	11	308	
Discharged during the Week			2	6			6	1	2		1	1		19	
Died								3	1					4	
Total Discharged and Died			2	6			9	1	2		1	1		23	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	13	10	22	86	79	11	9	19	13	10	285	No. at Corresponding Period last year
			14	14	10	22	90	81	11	12	14	7	10	285	302

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of November 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.	79	137			79	137	Bt. forwd.	88	152			88	152
No. II.	3	9			3	9	No. V.	1	2			1	2
No. III.	3	5			3	5	No. VI.	4	6			4	6
No. IV.	3	3			3	3	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
Car. forw'd	88	152			88	152	TOTAL	115	182			115	182

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

WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of December 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Hurray Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs M. King, P. A. French, P. Connelly,
 W. Redington, M. Moloney, M. Finaw, P. Gallagher,
 J. Walsh, J. Griffin, P. Rabbitt, M. Cooke, W. O'Halloran,
 M. McNeill, M. Heaven, Blaney, P. Caulfield, &
 J. Bailey.

[Signature]

PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of December, 1914.

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 2nd day of December 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. 2478 to No. 2500
 Separate „ No. 17 to No. 18
 Out-door „ No. 2556 to No. 2556

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 28th day of November, 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	47	4	9	66	8	5	113	13	2	53	19	8	10	8	9	64	8	5	49	4	9	1968
Necessaries	5	1	8	20	17	6	25	19	2	16	7	5	19	8	17	7	1	8	12	1		
Total	52	6	5	87	5	11	139	12	4	70	7	1	11	8	5	81	15	6	57	16	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary	..	..	..	s.	d.
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	..	..	..	7	11½
				6	11½
				15	11

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 28th day of November, 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 ...	6	2	5	1	1	8	1	0	6	1	1	2	7	1	7	6	2	5	6	12	0	2		
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0							1	0	0				1	9	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21	2	5	2	1	8	1	0	6	1	1	2	7	1	1	7	6	2	5	6	21	0	2	
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ..	8	1	6	6	6		6	6		7	6		3	0		9	6		9	14	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	6	0	6	6		6	6		7	6		3	0		9	6		9	19	0			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12	16	5	2	5	2	1	4	0	1	5	1	1	12	6	1	16	0	2	1	2			
9. Total	21	2	5	2	1	8	1	0	6	1	1	2	7	1	1	7	6	2	5	6	21	0	2	

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.....

	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	12	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	11	Discharged	1
Died	5	Died	0
Remaining	71	Remaining	5

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

- 25th ult. The Food Inspector took samples of milk for analysis.
- 27th " The services of Probationer Nurse Delia Burke in the Fever Hospital being no longer required were dispensed with.
- " " Martin Lee, Wardsman, whose services were dispensed with by the Guardians at last meeting, left the Workhouse. An inmate is discharging the duties pending the new appointment.
- 30th " The services of Nellie Grossett as temporary Wardsmaid in the Fever Hospital were dispensed with.
- " " By direction of the Medical Officer Owen Naughton was transferred to the County Hospital for special treatment.
- " " The Inspector of the Boiler Insurance Co. examined the Steam Boiler.
- " " I have started a blotting Book for the Tailor & Shoemaker which will be submitted to the Board at each meeting in future.

Offence Book.

- 1st inst. Delia Haire & Mary Mullaly, able-bodied inmates, refused to work. The former has since left the Workhouse.
- Order. Mary Mullaly to be prosecuted; also Delia Haire should she re-enter the Workhouse.*

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):—

- 65599/14. *Adverting to previous correspondence relative to the proposal to endorse a clause of surrender on the lease of the Old Fever Hospital of the Workhouse, returning the draft clause herewith, & stating that the Board have approved of it as now amended. Also forwarding the lease in question in order that the clause of surrender may be expressed thereon, after which the document should be returned to their office for the execution of the clause in question.*
- 1st Dec? *Requesting an acknowledgment of the receipt of the documents.*
- Receipt acknowledged by return of post.*
- Order. The clause of surrender to be endorsed on the lease &*