

reports that there would be very great difficulty in making any radical changes in the present diets owing to the fact that the books have already been printed for the existing scales. After conference with the Medical Officer, the only changes she suggests are:

1. The elimination of the egg at breakfast in scales 3 & 3A.
2. The omission of the "additional" milk in these scales.
3. The substitution of margarine for butter in all the sick scales. Margarine is already in use in the body of the House & the Medical Officers approve of its being also used in the sick diets.

The scales for the sick amended in accordance with the above are also enclosed, & the Board would ask the Guardians to ratify these changes in both the Healthy & Sick Necessaries.

The Guardians ratify the substitution of margarine in all the sick scales, but decline to ratify the proposed elimination of the egg at breakfast in Scales 3 & 3A, or the omission of the "additional" milk in these Scales.

10 284/16. } Sanctioning the proposed payment of £5.50
2nd March. } to Mr. John Gallagher as remuneration for his services in taking & valuing stock in the Workhouse for the current half year. Payment should not be made until the work

has been completed to the satisfaction of the Guardians.

11.311/16. } Sanctioning the proposed payment ^{to Mr. John Gallagher,} of remuneration at the rate of $10\frac{1}{2}$ a week with rations to the estimated weekly value of $9\frac{1}{2}$ for her services as temporary Wardsmaid in the Fever Hospital.

11.017/16. } Forwarding a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his Audit of the Accounts for the half-year ended 30th Sept. last, with attested abstracts of the accounts.

Report.

Of the sum of £52.12.9, shown in the Clerk's Statements to be due by persons whose names are on the Separate Register, £42.6.0 is due by an Army Officer for the maintenance of his children in the Fever Hospital. I understand that it is the custom for the Army Authorities to pay $3\frac{1}{2}$ per head per day for privates & their families when in Hospital but they have refused to pay anything in the case of Officers. The Board of Guardians, have, therefore, reduced the amount from $3\frac{1}{2}$ to 9^d per day for each of the four children of this Officer.

By adopting the new dietary scale a saving of £83.15.2 has been effected in the expenditure on Provisions & Necessaries during the half-year under audit. This must be considered very satisfactory having regard to the increased price of provisions.

The accounts have been kept & were presented for audit in the usual satisfactory manner,
Arthur C. Ellis, Auditor,

During the past month a payment on $\frac{1}{2}$ has been made by the Army Officer referred to.

Order to be called upon to pay the balance without delay.

1st Mar. '16. Notice from the Board of Management of the County Hospital that on & after the 1st prox, the charge for adult-patients will be increased to $\frac{3}{4}$ a day & for children under 12 years half price. The matter will be further considered on 30th Sept. next.

2nd Mar. '16. Notice from the Royal Victoria Eye & Ear Hospital, Dublin, that on & after the 1st prox, the charge for patients will be increased from $\frac{2}{3}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ a day.

5th Mar. '16. From Mr. W. D. Halloran, P. S. notifying that he has got employment in Munition Works in Scotland, so will be unable to attend meetings of the Board for a time.

6th Mar. '16. From Lord Killanin, P. S. S. accounting for his non-attendance at meetings of the Board that he has been engaged at work in the Convalescent-Hospital, Woodcote Park, Epsom, & will be for some time to come.

Explanation considered quite satisfactory.

Thomas Dickin, inmate of the Workhouse, applied for a pair of boots to enable him seek employment outside. Should he succeed, he will remove his 3 children who will require clothes.

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2nd Mar. '16

Commission to go out & seek employment granted.
Order. To be supplied with a pair of boots value for 1³/₆.
Clothing for the children will be supplied when he has secured employment.

The Acting Secretary to the Galway County Council reported that the Council had succeeded in getting the chargeability of seven children named O'Brien committed to Industrial Schools by Justices at Longrea Petty Sessions, changed from County Galway to County Clare, as the parents of the children had come recently from the latter County. Requesting that this matter will be reported for the guidance of Justices upon the hearing of any applications for the committal of children to Industrial Schools.
Approved.

Applications to be appointed as Tea Tasters were received from Mess^{rs} Warren of Sligo, & C. J. McHugh & Co. & J. O'Hara of Dublin, at a fee of £1.
On the motion of Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. Coote, Mess^{rs} C. J. McHugh & Co. were re-appointed.

Mr. John Griffin was appointed a delegate from this Board to a meeting in the National Volunteer Hall on the 9th inst. to make arrangements for a public demonstration on St. Patrick's Day.

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):—

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY,
the _____ day of _____ 191.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

7th Mar. '16. From Miss M. French of 12 St. Joseph's Avenue, Galway, applying for the child Bridget McCabe, 5 years old, to be boarded out with her.

Order. Report Form A to be furnished.

Terms of Agreement for Hiring Out.
Peter Murphy, ^{15 years} with Maude Kelly of Beagh, Berragh W. Glencamaddy, at £6 a year, increasing by £1 annually.
Bridget Cornell, 15 years, with M. James St. Gill of Clondroyle, Glencamaddy, at £5 a year, increasing by £1 annually.
Heretofore these children were boarded out with the same persons.

The agreements were signed by the Chairman, & countersigned by the Clerk.

Relieving Officer J. Walsh submitted a report Form A, re the hiring out of Patrick Cornell with M. George Duval of Thompark, Drummore.
Approved; copy forwarded to the L. S. D.

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

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

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

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

Galway No. 1	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:—

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 20/m/16* dated *29th Feb.* 1916.

Circular Letter re Contracts for Medicines & Medical & Surgical Appliances.

Read & contents noted.

3rd Mar. '16. From Messrs Boyleau & Boyd, Medicines & Contractors, re complaint of Dr Glynn, Medical Officer of the Furlongmore Disp. Dist. of delay in remitting charges for delivery of drugs, &c. stating that Dr Glynn's claim was received on the 1st inst. only, & will be attended to in due course.

6th Mar. '16. From Miss M. McDutty, reporting having taken up duty as temporary Midwife in the Furlongmore Disp. Dist.

Relieving Officers' Reports.

Galway No 2 Disp. Dist.

8th Mar. '16. Dr M. McDonogh resumed duty after vacation, Moycullen Disp. Dist.

3rd Mar. '16. Dr Francis left on vacation & Dr Loftus took up duty as substitute. Dr Francis is to resume duty on the 9th inst.

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,794 Os. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March 1916

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		Attendants		Aged and Infirm		CHILDREN						RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS				
			Classes I—II		Class III		Classes IV—V		8 to 15 years		3 to 8 years		Infants under 3 years of age, and Nursing Mothers		Total	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers					
Workhouse	816																		
Temporary Buildings	222																		
Permanent Fever Hospital	44																		
TOTAL	1082																		
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return															Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards		In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week															Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other Inmates		
Born															NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Total Discharged during the Week															No. relieved during week	Males	Females	Children under 15	Total
Died															No. in Workhouse at date	No. at corresponding period last year			
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 11th day of March 1916, 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
No. I.							Bt. forwd. No. V.						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.						
No. IV.													
Car. forwd.							TOTAL						

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ^{Special} Friday WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of March 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Martin Hooper Esq. Other Guardians—

Messrs W. Coen & J. Hydon,

monthly Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of March 1916.

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

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Special Meeting held the 10th day of March, 1916

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 11th day of March, 1916, 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.	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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March, 1916, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Fiaherly	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Gooney	
	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 ...							

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GALWAY UNION.

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.....191..., 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
Workhouse Burials
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances
(c) Farm
(d) Other Expenses
Maintenance in Extern Institutions
Emigration, Law and other Expenses
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers
MEDICAL CHARITIES—				
Salaries
Vaccination Fees and Expenses
Medicines and M. & S. Appliances
Miscellaneous Expenditure
Superannuation Allowances
Repayment of Loans
Unpaid Bills of last half-year
Expenditure out of Loans
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....191.....

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	.....	Admitted during the Week	.....
Discharged	.....	Discharged	.....
Died	.....	Died	.....
Remaining	.....	Remaining	.....

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

Special Meeting for consideration of tenders for half-yearly supplies to the Workhouse, &c., from the 1st prox. contracts as follows were entered into, namely:

Contracts for six Months - from 1st April to 30th September, 1916.

Griffin Bros.,	White Bread,	@	2/8d per 14 lb. loaf.
Martin Thornton,	Beef & Mutton,		4/8d per lb.
Michael Costelloe,	Pigs Heads,		5d "
Mathew Cunningham,	Ox Heads,		2/- each.
John T. Miller,	Butter,		1/3d per lb.
"	Eggs,		1/10 per score.
"	Chickens,		11d per lb.
Bernard V. Heavey,	Port Wine (S x)		1/11 per bottle
"	Washing Soda,		4/- per cwt.
"	Altar Wine,		1/9 per bottle.
Michael Walsh,	Bacon,		1/1 per lb.
"	Flour,		23/- per cwt.
"	Oatmeal,		25/11 "
"	Margarine,		0/7d per lb.
"	Patna Rice,		27/- per cwt.
F. McDonagh & Co	Cornflour (J)		2/4d per lb.
"	Milk Biscuits,		1/5d "
"	White Pepper,		1/2d "
"	Brandy (Hx)		2/5 11 1/2 per bottle.
"	Gin (de Kuyper's)		5/11 "
"	Minerals,		1/8 per doz.
"	Provision Salt,		7/3/10 per cwt.
"	Fine Salt,		5/10 "
"	Starch,		1/8 4 1/2 per lb.
Martin J. Newell	Blue,		14/8 5 1/2 per pair,
"	Comp. Candles,		11/- 4d "
"	Lentils,		10/8 4 1/2 "
"	Haricot Beans,		4/0 4 1/2 "
"	Syrup,		4/- 5 1/2 per lb.
"	Jam (Mixed)		3/0 5d "
"	Jam (Rasp. or Straw.)		6 1/2d "
Thomas Weane,	Tea,		2/3 doz. pr.
"	Arrowroot,		9d per packet.
"	Marsala Wine,		1/6 per bottle.
"	Rum,		4/- "
"	Tobacco,		6/- per lb.
Cloherly & Co.,	Crown Soap,		25/- per cwt.
Malachy Hanly,	Shoe Brushes,		24-0-0 for 6 months.
Patt. M'Loughlin	Hand		12-0-0 per doz.
Michl. Reilly,	Sweep		8-0-0 "
Edward Joyce,	Scour		1-10-0 "
Lydch Bros.,	W'Wash		9-12-0 "
"	E'Lead		2/6 per set.
"	Base		27/- per doz.
"	Hand. Iron Spoons,		18/- per gross.
"	Machine iron nails,		4d per lb.
"	Blacklead,		5/6 per stone
Galway Express,	Lampblack,		5/10 for 6 months.
4 local newspaper	Sweet Oil,		3/6 per gal.
"	Jeyes Fluid,		6/6 per insertion.
Galway Express	Colza Oil,		7/- "
"	Cement,		7/- per cwt.
"	Combs- coarse,,		4/- per doz.
"	" fine,		2/- "
"	House Buckets,		42/- "
"	Water		24/- "
"	Wax Candles (25 %)		1/8 per lb.
"	Cocoa Soft Sugar		2/6 "
"	Stockings (all sizes)		9/6 per doz.
Threads, Spools,	Twine,		1/6 per lb.
"	Enamed Chambers,		22/- per doz.
"	Roofing Felt,		7d per yd.
"	Coal Tar,		7d per gal.
J. Carr & Sons,	Boiled Oil,		4/- "
"	White Lead,		5/- per stone.
"	Prepd. Paint,		6d per lb.
"	Glazing (D panes)		5d per pane.
Anthony Ryan,	Frieze,		6/9 1/2 per yd.
"	Linen Ticken,		2/1 "
"	Lining Calico,		5 1/2d "
"	Table Linen,		1/7 1/2 "
"	Men's Caps,		6/6 per doz.

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.	FEVER HOSPITAL.
Admitted during the Week	Admitted during the Week
Discharged	Discharged
Died	Died
Remaining	Remaining

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

Special Meeting for consideration of tenders for half-yearly supplies to the Workhouse, &c, from the 1st prox. contracts as follows were entered into, namely:

Contracts for half-year to 30th September, 1916 (Continued)

Martin Brennan,	Tweed,	@	2/6	per yard.
"	Blue Flannel,	"	4/3	"
"	Irish Stripe,	"	9d	"
"	Jute Ticken, (Coarse)	"	1/4	"
"	Shrouding Calico,	"	8½d	"
"	Drugget (plain & check)	"	1/2	"
"	Holland,	"	1/-	"
"	Lining Canvas,	"	6d	"
"	Check,	"	9½d	"
"	Lining Linen,	"	7½d	"
"	Honeycomb squares,	"	4/6	each,
"	Boys' Caps,	"	6/-	per doz.
"	Men's Braces,	"	7/-	"
"	Boys' "	"	6/-	"
"	Lining Serge,	"	1/8	per yd.
F. M'Donagh & Co.,	White Flannel,	"	2/1	"
"	Jute Ticken (Fine),	"	1/6	"
"	Shirting Calico,	"	9½d	"
"	Sheeting	"	2/5d	"
"	Gingham,	"	7d	"
"	Blankets,	"	3/3	per lb.
"	White Rugs,	"	7/6	each,
"	Blue "	"	7/6	"
"	Flannelette,	"	1/2	per yard.
Martin J. Newell,	Men's Boots,	"	14/3	per pair,
"	Women's "	"	11/-	"
"	Boys' "	"	10/6	"
"	Girls' "	"	7/6	"
"	Sole Leather,	"	4/-	per lb.
"	Insole "	"	3/3	"
"	Upper "	"	4/3	"
"	Men's Tips,	"	2/6	per doz pr.
"	Men's Boot Nails,	"	3/6	per packet.
"	Iron Rivets,	"	9d	per lb.
"	Tip Nails,	"	9d	"
"	Hemp,	"	2d	per small ball.
Michael Conneely,	Coffins,	"	2/6	per lin foot.
Malachy Hanly,	Plumbing repairs,	"	£4-0-0	for 6 months.
Patt. M'Loughlin,	Roof	"	12-0-0	"
Michl. Reilly,	Chimney Cleaning,	"	6-0-0	"
Edward Joyce,	Bill Posting,	"	1-10-0	"
Lydon Bros.,	Boiler reps. W'house,	"	9-12-6	"
"	2" pipe,	"	2/6	per foot.
"	1½" "	"	2/1	"
"	1¼" "	"	1/8	"
"	2" valve	"	20/-	each,
"	1½" "	"	15/-	"
"	Boiler reps. (F.H.),	"	£1-15-0	for 6 months.
Galway Express,	General Printing,	"	14-15-0	"
4 local newspapers,	Large advts.	"	10/-	per insertion.
"	Small. "	"	5/-	"
Galway Express	Printing (R.D.C).	"	£8-12-0	for 6 months.

No tenders accepted for the following articles, and the Master was directed to purchase them in the open market, viz :-
Cocoa, Soft Sugar, Salt Herrings, Cap Calico, Honeycomb squares, Stockings (all sorts), Slippers, Boot Laces, Collars and fronts, Yarn, Thread, Spools, Studs, Tape, Needles, Thimbles, and Buttons.

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week		Admitted during the Week	
Discharged	.....	Discharged	.....
Died	.....	Died	.....
Remaining	.....	Remaining	.....

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

Special Meeting for consideration of tenders for half-yearly supplies to the Workhouse, &c., from the 1st prox. Contracts as follow were entered into, namely:

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:—

The following list from the Local Government Board in Ireland and other
were read by the Clerk and directions given to insert them accordingly in the
following order in Order made on their respective subjects:—

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AND CHILDREN ACT, 1864

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The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...
The number of other Applicants in the following Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ...
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was ...
The number of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Relief Books

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Officers Act.)

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

the _____ day of _____ 1871

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

Medical Charities Act, 1905, and the Children Act, 1908.

Reports (Form F) containing the names of the Pauper Children who are over 3 months of age and who are in receipt of Medical Relief, and the names of the Officers of the following Districts:

Galway No. 1
Do. 2
Do. 3
Do. 4
Do. 5
Do. 6
Do. 7
Do. 8
Do. 9
Do. 10
Do. 11
Do. 12
Do. 13
Do. 14
Do. 15
Do. 16
Do. 17
Do. 18
Do. 19
Do. 20

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were laid before the Guardians, and directions given in regard to the same.

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ...

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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):—

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

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

the _____ day of _____ 1911

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (Ireland) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1901.

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

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

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

Galway No. 1	defaulters	Oranmore	defaulters
do. 2	,	Spiddal	,
do. 3	.	Tourloughmore	,
Moycullen	”		

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

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 :—

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,794 Os. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March, 1916.

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		Attendants		Aged and Infirma		CHILDREN								RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Classes I—II		Class III		Classes IV—V		8 to 15 years		3 to 8 years		Infants under 3 years of age, and Nursing Mothers		Total	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers				
Workhouse	816	2304																
Temporary Buildings	222	6																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	8																
TOTAL	1082	298																
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			7	6	11	22	91	99	9	15	13	2	18		293	87	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			7	5		4	4	2	5		1	1			29	8	In Wards with other Inmates	
Born																		
Total			14	11	11	22	95	103	11	20	13	3	19		322	95	7	
Discharged during the Week			4	6		4	6		2				1		23			
Died								1							1			
Total Discharged and Died			4	6		4	7		2				1		24			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	5	11	22	91	97	11	18	12	3	18		298			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March 1916, 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.	65	113			65	113	Bt. forwd.	70	121			70	121
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	1	1			1	1
No. III.	1	3			1	3	No. VI.	4	6			4	6
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	20	20			20	20
Car. forwd.	70	121			70	121	TOTAL	95	128			95	128

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

WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of March, 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair—M. Moloney Esq. D.O.B.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. Shawless, N. Hydon, Griffin, J. McGrath, M. McNeill, & D. Moloney.

Sir A. Macbullaigh, L.S.M. Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

M. Moloney
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

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

the 15th day of March, 1916.

Signed,

Robert Muller
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 15th day of March, 1916.

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

Indoor, from No. 2480 to No. 2511
 Separate ,, No. 36 to No. 37
 Out-door ,, No. 2617 to No. 2617

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 11th day of March, 1916, 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.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.						
Provisions	72	2	1	66	29	138	4	10	63	11	7	10	12	5	74	4	0	64	0	10	297
Necessaries	15	5	2	21	12	5	36	17	7	23	2	1	9	0	24	11	1	12	6	6	
Total	87	7	3	87	41	175	25	86	13	8	12	15	98	15	76	7	4				

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 5 : 9½
 Average Cost in Infirmary 6 : 11
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 10 : 0

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March, 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Cooney	
	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 ...	7 0 7	19 0	16 6	1 10 1	1 6 6	6 4	11 19 0
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 0 0		20 0 0			3 0 0	24 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	27 0 7	19 0	1 16 6	1 10 1	1 6 6	3 6 4	35 19 0
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	7 2 0	3 6	2 6	5 6	2 6	9 6	8 5 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	7 4 6	3 6	2 6	5 6	2 6	9 6	8 8 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	19 16 1	15 6	1 12 0	1 4 7	1 4 0	2 16 10	27 11 0
9. Total ...	27 0 7	19 0	1 16 6	1 10 1	1 6 6	3 6 4	35 19 0

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GALWAY UNION.

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.....191..., 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			
Workhouse Burials			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
ESTABLISHMENT—									
(a) Salaries			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
MEDICAL CHARITIES—									
Salaries			
Vaccination Fees and Expenses			
Medicines and M. & S. Appliances			
Miscellaneous Expenditure			
Superannuation Allowances			
Repayment of Loans			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....191.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....191

Clerk of Union.

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	12	Admitted during the Week	6
Discharged	7	Discharged	1
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	89	Remaining	13

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

- 8th inst. Dr. M. McDonough resumed duty after vacation.
- 10th " An old inmate named Kate Broderick, classed as a lunatic, died. The baronet was communicated with, but he did not deem it necessary to hold an inquest.
- 14th " The Boiler Inspector made an external examination of the Steam Boiler.
- 15th " The Food Inspector took samples of milk. Dr. Colahan recommends that a foot-ball be procured for the schoolboys.
- Not ordered as its use would most likely lead to the breaking of window glass.*
- Please order the usual extras for the inmates on St. Patrick's Day.
- 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:—

- 8th Mar. '16. From the Fire Art & General Insurance Co. offering to take over the Guardians' Insurance at an annual premium of £20 8-3 as against £22 13-0 at present paid to the Hibernian Insurance Co.
- Enclosing particulars of a Municipal Bonus Scheme, peculiar to this Co., the results for the last 7 years showing an average bonus of 22% on the annual premium.
- Consideration deferred.*
- Order. The Hibernian Insurance Co. to be informed of the offer made by the other Co.*
- 14th Mar. '16. From the Clerk of Union, Castlereagh, stating that his Board adopted the resolution of this Board

on the 1st inst, re the necessity of a Special In-
quiry into the general management of the
District Lunatic Asylum at Ballinasloe,

14th Mar. '16. From John Toole, Sailor, patient in Hospital,
stating that he expects his discharge soon,
& requesting the Guardians to allow his three
children to remain in the Workhouse until
he provides a home for them. He has been prom-
ised work at his trade.

Permission granted.

15th Mar. '16 From Dr. M. McDonagh, Medical Officer of the
Workhouse Galway No 2 Disp. Dist. requesting
leave of absence for 2 or 3 days; stating that
Dr. J. J. McDonagh will do duty for him in both
places during his absence.

Granted.