

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively), as follows:—

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 191

*No meeting held,
Only two Guardians in attendance,*

NO. 170782
1911

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No meeting held.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY,
the 27th day of December, 1916.

Signed, Robert J. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,794 0s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of December, 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						Total	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			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	266															
Temporary Buildings	222	6															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	2															
TOTAL	1082	276															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			12	10	11	22	82	97	6	16	9	8	17	294	83	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			1	2			5	3						13	2	In Wards with other Inmates	
Born																	
Total			15	12	11	22	87	100	6	16	9	8	17	307	85	6	
Discharged during the Week			2	5			7	8		1	1	3	1	28			
Died								3						3			
Total Discharged and Died			2	5			7	11		1	1	3	1	31			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	8	11	22	82	89	6	15	8	5	16	276			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of Decr, 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.	60	108			60	108	Bt. forwd.	66	117			66	117
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	2	3			2	3
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. VI.	2	6			2	6
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23			23	23
Car. forwd.	66	117			66	117	TOTAL	95	129			95	129

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of December, 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair—M. Moloney Esq. D.V.B.
Other Guardians—

Messrs. D. Segan, M. Cooke, D. Moloney, & M. Donnellan,

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 27th day of December, 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 23rd day of December, 1916, 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	79	15	10	115	8	0	195	3	10	74	12	6	13	5	2	87	17	8	107	6	2	1975
Necessaries	19	0	2	35	9	8	54	9	10	29	13	2	1	16	10	31	15	0	22	12	10	
Total	98	16	0	150	17	8	249	13	8	103	10	8	15	2	0	119	12	8	130	1	0	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

s. d.
7 : 4 3/4
8 : 0
11 : 6

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 23rd day of December, 1916 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Sullivan			Relieving Officer O'Flaherty			Relieving Officer McNeill			Relieving Officer Walsh			Relieving Officer Kyne			Relieving Officer Cooney			TOTAL							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	1	6	9	1	8	6	6	0	0	1	7	9	8	0	0	1	16	10	5	13	10					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	19	0	0					
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	6	9	1	8	6	1	6	0	1	7	9	1	8	0	1	16	10	24	13	10					
EXPENDITURE.																										
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																										
In Money ..	6	18	0	7	0	0	4	6	0	3	0	0	6	6	0	9	6	0	8	0	0	6	0	0		
In Kind ..	2	6	0																			2	6	0		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	1	9	10																		3	0	0	1	12	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	2	0	0																		2	0	0			
7. Total Relief given	8	12	10	7	0	0	4	6	0	6	0	0	6	6	0	9	6	0	10	7	10					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	12	5	1	11	6	1	1	6	1	1	9	1	1	6	1	7	12	6	0	0					
9. Total ...	16	6	9	1	8	6	1	6	0	1	7	9	1	8	0	1	16	10	24	13	10					

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 Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....191.....

	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			

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

Clerk of Union.

Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was the Treasurer.

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	12	Admitted during the Week	2
Discharged	15	Discharged	2
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	83	Remaining	6

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

Moved by Mr. M. Hoole, seconded by Mr. D. Moloney,
 & unanimously
 Resolved. That after the ruling of the Receiving
 Officers' Books & issue of orders for supplies, no
 further business be transacted, & that this meeting
 will stand adjourned for a week as a mark of
 respect to the memory of Mr. R. H. French, who for
 upwards of 40 years was a respected member of
 this Board, whose interment takes place today.

Galway County Council Archives

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT,
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1894

Galway County Council Archives

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was
relieved by order of the Guardians was
The number of other applicants in the following Orders 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 discharges
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was
The number of Applicants 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
Meeting in every year:

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 1891

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

1891's Annual Report of the Board

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

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 _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1888

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 :—

Spiddal, Medicines £8-1-10, Appliances £2-0-9.
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 _____ dated _____ 191

Meeting adjourned.

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1911—35,083.

Present Net Annual Value, £70,794 Os. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of Decr. 1916.

No. of inmates for whom accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	CHILDREN												Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Able-Bodied		Attendants		Aged and Infirm		8 to 15 years		3 to 8 years		Infants under 3 years of age, and Nursing Mothers			Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
			Classes I-II	Class III	Classes IV-V	Class VII	Class VIII	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers				
Workhouse	816	271															
Temporary Buildings	222	6															
Transient Fever Hospital	44	6															
TOTAL	1082	283															
Remaining on previous Saturday			13	8	11	22	82	90	6	15	8	5	16		276	89	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			4	5			6	5	1			1		26			
Total			21	13	11	22	88	95	7	15	8	5	17		302	6	In Wards with other Inmates
Discharged during the Week			6	7			3				1	1	1	19			
Total Discharged and Died			6	7			3				1	1	1	19			
Remaining on the above date			15	6	11	22	85	95	7	15	7	5	16		283		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of Decr. 1916, 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		
I.	58	102			58	102	Bt. forwd. No. V.	62	111			62	111	
II.	2	3			2	3	No. VI.	2	3			2	3	
III.	2	2			2	2	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23			23	23	
IV.	2	2			2	2								
or. forwd.	64	111			64	111	TOTAL	93	123			93	123	

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

WEDNESDAY, the 3rd day of January, 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair— H. Moloney Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. M. King, D. Tegan, P. Lawless, P. Conneely, N. Lydon, J. J. Walsh, M. Hoote, & M. Dermellau.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

the 3rd day of January, 1917.

Signed, Robert Muller
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 30th day of January 1917.

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

Indoor, from No. 585 to No. 627
 Separate ,, No. 10 to No. 12
 Out-door ,, No. 2661 to No. 2662

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 30th day of December 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.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	107	6	2	69	15	3	177	1	5	9	15	11	10	13	2	107	9	1	69	12	2	1962
Necessaries	22	14	10	19	7	9	42	2	7	27	13	3	1	16	10	29	10	1	12	12	6	
Total	130	1	0	89	3	0	219	2	0	120	9	2	16	10	0	136	19	2	82	2	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 8:7
 Average Cost in Infirmary 8:6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 11:6

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 30th day of December 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.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	7 12 5	1 11 6	1 11 6	1 11 9	1 11 6	1 7 2	12 6 0
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	7 12 5	1 11 6	1 11 6	1 11 9	1 11 6	1 7 2	12 6 0
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 13 0	7 0 2	6 6 0	6 6 0	6 6 0	9 6 8	6 6
In Kind ..	2 6	.	.	.	.	.	2 6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	.	.	3 0	.	.	3 0
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	2 0	.	.	.	.	.	2 0
7. Total Relief given	6 19 6	7 0 2	6 6 0	9 0 6	6 6 0	9 6 8	16 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12 11	1 2 6	1 7 0	1 2 9	1 5 0	1 7 10	5 10 0
9. Total ...	7 12 5	1 11 6	1 11 6	1 11 9	1 11 6	1 7 2	12 6 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 Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....191.....

	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	...					

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	12	Admitted during the Week	1
Discharged	1	Discharged	0
Died	5	Died	0
Remaining	89	Remaining	7

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and orders made thereon as follows:—*for 3 weeks.*

- 18th Oct. Miss M. Carolan, Workhouse Midwife, went on vacation. Her substitute, Mrs. A. Cahy, took up duty.
- " " Sold 8 pigs for the sum of £58. Lady Morris sent a present of 20 lbs. of tobacco as a treat to the male inmates at Deenas.
- Order. The thanks of the Guardians to be tendered to Lady Morris. Please order the usual extra fare for the inmates on Deenas Day & New Year's Day; also for the officials.*
- Ordered.*
- 22nd " Mary Connor, Wardenmaid, resigned, left & Ellen Naughton, recently appointed, entered on her duties.
- 24th " Melia Regan, laundress, went out on pass & did not return.
- She called on the Clerk & tendered her resignation on the 27th Oct. when she was paid the balance of salary due to her, less £1 in lieu of 2 months' notice.*
- 27th " Dr. M. McDonough, Medical Officer, left on vacation, & Dr. Waters entered on his duties as substitute.
- 30th " Purchased 6 young pigs for £4-16-0. Expenses attending the sale of fat pigs, £1-16-0. Balance of sale of 8 pigs, £7-8-0 lodged with Treasurer.
- 3rd Nov. The Food Inspector took samples of milk for analysis. Mrs. P. Joyce has notified her intention of giving a treat to the inmates on the 6th inst.
- Permission given with grateful thanks.*
- * Order. The issue of advertisement for a laundress at a salary of £12 a year with rations. Applications to be considered on the 17th inst.*

Punishment Booth

Mary Mcellally attempted to abscond from the Workhouse through a window of her dormitory.

Order. To be prosecuted.

Acting Medical Officer.

A patient named John Conroy, suffering from an inflammatory eye, should be transferred to the County Hospital for operative treatment.

Ordered.

Dr. Colohan, Medical Officer, applied for a few days' leave of absence.

Granted.

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:—

53252/16 } Approving of the appointment on probation for
18th Dec } a period of three months of John Bodkin as
Wardenmaid in the Workhouse at a salary at
the rate of £8 a year with rations to the estimated
weekly value of 7/7.

61258/16 } Referring to an entry in the Minutes of the
20th Dec } 13th inst. relative to the application of the con-
tractors for the supply of milk to the Work-
house for an increase in price; & requesting
that the Board may be informed of the dates
of the contracts, & whether bonds for the due
performance have been executed.

24-12-16. Clerk's reply. 6th Sept. last; the bonds were duly
executed.

6/258/16. }
20th Dec. } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-5-0 a week with rations for a period of four weeks to Mrs. A. Cahy for her services as substitute for Miss M. Carolan, Midwife in the Workhouse during that Officer's absence on leave.

59922/16. }
21st Dec. } Forwarding an enclosure giving the substance of a report which the Board have received from their Inspector, Mr. Pack-Beresford, consequent on his recent inspection of the Workhouse; & requesting that the several matters adverted to therein may receive the careful attention of the Guardians.

Report.

1. Since the Schoolmaster joined H. M. Army the boys who are now taught in the girls' school, have not been taken out for exercise. The Guardians should make some arrangement about this matter, as it is not right that these children should be continually confined to the Workhouse grounds.
2. There are four children in the Workhouse classed as orphan or deserted. None of these children are fit for boarding out, two being idiots, one not strong, & the fourth being of tender years.
3. Gravel is badly required for the Workhouse yard.
4. The Visiting Committee never meet unless specially summoned.
5. The Nurse directed my attention to the antiquated bath in the male side of the Infirmary & pointed out the difficulties she experienced in having the patients bathed. I suggest that a Com-

mittee of the Guardians should investigate this matter with the view of ordering a new bath to be placed in a more convenient position in the Hospital.

- Ordered. 1. The Master to arrange that the schoolboys be brought out for exercise on five days.
3. Gravel to be placed on the Workhouse yard.
5. The matter of the bath in the male side of the Infirmary to be referred to the Medical Officers for their observations.

18th Dec. '16. Notice of audit of the Union Accounts for the half-year ended 30th Sept. last, on the 5th day next. The Clerk reported having issued all the necessary notices.

20th Dec. '16. From Mr. A. B. Ellis, L. S. Auditor, enclosing a cheque for £1 to be added to any funds raised for a treat to be given to the inmates at Xmas.

Order. The best thanks of the Guardians to be tendered to Mr. Ellis for his thoughtful kindness.

1st Aug. '17 From John Coole, Sailor, at present living at Bulleen, Carna, informing the Guardians that he has been remitting £- a week to his wife; that he learns she has been spending the money in drink; that she & her children have been admitted to the Workhouse. Requesting to be informed whether he should remit the £- a week to the Guardians until such time as he can provide a home for his children.

Order. To be informed that the Guardians will accept the money as a contribution towards the cost of the

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*maintenance of his wife & children in the
Workhouse.*

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In pursuance of notice given, Mr. H. Normellau
moved that the application received from the
contractors for the supply of milk to the Workhouse
for an increase in price be favourably con-
sidered, & that the price be increased from
11^d to 14^d a gallon until the 1st of May next.
The motion was seconded by Mr. H. Segau.
Mr. Shawless challenged a division on the
motion which was taken, & resulted in five
votes being recorded for, & four against it,
the motion was declared carried.

Moved by Mr. H. Hooke seconded by the Chair-
man, & Resolved, that we tender to the Clerk
& other officials our thanks for the very satis-
factory manner in which they discharged
their duties during the past year.

Mr. Shawless gave notice that on this day fort-
night he will move that the old arrangement
for the payment of remuneration to the substitutes
of all officers while on vacation be reverted to,
& that all resolutions to the contrary be rescinded,
If carried that its terms be made retrospective
from the 1st Jan'y, 1916.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT,
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1902.

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

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	75	(3 weeks)
Ditto disallowed	0	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	1	
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	1	
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.)

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the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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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:—

Oranmore, Medicines, £ 11-0-5, Appliances, £ 3-2-10.
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 *Miss Hedderman* dated *19th Dec^r* 1916

Midwife in the Galway No 3 Disp. Dist.
stating that she may have to leave her District for a few days to consult a Doctor in Dublin about the state of her health, she has given notice to the Medical Officer of Galway No 3 Disp. Dist.

20th Dec^r 16, from *M. A. Macdonald, Architect*, stating in reply to the inquiry of the Guardians, that his fee for visiting the proposed site of a Dispensary, &c. at Moycullen, & reporting on the work done by the contractors before it was stopped by the Guardians, will be £1-1-0.

Approved.

Relieving Officer *O'Sullivan* reported that *Dr M. McDonogh*, Medical Officer of the Galway No 2 Disp. Dist. left on the 27th ult. on which date *Dr J. J. Waters* took up duty as substitute.

Order, *Dr J. J. McDonogh*, Medical Officer of the Galway No 1 Disp. Dist. to be called upon to explain his reason for issuing a certificate on the 12th ult. for the transfer from the County Hospital to the Workhouse Hospital of a patient named *Rose Fitzhugh*, stated to be suffering from debility.

The Analyst furnished reports on samples of drugs received from the Workhouse & Galway No 3, Moycullen & Curlewmore Disp. Dist.
The originals forwarded to L. S. D., & copies to the Medical Officers.

Form H, Spiddal Disp. Dist.
36 cases of successful vaccination between the dates, 17-10-16, & 12-12-16.

The Local Government Board, and others, were
responsible for the following

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PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY,
the 10th day of January 1917.

Signed, *[Handwritten signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

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