

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

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the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 191

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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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. 44543/16* dated *10th Sept.* 1916.

*sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1.50 a week proposed to be allowed to Nurse M. McIntyre for her services as temporary Midwife of the Galway No 142 Disp. Dist.*

*The Analyst furnished a report on samples of drugs received from the Galway No 3 Disp. Dist.*

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

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1911 22,032. Present Net Annual Value £70,704 0s 0d  
Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 27th day of September 1916  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept. 1916.

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			Classes I-II	Class III	Classes IV-V	8 to 15 years Class VII	3 to 8 years Class VIII	Infants under 3 years of age, and Nursing Mothers	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers		Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
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Permanent Fever Hospital	44	7															
TOTAL	1082	264															
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Admitted during the Week			3	2			9	4		1	1	2	1	25	7	In Wards with other inmates	
Born																	
Total			13	6	11	22	87	81	6	11	12	8	18	275	87	6	
Discharged during the Week			3	1			5	1						10			
Died								1						1			
Total Discharged and Died			3	1			5	2						11			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	5	11	22	82	79	6	11	12	8	18	264			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept. 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	66	111			66	111	Bt. forwd.	72	123			72	123
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	1	1			1	1
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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on

WEDNESDAY, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Nicholas Lydon Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. N. Hooke & J. Zolan

N. Lydon  
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1916.

Signed, Robert J. Mullery  
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 27<sup>th</sup> day of Sept. 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. 284 to No. 311  
 Separate ,, No. 50 to No. 50  
 Out-door ,, No. 2642 to No. 2642

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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept 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	65	17	3	70	17	2	136	14	5	59	4	11	10	3	6	69	8	5	67	6	0	1795
Necessaries	6	17	2	12	3	6	19	0	8	10	2	9	1	9	8	11	2	5	7	8	20	
Total	72	14	5	82	0	8	155	15	1	69	7	8	11	13	2	81	0	10	74	14	3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 5:4<sup>1/2</sup>  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. 7:0  
 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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept 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 ...	12	8	0	2	9	6	1	2	6	2	13	3	1	16	6				4	22	12	1		
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																		3	0	0	3	0	0	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12	8	0	2	9	6	1	2	6	2	13	3	1	16	6			3	0	0	4	25	12	1
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ..	7	7	6	7	0		4	6		3	0		2	6		9	6		8	14		0		
In Kind ..	2	6																				2	6	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	4	3								7	6											1	9	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	4	0																				4	0	
7. Total Relief given	7	18	3	7	0		4	6		10	6		2	6		9	6		9	12		3		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	6	9	9	2	2	6	1	0	0	2	2	9	1	14	0	2	10	10	1	5	19	1	0	
9. Total ...	12	8	0	2	9	6	1	2	6	2	13	3	1	16	6			3	0	0	4	25	12	1

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.....

	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	9	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged ....	6	Discharged ....	0
Died ....	2	Died ....	0
Remaining ....	79	Remaining ....	7

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

21<sup>st</sup> inst. James Kilmartin was transferred to the County Hospital for operative treatment.

22<sup>nd</sup> .. D. Colahan resumed duty after vacation. During the week a range having got out of order I employed a manto reset it at a cost of 6/- . Another one requires similar treatment.

*Ordered.*

I am informed by the Porter in the Fever Hospital that the range & two tanks in that Hospital require cleaning.

*Ordered.*

I beg to apply for four weeks' vacation. My assistant, assisted by the Station, will do my duties.

*Granted.*

Moved by Mr. Hydon, seconded by Mr. Cooke, & Resolved - That Mr. Thomas Simms be appointed Acting Master for a period of four weeks at a remuneration at the rate of £1-10-0 a week. (Similar appointment sanctioned in Board letter No 53698/15, dated 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1915)

Workhouse Medical Officer.

A patient named J. Kilmartin was sent to the County Hospital for operation, as an urgent case.

*Approved.*

Clerk's Report: 27-9-16.

Attendance at a Court of Revision of lists of Jurors to be held at Tralee on this day week will cause my absence from your next meeting.

*A. J. Mullery*

Order. A special meeting to be summoned for this day week to arrange for a supply of coal to the Workhouse for 6 months.

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:—

44,542/16

26<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Referring to the Minutes of the 13<sup>th</sup> inst. & stating that the Board have sanctioned the payment of a sum of £8-8-0 to Mr. John Gallagher as remuneration for his services in discharging the duties of the Clerk of the Union during the absence of that Officer on vacation for a period of four weeks.

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. '16.

From D. Colahan, Workhouse Medical Officer, thanking the Guardians for their kindness & consideration in relaxing the rules made with regard to the non-payment of substitutes for officers while on vacation, exempting the Medical Officers & Nursing <sup>staff</sup> in the Hospitals, from such rules, & agreeing to pay their substitutes.

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. '16. From Michael McDermott applying for outdoor relief for self & family, stating that in February last he was discharged from the Army owing to an accident to his eyes. Since then he was allowed 10/- a week from an Insurance Section, but this allowance was stopped last month, owing to defective sight, he is unable to obtain work.

Order. The Relieving Officer to afford provisional relief for a week. Meanwhile the Clerk will obtain information as to the cause of the stoppage of the weekly allowance by the Insurance Society.

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. '16. From Mr James Feeney, whose term of contract for the supply of milk to the Workhouse will expire on the 30<sup>th</sup> inst. Requesting to be continued as contractor for a further term, notice of Motion.

I give notice that on this day fortnight - i. e. or some Guardian on my behalf, will move the rescission of the resolution of the Guardians limiting the number of milk contractors to eight, and that Mr James Feeney be taken on as an extra contractor.

27-9-'16.

Martin Hooker.



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*[Faint, illegible handwriting on page 208]*

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

*[Faint, illegible handwriting on page 209]*

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

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Clerk of the Guardians.

*[Large diagonal watermark: Galway County Council Archives]*

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	27
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	1
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THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS,  
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<sup>28</sup> 23 Sept. '16, <sup>44</sup> From the Rev. W. Conway, P.P. Glencumaddy, Chairman of Committee, stating that as he has been satisfied that Mrs. Dickie of Gortgarra, had good reason for keeping her foster child from school, he recommends the remission of the fine of 6s imposed.

*Fine remitted.*

Suggesting that the child Mary K. Gore be removed to the Galway Workhouse for treatment to her eyes, as the local Doctors may not wish to undertake the operation.

*Order. The child to be brought to Galway Workhouse.*

Submitted, ~~an~~ copy of agreement for the hiring out of a boy named John Feeney with Mrs. Catherine Basby of Boyounagh, Glencumaddy, at £6 a year, increasing by £1 annually.

*The form of agreement being approved of was signed by the Presiding Chairman & the Clerk, of the Seal of the Guardians was affixed, A copy of the agreement forwarded to the L.S.B.*

THE GAULWAY COUNTY COUNCIL  
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1902

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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 105/pt/16 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept. 1916.

Circular Letter re appointment of temporary Medical Officers during the continuance of the War. The Board are of opinion that whenever a medical officership becomes vacant, either permanently or temporarily, the Guardians should, if possible, assign the post to a Doctor holding a permanent local appointment, or the duty should be divided between two or more such medical Officers. Only as a last expedient should a separate medical Officer be temporarily appointed & then the selection should as far as possible be limited to doctors who are over 45 years of age, or otherwise ineligible for military service. The Guardians should invite the co-operation of their medical officers in this matter, & request their views as to the best means for filling the temporary vacancies for the period of the War. They should also issue instructions that any medical officer who intends volunteering for Military Service, should first apply for leave of absence, so that suitable arrangements could be made for the discharge of his duties in accordance with the regulations & the foregoing suggestions. *Read & contents noted.*

25<sup>th</sup> Sept. '16

From Dr. O'Keefe, Acting Medical Officer in the Moyacullen Disp. Dist. enquiring whether the Guardians will grant him leave of absence for 14 days stating that he has not yet procured

the services of a locum.

*Order.* To be informed that the Guardians are willing to grant him 14 days' leave of absence provided the services of a substitute, to be approved of by the L. G. B. & the Guardians are obtained.

27<sup>th</sup> Sept. '16.

From Mr. Binns, B.C. reporting that probably the new ceiling in a room in the Medical Officer's Residence at Spiddal fell down because the first coat was not sufficiently set before the second was applied. He has arranged with Mr. Dooley the contractor to have the defect made good.

*Order.* To be informed that the Guardians are of opinion that they should not be called upon to defray the cost of repairs of work so recently carried out.

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Total			19	11	11	22	89	87	6	13	14	9	301	88	5					
Discharged during the Week			8	5		6	5	1	2	2	1	30	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS							
Died						1						1	Males	Females	Childr'n under 15	Total				
Total Discharged and Died			8	5		7	5	1	2	2	1	31	No. relieved during week	7	1	2	10			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	6	11	22	82	82	6	12	12	7	19	270	No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	2	5	
															No. at corresponding period last year			1	2	7

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M. Moloney  
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

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Other Guardians—

Messrs N. Lydon & A. Toole.

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the 4th day of October, 1916.

Signed, Robert Mullery  
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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- 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 30<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 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	67	60	63	81	130	121	68	59	10	7	11	78	138	52	0	5	1821
Necessaries	7	83	11	16	19	22	9	38	1	9	8	10	132	8	11	0	
Total	74	123	75	22	149	143	77	95	11	17	7	88	170	60	11	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 5:11  
 Average Cost in Infirmary .. .. . 7:0  
 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 30<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 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	Gooney	
	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 ...	699	226	100	229	1120	21010	1519 10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	1500	..	..	..	..	..	1500
3. Total to be accounted for ...	2199	226	100	229	1120	21010	3019 10
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6196	70	26	30	26	96	860
In Kind ..	26	..	..	..	..	..	26
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	96	..	..	90	..	..	186
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	20	..	..	..	..	..	20
7. Total Relief given	7156	70	26	120	26	96	911 0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	13123	1156	156	109	116	21228	10
9. Total ...	2199	226	100	229	1120	21010	3019 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 Reconciliation 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	13	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	10	Discharged	0
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	82	Remaining	7

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

28<sup>th</sup> ult. Mr. Hauly Porter, resumed duty after leave of absence, & the services of Mr. Fagan as substitute were dispensed with.

" " Wardenman John Connolly resumed duty after illness.

30<sup>th</sup> " Sarah Tierney was transferred to the County Hospital for special treatment.

" " Wardenmaid Mary Murphy resumed duty after leave of absence.

1<sup>st</sup> " mist. Maggie Costello gave birth to an illegitimate child in the lying-in Hospital. She states that a labourer named John Kenny is the putative father.

3<sup>rd</sup> " The milk supplied by contractor George Barker turned sour on one occasion during the week. He forfeits the quantity, 5 gallons.

4<sup>th</sup> " The Food Inspector took samples of milk for analysis.

The chimney cleaner, Michael Reilly, has agreed to keep chimneys clean during the current half-year at the same rate of remuneration as the previous half-year.

Approved.

I submit for inspection the following goods:—  
163 yards of shirting calico, 30 of Irish stripes, 50 of flannelette, 120 of lining calico, 20 of blue flannel, 30 of Holland, 6 1/2 of tweed, & 20 pairs of blankets.

Examined, approved, & ordered into stock.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

The milk was sour on a few occasions during the week. I would suggest that a can be got for each contractor with a view to detecting the contractor who is supplying the sour milk.  
Order, Earthenware crocks to be procured.

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:—

45,695/16. }  
28<sup>th</sup> Sept. } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-5-0 a week, & rations to the estimated weekly value of 14/10 a week to Miss Annie Murray for her services as temporary nurse in the Workhouse.

45,895/16. }  
29<sup>th</sup> Sept. } Also the payment of £1-11-6 a week with rations of same value to Miss Pauline Pakenham for her services as temporary nurse in the Fever Hospital.

46,377/16 }  
30<sup>th</sup> Sept. } Forwarding a communication which the Board have received from the Com<sup>r</sup> of National Education relating to their district inspector's last report on the Workhouse School.  
"The health & comfort of the children of this



school are well looked after, the efficiency of the teaching is marked good in every branch."

45,694/16 } Approving of the appointment of Mrs. Delia Regan  
2nd Oct. as laundress in the Workhouse at a salary of £12 a year & rations to the estimated weekly value of 6/7 1/2.

4th Oct. 16. From the Sec. to the St. Patrick's Band, Forster St., requesting permission for the Band to play a programme for the inmates of the Workhouse from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on the 8th inst.

Permission granted with the best thanks of the Guardians for the treat proposed to be given to the inmates.

4th Oct. 16. Application from Miss M. Laffey, Workhouse Hospital Nurse, for four weeks' vacation.  
Granted.

4th Oct. 16. Similar application from Miss D. B. O'Beirne, Fever Hospital Nurse.  
Granted.

The services of trained nurses as substitutes to be obtained.

Moved by Mr. N. Lydon, seconded by Mr. A. Toole, & Resolved - That we beg to tender to our colleague, Mr. Thomas Ruane, our deep sympathy with <sup>him</sup> in the death of his father.

Ordered. The issue of advertisements for the supply of 200 tons of coal & 100 tons of slack.  
Also for proposals for the purchase of 4 old boilers

Tenders & proposals to be considered at meeting on the 18th inst.

Enquiry to be made as to the reason for the long continued treatment in the County Hospital of a patient from this Union named Catherine Brady, & whether she could be transferred to this Workhouse Hospital.

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

The number of Provisional Orders for Relief was considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Book. The number of Provisional Applications in the Workhouse continued was          Ditto disallowed          The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was          The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was          The number of cases in which relief was granted by the Guardians          The number of other applications in the following Order Book 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. The Report thereon, as follows, was read on the second meeting after the Annual Election 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          day of          19        

Signed           
Clerk of the Union.

*[Large diagonal watermark: Galway County Council Archives]*

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	48
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	1
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.

Medical Charities Act, 1908, and Vaccination Acts, and  
Dispensaries Act, 1908.

(This Report is to be made by the Guardians (Form P) containing the names of the children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and who have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensaries, viz.:

Galway No. 1 \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary \_\_\_\_\_

do. 2 \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary \_\_\_\_\_

do. 3 \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary \_\_\_\_\_

Boyolien \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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 :—