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Meeting held the 2nd day of May, 1917.

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Out-door „ No. 2677 to No. 2678

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The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1917, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total								
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.		
Provisions	109	6	1	125	7	4	234	13	5	97	1	6	12	17	4	111	18	10	122	14	7	2077
Necessaries	16	3	9	17	18	9	32	2	6	21	4	5	1	18	4	23	2	9	10	19	9	
Total	125	9	10	142	6	1	266	15	11	118	5	11	16	15	8	135	1	7	132	14	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was s. d.
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The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in Kind, and Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1917 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 ...	14	0	1	12	6	1	5	0	1	6	1	3	0	1	7	10	21	5	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	29	0	1	12	6	1	5	0	1	6	1	3	0	1	7	10	36	5	2
EXPENDITURE.																			
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																			
In Money ..	7	8	6	7	0	2	6	6	0	10	6	9	6	9	6	9	6	0	0
In Kind ..	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																			
7. Total Relief given	8	10	0	7	0	2	6	6	0	10	6	9	6	10	7	6	10	7	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	20	10	1	15	6	1	0	6	1	0	9	12	6	1	8	2	25	17	8
9. Total	29	0	1	12	6	1	5	0	1	6	1	3	0	1	7	10	36	5	2

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

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.
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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 Medical and Surgical 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	...					

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	12	Admitted during the Week	3
Discharged	20	Discharged	4
Died	1	Died	1
Remaining	99	Remaining	9

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

- 28th ult. Dr. M. McDonogh resumed duty after leave of absence.
 - " " Mr. Gilbert was transferred to the County Hospital Hospital for operative treatment.
 - 30th " Wardsmaid Mary Murphy was admitted to Hospital as a patient. Her duties are being performed by an inmate.
 - " " Delia Collins was sentenced to a month's imprisonment for misconduct in the Workhouse.
 - " " Fathers Fitzgerald & Walsh, O.S. gave a magic lantern entertainment to the inmates.
- Order. The best thanks of the Guardians to be conveyed to these clergymen for the nice treat afforded to the inmates.*
- 2nd inst. The Food Inspector took samples of milk for analysis.

Workhouse Medical Officers.
A patient named Mary Murphy is in need of a short treatment by radium for nose disease. Kindly send her to the Holles St. Skin Hospital.

ordered.
In reply to L.S.B. letter of 11th April, 1916, we consider condensed milk of a proper brand is the only substitute for milk, when the supply is insufficient, that need be considered.

With reference to the communication from the L.S.B. dated 26th ult, re suggested scale of Officers' rations, with the alteration of the meat-allowance 3lbs instead of 2½ lbs, ~~that~~ the nurses may be able to obtain a weekly dietary from the scale suggested by the L.S.B. but we suggest that if any of the articles in the scale were not forthcoming in the amount specified, the nurses should be at liberty to obtain a substitute. We are of opinion that the amount of cheese, eggs & jam should not be diminished. An alternative which would be satisfactory for the officers would be to allow them money instead of rations, & it would also save the trouble of distribution.

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:—

- 30th April. } Stating that they understand that the Royal Assent has now been given to the Bill amending the Parliament & Local Elections Act, 1916. The new Act contains a clause providing in effect that the local elections due to be held before the 30th Nov. next, are further postponed for a year. A copy of the Act will be forwarded when available.
- 17/11/17. } Referring to an entry in the Minutes of the 28th March last as to the proposal to give all the nurses & wardsmaids the cash equivalent to their sugar rations, & pointing out that the allowance should not exceed the value of

1/2 lb. sugar weekly & that it should only be given when no sugar is procurable.

22.197/17.
1st May.

Referring to an entry in the Minutes of the 25th ult. & to previous correspondence regarding the necessity for a revised scale of rations for the Officers of the Workhouse, stating that, as the matter is urgent, they must ask the Guardians to deal with it at their next meeting.

Moved by Mr. Griffie & seconded by Mr. Cooke, that the recommendations of the Medical Officers of the Workhouse be adopted, & that a cash equivalent in lieu of rations be given to the Officers of the Workhouse.

Moved as an amendment by Mr. McGrath, & seconded by Mr. Welsh, that the scale of rations suggested by the L.S. Board be adopted.

On a division 7 votes were recorded for, & 4 against the amendment.

The amendment was then put as a substantive motion & declared carried.

22.197/17.
1st May.

Referring to the Minutes of the 25th ult. & expressing their sanction to the proposal to change the hour of the Guardians' meeting from 12 o'clock noon, to 1 o'clock p.m. statute time.

18958/17.
1st May.

Referring to the proposed appointment of Michael Kelly as Wardsman in the Workhouse, & stating that it would appear from the circumstances in which this man

ceased to hold office in April, 1915, that he is not a man of sober habits, & the Board are not prepared to sanction his re-appointment. In the circumstances the Board request that the Guardians will proceed to a new election. In reply, the Guardians beg to observe that they experience considerable difficulty in getting persons to apply for appointment as Wardmen or Wardswomen in the Workhouse. Those with unblemished characters can readily obtain employment outside. They learn that since his re-appointment this man has conducted himself well. They suggest that he be continued on probation for a period of 3 months.

Notices of motion given for this date.

1. That the expenditure of £30 on the repairs of the old Fever Ambulance, or the provision of a new one, horse drawn or motor, be considered.

Moved by Mr. Cooke, seconded by Mr. Griffie, & Resolved. That an advertisement be issued inviting tenders for the supply of an Ambulance with rubber tyres. Tenders to be considered at meeting three weeks hence.

2. That during the continuance of the War, the contract price for milk supplied to the Workhouse be increased from 11^d to 12^d per gallon.

Moved by Mr. Moloney, seconded by Mr. N. Lydon, & carried unanimously.

Moved by Mr. Griffie, seconded by Mr. N. Lydon, & Resolved. That we beg to tender to the widow & children of the late Major Mr. Vally our sincere

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	....	37
Ditto disallowed	....	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	....	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	....	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	....	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	....	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	....	0

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

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

30th Apr. '17. From Rev. W. Conway, P.P. Glencamaddy, in reply to query in L. S. B. letter No. 19182/17, 29th April, stating that Mr. John Barley of Farm, Glencamaddy, has a daughter aged between 25 & 30 years living with him.

THE GALWAY COUNTY COUNCIL
MAY 1917

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:—

1st May, 1917. From D^r C. A. Francis, reporting that he has completed his contract with the War Office, & requesting that he may be allowed two weeks' leave of absence before resuming duty in the Moycullen Disp. Dist.
Granted with the greatest pleasure.

2nd May, 1917. From the Acting Relieving Officer in the Tourloughmore Disp. Dist. reporting that D^r Clym, Medical Officer, did not attend at Currauldulla Dispensary on the 27th ult.
Order. Explanation to be called for.

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 Miss B. Hedderman dated 26th April, 1917,

(Midwife in the Calway No 3 Disp. Dist. Aran Islands) requesting leave of absence for a week to have her teeth attended to, stating that the Medical Officer will attend to any cases which may turn up during her absence.

Granted

14th May, From the Relieving Officer of the same District, reporting that Nurse Hedderman left on the 28th inst., & that the Medical Officer gave him notice that he would be absent attending Quarter Sessions at Calway from the 30th to the 5th inst.

Instructions as to providing medical attendance when necessary were given to the Relieving Officer by the Guardians at meeting on the 18th inst.

30th Apr. From the owner of the Dispensary at Lachagh, in the Curloghmore Disp. Dist., stating that the Medical Officer had no grounds for complaining that fires were not regularly maintained in the consulting & waiting rooms.

30th Apr. From Dr. Glynn, Medical Officer, stating that he had not complained of the want of fires in Lachagh Dispensary.

In the extract from his last Report Form L, forwarded by the L. G. B. to the Guardians the word "Dispensaries" appears. There are two in the District.

In reply to Guardians' request for an explanation, stating that he was at Currandulla Dispensary on 20th April, he was refused admittance to the Consulting Room on several occasions. Reported

same to the Guardians without a satisfactory reply. The P.O. & Acting P.O. saw the conduct of the Porter & hauldord, also P.H.G. D.C. of Dispensary.

30th April. From Mr. John Morris, owner of the Dispensary at Currandulla, stating that Dr. Glynn's report re the Dispensary kept in his house is the most false that could be uttered from man's lips. The waiting room is in the kitchen where there is always a good fire maintained. The Dispensary is fired from 1st October to 1st April. The Relieving Officer & other persons coming to the Dispensary, & the local Guardians, can bear out this statement. As for a consulting room he does not know what Dr. Glynn means by it. As his consulting room is the bar of a Public House, he gets no practice whatsoever in the District, & even some people are taking their children for vaccination to other Doctors afraid to bring them to him when they see & know how he is carrying on. There are 4 Guardians in the Currandulla part of the District, & it is his belief that they were not asked for a visiting ticket since last election. The P.O. issued a visiting ticket to him for a young man named John Hainen of Blouboe a few months ago. The deceased young man's family or parents who are dependent on their old age pensions, had to give him 5/- of the pension & a promise of 5/- more. He ordered the poor boy into the Hospital where he died in a day or two. Is this the way to treat the poor? The L. G. B. or

the Guardians would not know he was living if he did not report something, so he thought it a good idea to bring the backagh Currauldulla Dispensaries under notice where he attends some times once in the month. He is sure Dr. Glynn has plenty of forged tickets any way to show how hard he is worked. He has not attended Currauldulla Dispensary for the past 3 weeks. He refused to vaccinate a child brought by its mother to the Dispensary three times because of the non attendance of the Doctor. He said to this woman before two respectable men that he would not come into a consumptive house. He reported that he attended a member of my family in consumption. I applied for a certified copy of my poor boy's death 12 years ago but found it was not, like scores of other births & deaths, registered. You would then see the false information given by this man re consumption. He (Mr. Monaghan) called for a sworn inquiry into Dr. Glynn's conduct a few weeks ago, two thirds of the people of the District have to go to a strange Doctor. He held his Registration office in the snug of a Public House on Friday last & enjoyed himself there until 5 pm. He brings no Registers & does all Registration from memory or scraps of paper, copy to be furnished to ^{Dr. Glynn} ~~him~~.
Resolved—That we beg of the L.S. Board to instruct Sir A. Mac Cullagh, their Medical Inspector, to investigate the complaints made by the Medical Officer & by the owner of the Dispensary.

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Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of May, 1917,

M. Moloney (Signed) Robt. J. Mullery
 PRESIDING CHAIRMAN. Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of May, 1917.

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	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	Children	Mothers								
Workhouse	816	288															
Temporary Buildings	222	6															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	9															
TOTAL	1082	303															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			15	11	11	22	87	84	5	23	17	1	19	295	105	In separate Wards } -	
Admitted during the Week			7	8	.	12	10	1	3	.	2	1	.	24	9	In Wards with other Inmates } 6	
Born																	
Total			22	19	11	22	99	94	6	26	17	3	20	339	114	6	
Discharged during the Week			7	7	.	3	10	2	3	2	.	1	.	35			
Died						1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		
Total Discharged and Died			7	7	.	4	10	2	3	2	.	1	.	36			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	11	11	22	95	83	4	23	15	3	19	303			
<i>Transferred</i>																	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of May, 1917, 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.	62	106	.	.	62	106	Bt. forwd.	68	113	.	.	68	113
No. II.	2	3	.	.	2	3	No. V.	3	11	.	.	3	11
No. III.	2	2	.	.	2	2	No. VI.	3	5	.	.	3	5
No. IV.	2	2	.	.	2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23	.	.	23	23
Car. forwd.	68	113	.	.	68	113	TOTALS	97	152	.	.	97	152

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of May, 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Nicholas Lydon Esq.
 Other Guardians—
Messrs P. Gallagher, W. J. Lilke, & M. Hooke.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Meeting held the 9th day of May 1917.

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Total	133	23	16	161	12	9	295	7	13	111	21	1	16	24	6	127	5	7	168	21	6	

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of May 1917 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 ...	20	10	1	1	5	6	1	0	6	1	0	9	1	2	6	1	8	4	25	17	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																					
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	10	1	1	5	6	1	0	6	1	0	9	1	2	6	1	8	4	25	17	8
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ..	7	8	6	7	0		4	6		6	0		10	6		9	6		9	6	0
In Kind ..	2	6																	2	6	
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	4	0																	4	0	
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																					
7. Total Relief given	7	15	0	7	0		4	6		6	0		10	6		9	6		9	12	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	12	15	1	1	8	6	1	6	0	1	4	9	2	0		1	8	10	16	5	2
9. Total ...	20	10	1	1	5	6	1	0	6	1	0	9	1	2	6	1	8	4	25	17	8

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

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	£	s.	d.
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Repayment of Relief	10	1	3
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	£ 1592	16	3

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 April, 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.

	£	s.	d.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries	610	6	2
Clothing and Bedding	6	0	9
Workhouse Burials ... ..	.	.	.
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	44	0	0
ESTABLISHMENT—			
(a) Salaries	16	2	0
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ... ..	.	.	.
(c) Farm	3	3	0
(d) Other Expenses	21	2	2
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	6	17	5
Emigration, Law and other Expenses ... ..	.	.	.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations	20	8	5
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	0
MEDICAL CHARITIES :—			
Salaries ... ..	.	.	.
Vaccination Fees and Expenses	12	9	9
Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ... ..	.	.	.
Miscellaneous Expenditure	7	15	0
Superannuation Allowances ... ..	.	.	.
Repayment of Loans ... ..	.	.	.
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ... ..	.	.	.
Expenditure out of Loans ... ..	.	.	.
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	£ 749	5	9

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of April, 1917.

	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	1592	16	3	.	.	.
Total	1592	16	3	.	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	292	18	10	450	12	1
Payments ordered during the month	749	5	9	.	.	.
Total	1042	4	7	450	12	1
Net Balance due ^{to} the Union (being difference of above Totals) _{by}	551	11	8	450	12	1
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	1336	18	10	450	12	1
Outstanding Orders	785	7	2	.	.	.
Net Balance as above due ^{to} the Union _{by}	551	11	8	450	12	1

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	23	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	12	Discharged	0
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	107	Remaining	9

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:—

Votes of Condolence
with the sister of the late Archbishop Carr of Melbourne, Bishop Mannix of Melbourne, & Bishop O'Dea of Galway over the death of His Grace, Moved by Mr. Gallagher & seconded by Mr. Boothe. Also with our Colleague Mr. John Griffin, over the death of his son in America, ^{Moved by Mr. Boothe, 2d. " " Ditto.} Resolved - That as a mark of respect to their memory this meeting, after the ruling of the Relieving Officers' Books, the signing of Orders for supplies to the Workhouse, & the Authority Sheet for monthly payments to contractors, will stand adjourned for a week.

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The names of Provisional Officers and Applicants for Ballot were announced and listed out as set forth in the Appendix and Report Book.
The number of Provisional Applicants to the Workhouse continued was
Ditto
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was
In which Ballot was continued by the Guardians
The number of cases of Relief in the Relief Office was
The number of cases of the Guardians was
The number of Applicants for whom Ballot was not entered was
The names and other particulars in force were read before the Guardians at the Public Meeting with the Report Book on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	....
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):—

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

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THE GALWAY COUNTY COUNCIL
THE PUBLIC HEALTH (GALWAY) ACT
1891

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 :—

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,

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Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of May 1917.

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	CHILDREN												RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
			Able-Bodied		Attendants		Aged and Infirm		8 to 15 years		8 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
			Classes I-II	Class III	Classes IV-V	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers						
Workhouse	816	275															
Temporary Buildings	222	66															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	66															
TOTAL	1082	287															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...			15	11	11	22	95	85	7	23	15	3	19	303	99	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			6	5			3	8	1	2		2		27	6	In Wards with other Inmates	
Born ...																	
Total ...			21	16	11	22	98	93	8	25	15	5	19	330	105	6	
Discharged during the Week			7	5			13	11		5	1	2	1	42			
Died ...														1			
Total Discharged and Died			7	5			13	12		5	1	2	1	43			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	11	11	22	85	81	5	20	14	3	18	287			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of May 1917, 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.	63	108			63	108	Bt. forwd.	69	115			69	115
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	3	11			3	11
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. VI.	3	5			3	5
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23			23	23
Car. forwd.	69	115			69	115	TOTALS	98	157			98	157

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

WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of May 1917.

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

Messrs D. Egan, N. Heydon, J. J. Gallagher,
J. J. Walsh, M. J. Cooke, & J. J. Bailey.

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

the 16th day of May 1917.

(Signed) Robt. J. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 16th day of May, 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. 1157 to No. 1181
 Separate „ No. 9 to No. 10
 Out-door „ No. 2678 to No. 2679

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 12th day of May, 1917, 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	160	17	0	96	4	5	259	1	5	89	18	9	13	1	0	103	19	9	156	1	8	2032
Necessaries	7	4	6	22	12	8	29	17	2	12	17	4	1	12	4	12	15	8	15	1	6	
Total	167	1	6	120	17	1	288	18	7	101	35	1	14	19	4	115	34	7	171	2	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary	7 : 13
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	8 : 6
	11 : 5

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1917, 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 ...	12 15 1	18 6	16 0	14 9	2 0	18 10	16 5 2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...		2 0 0			3 0 0	2 0 0	7 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12 15 1	2 18 6	16 0	14 9	3 2 0	2 18 10	23 5 2
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	7 11 6	7 0	4 6	6 0	10 6	9 6	9 9 0
In Kind ..	2 6						2 6
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	4 0						4 0
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility							
7. Total Relief given	7 18 0	7 0	4 6	6 0	10 6	9 6	9 15 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4 17 1	2 11 6	11 6	8 9	2 11 6	2 9 4	13 9 8
9. Total	12 15 1	2 18 6	16 0	14 9	3 2 0	2 18 10	23 5 2

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended