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GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of June, 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		3 to 8 years		Infants under 3 years of age, and Nursing Mothers		Total	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
			Classes I-II	Class III	Classes IV-V	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers						
Workhouse	816	252															
Temporary Buildings	222	6															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	4															
TOTAL	1082	262	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers			
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			17	8	11	22	72	83	2	12	13	2	19		82	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			6	8			5	3	1			1			4	In Wards with other inmates	5
Born																	
Total			20	16	11	22	77	86	5	12	13	3	19		86		5
Discharged during the Week			5	2			2	7		1		1	1				
Died								1									
Total Discharged and Died			5	2			2	8		1		1	1				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	12	11	22	73	78	5	13	13	2	18				291

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of June, 1917, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vic. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vic. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	63	105			63	105	Bt. forwd.	69	112			69	112
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	6	32			6	32
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. VI.	3	3			3	3
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	23	23			23	23
Car. forwd.	69	112			69	112	TOTALS	101	172			101	172

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

WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of July, 1917

PRESENT—In the Chair—*J. Curran Esq.*
Other Guardians—

Lord Killanin, Messrs J. King, J. Mullin, P. King, M. King, N. Egan, M. Eden, J. Curran, S. Faby, P. Ryan, M. Trayers, M. Cready, M. Trayers, A. Toole, M. Donohoe, P. Hawless, M. Redington, M. Lydon, M. Moloney, M. Finnan, J. O'Callaghan, J. J. Walsh, J. Griffin, M. Hooke, P. Naughton, J. Donohoe, M. J. Torde, Costello, M. Kyme, D. Moloney, J. Tolau, P. Kelly, M. Donnellan, J. Caulfield.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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 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	4	Admitted during the Week	1
Discharged	9	Discharged	0
Died	3	Died	0
Remaining	79	Remaining	4

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

28th net. Nicholahan resumed duty after leave of absence.
 30th " The Food Inspector took samples of milk for analysis.

Workhouse Medical Officers.

- Child patient Michael Peilly should be sent to Merriow St. Hospital, Dublin, for instrumental treatment.
- Patient Joseph Conneely suffering from diseased bone in his leg should be sent to the County Hospital for operation.

Transfers 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:—

33,199/17 } Approving of the appointment of Annie Long
 29th June } as Wardmaid in the Fever Hospital at a salary
 of £16 a year with rations of the estimated weekly
 value of 9^s/₈.

34135/17 } Transmitting questions for answers respect-
 3rd July } ing the nurse temporarily employed in
 the Fever Hospital during the absence on
 leave of Miss Gore.
*Miss Gore has not yet availed of the leave of absence
 granted to her.*

32,922/17 } Referring to the resolution of the Guardians
 3rd July } of the 20th net, asking for assistance for
 the relatives of the men who were recently

Killed by the explosion of a German Mine at Loughmabeg; also to a report from the Constabulary Authorities in Galway strongly recommending the application of the Guardians to the Board favourable consideration; the Board enclose a cheque for £100 to meet the immediate necessities of these people. It is requested that the Guardians will distribute the grant amongst the families who have suffered, according to their respective needs. The Board are glad to observe that a public subscription has been opened for the relief of the sufferers.

The Guardians beg to tender to the Board their very best thanks for this liberal contribution.

A Committee has been formed, of which the Rev. J. Heany, P.P. is Chairman, Lord Killybeggs & several other local gentlemen ^{are} active members. Already subscriptions to the amount of £500 have been handed to the Committee. The Guardians propose, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, to hand over the cheque for £100 to this Committee who are fully acquainted with the circumstances of the sufferers for distribution amongst them according to their respective needs.

34,135/17.
3rd July.

Referring to an entry on the subject in the Minutes of the 27th ult. & stating that although they have some doubt as to the necessity for putting in force the provisions of Section 13 of the L. C. Act, 1898, still they are not prepared, having regard to the opinion of

the Guardians to the contrary, & to the fact that the County Council have given the necessary authorisation, to refuse an Order under this section & they have accordingly made the Order, copy of which is enclosed.

The Order will remain in force for a period of two months & will permit of relief being afforded to destitute land holders & able-bodied persons who would not otherwise be eligible for relief.

The Board lay stress on the fact that, as pointed out in their letter of 26th ult. no subsidy to meet the cost of relief afforded under this Order can be hoped for.

The Guardians beg to thank the Board for the issue of the Order.

The Chairman of the Rural District Council & the Clerk were deputed to confer with the County Surveyor with a view to the selection of a work of public utility on which the very poor persons in the district mentioned in the Order may be employed on the earliest possible date so as to afford much needed relief.

29th June '17.

From Dr. B. O'Beirne, County Tuberculosis Medical Officer, stating that Martin Tuberty from Killybeggs, Bran Island, has been a patient in the Sanatorium, Newcastle, B. Wicklow, for over three months. As his time there is now up, he should not need an Overseas Order. Martin Tuberty to be so informed.

Order. Clothing to the amount of £4.00 each to be

provided for patients Thomas Regan & Mich^l Griffin who are being sent to the Heathside Sanatorium, Doneraile, Cork.

3rd July, '17. From the Superior, St. Joseph's Asylum & School for Male Blind, Drumcondra, in reply to Guardians' inquiry, stating that owing to the exceptionally high cost of food, &c, the lowest pension at which he can admit adult blind is £20 per annum.

Order. The Rev. P. Davis P.C., who recommended the Guardians to send John Flaherty to the above-named Institution, ^{to be informed} that the Guardians are unable to comply with his request.

3rd July, '17. From the Lieut. Col. 196th Infantry Brigade, Moyculleen, inquiring as to the number of beds in the infectious disease hospital at Galway, which would be available for the troops stationed at Moyculleen & Oughterard, & the daily charge for board & treatment for men so accommodated, also charge for disinfection of clothing, blankets, &c. The cases would be transported in military ambulance wagons.

After considerable discussion, Mr. Ruane gave notice that on the 18th inst. he will move the rescission of any resolution previously passed by the Guardians consenting to receive military patients in the Workhouse Fever Hospital.

4th July, '17. From Mr. Hauly, Workhouse Porter, applying

for the suit of clothes granted to him annually.
Granted.

Notice of Eviction,
at suit of Jas. S. Young against Mary Newyer,
from a house in Abbey Lane, Galway.

In pursuance of notice given for this date Mr. N. Regan moved that Mr. P. Hoole, Master of the Workhouse be granted an increase of salary because of increased duties imposed upon him by reason of increased tillage on the Workhouse grounds; the difficulty of procuring supplies for the Workhouse because of the inability of the Guardians to secure contractors; time taken from his other duties in seeking supplies; as a mark of our appreciation of the manner in which he has reduced the consumption of coal in the Workhouse, thereby effecting a big saving, upwards of £400, that an increase of salary to the amount of £25 a year be granted.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Griffin, Messrs S. Taby & P. King dissented & challenged a division which was taken & resulted in 26 votes being recorded for, & 6 against the motion.

The motion was declared carried.

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

Submitted Report Form A respecting the dwelling of Miss Mary King of Clifden with whom it is proposed to board out Henryie McDonogh, 9 1/4 years.

Copy forwarded to the L. G. Board.

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	....	26
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	....	2
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 GALWAY COUNTY COUNCIL
REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1901

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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December.] Reports (Form P) containing the names of children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

Galway No. 1	_____ defaulters	Oranmore	_____ defaulters
do. 2	_____ "	Spiddal	_____ "
do. 3	_____ "	Tourloughmore	_____ "
Moycullen	_____ "		

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

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

*Moycullen, Medicines, £6-4-8, Appliances, £2-11-3,
Ordered.*

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

Read Letter from L. G. B., No. 32923/17, dated 3rd July 1917,

returning the Bill of costs of Mess^{rs} Blake & Kenny, Solicitors, in connection with the preparation of the lease of the Nurses' cottage at Moycullen, & stating that the Board will raise no objection to the payment of the amount, £8-10-0, without taxation as proposed.

34136/17 } Referring to an entry on the subject in the Minutes
3rd July. } of the 20th met., & stating that the Board consider that the price of a midwifery bag to be provided for use in the Moycullen Disp. Dist. should be limited to a sum of £1-5-0

The Guardians beg to call the attention of the Board to the fact that there has been a considerable increase in the price of every article of this description. A good bag cannot be purchased under £1-10-0.

1st July '17. From the Medical Officer of the Galway No. 3 Disp. Dist. reporting that he used the house of Michael Powell on the South Island of Aran on the 22nd met. as a vaccination station.

Order. The payment of 10/- to Michael Powell for the use of his house.

3rd July '17. From Mr. Morris, owner of the Dispensary Depot at Curraundulla reporting that Mr. Glynn, Medical Officer, did not arrive on the 29th met. until 1-50 pm, the Dispensary hours being 12 to 2 o'clock. He endeavoured to go into the private sitting room of the house, although told at the sworn inquiry held on the previous day by Sir Acheson

MacCullagh, that he had no right to enter this room. When prevented he left the house & sat on a wall outside & brought the Dispensary patients outside also. He got his son & daughter to bring medicines from the Dispensary. This will show the respect he had for the orders of the L. G. B. Inspector. He thought to provoke an assault.

To order.

In pursuance of notice given for this date Mr. W. Hoole moved that Mrs. A. Moylan, Midwife of the Galway No. 1 & 2 Disp. Dist., be granted an increase of salary to enable her to meet the increased cost of living; that such increase be £12. The motion was seconded by Mr. M. Moloney.

A division was challenged by Mess^{rs} J. Lawless & P. King.

A division was taken & it resulted in 27 votes being recorded for, & 4 against the motion. The motion was declared carried.

John H. Spiddal Disp. Dist.

39 cases of successful vaccination between the dates 1-5-17, & 26-6-17.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of July, 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	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 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
Workhouse	816	245															
Temporary Buildings	222	6															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	2															
TOTAL	1082	255															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			15	12	11	22	73	78	5	13	13	2	18	262	76	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			5	7			3	7	1	1		1	25	25	25	In Wards with other Inmates	
Born																	
Total			20	19	11	22	76	85	6	14	13	3	18	287	80	5	
Discharged during the Week			9	7			5	6				1	29	29			
Died							1	1					3	3			
Total Discharged and Died			9	7			6	7				1	32	32			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	13	11	22	70	77	6	14	13	2	16	255			

Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 76
 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 25
 In separate Wards } 1
 In Wards with other Inmates } 5

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Childr'n under 15	Total
No. relieved during week	2	2	1	7
No. in Workhouse at date	1	1	1	3
No. at corresponding period last year				301

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of July, 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	105			63	105	Bt. forwd.	69	112			69	112
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	7	36			7	36
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. VI.	3	3			3	3
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
Car. forwd.	69	112			69	112	TOTALS	101	173			101	173

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of July, 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair—M. J. Cooke Esq.
 Other Guardians—

Messrs Shawless, M. Redington, J. Lydon, P. J. Gallagher, J. S. McDonnell,

P. J. Bell-Reresford Esq., L. G. Inspector, attended,

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 11th day of July, 1917.

(Signed) Robert J. Muller Esq.
 Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 11th day of July, 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. 1318 to No. 1320
Separate „ No. 20 to No. 21
Out-door „ No. 2695 to No. 2697

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 7th day of July, 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	81	12	0	91	17	1	173	9	1	77	11	0	8	12	5	86	5	5	87	3	8	1782
Necessaries	7	5	6	18	17	10	26	3	4	12	16	0	1	18	4	12	12	4	11	9	0	
Total	88	17	6	110	12	11	199	12	5	90	7	0	10	12	9	100	19	9	98	12	8	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
Average Cost in Infirmary 7:1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital 8:2
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 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 7th day of July, 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 ...	12	3	7	12	6		1	0	0	1	6	9	15	3	8	1	5	10	32	2	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12	3	7	12	6		1	0	0	1	6	9	15	3	8	1	5	10	32	2	4
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ..	7	12	0	7	0		2	6		6	0		1	19	0	9	6		10	18	0
In Kind ..	2	6		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	2	0		.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
7. Total Relief given	7	18	6	7	0		2	6		6	0		1	19	0	9	6		11	2	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2	5	1	15	6		15	6		1	0	9	13	2	8	16	2		20	17	10
9. Total	12	3	7	12	6		1	0	0	1	6	9	15	3	8	1	5	10	32	2	4

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended 30th June, £59:16:0
Clothing allowance (3) 3=0:0

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GALWAY UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 11th day of July, 1917

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 June, 1917, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...	1583	15	0
Repayment of Relief	...	15	0	4
Rents of Dispensary Residences	...	.	.	.
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	...	35	0	0
Interest—General <i>acc.</i>	...	12	1	9
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	...	.	7	0
Loans Received	...	.	.	.
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	...	£1626	4	1

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 June, 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	...	226	1	9
Clothing and Bedding	...	270	9	7
Workhouse Burials	...	1	2	11
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	...	103	16	0
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...	234	8	11
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	69	10	10
(c) Farm	...	27	16	4
(d) Other Expenses	...	193	0	8
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	2	8	0
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	127	12	2
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations	...	.	.	.
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	...	.	.	.
MEDICAL CHARITIES :—				
Salaries	...	277	2	2
Vaccination Fees and Expenses	...	22	6	9
Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	.	.	.
Miscellaneous Expenditure	...	.	.	.
Superannuation Allowances	...	21	0	0
Repayment of Loans	...	.	.	.
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	.	.	.
Expenditure out of Loans	...	.	.	.
Allowance to Nurses in lieu of Rations	...	18	2	0
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	£2020	12	1

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Sums received during the month	1626	4	1	.	.	.
Total	1626	4	1	.	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	202	2	1	450	13	1
Payments ordered during the month	2020	12	1	.	.	.
Total	2222	16	2	450	13	1
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	596	12	1	450	13	1
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	1228	2	0	450	13	1
Outstanding Orders	2022	12	1	.	.	.
Net Balance as above due by the Union	596	12	1	450	13	1

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	15	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	16	Discharged	0
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	78	Remaining	4

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

- 5th & 6th inst. On the recommendation of the Medical Officer, Dr. Corneely & Sarah Halloran were transferred to the County Hospital for operative treatment.
- 7th " Wardsmaid Bridget Corneely resumed duty after illness.
- " " Wardsmaid Delia Halloran was admitted to Hospital as a patient & was transferred to the County Hospital on the 9th inst.

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:—

- 35659/17. } Referring to Clerk's letter of the 7th inst. in regard
9th July. } to the relief of exceptional distress in the Union,
& stating that they see no objection to the repair of the Rossaveel Road being undertaken as a means of affording work to destitute persons under clause 2 of the Board's Order of the 3rd inst. under Section 13 of the L. G. (I) Act, 1898.
Adding that relief can only be afforded under that Order to persons engaged on relief works for the minimum period of 8 hours a day.
- 34135/17. } Referring to previous correspondence & to
10th July. } entries in the Minutes of the 27th inst. & stating that they have sanctioned the proposals to

increase, to 4/- a week, the War Bonuses in the cases of the Van Driver, Tailor & Shoemaker of the Workhouse. Also sanctioning the proposed increase of salary of 4/- a week, to the Porter in the Workhouse & Ever Hospital.

6th July, '17. From the County Surveyor, re Relief Works, proposing to put in repair a road leading from Keerannagark to Rossaveel, a distance of two miles, an important road with considerable traffic, at present in very bad repair. It has not been maintained by the County Authorities for a considerable period. It is very suitable for Relief work, as it passes through the villages occupied by the people seeking employment, & a sum of £60 would be adequate to put it in a state of repair, work will be started on it on the 9th inst.

Approved, but £60 will be inadequate to meet distress.

10th July, '17. From Rev. P. Davis, R. stating that as the Guardians may not contribute more than £13 towards the maintenance of John Floherty, an adult, in a Blind Asylum, he will guarantee the payment of £7 additional, to make up the £20 pension claimed by the Superior of the Male Blind Asylum at Drumcondra.

Approved. Arrangement on these lines to be made.

11th July, '17. From Thomas Naughton, Workhouse Wardsman, stating that he is 8 years in the employment of the Guardians at a salary of

£8 a year. Claiming an increase, as the Wardsmaids are allowed £12 a year.

Mr. N. Lydon gave notice that on this day fortnight he, or some Guardian on his behalf will move that Wardsman Naughton's salary be increased. *Notice withdrawn.*

11th July, '17. From Thomas Colan, inmate of the Workhouse, stating that he intends taking his discharge & living with the wife of his son who is at the War in Mesopotamia. Requesting some clothing. He expects to get the Old Age Pension soon.

Order. To be supplied with clothing to the amount of £1-10-0

Mr. John B. Dillon, applied for the sum of £4 for his services in assisting the Relieving Officer of the Spiddal Disp. Dist. in preparing a list of the very poor persons in the district, travelling from house to house on the 14th, 15th, 18th & 19th inst.

Moved by Mr. N. Lydon & seconded by Mr. M. J. Cooke, that Mr. Dillon be paid the sum of £3 for his services.

Moved by Mr. P. Lawless & seconded by Mr. M. Redington, that £2 be paid him.

On a division 3 Guardians voted for £3, & 2 for £2.

Order. Payment to Mr. Dillon of the sum of £3.

Moved by Mr. M. J. Cooke, seconded by Mr. N. Lydon, & Resolved that we beg to tender to our respected colleague, Mr. W. J. Little, our sincere sympathy