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GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of January, 1918.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		Attendants		Aged and Infirm		CHILDREN						RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.	
			Classes I-II	Class III	Classes IV-V	8 to 15 years Class VII	3 to 8 years Class VIII	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						
Workhouse	816	209													Total	
Temporary Buildings	222	6														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	1														
TOTAL	1082	256														
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			19	13	11	22	67	75	2	7	7	2	26	251	81	In separate Wards } -
Admitted during the Week			7	3			5	5	1					21	1	In Wards with other Inmates } 5
Born																
Total			26	16	11	22	72	80	3	7	7	2	26	272	82	5
Discharged during the Week			6	5			1	1					2	15		
Died								1						1		
Total Discharged and Died			6	5			1	2					2	16		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	14	11	22	71	78	3	7	7	2	24	256		
																No. at corresponding period last year } 289

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of January, 1918, 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.	70	131			70	131	Bt. forwd.	78	142			78	142
No. II.	2	3			2	3	No. V.	1	2			1	2
No. III.	3	4			3	4	No. VI.	3	3			3	3
No. IV.	3	4			3	4	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	28	28			28	28
Car. forwd.	78	142			78	142	TOTALS	110	175			110	175

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of January, 1918.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Paurran Esq.
Other Guardians—

Mess^{rs} M. Redington, N. Heydon, J. J. Walsh, J. Griffin & M. Hooke,

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 9th day of January, 1918

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

Indoor, from No. 1922 to No. 1950
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. 16
 Out-door ,, No. 2727 to No. 2728

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 5th day of January, 1918, 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	89	2	6	91	0	9	180	3	3	81	15	1	10	1	1	91	16	2	88	7	1	1731
Necessaries	16	2	6	22	12	11	48	15	5	24	8	3	1	14	2	36	2	5	12	12	0	
Total	105	5	0	123	13	8	228	18	8	116	24	4	11	15	3	127	18	7	101	0	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 9 : 4 1/2 s. d.
 Average Cost in Infirmary 8 : 10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 12 : 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 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 5th day of January, 1918 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 ...	16	7	7	2	0	6	1	9	0	1	5	2	3	1	9	0	1	18	10	26	10	1	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	7	7	2	0	6	1	9	0	1	5	2	3	1	9	0	1	18	10	26	10	1	
EXPENDITURE.																							
4. Cut-door Relief ordered by the Board—																							
In Money ..	9	12	0	7	0	7	6	10	0	4	0	9	6	11	12	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	10	0	6	7	0	7	6	10	0	4	0	9	6	11	18	6							
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	6	7	1	1	13	6	1	1	6	1	5	2	3	1	5	0	1	9	4	12	11	7	
9. Total	16	7	7	2	0	6	1	9	0	1	5	2	3	1	9	0	1	18	10	26	10	1	

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended 29th Decr, 1917 £ 71 : 12 : 0
 Clothing Allowances 65 : 13 : 4
 School Requisites &c. 3 - 10 - 0
 £ 152 = 18 = 10 £ 140 = 15 = 4

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GALWAY UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 9th day of January, 1918

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

	£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1583	15	0
Repayment of Relief	16	18	6
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	5	6	0
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	£1605	19	6

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 December, 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	539	18	9
Clothing and Bedding	187	16	7
Workhouse Burials	2	7	10
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	198	15	2
ESTABLISHMENT—			
(a) Salaries	437	13	10
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	11	7	0
(d) Other Expenses	191	12	9
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	7	17	2
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	111	5	6
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
MEDICAL CHARITIES :—			
Salaries	228	7	6
Vaccination Fees and Expenses	1	0	0
Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
Miscellaneous Expenditure	3	17	0
Superannuation Allowances	21	0	0
Repayment of Loans			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
<u>Nurses Ration Allowance</u>	18	2	0
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	£1981	2	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of December, 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	1605	19	6			
Total	1605	19	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	221	15	5	250	13	1
Payments ordered during the month	1981	2	5			
Total	2222	18	10	250	13	1
Net Balance due <u>by</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	816	19	2	250	13	1
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>to</u> Treasurer	1176	8	1	250	13	1
Outstanding Orders	1993	7	5			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union	£816	19	2	250	13	1

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	14	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	11	Discharged	0
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	81	Remaining	1

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

- 2nd inst, D. Colahan went on leave of absence & D. Waters is acting as substitute,
- Wardswaids Honor Solan & Kate Doyle went out on pass & have not since returned.
- Michael Kelly entered on his duties as Ambulance driver.
- Bridget Noonan, Cook in the Fever Hospital, absented herself from the 2nd to the 6th inst.
- On the recommendation of the Medical Officer Martin Murphy, hospital patient, was transferred to the County Hospital for operative treatment.

- Orders.*
1. Able bodied female inmates to be compelled to do the work outside the Hospitals in place of the two Wardswaids who left on receipt of quarter's salary without giving notice.
 2. Bridget Noonan to be warned against a repetition of her misconduct.
 3. The attention of the Medical Officers of the Workhouse to be called to the serious increase in the item of "maintenance in Eastern Institutions" in recent years.

Quinshment Book,

Mary Pate, able-bodied inmate to be prosecuted for refusing to work.

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:—

- 173/100/17. } Forwarding forms for returns of the number
4th Jan'y '18. } of persons of unsound mind, & not of un-
 } sound mind afflicted with epilepsy, on the
 } 31st inst. inmates of the Workhouse.
- 569/18. } Transmitting questions for answers respecting
8th Jan'y '18. } the nurse temporarily employed as sub-
 } stitute for the charge nurse in the Fever Hospital.
- 5th Jan'y '18 } From the Sec. to the Admiralty, acknowledging
 } the receipt of Guardians' resolution requesting
 } relief for the families of fishermen who lost
 } their lives recently in Calway Bay through
 } the explosion of a mine, & promising that
 } the request will receive attention.

8th July '18. From Messrs Griffin Bros., contractors for the supply of bread to the Workhouse, complaining that they cannot procure more than one day's supply of flour ^{ahead} locally, & requesting the Guardians to call the attention of the Food Controller to this state of affairs, with a view to obtaining at least 14 days' supply ahead, so as to prevent failure to supply the full quantity of bread to the Workhouse.

Order. This request to be complied with.

9th July '18. From Delia Halloran tendering her resignation as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse Hospital.

Accepted.

Order. The issue of advertisement for a wardsmaid, salary, &c. as before, applications to be considered on 23rd inst.

9th July '18. From the Workhouse Tailor & Shoemaker, applying for increase in their wages.

Read.

Notice of Eviction, at suit of Michael Flaherty against Patrick Tolow, from a house at Shantalla.

Notes of sympathy were passed with Mr. Hauly in the death of his sister, with Mr. Cumiffe in the death of his sister, & with Mr. King in the death of his mother.

As intimated in a notice posted on the 1st inst. to each Guardian, the clerk submitted his estimate of the liabilities & expenditure of the Guardians for the financial year from the 31st March next.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by the Chairman & unanimously - Resolved, that the clerk's estimate be adopted, & that a demand be made on the County Council to provide for the sum of £14,280 in respect of general charges, & £636 in respect of loans repayment, that the demand be signed by the Chairman, countersigned by the Clerk, & the seal of the Guardians affixed.

Copies forwarded to the L.S. Board & L.S. County Council.

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The cases of Provincial Relief and Applications for Relief were numbered and recorded as set forth in the Regulations and Local Books
The number of Provincial Applications to the Workhouse continued was
The number of Applications to the Workhouse was
The number of cases of Pauperism in the County was
The number of Applications for the Relief of the Poor was
The number of Applications in the Relief of the Poor was
The number of Applications for which Relief was not granted was
The Board and other Societies in the County were organized in the year 1834
together with the Board of Health as follows: 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	....	28
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 PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS,
And CHILDREN ACT, 1908.**

7th Jan'y, '18. From Rev. W. Conway, J. P. Chairman of the Ladies' Committee in Parish of Cleenamaddy, stating that he wrote to Mr. Frank Cannon, foster parent of the child Mary O'Brien to hand her over to the employer selected for her, as she has now reached the age of 15 years, but Mr. Cannon has not complied, pointing out that on moral & other grounds it is not a safe thing to leave the child in Mr. Cannon's house where there is ^{now} no other female but a feeble old aunt of his.

Order. Our Solicitors to be requested to warn Mr. Cannon that he must hand over the child to Mr. Conway not later than Saturday next, failing to comply proceedings to be taken against him.

THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE DISTRICT OF GALWAY
AND THE DISPENSARY ACTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from *L. G. B. No. 570/18.* dated *5th Jan'y.* 1918.

transmitting questions for answers respecting *Dr. P. D. Glynn* to whom the Guardians propose to grant a superannuation allowance in consideration of his services as Medical Officer of the *Carlingmore Disp. Dist.*

Queries & medical certificate previously transmitted on the 18th Oct. last. The Board are requested to return these documents.

52,572/17 } *Returning the Vouchers, &c. furnished re the cost*
5th Jan'y. 18. } *of medicines, &c. obtained for use in the Union*
during the past half-year.

Pointing out an overcharge of $\frac{5}{2}$ on Invoice No. 11.

John H. Calway No 3 Disp. Dist. 2 cases of successful vaccination between the dates, 21-9-'17 & 12-12-'17.

Drummore Disp. Dist.
18 cases from 1-10-'17 to 31-12-'17.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of January, 1918.

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

Hely's Limited, Dame Street, Dublin.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of January, 1918.

Table with columns: No. of Inmates, Accommodation, Able-Bodied, Attendants, Aged and Infirm, CHILDREN (8 to 15, 3 to 8, Infants), RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Hospital, Infirmary, Fever, Hospital), NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS (Males, Females, Child'n under 15, Total). Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and totals.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of January, 1918, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1; 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; not comprised in Sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I-IV, Car. forwd., and TOTALS.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of January, 1918.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Nicholas Lydon Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. P. Connolly, M. Livan, J. Griffin, M. Hooke & J. Walsh.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 16th day of Jan'y 1918,

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

Indoor, from No. 1950 to No. 1975
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. 16
 Out-door ,, No. 2728 to No. 2731

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 :—

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	88	7	1	77	9	7	165	16	8	72	18	1	9	5	0	82	3	1	83	13	7	1799.
Necessaries	12	13	0	33	17	9	46	10	9	28	13	1	1	4	2	30	7	3	16	3	6	
Total	101	0	1	111	7	6	212	7	5	101	11	2	10	19	2	112	10	2	99	17	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 7 : 10³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary 8 : 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 11 : 6

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

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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 12th day of Jan'y 1918, 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 ...	6	7	1	1	13	6	11	6	15	2	3	15	0	1	9	4	12	11	7			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	33	0	0	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	31	7	1	3	13	6	2	11	6	2	15	2	3	15	0	3	9	4	47	11	7	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ..	10	8	0	7	0	7	6	10	0	4	0	9	6	12	6	0						
In Kind ..	2	6																				
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	4	0																				
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																						
7. Total Relief given	10	14	6	7	0	7	6	10	0	4	0	9	6	12	12	6						
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	20	12	7	3	6	6	2	4	0	2	5	2	3	11	0	2	19	10	32	19	1	
9. Total ...	31	7	1	3	13	6	2	11	6	2	15	2	3	15	0	3	9	4	47	11	7	

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.			
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	12	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	6	Discharged	0
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	86	Remaining	1

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

The Matron requires a sewing machine for use in the clothing store.

Ascertain probable cost.

Referring to order of Guardians on 14th Nov last, Delia Regan has not contributed anything towards the cost of her maintenance, she is at present a patient in Hospital.

Order. Report her discharge from Hospital.

I got Mr. Colloffett, V. S. to examine one of the pigs, acting on his advice, the pig was slaughtered.

Approved.

The contractor for plumbing repairs recommends that the main water ^{pipe} leading from the rear of the Dispensary to the Hospital, at present exposed to frost for a height of 30 feet, should be fitted up inside the building.

Order. The exposed portion to be covered with a rope of hay during the prevalence of frosty weather.

During the week when the supply of milk was insufficient I gave eggs & margarine, as substitutes to the healthy inmates at dinner. The extra cost will be charged to the departing contractors.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

A patient named Martin Regan, suffering from cancer of neck should be transferred to the County Hospital for operative treatment.

Ordered.

Order. For use in the Workhouse School a copy of

The Charge Nurse in the Fever Hospital reported that Wardsmaid Nellie Crossett during the past three months has discharged her duties satisfactorily. Still she recommends a further period on probation for three months.

The probation period was extended to three 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:—

1840/18
15th Jan'y } Transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed as Wardsmaid in place of Delia Halloran.

1840/18.
15th Jan'y. } Referring to Minutes of the 9th inst. & requesting to be informed of the names of the two wardsmaids who left the Guardians' employment without notice, & whether the Medical Officer is satisfied as to the arrangements made for the discharge of their duties. Also of the date upon which these women received their quarters salaries.

(1) Honor Tolan & Kate Joyce: (2) they were not wardsmaids in hospital; the Master reported that their work is being done by unpaid female inmates

in a fairly satisfactory manner. (3) Honor Colan & Kate Joyce received their quarter's salaries in the evening of the 31st ult.

18th Jan'y. 18. Referring to an entry in the Minutes of the 9th inst. of a letter from Messrs Griffin, Bros. Contractors for the supply of bread to the Workhouse, relative to the danger of a shortage of supply of flour, & stating that the Master should be instructed to provide against a contingency such as that anticipated by keeping a supply of potatoes & other substitutes available.

Order. The issue of advertisements inviting tenders for the supply of 20 tons of Champion potatoes grown on upland soil. Tenders to be considered at meeting on the 30th inst. The Master's attention to be called to the recommendation of the L. C. B.

10th Jan'y. 18. From the Ministry of Food, London, acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's telegram re insufficient supply of flour to the contractors for the supply of bread to the Workhouse, & stating that the matter is receiving attention.

14th Jan'y. 18. From the Accountant General of the Navy, stating that the Admiralty have forwarded to him a copy of Guardians' resolution concerning compensation for loss of life due to the explosion of a mine in Galway Bay, & promising that the matter will receive prompt attention.

14th Jan'y. 18. From the Acting Sec. to Galway County Council, stating that owing to the neglect of their Poor

Rate Collectors, they are unable to remit, as usual, an instalment in the second week of this month. The Council are pressing the Collectors to use more diligence.

Furnishing a list showing the percentage collected by each of the Collectors in the Galway Union.

Order. The displeasure of the Guardians to be conveyed to the defaulting Collectors for their neglect of duty.

Notice of Ejection at suit of Patrick Oloherly against Anthony Connor from a house at Church Lane, Galway.

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The names of Provisional Agents and Applicants for Ballot were considered and ...
 The number of Provisional Applicants to the Workhouse ...
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...
 The number of Provisional Applicants for the ...
 The number of Provisional Applicants for the ...
 The number of Applicants for whom Ballot was not granted was ...
 The names and other particulars in connection with the ...
 together with the names of those who were admitted to the ...