

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1919

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	Class VII	Class VIII	Children	Mothers									
Workhouse	816	256																
Temporary Buildings	222	6																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	16																
TOTAL	1082	280																
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			13	8	11	22	79	98	5	8	8	2	30	286	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 128		In separate Wards } -	
Admitted during the Week			5	4	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	3	26	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 18		In Wards with other inmates } 0		
Born																		
Total			18	12	11	22	83	108	5	9	9	4	33	312	146		0	
Discharged during the Week			4	8	1	6	5	1	2	1	1	2	27					
Died							2	1					3					
Total Discharged and Died			4	8	1	6	7	1	2	1	1	2	32					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	4	11	22	77	107	4	8	6	29	280	No. at corresponding period last year		270		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1919, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Viet 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 Viet 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.	69	140			69	140	Bt. forwd.	74	147			74	147
No. II.	1	2			1	2	No. V.	2	9			2	9
No. III.	2	3			2	3	No. VI.	2	2			2	2
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	27	27			27	27
Car. forwd.	74	147			74	147	TOTALS	105	185			105	185

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of April, 1919.

PRESENT—In the Chair— Mr. J. Cooke Esq.
 Other Guardians— Messrs. Dr. King, D. Fegan, J. Ruane, A. Doyle, P. Connolly, W. Flaherty, R. Lydon, J. J. Walsh, J. Fegan, J. Walsh, & J. McDonagh.

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

the 2nd day of April, 1919

Signed

J. Callaghan
 Acting Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 2nd day of April, 1919

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

Indoor, from No. 3477 to No. 3501

Separate „ No. 120 to No. —

Out-door „ No. 2801 to No. 2805

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 29th day of March, 1919, 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	12	10	11	4	23	5	12	14	13	2	19	9	10	2	5	11					
Necessaries	16	8	6	4	22	16	10	5	7	7	8	4	0	2	4	1	7	10	17	17	6
Total	28	18	17	10	45	21	10	15	17	4	27	13	17	4	7	7	12	0	3	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 11 : 3¹/₂
 Average Cost in Infirmary 13 : 0
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital 14 : 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 29th day of March, 1919 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 hands at close of previous week ...	7 2 10	1 14 0	2 0	1 5 8	2 1	1 18 10	11 5 5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	1 0 0	2 1 0 0	31 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	32 2 10	1 14 0	2 2 0	2 5 8	2 2 1	1 19 10	42 5 5
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	13 3 0	2 6	6 0	10 0	5 6	14 9 0	
In Kind ...	5 6					5 6	
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	2 12 0	3 0					2 15 0
7. Total Relief given	16 0 6	3 0	4 6	6 0	10 0	5 6	17 9 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	16 2 4	1 11 0	1 17 6	1 19 6	1 12 1	1 13 2	24 15 11
9. Total ...	32 2 10	1 14 0	2 2 0	2 5 8	2 2 1	1 19 10	42 5 5

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	20	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	9	Discharged	4
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	131	Remaining	17

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

26th ult. Wardsmaids Ellen Higgins and Kate Gorman were admitted as Hospital patients

27th " Nurse Jean Hayden was discharged from Hospital, and returned to Dublin, her services being no longer required.

1st inst. Wardsmaid Mary Wryme, recently resigned, left, and Mary Lally, appointed in her place, entered on her duties

Shortage in milk supply, 39 gallons, gave substitutes of Tea and Margarine to Hospital patients

Medical Officer.

I certify that the Workhouse School has been closed owing to the Influenza for same day.

26. 3. 19

P. J. W. Colahan.

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:—

13645/19 Referring to resolution of the 19th instant, proposing to
27th March. pay Relieving Officer Hynes a sum of £5 for his services in superintending the filling, at Moycullen Railway Station of 15 waggons with turf purchased by the Guardians for use in the Workhouse. Requesting to be informed as to the terms on which this turf was purchased by the Guardians, the place where it was to be delivered by the vendors, and why it was necessary that the filling of the waggons should be superintended by the Relieving officer.

The turf were purchased during months of November, December, January and February last, from 4 different persons at prices of £6.10.0; £7.0.0; £7.0.0 and

£7-5-0, respectively, free on rail at Moycullen, and Mr. Hyne was directed to see that each waggon was properly packed, which meant at least an additional car load in each waggon.

12,761/19
24th March. Acknowledging receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Mrs. Jane Lynskey as Cook in the Fever Hospital, and pointing out that the proposed rations in this case are not in accordance with approved Scale.

The approved Scale is 4 lbs Bread, 10½ lbs Potatoes, 2½ lbs meat, ½ lb Sugar, ¾ lb Tea, 10½ pints milk, 1 lb. Margarine, 3 lbs Oatmeal, 7 eggs, 1 lb. Jam, 1 lb Fish. On some occasions it is impossible to procure all these articles, and extra bread is generally given in lieu, but total value is not allowed to exceed cost of prescribed Scale. Owing to scanty rations allowed, it is almost impossible to get attendants to remain in the Fever Hospital.

13,076/19
24th March. Referring to Minutes of 14th instant, accepting the tender of Mr. Thomas Keane for the supply of Butter to the Workhouse for ensuing 6 months at the rate of 3¹/₂ p per lb.; and pointing out this price appears altogether excessive for the Summer months. The Guardians hold quite a contrary opinion, Butter cannot now be procured in Galway at any price.

13,227/19
1st April. Sanctioning the appointment of Thomas Dickain as temporary Wardsman in the Workhouse, at a remuneration at the rate of £12 a year, and rations of the estimated weekly value of 10¹/₂d

13,902/19
1st April. Acknowledging receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary appointment of Julia Flaherty as Wardsmaid in the Fever Hospital, and requesting to be informed whether her name was removed from the Workhouse Books for the period of her employment.
Yes.

14,799/19
1st April. Referring to Minutes of 26th ultimo, from which it appears that the Guardians have been informed by the Secretary to the National Union of Dock Labourers and Transport Workers that unless the wages of Thomas Murphy, Boiler Attendant, and Patrick Ferris, Ambulance Driver, are increased to £2-1-6 a week each, these men who appear to be members of the Union in question, will be called out on strike. With reference thereto, and to the Guardians' statement that if these men relinquish their duties, they cannot conveniently be replaced at present, the Board desire to state that in the circumstances they sanction the increases proposed. They have, however, to point out that Thomas Murphy and Patrick Ferris having accepted the status of day labourers and members of the Dock Labourers and Transport Workers Union, they must be regarded as holding that position, that is, they are to be paid only in respect of work actually performed, will have no guarantee of constant employment, and will not have any prospect of receiving retiring allowances on ceasing to hold their places in the Guardians' employment.

The Guardians wish to observe, that both these men are, according to the terms of their appointment, whole time officers, otherwise, according to a recent Arbitration Award, (copy of which is forwarded to the Board) they would have to be paid extra for overtime, and double for Sunday work.

Mr. Cunningham, Drangford St., and Mr. Dr. Cunningham, Shop St. wrote thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of sympathy in their recent bereavement

In the absence of Mr. J. Griffin, the Chairman moved the notice of Motion standing in his name for this date, namely, that a Wardsmaid be appointed for the Lying-in Hospital.

The motion was seconded by Mr. W. Flaherty. Messrs J. Walsh and D. Ruane challenged a division, which resulted in 2 votes for and 9 against

The motion was declared lost.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	27
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	0

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

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

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THE PAPERS CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1908

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

These Reports are to
be made up and 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 three 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
undermentioned 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 12,607/19 dated 26th March, 1919

requesting to be informed whether Nurse Hedderman's Services were requisitioned by the Relieving Officer to attend the fever cases in Galway L.G. (Aran Islands) Dispensary District in respect of which it is proposed to allow her a gratuity of £10.

Order Ask Nurse Hedderman for information.

21st March. From Dr. Gannon, Dr. O., Oranmore, requesting the Guardians to have the necessary repairs carried out at the Dispensary Residence, now that the fine weather is approaching.

Order The issue of advertisement inviting tenders for the work, to be considered at Meeting on 16th instant

No applications received for the position of Medical Officer in the Durloughmore Dispensary District, although duly advertised in the "General Advertiser" and 2 local newspapers.

In connection with the matter, Dr. Bryan Busack wrote stating he would gladly be an applicant for the position, only that the salary offered, £120 a year, is entirely inadequate, and corresponds to about £55 pre war time. This wouldn't cover car hire, having regard to the fact that there are two Dispensaries in the District, nearly five miles apart, and most Unions have given increases to their Medical Officers, averaging £80 a year, to meet increased expenditure.

The Chairman gave notice that at meeting on this

day fortnight, he or some Guardian on his behalf will move, the rescission of the Graded Scale of Salaries adopted for Medical Officers at Meeting on 3rd April last, in so far as it relates to Durloughmore Dispensary District, and that a new Scale be formulated for that particular District

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			Able-Bodied		Attendants		Aged and Infirm		8 to 15 years		3 to 8 years		Infants under 3 years of age, and Nursing Mothers		Total
		Classes I-II		Class III		Classes IV-V		Class VII		Class VIII					
		Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children	Mothers		
Workhouse	816	260													
Temporary Buildings	222	6													
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	11													
TOTAL	1082	277													
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return		12	6	11	22	79	99	2	8	6	2	29		280	129
Admitted during the Week		3	2			7	9		1	2	1	1		28	5
Born												3		3	
Total		15	10	11	22	86	108	2	9	8	5	33		311	134
Discharged during the Week		2	2			8	9	1	1	2	1	5		32	
Died						1						1		2	
Total Discharged and Died		2	2			9	9	1	1	2	1	6		34	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE		13	7	11	22	77	99	3	8	6	2	27		277	126

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of April, 1919, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	70	140			70	140	Bt. forwd.	75	146			75	146
No. II.	1	2			1	2	No. V.	2	9			2	9
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. VI.	2	2			2	2
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII.—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	27	27			27	27
Car. forwd.	75	146			75	146	TOTALS	106	184			106	184

McCoole
CHAIRMAN

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

WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of April, 1919

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Martin J. Cooke Esq.

Other Guardians—

Thos. Dr. King, W. Flaherty, P. Dillon,

J. Griffin, G. Kelly

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

the 9th day of April, 1919

Signed

J. Callaghan
Acting Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 9th day of April, 1919

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

Indoor, from No. 3501 to No. 3534

Separate „ No. 1 to No. 2

Out-door „ No. 2805 to No. 2807

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 April, 1919, 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	102	5	11	120	9	7	222	15	6	122	7	2	11	14	0	132	1	2	92	16	2	1973
Necessaries	17	17	6	43	4	6	61	20	3	2	11	2	0	3	38	5	2	22	16	10		
Total	120	3	5	163	14	1	283	17	6	156	12	1	15	14	3	172	6	2	117	13	2	

* Includes £6-2-0 excess in Stock on 31st Mch.

	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	10	2
Average Cost in Infirmary	13	0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	14	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.
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- 4—The Labour Book.
- 5—The Workhouse Farm Account.
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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 5th day of April, 1919 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Oooney	
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hands at close of previous week ...	162 2	111 0	117 6	119 8	112 1	113 2	24 15 11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	162 2	111 0	117 6	119 8	112 1	113 2	24 15 11
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	13 15 0	.	2 6	6 0	10 0	5 6	15 1 0
In Kind ..	5 6	.	.	.	.	.	5 6
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	5 0	.	.	.	.	5 0
7. Total Relief given	14 0 6	5 0	2 6	6 0	10 0	5 6	15 11 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2 1 10	1 6 0	1 13 0	1 13 8	1 2 1	1 7 10	9 2 5
9. Total ...	162 2	111 0	117 6	119 8	112 1	113 2	24 15 11

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended 29th March, £ 108 : 8 : 6

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GALWAY UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 9th day of April, 1919

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 March, 1919 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	20	10	9
Rents of Dispensary Residences	.	.	.
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	.	.	.
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	1	9	5
Loans Received	.	.	.
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	£ 22	0	2

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 March, 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	192	8	6
ESTABLISHMENT—			
(a) Salaries	493	19	2
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	120	6	11
(c) Farm	8	19	6
(d) Other Expenses	427	14	6
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	35	18	9
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	116	8	10
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations	.	.	.
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	0
MEDICAL CHARITIES :—			
Salaries	291	17	5
Vaccination Fees and Expenses	101	15	7
Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	.	.	.
Miscellaneous Expenditure	98	15	2
Superannuation Allowances	21	0	0
Repayment of Loans	308	15	7
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	887	4	10
Expenditure out of Loans	.	.	.
<i>Nurses Retention Allowance</i>	23	10	0
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	£ 3131	9	8

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March, 1919

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	60	2	3	.	.	.
Total Sums received during the month	22	0	2	.	.	.
Total	82	2	5	.	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	.	.	.	450	13	1
Payments ordered during the month	3131	9	8	.	.	.
Total	3131	9	8	450	13	1
Net Balance due <i>by</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	3049	5	3	450	13	1
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	96	12	8	.	.	.
Outstanding Orders	3145	17	11	450	13	1
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> the Union	£ 3049	5	3	450	13	1

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HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	17	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	14	Discharged	13
Died	2	Died	0
Remaining	132	Remaining	4

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

2nd visit. Miss Annie Connor, Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital, was admitted a patient, and Probationer Nurse Hamilton from the Fever Hospital, is acting as Substitute.

3rd visit. Mr. John S. Doyle resumed duty as Workhouse Doctor. On the recommendation of the Medical Officer, a patient named Joseph Thornton was transferred to the Galway Hospital for operative treatment.

I await Guardians instructions as to whether it will be necessary to have Tea supplied in bulk compared with original sample by a Tea Taster.

Resolved. That we hereby appoint Messrs. C. J. McDonagh & Co. of Dublin as Tea Tasters at a remuneration of £1, for the purpose of comparing Tea supplied in bulk with original sample submitted.

Shortage in milk supply during past week, 42½ gallons. Gave substitutes of Tea and Margarine to Hospital patients and Eggs and Margarine to healthy inmates.

Submit for inspection the following goods delivered by Contractors:— 200 yds lining Calico, 3 lbs Yarn, 3 doz, mens Caps, 180 yds Shirting Calico, 120 yds Check, 20 yds Irish Stripe, and 20 yds Gingham.

Examined, approved, and ordered into Stock.

I beg to apply for an increase in my Salary. Mr. L. Lydon gave notice that at meeting on this day fortnight, he or some Guardian on his behalf will move, that the Master be granted an increase of Salary, the amount to be there and then fixed.

Offence and Punishment Books.

Able-bodied inmates Delia Regan and Mary Bute were reported for being under the influence of drink on 5th inst. and using abusive and threatening language towards the Master and Matron.

Order To be prosecuted.

Medical Officer

Complaints have been made to me that the milk was sour 3 or 4 times during the week and that it is very poor in quality.

Dr. McDonagh.

No order.

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:—

12,799/19
3rd April. Sanctioning payment of remuneration at the rate of £190 a year to Mr. John Gallagher for his services as Substitute for the Clerk of the Union during his absence from duty on account of illness.

12,606/19.
4th April. Sanctioning the proposal to increase the weekly wages of Michael Reilly, Workhouse ~~Foot~~ Shoemaker, and John P. Fogarty, Fever Hospital Porter, to £2-1-6 each, the War Bonus in the case of the former being discontinued.

60/7/19.
4th April. Circular regarding Election of Guardians in Urban Districts, pointing out that as the Local Government (Ireland) Amending Bill, has now passed the

Second reading in the House of Commons, the Board have no doubt that the Elections will be postponed to the later date fixed by the Bill. In these circumstances it appears desirable to defer incurring expenditure, pending the passing of the Bill now before Parliament.

5th April. From Mrs. Henry, thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of Sympathy on the death of her husband.

8th April. From the Workhouse Schoolmaster, applying for School requisites to the value of $7\frac{1}{2}$ ³/₄.

Ordered.

8th April. From Wm. Connell, an inmate of the Workhouse until a few days ago, requesting to be supplied with a suit of clothes, to enable him work at his Trade as a Tailor in Galway.

No action taken as the man has already left the Workhouse.

9th April. From Daniel Daly, Workhouse inmate, applying for a suit of clothes and a pair of boots, to enable him leave the Workhouse, and seek employment.

Order to be supplied with clothing to the value of £2.

9th April. From John Daly, Curran's Lane, a discharged Soldier, requesting the Guardians to take charge of his two children, aged 6 & 7 respectively, and he will pay for their maintenance.

Refused.

9th April. From Mr. John Bradley, Workhouse Tailor, applying for a week's leave of absence.

Granted.

9th April. From Messrs Thomas Murphy, Steam Boiler attendant, and Patrick Ferris, Ambulance Driver, stating that they were appointed as whole time officers, and therefore cannot agree to the conditions laid down by the L. G. Board in their letter No. 10,799, dated 1st instant, viz: - that in future they are to be considered as Day Labourers.

The Guardians again wish to direct the attention of the L. G. Board to this matter. Day labourers have fixed hours of employment, exclusive of Sundays, whilst the two men referred to, have to work on all days and at all hours, when required to do so.

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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	35
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.

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THE PAPERS CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT
AND CHILDREN 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 three 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	"	Turloughmore	;
Moycullen	"		

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

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