

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1911—35,083.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of May, 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	257															
Temporary Buildings	222	6															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	10															
TOTAL	1082	270															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			16	10	11	22	72	93	4	5	6	1	30	270			
Admitted during the Week			3	2			8	5		3			3	26			
Born													1	1			
Total			19	12	11	22	80	98	4	8	6	1	34	297			
Discharged during the Week			4	1			10	7	2	1				26			
Died							1							1			
Total Discharged and Died			4	1			11	7	2	1				27			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	11	11	22	69	91	2	7	5	1	34	270			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of May, 1919, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. 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 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.	66	121			66	121	Bt. forwd.	70	125			70	125
No. II.							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.	70	125			70	125	TOTALS	101	183			101	183

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

WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of May, 1919.

PRESENT—In the Chair—M. Hooke Esq.
Other Guardians—

Messrs D. Egan, P. Murray, W. Flaherty, & Griffin.

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

the 14th day of May, 1919.

Signed Robt. J. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 14th day of May, 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. 3633 to No. 3652

Separate ,, No. 12 to No. 14

Out-door ,, No. 2811 to No. 2811

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.
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- 3—The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of May, 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	89	17	5	122	18	3	222	158	112	39	12	10	1	12	13	10	110	1	10	1877		
Necessaries	12	19	6	39	12	11	52	12	5	23	3	2	3	11	3	26	12	5	27		18	0
Total	102	16	11	162	11	2	289	81	135	6	11	16	1	15	18	3	137	19	10			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	s.	d.
Average Cost in Infirmary ...	10	13
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...	12	6
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- 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 10th day of May, 1919 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 hands at close of previous week ...	20	1	10	16	0	0	1	15	0	1	9	8	2	2	1	1	5	10	27	10	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	1	10	16	0	0	1	15	0	1	9	8	2	2	1	1	5	10	27	10	5
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	13	12	0	.	.	.	2	6	.	6	0	.	10	0	.	5	6	.	12	18	0
In Kind ...	.	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																					
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																					
7. Total Relief given	13	17	6	.	.	.	2	6	.	6	0	.	10	0	.	5	6	.	15	3	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	2	2	16	0	0	1	10	6	1	2	8	1	12	1	1	0	2	12	6	11
9. Total ...	29	1	10	16	0	0	1	15	0	1	9	8	2	2	1	1	5	10	27	10	5

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GALWAY UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 14th day of May, 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 April, 1919 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...	2086	5	0
Repayment of Relief	...	27	14	6
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	...	2113	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 April, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer.

TABLE (b).		£	s.	d.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—				
Provisions and Necessaries	...	626	10	5
Clothing and Bedding	...	5	14	9
Workhouse Burials	...	.	.	.
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	...	83	0	0
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...	45	10	3
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	.	.	.
(c) Farm	...	7	3	7
(d) Other Expenses	...	70	0	10
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	.	.	.
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	.	.	.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and of Vaccinations	...	23	12	2
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	...	.	.	.
MEDICAL CHARITIES :—				
Salaries	...	.	.	.
Vaccination Fees and Expenses	...	6	13	3
Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	.	.	.
Miscellaneous Expenditure	...	52	17	0
Superannuation Allowances	...	.	.	.
Repayment of Loans	...	.	.	.
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	.	.	.
Expenditure out of Loans	...	.	.	.
<i>Nurses Rations</i>	...	16	0	0
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	£957	2	3

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....191.....

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	2113	19	6	.	.	.
Total	2113	19	6	.	.	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	3029	5	3	450	13	1
Payments ordered during the month	957	2	3	.	.	.
Total	4006	7	6	450	13	1
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1892	8	0	.	.	.
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	669	15	6	450	13	1
Outstanding Orders	1222	12	6	.	.	.
Net Balance as above due by the Union	1892	8	0	450	13	1

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	19	Admitted during the Week	0
Discharged	16	Discharged	2
Died	1	Died	0
Remaining	112	Remaining	9

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

13th inst. Margaret Ferris was transferred to the Barnity Hospital for operative treatment.

" " Received for old clothing, &c. £2-11-6.

" " The Night Nurse reported to me that she found Mrs. O'Kea a patient in the upper ward of the Male Hospital with life extinct, on the farm walk ~~with~~ beneath the window looking out on the farm, at 5 am. The Police & relatives of the deceased have been communicated with. The window is about 18 feet from the farm level. An inquest is to be held.

Portion of the gate shutting off the Female Infirmary from the farm got blown down recently by the wind.

Referred to Visiting Committee.

The Schoolboys were out for exercise on three occasions during the week.

Workhouse Medical Officers,

The sputum of patients Margaret Fahy & Bridget Healy require to be sent to the University College to be examined for tubercle bacilli.

Ordered.

Thomas Whelan a patient, being sent to a Sanatorium, requires a few articles of clothing.

Ordered.

David Power, an emergency patient, suffering from a fracture of leg should be sent to the Barnity Hospital for further surgical operations.

Ordered.

The Medical Officer to be asked to explain why this patient cannot be treated in the Workhouse Hospital.

Order. Mary Aute to be again prosecuted, this time for leaving the Workhouse without permission & leaving her child in the Institution.

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:—

1668th pm/19 } Circular Letter, Loans, relaxation of restrictions.
7th May } *Read & contents noted.*

468/19 } Advertising to previous correspondence respecting
9th May } the proposed appointment of Ellen Corneely as Wardsmaid, & requesting to be informed whether the Guardians consider that this woman's permanent appointment should now be sanctioned.

Report of the Nurse of the Workhouse.

Ellen Corneely is so far satisfactory. She is conducting herself quietly & doing her work well.

The Guardians approve of her permanent appointment.

Mr. Griffin gave notice that at meeting on the 28th inst. he will move that a second nurse be appointed for night duty in the Workhouse Hospital.

Notes of Sympathy.

1. With the Jesuit Fathers in Galway in the death of one of the Order, Rev. Edmund Donovan.
2. With Capt. Meagher in the death of his brother Michl. Not proposed by the Chairman & seconded by Mr. Hogan.
- " 2 " " Mr. Griffin. " " " " Mr. Flaherty.

Moved by Mr. Hogan, seconded by Mr. Murray, & Resolved, that we condemn the action of a Galway newspaper, the "Cinnabht Tribune" that claims to be a democratic organ in rejoicing last week over the exercise of despotic control of this Board by a foreign institution. That we welcome the fact that this paper has come out in its true colours, most people suspecting what it was since the Rising in 1916.

Mr. J. B. Cooney, Relieving Officer, was granted an extension of leave of absence owing to the illness of her children.

22.7.34/19 }
13th May } Acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter of the 9th inst. relative to the proposal of the Guardians to remit fines imposed on certain contractors for the supply of mill to the Workhouse; stating that this is a matter with which the Guardians must deal on their own responsibility, but they should be prepared to satisfy the Auditor as to the propriety

of their action if they decide to remit these fines.

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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	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	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	0

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

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

13th May 19. From Miss M. King, Clifden. Foster-parent of two children, pointing out that the sum allowed annually for the clothing of each child, £3, is inadequate, considering the enormous increase in cost, more than three times what it was in pre-war times.

Resolved, that the allowance be increased from £3 to £4 per annum for each child from 10 to 15 years, boarded-out in Clifden.

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THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1864

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	"	Tóurloughmore	"
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. 21,684/17. dated 10th May, 1917.

Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £44-0 a week to D.W. O'Brien for his services as substitute for the Medical Officer of the Galway No 3 Disp. Dist. in the capacity of Medical Officer & Medical Officer of Health.

The Relieving Officer for the District reported that D.W. O'Brien took up duty as substitute on the 14th inst.

The Guardians beg to refer the L.G. Board to the Minutes of the ~~Minutes~~ of the 16th inst. containing a resolution increasing the salary of the Medical Officer to be appointed for the Surlinghammore Disp. Dist. from £120 to £170 initial salary.

The Guardians await the sanction of the Board to this increase before issuing ads for a Medical Officer for the Disp. Dist.

Mr. W. J. Quinn B.C. furnished a report on the condition of the Dispensary Residence, Oranmore, & pointed out necessary repairs.

Referred to the local Guardians for their observations.

Sept	29-1-10.	231-2-3.	200-1-4.	182-9-6	642-14-11
	<u>47-15-3</u>	<u>258-15-3</u>	<u>279-5-1</u>	<u>169-0-7</u>	<u>754-16-2</u>
	<u>76-17-1</u>	<u>489-17-6</u>	<u>479-6-5</u>	<u>351-10-1</u>	<u>7397-11-1</u>
		<u>492-9-4</u>			
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			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Children				Mothers
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Admitted during the Week			5	5			9	3					22	12	In Wards with other inmates		
Born																	
Total			20	16	11	22	78	96	2	7	5	1	34	292	114	2	
Discharged during the Week			6	7			10	5	1		1		5	35			
Died							1						1				
Total Discharged and Died			6	7			11	5	1		1		5	36			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	9	11	22	67	91	1	7	4	1	29	256		No. at corresponding period last year 253	

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No. I.	65	140			65	140	Car. forwd.	69	140			69	140
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No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. VI.	2	10			3	10
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII—Children Boarded out beyond Union.	27	27			27	27
Car. forwd.	69	140			69	140	TOTALS	101	190			101	190

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of May, 1917.

PRESENT—In the Chair—*N. Hydon Esq.*
 Other Guardians—*Messrs J. O'Brien, W. Liberty, J. D. Moloney.*

N. Hydon PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of May, 1917.

Signed *Robt. H. Mullery*
 Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 24th day of May 1912

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

Indoor, from No. 3652 to No. 3680

Separate „ No. 14 to No. 17

Out-door „ No. 2811 to No. 2812

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits.

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Provisions	110	1	10	125	19	5	236	1	3	108	4	3	12	10	1	120	14	4	115	6	11	1809
Necessaries	27	12	0	18	15	0	46	13	0	20	3	9	3	16	3	22	0	0	22	13	0	
Total	137	19	10	143	14	5	282	14	3	128	8	0	16	6	4	142	14	4	137	19	11	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 9:11
 Average Cost in Infirmary 12:6
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	Relieving Officer	TOTAL					
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Cooney	
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hands at close of previous week ...	644	160	1106	138	1121	104	12611
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	3000					2000	5000
3. Total to be accounted for ...	3644	160	1106	138	1121	2104	62611
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	13106		46	60	100	106	15116
In Kind ...	56						56
5. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
6. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility						1679	1679
7. Total Relief given	13160		46	60	100	1783	3249
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2284	160	160	178	1213	121	3022
9. Total ...	3644	160	1106	138	1121	2104	62611

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

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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.....

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						
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	13	Admitted during the Week	21
Discharged	18	Discharged	0
Died	0	Died	0
Remaining	107	Remaining	13

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

14th inst, David Power was transferred to the County Hospital for operative treatment, & Anne Connell to the District Lunatic Asylum.

" " Mary A. Ethrington who resigned the post of Wardsmaid, left.

15th " An Inquest was held on Thomas O'Lea, who, as reported, at last meeting, was found dead outside the Hospital window overlooking the farm, Copy of Verdict attached.

17th " D. Colahan resumed duty after leave of absence.

21st " Mary Mullally was appointed temporary Wardsmaid in the Childrens' Ward at a remuneration at the rate of £14 a year with rations. The door of the Disinfecting Chamber requires to be overhauled.

Mr. Glavin to be asked to examine the door & to report as to the repairs necessary.

The schoolboys were out for exercise on three occasions during the week.

The committee who examined the damaged gate in the female infirmary yard recommended that a new side be erected.

Order Mr. Dooly to be asked to furnish an estimate for a new half gate.

Workhouse Medical Officer.

Explanation why a patient named David Power was transferred to the County Hospital for treatment. He was suffering from a compound comminuted fracture of the bones of his left leg above the ankle. The patient may have to undergo several surgical procedures & must be surrounded with the most perfect aseptic precautions, & the limb will have to be X Rayed at certain periods during the progress of the case.

Explanation considered quite satisfactory.

Dr. H. McDonogh reported the loss of Paying Order No. 413, dated 12-2-19, amount, £6-3-3, & requested the Guardians to issue a duplicate.

Order. The issue of a duplicate under the usual conditions.

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:—

22.684/19 }
15th May } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £37 a year to Mr. Sarah Walsh for her services as vocation substitute for Relieving Officer Walsh for a period of four weeks.

22.684/19 }
15th May } Referring to the Minutes of the 7th inst, containing an entry of their letter of the 5th idem communicating the substance of the report which they received from their Inspector, Mr. P. Park-Beresford, consequent on his recent half-yearly inspection of the Workhouse; & the Board request that the Guardians will be good enough to consider the report & draw the attention of the Master to that portion which refers to the manner in which his duties are dis-

-charged

charged.

Order. A copy of the report referred to to be furnished to the Master with a request to furnish an explanation.

19716/19 } Referring to the entry in the Minutes of the 23rd
16th May } met. proposing to increase the annual salary
of the Workhouse Master from £80 to £150.
Stating that having regard to the unfavourable reports which they have from time to time received from their Inspector as to the manner in which the Master's duties have been discharged, they are not prepared to consent to the proposal.

84/m/19 } Transmitting a copy of their Annual Report for the
1st May } year 1917-18.
Received with thanks.

23054/19 } Approving of the appointment of Ellen Hayes
20th May } as Wardsmaid in the Children's Department
of the Workhouse at a salary of £14 a year with rations as in the approved scale.
This woman declined to take up duty & Mary McIlally was appointed temporarily on trial (vide Master's report on this day's Minutes.)

24190/19 } Referring to the Minutes of the 14th inst. & requesting
20th May } to be furnished with a copy of the finding of the coroner's jury in connection with the death of the patient, Thomas O'Dea, as well as a further report from the officer in charge of the Ward in the Workhouse in which the deceased was a patient, stating the disease from which he suffered & whether he was delirious.

Copy of the Verdict.

That Thomas O'Dea on the morning of the 13th May, '19, at the Salway Union Workhouse, going or falling out of a window accidentally & by misfortune causing dislocation of his neck, & that he then & there died of shock the result of such fall & such dislocation of the neck. We further find that no blame attaches to any of the officials of the Workhouse in connection with the matter. We suggest that some iron bars should be placed on the outside of the window as a safeguard for the future.

*suffered from cardiac disease
The patient was not delirious, there is only one night nurse to attend to thirteen hospital wards. A motion to appoint a second night nurse is to be considered at next meeting of the Guardians.*

4681/19 } Sanctioning the permanent appointment of
20th May } Ellen Corneely as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse at a salary of £12 a year with rations as in the approved scale.

Nurses N. J. Kaffey & A. O'Connor of the Workhouse Hospital & B. M. Lane & D. C. O'Brien of the Fever Hospital applied for increase of salaries.
Consideration deferred.

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Galway County Council Archives

The Board of Directors of the Galway County Council, in pursuance of the provisions of the Local Government Act, 1925, do hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors held on the 10th day of June 1925.

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	32.
Ditto disallowed	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	0

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

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

5512/19 } Adverting to previous correspondence & to the
16th May } Minutes of the 29th Jan'y last, & requesting that
the Board may be informed whether a reply has since
been received from the Clerk of Blifden Union re-
garding the children Patrick Conavan & Thizzie
McDonagh referred to in the report of the Board's
Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald Keeney, consequent
on her last inspection of the children boarded out in
that Union.

The Guardians beg to refer the Board to the Minutes
of the 5th Feb'y last, containing a report ^{furnished by} ~~submitted by~~ Casey,
Medical Officer of Blifden Disp. Dist. on the children
referred to. This report was furnished at the request of
the Clerk of Blifden Union & ^{by him} transmitted to the Guardians.

Submitted, Form A, boarding out of the child
Haney Flynn with Mr James H. Hill of Clondroyle,
Bunawaddy.

Approved - copy forwarded to the L.S.B.
Form of contract in the same case had the seal of
the Guardians affixed.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
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 :-