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BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES

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TUAM UNION.

Population in 1901--30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269 19 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of May 1910

Number 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		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	694																
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	123																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48																
Other Sheds	—																
TOTAL	865																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	6	101	46	1	3	4	2	5	6			183	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 52	In Separate Wards } 12
Admitted during the Week					4	2			1		1	29	1	1	39	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } —	In Wards with other Inmates } 5
Discharged during the Week																	
TOTAL			9	6	105	48	1	3	5	2	6	35	1	1	222		
Discharged during the Week					5	2	1		1			26	1	1	27		
Admitted						1									1		
Total Discharged and Died					5	3	1		1			26	1	1	38		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	6	100	45		3	4	2	6	9			184	No. at corresponding period last year, } 179	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of May 1910 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
I.	114	192					Bt. forward						
II.	41	65					No. VI.						
III.	51	57					No. VII.						
IV.	26	35					No. VIII.						
V.	21	27					No. IX.						
Total	253	376					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 14th day of May 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair, John W. Ronaldson
 Other Guardians:—Patrick Dermody
 Patrick Carley, Thad
 Ambrose James K
 Kerwin

The following communication ² ^{were} ^{was} read - Co. of Galway W.P.
 Castlebar 12.5.1910. I beg to report that on the morning of
 the 9th inst. when on my way to Tuam fair, and when passing the
 house of Pat Nolan of Newgardens my attention was attracted by cries
 of a child and loud talk; when opposite the door of Nolan's house I
 saw Kate Nolan having a hold of Mary Patterson by the hair of the
 head and striking her in the face I was on my bicycle at the
 time. I visited this house on 11th inst and asked Mrs. Nolan where
 this Patterson girl was, she said she was up the fields after cattle
 I said I would like to see her before I would leave, and she then
 went for her and brought her in after about ten minutes. The
 girl had a shawl on her head, I told her to remove it which
 she did, I saw that around her both eyes was black and
 swollen. She told me she had a lump on the right side of
 the head over the ear which I also saw and that was the
 reason she was wearing the shawl. I asked how she got the
 black eyes and Mrs. Nolan made reply before the little girl
 had time to answer, that she washed her head on Saturday
 night and got a cold, and was the cause of it, the little girl
 said that was it, and added that "I do lie after cattle and
 falling in the bushes." I said to Mrs. Nolan that I saw her
 having this girl by the hair of the head on the morning
 of the 9th. and she denied it but afterwards admitted
 that she pulled her by the ear and by the hair of the head
 to chastise her, which she thought she had a right to. This
 Mary Patterson is a boarded out child from the Tuam Union
 about 12 years old. She appears to be very
 this occasion she was very ill clad and

Michael Higgins Corv. 56.

Alleged Cruelty to a child Mary Patterson.

I beg to report that in consequence of a statement made to me at
 11 p.m. on last night by Const. M. Higgins on his return off patrol,
 I visited the house of Kate Nolan of Newgardens on this date, and
 there saw a child named Mary Patterson aged 12 years. The child
 had two very bad black eyes, and the bridge of the nose was also
 black and swollen. There was a large soft lump on the top of the
 head on the right side about the size of the palm of the hand
 and appears to me to have been caused by the child having being
 caught by the hair of the head, and violently dragged so as to
 have the skin separated from the scalp. I examined the child's
 arms and skins and found a black bruise above the elbow
 on the right arm, and a similar one above the joint of the left
 wrist. I made her take down her stockings and did not see any
 marks of violence on the skins but when she took off the right
 boot there were three stone bruises on the sole, one very large one
 about the size of a 5/- piece, and two small ones in the heart
 of the foot. When I questioned the little girl about what
 happened to her she said the cow hit her with her horn
 in the eye. Mrs. Nolan said the same but when I began to question
 her about she having beaten the girl she got very nervous and
 said she did catch her by the hair and illustrated to me
 how she caught her. The child is one boarded out by the Tuam
 Guardians and Mrs. Nolan gets $2/6$ per week for its care and
 maintenance. From enquiries I made I am of opinion that this child
 ought to be removed from this woman's custody, as she has a very
 cruel reputation, but of course no person will say they saw
 anything themselves, they only heard of it. I attach Const. Higgins
 report.

(Signed) J. Hunt Sergt. 54249.

P.S. I have no doubt but if the child's body were examined more
 bruises would be found. The R.O. is going out this evening to
 take in the child. J.H. Sergt.

The Dist. Insp.

Tuam 13 May 1910.

Transmitted for your information. Please return this file.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 14th day of May 1910

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 in the month of April 1910 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1139	2	6
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and Other Receipts	1	16	6
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	1140	19	0

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 1910 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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	7	10	0
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	2	0	6
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	17	18	3
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	156		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	374	7	3
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	557	16	0

intend to prosecute Kate Nolan under Children Act 1908 unless the Board of Guardians intend to proceed.

(Signed) Michl. Rorke D.I.

The clerk

Tuam Union.

Order The Guardians decided to leave the matter in the hands of the police. The following letter was read from Mr. Luke Forde. I beg to report that the constable Sergeant R.D.C. came to me on the 12th inst. and reported to me that Mary Patten was badly beaten by her foster parent Kate Nolan of Belclare. I went to see her immediately and found her suffering from a black eye and a swelling on the head and I removed her to the Workhouse.

(Signed) Luke Forde R.O.

Galway County Council

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

April 1910

	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	1140	19	0			
Total	1140	19	0			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	748	1	9			
Payments ordered during the month	557	16	0			
Total	1305	17	9			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	164	18	9			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>to</i> Treasurer	43	18	11			
Outstanding Orders	120	19	10			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> the Union	164	18	9			

Dated this 16th day of May 1910

P. W. D. D. D.
Clerk of the Union.

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		<i>Nil</i>

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The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	<i>Nil</i>	

The following Letters and other Communications were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject

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the names of Children born in the District who are over not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the

District — 11 Defaulters

thereon, as follows:—

Notice to be

Population in 1901—30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269.19.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of May 1910

Number 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		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	694	182															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	123	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	865	182															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	6	100	45	.	3	4	2	6	9	.	.	184	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 53	In Separate Wards } 12
Admitted during the Week			.	.	4	1	.	1	1	.	.	32	5	2	47	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } —	with other Inmates } 5
Born																	
TOTAL,			9	6	104	46	.	4	5	2	6	41	5	2	231	TOTAL, 53	TOTAL, 17
Discharged during the Week			.	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	1	36	4	1	49	OBSERVATIONS	
Died																	
Total Discharged and Died			.	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	1	36	4	1	49		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	6	101	44	.	3	5	2	5	5	1	1	182	No. at corresponding period last year, } 176.	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of May 1910 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.	115	192					Bt. forward						
No. II.	41	65					No. VI.						
No. III.	51	57					No. VII.						
No. IV.	26	35					No. VIII.						
No. V.	21	27					No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Total Car. forw.	254	376					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 21st day of May 1910.

PRESENT: In the Chair, William B. Mullarky
 Other Guardians:— Patrick Larkin, Michael McDermott, James Kehilly, Patrick Coleman, Malachy Kehilly, Patrick Dermody, Patrick J Ryan and John Dolan.

Signed Sur J. J. Ryan

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Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

Vol William J Callagher
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[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 21st day of May 1910

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

Indoor from No. 2542 to No. 2602

Separate ,, No. 344 to No. 345

Outdoor ,, No. 974 to No. 975

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 14th day of May 1910, 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	85	1	9	43	9	3	128	11		37	9	6	5	15	7	43	5	11	1263			
Necessaries	183			7	6		183	7	6	5	11	3	2	7	7	7	18	10		175	8	8
Total	268	1	9	50	16	9	311	18	6	43	0	9	8	3	2	51	3	11		260	14	7

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 9⁵/₄
 Average Cost of Infirmary : :
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of May 1910 was submitted as follows:--

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL			
	<u>Jordan</u>			<u>Walsh</u>			<u>Judge</u>			<u>Hanly</u>			<u>Glynn</u>						
	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.		
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	24	19	5	14	12	0	19	8	10	22	0	2	16	12	5	97	12	10	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	24	19	5	14	12	0	19	8	10	22	0	2	16	12	5	97	12	10	
EXPENDITURE.																			
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																			
In Money ...	11	2	6	3	19	6	5	9	0	2	8	6	2	9	6	25	9	0	
In Kind ...																			
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																			
7. Total Relief given	11	2	6	3	19	6	5	9	0	2	8	6	2	9	6	25	9	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	13	16	11	10	12	6	13	19	11	19	11	8	14	2	11	72	3	1	
9. Total ...	24	19	5	14	12	0	19	8	10	22	0	2	16	12	5	97	12	10	

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.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1910.

J. W. Dowling
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Nil

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OFFICERS' REPORTS

The acting Medical officer recommended that W^m. Reilly and Michael Collins be sent to a Dublin Hospital for special treatment.

The Master reported that the Medical Officer Dr Costello is unwell since Monday 16th inst. Dr Hession is doing duty since that date.

That I gave permission to the tailor and Shoemaker to absent themselves from work on Friday 20th instant.

That Mr Quinn (Porter) bought 5 young Pigs to-day for £8.

That the Cistern in the Convent Kitchen is leaking in two places and as it is an old one and can't be repaired a new one is absolutely necessary.

That a gardener is required for the Convent & Infirmary gardens for about 3 weeks.

That a child named Pat Grehan was admitted to the House as his mother was arrested and sent to Galway gaol.

That several defects in the water supply in the Infirmary require to be attended to at once.

Orders of the Board thereon

Ordered.

Leave granted. Dr Hession appointed to discharge the M.O. duties at £5.5.0 a week for Workhouse & Tnam. D. District.

Approved.

Approved.

The Master to get quotations for a cistern.

Ordered.

Read.

Ordered.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions 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):—

Letter to Clerk From the Local Government Board stating that they have had before them the Guardians Minutes on the 30th Ultimo, when the Guardians adjourned for six months the consideration of the report of the Board's Medical Inspector, Dr E. Coey Bigger, on his recent inspection of the Workhouse Infirmary and Fever Hospital; and, with reference thereto, they requested that the Guardians would be so good as to reconsider their decision in this matter, and also urging the Guardians particularly to take the necessary steps to improve the accommodation for maternity cases in the Infirmary, and to remedy the defective condition of the Fever Hospital chimney.

Order

Referred to Visiting Committee to inspect & report on Dr E. Coey Bigger's suggestions.

Mr Walsh, R.O. applied for one day's leave of absence on Saturday 28th inst, Mr Judge, R.O. would discharge his duty.

Order

Leave granted.

an inmate named Patrick Heneghan applied for clothes to enable him leave the Workhouse.

Order

Clothes ordered, cost not to exceed $\overset{s}{30}$ /-

The Clerk reported that in consequence of a written report from the Medical Officer of the Workhouse and the Head Nurse, he wrote to the Superintendent of the Waterworks calling upon him to attend to the following defects in the water supply of the Workhouse viz: - Leakages in Infirmary ^{Kitchen} Boiler, in Infirmary Lavatory, in Mens yard, in Infirmary men's yard, in male casual yard, in Bath in Nun's House and Scullery, in overflow waste Pipe from kitchen, wash hand basin to be cleaned out and 3 new taps required. The plumber has been at work since Thursday and has done all repairs except the Infirmary boiler which he is doing but a mason is also required for Boiler.

Order

Approved of; Mason ordered.

Read

Letter from Mr Shine, Supt Waterworks acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter relative to leakages in Workhouse premises and stating that he inspected the place to-day, and though there is a full and constant supply of water, much inconvenience is caused in the Infirmary owing to their being

no Hot water, the boiler being leaking, he suggested that a good plumber and mason be got to repair the boiler. That it would be better to revert to former method of having a plumber employed by yearly contract than have water wasted under existing arrangements. The Council could prosecute the Guardians for waste of water caused by defective fittings, the penalty is up to £5.

The following notice of Motion was handed in by Mr Michael McDermott and accepted: - "Take notice that I, or some ^{Guardian} member on my behalf will on this day fortnight move that the Resolution deciding not to accept a contract for keeping the plumbing work of the Workhouse in order and repair for 6 months be rescinded, and an advertisement ordered for a Plumber.

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a

Meeting held on Saturday the 21st day of May 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair— William B. Mullarkey
Other Guardians:— Patk Larkin, Michael McDermott, James Nohilly, Patrick Coleman, Malachy Nohilly, Patrick Dermody, Patrick J Ryan and John Dolan.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Table with 3 columns: Name of Dispensary District, Total Cost (£ s. d.), Directions given by the Board. Content: Nil

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary District, Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists, Total Cost (£ s. d.), Directions given by the Board. Content: Nil

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 60
Ditto disallowed -
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 252
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 28th day of May 1910.

(Signed) J. W. Dowling Clerk of the Union.

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Nil</i></p>

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19 _____

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Nil</i></p>	

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Population in 1901—30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269.19.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of May 1910

Reference No. and Date
No 37,072
14th May 1910

Subject Matter
Stating that they have had before them the Medical Officer's Returns Form L, for the half-year ended the 31st March last, relating to the several Dispensary Districts of the Union; and requesting that the Guardians would be so good as to take steps to enforce strict compliance with the Vaccination Acts in the Union.

Order of the Board thereon
Notices have been served and the Medical Officers to be asked if the Defaulters have complied with the law.

D. [Signature] and [Signature]

Table with columns: Number 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, Casuals (Males, Females, Children), RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, In Separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, TOTAL, OBSERVATIONS, No. at corresponding period last year.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of May 1910 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), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, 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.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 28th day of May 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair, John W. Ronaldson. Other Guardians:— Patrick Dermody, Aylmer C. Ellis, Richard Staunton, Thaddeus Lynskey, Arthur O'Connor, Martin Murphy, James Kibilly, John Hynes, Oliver Ellis, Thomas M'Donogh, Joseph Morris, Henry Herwan, James Coleman, Patrick Burke, Patrick Larkin, Patrick J. Ryan, James M'Donnell, Luke Mullen, Patrick Murphy, John Coen (Pat), James Connolly, and Patrick Mannion.

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The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14.] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Article 7;
(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19__

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 in the month of _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1	1	4
Repayment of Relief	1	8	8
Rents of Dispensary Residences	2	2	4
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	2	5	2
Sales of Ofal, Old Stores and Other Receipts	2	1	8
Loans received	4		
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	12	2	4

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 _____ 19__ 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			l Gate
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in External Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
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

19

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	10	8	9½			
Total sums received during the month	Maguire <i>Union Barracks</i>					
Total						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	<i>Yuan</i>					
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						

Dated this *Monday* day of *July* 19

Clerk of the Union.

Handwritten signatures and notes in blue ink.

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Subject Matter *Order of the Board*

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
July 1910	D. J. P. O'Connell Roseville Dunlur	Applying for cheque for discharging the duties of D. Hoshy, abbej, for two weeks from June 4th 1909.	Referred to Mr Hanly, Relieving Officer for a report.
July 1910	Ellen Hughes Kilconly	Applying for the position of Porter of Kilconly Dispy Depot, and stating that owing to her mother's ill health for some years before her death she had been discharging the duties, & that Dr Costello would recommend her for the position.	Proposed by Mr Ronaldson Secorided by Mr Hughes unanimously adopted. That Ellen Hughes be appointed Porter of Kilconly Dispy Depot at a salary of £5. per annum.
July 1910	Dr M. B. Costello M. O. Dunmore Dispensary District	Stating that Dr Hugh Montgomery, Dringlass Dunmore, would do duty for him during his holidays, he possesses the necessary qualifications.	Dr Montgomery appointed substitute for Dr Costello. The Clerk to forward him a query sheet to be filled up.
July 1910	Dr M. J. Hession M. O. Tuam M. O. Dispy District	Certifying that Mrs Murray is still suffering from the effects of Bronchitis & will be unfit for duty for at least a fortnight.	Leave granted, Mrs Kivahan to continue to discharge Mrs Murray's duties as Midwife Tuam Dispensary District

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

Nil

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were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:-

Mr Murphy, Dispy Porter, laid before the Board the several books of the Medical Officer of the Inam no 1 dispensary District, which were duly signed by the chairman.

J. O. J. J. J.

Thomas Walsh
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *30th* day of *July* 1910

(Signed), *J. O. J. J. J.*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901--30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269-19-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *23rd* day of *July* 1910

Number 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		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	694	171														
Temporary Buildings ..	123															
Additional Workhouse ..	48															
Permanent Fever Hospital ..																
Other Sheds																
TOTAL	865	172														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	6	86	44		4	3	2	6	7			168	49
Admitted during the Week			1	1	11	2		1	2				22	2		42
Discharged during the Week																
TOTAL			10	7	97	46		5	5				29	2		210
Discharged during the Week					34			4	1				27	2		37
TOTAL					1											1
TOTAL Discharged and Died					4			4	1				27	2		38
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	7	94	46		1	2	2	6	2				172

Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 49
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1
TOTAL, 50

In Separate Wards } 15
In Wards with other Inmates } 4
TOTAL, 19

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 155

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *23rd* day of *July* 1910 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
I.	118	196					Bt. forward No. VI.						
II.	39	64					No. VII.						
III.	50	55					No. VIII.						
IV.	25	35					No. IX.						
V.	24	31					No. X.						
TOTAL	256	381					TOTAL						

PY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *30th* day of *July* 1910

SENT: In the Chair, *Thomas Walsh*.

Other Guardians:— *Aylmer b. Ellis, Thomas Costello, Patrick J. Costello, Michael Ansbro, Martin Murphy, James Nobilly, Thomas O'Donnell, S. J. McDonogh, b. J. Kennedy, Thomas McDonogh, Thomas Joyce, Henry Hurian, Thomas Heany, Michael Haddican, Patrick Charles, Patrick b. Kelly, Patrick Dermody, Patrick J. Ryan, James McDonnell, Luke Muller, Patrick*

Patrick Mannion, John Connor,

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*18 6 16 4 W. M. O'Connell
Gallagher
Military
Barrack*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14.]
Article 7.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
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

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 30th day of July 1910

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

Indoor from No. 2928 to No. 2966

Separate „ No. 357 to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. 996 to No. _____

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 23rd day of July 1910, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :-

	Stack 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	58	12	4	44	17	10	103	10	2	35	14	11	5	8	3	41	3	2	62	7	0	1172
Necessaries	172	18	9	6	7	173	5	4	3	8	3	2	6	8	5	14	11	167	10	5		
Total	231	11	1	45	4	276	15	6	39	3	2	7	14	11	46	18	1	229	17	5		

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 8

Average Cost of Infirmary :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital :

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of July 1910 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Forde</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Walsh</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Judge</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Hanly</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Glynn</i>			Relieving Officer -			TOTAL				
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	9	9	5	4	10	6	4	11	8	28	8	-	23	3	1							70	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15			25			30															70	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	24	9	5	29	10	6	34	11	8	28	8	0	23	3	1							140	2
EXPENDITURE.																							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																							
In Money ...	11	11	6	3	17	6	5	4	0	2	7	0	2	11	6							25	11
In Kind ...																							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															5	0						5	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																							
7. Total Relief given	11	8	6	3	8	9	5	8	0	2	8	0	2	16	6							25	16
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12	17	11	25	13	0	29	7	8	26	1	0	20	6	7							114	6
9. Total ...	24	9	5	29	10	6	34	11	8	28	8	0	23	3	1							140	2

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.

Dated this 1st day of August 1910

W. M. Donogh
Clerk of Union

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—

55.169

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):—

Letter to From the Local G. Board stating that they clerk have been requested by the Board of Trade to N^o. 48365 bring under the notice of Local Authorities in 25 July 1910 Ireland the provisions of the Trade Board's Act 1909 (copy herewith) for their guidance in giving contracts which involve employment in certain trades. The Act at present applies only to the trades set out in the Schedule thereto, but in certain circumstances other trades may be subsequently brought within its scope by Provisional order made by the Board of Trade under Section 1 of the Act &c &c.

Order

Read

M^r. William Judge Relieving Officer laid before the Board a notice served on him of the Eviction of

of John Burke and Martin Tyrrel from part of the lands of Balrobuckbeg with the buildings thereon at the suit of William Burke.

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a

Meeting held on Saturday the 30th day of July 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair— Thomas Walsh.

Other Guardians:— A. C. Ellis, J. Costello, P. J. Costello, M. Anabro, M. Murphy, J. Mohilly, J. O'Donnell, S. J. McDonogh, C. J. Kennedy, J. McDonnell, J. McDonogh, J. Joyce, H. Hurwin, J. Heany, M. Haddican, P. Charles, P. C. Kelly, P. Dermody, P. J. Ryan, J. McDonnell, L. Mullen, P. Mammion, J. Connor.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Table with 3 columns: Name of Dispensary District, Total Cost (pounds, shillings, pence), and Directions given by the Board. Row 1: Dunmore, £13 9 10, Medicines Ordered.

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary District, Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists, Total Cost (pounds, shillings, pence), and Directions given by the Board. Row 1: (blank), (blank), (blank), I was out the

Galway County Council

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	<i>Sugar Sausages</i>
	/

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years' Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19 _____

..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....
..... District	-	-	£.....

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
<i>No. 35, 921</i> <i>28th July</i> <i>1910</i>	<i>Local Govt., Board.</i>	<i>Returning the Vouchers etc.</i>	<i>The instructions of</i>
	<i>Local Board</i>	<i>the claim for recoupment</i>	<i>of the Local Govern-</i>
		<i>the claim for recoupment</i>	<i>ment Board to be</i>
		<i>in respect of the cost of the</i>	<i>carried out</i>
		<i>Medicines & Medical Surgical</i>	
		<i>Appliances obtained for</i>	
		<i>use in the Union during</i>	
		<i>the past half-year, and</i>	
		<i>with reference thereto the</i>	
		<i>Board are not prepared</i>	
		<i>to allow recoupment in</i>	
		<i>respect of the following</i>	
		<i>item, and they have</i>	
		<i>accordingly given instructions</i>	
		<i>to have the amount in question</i>	
		<i>struck off ^{out of} the claim No 27</i>	
		<i>amount £3.2.2 goods deliver-</i>	
		<i>ed after the close of the half</i>	
		<i>year, to be included in next</i>	
		<i>claim, and at the same</i>	
		<i>time pointing out that the</i>	
		<i>undermentioned irregularities</i>	
		<i>appear in the file and to request</i>	
		<i>that care will be taken to</i>	
		<i>guard against this recurrence.</i>	
		<i>The names of manufacturers</i>	
		<i>of compressed drugs &c have</i>	
		<i>been omitted from several</i>	
		<i>invoices. Summary - Columns</i>	
		<i>15, 16 & 17 incomplete</i>	

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

Headford 37 Defaulters
Dunmore 76 do

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows: - notices to be served.

With reference to Dr. O'Carroll's claim for £8.8.8 for discharging the duties of the Medical Officer of the Abbey Dispensary District for two weeks during the month of June 1909, entered on last week's minutes, and referred to Mr. Hanly R.O. for a report - The following report was received from Mr. Hanly - I beg leave to say that Dr. O'Carroll did duty for Dr. Hosty in the Abbey Dispensary District, from June 4th to June 18th 1909.

Order Payment ordered, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board.

P. C. Kelly
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 6th

day of August 1910

(Signed),

J. W. Donoghue
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901--30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269 : 19 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of July 1910

Table with columns: Number 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, Boys and Girls above 15 years of age, Boys and Girls under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, Casuals (Males, Females, Children), TOTAL, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, In Separate Wards, Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, with other inmates, No. at corresponding period last year.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of July 1910 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), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), 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 (Cases, Persons).

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 6th day of August 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick C. Kelly.
Other Guardians: - Patrick Larkin, John Dolan, Patrick J. Ryan, Aylmer C. Ellis, Oliver Ellis.

[FORM 14.]

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Article 7.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

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Military Bks Tuam
Co Galway
Ireland*

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

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 6th day of August 1910

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

Indoor from No. 2966 to No. 3008

Separate ,, No. 357 to No. —

Outdoor ,, No. 996 to No. 997

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 30th day of July 1910, 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	62	7	0	26	1	3	98	8	3	35	9	0	5	8	3	40	17	3	57	11	0	} 119.8
Necessaries	167	10	5	6	7	167	17	0	3	8	3	2	6	8	5	14	11	16	2	1		
Total	229	17	5	36	7	10	266	5	3	38	17	3	7	14	11	46	12	2	219	13	1	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was
Average Cost of Infirmary
Average Cost in Fever Hospital

: 4 : 6 1/2
 : 6 : 2
 : 8 : 9

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of July 1910 was submitted as follows:--

	Relieving Officer <i>Forde</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Walsh</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Judge</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Hanly</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Glynn</i>			Relieving Officer -			TOTAL £ s	
	District No. I. £ s. d.			District No. II. £ s. d.			District No. III. £ s. d.			District No. IV. £ s. d.			District No. V. £ s. d.			District No. VI. £ s. d.				
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	12	17	11	25	13	0	29	7	8	26	1	0	20	6	7	-	-	-	114	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																				
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12	17	11	25	13	0	29	7	8	26	1	0	20	6	7				114	6
EXPENDITURE.																				
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																				
In Money ...	11	14	0	3	17	0	5	3	6	2	7	0	2	11	6				25	13
In Kind ...																				
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility													5	0					5	0
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...			10	0															10	0
7. Total Relief given	12	4	0	3	17	0	5	4	0	2	17	4	2	16	6				26	8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	13	11	21	16	0	24	4	2	23	14	0	17	10	1					87	18
9. Total ...	12	17	11	25	13	0	29	7	8	26	1	0	20	6	7				114	6

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.

Dated this 8th day of August 1910
J. W. Donogh
 Clerk of Union

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

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OFFICERS' REPORTS

Orders of the Board thereon

The acting Master (Miss Weir) reported that Ellen Geoghegan (wardmaid) was absent from 23 July to 25 July owing to the death of her brother.

Read.

That Mrs Power was on Wednesday last confined of a female child. The District Nurse is in attendance.

Read.

That quantities of Galathea & balico have been received from contractor & she requested the Guardians to compare same with sample.

Examined by Messrs Larkin, Ryan, Dolan, and Kelly and approved of.

That a deserted infant was admitted on Wednesday last, she sent the woman who brought in the infant to the barrack to give the information to the Head constable.

Read & approved

That two inmates named Mary Abram & Mrs Burke quarrelled yesterday morning.

Inmates called before the Board and cautioned & informed that if they quarrelled again they would be prosecuted.

The following are required 10 gals. cozla oil, 6 bosces of charcoal, 4 tea-pots, 1 bag cement, 1 Board, 1 st. nails, 4 butt hinges with screws & 2 sash fastners, 4 Toilet covers. That towelling has been received, please compare with sample.

Ordered.

Approved of.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions 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):—

Letter to Clerk From the Local Government Board advertising to an entry contained in the Guardians minutes on the 26th February last, and requesting that they may be informed whether the Engineer has since reported respecting the defective condition of the Fever Hospital chimneys.

Order Mr Newell Engineer to be asked for a report

An inmate named Maggie Power applied for a suit of clothes for her infant born in the house.

Order clothes ordered, cost not to exceed 7/6 s.d.

Read Letter from Miss M. Agnes Hanly Night Nurse

in Infirmary applying for one months leave of absence and naming Nurse Nolan as her substitute.

Order

Leave granted, Nurse Nolan appointed substitute at a remuneration of 25/- a week with rations and travelling expenses.

The Guardians having proceeded to consider tenders for turf, 6 tenders were received all at 2/6 per box and were rejected the Guardians considering the price excessive and the Clerk was ordered to re-advertise.

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Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a

Meeting held on Saturday the 6th day of August 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair— Patrick C. Kelly.

Other Guardians:— P. Larkin, J. Dolan, P. J. Ryan, A. C. Ellis, O. Ellis, J. Dolan

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	
					<u>The Baresford 6191 Gavin has permission to be added</u>

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 ... 42

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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


(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 13th day of August 1910

(Signed) J. M. Donogh
Clerk of the Union.

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	


[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years' Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
<u>No. 52, 053</u> <u>5th August '10</u>	With reference to the Guardians minutes on the 16 th Ultimo, and stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of 15/- a week to Miss Mary Wynne, for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of the Headford dispensary district.	<u>Read</u>
<u>No. 51, 404</u> <u>30th July 1910</u>	With reference to the Guardians minutes on the 23 rd instant and stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Dunmore dispensary district during the absence of that officer on vacation and sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £4.4s a week to Dr. H. H. Montgomery as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health.	<u>Read.</u>
<u>No. 52, 229</u> <u>5th August 1910</u>	Stating that they have had before them the Guardians Minutes on the 30 th Ultimo containing an entry relative to the proposed payment of remuneration to Dr. O'Carroll for his services in acting in the capacity of temporary Medical Officer of the Abbey dispensary district and with reference thereto, requesting to be informed by whom Dr. O'Carroll was employed on the occasion in question, and also why the matter was not reported at the time of the appointment.	Dr. O'Carroll was appointed by the Guardians to duty for Dr. Hosty while on vacation, and the appointment was sanctioned by the L.G.B. Dr. O'Carroll left the district owing to the illness of his mother and another substitute had to be procured. The matter was fully reported, see Guardians' minutes 19 th June 1909.

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
<u>August 5th 1910.</u>	Dr. M. F. Hession Medical Officer Liam No. 1 Dispensary District.	Certifying that Mrs. Murray will be unable to resume her duty for three or four weeks.	Leave granted, Mrs. Hinchman to continue to discharge her duties.
<u>August 5th 1910.</u>	Nurse Lem Midwife Dunmore Dispensary District.	Applying for three weeks leave of absence dating from the 12 th August, Dr. Montgomery (Dr. Costello's substitute) will do duty for her.	Leave granted

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

Tuam No. 1 — 50 defaulters

Tuam No. 2 — 46 defaulters

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

served.

Notices to be

Chairman.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *13th*

day of *August* 19 *10*

(Signed),

J. W. Donogh
Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14.]
Article 7.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Population
STATE of

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
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

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2). STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 13th day of August 1910

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

Indoor from No. 3008 to No. 3038

Separate ,, No. 357 to No. _____

Outdoor ,, No. 997 to No. _____

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 6th day of August 1910, 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	57	11	0	38	9	11	96	0	11	35	13	9	5	8	3	41	2	0	54	18	11	} 1182
Necessaries	162	2	1	6	7	162	8	8	3	8	2	2	6	8	5	14	10	156	13	10		
Total	219	13	1	44	16	6	258	9	7	39	1	11	7	14	11	46	16	10	211	12	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : £ 4 : 7 1/2
 Average Cost of Infirmary : :
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of August 1910 was submitted as follows:--

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:--

	Relieving Officer <i>Forde</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Walsh</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Judge</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Hanly</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Glynn</i>			Relieving Officer			TOTAL £ s d			
	District No. I. £ s d			District No. II. £ s d			District No. III. £ s d			District No. IV £ s d			District No. V. £ s d			District No. VI. £ s d						
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	13	11		21	16	0	24	4	2	23	14	0	17	10	1				87	18	2	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20																		20			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	20	13	11	21	16	0	24	4	2	23	14	0	17	10	1				107	18	2	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	11	16	6	3	17	0	5	3	6	2	7	0	2	11	6				25	15	6	
In Kind ...																						
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															5	0				5	0	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	4	12	4		5	0	2	10	10	2	8	4	1	1	8				10	18	2	
7. Total Relief given	16	0	10	4	4	0	7	8	0	4	4	0	3	18	2				36	18	8	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	5	1	17	14	0	16	9	10	18	18	8	13	11	11				7	0	19	6
9. Total ...	20	13	11	21	16	0	24	4	2	23	14	0	17	10	1				107	18	2	

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.

Dated this 15th day of August 1910

F. W. Donogh
Clerk of Union.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

The Medical Officer recommended that Pat Farragher an inmate of the house suffering from senile cataract be sent to Dublin Hospital for operation.

The Matron acting for the Master reported that she ledged to the credit of the Guardians the sum of £13.1.7 repayment of relief.

That a quantity of wood has been received from Contractor, and requested that a Committee would kindly compare same with sample.

That the Master returned and resumed duty.

Orders of the Board thereon

Ordered.Approved.

Examined by Messrs
Martin Murphy, Pat Larkin
H. Ryan approved of

Read.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions 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):—

Letter to
Clerk
No. 52.231
6 Aug 10

From the Local G. Board with reference to the Guardians Minutes on the 30th Ult. and stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration of £3.6.8 with rations to Miss Coyne for her services as temporary substitute for the matron of the Workhouse; and remuneration of £5.0.7 with rations to Sister Mary Columba for her services as temporary substitute for Sister Mary Xavier.

OrderRead and approved.

Letter to
Clerk
No. 21587
11 Aug. 10

From the Local G. Board advertizing to an entry contained in the Guardians Minutes on the 26th February last, relative to a man named Patterson whose children are boarded out in the Unions and requesting that they may be informed whether any

any further steps have been taken with a ^{view} ~~few~~ to tracing this man whereabouts.

The Police have been requested to make enquiries as to Patterson's whereabouts, but have not yet made any report.

From the Local GBoard, pointing out that Part 1. of the Children Act 1908, has now been in operation since 1st April 1909, and that it would be desirable in the public interest to obtain information as to its working, with the view to amendment or otherwise, and requesting that the Guardians would be so good as to reply as soon as practicable to the accompanying questions and return the list with replies inserted to their office.

The Clerk having read the queries he was directed to reply to same according to instructions and return the list to the Local GBoard.

The Clerk laid before the Board Reports from the several Relieving Officers on the children boarded-out in their respective districts for the month of July together with Teachers' certificates (except where the schools were closed for vacation) and also two reports from Mr. Costello, Hon. Secretary, Lads' Committee on the children Michael O'Donnell and Ellen Higgins and he was directed to forward same to the Local GBoard.

Application to hire out the girl Mary Shaughnessy (recently returned from Mrs. Cuskin

Cuskin Belmont) were received from Mrs. Budget Canavan Moxfort, and Mrs. Catherine Higgins Kilmurray.

Proposed by Mr. Ryan. Seconded by Mr. Martin Murphy and adopted: - That Mary Shaughnessy be hired out with Mrs. Budget Canavan, Moxfort Caterlistrane, at £4. a year.

The following tenders were received for 100 tons Best Wigan Coal viz: - Martin S. Walsh, Tuam 22¹/₄ per ton. S. P. Corbett Galway 23¹/₃ per ton. J. P. Mellin 25¹/₂ per ton. John Connelly Tuam 23¹/₅ per ton.

After some discussion it was decided to adjourn consideration of the tenders, as no tenders were received this day for turf, and before accepting a tender for coal the Guardians wished to see if they can get turf cheaper. The Clerk was directed to continue the advertisement for turf.

Read Resolution from Kilmartomas Union protesting against the throwing on local rates of any part of the cost of Old Age Pension Act &c &c.

Order

Read.

Mr. Judge, Relieving Officer laid before the Board a notice served on him of the eviction of Mrs. Kerah

*Nora Flaherty and John Connor from part of the
Conds of Meentross at the suit of James McDermott.*



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	...	30
Ditto disallowed	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	256
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	-
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	-

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 20th day of August 1910

(Signed) J. W. Dwyer
Clerk of the Union.

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 13th day of August 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair—Patrick Dermody J.P.
Other Guardians:—M. Murphy, P. J. Ryan, P. Larkin, A. O'Connell, P. Charles, J. Connor and P. J. Costelloe.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years' Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19 _____

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

[FORM 14.]
Article 7.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union. Tuom Union

Finance Meeting, held the 13 day of August 1910

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 in the month of July 1910 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1139	2	6
Repayment of Relief	9	6	6
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	3		
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and Other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	1151	9	0

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 July 1910 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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries	459	10	9
Clothing and Bedding	7	10	5
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Appliances	22	13	1
(c.) Farm		17	6
(d.) Other Expenses	57	10	6
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account		10	
District Hospital Account		15	14
Maintenance in Extern Institutions		12	7
Emigration, Law and other Expenses		42	10
Medical Charities		2	4
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers		13	6
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	150		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	784	15	1

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

July 1910

	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	1151	9	0			
Total	1151	9	0			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	106	10	9			
Payments ordered during the month	784	15	1			
Total	891	5	10			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	260	3	2			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	313	10	1			
Outstanding Orders	53	6	11			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	260	3	2			

Dated this August day of 1910

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 20th day of August 1910

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

Indoor from No. 3038 to No. 3083

Separate ,, No. 357 to No. —

Outdoor ,, No. 997 to No. —

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 13th day of August 1910, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stack 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.		£	s.	d.			
Provisions	54	18	11	38	10	3	93	9	2	36	1	3	5	8	3	41	9	6	51	19	8	1208
Necessaries	156	13	10	6	7	157	0	5	3	8	4	2	6	8	5	150	15	1	151	5	5	
Total	211	12	9	44	16	10	250	9	7	39	9	7	7	14	11	191	14	7	203	24	13	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : 6 ³/₄
 Average Cost of Infirmary ... : 5 : 7 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 14 : 2

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of August 1910 was submitted as follows:—

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

	Relieving Officer <u>Jords</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Walsh</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Judge</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Hanly</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Glynn</u>			Relieving Officer			TOTAL			
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	5	1	17	14	0	16	9	10	18	18	8	13	11	11	.	.	.	70	19	6	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15																		15			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	5	1	17	14	0	16	9	10	18	18	8	13	11	11	.	.	.	85	18	6	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	11	16	6	3	17	0	5	3	6	2	7	0	2	11	6	.	.	.	25	15	6	
In Kind ...																.	.	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															5	0	.	.		5	0	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...													10	6	10	15	5	.	.		10	6
7. Total Relief given	11	16	6	3	17	9	5	18	0	2	17	0	2	16	6	.	.	.	26	18	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	8	7	13	17	0	11	6	4	16	1	2	10	15	5	.	.	.	59	8	6	
9. Total ...	19	5	1	17	14	0	16	9	10	18	18	8	13	11	11	.	.	.	85	19	6	

Athensy

no of the boys ... from ... 19/23

- 1911
- 1413
- 1916
- 1436
- 1414
- 1933
- 1112
- 1117
- 1188
- 1995
- 1994

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.

Dated this 22nd day of August 1910
J. W. Donogh
 Clerk of Union

OFFICERS' REPORTS

The Medical Officer reported that during the week he had D^r Husty to assist him at an operation and he recommended that he be paid an usual fee.

The Master reported that he resumed duty on Saturday last.

That a woman named Kate Harmon gave birth to an illegitimate child on Tuesday 9th inst.

That Nurse Nolan temporary substitute in the Infirmary for Nurse Hanley took up duty on Saturday 13th inst.

That Nurse Hanley left off duty on Saturday 13th inst and left on leave on Wednesday 17th inst.

That Miss Coyne - substitute for Matron took up duty on Tuesday 12th inst. The Matron left on leave on Wednesday 17th.

That on the order of the Medical Officer he employed Nurse Hartly to do temporary night duty in the Fever Hospital. He appended Medical Officers Order.

That a woman named Margaret Brennan gave birth to an illegitimate child on Tuesday 16th inst.

That an order is required for 40 lbs. Upper Leather 30. Skins.

Orders of the Board thereon

Payment ordered £2.2.0 for D^r Husty.

Read.

usual affidavit to be made as to the putative father.

Read

Read

Read.

Read and approved.

usual affidavit to be made as to the putative father.

Ordered.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions 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) :-

Letter to Clerk N. 53533 18 Aug. 1910 from the Local G^v Board, with reference to the Guardians Minutes on the 6th inst, and stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of Twenty five shillings a week, with rations & travelling expenses to Miss Kathleen M. Nolan for her services whilst discharging the duties Miss Hanley Infirmary night Nurse for a period one month.

Read Letter from Messrs Conway & Quinn Solicitors. Dated August 20th 1910 viz:- We are instructed to call your attention to the fact that the men working at the large sewer leading from the Workhouse up by the New Lane have knocked down a portion of the boundary wall of the land at Tubberjarlath belonging to our client.

Miss Annie Lydon and have discharged the Sewerage on to her land. We need scarcely say that this would cause damage to the land, and make it dangerous for stock and unless your Board cause the opening to be closed and the sewer disconnected with our clients land on or before Wednesday next, we shall apply to the Court for an Injunction and Damages, and this notice will be relied on in the proceedings.

Order

The Master informed the Board that as the Sewer ran close beside the Wall outside Miss Lydon's field it was necessary to knock down a portion of the wall in order to clean the Sewer properly, but he is having it built up again, some of the Sewerage was discharged into Miss Lydon's field owing to an overflow while the sewer was open, it will be closed within the next few days.

An application was made by a man named Ferrick, requesting to have the cost of his wife's maintenance in the Infirmary reduced as he was unable to pay the full amount viz. £4.1.0.

Order

The Guardians having been informed that this was a very poor man with a large family. It was unanimously agreed to accept one fourth of the amount (£1.0.3) in discharge of the debt.

The Guardians having proceeded to consider tenders for Turf (only two received). It was proposed by Mr. J. Lynskey, seconded by Mr. P. J. Ryan and
unanimously

unanimously adopted:- That the tenders of Martin Timothy and Michael Ryan both of Cloonascragh for supplying the Workhouse carriage free with 100 boxes (each) of best new turf at 9/6 per box according to the terms of advertisement be accepted and that the consideration of tenders for coal, received last week, be again adjourned to Saturday the 27th inst.

Gallagher Wm
Military
Barracks

Gallagher
S-Gal

Willie Gallagher
Military
Barracks
by
Juan
Calyalway

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 ... 45

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 1

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... 256

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ...

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was ...

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 27th day of August 1910

(Signed) W. M. Donogh
Clerk of the Union.

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and orders were made on them respectively, as follows:-

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
9 th Aug. 1910	D ^r . B. Costello M.O. Tuam N ^o . 2 Dispensary District	Regretting to have to report that Mrs Murray Maternity Nurse in Tuam District has died. Nurse Kinahan has been discharging the duties for some time past and he recommended that she be continued till a permanent appointment is made and the new Nurse takes up duty.	M ^{rs} Kinahan appointed to discharge the duties until a permanent appointment is made. The question of a new appointment and advertisement for same, adjourned to Saturday next the 27 th inst, when it is believed there will be a larger attendance of members.
18 th Aug. 1910	D ^r . J. M. Gelling M.O. Headford Dispensary District J. Gallagher	that he found it impossible to get a substitute to leave D ^r . Glynn for one week in the district for such a short time as one week, but D ^r . Burnie who is appointed substitute during duty for D ^r . Glynn of Turroughmore is will to do his duty as well. D ^r . Burnie is living at Mrs Newell's Curragh which is only a mile outside the Headford District and is connected with Headford by wire, as he only wanted to go away from Saturday 27 th inst to Saturday the 3 rd proximo. He thought D ^r . Burnie would be well able to manage. He has given great satisfaction in any place he has done locum ten.	Leave granted to D ^r . Glynn for one week as requested. D ^r . Burnie unanimous appointed substitute at £4 4.0 a week.

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

Workhouse	694	175
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—
Additional Workhouse ...	123	—
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	3
Fever Sheds	—	—
TOTAL	865	178

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

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Population in 1901--30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269.19.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of August 1910

Number 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		Aged and infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouses on the above date
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	7	91	46	1	1	2	1	10	8	5	—	182	44	14
Admitted during the Week					4	5			1			19	5	3	37	3	4
Born											1				1		
TOTAL			10	7	95	51	1	1	3	1	11	27	10	3	220	47	18
Discharged during the Week					3	3			1		2	25	6		40		
Died						1		1							2		
Total Discharged and Died			10		3	4		1	1		2	25	6		42		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	7	92	47	1		2	1	9	2	4	3	178		165

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of August 1910 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.	119	202					Bt. forward						
No. II.	39	64					No. VI.						
No. III.	49	54					No. VII.						
No. IV.	25	35					No. VIII.						
No. V.	24	31					No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Total Car. forwd.	256	386					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 27th day of August 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Monaghan, subsequently W.B. Mullarkey.

Other Guardians:— Aylmer E. Ellis, William B. Mullarkey, Peter Ryan, Martin Greaney, John Dolan, Patrick Curley jr, Richard Stanton, Thaddeus Lynskey, Arthur O'Connor, Michael Ansbro, Martin Murphy, Daniel Fekullij, James Kehilly, John Kyne, Patrick Curry, Oliver Ellis, C.P. Kennedy, Thomas McDonogh, Joseph Morris, Thomas Joyce, Thomas Walsh, Patrick Monaghan, Thomas

Pat Monaghan Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 27th day of August 1910

(Signed), *[Signature]* Clerk of the Union.

Thomas Heany, James Dewd, Patrick Hardiman,
 John Connell, Patrick Burke, Michael Haddican,
 Patrick Larkin, Patrick Charles, Michael Byrne, Patrick
 C. Kelly, Malachy Kehely, Patrick Coleman, Patrick
 J. Ryan, John Coen (Pat), John Bennett, and Shady
 Mangon.

[FORM 14.] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Article 7.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19__.

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 in the month of _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	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 _____ 19__ 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 27th day of August 1910

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

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Separate ,, No. 357 to No. 358

Outdoor ,, No. 997 to No. —

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.						
Provisions	51	19	8	34	14	2	86	13	10	36	12	4	6	4	5	42	16	9	43	17	1
Necessaries	15	5	5		6	7	151	12	0	3	7	8	2	6	8	5	14	4	145	17	8
Total	203	5	1	35	0	9	238	5	10	40	0	0	8	11	1	48	11	1			

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The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...
Average Cost of Infirmary ...
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ...

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4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return a.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of August 1910 was submitted as follows:--

	Relieving Officer <u>Forde</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Walsh</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Judge</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Hanly</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Glynn</u>			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	7	8	7	13	17	0	11	6	4	16	1	2	10	15	5				59	8	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15			10						5			10						40		0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	22	8	7	23	17	0	11	6	4	21	1	2	20	15	5				99	8	6
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	11	15	0	3	17	0	5	3	6	2	7	0	2	11	6				25	14	0
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															5	0				5	0
6. Orphans and De-																					
Children	15	0	3	4	0	5	8	0	2	4	0	2	16	6					25	15	0
	13	7	20	0	0	6	2	10	18	14	2	17	18	11					73	9	6
	2	8	7	23	17	0	11	6	4	21	1	2	20	15	5				99	8	6

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

Dated this 29th day of August 1910

James Daly
acting Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:--

Galway County Council Archives

OFFICERS' REPORTS

The Master reported that Nurse Harty temporary night Nurse in the Fever Hospital left on Wednesday 24th inst. that he required the services of a Plumber for a few days.
 That he required an order for 10 Barrels of Lime
 That owing to the heavy rains the cess-pool and connecting sewers got over-flowed and to save the surplus water from running over the yards it was necessary to allow the water to go on the sewer drain under repair, this unfortunately had the effect of spreading over a small portion of the adjoining field but it will be remedied as soon as possible

The Medical Officer submitted an Estimate and Requisition for medicines amounting to £ 12 . 0 . 8 and for Medical Surgical Appliances amounting to £ 13 . 13 . 2

Orders of the Board thereon

Read.

Ordered.

Ordered.

Read.

Medicines and Surgical Appliances
Ordered.

The following ^{Letters} Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Letter to Clerk N^o 50,959 23.8.1910

From the Local G. Board advertising to entries contained in the Guardians Minutes of 23rd Ultimo and 13th instant, relative to the proposals to hire out two children named Bridget & Mary Shaughnessy with Mr. Ronaldson and Mr. Banavan, respectively, and requesting that they may be informed with the usual particulars on Forms A and copies of the agreements entered into by the Guardians in these cases.

Order

Forms A and copies of agreements to be forwarded to the Local G. Board.

Mr. Banavan, Mossfort, came before the Board and stated that the girl Mary Shaughnessy hired out with her on 13th instant ran away this

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):—

morning, and that she subsequently found her in Smith's house (with whom she was boarded-out for some years) and brought her back to the Workhouse. Mr. Banavan also stated that the girl was very bold and disobedient, but at the same time she was willing to take her back and give her another chance.

Mary Shaughnessy having been called before the Board stated that she ran away from Mr. Banavan, and refused to go back.

Order

Mary Shaughnessy to be kept in the Workhouse for a week or a fortnight and if she still refuses to go back to Mrs. Banavan steps will be taken to have her sent to a Reformatory. The Guardians were unanimously of opinion that the statements made by the girl as to Mr. Banavan's ill-treating

ill-treating her in any ^{way} were untrue, as they have got nothing but bad reports about her from her parents and officials.

Letter to Clerk
 56, 198
 6. 8. 1910
 From the Local G. Board acknowledging the receipt of replies to their enquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss Honora Harty as Nurse in the Workhouse, and stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-11-6 a week, with rations and travelling expenses, to Miss Harty for her ^{services} expenses.
Order
 Read.

Read.
 Letter from Mr. Patrick Kelly, Duam, calling attention to the fact that the Guardians employees have thrown the contents of the sewer at the New Line into his field thereby considerably damaging the grass and endangering the lives of his cows. He trusted the Guardians would compensate him otherwise he would place the matter in a solicitor's hands.
Order
 The Clerk to inform Mr. Kelly that it was caused by an overflow and that the sewer will be covered in a few days.

The Clerk laid before the Board Reports from the Very Rev. Michael M. Murphy, P.P. for the months of June and July respecting Sera Patterson boarded-out with Miss Elie Mammion, and he was ordered to forward same to the L. G. Board.

The Clerk was directed to write to the Galway Hospital for a report re a patient named Darley, and to ask if

if an operation was performed.

Mr. Torde Relieving Officer, laid before the Board a notice served on him of the eviction of Patrick Reynolds from the Dwelling house and premises situate at Bishop St. Duam at the suit of Gerald Cloran Esq.

Read
 Letter from the Cork Industrial Development Association inviting the Guardians to send as many as possible of their members to attend and represent them at the Conference on the 4th and 5th October next.

The Guardians having proceeded to consider tenders for turf, it was resolved that the tender of Thomas Keane of Dylam for supplying the Workhouse, Carnap's free, with 100 boxes of turf, at Eighteen pence per box be accepted, and that the consideration of tenders for coal be further adjourned to Saturday the 3rd October September.

The Clerk applied for his annual month's holidays, Mr. Daly, his assistant would discharge his duties.
Order
 Leave granted. Mr. Daly appointed substitute.

Saturday 27th August 1910

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	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	255
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 3rd day of September 1910

(Signed) James Galry
Clerk of the Union.

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 27th day of August 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair— Patrick Monaghan subsequently W.B. Mullohan
Other Guardians:— A.C. Ellis, W.B. Mullohan, P. Ryan,
M. Greany, J. Dolan, P. Curley (Jr.), R. Staunton,
J. Lynskey, A. O'Connell, M. Ansburo, M. Murphy,
D. Fahilly, J. Kehilly, J. Kyne, P. Barry, O. Ellis, C. J.
Kennedy, J. McDonagh, Morris, J. Joyce, J. Walsh,
P. Monaghan, J. Heany, J. O'Dowd, P. Hardiman, J. Connell,
P. Burke, M. Haddican, P. Larkin, P. Charles, M. Byrne, P. C.
Kelly, M. Kehilly, P. Coleman, P. J. Ryan, J. Coen (Par), J. Bannor, J. Mangan

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

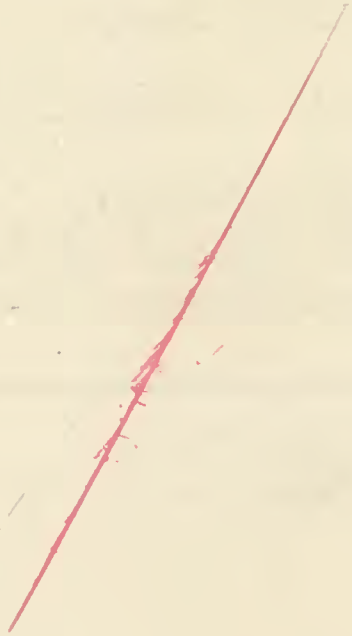
Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	

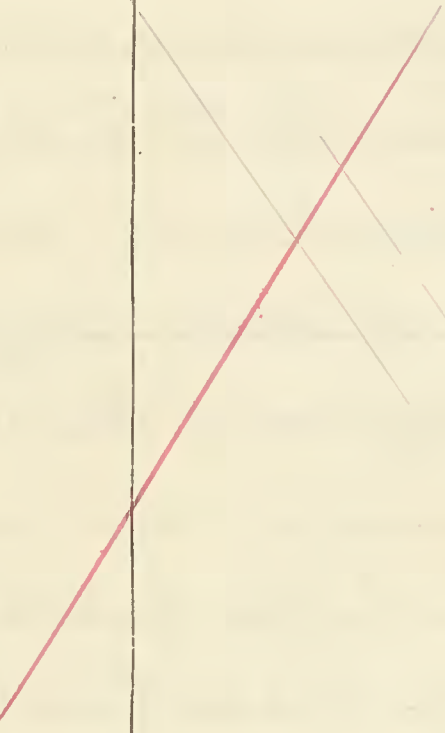
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19 _____

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
^{No} 55,782 <u>25.8.1910</u>	With reference to the Guardians Minutes on the 13 th instant, and stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of Tuam No. 1 Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation and have sanctioned the payment of 4 guineas a week to Dr. J. B. Costello as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health.	<u>Read.</u>
^{No} 56,017 <u>26.8.1910</u>	With reference to the Guardians Minutes on the 20 th inst. and stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Headford Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation & have sanctioned the payment of 4 guineas for the week to Dr. B. Berne as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health.	<u>Read.</u>

^{from L.G.Bd.}
The following Letters, and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
^{No} 53534 <u>25.8.1910</u>		With reference to the entry in the Guardians Minutes on the 6 th inst. and previous correspondence relative to an application for an extension of time for the payment of an account to Dr. J. P. O'Carroll for his services as temporary Medical Officer in June 1909, and stating that before considering the matter, they require to be furnished upon the accompanying form with a statement of the reasons why the claimant omitted to take steps to obtain payment of his account within the period proscribed by Section 5(7) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1898.	Form to be sent to Dr. O'Carroll for to fill in the information required.

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

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

Tuam Union
 Midwife wanted for Tuam No. 1 & 2 District.

The Board of Guardians of the above Union will, at their Meeting to be held on Saturday the 24th of September, 1910, receive and consider applications for the office of Midwife of the Tuam No. 1 and portions of the Tuam No. 2 Dispensary Districts at a salary of £30 per annum; and a fee of £1 for 9 visits in each case attended at the Maternity Ward of the Workhouse.

Applications accompanied with testimonials and certificate of proficiency, will be received by me up to the hour of 12 o'clock noon, on the above-named day.

By Order,
 James Daly
 Acting Clerk of Union.

James McDonnell
 Chairman.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 3rd day of September 1910

(Signed) James Daly
 Acting Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78264. 19.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1910

Number 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		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	694	167																	
Temporary Buildings	—	—																	
Additional Workhouse	123	—																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	2																	
Fever Sheds	—	—																	
TOTAL	865	169																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	7	92	47	1	—	2	1	9	2	4	3	178	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In Separate Wards	14
Admitted during the Week					2	—	—	1	—	—	—	35	3	4	45	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	4
Born																TOTAL	46	TOTAL	18
TOTAL			10	7	94	47	1	1	2	1	9	37	7	7	223	OBSERVATIONS			
Discharged during the Week			1	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	35	7	7	54				
Died																			
Total Discharged and Died			1	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	35	7	7	54				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	7	91	46	1	1	2	1	9	2	—	—	169	No. at corresponding period last year,			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of August 1910 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.	120	209					Bt. forward						
No. II.	39	64					No. VI.						
No. III.	49	54					No. VII.						
No. IV.	25	35					No. VIII.						
No. V.	24	31					No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Total Car. forwd.	257	393					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3rd day of September 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair, James McDonnell.
 Other Guardians:— Patrick Larkin. Henry Kerwan J.P.
 John Bonnot and Patrick Dermody J.P.

Article 7.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances... ..			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

G. Gallagher
G. Gallagher
Union Barr

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Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 3rd day of September 1910

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Separate ,, No. 358 to No. 359

Outdoor ,, No. 997 to No. _____

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	43	17	1	39	11	8	83	8	9	37	12	8	5	9	3	43	1	11	40	06	10	1220
Necessaries	145	17	8	1	13	11	147	11	7	4	5	9	2	6	8	6	12	5	140	19	2	
Total	189	14	9	41	5	7	231	0	4	41	18	5	7	15	11	49	14	4	181	6	0	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 9 ³/₄
 Average Cost of Infirmary : :
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order-Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1910 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <u>Forde</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Walsh</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Judge</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Hanly</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Glynn</u>			Relieving Officer <u>-</u>			TOTAL £ s d.		
	District No. I. £ s d.	District No. II. £ s d.	District No. III. £ s d.	District No. IV. £ s d.	District No. V. £ s d.	District No. VI. £ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.	£ s d.							
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	10	13	7	20			6	2	10	18	14	2	17	18	11				73	9	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25						20												45		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	35	13	7	20			26	2	10	18	14	2	17	18	11				118	9	6
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	11	15	0	3	17	0	5	3	6	2	7	0	2	11	6				25	14	0
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	5												5	0					10	0	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																					
7. Total Relief given	12	0	0	3	18	0	5	0	0	2	8	0	2	16	6				26	0	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	23	13	7	16	3	0	20	19	4	16	7	2	15	2	5				92	5	6
9. Total	35	13	7	20	0	0	26	2	10	18	14	2	17	18	11				118	9	6

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.

Dated this 5th day of September 1910

Clerk of Union.

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3rd day of September 1910.

PRESENT: In the Chair— James McDonnell.
Other Guardians:— Patrick Larkin, Henry Kerwan J.P., John Connor, and Patrick Dermody J.P.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—


Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £ s d.	Directions given by the Board

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost £ s d.	Directions given by the Board
		1 0 3	
		1 3 3	
		4 9 7	
		4 7 4	
		4 4 4	
		4 4 9	

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
<p><u>No 56,000</u> <u>31.8.1910.</u></p>	<p>With reference to the Guardians Minutes on the 20th instant, and stating that they have sanctioned the continued employment of Mrs. Hinahan as temporary Midwife of the Tuam Dispensary District.</p>	<p><u>Read.</u></p>

The following Letters and other Communications were read by the Clerk, and orders were made on them respectively, as follows:—

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Abbey Dispensary District - 18 Defaulters

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows: - *Notices to be served.*

Mr. Walsh, Relieving Officer, laid before the Board the several books of the Medical Officer of the Dunmore Dispensary District which were duly signed by the Chairman.

Population in 1901--30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 78269 : 19 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of September 1910

Number 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		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	694	170															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	123	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	3															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	865	173															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	7	91	46	1	1	2	1	9	2			169	43	14
Admitted during the Week					2	1			3	1	1	4	5	9	66	3	4
Born																	
TOTAL,			9	7	93	47	1	1	5	2	10	46	5	9	235	46	18
Discharged during the Week					3	2						4	2	5	61		
Died											1				1		
Total Discharged and Died					3	2					1	4	2	5	62		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	7	90	45	1	1	5	2	9	4			173		153

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of September 1910 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.	124	215					Bt. forward						
No. II.	39	64					No. VI.						
No. III.	49	54					No. VII.						
No. IV.	25	35					No. VIII.						
No. V.	24	31					No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Total Car-forward.	261	399					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 10th day of September 1910.

PRESENT: In the Chair, John W. Ronaldson.
 Other Guardians:— Patrick Larkin, Michael Ansbro, John Connor, Thomas Heany, Thomas Costello, Henry Kerwan J.P., Aylmer S. Ellis and Oliver Ellis.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 10th day of September 1910

(Signed), James Daly
 Acting Clerk of the Union.

No. Rank

[FORM 14.] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 10th day of September 19 10

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 in the month of August 19 10 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1139	2	6
Repayment of Relief	11	13	10
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	1150	16	4

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 August 1910 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	56	15	10
Clothing and Bedding	33	9	5
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	21	5	
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm	2	17	8
(d.) Other Expenses	37	3	3
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account	81	10	7
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	15	13	1
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	15	8	3
Medical Charities	18	15	1
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances	2	12	1
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	100		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	385	10	3

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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


August 19 10

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	270	3	2			
Total sums received during the month	1150	16	4			
Total	1420	19	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered during the month	385	10	3			
Total	385	10	3			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1035	9	3			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1056	15	4			
Outstanding Orders	21	6	1			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	1035	9	3			

Dated this 12th day of September 19 10

James Daly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Jimmy Connelly



[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 10th day of September 19 10

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

Indoor from No. 3199 to No. 3231
 Separate ,, No. 359 to No. —
 Outdoor ,, No. 997 to No. 998

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 3rd day of September 19 10, 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	40	6	10	37	12	1	77	18	11	37	3	4	5	10	3	42	13	7	35	5	4	
Necessaries	140	19	2	7	7		147	6	9	4	5	0	2	6	8	6	11	8	134	15	1	1235
Total	181	6	0	37	19	8	224	5	8	41	8	4	7	16	11	49	5	3	170	0	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 7¹/₄
 Average Cost of Infirmary : :
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of September 1910 was submitted as follows:--

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:--

	Relieving Officer <i>Jorde</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Walsh</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Judge</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Hanly</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Glynn</i>			Relieving Officer -			TOTAL					
	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.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	23	13	7	16	3	0	20	19	4	16	7	2	15	2	5	-	-	-	92	5	6			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																								
3. Total to be accounted for ...	23	10	7	16	3	0	20	19	4	16	7	2	15	2	5				92	5	6			
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	12	2	6	3	19	0	5	2	0	2	7	0	2	11	6				26	2	0			
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility				5	0								5	0					10	0				
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	3	15	10		10	10		10	10	2	14	2	1	1	8				8	13	4			
7. Total Relief given	15	18	4	4	8	0	5	16	10	5	8	0	3	18	2				35	0	4			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	10	3	11	13	2	15	6	6	11	6	0	11	4	3				57	0	2			
9. Total	23	13	7	16	3	0	20	19	4	16	7	2	15	2	5				92	5	6			

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.

Dated this 12th day of September 1910

Clerk of Union.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

Orders of the Board thereon

The Master reported that on the requisition of the Medical Officer he employed Nurse Keane temporary night nurse in Fever Hospital on Saturday 8th inst.

Approved.

That a contract for potatoes should be issued.

Advertise for a contractor.

That 6 chests of Tea should be advertised for.

Do.

That he requires orders for -
40 pairs Blankets
1 Bag Indian Meal (for Biggers)
3 Packs Freshet, 16 lbs Black Lead
18 doz Polish.

Ordered.

That the Shoemaker requires his annual leave (2 weeks).

Leave Granted.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows. -

Mr. Hayden, having come before the Board and asked the Guardians why they returned the Tweed supplied by him as it was in accordance with the sample submitted to him by the actingmaster. The Guardians having enquired into the matter and found that a mistake was made as it is according to tweed in use by inmates, it was proposed by Mr. Thomas Costello seconded by Mr. Patrick Larkin and adopted unanimously that the tweed be taken into stock and that the master send the cart for the Tweed returned to the contractor. The Master was directed to remove all old samples from the store which have been cancelled.

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):-

Letter to Clerk
N^o 57,518
9.9.10

From the Local Board Jeswading to be laid before the Board of Guardians, an extract from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Duam District Council on the 27th ultimo relative to the nuisance caused by the Sewerage from the Workhouse; and, stating that the Guardians should consult an Engineer with the view of effecting a permanent abatement of this nuisance.

Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of The Duam District Council; Dated 27th August 1910.

The following report was read viz:-

Duam County Galway
26th August 1910

Gentlemen,

Gentlemen,

I beg to report that the health of the District generally is good. The effluent from the Workhouse sewerage leads for the most part on the public road near the First Railway Bridge and numerous complaints have been made to me about the nuisance. The stench at times is intolerable and most offensive to people using the road and to the residents in the neighbourhood. Your attention has been drawn to this matter frequently and money has been spent from time to time but no steps have been taken ^{to deal} effectually with this nuisance. Several Waterclosets have been put up in the Workhouse within recent years and the discharge from these and from the improved water supply has made the amount of fluid sewerage much more abundant and more offensive.

I am, Your obedient Servant

(Signed) Thomas B Costello M.D.

Superintendent Medical Officer of Health.

Juam District Council.

The Workhouse sewerage is being cleaned at present.

The Guardians beg to inform the Local Board that the nuisance from the Workhouse Sewerage has been cleaned and abated.

Letter to Clerk
55,999
9.1910

From the Local G. Board with reference to the Guardians minutes on the 20th ultimo, and stating that they have sanctioned a payment of a fee of £2.2.0 to Dr. Hesty for his

services in assisting the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in the performance of a surgical operation

Order

Read.

The following communication was read from Mr. Sewell, Guardians Engineer dated 10th September 1910 viz: "I beg to report that Messrs Reynolds have not yet completed their contracts for repairs to the Fever Hospital and Laundry of the Juam Union and that as those works are now a long time on hand some steps should be taken to complete the contracts before the winter sets in."

Order

The Solicitor to be asked to write to the Contractors and their Secretaries that if the works are not completed in a fortnight legal proceedings will be instituted against them.

The Acting Clerk laid before the Board the several reports of the Relieving Officers for the month of August on boarded-out children in their respective districts and he was ordered to forward same to the L. G. Board.

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 10th day of September 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair— John W. Ronaldson.
Other Guardians:— Patrick Larkin, Michael Ansbro, J. Connor, J. Keany, Kostello, H. Kiwan J. P. Aylmer, C. Ellis, and Oliver Ellis.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
<u>Abbey</u>	2	4	2	<u>Med & Surgical appliances Ordered</u>
<u>Abbey</u>	6	19	0	<u>Medicines Ordered</u>

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
		£	s.	d.	

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
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 259
The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 17th day of September 1910

(Signed) James Daly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:--

James Whilly
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 17th day of September 1910

(Signed) James Daly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901--30,924.

Present Net Annual Value, £78,269.19.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of Sept 1910.

Number 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		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	694	175																
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	123	2																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	—																
Fever Sheds	—	—																
TOTAL	865	177																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	7	90	45	1	1	5	2	9	4			173			
Admitted during the Week					2	3	2					24	9		40			
Born																		
TOTAL,			9	7	92	48	3	1	5	2	9	28	9		213			
Discharged during the Week					6							23	3		32			
Died					1	1		1		1					4			
Total Discharged and Died					7	1		1		1		23	3		36			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	7	85	47	3	1	4	2	8	5	6		177			
															Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	43	In Separate Wards	14
															Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	4
															TOTAL, 45	TOTAL, 18		
OBSERVATIONS																		
															No. at corresponding period last year,	158		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of Sept 1910 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
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No. III.	49	54					No. VII.						
No. IV.	25	35					No. VIII.						
No. V.	24	31					No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Total	261	399					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 17th day of September 1910.

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Whilly
Other Guardians:— Patrick Larkin, Malachy Whilly, Patrick J. Costelloe, Thaddeus Lynskey, James McWalter, Patrick Murphy.

Article 7.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 17th day of September 1910.

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

Indoor from No. 3231 to No. 3271

Separate ,, No. 359 to No. -

Outdoor ,, No. 998 to No. -

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 10th day of Sept 1910, 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
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Provisions								
Necessaries								
Total								

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : :

Average Cost of Infirmary ... : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : :

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of September 1910 was submitted as follows:--

	Relieving Officer <u>Forde</u> District No. I. £ s. d.			Relieving Officer <u>Walsh</u> District No. II. £ s. d.			Relieving Officer <u>Judge</u> District No. III. £ s. d.			Relieving Officer <u>Hanly</u> District No. IV. £ s. d.			Relieving Officer <u>Glynn</u> District No. V. £ s. d.			Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.			TOTAL £ s. d.		
	1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	7	10	3	11	13	2	15	6	6	11	6	0	11	4	3				57	0
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15																		15		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	22	10	3	11	13	2	15	6	6	11	6	0	11	4	3				72	0	2
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	12	2	6	3	19		5	2		2	7		2	11	6				26	2	
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	5												5						10		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																					
7. Total Relief given	12	8	6	3	4	9	5	8	0	2	8	0	2	16	6				26	0	8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10	2	9	7	14	2	10	4	6	8	19	0	8	7	9				45	8	2
9. Total	22	10	3	11	13	2	15	6	6	11	6	0	11	4	3				72	0	2

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.

Dated this 19th day of September 1910:

James Daly
Acting Clerk of Union

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Nil

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The Medical Officer reported that a patient in the Fever Hospital a young boy, aged 8 yrs, is now convalescent and will soon be able to leave, ~~he~~ recommended that he be provided with new clothes, his own must be destroyed.

The Master reported that Nurse Hanly resumed duty on the 10th inst and that Nurse Nolan left on the 10th inst.

That the Matron resumed duty on 16th inst, the acting Matron (Miss Coyne) left on the 16th instant.

That he had to go away to day on urgent private business and would require two days leave of absence; the Matron would do his duty.

That he required an order for 6 doz Hurdle Smoking Pipes
1 Fire grate for Infirmary
100 Brick and 60 ft glass.

Orders of the Board thereon

Clothes ordered
Cost £ 1. 10. 0.

Read.

Read.

Leave granted.

Requirements
Ordered.

The following ^{Letters} Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read Letters from Mrs Ellen Geoghegan resigning her position as Infirmary attendant in the Workhouse.

Read Letter from Bridget Hynes resigning her position as Infirmary attendant in the Workhouse.

Order Resignations of the two Attendants accepted, and the Clerk to advertise for two attendants at a salary of £10 a year each with second class rations and an annual Uniform value to £2. Applications to be considered on the 1st October, 1910.

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 Application from Mr John Hanly, Relieving Officer, applying for one month's leave of absence, as the Doctor recommended him to go to the seaside or take baths, he recommended his son to discharge his duties.

Order Leave granted. Mr John Hanly Junr appointed substitute at a remuneration ^{at the rate} of £30 per annum.

Read application from an inmate named David Reilly for a suit of clothes to enable him leave the Workhouse.

Order Refused.

Read Application from Mr John D Costello applying for the position of Stocktaker of the Workhouse for the 1/2 year ending 30th Sept. Proposed by Mr Larkin. Seconded by Mr Thaddeus Ryuskey & adopted unanimously - "That Mr John D. Costello be appointed Stocktaker at a remuneration of £4."

Pursuant to notice given to each Guardian it was unanimously agreed on the motion of Mr Larkin. Seconded by Mr P. J. Costello - "That Katie Purcell, Fever Hospital Attendant be granted an Annual Uniform to the value of £2."

The Guardians having proceeded to consider tenders for Turf and Coal it was unanimously resolved - "That the tenders of John Moran of Sylaun for supplying 120 Boxes of Turf at 18^d per box and Michael Forde of Sylaun for supplying 100 boxes of Turf at 18^d per box be accepted. That the tender of Mr Martin J Walsh of Tuam for supplying 100 tons of Best Wigan Coal, free of Slack, carriage free at the Workhouse Store at £1.2.11 per ton be accepted."

The Guardians having proceeded to consider tenders for Provisions for half yearly supplies, it was unanimously resolved that the tenders of the under-mentioned persons, for supplying the Workhouse,

Tuam Union.

Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a

Meeting held on Saturday the 17th day of Sept 1910

PRESENT: In the Chair - James Kehilly
Other Guardians: -

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B. Doona Ken
B. Loyhans
G. O. Mayo

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows: -

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
	Nil			Three parts of all shown £7

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows: -

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	
	Nil				Please give Bewery Bullint a large No Pin

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor. for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed *to forward the same (or reported that he had clerked the same. as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms. or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
	Nil

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899].

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended.....19 _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-years Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19 _____

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations. to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
Nil	Nil	<p>Michael Buckley</p> <p>Michael Buckley</p> <p>Pat Huns</p> <p>Amo</p> <p>Green</p> <p>boyle</p> <p>Pleuro Gine Mullin</p> <p>a few more</p> <p>shines</p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p> <p><i>[Signature]</i></p>

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
1 ^D 58,112 14 Sept 1910.	Acknowledging receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the payment of the account of Dr T.P. O'Barroll, for acting as temporary medical officer in the Abbey Dispy District in July 1909, and stating that they have assented to an extension of the time within which the Guardians may pay a sum of £8.8.0 in settlement of this account to a period not later than the 31st Octr, 1910. And adding that the Extension does not relieve the Guardians from the obligation of satisfying themselves that the amount of the account in question is proper and reasonable, and was incurred under such circumstances as to render it a legal charge upon the poor rate. It merely enables payment to be made within the time above mentioned, & has not the effect of validating illegal or unfounded expenditure.	Approved, and payment ordered. Is all as per B. [Signature] P. [Signature] C. [Signature] W. [Signature]

[FORM 14.] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

Article 7.
(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, along with but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19____

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 in the month of _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	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 _____ 19____ 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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
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

19

	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						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

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[FORM 14]
(Article 7)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

Tuam Union.

Meeting held the 24th day of September 1910

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

Indoor from No. 3271 to No. 3332

Separate „ No. 359 to No. 360

Outdoor „ No. 998 to No. _____

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 17th day of Sept 1910, 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.		£	s.	d.
Provisions																			
Necessaries																			
Total																			

Not written

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : :

Average Cost of Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipts 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of September 1910 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Horde</i> District No. I.			Relieving Officer <i>Walsh</i> District No. II.			Relieving Officer <i>Judge</i> District No. III.			Relieving Officer <i>Harby</i> District No. IV.			Relieving Officer <i>Glynn</i> District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	10	2	9	7	14	2	10	4	6	8	19	0	8	7	9				45	8	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20									10			10						40		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	30	2	9	7	14	2	10	4	6	18	19		18	7	9				85	8	2
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	12	2	6	3	15	6	5	2		2	7		2	11	6				25	18	6
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	5												5						10		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...																					
7. Total Relief given	12	4	6	3	17	0	5	8	0	2	8	0	2	16	6				26	8	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	17	15	3	3	18	8	5	2	6	16	12	0	15	11	3				58	19	8
9. Total ...	30	2	9	7	14	2	10	4	6	18	19	0	18	7	9				85	8	2

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.

Dated this 26th day of September 1910

J. W. Donogh
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

Nil

OFFICERS' REPORTS

Orders of the Board thereon

The Master reported that his leave of absence was unavoidably prolonged, he resumed duty on Friday 23rd instant.

That Mr Quinn (Porter) went to town to-day and bought Straw and potatoes.

That an order is required for 1 Bag Cement for Infirmary.

Read.

Approved.

Ordered.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions 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):—

Letter to Clerk From the Local Gov^t Board transmitting queries
P. 59565 respecting the temporary employment of Miss
19. 9. 10 Keane as Night Nurse in the Workhouse
Fever Hospital.

Order The Clerk informed the Board that he forwarded
the necessary queries.

Letter to Clerk From the Local Gov^t Board acknowledging
P. 59776 the receipt of replies to their inquiries
21. 9. 10 respecting the temporary employment of
Miss Gretta Keane as Nurse in the Workhouse
and stating that they have sanctioned the
proposed payment of remuneration at the
rate of £1.11.6 a week, with rations and
travelling expenses, to Miss Keane for

her services. The date upon which she ceases to act should be carefully recorded on the Guardians' Minutes.

Order

Approved.

Letter to Clerk From the Local Board with reference to the Guardians Minutes on the 3rd instant, and stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £30. a year to Mr Cox Glover for his services as temporary substitute for Mr Thomas Walsh, Relieving officer in the Union.

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Order

Read.

Letter to Clerk From the Local Gov^t Board stating that they have had before them the Relieving Officers' reports and the School attendance certificates for the months of July and August last respecting the children boarded out from the Workhouse, from which it appears that the boy John Field was absent from School on the account of illness on 4 days out of a possible 20 on which the School was opened in July; and, with reference thereto, they desired to state that they are informed by their Inspector Miss Fitzgerald Kenney, that John Field is a strong, well grown, hardy boy, but anxious to avoid attending school. In these circumstances excuses of illness for non-attendance at School should be investigated by the Relieving Officer and a medical certificate furnished when the boy is absent continuously for

N^o 59,434

20.9.10

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