

paupers in the asylum, and such book shall be laid before the Board of Management, from time to time according as they may direct.

#### Section VIII.—*Appointment of Officers.*

Art. 29. The following officers of the asylum shall be termed Principal Officers, namely:—

Medical Superintendent,  
Chaplain,  
Steward, and  
Matron,

with such assistants to the Medical Superintendent as the Board of Management shall from time to time deem necessary, and the Local Government Board shall assent to.

Art. 30. The persons holding any of the following offices in the asylum shall be termed Subordinate Officers, namely:—

Dispenser,  
Stocktaker,  
Nurse,  
Porter, and

Assistants to any of the Principal Officers, excepting the Medical Superintendent.

The subordinate officers above-mentioned, as well as such other subordinate officers, servants, and other persons as the Board of Management may deem it necessary to employ in or about the asylum or the asylum premises, or on the land attached thereto, shall be appointed or employed upon such terms and conditions, and with such duties, as shall appear to the Board of Management to be suitable, subject to the provisions of Arts. 76 and 77, with regard to the duties of a nurse or porter, and subject also to the approval of the Local Government Board as regards the scale of salaries to be paid, and the total number of persons to be appointed or employed.

#### Section IX.—*Mode of Appointment.*

Art. 31. The several appointments under Arts. 29 and 30 shall be made by the Board of Management, excepting so far as they may delegate their powers in that respect to the Asylum Committee under Art. 46.

Art. 32. Every person to be appointed by the Board of Management shall be appointed by a majority of the Managers present at any meeting of the Board, and voting upon such appointment; and every appointment of a Principal Officer shall, as soon as the same shall have been made by the Board of Management, be reported to the Local Government Board by the Clerk.

Art. 33. No appointment of any person shall be made by the Board of Management unless notice that such appointment will be made shall have been given at one of the two ordinary meetings of the Board next preceding the meeting at which the appointment is to be made, or unless an advertisement, giving notice of such appointment, shall have appeared in some newspaper circulating in the district, by the direction of the Board of Management, at least seven days before the day on which such appointment is to be made.

Art. 34. When the Board of Management propose to make an appointment of any officer or other person under any Order of the Local Government Board, and by special resolution require any candidate to attend personally before them for examination, the Board of Management may pay such reasonable expenses incurred by such candidate as they shall deem proper.

#### Section X.—*Salaries of Officers.*

Art 35. The Board of Management shall pay to every Principal Officer whose appointment is made or confirmed by them, such salary or remuneration

as the Local Government Board may from time to time direct or approve.

Provided that the Board of Management, with the approval of the Local Government Board, may pay to any such officer a reasonable compensation on account of extraordinary services, or other unforeseen circumstances connected with his duties or the necessities of the asylum.

Art. 36. The salary of every Principal Officer shall be payable up to the day on which he ceases to hold office, and no longer; and shall be considered as accruing from day to day and be apportionable in respect of time accordingly, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Apportionment Act, 1870."

Art. 37. Any officer or other person who may be suspended from his office, and who shall upon such suspension resign or be dismissed by Order of the Local Government Board, shall not be entitled to any salary or remuneration from the date of such suspension; and no officer or other person who shall be temporarily suspended by reason of his services not being required shall be entitled to any salary or remuneration pending such temporary suspension.

Art. 38. The Board of Management shall not pay to any officer bound to account, who may have been dismissed, or who may be under suspension from his office, any salary or remuneration claimed by such officer until his accounts shall have been audited by the Auditor.

Art. 39. The salaries or remuneration payable to the subordinate officers, servants, or other persons within the terms of Art. 30, shall be included in the Orders made by the Board of Management for contributions to the Common Fund of the District.

Art. 40. The Clerk to the Board of Management shall make out and transmit to the Local Government Board, on the 25th day of March and the 29th day of September in every year, or within fourteen days after such days respectively, a report containing the particulars set forth in the Form (C.) in the Schedule to this Order.

#### Section XI.—*Qualifications of Officers.*

Art. 41. No person shall hold the office of Medical Superintendent or Assistant to that Officer under this Order unless he be duly registered under "The Medical Act of 1858," or other authority of law in that behalf, and be qualified by law to practise both medicine and surgery in England and Wales, such qualification being established by the production to the Board of Management, or if appointed by the Asylum Committee then to that Committee, of a diploma, certificate of a degree, license, or other instrument granted or issued by competent legal authority in Great Britain or Ireland, testifying to the medical or surgical, or medical and surgical qualification or qualifications of the candidate for such office.

Art. 42. No person shall be qualified to be appointed a Dispenser unless he shall be a Licentiate of the Apothecaries' Company of London, or shall have been duly registered under the Pharmacy Act, 1868, or any other authority of law in that behalf.

Art. 43. No person shall hold the office of Steward under this Order who has not reached the age of twenty-five years, and who is not qualified to keep accounts.

Art. 44. No person shall hold the office of Chaplain under this Order without the consent of the Bishop of the diocese to his appointment, signified in writing.

Art 45. No person shall hold the office of Nurse who is not able to read written directions accompanying medicines.