

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1908

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The number of other Applicants in the following Officers' Books
ordered by order of the Guardians was ...
The number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was ...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...
Date disallowed ...
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was ...
The number of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief, were considered and
decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books

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

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	...	35
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	2
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	1
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	...	...	...	0

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

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

Reports (Form F) containing the names of children who are over 2 months of age and have not been (examined) from the Medical Officers of the ...

Galway, No. 1	...	...	...
do. 2	...	...	...
do. 3	...	...	...
Mayo, No. 1	...	...	...

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

Resolutions of the Guardians, as required by the Medical Officers of the ...

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT, 1908

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from *L.G.B. No. 66501/12*, dated *17th Dec^r 1912*,

referring to the resolution of the Guardians of the 11th inst. & stating that the Board consider that the remuneration of Dr. Morris should be at the rate of £4-4-0 a week for the extra period during which he was employed as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of the *Lerlongmore Disp. Dist.*

Order. Dr. Morris to be informed of the purport of this communication.

17th Dec^r '12. From Miss N. Newell, Midwife in the *Lerlongmore Disp. Dist.* applying for four days leave of absence, & stating that Dr. Lynn, the Medical Officer, will do duty for her during her absence. That she got only a fortnight's vacation during the year.
Granted.

17th Dec^r '12. From Dr. M. McDonough, Medical Officer of *Salway No 2 Disp. Dist.* informing the Guardians that empties have lain packed at the Dispensary for the past 4 weeks, & although the contractors were written to 3 times to arrange for their removal, no reply has been received. Also the contractors are charging for empties over & above the scheduled price. This will partly account for claims made from time to time for empties alleged not to have been returned to them.

Order. A copy of this complaint to be forwarded to Mess^{rs}. Boyleau & Boyd, Contractors for the supply of Medicines, & an explanation requested.

In response to advertisement for a Midwife & General Nurse in the *Doyacullen Disp. Dist.* applications were received from *Arabella Lee, Theresa Numan, A. McMahon, & Ellen Browne.* The appointment of Miss *Arabella Lee* was moved by *Mr. M. Ashe*, seconded by *Mr. Giffin*, & carried unanimously.

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £69,946 1s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of December, 1912

No. of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-Bodied		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 2 and under 9 years of age		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age		Infants under 2 years of age		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	816	272															
Temporary Buildings	222	14															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	4															
TOTAL	1082	290															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			13	31	102	97	10	10	7	4	7	9	11	5	306	74	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			7	4	7	2							1	1	26	4	In Wards with other inmates
Born																	
Total			20	35	109	101	12	10	7	4	7	9	12	6	332	78	7
Discharged during the Week			11	4	11	5	3	1					1	1	37		
Died					4	1									5		
Total Discharged and Died			11	4	15	6	3	1					1	1	42		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			9	31	94	95	9	9	7	4	7	8	11	6	290		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of December, 1912, 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.	86	158			86	158	Bt. forwd.	96	180			96	180
No. II.	4	14			4	14	No. V.	1	2			1	2
No. III.	4	6			4	6	No. VI.	4	7			4	7
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
Car. Pward	96	180			96	180	TOTAL	123	211			123	211

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of December, 1912

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians—

Keas Day.

M. McDonnell
PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of January, 1913.

(Signed) *Robert Mullery*
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

No. Meeting held the 25th day of December 1912
(Christmas Day)

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

Indoor, from No. _____ to No. _____
Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
Out-door „ No. _____ 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 21st day of December 1912, 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	46	14		82	66		128	70		60	76	8	0	68	8	0	59	19	10	2070
Necessaries	13	7	1	20	52		33	12	3	19	10	1	0	20	1	6	13	10	9	
Total	59	21	5	102	118		162	82	3	79	86	9	1	88	9	6	73	10	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was s. d.
Average Cost in Infirmary ... 5 : 4½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... 5 : 8½
10 : 6½

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

- 1—The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
- 2—The Clothing Receipt Book.
- 3—The Inventory Book.
- 4—The Labour Book.
- 5—The Workhouse Farm Account.
- 6—The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
- 7—The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
- 8—The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of December, 1912 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Sullivan			Relieving Officer O'Flaherty			Relieving Officer McNeill			Relieving Officer Walsh			Relieving Officer Kyne			Relieving Officer Cullinan			TOTAL			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	1	1	3	19	9	2	17	0	2	2	0	2	0	6	2	5	0	29	5	7	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																						
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	1	1	3	19	9	2	17	0	2	2	0	2	0	6	2	5	0	29	5	7	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ..	8	9	6		9	6		8	6		2	6		3	0		9	6		10	4	6
In Kind ..		2	6																		2	6
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	8	7	2	0	9	6	8	6	2	6	3	0	9	6	10	7	0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	9	1	3	10	3	2	8	6	1	7	6	1	7	6	1	5	6	18	18	4	
9. Total	16	1	1	3	19	9	2	17	0	2	2	0	2	0	6	2	5	0	29	5	7	

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended

£ : :

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held the.....day of.....191

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	D.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...			
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above			

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b).		£	s.	D.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—				
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
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 of191

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement			
Total Sums received during the month			
Total			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement			
Payments ordered during the month			
Total			
Net Balance due—the Union (being difference of above Totals)			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due—Treasurer			
Outstanding Orders			
Net Balance as above due—the Union			

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week		Admitted during the Week	
Discharged ...	...	Discharged ...	...
Died ...	...	Died ...	...
Remaining ...	...	Remaining ...	...

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

SUMMARY	
Balance (if any) due to Treasury at per last month's statement	...
Total sums received during the month	...
Balance (if any) due to Treasury at per last month's statement	...
Payments ordered during the month	...
Total	...
Net balance due to Treasury at per last month's statement	...
Outstanding orders	...
Net balance at close of month	...

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):—

HOSPITAL REPORT

FEVER HOSPITAL

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Died	Remaining

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

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ...

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

Ditto disallowed ...

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse contained was ...

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

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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
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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):—

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

Reports (Part I) ... to the Director who are over 2 months of age and have ... the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts:

Galway, No. 1	...	...	...
do	...	...	...
do	...	...	...
Mayfield	...	...	...

very ... the Guardians and directions given therein as follows:

Reports of the Medical Officers, required by the Medical Officers of the ... Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given ...

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viz., on the 31st March,
the 30th June, the 30th
September, and the 31st
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Reports (Form P, containing the names of children born in the District who are
over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the
following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ 191

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

Galway, No. 1	_____
do. 2	_____
do. 3	_____
Moycullen	_____

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

Estimates of the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

STATE OF GALWAY

No. of children	No. of children	No. of children	No. of children	No. of children
1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35
36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45
46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55
56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65
66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75
76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85
86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95
96	97	98	99	100

101	102	103	104	105
106	107	108	109	110
111	112	113	114	115
116	117	118	119	120
121	122	123	124	125
126	127	128	129	130
131	132	133	134	135
136	137	138	139	140
141	142	143	144	145
146	147	148	149	150
151	152	153	154	155
156	157	158	159	160
161	162	163	164	165
166	167	168	169	170
171	172	173	174	175
176	177	178	179	180
181	182	183	184	185
186	187	188	189	190
191	192	193	194	195
196	197	198	199	200

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS at the Board of Guardians of Galway, held on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1911.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday, the 11th day of January, 1911.

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £69,946 1s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of December, 1912

No. of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.														
			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		Total	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
				Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys				Girls	Boys	Girls
Workhouse - -	816	274															
Temporary Buildings	222	13															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	7															
TOTAL	1082	294															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ...			9	31	94	95	9	9	7	4	7	8	11	6	290	75	In separate Wards -
Admitted during the Week ...			12	3	8	9	2	1	2	1	3	1	1	1	43	7	In Wards with other inmates } 7
Born ...																	
Total ...			21	34	102	104	11	10	9	5	7	11	12	7	333	82	7
Discharged during the Week ...			11	7	7	5	1	2	.	.	1	1	.	1	36	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Died ...			.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	Males Females Child'n under 15 Total	
Total Discharged and Died			11	7	8	6	1	3	.	.	1	1	.	1	39	No. relieved during week	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	27	94	99	10	7	9	5	6	10	12	6	294	No. in Workhouse at date	3
																No. at Corresponding Period last year	273

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of December, 1912, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	85	155			85	155	Bt. forwd.	95	177			95	177
No. II.	4	12			4	12	No. V.	1	2			1	2
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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of January, 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Martin Moloney Esq. D.D.C.
Other Guardians—

Messrs J. Mullin, J. Murphy, P. Connolly, J. Hegau, P. J. Gallagher, & M. J. Hobbs.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 1st day of January, 1913.

(Signed) Robert J. Mullery
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 1st day of January, 1912

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

Indoor, from No. 3627 to No. 3692
Separate „ No. 23 to No. 25
Out-door „ No. 2391 to No. 2392

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

The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:—

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Necessaries	13	10	9	19	7	4	32	13	1	20	9	11	19	1	21	9	0	11	9	1	
Total	72	10	7	76	17	7	150	23	2	86	24	17	93	11	22	15	0	34	13	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was $6 : 0 \frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary $5 : 9 \frac{3}{4}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital $10 : 3$

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of December, 1912, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Sullivan			Relieving Officer O'Flaherty			Relieving Officer McNeill			Relieving Officer Walsh			Relieving Officer Kyne			Relieving Officer Cullinan			TOTAL			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	7	9	1	3	10	3	2	8	6	1	17	6	1	17	6	1	15	6	18	13	4	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	0	0																20	0	0	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	27	9	1	3	10	3	2	8	6	1	17	6	1	17	6	1	15	6	38	13	4	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	8	7	6		9	6		8	6		4	6		3	0		9	6	10	2	6	
In Kind ..			2	6																	2	6
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	8	10	0		9	6		8	6		4	6		3	0		9	6	10	5	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	18	19	1	3	0	9	2	0	0	1	13	0	1	14	6	1	6	0	28	13	4	
9. Total ...	27	9	1	3	10	3	2	8	6	1	17	6	1	17	6	1	15	6	38	13	4	

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended $£$: :

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Finance Meeting held the.....day of.....191

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...			
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above			

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b).		£	s.	d.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz.:—				
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
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 of191

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement			
Total Sums received during the month			
Total			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement			
Payments ordered during the month			
Total			
Net Balance due—the Union (being difference of above Totals)			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due—Treasurer			
Outstanding Orders			
Net Balance as above due—the Union			

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the ² Week ⁵	25	Admitted during the ² Week ⁵	8
Discharged ...	26	Discharged ...	4
Died ...	8	Died ...	0
Remaining ...	82	Remaining ...	8

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

- 18th Dec: The Insurance Inspector made an external examination of the Steam Boiler in the Workhouse.
- 22nd " Contractor Hodges' milk turned. The quantity, 4 gals. forfeited. This is the first report in 12 months.
Order. The contractor to be cautioned.
- 23rd " Mary Howell was transferred to Salway Hospital for special treatment.
- 24th " The Schoolmaster left on 11 days' leave of absence. Have a man in charge of the boys.
- 24th " Thomas Naughton, Wardman in Hospital, left without leave by scaling the boundary wall. Returned on the 25th. An inmate performed his duties.
Order. This wardman to be warned against a repetition of this offence.
- 27th " On the requisition of Dr. Colahan I obtained the services of Probationer Nurse Kate Kearns of the Salway Hospital for duty in the Fever Hospital. Also on same requisition I employed Bridget Lee as temporary Wardmaid in same Hospital at 10^s a week, with rations.
Approved.
I got the Plumbing Contractor to put in a new pan & seat in the closet of the male hospital at a cost of £1-14-6, the one in use being broken.
Approved.
- 26th " Mr. Joyce & several ladies gave the annual entertainment to the children & inmates, & Mrs. Janet Conche

of London, sent a box of toys.
Order. The thanks of the Guardians to be conveyed to these ladies.

Workhouse Medical Officer,

I am in duty bound to report that there are at present seven cases of Typhus Fever in the Hospital, all from Claddagh. We had from this district a short time ago two cases & there are cases from Claddagh from time to time. The disease is practically unknown in most towns. It is due to overcrowding, dirt & poverty. It might be well to notify the proper authorities.

Order. A copy to be furnished to the Salway Urban Dist. Council, also to the Congested Districts Board, with a strong appeal to them to purchase the Claddagh, the inhabitants being engaged at the fishing industry exclusively.

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):—

19th Dec: 12 From the War Office, London, acknowledging the receipt of a further claim for £1-8-0 against the pension of Mark McNaught, late Cornought-Rangers, in respect of the maintenance of his wife & children during the current quarter, & stating that same has been transmitted to the State Treasurer, Adelaide, South Australia, for settlement out of the next issue of the man's pension. The State Treasurer has been asked to state whether recovery of the amount of previous claim has yet been effected, & as soon as his reply is received, it will be duly communicated to the Guardians.

22nd Dec: 12 From Mrs. P. Rutledge-Fair, thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of sympathy with

her in her bereavement in the death of her husband, Major Rutledge Fair,

²² 23 Dec 12 From the Gaelic League, Dublin, forwarding a copy of a resolution adopted by them as follows:—

Resolved, that as the tariff imposed by the American Government on Irish mackerel imported into the United States for some years past has worked untold injury on the mackerel industry in Ireland, & as this is one of the few remaining industries in the Irish-speaking districts of Ireland, it being almost entirely in the hands of Irish speakers, we appeal to the new Democratic Government of the United States of America to abolish or reduce the tax.

That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Woodrow Wilson, President-Elect.

Resolution adopted unanimously.

²² 23 Dec 12 From Rev. M. Farragher, P.P., Aram Islands, requesting the Guardians to make a reduction in their claim furnished to a poor Islander named Anthony Mullin of Ballinaaregga, for the maintenance of his daughter in the Workhouse Hospital for 212 days, at 9^d a day, amount, £7-19-0, less 5^s paid on account. £7-13-9.

Resolved - that the claim be reduced to £4.

14 Jan 13 From Wardsman Martin Keady, requesting leave of absence on the 5th & 6th inst.
Granted.

In response to advertisement—the following persons applied to be appointed Wardsmaids in the Workhouse: ^{Bridget} Elizabeth McLoughlin, Bridget McDonogh, Pina Sully, Mary Kickey, & Sara Curley.

The appointment of ^{Bridget} Elizabeth McLoughlin for the Male Hospital Wards, was proposed by M. J. Murphy, seconded by M. J. Mullin, & carried.

The appointment of Bridget McDonogh for the Male Infirmary Ward was proposed by the Chairman, seconded by M. P. Gallagher, & carried.

The following tenders were accepted:—

1. Mr. Lepuskey; to repair the Electric Bells & Batteries in the Workhouse Hospital, & to fit in new wires, for the sum of £2.
2. Messrs Lydon Bros; to keep in repair for 9 months the ordinary wear & tear of the Steam Boiler in the Workhouse, to wash it out & prepare it for inspection when required; to repair cookers, soup boilers & steam trap; to supply materials such as steam valves, steam traps, gauge cocks, fire bars, rubber, asbestos, &c. for the sum of £11-1-3.

To supply new steam pipes if necessary, at the following rate: 2 in. at ^{5^d} 7^d per ft.

1 1/2 " " 7^d "

1 1/4 " " 7^d "

1 " " 7^d "

To cover the iron gate in the mens' yard with sheet iron 1/8 in. thick, closely riveted, for the sum of £5-4-0. If it be necessary to take down the frame to be straightened & a new

best-put on there will be an extra charge of $\frac{3}{5}$.

Moved by Mr. Hooke, seconded by Mr. P. J. Gallagher, & Resolved - That we beg to tender to Mrs. Lynn of Curloughmore our sympathies with her in the death of her mother.

Moved by Mr. Hooke, seconded by Mr. J. Egan, & Resolved - That we beg to tender to our Clerk this Assistant our best thanks for the efficient manner in which the clerical duties have been discharged during the past year.

Moved by Mr. P. Gallagher, seconded by Mr. H. Hooke, Resolved - That we beg to place on record our appreciation of the able & courteous manner in which the three Chairmen of the Board conducted the business during the past year.

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...
The number of Applicants in the Half-yearly Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ...
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...
Ditto disallowed ...
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confined was ...
The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books

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

66,500/12. } Satisfying the proposal to board out Martin O'Brien
23rd Dec? } with Mr. John Higgins, Clona, Lavalley, Tuam.

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	...	67
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	6
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	0

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

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS
AND CHILDREN ACT 1908

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

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

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

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

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

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

*Moycullen. Medicines, £11-0-9. Appliances, £2-16-10.
Ordered,*

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

Read Letter from Dr D. V. Morris, dated 3rd Dec^r 1912,

stating that he is prepared to accept payment at the usual rate for the three extra days' services in the Durloughmore Disp. Dist.
Order. The issue of a Paying Order for £ 2 2-0.

31-Dec^r-12, From Mrs A. Lee, requesting permission to hold over taking up her duties as Nurse in the Moycullev Disp. Dist. until Friday next,
Granted.

Relieving Officer Sullivan reported that Dr M. McDonogh, Medical Officer of Salway Sp. 2 Disp. Dist. left on vacation on the 21st ult. & that Dr J. J. Waters took up duties as substitute on the same date.

The Analyst furnished reports on samples of drugs received from the Workhouse, Salway Sp. 2, & Oranmore Disp. Dist.

The originals have been forwarded to the L.G. Board & copies to the Medical Officers.

Order. The attention of the Medical Officer of the Oranmore Disp. Dist. to be directed to the note that one of the specimens was wrongly labelled.

Reports Form II.

Spiddal Disp. Dist.: 55 cases of successful vaccination between the dates, 14-10-12, & 17-12-12,

Durloughmore Disp. Dist.: 65 cases between the dates 29-7-12, & 2-12-12,

Population in 1901—36,465.

Present Net Annual Value, £69,946 1s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1913.

No. of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.																
			Able-Bodied		Aged and Infirm 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						
Workhouse	816	265	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Total	Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Temporary Buildings	222	14																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	8																	
TOTAL	1082	307																	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			10	26	9	2	9	9	10	7	9	5	6	10	12	6	294	86	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			5	6	10	5	3	2	1	2							39	8	In Wards with other Inmates
Born																			
Total			15	32	104	104	13	9	10	9	6	13	12	6	333	94	7		
Discharged during the Week			7	5	10	1		1		1		1		1			26		
Died																			
Total Discharged and Died			7	5	10	1		1		1		1		1			26		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	27	92	103	13	8	10	8	6	12	12	6	307				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1913, 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		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.	86	159			86	159	Bt. forwd.	96	181			96	181
No. II.	2	12			2	12	No. V.	1	2			1	2
No. III.	2	6			2	6	No. VI.	2	7			2	7
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
Car. f ward	96	181			96	181	TOTAL	123	212			123	212

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January, 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair—*Nichl. Murphy Esq. D.C.*
Other Guardians—

Lord Killaurin, Messrs S. Feby, Horneely, M. Redington, P. J. Gallagher, Griffitt, & J. Walsh.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January, 1913.

(Signed) *Robert J. Mullery*
Clerk of the Union.