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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.						
Provisions	42	0	2	67	19	9	110	0	1	62	0	9	8	6	11	72	7	8	37	12	5
Necessaries	10	6	6	13	19	2	24	5	8	12	11	6	1	2	7	15	12	1	8	11	7
Total	52	6	10	81	18	11	134	5	9	74	12	3	9	9	6	88	1	9	46	2	0

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 5:12<sup>1</sup>  
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	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	O'Sullivan	O'Flaherty	McNeill	Walsh	Kyne	Cullinan	
	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 ...	6 7 7	1 6 6	1 2 0	1 0	10 6	1 0 0	10 7 7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 0 0	2 0 0		3 0 0			30 0 0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	31 7 7	3 6 6	1 2 0	3 1 0	10 6	1 0 0	40 7 7
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	9 8 0	9 6	8 6	2 6	3 0	9 6	11 3 0
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	9 10 6	9 6	8 6	2 6	3 0	9 6	11 5 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	21 17 1	2 17 0	13 6	2 16 6	7 6	10 6	29 2 1
9. Total ...	31 7 7	3 6 6	1 2 0	3 1 0	10 6	1 0 0	40 7 7

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Loans Received	... ..			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	... ..			

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SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—				
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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 .....191 .....

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

## HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	17	Admitted during the Week	6
Discharged ... ..	10	Discharged ... ..	6
Died ... ..	1	Died ... ..	0
Remaining ... ..	95	Remaining ... ..	20

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

- 11<sup>th</sup> inst. Bellahy, book & laundress in the Fever Hospital, resumed duty after a week's leave of absence, & Bridget hee, her substitute, left on same date.
- 12<sup>th</sup> " Mary Flynn, temporary Wardsmaid in the Fever Hospital, went out on pass & did not return. On the requisition of the Medical Officer I re-engaged her on the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. at 10/- per week with rations, being an increase of 3/- per week, as I could not get any other person to undertake the duties.
- Approved.*
- 14<sup>th</sup> " The Police prosecuted Delia Downes, late laundress in the Workhouse for stealing, & her mother for receiving 3 sheets the property of the Guardians. They were allowed off under the first offenders Act, but had to give bail for good behaviour for 12 months.
- 15<sup>th</sup> " Probationer Nurse O'Shaughnessy in the Fever Hospital was admitted as a patient under observation. Probationer Nurse Margaret Bolton from the Calway Hospital has been taken on as substitute.
- On the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. I employed a horse at a cost of 7/6 to convey a patient from town to Hospital, & again on the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. to take clothing & patients to Spiddal at a cost of 10/- the Workhouse horse being at other work. The Workhouse horse is now unfit for long journeys, he stands on the road & has to be led by the head, causing delay & danger to the patients in ambulance.

He is very old.  
*Mr. O'Kyme, Relieving Officer, was directed to purchase a suitable horse as soon as possible.*

Will. Claherty, contractor for the supply of hardware to the Workhouse, died during the week.  
 The sea contractor has delivered 18 chests of sea at the Workhouse.

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):—

5 & 804/12 } Forwarding a copy of the Report of the Auditor  
 9<sup>th</sup> Oct. } on his Audit of the Union Accounts for the half-year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March, 1912, with attested abstracts of the Accounts.

Auditor's Report.

" Relieving Officer O'Sullivan keeps his books in a very slovenly manner, & has all the cases so hopelessly confused, that I was not able to check them properly. Furthermore, he could not give me any information as to the applicants in his Application & Report Book, & had not the Clerk come to his rescue & explained to me the circumstances of several doubtful cases, the Guardians might have been surcharged with the amounts paid in these cases. The reasons for

giving the relief were not entered in the columns provided for the purpose. The Relieving Officer should devote one page of his Application & Report-Book to each applicant for each half-year & have the relief authorised fortnightly in future. I am glad to say that the other Relieving Officers keep their books accurately & neatly written up.

Have disallowed a sum of 18/- for illegal Outdoor Relief granted to women while their husbands were in jail.

The Clerk & other Officers of the Board continue to keep their accounts in a very satisfactory manner.

*Order. Relieving Officer Sullivan to be called upon to comply with the recommendation of the Auditor, namely: to devote one page of his Application & Report-Book to each applicant for each half-year, & have the relief authorised by the Guardians fortnightly in future.*

The Clerk informed the Guardians that Mr Sullivan has not yet closed his accounts in respect to the half-year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> inst.; & the necessary information respecting persons in receipt of outdoor relief. (vide Auditor's observations) has not yet been filled in in the cols. of his Application & Report-Book.

*Order. Relieving Officer Sullivan to be called upon to have his accounts for the past half-year closed, & all necessary particulars entered in his Application & Report-Book before the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst. otherwise serious notice will be taken of his conduct.*

52,532/12 }  
10<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Sanctioning the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-11-6 a week with rations, to Miss India Hudson, while temporarily employed as nurse in the Workhouse Fever Hospital. The date upon which she ceases to act should be recorded on the Minutes.

52,408/12 }  
10<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be employed temporarily as Cook in the Workhouse Fever Hospital, *Bridget Lee was the person employed; previously so employed & sanctioned in Board Letter No. 41,298/12, dated 7<sup>th</sup> Augt. 1912.*

52,408/12 }  
11<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-5-0 a week with rations, to Miss A. Lee for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of the Workhouse.

53,744/m/12 }  
12<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Requesting to be furnished with a return showing the number of persons in the Union, aged seventy & over, who were in receipt of outdoor & indoor relief, respectively, on each of the dates 1-1-10, 1-1-11, & 1-1-12.

8<sup>th</sup> Oct. '12 } From the Resident Medical Officer, Hospital for Consumption, Newcastle, Co. Wicklow, recommending a further treatment of 5 weeks, for Sarah Connor, a patient from Galway Union, at 2/- per week. *Approved.*

11<sup>th</sup> Oct. '12 } From the Dublin Skin, Cancer & Throat Hospital,

in reply to Clerk's inquiry, stating that Maria Kane, patient from Galway Union, is now improving slowly; her case is an extra bad one & most difficult. It will, of necessity, be some time before she can be cured & discharged.

Order. A further report to be called for after the lapse of a month.

15<sup>th</sup> Oct 12. From Mrs M. White, thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution of sympathy with her in her affliction over the death of her daughter.

Moved by Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. M. Crowley, & unanimously. Resolved. That we beg to tender to the family of the late Mr. Michael Bloherty our deep sympathy with them in their affliction.

Galway County Council Archives

The number of applications for whom relief was not ordered was ...  
relieved by order of the Guardians was ...  
The number of other applications in the Relieving Officers' Books ...  
in which relief was granted by the Guardians ...  
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 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 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 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	...	38
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	1
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

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

*The Rev. W. Conway P. Glenamaddy, forwarded  
Quarterly Report of the Ladies Committee, on the  
children boarded out & hired out from Galway  
Workhouse in his Parish,  
Copies forwarded to the L. E. Board.*

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:—

*Galway Nos 1 & 2, Medicines £18-17-3, Appliances £5-11-6.*  
*Workhouse " 48-12-0, " 50-18-11.*  
*ordered.*

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Read Letter from *Mr W. Kiwan*, dated *15<sup>th</sup> October, 1912*,

stating that on this date, after sick leave of absence, he resumed duty as Medical Officer of the Spiddal Disp. Dist.

*16<sup>th</sup> Oct. '12* From Patrick Griffin, Porter of the Galway Dispensary, stating that as the L. G. Board did not sanction his daughter Kathleen, owing to her youth to act as his substitute during his leave of absence, he begs to nominate his son Michael who is 22 years old.

*The employment of Michael Griffin as substitute for four weeks, at 10/- per week, was moved by Mr J. Gallagher, seconded by Mr N. Lydon, carried.*

Relieving Officer Cullinan reported that Nurse Newell resumed duty in the Durloughmore Disp. Dist. on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst, after a fortnight's vacation.

Report Form II,  
Galway No 2 Disp. Dist.  
71 cases of successful Vaccination between the dates, 31-3-'12, & 30-9-'12.

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day of

(Signed)

Clerk of the Board

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Population in 1901—36,465.

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of October, 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										Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.				
			Males		Fem.		Boys		Girls		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age			Children above 2 and under 5 years of age		Infants under 2 years of age		Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	816	293																
Temporary Buildings	222	12																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	17																
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>322</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			5	31	93	103	12	10	12	7	8	10	12	7	310	} 98 In separate Wards	} 17 In Wards with other Inmates	
Admitted during the Week			8	7	8	9			1			2		35				
Born														1				
<b>Total</b>			13	38	101	112	12	10	12	7	8	12	12	8	<b>326</b>			
Discharged during the Week			2	7	5	2	3			1			1	1	24			
Died																		
<b>Total Discharged and Died</b>			2	7	5	2	3			1			1	1	<b>24</b>			
<b>REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE</b>			9	31	96	110	9	10	12	7	8	11	12	7	<b>322</b>			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS, relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of October 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	
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No. I.	92	178			92	178	Bt. forwd.	103	201			103	201
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.	3	3			3	3	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
Car. Pward	103	201			103	201	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>232</b>			<b>130</b>	<b>232</b>

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of October, 1912.

PRESENT—In the Chair—*B. Curran Esq.*  
 Other Guardians—  
*Messrs G. H. French, M. Lydon, W. D. Lelke, J. Egan, M. Crowley, P. Gallagher, J. Griffin, M. W. Donnellan, M. Cooke, B. Lydon, S. Faller, J. M. Herde.*

*A. Brown*  
 PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of October, 1912.

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

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Total	46	20	99	134	4	145	174	4	80	18	11	9	8	10	90	7	9	55	97	9	7	

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7. Total Relief given	9	15	0	9	6		8	6		2	6		3	0		9	6		11	10	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12	2	1	2	7	6	2	5	0	2	12	0	1	4	6	2	1	0	22	12	1
9. Total	21	17	1	2	17	0	2	13	6	2	16	6	1	7	6	2	10	6	34	2	1

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

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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 .....191 .....

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

## HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	11	Admitted during the Week	2
Discharged ... ..	13	Discharged ... ..	4
Died ... ..	0	Died ... ..	0
Remaining ... ..	93	Remaining ... ..	18

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

19<sup>th</sup> inst. Mary Elym, temporary wardmaid in the Fever Hospital left, & instead I employed Bridget Lee at 10/- a week with rations.

*Approved.*

Have not taken samples of the Tea delivered by the contractor last week, awaiting instructions from the Board as it has not been passed through the Custom House.

*Order. Samples to be taken & forwarded to the Tea Taster for report.*

Some eggs supplied by the contractor during the week were broken & bad, & being rejected, good ones were supplied instead.

Probationer Nurse Bolton has been admitted as a patient in the Fever Hospital suffering from Scarlatina. The Medical Officer does not consider it necessary to provide a substitute.

The Workhouse Schoolmaster requisitioned goods to the value of 3/- & they were 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):—

53780/12 } Transmitting questions for answers respecting  
16<sup>th</sup> Oct 12 } the person temporarily employed to act as mid-  
wife in the Workhouse; also for the persons  
who may be appointed as Workhouse laundress  
& Wardmaid, respectively.

*Nurse Wilson, by private arrangement with Nurse Lee, acted as her substitute for a week.*

*Nurse Wilson was similarly employed in Sept-  
ember last, & her employment was sanctioned  
in Board letter No 46628/12 dated 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 1912.*

53780/12 } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at-  
17<sup>th</sup> Oct 12 } the rate of 10/- a week to Bridget Lee for her  
services while temporarily employed as Cook  
in the Fever Hospital of the Workhouse.

<sup>th</sup>  
18 Oct 12. From Sergt. C. O'Brien, R. G. Barras, stating that he has been furnished with a claim for £3-4-6 for the maintenance of three of his children in the Fever Hospital. Requesting the Guardians to make a reduction of their claim as he has a large family & is about to retire on pension. He feels very thankful to the Hospital Staff for their great care & attention to his children, both the staff & the hospital being a credit to Galway.

Order. The claim to be reduced to £2.

<sup>nd</sup>  
22 Oct 12. From Mr. S. Corbett, contractor for the supply of Tea, stating that in accordance with the terms of contract he delivered at the Workhouse on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst. 18 chests. The Workhouse Master refused to take them into stock, giving as his reason that the Tea was not delivered direct from the Galway Custom House. The Tea came direct from London as on a former occasion when he held the same contract. The advertisement inviting tenders did not specify any particular Bonded Warehouse. Requesting the Guardians to direct the Workhouse Master to take the Tea into stock.

Order. The 18 chests of Tea to be taken into stock & stored at contractor's fire risk.

<sup>nd</sup>  
22 Oct 12 From Mr. P. Cloderty, tendering to the Guardians on behalf of self & Sisters, sincere & grateful thanks for their kind resolution of sympathy in the death of his father.

In response to advertisement applications

were received from Mary Ellen Kenny & Mary Monahan for the post of Landress in the Workhouse.

On the motion of Mr. Griffin, seconded by Mr. P. J. Gallagher, Mary Monahan was appointed. Mr. W. Hooke protested against her appointment on the grounds that she is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. His objection was overruled.

Army Lawler, being the only applicant, was appointed Wardsmaid in the Workhouse Male Hospital, on the motion of Mr. M. Crowley, seconded by Mr. T. Lydon.

Order. Relieving Officer Sullivan of the Galway District to be directed to discontinue giving out door relief to the wife & child of Army Pensioner Patrick King.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACT 1864  
AND CHILDREN ACT 1869

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The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...  
relieved by order of the Guardians was ...  
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books  
in which Relief was granted by the Guardians ...  
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ...  
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...  
Data disallowed ...  
The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse continued was ...  
The cases of Provisional Relief and Applicants for Relief were considered and  
decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk  
together with the 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	...	29
Ditto disallowed	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	0
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	0
Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	0
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	0
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	0

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

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

*18-08-12* From Rev. W. Conway, P.P. Glencamaddy,  
requesting the Guardians' sanction for the  
removal of the children James Mannion &  
Martin O'Brien, boarded out with Martin Collins,  
to more suitable homes.

*Order.* To be informed that he has the Guardians' per-  
mission to find more suitable homes for these  
children, & to transfer them thereto.

THE PAUPER CHILDREN (IRELAND) ACTS  
And CHILDREN ACT, 1898

[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.]

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

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, <u>88</u> defaulters.	Oranmore, <u>22</u> defaulters.
do. 2, <u>127</u> "	Spiddal, <u>28</u> "
do. 3, <u>7</u> "	Tourloughmore, <u>37</u> "
Moycullen, <u>3</u> "	

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

*The several Relieving Officers to serve notices on defaulters*

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:—

*Oranmore, Medicines, £4-13-3, Appliances £1-3-3,  
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 *Mr. M. Flaherty* dated *21<sup>st</sup> October, 1912,*

*(Relieving Officer for Galway No. 3 Disp. Dist.)* reporting that Nurse Reddeman returned to the District on the 19<sup>th</sup> inst. & promised to remain until her substitute comes.

In response to advertisement applications for the appointment of temporary Midwife in the Galway No. 3 Disp. Dist. (Inan Islands) for a period of six months, were received from Mary J. Lee, Kate McShane, N. McEorian, Esther Foley, & Margaret Curtin.

As, in her application Nurse Lee stated that she has a knowledge of the Irish language, & as this is an Irish speaking district, her appointment was moved by Mr. W. Lydon, seconded by Mr. Griffin & carried unanimously.

Statement of expenses of the several Dispensary Districts for half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1912, as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

	1912.	1911.
Galway No. 1 & 2,	£228-5-9.	£228-0-9.
" No. 3.	126-5-11.	133-1-6.
Moycullen.	146-9-5.	99-2-5.
Crannore.	106-2-10.	115-2-11.
Spiddal.	226-16-9.	125-7-8.
Surlinghammore.	104-16-6.	122-12-6.
	£938-17-2	£823-7-9.

Increase £115-9-5.

The Clerk pointed out to the Guardians that the

increase in expenditure was due to the illness of the Medical Officers of the Moycullen & Spiddal Dispensary Districts, necessitating the employment of substitutes.

Population in 1901—36,465.

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of October, 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 5 and under 9 years of age		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age		Infants under 2 years of age		Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls		Number in Hospital on the above date	Number of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	818	259															
Temporary Buildings	222	12															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	10															
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>311</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			9	31	96	110	9	10	12	7	8	11	12	7	322	92	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week			3	7	2	6	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	29	10	In Wards with other inmates
Born															1		
<b>Total</b>			<b>12</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>7</b>
Discharged during the Week			6	2	13	6	1	3	2	2				2	21		
Died																	
<b>Total Discharged and Died</b>			<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>				<b>2</b>	<b>21</b>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	25	85	110	10	9	9	6	9	13	13	7	311		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of October 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.	90	170			90	170	Bt. forwd.	101	193			101	193
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.	3	3			3	3	VII. Children Boarded out beyond Union.	22	22			22	22
Car. Pward	101	193			101	193	TOTAL	128	224			128	224

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of October, 1912.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Patrick Curran Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs N. Lydon, W. Silke, S. Egan, O. J. Gallagher, Griffin, & M. Hooper.

Murphy PRESIDING CHAIRMAN.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of October, 1912.

(Signed) Robert H. Muller, Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 30th day of October, 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. 3405 to No. 3436  
 Separate ,, No. 8 to No. 9  
 Out-door ,, No. 2379 to No. 2379

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 26th day of October, 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	45	17	2	80	1	6	125	18	8	63	18	9	8	3	3	72	2	0	53	16	8
Necessaries	9	12	5	18	12	11	28	5	2	17	10	10	1	1	3	18	12	1	9	13	3
Total	55	9	7	98	12	5	152	24	0	81	9	2	9	4	6	90	14	1	62	9	11

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 5:2  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. 5:9½  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... .. 9:7½

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 26th day of October, 1912, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Sullivan			Relieving Officer O'Flaherty			Relieving Officer McNeill			Relieving Officer Walsh			Relieving Officer Kyno			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 ...	12	2	1	2	7	6	2	5	0	2	12	0	1	2	6	2	1	0	22	12	1	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																						
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12	2	1	2	7	6	2	5	0	2	12	0	1	2	6	2	1	0	22	12	1	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	9	0	6	9	6		8	6		4	6		3	0		9	6		10	15	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	9	2	0	9	6		8	6		4	6		3	0		9	6		10	18	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2	19	1	1	18	0	1	16	6	2	7	6	1	1	6	1	11	6	11	12	1	
9. Total ...	12	2	1	2	7	6	2	5	0	2	12	0	1	2	6	2	1	0	22	12	1	

Children Boarded-out beyond Union—Cost for Quarter ended £ : 5 :

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 of .....191 .....

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

HOSPITAL REPORT.

WORKHOUSE.		FEVER HOSPITAL.	
Admitted during the Week	12	Admitted during the Week	2
Discharged ... ..	15	Discharged ... ..	9
Died ... ..	0	Died ... ..	0
Remaining ... ..	90	Remaining ... ..	11

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

26<sup>th</sup> inst. Nurse Gore took up duty after vacation & the services of her substitute, Nurse Murphy were dispensed with.

29<sup>th</sup> " Nurse Barolan took up duty after vacation & the services of Nurse Lee, as substitute, were dispensed with.

" " Sent samples of 16 chests of Tea to the Analyst for report. I returned 2 chests of Tea to the contractor as the chests contained 112 lbs instead of 100 lbs, as contracted for.

24<sup>th</sup> " Sarah Collins from Drannore gave birth to an illegitimate child in the lying in Hospital. She named Michaelsonally of Foster St. recently deceased, as the putative father.

The ambulance was repaired during the week at a cost of £2-10-0.

*Approved.*

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):—

55767/12. }  
 29<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of 10/- a week, with rations, to Mary Flynn for her services as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse Fever Hospital; & payment of remuneration at a similar rate to Bridget Lee for her services as Cook in that Hospital.

56742/12. }  
 29<sup>th</sup> Oct. } Approving of the appointment on probation for a period of six months, of Mary Monahan as laundress in the Workhouse, at a salary of £9 a year with rations, provided that her name is removed from the Workhouse Books.

29<sup>th</sup> Oct/12. From Mr P. Toole, Steam Boiler Attendant, informing the Guardians that he has been in St. Vincent's