

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 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 Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held Wednesday the 17 day of February 1909

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. _____
 Outdoor „ 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 13th day of February, 1909, 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	59	6	11	22	16	5	82	3	4	17	13	5	3	19	5	31	12	10	60	10	6	664
Necessaries	18	13	9	3	4	6	31	18	3	4	7	10	1	6	6	5	14	4	16	3	11	
Total	78	19	20	25	20	11	113	21	7	21	20	15	4	25	11	37	26	14	76	14	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 7/4
 Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.....day of..... 19....., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I.			Relieving Officer District No. II.			Relieving Officer District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer 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																					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																					
3. Total to be accounted for																					
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board																					
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. Balance in hands at close of week																					
9. TOTAL																					

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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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 *Wednesday* the *17th* day of *February* 19*09*

PRESENT—In the Chair— *J. J. Connolly Esq. J.P.*

Other Guardians:—

Miss McDonnell, Bernard Kelly, M. O'Neill, John Heug, Pat W. Donagh, J. O'Hara, James B. Joyce, F. Connolly, Felix Joyce, M. Laville, R. Kearney J.P., J. J. Lyden

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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 Officer 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 Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190____

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

[This 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 Guardians 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
L.G. B. Letter No 64. 100. Dated 26th January 1909.	Relative to the defaulters under the Vaccination acts which was referred to the medical officers -	
D. Freys medical Officer Inishbaffin wrote stating that the defaulters under the Vaccination acts (with the exception of two children in shock who were much too delicate) have complied with the law.		
D. Hassard. medical Officer of the Roundstone No 3 District wrote that there was not a single defaulter in his district since he was appointed		
D. Loftus medical Officer of the Roundstone No 1 District wrote that there were 15 defaulters in his district and he was sure if served with notice they would at once comply. Notice to be served -		
Resolved: - That we will move on this day month that a Dispensary be granted at Recess for the convenience of the Electoral Divisions of Moyrus Illion & Bencor Frank J. Conolly Fistus Lape		

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
		Criminal Analysts reports on samples of drugs forwarded for Analysis for the Roundstone Nos 1 & 2 Dispensary Districts sent herewith	
		L.G. B. Letter No 7. 11 Dated 12th Feby 09 Contracts for medicines and medical and Surgical Appliances	
		Resolved: - That tenders be considered on Wednesday the 17th March 1909.	
		The Clerk submitted the following telegraphic correspondence received from Inishbaffin	
	To Clerk Union Clifden	"Send doctor to attend two re tickets."	Relieving Officer 8/2/09
	Clerks reply.	To Penargast Relieving Officer Inishbaffin	
	"Where is D. Freys"		Clerk Union 8/2/09
	To Clerk Union Clifden	"No doctor required here I have been"	D. Freys 18/2/09
	To Penargast Relieving Officer Inishbaffin	"D. Freys writes from Inishbaffin no doctor necessary is this correct"	Clerk of Union 8/2/09

Galway County

[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. :-

Blank lines for reporting dispensary districts.

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

To Clerk Union Clifden
D. Frey just arrived now attending duty.
P. M. Magast. 8/2/09
J.H.

Population in 19

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 27th day of February 1909

Table with columns: 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, OBSERVATIONS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of February 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

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

Wednesday the 3rd day of March 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair-

J. J. Conolly Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians :-

P. Kelly, Jno Darcy, M. O'Neill, M. Conolly, M. Conolly, J. M. Ryan, P. O'Hara, F. Conolly, F. Joyce, M. Laville, J. J. O'Loahen J.P., J. J. Ryan, Stephen Murphy, John Lome, Michl. Joyce & M. Joyce Esqs

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day

of _____ 190

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

756 lb Bread
 1 Fetherin Bulles
 98 lb meat
 2 " Jam
 160 Eggs
 2 Doz + Posters
 68 oz Tobacco
 1 St. Onions
 4 lb. Candles
 2 " Starch
 14 " W Soap
 1 " Blue

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
 Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

I beg to inform you that I continued the services of the Plumber to rectify the Cesspit on the recommendation of the Visiting Committee and procured 32 lengths of Sewer pipes for same it was in a very bad Condition and is now almost complete.

Mr Lee Murray gave permission to have the drain opened through his field—

The plumber is engaged at the pit for the past fortnight

Approved.

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):—

L.G. B. Letter No 27,801 Dated 22nd Feby '09
Sanctioning the proposed alteration in the dietary of the Workhouse namely to place the able bodied inmates on the Infirmary diet in future.
Referred to Master —

L.G. B. Letter No 31,681 Dated 2nd March '09.
Transmitting questions for Answer respecting Annie Caffrey temporary Cook in the Workhouse Hospital

Resolved:— That an advertisement do issue for the Appointment of permanent Cook.
Queries for the temporary appointment sent herewith

The County Council transmitted Paying Order for £84: 0: 0 Contribution under 13th Section of the Local Government Act. which was signed by the Chairman and forwarded to the Union Treasurers.

The Workhouse Matron tendered her resignation which was accepted.

Resolved:— That an advertisement do issue to fill the Vacancy. The election to come off this day fortnight. Salary £30: 0: 0 a year with first class rations and Apartments.

Read following letter:— Doon Alpdew
March 3rd '09

To The Chairman
Alpdew Board of Guardians

Dear Sir
I have been properly requested by the

landholders in the Lifford Division and the other townland in the district to represent to your Board the fact that there is a great need for seed potatoes amongst them this Spring. I know a good many have none at all. Even for eating - while nearly all the others have only a short supply of poorest quality for planting. In a word two-thirds landholders in the District need and ask for at least, while one-third require a bushel each for the smallest sowing.

What makes this need the more intense is that the quality of the seed of even the best aff is of the poorest and most unreliable kind. Very few has potatoes fit for eating this year and to supply what ought to be an easy remedy - to stave off a grave situation next year - I understand from Mr. Smith (Dept. Agr.) that very good and reliable champions are selling in the unattended and remotely separated markets of this very County (ie) Glanmoy and elsewhere and at the very low price of 2½^d to 3^d per stone should your Board will be facilitated by the local government Board in this simple provision

I am
Yours obedient servant
Jas. Kelly & Co

Resolved: - That Father Kelly's letter be inserted in full on the minutes for the information of the local government Board. and we respectfully request the government will facilitate by authorising the guardians to ^{obtain a} grant or loan for the purchase of a supply of seed potatoes so sorely needed in the district.

Signed Phipps Murphy
John Coyne

Unanimously adopted

Miss Lydia Cleghane late Contractor for the supply of food to the Workhouse applies for a Copy of the result of the recent inquiry to be supplied

Relieving Officer Lyden submitted reports for the month of February together with School Attendance Certificate signed by the Teachers, which are sent herewith

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

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TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on.....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 during the month of....., 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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 ...

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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19

Signed _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 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 Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held.....the.....day of.....19.....

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

Indoor from No. 4283 to No. 4293
 Separate ,, No. 3 to No. 3
 Outdoor ,, 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 27th day of Febry, 1909, 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	53	13	11	20	2	1	73	16	18	7	8	3	19	5	22	7	1	51	8	11	6014
Necessaries	23	1	1	6	13	6	29	14	3	19	6	1	7	2	5	6	8	24	7	11	
Total	76	15	12	26	15	7	102	10	21	7	2	5	6	7	27	13	9	75	16	19	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ — : 4 : 8 1/2
 Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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, theday of 19....., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I.		Relieving Officer District No. II.		Relieving Officer District No. III.		Relieving Officer District No. IV.		Relieving Officer 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	5	8 1			2	7 14			5	9				
2. Money since advanced by Guardians														
3. Total to be accounted for	5	8 1			2	7 14			5	9				
EXPENDITURE.														
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board														
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	1	5 6			1	2			1	9				
8. Balance in hands at close of week	4	2 7			1	5 4			14					
9. TOTAL	5	8 1			2	7 4			5	9				

Dated this day of 19.....

Clerk of Union.

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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 Monday the 3rd day of March 1909
PRESENT—In the Chair— See page 289
Other Guardians:—

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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 Officer 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 Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's 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 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 Guardians 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>L.G. B. Letter No. 31. 682</p>	<p>Dated 2nd March 1909. Referring to the minutes of the Guardians on the 17th ultimo relative to the attendance upon two dispensary cases in the Island of Irishboffin. Referred to the Officers concerned.</p>	<p><i>[Signature]</i></p>

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21 Feb 09

I am willing to allow
for each small to
be accommodated in my house
free of charge

James Ruddy

Approved of
J.H.

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Letteragh
Feb 23-09

I am willing to allow
Mr Macdonnell to
be accommodated in my house
free of charge

Mrs Tom Kerrigan

Letteragh

Approved of

J.H.

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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
	<p>The Board of Guardians Clifden Union Gentlemen</p>	<p>Enclosed are the agreements signed by the owners who are willing to allow me to vaccinate in their houses I am, Gentlemen your obedient servant J. J. MacDonnell Medical Officer</p>	<p>March 2nd '09.</p>
<p>Approved of,</p>		<p>July February 23 - '09, I am willing to allow Dr. MacDonnell to vaccinate in my house free of charge James. Ruddy.</p>	
<p>Approved of,</p>		<p>Lettergesh Febry 23rd '09, I am willing to allow Dr. MacDonnell to vaccinate in my house free of Charge Mrs Tom Kerrigan Lettergesh</p>	<p>J.H.C.</p>

[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. :—

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

Population in 19 _____ Present Net Annual Value, £ _____

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 13 day of March 1909

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	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	790	92												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hosp'l														
Fever Sheds	32	—												
TOTAL	822	92												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ..			1	—	50	42	1	—	1	—	4	98		
Admitted during the Week ..					1	1						3		
Born														
TOTAL			1	—	51	42	2	—	1	—	4	101		
Discharged during the Week ..					6	2						8		
Died						1						1		
Total Discharged and Died ..					6	3						9		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	—	45	39	2	—	1	—	4	92		

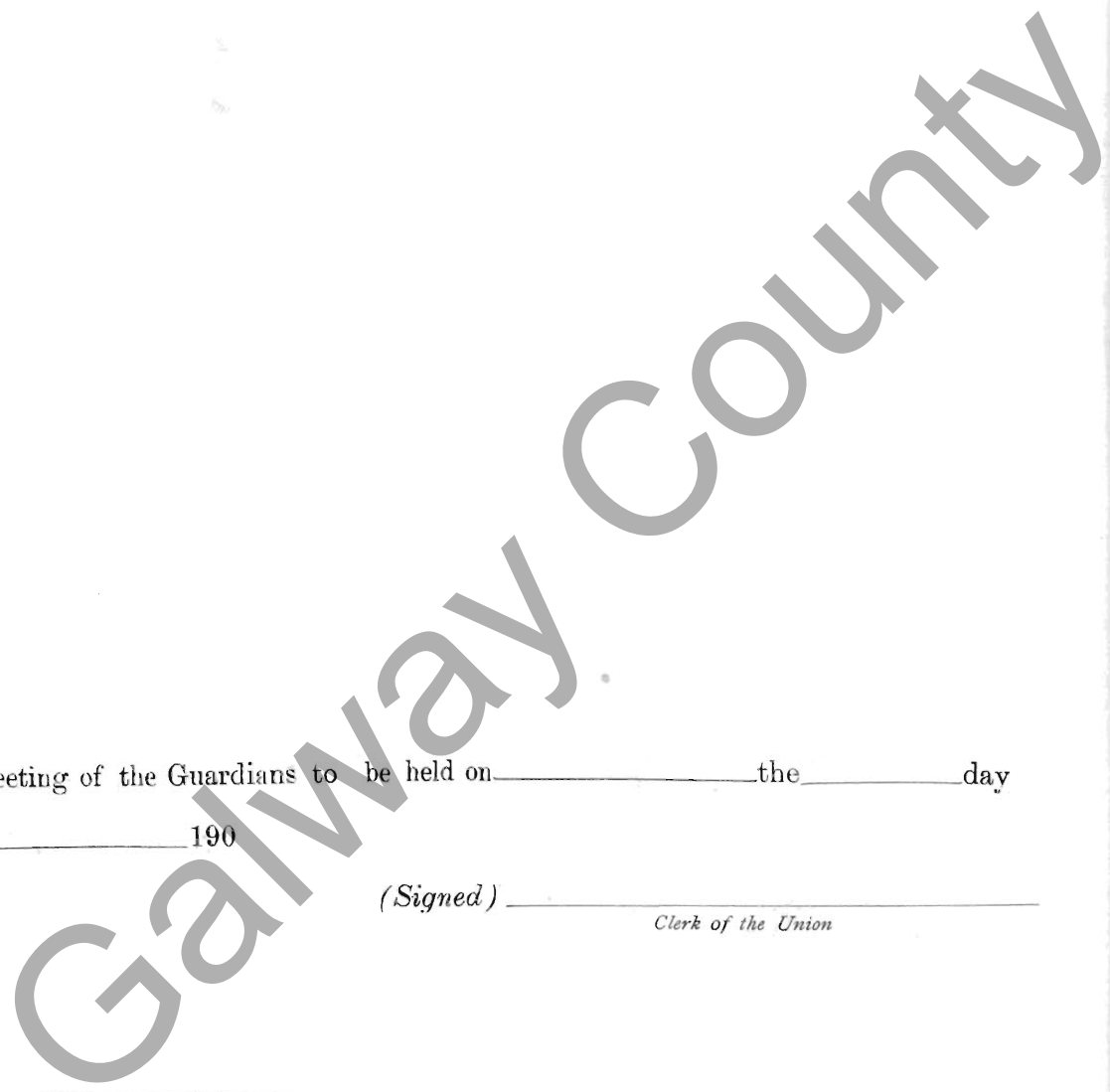
RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 13 day of March 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	8	18					Bt. forward						
No. II.	10	22					No. V.						
No. III.	10	55					No. VI.						
No. IV.	9	16					No. VII.						
Car. forwd.	37	111					No. VIII.						
							TOTALS						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 17 day of March 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair— John, J. Connolly, Esq., M.P.
 Other Guardians:— Miss McDonnell, Mr. Mullen, P. O. Toole, J. O. Flaherty, P. McDonagh, B. Kelly, James Sweeney, Jno. Darcy, Mr. O'Neill, John Faherty, John W. Hyden, James, B. Joyce, Michael Conneely, Michael Connolly, John Burke, F. J. Connolly, Festus Joyce, Mr. Lavelle, John Lacey, G. S. O'Connor, John J. Foghten, Martin M. Loughlin, Stephen Ward, Stephen Murphy, James J. Lyden, P. O. Flaherty, Mr. Joyce, John F. Cooke, John Coyne

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 190
 (Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union



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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

756 lb Bread
 1 firkin Butter
 94 lb meat
 80 Stone potatoes
 2 lb Jam.
 240 Eggs
 2 lb Cornflour
 1 Case Whiskey
 2 Doz Stout
 68 lbs Tobacco
 1st Onions
 4 lb Candles
 3 lb Starch
 14 lb Soda
 1 lb Blue.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
 Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

Gentlemen

On receipt of a requisition from the medical Officers. I engaged the services of Jane Connely as wardmaid in the Hospital pending permanent Appointment. at the rate of £10 a year,

I beg to inform you that a quantity of straw in the straw House was destroyed by fire on yesterday evening which must be caused by a spark from one of the Chimneys

Referred to the Insurance Company.

From the Medical Officers

Gentlemen

A patient named Helena Jool from Knockawalla was brought to the Hospital on 15th inst. suffering from a severe form of Cataract of the Eye, she requires immediate operation in the Dublin Eye and Ear Hospital and I would recommend

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

she be sent as soon as possible

To be sent.

An imbecile girl with her infant has been admitted to Hospital. I do not think it wise or right to allow the mother to take charge of the infant owing to the state of mind of the mother. It will therefore be necessary to secure the services of a competent woman to take charge of the Child in the dayroom which has been used as a Nursery from time immemorial.

A nursery was never established in the workhouse

P. C. Gorham M. O.

The master to get some able bodied woman in the house

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):—

L. B. Letter No. 31,687 Dated 9th March 1909
Requesting to be informed whether the Contractors for the supplies for which Miss Lyden tendered have entered into bonds for the due fulfilment of this Contract.
No bonds were entered into

L. B. Letter No. 37,478 Dated 9th March 1909.
Sanctioning the Appointment of Annie Laffey as temporary Cook in the Workhouse Hospital at a salary at the rate of Ten Pounds a year with rations

L. B. Letter No. 37,417. Dated 9th March 1909.
Transmitting questions for answers respecting the persons who may be appointed to the positions of Matron and Cook.

Proposed by Mr. J. J. Conolly, and seconded by Miss McDonnell — That Mrs. Ellen Schley be appointed Matron of the Workhouse Unanimously agreed to — Queries attached

Resolved: — That Annie Laffey be appointed Cook
Queries attached —

Resolved: — That Mr. John J. Horan be appointed stock taker and that he be paid £4 for so doing

L. B. Letter Re aged Pension Act. (Maon Relief) dated respectively
16. 3. 09. Joseph Kelly, Claimant

16. 3. 09 Bridget Kelly, Clifden Claimant.
Replies to Queries sent herewith

L.C. B. Letter no 37. 417. Dated 16th March 1909
stating that they have no power to authorise the farmers
to provide seed for the occupiers of small holdings this year
but suggesting that they might communicate with the
Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction
as to the desirability of the change of seed in the district

Resolved: - That the Clerk communicate with the Department
of Agriculture and Technical Instruction on the subject

Read Copy of a resolution passed by the Longford Union
re Home Rule issue at the next General Election

Ordered: - That £1: 1: 0 be allowed ^{paid to} the Post Office
Authorities for the use of a locked bag for the conveyance
of letters between Clifden Post Office and the Clerk's Office

On the recommendation of the Medical Officer Ross Feeney
was sent to the Galway Hospital for special
treatment -

Relieving Officer Deegan submitted School Teacher Certificate
for the month of January in the case of Annie Connolly
boarded out which he omitted furnishing in due course
Certificate sent herewith

Resolved: That this meeting be adjourned to the
24th instant and that special do issue to each
member that the Tenders for the half yearly contracts

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will be considered on that date.

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Wed day the 17th day of March 1909

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 February, 1909 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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	...	...	...	...	...	7
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	16
The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	...	12
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	...	...	...	...	...	21
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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19____

Signed _____
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (a).

	£	S.	D.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	522		
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	522		

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 February, 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	...	153	15	8
Clothing and Bedding	...			
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...			
(c) Farm	...			
(d) Other Expenses	...	37	8	9
Workhouse Burials	...	14	8	
District School Account	...			
District Hospital Account	...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	5	2	6
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	5	18	
Medical Charities	...	26	11	
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	...	21		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...			
Expenditure out of Loans	...			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	264	18	11

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

February 1909

	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	522					
Total	522					
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	291	14	3			
Payments ordered during the month	264	3	11			
Total	555	18	2			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	33	18	2			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	279	6	10			
Outstanding Orders	313	19				
Net Balance as above due by the Union	33	18	2			

Dated this 1st day of April 1909

H. King
Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held Wednesday the 17th day of March 1909

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

Indoor from No. 4294 to No. 4300

Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor ,, 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 13th day of March, 1909, 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	11	9	23	16	7	70	8	4	18	5	10	4	5	1	22	10	11	47	17	5	656
Necessaries	20	14	2	4	11		24	15	1	3	19	8	1	7	3	5	6	11	19	8	2	
Total	67	5	11	27	17	6	95	3	5	22	5	6	5	12	4	27	17	10	67	5	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 8½
 Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.....day of..... 19....., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Bydell</i> District No. I.			Relieving Officer <i>Coyne</i> District No. II.			Relieving Officer <i>Baranov</i> District No. III.			Relieving Officer <i>Quindagost</i> District No. IV.			Relieving Officer 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	2	9	7		6	15	8															
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																						
3. Total to be accounted for	2	9	7	6	15	8																
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board																						
In Money																						
In Kind		13	6		14	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	1	0	6	18	6																	
8. Balance in hands at close of week	1	9	17	2																		
9. TOTAL	2	9	7	6	15	8																

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

Clifden 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 *Monday* the *17th* day of *March* 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair— *See page 307.*

Other Guardians:—

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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.	
<i>Corinstone 1</i>	3	15	3	

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 Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:—

Table with 2 columns: Dispensary District, Goods ordered to be supplied. The table is currently blank.

[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 Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19__

Table listing expenses for various Districts. Format:District, - £.....

[This 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 Guardians therein; namely:—

Table with 3 columns: Name of Dispensary District, Electoral Divisions, Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division. The table is currently blank.

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
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L.G. B. Letter No. 31. 682. Dated 2nd March 1909.
 Relative to the entries on the minutes of the 17th ultimo as to the attendance upon two dispensary cases in the Islands of Inishbaffin on the 8th Ultimo which was referred to the Medical Office and Relieving Office.

Read following explanations:—

Inishbaffin Leleggan
 6th March 1909.

Gentlemen

I beg to state that on the 8th Feby last I attended every case in this Island or from Shark Island who required attendance. There were more than two cases there were five cases.

I am gentlemen
 your obedient servant
 P.W. Freys.
 Medical Office

The Board of Guardians
 Clifden Union

Read

Ballymolee Island
 8th March 1909

Gentlemen

I beg to bring under your notice that P. Freys attended the two cases referred to on the 8th Feby and any other cases requiring attendance.

My reason for writing to Clifden was this:— He went there to assist in an operation on one of his patients Mrs Barrett of Knock and I did not know

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
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that he had returned
 Mr. Pinaoqast
 Relieving Office

As Guardian for Belterna District I beg to inform you that the midwife who was in charge of a labour case at Aughrimore on the 13th inst. she remained for about two hours in charge and then left the case.

The Doctor attended the woman late at night. The Doctor informs me above is true.

Stephen Murphy.

Referred to the nurse for explanation and medical Office for report.

The notice of motion handed in on the 17th ~~March~~ ^{Feby} 1909 by Messrs Frank J. Connolly and Festus Joyce to establish a Dispensary Depot at Recess was not moved.

“Drugs”

L.G. B. Letter No. 64. 872. Dated 9th March 1909
 Returning vouchers &c in support of the claim for recoupment during the half year ended the 30th Sept last and stating they are not prepared to make recoupment in respect of a sum of 15/4 for items appearing in Invoices Nos. 6, 10 and 11 for the reasons so stated.

Referred to the medical Office for explanation

[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. :-

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

The following tenders for medical and surgical Appliances were considered —
 Medicines

Messrs. Sumner & Co Liverpool 25% off the gross cost
 Messrs. J. Clarke & Co Dublin 28 1/2% "

Resolved: That the tenders of Messrs. Clarke & Co be accepted.

Medical and Surgical Appliances

The Medical Supply Association Dublin 25% Cent off
 J. J. Quinn Dublin 33 1/3
 Sumner & Co Liverpool 35
 P. N. White Sligo 36
 Clarke & Co Dublin 36 1/2

Resolved: - That the tenders of Messrs. Clarke & Co be accepted.

J.H.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day

of _____ 190

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union

Population in 19

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 20 day of March 1909

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	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	799	95												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	32	-												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	822	95												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			1	-	45	39	2	-	1	-	4	92	21	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week					2	2						6		In Wards with other Inmates
Born														
TOTAL			1		47	41	2		1		6	98	21	TOTAL 8
Discharged during the Week					1	1						2		
Died					1							1		
Total Discharged and Died					2	1						3		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1		45	40	2		1		6	95		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of March 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. V.						
No. III.							No. VI.						
No. IV.							No. VII.						
Car. forwd.							No. VIII.						
							TOTALS						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 24 day of March 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair— John J. Connolly Esq. J.P.
 Other Guardians:—
 Peter Moore, Jas. Darcy, M. O'Neill, Jas. King
 Jas. B. Joyce, M. Lavelle, W. J. Diamond

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely :—

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
Number of successful cases :—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows :—

Galway County Council Archives

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

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):—

Read letter received from the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction dated 22/3/09 acknowledging receipt of previous resolution transmitted on the 18th inst. re the scarcity of potatoes in the Galway Division

The following tenders for the supplies were accepted for half-year ending 30th Sept 1909.

E. J. King	Oatmeal @	12/6	per ton	Cwt
	Pepper	-/10	"	lb
	Wax Candles	-/3 ³ / ₄	"	lb
	Browne Soap	17/9	"	Cwt
	Carbolic "	17/9	"	lb
	Starch	-/3	"	"
	Blue	-/4	"	"
	Washing Soda	-/9	"	"
	Tobacco	3/6	"	lb
	Sugar	17/6	"	Cwt
	J. J. & S. Whiskey	5/3	"	qt
	Gilbey's port-wine	2/6	"	bottle
	Kelly's Altar Wine	2/3	"	"
	Altar Candles	2/-	"	lb
	Sago	-/3	"	"
	Shell Cocoa	-/4	"	"
	Brands Essence	1/6	"	tin
	2 nd Class Cook Butter	-/10 ³ / ₄	"	lb
	Royal Daylight-Oil	1-12-0	"	per Barrel
	Blackening	1/6	per Box	Barrel to be retained
	Arrowroot Biscuits	-/7	"	lb

M. A. Clancy Bread @ 5¹/₂ per 4 lb loaf

Onions @ 1/3 per stone
 salt 1/8 " Cwt
 matches 2/10 " Gross
 Loaf sugar 2 3/4 " lb
 Hennessy *** Brandy 6/- " bottle
 Guinness x x Stout 1/7 1/2 " doz
 Rice -/2 " lb
 Tapioca -/4 " "
 Quaker Oats -/2 " "
 Borvil 1/- " doz
 Lime 3/- " barrel

Miss Margt. H. Lyden mineral Waters @ 1/9 per doz large
 Cornflour -/4 " lb
 Scotch Screened Coal 1-8-0 " ton
 Cranes note with each load

Miss Mary H. Lyden Bath brick 1^d per lb
 Prepared Lard 8^d " "
 Blacklead 9^d " "

Mr. Peter Hickey Beef & Mutton @ 6^d per lb

Mr. James Casey Eggs @ 7^d 120

Mr. Frank Mullen Herrings @ 33/6 " barrel

Mr. Thomas Cloderty (Tailor) making Men's & Boys Suits @ 3/- per Suit

Mr. Martin O'Connor Lindsey wooley 11 1/2 per yard
 sheeting Calico 10 1/2 " "
 Coarse Flannel 1/- " "
 Men's Braces 6/- " doz

Mrs. B. King Calico @ 4 1/2 per yard
 Flannel 6 " "
 Shrouding 2 3/4 " "
 Railway Stripe 6 " "

Mr. A. Stanley Blankets 16/11 each
 Bed Rugs 5/11 "
 Men's Socks 5/5 per Doz
 Women's Stockings 5/5 " "
 Towels 5/3 " "
 Check -/5 7/8 per yard
 Barragon -/11 " " "

Mr. Bartly Malone Men's Boots @ 10/- per pair
 Women's " " 9/- " "
 Repairs Men's " 2/6 " "
 " Women's " 2/- " "

Mr. J. Clancy Tind Saucepans 2/6 each
 Am. Twigs 1/4 "
 Milk Can 1/6 "
 Wash boards 1/- "
 Japs Fluid 4/6 per 1/2 Gal

Mr. Wm. Goham, scrubbing brushes 1/- each + 6^d each
 Lamps 1/4 each shor brushes 1/2 per pair metal Saucepans
 4/6 each, Galv. bucket 1/- each, Irish Spoons 1^d each
 Lime brushes 10^d each. Pans 1/6 each Tin dishes 5^d each
 Bass Brooms 1/9 each Pad locks 1/2 each gravel rakes
 1/- garden hor -/8^d each Hair Brooms 2/4 each
 scissors 10^d each Coarse Combs 6^d each fine Combs 1^d each
 Globe polish 4^d per box quart measures 1/2 each tin funnel 4^d each
 fine salt 1/- per stone Branding stuff 6/6 per Gal

S.H.

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

TABLE (1)—**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on.....the.....day of.....19⁰⁹..7.

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....., 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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 ... 6
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
 The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ... 16
 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 ... 21
 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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Signed _____
 Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief	2	11	4
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	6	12	10
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	9	4	2

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 March 1909.

	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	9	4	5			
Total	...	...	...
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	33	18	2			
Payments ordered during the month	...	...	...
Total	33	18	2			
Net Balance due—the Union (being difference of above Totals)	24	14				
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due—Treasurer	...	...	...
Outstanding Orders	...	...	...
Net Balance as above due—the Union	...	...	...

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held 24th the March day of 1909

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

Indoor from No. 4301 to No. 4306

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ 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 20th day of March, 1909, 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	47	17	5	21	15	6	69	12	11	18	15	4	5	1	22	6	6	47	6	5	647
Necessaries	19	8	2	3	2	19	11	4	3	19	8	1	7	3	5	6	11	14	4	5	
Total	67	5	7	24	18	8	89	4	3	22	1	5	12	4	27	13	5	61	10	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 9

Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.....day of..... 19....., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I.			Relieving Officer District No. II.			Relieving Officer District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer 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																						
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																						
3. Total to be accounted for																						
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board																						
In Money																						
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																						
8. Balance in hands at close of week																						
9. TOTAL																						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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Udum 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 *Wednesday* the *24th* day of *March* 19*09*

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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.	

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

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
		<p>Drugs</p> <p>Analysts Report on samples of drugs forwarded for Analysis from the Renove Dispensary District parish with</p>	<p>J. H. C.</p>

Galway County Council Archives

[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. :—

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

Population in 19

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 27 day of March 1909

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 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	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	790	18												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse..														
Permanent Fever Hosp'l														
Fever Sheds	32	—												
TOTAL	822	18												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return ..			1	45	40	2	1	6				18	In separate Wards	—
Admitted during the Week Born				2	2								In Wards with other Inmates	6
TOTAL			1	47	42	2	1	6				18	TOTAL	6
Discharged during the Week Died				2	1	1		1						
Total Discharged and Died ..				2	1	1		1						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	45	41	1		6						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of March 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	13	51					Bt. forward						
No. II.	10	21					No. V.						
No. III.	13	58					No. VI.						
No. IV.	12	31					No. VII.						
Car. forwd.	48	161					No. VIII.						
							TOTALS						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 31st day of March 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair— John. J. Conolly, Esq., J.P.
 Other Guardians :—
Michael Joyce. Stephen Murphy.
Esqro

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 190
 (Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

840 lb Bread
 1 lb Biscuits
 1 Firkin Butter
 80 st potatoes
 56 lb Omeal
 2 lb Jam
 28 lb Salt
 240 Eggs
 1 st Onions
 2 ton Coal,
 4 lb Candles
 3 lb Starch
 14 " lb Soda
 1 " Blue

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
 Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

Gentlemen

I beg to inform you that a woman named Fanny Dowd with two Children was admitted to the house on the 19th inst owing to being deserted by her husband.
adjourned

I beg to inform you that the quantity of straw destroyed by the fire was 2½ tons, and I may add that only for the able assistance rendered by W. Emerson Contractor and the officers of the House & inmates that the whole range of building would be destroyed.
Referred to the Insurance. Co.

I beg to report that a woman named Bridget Ridge was admitted to the house on the 27th March. the woman was violent & had to be tied down during the time she was here. she was removed on yesterday to the Ballinacloy Assylum. The van was requisitioned on two occasions the 24 & 26 to remove this woman.

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

the last occasion on receipt of a wire from Miss Canaran. R.O., she came here in charge of her brother.
Referred to Medical Officer for report.

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):—

L. G. B. Letter No. 27. M. Dated 23rd March 09.
Requesting to be furnished immediately after the 31st instant with returns relating to the Union
To be attended to.

L. G. B. Letter No 43.831 Dated 26th March 09.
Sanctioning payment of remuneration at the rate of Ten Pounds a year to Jane Connolly for her services as temporary wardsmaid in the Workhouse Hospital
Read.

L. G. B. Letter No. 43.931. Dated 26th March 1909
Sanctioning the appointment of Anne Laffey as Cook in the Workhouse Hospital, at a salary of Ten Pounds a year with rations
Read

L. G. B. Letter No 43.831. Dated 26th March 1909
Sanctioning the proposed payment of a sum of Four Pounds to Mr. John J. Horan for taking and valuing stock in the Workhouse for half year ending 31st instant

Resolved:— That C. J. McHugh James St Dublin be appointed Tea Taster for the coming year at the usual fee £1:0:0.

The clerk reported that the following persons whose tenders were accepted had complied with the terms of the advertisement and of Article 19 of the General Regulations by entering into the

Required Bonds,

James Casey
 Edward J. King.
 W.M. Gorham
 Frank Mullen
 Peter Stickey
 Clancy Bros
 Martin O.annon

The following persons whose tenders were accepted have not yet entered into the required bonds although notified to do so.

Stanley Bros
 Mrs. B. King
 Miss M. H. Lyden
 Miss Margt. H. Lyden
 Bartly Malone.

Resolved: - That no orders do issue to persons who fail to complete their bonds and the master be directed to procure the articles mentioned in such accepted tenders elsewhere.

Read letter received from.

Miss Margt. H. Lyden who was declared Contractor for the supply of certain articles as recorded on the minutes of the Guardians on the 24th instant requesting to be informed if the Guardians accepted articles at a higher price than what she tendered ^{at} for and if so the reason assigned for so doing

H.C.

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

TABLE (1) — FINANCIAL MINUTES.

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on.....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 during the month of....., 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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 ... 4
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
 The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was ... 20
 Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ... 16
 The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ... 16
 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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19...

Signed _____ Clerk of the Union.

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 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			

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held 31st the March day of 1909

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

Indoor from No. 4307 to No. 4310

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ 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 27th day of March, 1909, 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	47	6	5	16	7	11	63	14	4	16	15	4	4	5	1	21	5	42	13	11	659
Necessaries	14	4	5	5	10	11	19	15	4	4	7	4	1	7	3	5	8	7	14	16		9
Total	61	10	10	21	18	10	83	9	8	20	16	8	5	12	4	26	9	57	10	8	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 6 1/2

Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.

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 Officer 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

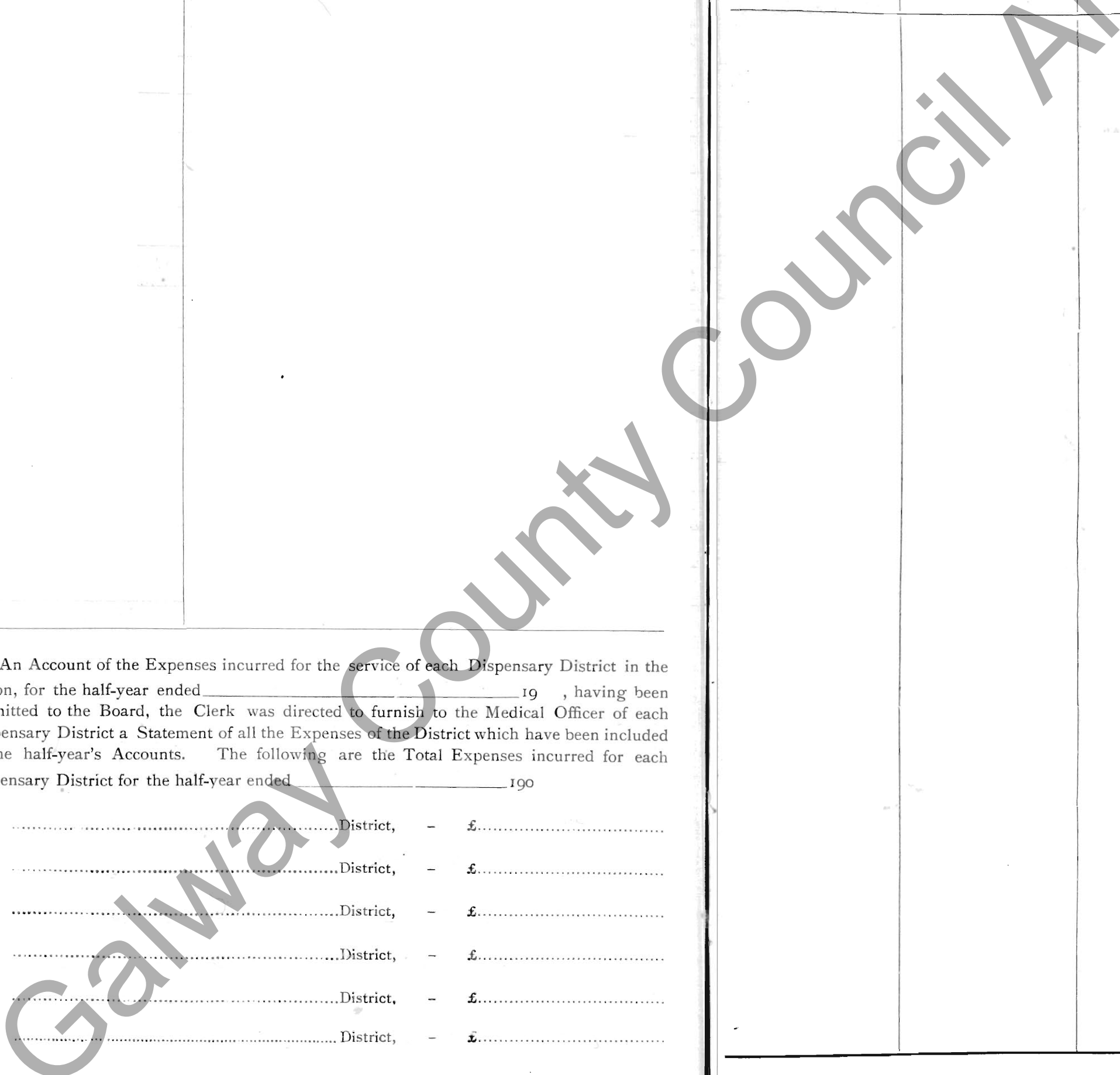
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts dated 24th February, 1899.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's 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 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 Guardians 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
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L.G. B. Letter no. 41.860 Dated 29th March 1909
 Forwarding extract from a report received from their Medical Inspector Sir Acheson Macfullagh on his visit to Roundstone Dispensary on the 23rd ultimo. &c.
 Referred to the Guardians for the town of Roundstone for report.

Read Explanation received from Mrs Greene Midwifery Nurse Clifden in reply to the charges preferred against her by Mr. Murphy. P.L. Guardian which was further adjourned awaiting Dr. Gorham's Report.

Miss Canaran R.O. reported she had to requisition the services of Dr. Gorham to attend the Roundstone Dispensary during Dr. Loftus's absence at Galway Assize on Crown business
 approved,

J.H.

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
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[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. :-

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

Population in 19

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 10 day of April 1909

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	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	790	94												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	32													
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	822	94												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			1	46	40	1			6			21	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week Born			2	5									In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL			3	51	40	1			6			21	TOTAL	
Discharged during the Week Died			3	3	1									
Total Discharged and Died			3	3	1									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE				48	39	1			6					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of April 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	8	32					Bt. forward						
No. II.	13	25					No. V.						
No. III.	11	45					No. VI.						
No. IV.	11	27					No. VII.						
Car. forwd.	43	129					No. VIII.						
							TOTALS						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 14 day of April 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair— John J. Connolly, Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:—
Peter T. Doole, Mr. O'Neill, P. T. Hara,
J. Connolly, Mr. Lavelle, G. S. Connor,
John Coyne,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 1909

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

Gentlemen

I beg to report that since your last meeting I was obliged to get two ton of Coal from Mr. V. J. King, as the Contractor Miss Lyden did not sign her bond,

Approved,

There is a small quantity of flowers & other seeds required for the garden,
To be procured

From the Medical Officer,

Gentlemen

The girl patient in the Hospital, Lizzie Carter who was sent from Childrens Hospital some 12 months ago practically in a Crippled Condition the result of Cerebro Spinal fever - Requires a light Crutch as she is improving lately the Crutch if supplied as soon as possible will be of the greatest assistance in going about

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

To be procured

O. C. Gorman

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):—

L. G. B. Letter No 43. 348 Dated 31st March 1909
Transmitting Copy of the Childrens Act, 1908,
which will come into operation on the 1st proximo.

Read.

L. G. B. Letter No. 48. 829 Dated 7th April 1909
Sanctioning the sum of One Pound for the testing of samples of tea.

Read.

L. G. B. Letter No 41 (U) Dated 7th April 1909
Return of officers of the Union & C
To be Supplied.

L. G. B. Letter No. 46. 481 Dated 6th April 1909
Transmitting Copy of a letter received from Miss Margaret. A. Lyden. relative to the action of the Guardians in regard to her tenders for Supplies to the Workhouse

Resolved:— The Guardians desire to convey to the L. G. B. the fact that best beef & mutton could not be purchased on foot at the price tendered for by Miss Lyden & had the Guardians accepted her tender it would be only repeating the irregularities disclosed at the recent inquiry viz: a shortage of weight. Miss Lyden has not entered into a bond for the fulfilment of her contract in respect of the items she was declared Contractor for on the 24th ultimo and as a result the workhouse master has to

purchase those articles elsewhere at a higher price

The Tea Taster reports on the samples of tea submitted which he placed in the respective order of merit.

Samples marked nos 1 & 2 best
They appear to be the same tea

The Clerk stated that the samples were lodged by Miss Mary H. Lyden and Miss Margaret H. Lyden.

Resolved: - That Miss Lyden No. 1. be declared Contractor for the tea and an order for same to issue when bond is completed.

Resolved: That the following telegram be sent to the Local Government Board.

Local Dublin.

Guardians surprised no sanction yet received to appointment of Matron on the 17th ultimo.

Clerk Union.

It having come under the notice of the Guardians that the driver of the Ambulance is in the habit of charging invariably 1/2 fare for a person in charge of sick infirm and destitute persons from the several Relieving Officers district to the Workhouse in addition to the ordinary charge without any authority from the Relieving Officers or Medical Officers that such attendants are necessary.

Resolved. In future when Relieving Officers requisition the Ambulance for the conveyance of such persons a Medical Certificate is to be produced stating whether a special attendant is necessary to accompany the Ambulance or not and Relieving Officers are to attend at the homes of the persons and see that where medical officers recommend an attendant that suitable persons are sent and not leave such an important matter to the opinion of the Ambulance driver.

On the recommendation of the medical officer a patient named John Salmon was sent to the Galway Hospital for special treatment

J. H.

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

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TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on.....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 during the month of....., 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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 ...
- 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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Signed _____
Clerk of the Union.

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	...	130	16	4
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...			
(c) Farm	...			
(d) Other Expenses	...	89	16	9
Workhouse Burials	...			
District School Account	...	21	2	6
District Hospital Account	...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	39	.	.
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	5	14	6
Medical Charities	...	170	18	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	...	1	1	.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	...	15	12	9
Superannuation Allowances	...	39	6	2
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers	...			
Expenses of Local Committees	...			
Repayment of Loans	...	12	14	10
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	...	25	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	55	6	11
Expenditure out of Loans	...			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	606	10	3

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March 1909.

	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	16	14				
Payments ordered during the month	606	10	3			
Total	622	14	3			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	623	14	3			
RECONCILIEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	52	19	9			
Outstanding Orders	676	14				
Net Balance as above due by the Union	623	14	3			

Dated this 29 day of April 1909

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Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held Wednesday the 14 day of April 1909.

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

Indoor from No. 4317 to No. 4327
Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____
Outdoor ,, 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 10 day of April, 1909, 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.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Provisions	39 8 10	19 1 8	58 10 6	15 19 4	4 2 .	20 1 4	38 9 2				
Necessaries	9 16 9	7 15 8	17 12 5	4 1 7	1 7 .	5 8 7	12 3 10				
Total	49 5 7	26 17 4	76 2 11	20 . 11 5	9 .	25 9 11	50 13 .				

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 3

Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.....day of..... 19....., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer District No. I.			Relieving Officer District No. II.			Relieving Officer District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer 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																						
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																						
3. Total to be accounted for																						
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board																						
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. Balance in hands at close of week																						
9. TOTAL																						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 19____

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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.	
<i>Clifden Dispy + Workhouse Roundstone No 2</i>				<i>To be sent to Contractor</i>

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 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
L. G. B. Misc No. 16	Dated 5 th April 1909. Recoupment Medical and Educational Expenses for past half year. Read,	

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
		<p>Read letter received from Dr. Freyer Inishboffin dated 2nd April re. site for Dispensary and medical officers residence stating that he considers the ^{site} offered by the C. D. Board is suitable</p> <p>The further Consideration of the report of Mr. Murphy Poor Law Guardian against Mrs Greene District-nurse was again adjourned awaiting the report of Dr. Gorham.</p>	<p>J. H.</p>

[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. :-

Blank lines for listing Dispensary Districts.

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

Blank lines for providing directions.

Population in 19 Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 17th day of April 1909

Table with columns: No. of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building, 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, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 17th day of April 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 21st day of April 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair— John J. Connolly, Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians :-

John Reidy John Darcy John Faherty John W. Lyden John Burke Festus Joyce Michael Lavelle Stephen Murphy John Coyne

Esqrs

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the day

of 190

(Signed) Clerk of the Union

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

840 lb Bread
 1 lb Biscuits
 1 Firkin Butter
 85 lb Meat
 80 St Potatoes
 2 lb Jam
 400 qts Milk
 2 Cwt Sugar
 2 lb Cornflour
 2 doz xx ports
 60 ozs Tobacco
 3 lb Candles
 112 lb Soap
 3 lb Starch
 1 lb Blue

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
 Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

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):—

L.G. B. Letter No. 43831. Dated 10th April 1909
Requesting to be returned the minutes of Evidence taken at the Inquiry held by this Inspector Major Russell-Fair into certain charges made by the Master of the Workhouse against Miss Margaret M. Lyden a Contractor for the supply of goods to the Institution

Minutes sent herewith _____

L.G. B. Letter No 55 M Dated 19th April 1909
Requesting to be furnished with a statement showing separately for the half year ended on the 30th September 1908 the amount of money supplied by the County Council on demand of the guardians for Union charges and to repay seed loan

Attached—

L.G. B. Letter No. 53. 758. Dated 20th April 1909.
Stating in reply to the telegram forwarded on the 14th inst that they will in a short time address the guardians on the subject of the Appointment of a matron of the Workhouse

Read.

J. L. L.

Galway County

Galway County Council Archives

FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

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TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on 10 day the 14 day of April 1909

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 March, 1909 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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 ... 9
 Ditto disallowed
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
 The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was 18
 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 32
 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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19_____

Signed _____
Clerk of the Union.

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.

	£	s.	d.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
ESTABLISHMENT—	129	6	4
(a) Salaries	130	16	4
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses	89	16	9
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account	21	2	6
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	39		6
Medical Charities	172	8	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	172	8	6
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	15	12	9
Superannuation Allowances	39	6	2
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	12	14	10
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	25		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	55	6	11
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	606	10	3

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March 1909.

	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	17	4				
Payments ordered during the month	606	10	3			
Total	623	14	3			
Net Balance due—the Union (being difference of above Totals)	623	14	3			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due—Treasurer	39	15	3	13	14	6
Outstanding Orders	663	89	6			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	623	14	3			

Dated this.....day of.....1909

Handwritten notes:
 Total balance £ 39 15 3
 39 15 3
 against 15 15 3
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Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held Wednesday the 21st day of April 1909.

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

Indoor from No. 4328 to No. 4336
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Outdoor „ 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 17th day of April, 1909, 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.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Provisions	38	9	2	20	5		58	14	2	17	17	2	4	3	22	2	36	14	646
Necessaries	12	3	10	8	12	5	20	16	3	4	2		1	7	5	9	15	7		3
Total	50	13		28	17	5	109	10	5	21	19	2	5	10	27	9	52	1	3

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

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 17 day of April 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Lydon District No. I.			Relieving Officer Coyne District No. II.			Relieving Officer Canavan District No. III.			Relieving Officer Chandler District No. IV.			Relieving Officer 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	12	14	1																			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																						
3. Total to be accounted for	12	14	1																			
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board																						
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	1		36																			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out																						
7. Total relief given	1		36																			
8. Balance in hands at close of week	11		4																			
9. TOTAL	12	14	1																			

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19__

Clerk of Union.

Clifden 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 Wednesday the 21st day of April 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair— John J. Conroy Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:—

John Reioy, John Darcy, John Faherty, Jno M. Lyden
John B. ... Festus Joyce Michael Lavelle
Stephen Murphy, John Capre

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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.	
Clifden Workhouse				To be sent to the Contractors

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 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
To. The Chairman & Gentlemen of the Board.	Clifden Wednesday 21/3/09.	
Gentlemen	In reply to letter received 21 st instant concerning a charge made against me by Mr. Murphy P.L. for leaving a patient at Aughimore in labours. I beg to state that when I arrived at the patient's house that the woman was not in labours as it would take Doctor or Nurse to know. But as regards first confinements they are always tedious and they are often complaining for a week but still not in labours. — With regard to time I did not take any time that day how long I remained but I did what I could for the patient and she has not any labour pains so I then left her with safety, but from the time I left her and the Doctor arrived she could have been in labours, but the Doctor did not see the patient first so he could not say I left her in labours as I often attend cases and they might be like that for a week.	
	I am now about 10 fars in Clifden district and during that time I have not lost a patient through neglect, though I find it harder of late to remain in country houses as I am not in good health for some time past and then they keep Cattle and fowls in these houses. When I remain long I am obliged to walk up and down outside the houses, I cannot please Dr. Forham of late	

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
		with regard to my duty and I do the best I can. So it is hard for a Nurse to stand such treatment.	
		I remain gentlemen Your obedient servant M. Greene	
Read.	To the Chairman and members Board of Guardians	Gentlemen,	
		I have perused Mrs Green District Midwife's explanation to your Board replying to a charge preferred by Mr. Murphy who stated that the midwife left the patient (a primipara) after staying some time in charge. — During the time the midwife was in attendance upon the case I was engaged in a similar one at the furthest extremity in the opposite direction of the district. — When I returned about 5 o'clock I proceeded to the Aughimore case (Mrs Mulroy) and was informed that the midwife had gone home. I delivered the patient about 11 o'clock.	
		Your obedient servant P. C. Forham	
Read.		21. 4. 09.	
		(Vide minutes on the 17 th March)	

[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. :-

Clifden	20	defaulters
Renoyle	11	
Roundstone	21	

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

notice to be served.

Analysts reports on samples of drugs forwarded for analysis from the Roundstone No. 2 and Inishbaffin Dispensary Districts sent herewith (20/4/09)

S.M.

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union

Population in 19

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 24 day of April 1909

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						Children above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Infants under a year of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	790	93												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hosp'l	32	-												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	822	93												
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return					46	40	1		7		94			
Admitted during the Week			4		1						6			
Born														
TOTAL			4		46	41	1		8		100			
Discharged during the Week			4		3						7			
Died														
Total Discharged and Died			4		3						7			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE					43	41	1		8		93			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of April 1909, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. 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.	10	24					Bt. forward						
No. II.	12	27					No. V.						
No. III.	12	48					No. VI.						
No. IV.	11	27					No. VII.						
Car. forwd.	45	126					No. VIII.						
							TOTALS						

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

Wednesday the 28th day of April 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair--

J. J. Connolly Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians :-

*P. Toole. M. O'Neill. Mrs Darcy
W. J. Diamond P. O'Hara Esq.*

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

840 lb Bread
 1 Firkin Butter
 88 lb Meat
 80 st. Potatoes
 2 lb. Jam
 400 qt. Milk
 28 lb Tea
 240 Eggs
 2 lb. Rice
 2 " Cornflour
 3 doz Porters
 60 doz Tobaccos
 1 st Onions
 2 Tons of Coals

3 lb. Candles
 3 " starch
 144 " W Soda
 1 " Blue
 1 Bar Oil

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
 Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

Gentlemen

I beg to report that the new Room which was lately built for the Wardmaids in Hospital requires the following articles of Furniture

- 3. Iron Bedsteads
- 1 Table
- 1 Looking Glass
- 1 Wash Stand.

To be procured,

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

- * Relieving Officer Lyden submitted monthly report and Teachers Certificate for the month of March in respect of the Chief Annu Council boarded out which are sent herewith

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 received from Major P. Rutledge Fairly J. dated 23rd instant stating he had arranged for the Marrow elect to go to Portumna Workhouse to undergo two months training &c. The Clerk reports that the Marrow left for Portumna on the 27th instant —

* It was proposed by Mr. O'Hara seconded by Mr. J. J. Conroy and Unanimous

Resolved:— That owing to the lamented death of Miss Nellie O'Flaherty of Ballyconnely daughter of Mr. J. O'Flaherty a respected member of this Board the further business of which now stands adjourned and we desire to express our deepest sympathy with Mr. O'Flaherty and family in their sad bereavement.

J. J. C.

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FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

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TABLE (1)—**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on.....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 during the month of....., 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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 ...
 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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19_____

Signed _____
 Clerk of the Union.

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 Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of19.....

	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 Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held Wednesday the 28th day of April 1909

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

Indoor from No. 4337 to No. 4342
 Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____
 Outdoor „ 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 24th day of April, 1909, 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	36	14	.	18	3	3	54	17	3	16	9	10	4	2	20	11	10	34	5	5
Necessaries	15	7	3	1	14	6	17	1	9	4	3	3	1	7	5	10	3	11	11	6
Total	52	1	3	19	17	9	71	19	.	20	13	1	5	9	26	2	1	45	16	11

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 4¹/₄
 Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.

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 Officer 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

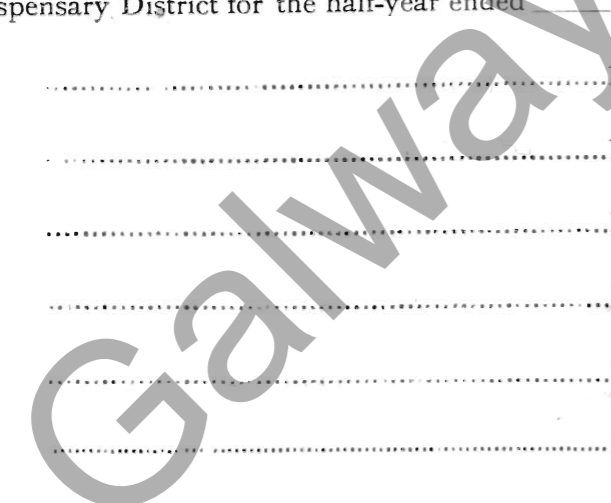
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts dated 24th February, 1899.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the _____ Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 1900

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

[This 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 Guardians 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
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L.G. B. Letter No. 55977. Dated 22nd April 1909
 Referring to the Return Form L furnished by the Medical Officer of the Clifden No. 1 Dispensary District in which he states the ceiling of the dispensary buildings requires repairs
 Referring to the Visiting Committee

L.G. B. Letter No. 524584. Dated 27th April 1909.
 Forwarding form upon which the Guardians may make application for the Board's Certificate under Section 4 of the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act with a view of obtaining a loan for the provision of a Medical Officer's Residence and Dispensary at Irishbally
 Ad. prom. to next meeting

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
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The Medical Officer of the Clifden No. 1 Dispensary District wrote as follows:—
 Gentlemen.

I beg to lay before you an old set of tool instruments which I would recommend be replaced. It will save buying a new set. I may remark this old set is now over twenty three (23) years old.

P. C. Spoham

The Board of Guardians Clifden

D. Spoham

March 25th

Do doing duty for D. Loftus during his absence at the Galway Assizes from 25th March to 30th March inclusive

L.H. H. O

To be paid (vide minutes 31st March 1909)

Read letter received from D. Hassard Minister Carna stating that the husband of the patient Mrs. Fenn of the Cas. sent to the Galway Hospital on the 3rd inst informs him she has to undergo a serious operation and that the Rev. Father M. Hugh P.P. would prefer to have Mrs. Fenn removed to a Dublin Hospital for operation

Ad. prom. In the meantime D. Hassard be requested to furnish any reports he may have received

[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. :-

Blank lines for reporting dispensary districts.

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

from the medical staff of the railway hospital suggesting that the patient be sent to Dublin for operation as Dr. Hassard's letter appears to be all hearsay

J. J. [Signature]

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union

Population in 19

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending SATURDAY, the 8th day of May 1909

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), 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, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last week ended Saturday, the 8th day of May 1909, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under to Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

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

Wednesday the 12th day of May 1909

PRESENT: In the Chair-

J. J. Connolly Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians :-

Miss McDonnell Peter Mool, Ino Darcy.

M. O'Neill, Jm. Lyden, P. O'Hara

M. Morgan, M. Joyce [Signature]

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

The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries, &c., required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

900 lb Bread
 1 Firkin Butter
 88 lb Meat
 2 lbs Jam.
 400 qts Milk
 240 Eggs
 2 cwt Sugar
 2 Doz Stout
 64 lbs Tobacco
 1 St Onion
 3 lb Candles
 3 " Soap
 14 " W. Soda
 1 " Blue

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month).
 Number of successful cases:—

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

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

From the Master: — Mrs Greene arrived here from Galway Hospital on the 1st instant and was admitted by her in on receipt of a telegram.
Wardman Patk Connolly got married on the 3rd instant
Reas.

From the Medical Office: — The Hospital Infirmary requires whitewashing and painting. All the mattresses of the beds in the Infirmary require to be recovered with the best ticking. The covering stuff seems quite rotten and the fibres that compose the mattresses rot much better. "A stitch in time saves nine" if these mattresses are not repaired immediately a new supply will soon be required.

Three night chairs and all the lockers in the Infirmary also require to be repaired. I would respectfully call your immediate attention to these defects.

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

The infirmary Cook has given one month's notice owing to the fact that her sister is going to America as she is required at home. I expect the notice to leave expires tomorrow.

Report in connection with the mattresses &c referred to Visiting Committee.

There were two candidates proposed for the temporary appointment of Cook Mrs Cook and Miss Ash. Connolly, Miss Connolly was appointed. Permanent appointment this day fortnight at a salary of £10. a year with rations and apartment.

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):—

L.G. B. Letter No 57. 071 Dated 29th April 1909
Transmitting a copy of a letter received from Miss Margaret Hayden relative to the action of the Guardians in regards to her tenders for certain supplies to the Workhouse and requesting to be furnished with the observations of the Guardians on the subject.

Miss Hayden is not, nor never was in the butchering business, she never bought or sold a pound of beef or mutton for trade purposes, we beg to refer to the reply given to Miss Margaret H. Hayden's Complaint (who is this lady's sister) as recorded in the minutes of the Guardians on the 11th ultimo.

An order will issue to Miss Hayden for the Tea she has been declared for Contractor when required, the Master has at present three chests of tea in stock.

L.G. B. Letter No 55. 10. Dated 31st May 1909.
Calling attention to their letter of the 19th ultimo, requesting to be forwarded by next post without fail the statement applies for.
The statement referred to accompanied the minutes of the Guardians on the 22nd ultimo and a duplicate copy of same was forwarded on the 4th instant.

L.G. B. Letter No 54. 583. Dated 21st May 1909.
Referring to the Guardians minutes on the 14th ultimo and stating that the Medical Office and Master might suggest a suitable person to accompany the Ambulance when necessary.

Reas.

The Board's Solicitors furnished this account for Law Costs
 Amount £12: 16: 11
 To be paid subject to the approval of the local J.P. Board
 account as furnished sent herewith

The tender of John Falconer Dublin for the supply
 of Books, Forms &c was accepted.

Read letter received from W. Flaherty acknowledging
 receipt with thanks of the Chairman's resolution of
 sympathy.

J.H.

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FORM 14.
(ARTICLE 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Wednesday the 12th day of May 1909

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of April, 1909 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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 ...
- 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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 19____

Signed _____
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	540	.	.
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 April, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b).		£	s.	d.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :-				
Provisions and Necessaries	...	137	9	.
Clothing and Bedding	...			
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...			
(c) Farm	...			
(d) Other Expenses	...	10	17	.
Workhouse Burials	...			
District School Account	...			
District Hospital Account	...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	12	10	6
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	1	7	.
Medical Charities	...	20	12	.
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	...	35	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...			
Expenditure out of Loans	...			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	217	15	6

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of April 1909

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	—	—	—	13	4	6
Total Sums received during the month	540	.	.			
Total	540	.	.			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	623	14	3			
Payments ordered during the month	217	15	6			
Total	841	9	9			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	301	9	9			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer		10	4			
Outstanding Orders	300	19	5			
Net Balance as above due by the Union	301	9	9			

Dated this.....day of.....19

Forward to L.G.B. 27.5.09, Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held Wednesday the 12th day of May 1909

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

Indoor from No. 4343 to No. 4356

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Outdoor ,, 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 8th day of May, 1909, 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	32	10	2	18	1	2	50	11	4	15	14	6	4	2	11	19	17	5	30	13	11	643
Necessaries	14	17	3	7	.	7	21	17	10	6	18	7	1	1	1	7	19	8	13	18	2	
Total	47	7	5	25	1	9	72	9	2	22	13	1	5	4	.	27	17	1	44	12	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : 11 ¹/₄

Average Cost in 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 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 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.

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.....day of..... 19....., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Hyden</i> District No. I.			Relieving Officer <i>Coyne</i> District No. II.			Relieving Officer <i>Conoran</i> District No. III.			Relieving Officer <i>Pendragon</i> District No. IV.			Relieving Officer 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																						
2. Money since advanced by Guardians																						
3. Total to be accounted for																						
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board																						
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. Balance in hands at close of week																						
9. TOTAL																						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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Clifden 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 *Wednesday* the *8th* day of *May* 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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.	
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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 Officer 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 31st March 1909 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 31st March 1909

<u>Clfdcu</u> District, -	£ 118: 5: 10
<u>Irishbiffin</u> District, -	£ 118: 16: 5
<u>Rensle</u> District, -	£ 82: 2: 1
<u>Rounstone No 1</u> District, -	£ 61: 13: 11
<u>Rounstone No 2</u> District, -	£ 126: 0: 4
<u>Total</u> District, -	£ 506: 18: 7

[This 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 Guardians 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
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L₁ B. Letter No 57, 195 Date 21st May 1909
 Relative to the charge of neglect of duty preferred against Mrs Greene midwife of the Clifden No. 1 Dispensary District stating before deciding what action should be taken in the matter they would be glad to be favoured with the Guardians views

Resolves:— That in compliance with the wishes of the Local Government Board relative to the charge of neglect of duty preferred against Mrs Greene was called before the Board and severely reprimanded by the Chairman and taking into consideration that she has been in the employment of the Guardians for the past 10 years and believing the explanation of the midwife that when she attended the case she thought the patient would not be confined for a day or two after. The Guardians consider with the approval of the Local Government Board that the reprimand given will have the desired effect.

On the recommendation of Dr. J. J. O'Connell a patient named Pto J. J. O'Connell of Ballinacoy who is suffering from Dilatation of the stomach was sent to the Galway Hospital Rail expenses to be paid

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
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D. Byrne Keenane furnished a claim for £2:2:0 for doing duty in the Roundstone No. 2 Dispensary District on the 19th and 20th January on the requisition of the Relieving Officer during the absence of D. Hassard at Galway Quarters Sessions on Crown business
 Ordered to be paid

Referring to the minutes of the Guardians on the 20th ultimo relative to the patient Mrs Greene
 Read following report received from Dr. J. J. O'Connell 11th May 1909

Gentlemen— A patient named Bridget Greene arrived at the Infirmary on the 1st instant. It appears she was sent to the Galway Hospital from Carna— She informs me she remained 3 weeks in the Hospital, she states her friends advised her to leave Galway Hospital and proceed to Clifden with a view that the Guardians would send her to Dublin for operation. She is suffering from a Tumour of the womb I would recommend that you send this patient to a Dublin Hospital for operation
 J. J. O'Connell

Read letter received from Dr. Hassard dated the 1st May
 Read letter received from Professor McIntyre dated 21st May and Dr. Rouse Resident Medical Officer of the Galway Hospital of the same date copies of which are sent herewith
 It was proposed by Mr. Morgan and seconded by Mr. Dr. W. Lyden that the patient be sent to Dublin