

James Griffin - Slaying c £ 5 = per annum

Thos Broderick - making men's suits c 7/6 = per ~~pair~~ ^{suit}
" ~~Boys~~ " c 6/6 = " "
" Flannels c 10^s each

James Cahill - Goffins c 11/7 each

S. Falter - Repairing blocks c £ 1: 5: 0 per year

John Curley - Broken Stones c 2/4 per yd.

Samples of tea to be forwarded to Sir Charles Cameron for analysis, and consideration of remaining tenders adjourned to next meeting.

Mr. Lambert proposed, and Mr. Coles, seconded: -
"That Mr. John E. Hagell be appointed to take stock on the 30th September next, at same remuneration as last year, viz £ 5 =.

Mr. O'Donohoe proposed, and Mr. Lewis, seconded

"That the appointment of stocktaker be advertised."

Mr. Lambert's proposal was adopted by 22 votes to 4.

Mr. Brady Murray proposed, and Mr. O'Donohoe seconded: -

"That in future the appointment of stocktaker be advertised."

"Passed."

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The following motion was handed in: —

"I will move ~~that a sum be given to each Guardian~~ that Mr. Patrick Gormally's application to be awarded the largest superannuation allowance permissible, will be considered on the 24th October.

(Signed) John Nevell.

Ordered — That a spare office adjoining the Boardroom be utilised by Mr. Gormally for work under the Old Age Pension Act.

consideration of remaining business was adjourned to next meeting.

The master reported that on the requisition of the Medical officer he sent two children to Dublin for treatment in charge of the Porter at the expense of £2.

"approved"

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of Sept 1908.

(Signed) John Gormally
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 12th day of September 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 421

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 _____ 190 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-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	...	...	£ _____

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

Ordered — That the Clerk write to the Local Govt. Board, in reference to minutes of 15th August 1908, purporting to appoint Mrs M. McConolly, as district Nurse for Kinvara, and state that on the 1st August this lady applied for the appointment, but her application was refused on the grounds that she was not properly qualified, and it was decided to advertise again.

Extracts from Minutes of the 1st and 15th August to be sent to the Local Govt. Board, and that they be requested not to sanction this appointment.

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

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

Blank lines for reporting districts.

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

Patrick Lambert
Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of Sept 1908.

(Signed) John Gormally
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901—14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £43,526.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of Sept 1908.

Table with columns: Number of inmates, Accommodation, Age groups (Able-bodied, Infirm, Boys/Girls, Children, Infants), RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, and CASUALS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and various medical treatments.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 19th day of Sept 1908 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: Relief Districts, Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for Nos. I through X and a Total row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of Sept 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair—Mr. Patrick Lambert.

Other Guardians—

- Members: J. W. Brady, Murray, M. S. Burke, Wearr, J. Cahill, J. Callanan, M. Coen, J. Connolly, J. P. Corker, J. Cunningham, T. Fahy, M. Feeney, R. P. Flaherty, J. Hill, J. Keadd, C. Higgins, P. Keely, J. Lally, P. Lewis, M. Linnane, P. Linnane, M. Naughton, J. Newell, J. Nelly, P. J. Nolan, J. Doone, Lawrence O'Donnell, Michael O'Donnell, Martin O'Donnell, J. O'Neill, P. O'Shaughnessy, J. Quinn, P. Ryan, O'Sweeney, M. Sannian + M. O'Donohoe.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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 required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

1040 lbs. W Bread
 60 .. B ..
 100 .. Meat
 50 lbs milk
 600 Eggs
 2 cwt Salt
 112 lbs Flour
 56 .. Butter
 3 1/2 .. Tobacco

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(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 12th day of September 1908.

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

TABLE (a).

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

Nil

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.:-			1
Provisions and Necessaries	47	9	3
Clothing and Bedding		15	10
Establishment:-			
(a) Salaries	2	.	.
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	6	5	11
(d) Other Expenses	9	16	8
Workhouse Burials	13	5	3
District School Account			
District Hospital Account	5	7	.
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	2	19	2
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	1	3	8
Medical Charities	16	16	.
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	2	11	6
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees	35	15	.
Repayment of Loans	15	.	.
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
<i>Petty Cash Expenditure £ 25. 14. 2.</i>			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	127	15	6
	152	15	6

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

August 1908

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	308	13	.	67	3	.
Total Sums received during the month	308	13	.	67	3	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	127	1	4			
Total	127	1	4			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	181	11	8	67	3	.
RECONCILEMENT						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	311	16	2	67	3	.
Outstanding Orders	130	4	6			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	181	11	8	67	3	.

Dated this *15th* day of *Sept^r* 1908.

John F. Gormally
Acting Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the *26* day of *September* 1908.

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

Indoor from No. *4600* to No. *4720*
Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____
Out-door ,, No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

1. The Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ended Saturday, the *19* day of *September*, 1908, 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 ...	29	17	.	20	14	11	50	11	11							23	18		26	13	11	1016
Necessaries ...	136	21	.				136	21								3	14	10	132	7	3	
Total ...	165	19	1	20	14	11	186	14								27	12	10	159	1	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ = : 3 : 3¹/₂

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 Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of September 1908, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. <i>Formally</i>			R.O. <i>Leech</i>									TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	21	5	5	18	4	2							39	19	7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...															
3. Total to be accounted for	21	5	5	18	4	2							39	19	7
EXPENDITURE:—															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money...	7	2	6	3	15	6							10	18	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...			10	6		3	9							14	3
7. Total Relief given ...	7	13		3	19	3							11	12	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	13	12	5	16	14	11							28	7	4
9. Total ...	21	5	5	19	14	2							39	19	7

Dated this 26 day of Sept 1908

.....Clerk of Union.

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:—

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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:—

Submitted notification of transfer from County Fund of £525, being balance of second instalment of demand to 31st March 1909.

Proposed by Mr. Corless, seconded by Mr. Lambert, and Resolved:—

"That we the members of the Govt Board of Guardians express our strongest condemnation of the contemptible and intolerant action of Mr. Asquith, Prime Minister of England, in interfering with the procession organised in connection with the Eucharistic Congress, and that we look upon his conduct as a great insult to the Roman Catholics, not only of England, but of all the world.

D. M. McCormack & D. Foley 3 Oct 08

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 22nd inst, sanctioning a sum of £5. to Mr. Hazell for his services in taking and valuing stock in the Workhouse for the current half year.

The following notice of motion was handed in:—

"I will move on this day fortnight, that the resolution passed on 25th April declining to contribute towards the maintenance of Patt. Gloran's child in the Deaf and Dumb Hospital, be reconsidered, and that the Board further contribute for another year."

(Signed) James Headd.

Three applications were received for the position of Porter of the Workhouse, viz. Thomas Hanly, John Fahy, and Michael Gallagher.

Mr Lewis, proposed, and Mr. Flaherty, seconded:—

That Thomas Hanly be appointed.

Mr. Headd proposed, and Mr. Corkes, seconded:—

That John Fahy be appointed

Mr. Higgins proposed, and Mr. Lambert, seconded:—

That Michael Gallagher be appointed.

On a poll being taken Michael Gallagher received 13 votes, Thomas Hanly 12, and John Fahy 11.

The lowest having dropped out the final poll was as follows:—

For Michael Gallagher	21
For Thomas Hanly	15

The Chairman declared Michael Gallagher duly elected Porter of the Workhouse.

The following was the voting on the final poll.

For Michael Gallagher — Messrs. Burke, Callanan, Connolly, Corkes, Feeney, Gill, Headd, Higgins, B. Keely, Lally, P. Linnane, Newell, Kelly, Lawrence, O'Donnell, Michael O'Donnell, Martin O'Donnell, O'Neill, Quinn, Ryan, Tannian and the Chairman — 21.

For Thomas Hanly —

Messrs

Messrs Brady, Murray Cahill, Carr, Esen, Cunningham,
 Fahey, Flaherty, Lewis, M. Linnane, Naughton
 Nildan, Noone, O'Donohue, O'Shaughnessy & Sweeney. (15)

Resolved - That Michael Gallagher come into the
 Porter's office daily for training until his appointment
 is sanctioned by the Local Govt. Board, and that
 he be allowed rations during this time same as
 Porter receives.

Ordered - That Potatoes be used in the dietary same
 as in previous years, the Medical Officer approving.

Ordered - That the boy Thomas Ward, having returned
 to Workhouse from James Keane Keasbey with whom
 he was hired out, be now hired out with Martin
 Forde of Derrygoon, on previous conditions.

Resolutions of Bookstown and Killarney Guardians
 were adopted.

The adjourned application of the Matron to allow
 a small salary to the Laundress, was next considered
 and the following order was made: -

That Maryanne Hynes, be appointed Laundress
 at a salary of £5 per annum, with rations, for one
 year

Ordered — That the rations allowed to the
Laundress be the same as those received by
the Wardenmistress and Workmistress.

The Master reported that he lodged to credit of the Union
a sum of £23. 11. 0, in maintenance, &c. &c.

Ordered — Admit to Workhouse the two children
of Pat Burke, Roveagh.

Thomas French's tender c £9. 15. 0, was accepted
for plumbing work in the Workhouse, to 30
Sept 1909.

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, and as
the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 10th
day of October 1908.

(Signed) *Angela Burt*
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a
Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 26th day of September 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Lambert.

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 641

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 _____ 190 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-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	...	...	£ _____

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

Read letter from Local Govt. Board, dated 22nd inst, forwarding copy of report received from their Medical Inspector. Sir Acheson Macbullaigh, on his inspection of the dispensary districts of the Union.

The following matters require consideration:—

Boat dispensary district— List of instruments provided for dispensary use not forwarded to the clerk of Union. No register has been sent to the midwife.

Ordered— Supply a new register.

Adrahan Dispensary District— Adrahan dispensary requires lime-washing. No sanitary conveniences for patients use at Peterswell and Lavally depots. Roof of dispensary residence requires attention.

Ordered— Request Dr. Foley to have the dispensary lime-washed and the walls recoloured.
Dr Foley 28 6/10 08

Adrahan boat— No arrangements made by Guardians for examination of dispensary books; and medical officers dispensary records are not examined. Midwives register not produced for inspection.

Ordered— Book was at Workhouse for inspection at the time of Sir Acheson Macbullaigh's visit.

Ordered— Pay Mrs Kelleher 30/- for caring Peterswell Dispensary from 7th December 07 to 1st October 1908.

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

WAL Sc. (London), F.I.C.,
Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S.,
Public Analyst,
OFFICE

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, Sept 23 1905

3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Quirk
Ward Dispensary, and received by me on 17.9. 1905
Drugs received in Stock 8.9 1905
Report Signed 20.9 1905
I the Samples as specified below, with the following results all genuine

	Standards.
1. Specific Gravity of <u>Liq. Plumbi Subst. at 20°C</u>	
1.2765	1.275
grammes in 100 c.c.	
17 cc $\frac{N}{10}$ H_2SO_4	17
volume	
is genuine.	
2. Specific Gravity of <u>Liq. Quinacrine base</u>	
0.976	0.9766 0.980
0.40 grammes in 100 c.c.	0.25
" " "	18.5
volume 21.43	
is genuine.	
3. Specific Gravity of <u>Liq. Ammon. Acet</u>	
1.017	
grammes in 100 c.c.	
" " "	
volume	
is genuine.	

were carefully put up and labelled in accordance with the Local Government Board's instructions.

Signed, W. D. P. F. I. C.

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

Submitted letter from Local Govt. Board dated 18th inst, relative to the appointment of Mrs. Dr. F. Connolly, as Midwife of the Kinvara Dispensary District, and requesting to be informed whether advertisements were issued in pursuance of the Guardians order of 1st ultimo, inviting applications for the post of Midwife, and if so whether Mrs Connolly's application for the office was received in answer to such advertisements.

Ordered — Advertisements for a Nurse for Kinvara District were published in the Irish Times, Freeman, and Independent of 5th August, and Poor Law Journal of 6th August in pursuance of the Guardians order of 1st August. Mrs Connolly's application was received in answer to such advertisements. Copy of advertisement herewith.

Read letter from Dr. Foley, stating that 3 slates were required on the roof of the dispensary Residence, Ardahan, which he got replaced. Part of the ceiling came down from leakage. The dispensary requires painting internally, it is eleven years since it was last done.

Ordered — The Guardians agree to pay cost of slates and repairs to the roof, but they think the agreement includes interior painting by the Medical Officer himself.

Dr. Foley, 28 Sep 08

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 required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

- 11 30 lbs W. Bread
- 70 .. B ..
- 65 .. Beef
- 50 .. Mutton
- 90 Gals Milk
- 2 cwt Sugar
- 300 Eggs
- 44 lbs Butter
- 3 .. Tobacco
- 30 st. Potatoes

FORM 14

(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the.....day of.....190.....

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).				£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—						
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment:—						
(a) Salaries			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door 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 ended the last day of

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

Dated this 10th day of Oct. 1908

Angela Burt
Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 10th day of October 1908.

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

Indoor from No. 4720 to No. 4820
Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____
Out-door ,, No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

1. The Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of October, 1908, 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.
Provisions	21	29		7	19		7	29	24							13	12	9	15	6	7	978
Necessaries	128	10	11				128	10	11							2	5	11	12	6	5	
Total	149	138		7	19		7	157	13	3						15	18	8	14	1	14	7

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 3 : 6
Average Cost in Infirmary ... £ : 4 : 11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... £ : : :

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

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

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

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

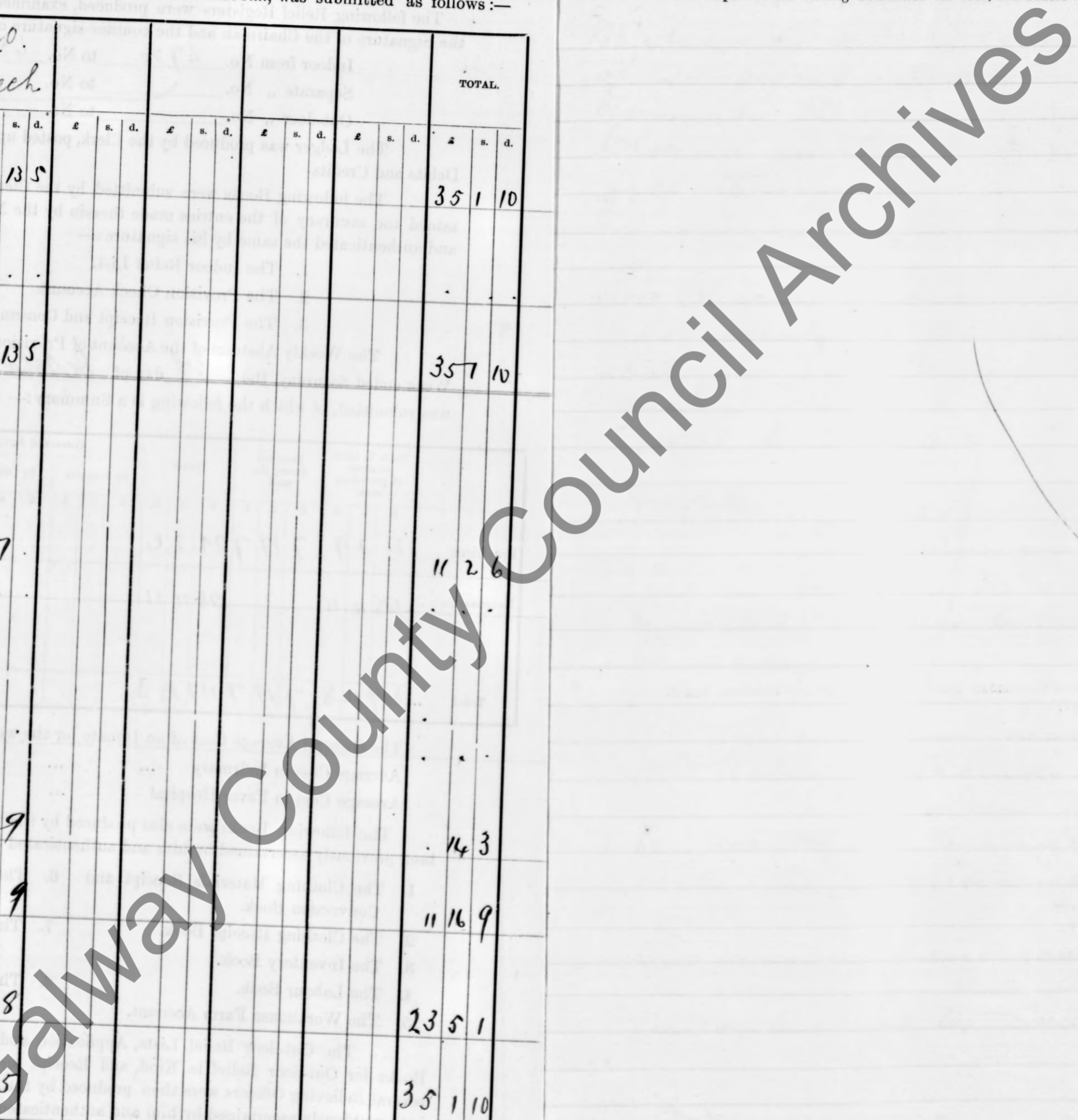
The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of October 1908, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. Gomally			R.O. Leech												TOTAL					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	20	8	5	14	13	5													35	1	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																					
3. Total to be accounted for	20	8	5	14	13	5													35	7	10
EXPENDITURE:—																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money...	7	5	6	3	1	7													11	2	6
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		10	6		3	9														14	3
7. Total Relief given ...	7	16		4	9														11	16	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	12	12	5	10	12	8													23	5	1
9. Total ...	20	8	5	14	13	5													35	1	10

Dated this 10 day of October 1908.
Amey Quib Clerk of Union.

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:—

Mr Stead's motion to rescind a resolution of 25th April declining to contribute towards the maintenance of Patrick Cloran in the Deaf & Dumb Institute, fell through.

Sir Charles Cameron reported that he has analysed 20 samples of tea, & that no 19 (Daniel M^o Inerney) is best. Nos 3 6 9 & 20 are practically equal to no 19

Mr O'Donnell proposed & Mr Thompson seconded "That sample (no 19) of tea sent in by Dan M^o Inerney being reported by Sir C Cameron as the best, be accepted"

An amendment was proposed by Mr Kelly & seconded by Mr Burke "That Dan M^o Inerney's tender, not being in accordance with the advertisement, be not accepted"

The amendment was defeated by 14 votes to 6, and the resolution adopted on the same voting.

Dr Moran Medical Officer of the Workhouse & Govt Dispensary District was allowed a fortnight's leave of absence on private business, during which Dr Dowling

will discharge his duties without extra cost to the rates.

Read letter from Monsignor Fahy, R.C. Chaplain, calling attention to the fact that on Sunday, 29th Sep., a considerable number of externs were admitted to hear Mass in the Workhouse Chapel; this, he submits, was in itself a grave irregularity and he believes it is against law & custom.

Read letter from The Master stating in explanation that he was requested by Mr P J Hayes P.L.G. (letter submitted) to permit 8 or 10 members of the Peterswell Hurling Club to attend Mass in the Workhouse Chapel on that morning. These men were going to Sligo by excursion train to play a match there and as they had no other opportunity of hearing Mass he had no hesitation in giving his consent. It has always been the custom of those intending to travel by early excursion trains, as well as in other emergencies, to avail themselves of the early Mass in the Workhouse.

Ordered - "The Board approve of the Master's action in admitting externs to the Workhouse Chapel under the circumstances, especially as he acted on the request of the Guardian of the District from which these men came" D. Fahy 13 Oct 08

The following tenders were accepted:-

Mrs. M.A. Burke - Irish Brown Soap @ $2\frac{3}{6}$ cwt.

Martin Coen - Whitewash brushes $2\frac{9}{12}$ doz
Sweeping do $2\frac{9}{12}$ "
Cement $2\frac{1}{3}$ cwt.
Boiled Oil $2\frac{1}{6}$ gal.
Timber - prices in tender

Mich. Deely - Paraffin Oil @ 8^0 per gal.
Eye Basins 6 each
Lamp Wicks $1\frac{1}{6}$ lb
Sweet Oil $2\frac{1}{6}$ gal.

Mrs. J.N. Glynn Galv. Buckets - $1\frac{1}{8}$ & $2\frac{1}{2}$ each
Wash Buckets $8\frac{1}{2}$ "
Galv do $1\frac{1}{6}$ & $1\frac{1}{9}$ "
Cut Nails $2\frac{1}{2}$ & $2\frac{1}{6}$ lb.
Whiting 4 stone

George Gibbs Nails @ half price

Men Hogan Outdoor coping for the
Kilwarra District, 6 feet
& over (if required) $13\frac{1}{2}$ inches deep,
by 1 inch scantlings @ $1\frac{1}{12}$ each

The Stockholder submitted his enumeration
& valuation of the stock of Clothing,
Bedding, Provisions, Farm & Borial
on 30 Sep., and recommended that the
following worn out articles of clothing
be cancelled viz:-

37 Pillow Slips, 43 Sheets & Blankets, 15 Rugs
 5 Straw ticks, 10 Straw Bolders, 7 mattresses
 5 mens Jackets, 4 vests, 16 Trowsers, 37 shirts
~~37~~ 7 pair shoes, 31 socks, 16 caps, 6 drawers
 15 f. vests.
 24 Womens frocks, 4 Under petticoats, 6 upper do,
 38 Chemises, 30 aprons 3 H.chiefs, 5 pair shoes
 14 stockings, 2 shawls.
 4 Boys Jackets, 1 Vest, 7 trowsers, 19 shirts,
 6 pair socks,
 14 Girls frocks, 6 petticoats, 22 chemises,
 19 Bibs 7 pair boots.

Ordered - Above articles are hereby cancelled
 Any pieces useful for patching to
 be taken out & remainder sold

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY. the 24th
 day of October 1908.

(Signed) [Signature]
 Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

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

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

Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 10th day of October 1908

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

See Members Present Folio 461

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 _____ 190 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-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	...	...	£ _____

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

Miss Mulkerin Nurse of Gort Dispensary District was allowed three days leave of absence during which the Medical Officer will discharge her duties

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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, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

Cydrahan	31 defaulters
Gort	17
Kurvara	33

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

R O Gormally to serve usual notice of remuneration of 3/6, 1/6, & 3/6, per list, respectively.

Michael J Donnell

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 24th day of October 1908.

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901-14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £43526 : 17 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of October 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.						Children above 5 and under 15 years of age.	Infants under 5 years of age.	TOTAL.	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	729	140													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	51	-													
TOTAL	780	140													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			13	15	31	44	3	1	13	5	7	6	138	27	
Admitted during the Week ..			3	2	2	1	1						26	35	8
Born															
TOTAL			16	17	33	44	4	2	13	5	7	32	173	27	8
Discharged during the Week ..			2	1			1						29	33	
Died															
Total Discharged and Died ..			2	1			1						29	33	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE ..			14	16	33	44	3	2	13	5	7	3	140		152

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 17 day of October 1908, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts.	Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief Districts.	Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.	116	141			116	141	No. VI.						
No. II.							No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							Total,	116	141			116	141

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 24th day of October 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair- Mr. M. O'Donnell

- Other Guardians:-
- Messrs M. S. Burke, W. Carr, J. Cunningham, R. P. Flaherty, F. Hill, G. Higgins, B. Keely, P. Kelly, P. Lewis, M. Lunnant, P. F. Nolan, J. Doone, Laurence O'Donnell, P. O'Shaughnessy, J. Quinn, P. Ryan, M. Tannian, P. Welch, J. Headd, M. Feeney, J. O'Neill, Mr. O'Donnell, J. O'Neill and Mr. O'Donohol and James W. Brady - Murray.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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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 required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

976 lbs. W. Bread
 36 .. B ..
 100 .. Meat
 50 kals Milk
 1 cwt Rice
 540 Eggs
 50 lbs Butter
 160 st. Potatoes
 224 lbs Bacon
 3½ .. Tobacco

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FORM 14
(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 10th day of October 1908

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

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...	525	-	-
Repayment of Relief	2	2	10
Rents of Dispensary Residences	Ad		
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	31	14	6
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	558	17	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....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:-	52.13.0 ✓				
(a) Salaries	7.10.0 ✓		19	13	.
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	7.36.10 ✓		22	18	9
(c) Farm	...		76	15	.
(d) Other Expenses	...		61	15	7
Workhouse Burials	...				
District School Account	...				
District Hospital Account	...				
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	3	10	.	
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	87.1.6 ✓	47	3	5	
Medical Charities	20.12.2 ✓	162	4	9	
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	31.13.1 ✓				
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	2.2.18.0 ✓	3	19	.	
Superannuation Allowances	...	12	18	4	
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers	...				
Expenses of Local Committees	Cash in lieu of Rations	7	16	.	
Repayment of Loans	...	15	.	6	
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	...	60	.	.	
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...				
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	149	11	5	
Expenditure out of Loans	Petty Cash	50	.	.	
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	869	5	9	

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

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SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	181	11	8	67	3	.
Total Sums received during the month	558	17	4			
Total	740	9	.	67	3	.
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	869	5	9			
Total	869	5	9			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	128	16	9			
RECONCILEMENT						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	444	9	4	67	3	.
Outstanding Orders	573	6	1			
Net Balance as above due by the Union	128	16	9	67	3	.

Dated this 12 day of Oct. 1908

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65. 10. 9*

Wm J. Bull
Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 24. day of October 1908.

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

Indoor from No. 4820 to No. 4900

Separate ,, No. 6 to No. 6

Out-door ,, No. 654 to No. 675

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 ended Saturday, the 17 day of October, 1908, 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.		
Provisions	28	16	3	23	6	3	52	2	6				25	9	27	1	9	963
Necessaries	120	3	7	5	3	4	125	6	11				5	15	11			
Total	148	19	10	28	9	7	177	8	17				30	16	38	1	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ = : 3 : 9 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary £ = : 5 : 3
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ = : :

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of October 1908, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. Gonnally			R.O. Leech												TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	14	5	1	11	2										6	5	7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	30			20												40		
3. Total to be accounted for	24	14	5	21	11	2										46	5	7
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	7	7	6	3	17											11	14	6
In Kind ...																		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		10	6	3	9												14	3
7. Total Relief given ...	7	18		4		9										11	18	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	16	16	5	17	10	5										34	6	10
9. Total ...	24	16	5	21	11	2										46	5	7

Dated this 24th day of October 1908.

Angela Burt
Clerk of Union.

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:—

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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:—

Submitted letter from Local Govt Board dated 12th inst. No 53771 - approving of the appointment on probation for a period of two months, of Mr Michael Gallagher as Porter of the Workhouse.

From same dated 22nd inst requesting that the Relieving Officer may be asked to say whether the services of Thomas Ward whom it is proposed to hire out with Mr Martin Fords are not worth much more than £3 a year Ordered - The R.O thinks the payment sufficient

Proposed by Mr P. J. Milau, Seconded by Mr. J. Donnell
Resolved:—

That we the members of the Govt Board of Guardians desire to take this early opportunity of assuring the Rt Rev^d Monsignor Fahy that in approving of the Master's action at our last meeting in connection with the admittance of externs to the Workhouse Mass on the previous Sunday we did not mean to be in any way discourteous or disrespectful. We recognise in Dr Fahy a Priest of the highest possible qualities and if anything was said in the heat of the moment which

which might be considered objectionable we withdraw it and tender D. Fahy this expression of our sorrow & regret.

Capt. W. D. Fahy 27 Oct 08

The Guardians having considered ~~the~~ after due notice to each member, the question of Superannuating the late Porter of the Workhouse, it was Proposed by Mr. None, seconded by Mr. Mich. Lunnane, and :-

Unanimously Resolved :-

"That Mr. Patrick Gormally be awarded a superannuation allowance of £42 per annum."

Read letter from Local Gov Board dated 12th inst - No 26792 - approving of payment of remuneration for preparation of the Parliamentary Return respecting Poor Relief in the year ended 31 March last viz :- Clerk £7, Master £7 and a sum of £6 to the Relieving Officers to be distributed approximately in proportion to the number of names on their lists.

Ordered - That Paddy Lyons and wife be discharged on Monday week

Read letters from Mr. McGarry offering the name of Mr. John Grogan as security for Don M^o Dineen's contract for supply of tea in substitution for Mr. P. J. Milan, and (2) requesting authority to deliver ^{now} the full quantity estimated to be required to 30th Sep 1909.

Read letter from Mrs. M. A. Burke stating that the boy (Don M^o Dineen) who was awarded the tea contract is as yet a minor whose tender cannot be accepted; and she, herself, applies for the contract as her sample is only fractionally less in soluble matter and her tender is filled in compliance with the advertisement.

Mr. L. O'Donnell proposed & Mr. Carr seconded that Mr. J. Grogan be accepted as surety for the tea contract, instead of Mr. P. J. Milan.

Mr. Brady Murray proposed and Mr. Stead seconded. - That new advertisements be issued.

The Chairman refused to accept the amendment without notice, and the original motion was passed.

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Mr M Inerney was granted permission to supply the full quantity of tea required to 30 Sep 1909 in one delivery.

The Master was allowed two days leave of absence during which the Matron will discharge his duties

Clothing not to exceed 15/- each was allowed for boarded out children Peter Carroll and Thomas Reynolds.

On the Medical Officers recommendation an inmate ^{named Nora Quill} was ordered to be sent to the Royal Victoria Hospital, and 20/- travelling expenses allowed.

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of November 1908.

(Signed) *Imley Burt*
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 24 day of October 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 481

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 _____ 190 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-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	...	...	£

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

Read letter from Local Gov Board dated 16th inst approving of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of Medical Officer of the Workhouse & Port Droghda District during Dr. Moran's absence on leave.

From same requesting to be furnished with the certificates in medical and surgical nursing and in midwifery granted to Mrs M. J. Connolly who was appointed midwife of the Kinnvara Dispensary District.

Ordered - Apply to Mrs Connolly for these documents, and also for her substitutes certificates.

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OFFICE HOURS—10 TO 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, Oct 21 1905

fluids.

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Gort
Union Gort Dispensary, and received by me on 14. 10 1905
Drugs received in Stock 30. 9 - 1905
Report Signed 21. 10. 1905

I have examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results all genuine

Standards.

Name of Medicine *Liquor Buchu*
Specific Gravity 0.932 0.930 to 0.935
Extract 4.22 grammes in 100 c.c. 3.5
Alkaloids " " " 55
Alcohol by volume 59.97

Observations *Genuine*
Name of Medicine *Vin Spicac*
Specific Gravity 0.9925 0.99 to 1.00
Extract 3.88 grammes in 100 c.c. 3
Alkaloids 0.11 " " " 0.1 to 0.1125
Alcohol by volume 22.83 16

Observations *Genuine*
Name of Medicine *Liq Iodine Gort*
Specific Gravity 1.022 1.017 to 1.023
Extract *Iodine* 12.17 grammes in 100 c.c. 11.5
Alkaloids " " " 70
Alcohol by volume 72.45

Observations *Genuine*

These Samples were carefully put up and labelled in accordance with the
Local Government Board's instructions.

Signed, *Walter Thorp FIC*

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ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, Oct 21. 1905

Fluids.

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from York
Workhouse Dispensary, and received by me on 15.10. 1905
Drugs received in Stock 30.9. 1905
Report Signed 21.10. 1905

I have examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results.

		Standards.
Name	Name of Medicine <u>Sp. Chloroformi</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.867</u>	<u>0.864 to 0.871</u>
Extract	<u>CHCl₃ 8.91</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	
Alkaloids	<u>1% by weight</u>	<u>8.25</u>
Alcohol	Alcohol by volume	
Observations	<u>genuine.</u>	
Name	Name of Medicine <u>Le Germain Co</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.965</u>	<u>0.965 to 0.970</u>
Extract	<u>6.30</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	<u>4.9</u>
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol	Alcohol by volume <u>42.2</u>	<u>41</u>
Observations	<u>genuine</u>	
Name	Name of Medicine <u>Med. Sennae Co</u>	
Specific Gravity		
Extract		grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol	Alcohol by volume	
Observations	<u>Broken in part</u>	

The Samples were carefully put up and labelled in accordance with the
Local Government Board's instructions.

Signed, Walter Thorp F.C.S.

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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, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.

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

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

John Young

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of November 1908.

(Signed) *Doyley Bue*
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901—14201. Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526 : 17 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of October 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.							Aged and Infirm persons and Adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 3 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 3 years of age.	TOTAL.	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	729	142																		
Temporary Buildings																				
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	-																		
TOTAL	780	142																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	18	34	44	3	2	13	5	7	12	132	28						
Admitted during the Week			1	1	3	1						1	38							
Born																				
TOTAL			15	19	37	44	4	2	13	5	8	50	28							
Discharged during the Week			2	2	2			1				1	67							
Died																				
Total Discharged and Died			2	2	2			1				1	67							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			13	17	35	44	4	1	13	5	7	3	142							

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 31st day of October 1908, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts.	Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief Districts.	Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
No. I.	117	146			117	146	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							Total,	117	146			117	146

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of November 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair—
Other Guardians—

no meeting: No Guardians attending

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 required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

882 lbs W. Bread
 36 .. B ..
 61 .. Beef ..
 44 .. Mutton ..
 91 Sals Misch ..
 660 Eggs ..
 2500 .. Potatoes ..
 54 lbs Butter ..
 3½ .. Tobacco ..

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FORM 14
(Article 7.)

TABLE I.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the.....day of.....190.....

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).				£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:-						
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment:-						
(a) Salaries			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door 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 ended the last day of

19

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

Dated this..... day of.....190

Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the...^{7th}...day of...November...1908.

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____

Out-door ,, No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

1. The Indoor Relief List.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of October, 1908, 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	31	13	4	20	3	4	57	16	8				26	1	11	25	7	9	10	10
Necessaries	113	14	6				113	14	6				57	5	70	10	7	18	8	
Total	145	7	10	20	3	4	165	7	12				31	17	9	13	3	13	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 3 : 7
 Average Cost in Infirmary £ : 4 : 10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ : .. : ..

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of November 1908, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. Arnall			R.O. Leech									TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	8	17	11	13	9	8							21	7	7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...															
3. Total to be accounted for	8	17	11	13	9	8							21	7	7
EXPENDITURE:—															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money...	7	8		3	17								11	5	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility			5	4											5
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...			10	6		3	9								14
7. Total Relief given ...	8	3	10	4		9							12	4	7
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...			14	1	9	4	11								1
9. Total ...	8	17	11	13	9	8							13	7	7

Dated this 7th day of November 1908...
Mrs J. Quirk Clerk of Union.

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:—

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GORT UNION.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 7th day of November 1908.

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 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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 21st day of November 1908.

(Signed) John Donnelly, Acting Clerk of the Union.

John J. Gormally
Acting Clerk of Union

21st

November 8