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- 1000 lbs Bread
- 100 .. Meat
- 60 kals Milk
- 600 Eggs
- 56 lbs Butter
- 80 .. Bacon
- 3 1/2 .. Tobacco

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	...	...	...			
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above</b>	...	...	...			

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)	...	...	...			
<b>RECONCILEMENT</b>						
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...<sup>13<sup>th</sup></sup> day of...<sup>March</sup> 190<sup>9</sup>.

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. 540 to No. 600

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 6<sup>th</sup> day of March, 190<sup>9</sup>, 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	78	11 9	25	6 3	103	18 "					27	29	76	14 3	1102
Necessaries	29	.	3	11	29	3 11					5	7 1	23	16 10	
<b>Total</b>	107	11 9	28	10 2	135	1 11					32	9 10	100	11 1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 3 : 6  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. £ 5 : =  
 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 13th day of March 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. Gormaly			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 ...	19	15	9	6	..	5										25	16	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	"	.	.										.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for	19	15	9	6	..	5										25	16	2
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	6	16	6	3	14	6										10	11	..
In Kind ...	.	.	.	.	.	.										.	.	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	.	.	.	.	.										.	.	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	12	.	.	3	9	.								.	15	9	.
7. Total Relief given ...	7	8	6	3	18	3										11	6	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	12	7	3	2	2	2										14	9	5
9. Total ...	19	15	9	6	..	5										25	16	2

Dated this 13th day of March 1909.

.....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:—

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 1st inst, sanctioning payment of £5. to Mr. John E. Hazell, for his services as Stocktaker in the Workhouse, for the half-year ending 31st inst.

From same dated 8th inst, stating the Guardians have no means of making persons who are in receipt of Old Age Pensions contribute towards their maintenance in Hospital, as the Pensioner must have some other property besides the Pension before the Guardians could legally recover for same.

From same dated 8th inst, sanctioning the ~~sum~~ payment of a sum of £5=, for the teaching of Irish in the Workhouse School, for a period of one year.

Ordered — that Mr. O'Brien, Irish Teacher, begin forthwith to instruct the children in the Irish Language, and that he spend the same time in such instruction as he devotes to Rational Schools. The Guardians wish to make it clear that the allowance of £5 for a year's teaching ~~that a proportionate part of the £5 shall be paid for the~~ means a school term ending in July next.

A letter from Mary Bunniff, Jarvin, Oranmore, applying for the position of Irish Teacher was marked "Read"

The Matron wrote stating she required two pieces of Oxford Shirting  
 Ordered —

Master to procure a standard sample of Irish Shirting, and tenders to be invited accordingly.

The Master reported that a timber paling is required in the Farmyard c about 157<sup>5</sup>/<sub>12</sub>  
 Ordered —

Master to put up fence.

That the remainder of the coal ought to be taken into stock. —  
 "Apply to contractor"

That Mr. Donovan having agreed to do the brick work in connection with fixing of new Boiler, he engaged him in accordance with the terms of his tender. —

"Approved."

The inmates were allowed the usual St. Patrick's Day dinner.

Read letter from Secretary of the County Council, respecting the arrears of rates struck off, and carried forward, in the Gort and Kinvara collecting districts of the Union.

Proposed by Mr. Nolan, seconded by Mr. Lambert, and Resolved:

"That we, the Gort Board of Guardians confirm our resolution of 19th June. We have been labouring under no misapprehension regarding the irrecoverable arrears carried into the collectors warrants against recipients of out door relief, and persons having no visible means in the towns of Gort and Kinvara a list of which we submit for cancellation to the County Council, as it is most irregular to embarrass the collectors in complying with the Public Bodies Order by the re-lodgment of irrecoverable rates accumulated to the class of persons described."

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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 13<sup>th</sup> day of March 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

*See Guardians Present Folio 161*

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 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1909.

(Signed) [Signature]  
Clerk of the Union





[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.:-

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

*James G. [unclear]*

**Galway County**

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of March 1909

(Signed) [Signature]  
Clerk of the Union.

**GORT UNION.**

Population in 1901— 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526 : 17 : 2

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

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.								RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.				Observations.
			Males.		Females.		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age.		Boys and Girls below 15 years of age.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse	729	153													
Temporary Buildings															
Permanent Fever Hospital	51														
TOTAL	780	153													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	19	40	41	3	11	6	7	8	158	34		
Admitted during the Week			3	1								58	64		
Born												1	1		
TOTAL			26	20	41	41	3	11	6	8	66	223			
Discharged during the Week			10	1	1	1						53	66		
Died					2								2		
Total Discharged and Died			10	1	3	1						53	68		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	19	38	40	3	11	6	8	13	153			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th 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 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.	109	127			109	127	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							Total,	109	127			109	127

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of March 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

*No Meeting, a quorum not attending*

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

Done G. Campbell  
 Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of March 1909.

(Signed) Imphrey Bush  
 Clerk of the Union.

**GORT UNION.**

Population in 1901— 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526 : 17 : 2

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of March 1909.

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 6 and under 9 years of age.		Children under 6 years of age.		Infants under 3 years of age.		CASUALS.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		Observations.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Children above 6 and under 9 years of age.	Children under 6 years of age.	Infants under 3 years of age.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.											
Workhouse .. .. .	729	155																						
Temporary Buildings .. .																								
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	51	-																						
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>		<b>780</b>	<b>155</b>																					
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			23	19	40	41	3		11	6	7	8	158	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards.	34	In separate Wards.								
Admitted during the Week ..			3	1									58	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital.		In Wards with other inmates.	8							
Born .. .. .													1											
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>			<b>26</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>TOTAL.</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>TOTAL.</b>								
Discharged during the Week ..			10	1	1	1							53											
Died .. .. .					2								2											
<b>Total Discharged and Died ..</b>			<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>68</b>											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE ..			16	19	38	40	3	1	11	6	8	13	155	No. at corresponding period last year.	158									

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 20th 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 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.	109	127			109	127	No. VI.						
No. II.							No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							Total,	109	127			109	127

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 27th day of March 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians —

*No Meeting, a quorum not 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:—

1000 lbs W. Bread  
100 " Meat  
60 Gals Milk  
600 Eggs  
1 Doz Porter  
1 st Flour  
60 lbs B. Bread  
3 .. Tobacco  
40 Tons Coals

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FORM 14

(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 13<sup>th</sup> 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, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...	525	6	.
Repayment of Relief ... ..	14	8	2
Rents of Dispensary Residences ... ..			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ... ..	.	6	.
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ... ..	3	19	4
Loans Received ... ..			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above ... ..	535	13	6

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	43	15	4
Clothing and Bedding	12	2	5
Establishment:-			
(a) Salaries			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	89	5	9
(d) Other Expenses	5	9	11
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	19	12	2
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	2	4	6
Medical Charities	21	9	3
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	35	15	.
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	20	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>

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

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	132	4	7			
Total Sums received during the month	535	13	6			
<b>Total</b>	<b>667</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	147	3	0			
<b>Total</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>.</b>			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	520	15	1			
<b>RECONCILEMENT</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer	673	13	2			
Outstanding Orders	152	18	1			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	520	15	1			

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1904

*Ernest Burt*  
Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 1904.

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. 540 to No. 690

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 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1904, 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	72	11	5	27	6	99	11	11								98	13	1	70	18	10	1079
Necessaries	18	5	10			18	5	10								5	11		12	14	10	
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>								<b>34</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 3:9  
 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 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	Ro Gonnally			Rof. Leech												TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	32	18	11	18	1	11										51	19	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																		
3. Total to be accounted for	32	18	11	18	1	11										51	19	10
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	7	3		3	16											10	19	
In Kind ...																		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		12			39												15	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	15		3	19	9										11	14	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	25	3	11	14	2	11										39	6	1
9. Total ...	32	18	11	18	1	11										51	19	10

Dated this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 1909.  
John Gonnally Acting 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 27th day of March 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 181

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 10th day of April 1909.

(Signed) John Gormally  
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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 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	...	...	£

**ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,**  
57 GEORGE STREET,  
Limerick, \_\_\_\_\_ 1909

London, F.I.C.,  
London, F.C.S.,  
Analyst.

Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from \_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary, and received by me on \_\_\_\_\_ 1909  
 Drugs received in Stock \_\_\_\_\_ 1909  
 Report Signed \_\_\_\_\_ 1909

the Samples as specified below, with the following results:

	Standards.
Medicine <i>Mercuric Chloride</i>	
Gravity 1.115	1.116 to 1.12
23.56 grammes in 100 c.c.	22
" " "	
by volume 10.35	9
Specific Gravity <i>Specific</i>	
Medicine <i>Sp. Benzoin Aromat.</i>	
0.893	0.885 to 0.893
2.35 grammes in 100 c.c.	2.16
" " "	
by volume 68.65	
Specific Gravity <i>Specific</i>	
Medicine <i>Sp. Chloroform</i>	
Gravity 0.868	0.864 to 0.870
8.83 grammes in 100 c.c.	8.25
" " "	
by volume 87.5	86
Specific Gravity <i>Specific</i>	

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

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ *Walton FIC*

Ph.D. (London), F.I.C.,  
Ph.D. (Leeds), F.C.S.,  
Public Analyst,  
No. 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,  
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, *Nov 17* 1909

on *3* Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from *Govt*  
Dispensary, and received by me on *11.3.* 190*9*  
Drugs received in Stock *8.3* - 190*9*  
Report Signed *19.3.* 190*9*  
The Samples as specified below, with the following results *all genuine*

Standards.

Medicine *Ben Tenebrith*

Relative Gravity *0.915*  
*6.40* grammes in 100 c.c.  
" " "

Relative volume  
Relative Density *Genuine*

Medicine *Glyc Boracic*

Relative Gravity *1.25*  
*H<sub>2</sub>BO<sub>3</sub> 3.80* grammes in 100 c.c.  
*by wt* " " "

Relative by volume  
Relative Density *Genuine*

Medicine *Potash Iodid*

Relative Gravity  
*61.8 c.c.  $\frac{1}{10}$  AgNO<sub>3</sub>* grammes in 100 c.c.  
*1956619*

Relative by volume  
Relative Density *Genuine BP.*

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

Signed, *Walter R. G. To*

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District ...  
District ...



[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:-

Galway County

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901- 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 435 26 : 17 : -

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of April 1909.

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, and medical status. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and totals for various categories.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 3rd day of April 1909, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief Districts, number of cases, and total persons. Includes rows for districts I through X and a total row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 10th day of April 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair- Mr. Patrick Lambert. Other Guardians- Messrs James W. Brady, Murray, William Carr, James Moore, Patrick O'Shaughnessy, James Cunningham + Patrick F. Nolan.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 10th day of April 1909.

(Signed) John Gormally, Acting 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 required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

1000 lbs. w. Bread  
 200 " Meat  
 30 Gals Milk  
 1000 Eggs  
 200 " Porter  
 56 lbs Butter  
 112 " Flour  
 50 " B. Bread  
 8 " Pepper  
 3½ " Tobacco

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

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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..... day of.....190

Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

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. 690 to No. 760

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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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	52	4	7	25	7	1	78	3	8							10	14	0	67	8	9	1015
Necessaries	64	9		2	16	6	67	5	6							2	3	11	65	7	7	
Total	116	13	7	28	15	7	145	9	2							12	18	10	132	10	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 3 : 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
 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.

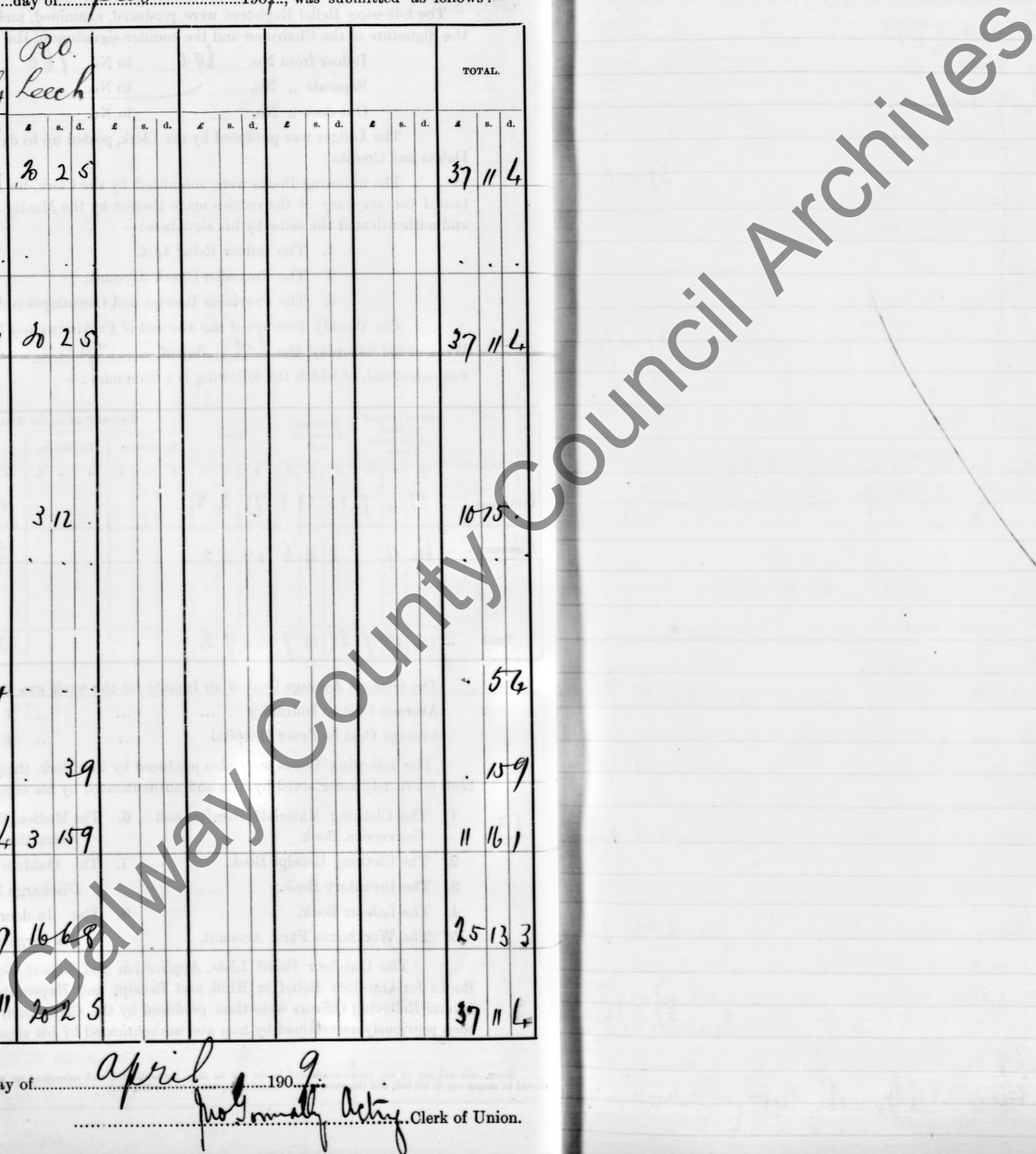
The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. <i>Gomally</i>			R.O. <i>Leech</i>												TOTAL.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	17	8	11	20	2	5										37	11	4	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																			
3. Total to be accounted for	17	8	11	20	2	5										37	11	4	
EXPENDITURE:—																			
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																			
In Money...	7	3		3	12											10	7	5	
In Kind ...																			
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility			5	4														5	4
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...			12			3	9											15	9
7. Total Relief given ...	8	4	3	15	9											11	16	1	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	9	8	7	16	6	8										25	13	3	
9. Total ...	17	8	11	20	2	5										37	11	4	

Dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1909.  
*pro Gomally Acting* 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:—

Submitted circular from Local Govt. Board, dated 31<sup>st</sup> March, relative to the Children's Act, which came into operation on the 1<sup>st</sup> April.

The School Inspector wrote stating he inspected the school on the 29<sup>th</sup> March, and left notings, re. providing maps, easel, &c. in the Observation Book, which require attention.

Ordered — No Rule, as to providing requisites.

Annie Kilts, Fever Attendant, was allowed a fortnight's leave of absence, the Fever Nurse to discharge her duties free of charge.

Proposed by Mr. Nilan, seconded by Mr. Barr, and Resolved:—

"That we hereby tender to our esteemed colleague, Mr. Patrick Lewis, our sincerest sympathy in the great loss he has sustained by the death of his brother, and we also offer to the other members of his family our deepest sympathy in their sad bereavement."

A man named John ~~bonnell~~ bonnell applied for the key of the house of a woman named Bridget Lambert who died recently in the Hospital,

Ordered —

Write to Mr. Martyn, Tullyra, Landlord, and Mr. Gynn, Solicitor, regarding this matter.

13 March

The Stocktaker submitted his enumeration and valuation of the stock of clothing, Bedding, Provisions, Farm, and Bural on the 31<sup>st</sup> March, and recommended that the following worn out articles of clothing be cancelled, viz:—

17 Pillow Slips, 45 Sheets, 11 Blankets, 13 Rugs, 15 Straw  
Licks, 8 Straw Bolsters, 4 Feather Pillows, 7 Rollers  
3 Men's jackets, 3 Men's Waistcoats, 7 Men's Trowsers,  
48 Shirts, 5 pair Shoes, 21 pair Stockings, 1 cap  
8 Flannel Drawers, 8 Flannel Vests, 2 Women's Gowns  
7 Under Petticoats, 16 Upper Petticoats, 19 Chemises,  
43 Aprons, 2 Neckchiefs, 19 pair Shoes, 7½ pair  
Stockings, 11 Shawls, 1 Boy's jacket, 2 Waistcoats, 3 Shirts  
5 Trowsers, 4 pair Boots, 16 pair Socks, 10 girls frocks,  
1 Petticoat, and 12 Bibs.

The Master reported that Mary McEnerny  
Wardmistress died on the 16<sup>th</sup> March, and  
he requisitioned Maryanne Hynes, Laundress, to discharge  
her duties at the same salary pending a meeting of the Board  
approved.

The following notice of motion was handed in:—

"I, or some member on my behalf, will move  
on this day fortnight, that Maryanne Hynes,  
Laundress, be appointed to discharge the duties of  
Wardmistress as well as laundress, at a  
yearly salary of £12=, for the amalgamated  
offices."  
(Signed) Patrick F. Nilan

The Master also reported that he lodged a sum of £27:19:1 to the credit of the Union, in maintenance calves and offal sold, &c.

② That on the Medical Officer's request he accompanied a patient to the Eye & Ear Hospital Dublin on the 15<sup>th</sup> ulto.

Ordered — Usual expenses allowed.

③ That he had an inmate named Mary Rooney committed to Asylum, and submits a bill of 14/10 expenses in connection with same. "approved".

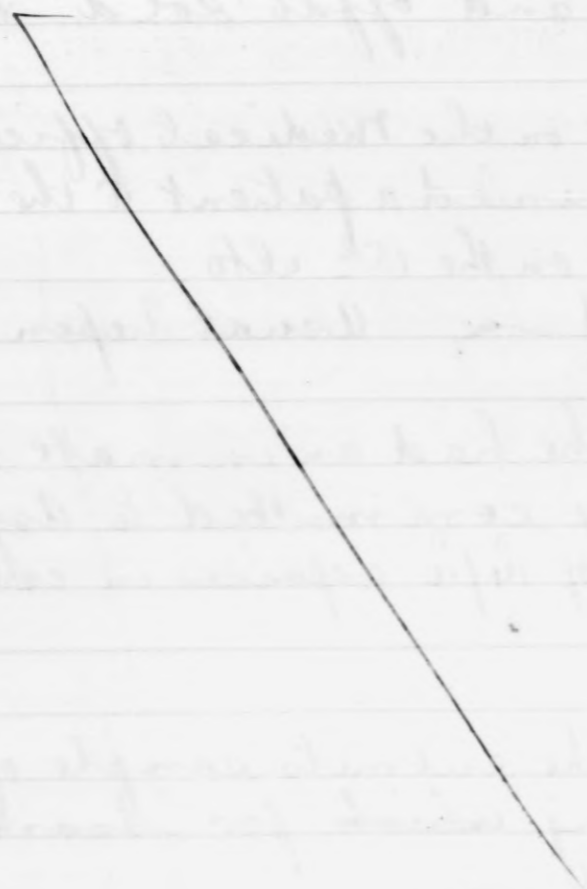
④ That he submits sample of Irish manufactured Shirting ~~which~~ for Board's approval.

Ordered —

18 March  
Adjourned for a fortnight, in the meantime write to Secretary, Irish Development Association and making inquiries as to Irish flannels.

The Inmates were allowed the usual Easter fare.

On Dr. Moran's recommendation an inmate named Patt Diving was ordered to be sent to a Dublin Hospital for treatment, and usual train fare allowed, viz. £1:5:0.



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 24<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1909

(Signed) John Gonnally  
Acting 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Lambert  
Other Guardians:—

*See Guardians Present Page 1*

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

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R. O. Gormally reported that he received a communication from Dr. Foley on the 30<sup>th</sup> March, stating he was summoned as a Crown witness to Galway Assizes, and he requisitioned Dr. Dowling to discharge his duties during his absence. "Approved"

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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.:-

Ardrachan	38 defaulters
Gort	34 "
Kinvara	41 "

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

*R. O. Gormally to serve usual notice at remuneration of 3/6 — per list respectively*

*Patrick Lambert*

*Galway County*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

(Signed) *John Gormally*  
Acting Clerk of the Union.

**GORT UNION.**

Population in 1901— 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526.17. =

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

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.						Boys and Girls above 15 years of age, but not working.	Boys and Girls 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 5 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	729	145														
Temporary Buildings																
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	-														
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>780</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	19	43	38	3	2	12	7	8	2	150			
Admitted during the Week																
Born																
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>180</b>			
Discharged during the Week			5	1	6	1										
Died												1	21			
<b>Total Discharged and Died</b>			<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>						<b>1</b>	<b>21</b>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE...			11	18	38	37	3	2	12	7	7	10	145			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> 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 Vic. c. 51, 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. 51, 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.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	110	128			110	128	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. forwd.							No. X.						
							Total,	110	128			110	128

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr. Patrick Lambert*

Other Guardians—  
*Messrs. J. Doone, J. Connolly, G. Higgins, P. Kelly, F. Gill, R. P. O'Flaherty, J. Newell & P. F. Nolan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

(9)

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:—

476 lbs W. Bread  
 57 " B "  
 55 " Beef  
 75 " Mutton  
 80 lbs Milk  
 600 Eggs  
 55 1/2 lbs Butter  
 3 1/2 " Tobacco

Galway County Council Archives

FORM 14

(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.

**FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

**GORT UNION.**

Finance Meeting held the 10 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, 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 ... ..	12	3	.
Rents of Dispensary Residences ... ..			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ... ..	7	15	.
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ... ..	8	1	1
Loans Received ... ..			
<b>Total Amount of Lodgments as above ... ..</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>

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 ... ..	2	16	6
Clothing and Bedding ... ..			
Establishment:-			
(a) Salaries <i>42.10</i> ... ..	187	12	
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ... ..			
(c) Farm ... ..	20	2	8
(d) Other Expenses ... ..	28	12	7
Workhouse Burials ... ..		5	
District School Account ... ..			
District Hospital Account ... ..			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ... ..			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses <i>87-1-6</i> ... ..	44	9	5
Medical Charities <i>24.13.10</i> ... ..	117	19	4
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers <i>6.4.0</i> ... ..			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ... ..			
Superannuation Allowances ... ..	23	5	3
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers <i>cash with Mr. G. H. ...</i> ... ..	11	1	
Expenses of Local Committees ... ..			
Repayment of Loans ... ..	14	15	4
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ... ..	60		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ... ..			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ... ..	204	10	
Expenditure out of Loans <i>Petty Cash</i> ... ..	10		
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above</b> ... ..	<b>734</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>

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

*March* 1909

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement ... <i>184</i> ... ..	520	15	1			
Total Sums received during the month ... ..	27	19	1			
<b>Total</b> ... ..	<b>548</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement ... ..						
Payments ordered during the month ... ..	734	17	1			
<b>Total</b> ... ..	<b>734</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals) ... ..	186	2	11			
<b>RECONCILEMENT</b> <i>5 April 09</i>						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ... ..	380	-	6			
Outstanding Orders ... ..	666	3	5			
Net Balance as above due by the Union ... ..	186	2	11			

*These books are £120 2-11 PAID 26/2/09*

Dated this *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 1909

*Angela Burt*  
Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. **STATISTICAL MINUTES.**

Meeting held the *24<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 1909.

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. *760* to No. *830*  
Separate ,, No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Out-door ,, No. *675* to No. *691*

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<sup>th</sup>* 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.			
Provisions ...	64	18	5	20	10	9	85	9	2						28	3	11	37	5	3	1015
Necessaries ...	59	14	8				59	14	8						56			54	8	8	
<b>Total</b> ...	<b>124</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>						<b>33</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ *3* : *7* : *4*  
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 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909, 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 ...	1	14	1	12	7	11										14	2	..	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20															20			
3. Total to be accounted for	21	14	1	12	7	11										34	2	.	
EXPENDITURE:—																			
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																			
In Money...	7	16		3	13	6										10	15	.	
In Kind ...																			
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		12			3	9												15	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	13	6	3	17	3										11	10	9	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	14		7	8	10	8										22	11	3	
9. Total ...	21	14	1	12	7	11										34	2	..	

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

.....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 of £569 from County Fund. on acc of first instalment of demand to 31 March 1910.

Letter from Local Govt. Board dated 23rd inst, requesting the Guardians to provide the articles reported by the School Inspector for Workhouse School.  
Ordered—

Referred to Visiting Committee.

Submitted Mr. Cyril E. Browne's notice of audit of Guardians' accs to 30 Sept: 08, on the 27th April.

Pursuant to notice, Mr. Silan proposed, and Mr. Lambert, seconded:—

"That Maryanne Hynes, Laundress, be appointed to discharge the duties of Wardmistress in the Workhouse, as well as Laundress, at a yearly salary of £12, for the amalgamated offices.

Passed; and the Local Govt. Board's sanction to Mrs Hynes' appointment is requested.

Resolved— The Guardians approve of Messrs Thomas Lambert, Ballturn and Michael Gallyher, Gortemboy, as sureties for Michael Gallyher, who had been appointed Porter of the Workhouse in September last.

Mrs Barnett. Trained Nurse in the Infirmary applied for rollers and Blinds for ~~her apartment~~ the windows of her apartment, to replace the old ones worn out.  
 Ordered — Master to supply new rollers and blinds.

Ordered — that the key of Bridget Lambert's house be handed over to J. H. Bonnell.

Resolved: — That emigration assistance to United States America be allowed to Ellen Flaherty of Sereen, amounting to £6:10:0, subject to Local Govt. Board's sanction.

An inmate named Bridget Hynes was allowed clothing not to exceed £1, on leaving the Workhouse.

R. Gormally was allowed two days leave of absence.

clothing not to exceed  $15\frac{5}{8}$  was allowed for a child at nurse with Mrs Farrell, Boland's Lane.

R. Gormally reported that the hired out boy Thomas Wark, left his employer, and was now staying with friends who claims him.



The Master submitted samples of shirting obtained from the both Weaving & Spinning Co., who are Irish manufacturers for shirting.

Ordered -

Advertise for 300 yards, same as adopted standard sample.

The Master reported that on Dr. Moran's request he accompanied a patient named Birney to Richmond Hospital.

Ordered -

Approved, - and usual expenses of Master and patient allowed.

Ordered - That the closing hours of the Workhouse, be changed from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m. during summer months, as in previous years.

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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 24<sup>th</sup> day of April 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

*See Guardians Present Page 221*

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 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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 do  
 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  
 supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

Dispensary District.	Goods Ordered to be Supplied.

B.Sc. (London), F.I.C.,  
 B.Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S.,  
 Public Analyst.  
 to 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,  
 57 GEORGE STREET,  
 Limerick, 8/4/09. 190

on 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Gort  
 Warren Dispensary, and received by me on 2.4 1909  
 Drugs received in Stock 17.3 1909  
 Report Signed 8.4. 1909

the Samples as specified below, with the following results. all genuine

Medicine *res balustrae bone* Standards.

Quantity 0.996  
 4.16 grammes in 100 c.c. 0.993 to 1.00  
 3.3  
 Volume 22.5 " " " 18  
 genuine.

Medicine *Oleum Ricini*

Quantity 0.966  
 grammes in 100 c.c. 0.95 to 0.97  
 " " "

Volume *B.P.*

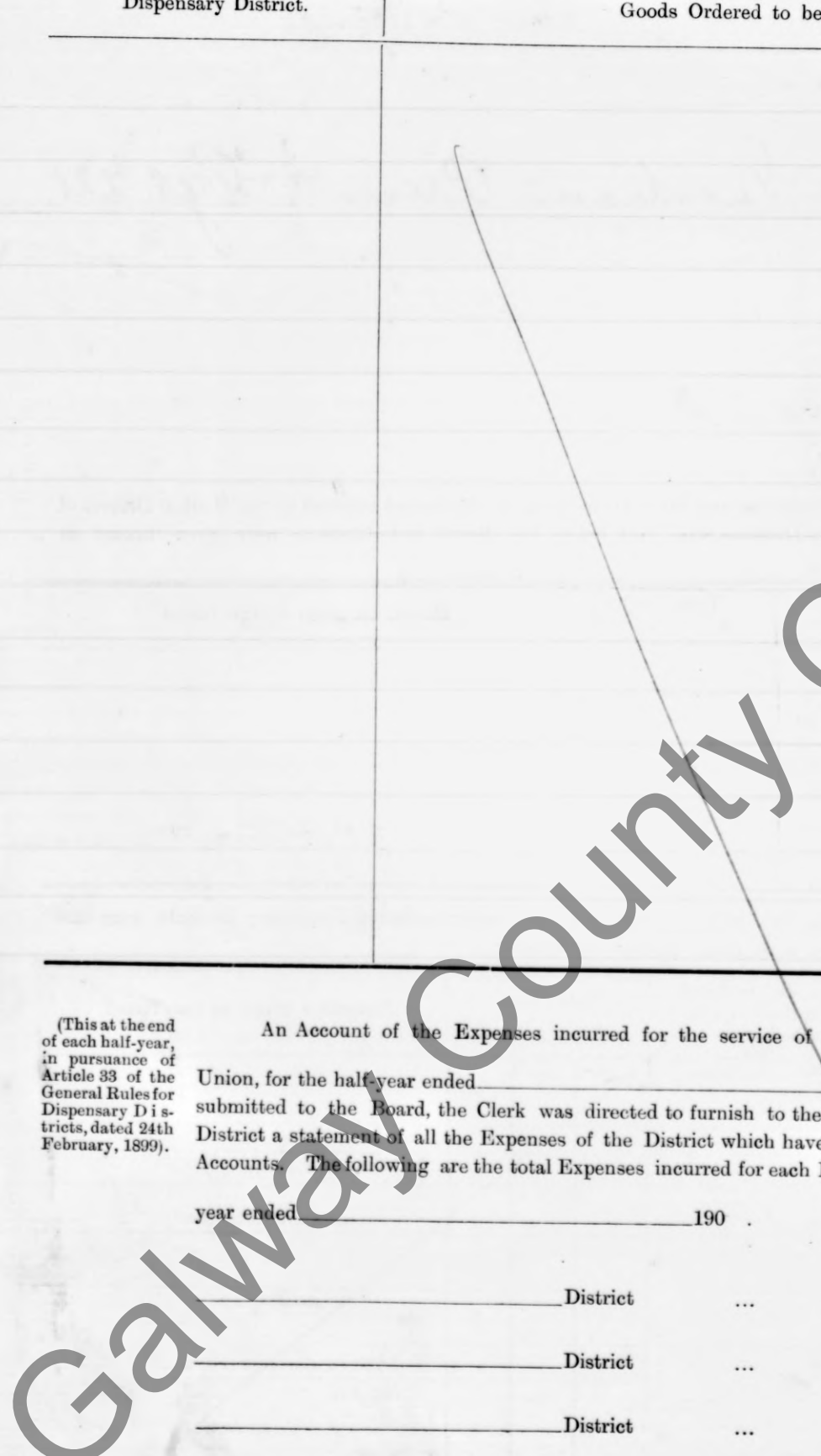
Medicine *Inel Ferric Prachtor*  
 1.10  
 5.72 grammes in 100 c.c. 1.09 to 1.11  
 5.625  
 22.2 " " " 22

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

Signed, Walter D'Arcy

(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  
 Union, for the half year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 190 , has  
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each  
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the  
 Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for  
 year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 190 .

District	...	...	£
District	...	...	£
District	...	...	£
District	...	...	£
District	...	...	£
District	...	...	£



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  
same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the Dis-  
trict, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following  
supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

Dispensary District. 8/11/09 Ordered to be Supplied.

Drugs received in Stock	Report Signed	Examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results
17.5	8.14	all genuine
100		
100		
100		

Drugs received in Stock	Report Signed	Examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results
0.99	10.11	all genuine
100		
100		
100		

Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District	Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District
100	100
100	100
100	100

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

Lead letter from Local Govt Board dated 23rd inst.  
stating they consider the amount of remuneration allowed  
to Nurse Meagher for her services for six months as  
Temporary Midwife of Kivvara Dispensary District  
should not exceed £15.

Resolved:—  
The Guardians think this is a very  
exceptional case as Nurse Meagher discharged the  
duties for six months, without attending a single  
private case, so far as they are aware. She was a  
stranger in the place and had to contend with the  
opposition of local "Randy women". The sum of  
£20 voted by a meeting of 23 Guardians (of which  
2 only dissented) specially summoned to consider the  
matter, represents a remuneration of a little over  
15s a week, out of which the Nurse had to provide  
board and lodgings, she has therefore practically  
nothing for her time.

"Under these circumstances the  
Guardians beg the Local Govt Board will  
re-consider the matter, and give their consent to the  
full amount voted, and which as stated in the  
resolution of 10th inst, has been already paid to  
Nurse Meagher."

The Guardians accepted the tender of Patrick  
Bourke, c £2: 10: 0, for repairing the damage recently  
done by burning at St. Connelly's residence Kivvara,  
provided the railing is not broken down, before  
the Board's order.

Done by 28 June 09

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

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

Submitted the following sanctions from  
Local Govt. Board:—

£ 5: 5: 0 <sup>per week</sup> to Dr. Bowling for discharging the duties  
of Medical Officer of Govt Workhouse &  
Dispensary District during Dr. Moran's  
absence on vacation.

£ 1: 1: 0 to Dr. Bowling for one days duty in Ardahan  
District during Dr. Foley's absence as a Crown witness.

From Local Govt. Board dated 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.  
relative to the employment of Dr. Bowling for 4 days  
as temporary Medical Officer of Ardahan District  
at remuneration of £ 1: 1: 0 per day, and pointing  
out that the usual remuneration allowed to a  
temporary Medical Officer of a Dispensary  
District for a continuance period of 4 days is £ 3: 3: 0.  
Ordered —

The correct amount is £ 3: 3: 0.

[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:-

*M. Milan*

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY. the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909.

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901— 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526.17.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1909.

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, hospital status, and medical treatment. Includes sub-tables for 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS' and 'CASUALS'.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of May 1909, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table detailing destitute persons relieved out of the workhouse, categorized by relief districts and total cases.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Michael. O'Donnell

Other Guardians— Messrs. M. S. Burke, J. W. Brady, Murray, W. Carr, P. J. Milan, J. Cunningham, P. Lewis, J. Moore, M. Keen, P. Kelly, & M. Feeney

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:—

- 892 lbs. W. Bread
- 30 " B "
- 73 " Beef
- 43 " Mutton
- 300 " Sugar
- 540 Eggs
- 60 Gals Milk
- 1 Doz Porter
- 44 3/4 lbs Butter
- 3 " Tobacco

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	...	...	...
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above</b>	...	...	...

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..... day of.....190

Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909.

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. 830 to No. 880

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 12<sup>th</sup> 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							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates			By Officers			Total			£	s.	d.				
Provisions	61	11	20	7	1	8	1	8	8										23	19	5	57	8	7	953
Necessaries	49	1	11	9	12	8	58	14	7										4	18	11	53	15	8	
<b>Total</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>										<b>28</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ - : 3 : 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. £ - : 5 : 3  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... .. £ - : 9 : -

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 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	Ro Gormaly			Rof Leach												TOTAL.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5	2	9	2	0	13	2												25	15	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20																		20		
3. Total to be accounted for	25	2	9	2	0	13	2												45	15	11
EXPENDITURE:—																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money...	7	3	6	3	13	6													10	17	
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		12			3	9														15	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	15	6	3	17	3													11	12	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	17	7	3	16	15	11													34	3	2
9. Total ...	25	2	9	2	0	13	2												45	15	11

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909

.....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:—

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 5<sup>th</sup> inst, forwarding copy of the Auditor's report, on the audit of the accounts for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 1908. : there are no comments.

From same dated 7<sup>th</sup> inst, <sup>No 58163</sup> sanctioning the arrangement whereby Mary Anne Hynes, is to discharge the combined duties of Wardmistress, and Launderess at a salary of £12 a year with rations.

Submitted sealed order from Local Govt Board dated 6<sup>th</sup> inst, consenting to a sum of £6:10:0, proposed to defray the expenses of the emigration of Ellen Flaherty, to America.

From Local Govt Board dated 3<sup>rd</sup> inst, forwarding extracts from the school Inspector's report on the Workhouse school. The Inspector states a second blackboard and easel, a scale map and some educational pictures are required.  
Ordered — Referred to Visiting Committee

Mr. John. G. Kennedy's tender for supplying 300 yards of Shirting @ 7<sup>0</sup> per yard, was accepted.

Master was directed to have a suit of serge made up for the Van Driver.

In Dr. Dowling's recommendation a patient named Michael Fodge, was ordered to be sent to the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital for treatment, and 12/- travelling expenses allowed. 13 May

The Master reported that a pipe in one of the chimney flues having been blown down, a by slater the wind, crashed through the roof, therefore, a slater would be required to make good the damage. — ordered —

That in order to fulfil the requirements of the children's Act, two new fireguards are required. — ordered —  
Get quotations.

A carpenter to carry out various repairs in the house, at cost not to exceed 25/-, was ordered.

Ordered — Forty seven canvas, felt bed mattresses covers to be provided at cost not to exceed 2/- each. Master to submit samples next meeting and then advertise.

The clerk reported that he had some correspondence (as yet incomplete) with the Secretary of the County Council, relative to insertion in the new Rate Books of charges against persons supplied with Seed Potatoes in 1908.

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 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 241

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. £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board.
Adrahan		medicines & appliances ordered

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. £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board.

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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1909.

(Signed)

*James Bush*  
Clerk of the Union.

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 31 March 1909, 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 31 March 1909.

<u>Ararahau</u> District	...	...	£ 251-8-0
_____ District	...	...	£ _____
<u>Gort</u> District	...	...	£ 225-13-3
_____ District	...	...	£ _____
<u>Kinivara</u> District	...	...	£ 218-2-8
_____ 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 30<sup>th</sup> ulto, stating they will not raise any further objection to the proposed payment of £20, to Nurse Treacher in respect of her services for 6 months, as temporary midwife of Kinivara Dispensary District.

Ordered — Advertisements for corrections, and additions on all dispensary notice Boards for this day fortnight.

Letter from Local Govt. Board dated 3<sup>rd</sup> inst, requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the several Dispensary Districts have complied with the law.

Ordered — The children are now being brought in

Letter from Local Govt. Board dated 30<sup>th</sup> April, sanctioning payment of £3-3-0 to Dr. Dowling, for discharging Dr. Foley's duties during his absence as Crown Witness in March last.

[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:—

*Peter Lambert*

Galway County

**GORT UNION.**

Population in 1901— 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526 : 17 : "

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909.

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.	Aged and Infirm persons and Adults 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.
			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	136														
Temporary Buildings .. .. .		1														
Permanent Fever Hospital .. .. .	51															
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>137</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return .. .. .			13	14	40	36	3	1	10	6	8	4	135	32		
Admitted during the Week .. .. .			2	1	2	1							39	9		
Born .. .. .																
<b>TOTAL .. .. .</b>			<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>41</b>		
Discharged during the Week .. .. .			3									1	36			
Died .. .. .					1								1			
Total Discharged and Died .. .. .			3		1							1	37			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE .. .. .			12	15	44	37	3	1	10	6	7	5	137			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 15 day of May 1909, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Base 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.	112	129			112	129	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							Total,	112	129			112	129

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

the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians—  
 Messrs D. Cunningham, P. Fahy, J. Keane  
 P. Linnaher, P. D. Hayes, P. Lewis, J. O'Dea

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1909.

(Signed) *James Lamb*  
 Clerk of the Union.

(8)

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  
 30 " B " "  
 66 " Beef  
 63 " Mutton  
 1000 Eggs  
 75 Gals Milk  
 2000 Porter  
 644 lbs Butter  
 4 " Tobacco

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FORM 14  
(Article 7.)

TABLE I.  
FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 8<sup>th</sup> 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, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians ...	569	.	.
Repayment of Relief ...			
Rents of Dispensary Residences ...			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts ...		9	7
Loans Received ...			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above ...	569	9	7

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 ... ..	34	18	4
Clothing and Bedding ... ..			
Establishment:-			
(a) Salaries ... ..	8	8	.
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ... ..	5	16	7
(c) Farm ... ..			
(d) Other Expenses ... ..	9	12	6
Workhouse Burials ... ..			
District School Account ... ..			
District Hospital Account ... ..			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ... ..			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses ... ..	7	10	.
Medical Charities ... ..	42	11	3
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers ... ..		4	3
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ... ..	4	12	6
Superannuation Allowances ... ..			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers ... ..			
Expenses of Local Committees ... ..			
Repayment of Loans ... ..			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ... ..	80		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ... ..			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ... ..			
Expenditure out of Loans ... ..			
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>

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

April 1909

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement ... ..	186	2	11			
Total Sums received during the month ... ..	569	9	7			
Total ... ..	735	11	18			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement ... ..	186	2	11			
Payments ordered during the month ... ..	200	13	2			
Total ... ..	386	16	13			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals ... ..)	200	13	2			
RECONCILEMENT						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ... ..	416	7	9			
Outstanding Orders ... ..	233	14	3			
Net Balance as above due to the Union ... ..	182	13	6			

Dated this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May 1909

*James B. ...*  
Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1909

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. 880 to No. 950  
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 15 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		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.			
Provisions ...	53	12	11	28	4	8	81	17	7				24	9	7	59	8	961
Necessaries ...	48	16	11				48	16	11				4	18	4	43	18	7
<b>Total ...</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>				<b>29</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 3 : 7 1/4  
Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. £ 5 : 3  
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... .. £ 8 : 6

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 22 day of May 1909, 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 ...	9	2	5	12	18	5										22	10	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																		
3. Total to be accounted for	9	2	5	12	18	5										22	10	
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	7	7	6	3	14											11	16	
In Kind ...																		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility					4												4	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		12			39												15	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	19	6	4	19											12	13	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	1	29		8	18											9	19	7
9. Total ...	9	25	13	15												22	10	

Dated this 22 day of May 1909  
*Wm. J. B. ...* 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 14<sup>th</sup> inst. forwarding copies of an abstract of the Provisions of Part II of the Children Act, 1908.

The Visiting Committee reported that they would recommend that new maps of Ireland, England, and Asia, be provided for schoolroom.

They consider that in view of impending changes in the Poor Law System, expenditure for an additional Blackboard, and for Pictures <sup>sent up</sup> be deferred.

Ordered —

Provide these maps.

Resolutions of the <sup>South Dublin</sup> Killarney Unions were adopted

clothing not to exceed £1, was allowed to Mary Smith on leaving the Workhouse

Read letter from Manager, Midland Railway Company, stating they cannot admit any liability for the maintenance in the Infirmary of Guard Daly, from 4<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> November 1908, amounting to £2:4:0, as this man ~~had~~ not being their domestic servant or apprentice.

Ordered — Referred to Mr. Gynn, and inform him that the patient was admitted at the request of Mr. Cunningham, who stated the company would pay cost.

Ordered — That Mrs Fords be allowed £1. 8. 0, expenses in charge of her boy going to Royal Hospital Dublin, for whom 12s was allowed at last meeting. — Total payments £2 =.

Ordered — Accept 180 yards of shirting which the contractor is presently able to supply, the balance to be supplied as soon as possible.

Consideration of patterns of mattresses felt, and quotations for fire guards, were adjourned to next meeting.

The Master was allowed two days leave of absence, the matron to discharge his duties.

Ordered — That a boy named Thomas Ward be hired out with John Keane, Cross St. Port, at the rate of £3. per annum. clothing not to exceed 10s. be presently allowed.

A suit of clothes cost not to exceed 10s. was ordered for a child boarded out with Mrs Finin Labane.  
 Finin ← Holly

Medicines and appliances were ordered for use in the Workhouse.

The Master reported that an inmate named Thomas Leveidine cut his throat, with a razor presumably, on Sunday morning 9<sup>th</sup> inst, from the effects of which he died on the following Thursday. An inquest was held.

Ordered —

The Guardians are satisfied that no blame attaches to any official in regard to this case.

The Master submitted result of analysis by Sir Charles Cameron, of milk samples, all of which were found to be pure but poor.

Ordered —

Warn Mrs Reynolds, Mrs Ruane,  
and Miss Milan

26 May 09

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 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909.

(Signed) *Amey Pemb*  
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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr. Patrick Lambert*

Other Guardians:—

*See Guardians Present Folio 261*

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>Gort Kivara</i>				<i>medicines &amp; appliances ordered do do</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.	

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_

Dispensary District in pursance 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:—

Consideration of Local Govt. Board's letter of 13<sup>th</sup> inst. forwarding extracts furnished by the Medical Officers of Health of Ardahan and Kinvara Dispensary Districts, was adjourned to next meeting.

Ordered — The Guardians are of opinion the existing arrangement may continue regarding the payment of ~~Loss~~ premiums of on Insurance Policies for the Dispensary Buildings of Ardahan and Kinvara.  
*Board of Works  
 26 May 09.*

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 12<sup>th</sup> inst. requesting the Guardians to enforce strict compliance with the Vaccination Acts in the Union.

Ordered — notice has already been served on each defaulter.

From Local Govt. Board dated 12<sup>th</sup> inst. requesting the Guardians to provide a notice Board (Form O) on the interior of the Dispensary at Peterswell.

Ordered — Advertise for providing and lettering all notice Boards in the Union.

R. O. Leech reported that Dr. Connolly was summoned to a special Court in Galway on the 15<sup>th</sup> inst. and he requisitioned Dr. Dowling to discharge his duty.  
 Ordered — Pay £1.1.0 to Dr. Dowling.

[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:—

Patrick Lambert  
 Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of June 1909

(Signed) Patrick Lambert  
 Clerk of the Union.

**GORT UNION.**

Population in 1901— 14 201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43 526 : 17 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of May 1909.

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 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 3 and under 9 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	129														
Temporary Buildings .. .. .																
Permanent Fever Hospital .. .. .	51	2														
TOTAL .. .. .		131														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return .. .. .			12	13	38	38	3	1	10	6	7	1	129	31		
Admitted during the Week .. .. .			2	2	2	2			1	1			18	2	9	
Born .. .. .																
TOTAL .. .. .			14	15	38	40	3	1	11	7	7	19	155	33	9	
Discharged during the Week .. .. .			3	1	1								19			
Died .. .. .													19			
Total Discharged and Died .. .. .			3	1	1								19			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE .. .. .			11	14	37	40	3	1	11	7	7	131				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 29 day of May 1909, 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.	11	129			11	129	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							Total,	11	129			11	129

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of June 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Lambert  
 Other Guardians—  
Messrs James Home, Michael O'Donnell, and Martin O'Donnell.

(4)

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:—

944 lbs .W. Bread  
 45 .. B ..  
 51 .. Beef  
 37 .. Mutton  
 85 Gals Milk  
 540 Eggs  
 42 lbs Butter  
 48 oz Tobacco

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FORM 14

(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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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	...	...	...
<b>Total Amount of Lodgments as above</b>	...	...	...

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 ... ..			
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ... ..</b>			

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..... day of.....190

Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. **STATISTICAL MINUTES**

Meeting held the...<sup>5<sup>th</sup></sup>...day of...June.....1909.

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. 950 to No. 1000

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 29<sup>th</sup> 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 ...	59	3	2	18	2	7	77	5	9				24	1	8	53	4	1	927
Necessaries ...	38	19	7				38	19	7				4	18	9	36		10	
<b>Total ...</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>54</b>						<b>29</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>11</b>		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ - : 3.8  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... .. £ - : 5.10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... .. £ - : 7.0

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 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. Gonnally			R.O. Leech									TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	12	6	1	8	10	5							20	16	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.							.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for	12	6	1	8	10	5							20	16	6
EXPENDITURE:—															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money...	7	5	.	3	14	.							10	19	.
In Kind ...	.	.	.	.	.	.							.	.	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	.	.	.	.	.							.	.	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	12	.	.	3	9							.	15	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	17	.	3	17	9							11	14	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	4	9	1	6	12	8							9	1	9
9. Total ...	12	6	1	8	10	5							20	16	6

Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909...

.....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 Report of the Visiting Committee was read and Orders were 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:—

~~Proposed~~ The Master reported the death of the Workhouse Tailor.

Ordered — Advertise for a new contractor.

The Master reported that he admitted to Infirmary a man named Roger Rogorane from Lishtown, and Michael Walsh of Tulloughmore, as paying patients.

Ordered — Relief by way of loan — charge both 6/- per week. (see File 311)

Ordered — Advertise for coal for this day fortnight on previous conditions.

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

"That we the members of the Govt Board of Guardians have learned with feelings of the deepest regret and sorrow, of the demise of our illustrious fellow countryman, Mr. P. A. McHugh, M. P. and of the distinguished, and patriotic pastor of Adrahan, Rev. J. B. Consideine; the former of whom devoted his whole life and labours to the cause of Ireland, and the latter whose service to the cause of faith and fatherland will ever be remembered by a faithful people; and as a mark of respect to the memory of both we now adjourn without transacting any further business."

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 5th day of June 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.	

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 Monday the 7th day of June 1909.

(Signed) [Signature]  
Clerk of the Union.

[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*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~SATURDAY~~ Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909

(Signed) *Patrick Lambert*  
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901— 14201.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 43526 17 : 2

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190

Table with columns for Inmates, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes rows for Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, day of \_\_\_\_\_ 190 , authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief Districts, Destitute persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. X and a Total row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~SATURDAY~~ Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Mr. Patrick Lambert*.  
Other Guardians:—  
*Messrs J. W. Brady, Murray, M. S. Burke, J. Callenan, W. Carr, M. Coen, J. Connolly, J. P. Corkess, E. Fahy, R. P. Flaherty, F. Gill, P. F. Hayes, J. Headd, J. Joyce, J. Keane, M. Keely, T. Lally, M. Linnane, P. Linnane, M. Naughton, J. Newell, P. Kelly, P. F. Nolan, J. Noone, J. O'Sea, M. O'Donnell, F. O'Seill, P. O'Shaughnessy, J. Quinn, P. Ryan, O'Sweeney, M. Tannian, + M. O'Donohoe*

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

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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:—

The Annual Meeting was held this day

Mr<sup>s</sup> P. Lambert, Michael O'Donnell and P. O'Shaughnessy, were unanimously re-elected Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Deputy Vice Chairman, respectively

Submitted notification of transfer from County Fund of £569 being balance of 1<sup>st</sup> instalment of demand to 31 March 1910

Read letter from Local Gov. Board inquiring of the wages of the boy Ward hired out with John Keane will be lodged in the Savings Bank  
Ordered — Yes

From same dated 4<sup>th</sup> inst requesting to be furnished with a copy of the verdict of the Coroner's Jury in the case of suicide of an inmate named Curidine  
Ordered — Furnish Copy of Verdict

Wrote D.D. 9 June 09

Forwarded L.G.B. 11 June 09

The Solicitor reported that he received a cheque for £1 = 11 = 5 from the Midland Railway Co for treatment of Gerard Duly but they do not admit liability  
Ordered -

Amount received by Mr Glynn £1 = 11 = 5 to be accepted.

Sir Charles Cameron reported that he analysed a specimen of butter received from the Master which proved to be pure.

A cheque for £1 = 10 = 0 was received from the Royal Commission on Poor Laws as remuneration to the Officials for statistical information supplied.

Ordered - That Roger Roynane be discharged from the Workhouse when the Medical Officer discharges him from the Infirmary

Ordered - That the charge for maintenance in Hospital of Michael Walsh be 5/- per week instead of 6/- as previously settled

The Guardians adopted a resolution of Kilmacshomas Board ordering the prosecution of the putative fathers of illegitimate children born in the workhouse.

Ordered - Supply the Hospital Sisters with 84 yards linoleum @  $\frac{1}{4}$  per yard; and a Hall mat.



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~~ <sup>Monday</sup> the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

*See Guardians Present Folio 301*

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(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 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1909.

(Signed) *Imley Burt*  
Clerk of the Union

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

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Dr. Connolly, Medical Officer of Kinsara District, was allowed four weeks annual vacation. He could not definitely name his substitute until he hears from Dr. Dowling.

Ordered — Vacation allowed :  
Substitute to be paid £4 = 4 = 0  
per week.

The Board accepted James Griffins tender for corrections and additions on all the Dispensary & Registration Notice Boards for £3, on condition that new Boards are provided for Peterwell in addition to the other works mentioned on the list.

Read letter from Local Gov Board sanctioning payment of £1 = 1 = 0 to Dr. Dowling as substitute in Kinsara District on 15<sup>th</sup> May.

Ordered — That the cost of two tons of coal used in the Ardahan Dispensary in the winters of 1907-8 and 1908-9 be allowed to Dr. Foley. The amount to be £3.