

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	...	...	...	30	10	5
Clothing and Bedding	...	...	...	8	7	10
Establishment:-						
(a) Salaries	...	...	...	9	6	"
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	...	...	92	2	6
(c) Farm	...	...	...	13	6	9
(d) Other Expenses	...	...	...	2	6	4
Workhouse Burials	...	...	...
District School Account	...	...	...
District Hospital Account	...	...	...
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	...	...	7	6	2
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	...	...	...	5	12	8
Medical Charities	...	...	...	2	2	"
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	...	...	...	1	19	"
Repayment of Loans	...	...	...	35	15	"
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	...	...	...	10		"
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...	...	...
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	...	...
Expenditure out of Loans	...	...	...
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above				198		3
				218	14	8

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ended the last day of August 1909.

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	460	17	9			
Total Sums received during the month	571	10				
Total	1032	7	9			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	198		3			
Total	198		3			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	834	7	6			
RECONCILEMENT						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer	1072	7	9			
Outstanding Orders	238		3			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	834	7	6			

Dated this 14 day of Sept 1909.

John F. Gormally
acting Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 25th day of September 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. 1440 to No. 1500

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 18th day of September, 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.				
Provisions	22	17	10	20	14	2	43	12		22	16	9	20	15	3	907
Necessaries	59	13	3	8	17	8	68	10	11	3	6		65	4	11	
Total	82	11	1	29	11	10	112	2	11	26	2	9	86		2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ = : 3 : 5³/₄
Average Cost in Infirmary £ = : 4 : 7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ = : 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 25th day of September 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. <i>Formally</i>			R.O. <i>Leech</i>												TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	33	10	5	22	11	3										56	1	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																		
3. Total to be accounted for	33	10	5	22	11	3										56	1	8
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	6	16	6	3	14											10	10	6
In Kind ...																		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility																		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		9			8	9											17	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	56	4	29												11	8	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	26	4	11	18	8	6										44	13	5
9. Total ...	33	10	5	22	11	3										56	1	8

Dated this 25th day of September 1909
John Formally 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:—

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 21st inst, sanctioning payment of £5. to Mr. John E. Hayell for his services in taking and valuing stock in the Workhouse for the half year ended 30th September next.

From Local Govt. Board dated 21st inst, sanctioning payment of remuneration at the rate of £1 per week to Mr. John Connolly, for his services as temporary substitute for the clerk of the Union.

On Dr. Moran's recommendation it was decided to get an artificial leg c £10. 10. 0 for Michael Moran,

The Visiting Committee reported that the water supply appears to be fairly sufficient, mentioned in the report of Major R. H. Hodge, Fair. L. G. B. Inspector, and that painting may be postponed for the present. "Approved"

Mr. O. Grady wrote asking for the increased duty on Tobacco, in addition to his contract price.

Ordered — Pay extra price on all Tobacco delivered since 1st May last.

clothing not to exceed 10s, was allowed for a child at Nurse with Mrs ~~Finia~~ Helly b. Kelly.

Mr. James O'Hara, Tea Tester, Dublin, reported that he has analysed 18 samples of Tea, and that No 11 (Martin O'Grady's) is the best, No 1, (Martin O'Grady's) second best, and No 6. (Thomas Spelman's) is third best.

Ordered —

Mr. O. Grady's tender is accepted. Tea to taken only when required in half chests. Mr. O. Grady's tender for Sugar @ 18¹/₆ per cent. is also accepted.

The Clerk Galway Hospital wrote stating that they were in a position to supply Trained Nurses registered in accordance with the provisions of the Local Govt. Act 1898.

Ordered —

Apply in future to this Hospital for Nurses when required.

The following tenders were accepted: —

M. Huban	- 100 yds Calico	c	5 ⁰ / ₄	per yd
	8 lb Fibre	c	3/9	" st.
	100 yds sheeting	c	1/4	" yd
	100 " Oxford Shirting	c	7 ³ / ₄	" "
John Kennedy	- 60 yds corduroy	c	2/0	" "
	100 " Apron check	c	7 ⁰ / ₂	" "
	2 doz neckerchiefs	c	3/9	" doz each
	4 Gross Shirts	c	6 ⁰	" gross.
J. M. Kennedy	- 2 " Machine Reels	c	23/6	" "
	4 " Linen Buttons	c	1/0	" "
	100 yds Bengal Stripe	c	8 ³ / ₄	" yd
	2 doz Shawls	c	9/0	" doz each

a. Nilan	-	2 gallons milk daily	c	$\frac{1}{2}$ per gallon
B. Nilan	-	2	00	$\frac{1}{2}$ 00
r. Ruane	-	3	00	$\frac{1}{2}$ 00
M. A. Reynolds	-	3	00	$\frac{1}{2}$ 00
m. A. Burke	-	3	00	$\frac{1}{2}$ 00
May Shaughnessy	-	3	00	$\frac{1}{2}$ 00
John Halloran	-	Broken Stones	c	$\frac{2}{6}$ per yd.

A woman named Bridget Nelly appeared before the Board requesting the Guardians to admit an illegitimate child ~~was~~ named Joseph Fox, aged about two months, which had been left in her charge by her mother, who had deserted it and gone to America.

Ordered —

Admit the child to Workhouse

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 25th day of September 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. James Lambert

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 461

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	

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 9th day of October 1909

(Signed) John Gonnally
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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:—

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 17th inst. requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the several Dispensary Districts of the Union have complied with the law.

Ordered — Notices have been sent out, and the defaulters are now coming in.

From Local Govt. Board dated 17th inst. approving of the appointment of Miss K. M. O'Doherty, as temporary midwife of the Abraham Dispensary District during the absence of Miss Madden on vacation.

Read

Relieving Officer Gormally reported that Dr. O'Dullivan, Acting Medical Officer of Abraham District informed him that on the 22nd inst. that he was unable to finish the last week of Dr. Foley's vacation and he therefore requisitioned Dr. Dowling to discharge the duties.

Ordered — Approved — Dr. Dowling to be allowed £ 4.4.0 for the week.

[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:-

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of October 1909.

(Signed) John Gormally
 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 2nd day of October 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 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 9 and under 15 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	118												
Temporary Buildings														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	2												
TOTAL	780	120												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			7	14	32	39	1	1	10	6	8	19		
Admitted during the Week Born				2								2	9	
TOTAL			7	16	32	39	1	1	10	6	8	21	9	
Discharged during the Week					1	1						9		
Died														
Total Discharged and Died					1	1						9		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	16	31	38	1	1	10	6	8	2	12	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, 2nd day of October 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.	107	121			107	121	No. VI.						
No. II.							No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							Total,	107	121			107	121

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 9th day of October 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians—

Messrs. J. W. Brady, Murray, M. J. Burke, J. Cahill, W. Carr, R. P. Flaherty, J. Keane, P. Lewis, P. J. Nolan, J. Noone, M. Zannian and M. O'Donohol

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

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

1480 lbs. W. Bread
 90 " B
 70 " Beef
 65 " Mutton
 75 Gals Milk
 1 Chest Tea
 2 cwt Sugar
 56 lbs Butter
 4 " Tobacco

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FORM 14
(Article 7.)

TABLE 1.
FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

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

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).				£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:-						
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment:-						
(a) Salaries			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

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

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

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

Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the 9th day of October 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. 1500 to No. 1545

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 2nd day of October, 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	17	10	9	9	2	6	26	13	3							17	7	4	9	5	11	930
Necessaries	106	1	4				106	1	4							2	4	4	103	17		
Total	123	12	1	9	2	6	132	14	7							19	11	8	113	2	11	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 3:6
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... £ : 4:10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... £ : 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 9th day of October 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. <i>formally</i>			R.O. <i>Leech</i>												TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	18	13	11	14	3	9										32	17	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	.	.	.	.	.	.										.	.	.
3. Total to be accounted for	18	13	11	14	3	9										32	17	8
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	6	19	6	3	16	.										10	15	6
In Kind ...	.	.	.	.	.	.										.	.	.
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	.	.	.	.	.										.	.	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	.	9	.	8	9	.										.	17	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	9	6	4	4	9										11	13	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	11	5	5	9	19	.										21	4	5
9. Total ...	18	13	11	14	3	9										32	17	8

Dated this 9 day of October 1909.
John Formally 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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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:—

Resolved — The Board are unanimous that half the ^{year} quantity of Tea be now taken from Mr. O'Grady, and he be paid forthwith for same; and that in future the advertisement specify that the Tea be supplied quarterly as required.

Mrs. M. A. Burke, wrote stating that she committed a mistake in filling her tender for Tobacco, as $3/7\frac{1}{2}$ was put on instead of $3/11\frac{1}{2}$. She was willing to supply at latter price.

Ordered — If Mrs Burke will not sign her Bond @ $3/7\frac{1}{2}$, advertise again.

Rose Soherly, Castlebar, wrote applying for £4:1:2 value of clothes burned belonging to her while in the Fever Hospital as a patient.

Ordered — Referred to Matron.

It was ordered to advertise for usual supplies of Mangels, Turnips, for this day fortnight.

Ordered — Charge Mary Hatrey and Sarah Linnans patients in the Infirmary $3/6$ per week for their maintenance, and Mary Gill $5/10$ per week.

The Master reported that he lodged a sum of £38. 4: 6 to the credit of the Union. for maintenance, stones for fall cold, &c. &c.

That the Ambulance is again leaking, and he recommends that the roof be covered with zinc.
 ordered - Have Roof covered with ~~cement~~ ^{zinc}.

That a sum of £1. 11. 5 due by Mrs Flanagan for skins supplied her during the last half year has not been paid.

ordered - Apply to Mrs Flanagan for this amount

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 9th day of October 1909.

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

See Guardians Present Folio 481.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
	£	s.	d.	

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	

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 23rd day of October 1909.

(Signed) J. J. Conolly
Clerk of the Union.

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:—

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 7th inst, sanctioning payment of £4:4:0 to Dr. Dowling, for discharging Dr. Foley's duties during the last week's absence, on his annual vacation.

Ordered — That a dispensary patient named John Martin of Roreagh, be sent to Galway Hospital for treatment.

[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.:-

Ardrhan	28	defaulters
gort	77	"
Kiviana	34	"

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

R. O'Connell to serve usual notice at remuneration of 3/6 per list.

Galway County

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY. the 23rd day of October 1909

(Signed) J. Gormally
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

Population in 1901—14201.

Present Net ~~Appraised~~ Value, £ 43526 : 17:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of October 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 5 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 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	127												
Temporary Buildings .. .														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	51	1												
TOTAL	780	128												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return .. .			10	17	33	37	1	1	10	6	9	2	12	
Admitted during the Week .. .			1	2	1	1							23	
Born														
TOTAL			11	19	34	38	1	1	10	6	9	25	156	
Discharged during the Week .. .			1	2		1							22	26
Died														
Total Discharged and Died .. .			1	2		1							22	26
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE .. .			10	17	34	37	1	1	10	6	9	3	126	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of October 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.	106	120			106	120	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
No. X.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.							Total,	106	120			106	120

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of October 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians—
Messrs J. W. Brady-Murray, M. J. Burke, J. Callanan, M. Coen
T. O'Leary, E. Fahy, M. Feeney, R. P. Flaherty, F. Hill
J. Joyce, T. Kelly, J. Newell, P. Nelly, P. F. Nolan
J. O'Connell, M. O'Donnell, T. O'Neill, P. O'Shaughnessy
M. Tannan, M. O'Donohoe, W. Carr, J. Cunningham
J. Heald, C. Higgins, M. Kelly, M. Linnane & H. O'Donnell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

(28)

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:—

- 880 lbs. W. Bread
- 27 .. B ..
- 48 .. Beef
- 45 .. Mutton
- 70 kals Milk
- 480 Eggs
- 2 doz Porter
- 1 .. Brandy
- 41 lbs Butter
- 3 .. Tobacco
- 180 st Potatoes

(Article 7.)

TABLE I.

FINANCIAL MINUTES.

GORT UNION.

Finance Meeting held the 9th day of October 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 September, 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	21	7	6
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	4	16	9
Loans Received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	38	4	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.

TABLE (b).

	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:-			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment:-			
(a) Salaries	186	.	.
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	20	19	11
(d) Other Expenses	65	19	9
Workhouse Burials	1	18	
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	7	14	6
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	40	3	1
Medical Charities	150	7	.
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	3	10	.
Superannuation Allowances	23	5	3
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers <i>ask in lieu of rations</i>	8	3	6
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	14	14	3
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	60	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	271	15	4
Expenditure out of Loans <i>Petty Cash</i>	10	.	.
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	864	.	7

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

September 1909.

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	834	7	6			
Total Sums received during the month	42	4	6			
Total	876	12	.			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	864	.	7			
Total	864	.	7			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	12	11	5			
RECONCILIEMENT						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer <i>8 Decs.</i>	633	1	7			
Outstanding Orders	620	10	2			
Net Balance as above due to the Union	12	11	5			

Dated this *12th* day of *October* 1909.

Richard B. Webb
Clerk of Union

TABLE 2. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held the *23rd* day of *October* 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. *1545* to No. *1590*
Separate ,, No. *691* to No. *713*
Out-door ,, No. *691* to No. *713*

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 *16th* day of *October*, 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.							
Provisions ...	26	.	4	23	4	7	49	4	11				25	70	3	23	14	8	903
Necessaries ...	100	10	2	5	6	10	105	7	.				4	17	3	100	19	9	
Total ...	126	10	6	28	11	5	155	1	11				30	7	6	124	14	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 4 : =
Average Cost in Infirmary £ : 5 : 7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ : 13 : =

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.

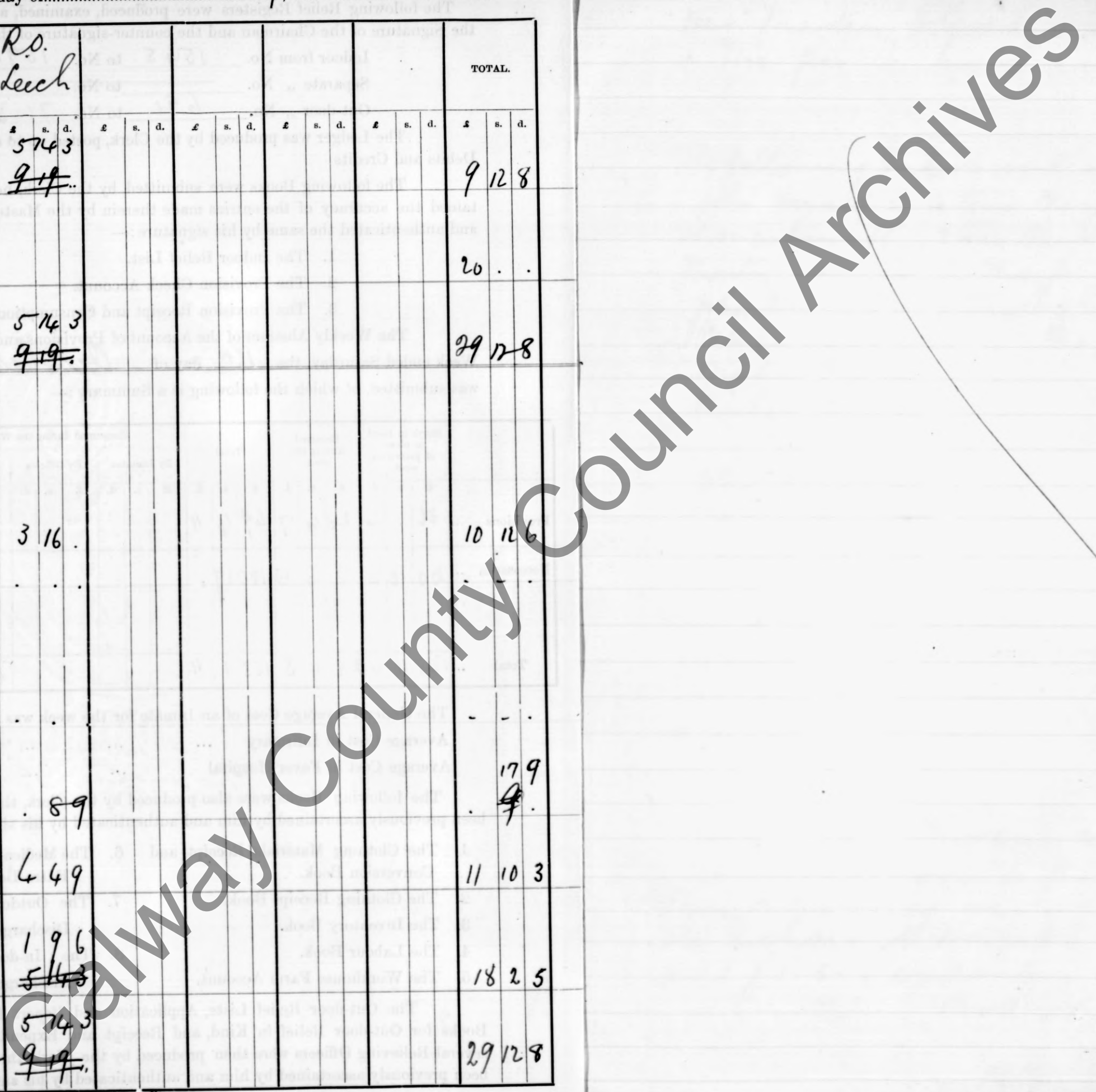
The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of October 1909, was submitted as follows:—

	R.O. <i>Formally</i>			R.O. <i>Leech</i>												TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	3	18	5	9	5	14	3									9	12	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20															20		
3. Total to be accounted for	23	18	5	9	5	14	3									29	12	8
EXPENDITURE:—																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money...	6	16	6	3	16											10	12	6
In Kind ...																		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	9																	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	7	9			8	9											17	9
7. Total Relief given ...	7	5	6	4	4	9										11	10	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week...	16	12	11	5	1	9	6									18	2	5
9. Total ...	23	18	5	9	5	14	3									29	12	8

Dated this 23rd day of October 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:—



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:—

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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:—

Mr. Martin O. Grady's tender for Tobacco c 3/10 per lb. was accepted.

The following tenders were accepted:—

John Howard	4 tons	Mangolds	c	9 ^o	per cwt.
Thomas Summitt	2 tons	Mangolds	c	9 ^o	per cwt.
Martin Hartigan	12 "	Mangolds	c	9 ^o	"
John Murphy	3 tons	Orange Red Mangolds	c	9 ^o	"
Patrick Lally	6 "	Mangold	c	9 ^o	"
Martin Disting	4 "	do	c	9 ^o	"
Michael Brennan	2 "	do	c	9 ^o	"
do	1 1/2 "	Aberdeen's	c	7 ^o	"
John Howard	8 "	do	c	7 ^o	"
Martin Hartigan	3 "	do	c	7 ^o	"
Patrick Lally	2 "	do	c	7 ^o	"

Ordered — The Master is authorised to purchase the additional Mangolds and Turnips he requires - but payment is to be made by cheque.

Ordered — On Dr. Moran's ~~application~~ recommendation a patient named Patrick Cooney was ordered to be sent to the Richmond Hospital, Dublin, for treatment, and £1.5.0 expenses allowed.
 Mr. Brady. Murray dissenting.

Ordered — That the Porter be allowed usual remuneration of £2. for selling vegetables and offal off the Workhouse Farm.

Approved by
 Clerk
 26 Dec 09

A bill amounting to £4:14:8 from Rose Doherty for clothes burned while a patient in the Fever Hospital, was referred to the Master for particulars.

Four dozen Blankets, same as standard sample, were ordered to be advertised for

Ordered — That a child named John Walsh be boarded out with Michael Brennan, boarding, but no allowance will be made except for clothing — suit of clothes to be provided when the child is going out.

Consideration of remaining business was adjourned to next meeting.

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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 23rd day of October 1909.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

See Guardians Present Folio 501

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 6th day of November 1909.

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

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

Public Analyst.
10 TO 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, Oct 16th 1909

upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Post
Workhouse Dispensary, and received by me on 8.10. 1909
Drugs received in Stock 30.9. 1909
Report Signed 16.10. 1909

Examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results

Standards.

Name of Medicine Thin Aconite Meth.

Specific Gravity 0.864
Extract 4.34 grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids " " "
Alcohol by volume 83.21
Observations genuine

Name of Medicine Spb Linnon Acon.

Specific Gravity 0.893
Extract 2.28 grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids " " "
Alcohol by volume 67.12
Observations genuine

Name of Medicine Linet Beeche

Specific Gravity 0.934
Extract 4.70 grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids " " "
Alcohol by volume 56.7
Observations genuine

Samples were carefully put up and labelled in accordance with the

Local Government Board's instructions.

Signed, Conor Doyle

Galway County Council

B.Sc. (London), F.I.C.,
B.Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S.,
Public Analyst.
No. 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, Oct 16th 1909

3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from York
Dispensary, and received by me on 210 1909
Drugs received in Stock 30:9: 1909
Report Signed 16:10: 1909

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

Standards.

Medicine Trichloroform
Gravity 0.970
to 6.20 grammes in 100 c.c.
by volume 42.02
Genuine.

Medicine Acid Sulphuric
Gravity 0.930
to 13.5 grammes in 100 c.c.
by volume 78.93
Genuine.

81
Request to Barroet
to send fresh supply
18/10/09

Medicine Trichloroform
Gravity 0.950
to 7.50 grammes in 100 c.c.
by volume 55.84
Genuine.

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

Signed, Walker & Sons Ltd

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Public Analyst.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,
57 GEORGE STREET,

Limerick, Oct 16th 1909

3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from
Dispensary, and received by me on 5.10. 1909
Drugs received in Stock 13.9. 1909
Report Signed 16.10. 1909

and the Samples as specified below, with the following results

Standards.

Medicine Acid barbitic liq

Gravity 1.064
grammes in 100 c.c.

bp up to 182°C. " " "

by volume 61.7

Medicine Saponis meth.

Gravity 0.899

7.40 grammes in 100 c.c.

by volume 61.7

Medicine Saponis

Medicine Acetic

Gravity 1.32
grammes in 100 c.c.

Acetic 2.40 " " "

by volume

Medicine Saponis

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

Signed, *W. J. O'Connell*

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

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P. Lambert

Prof. Lamb
Clerk of Council



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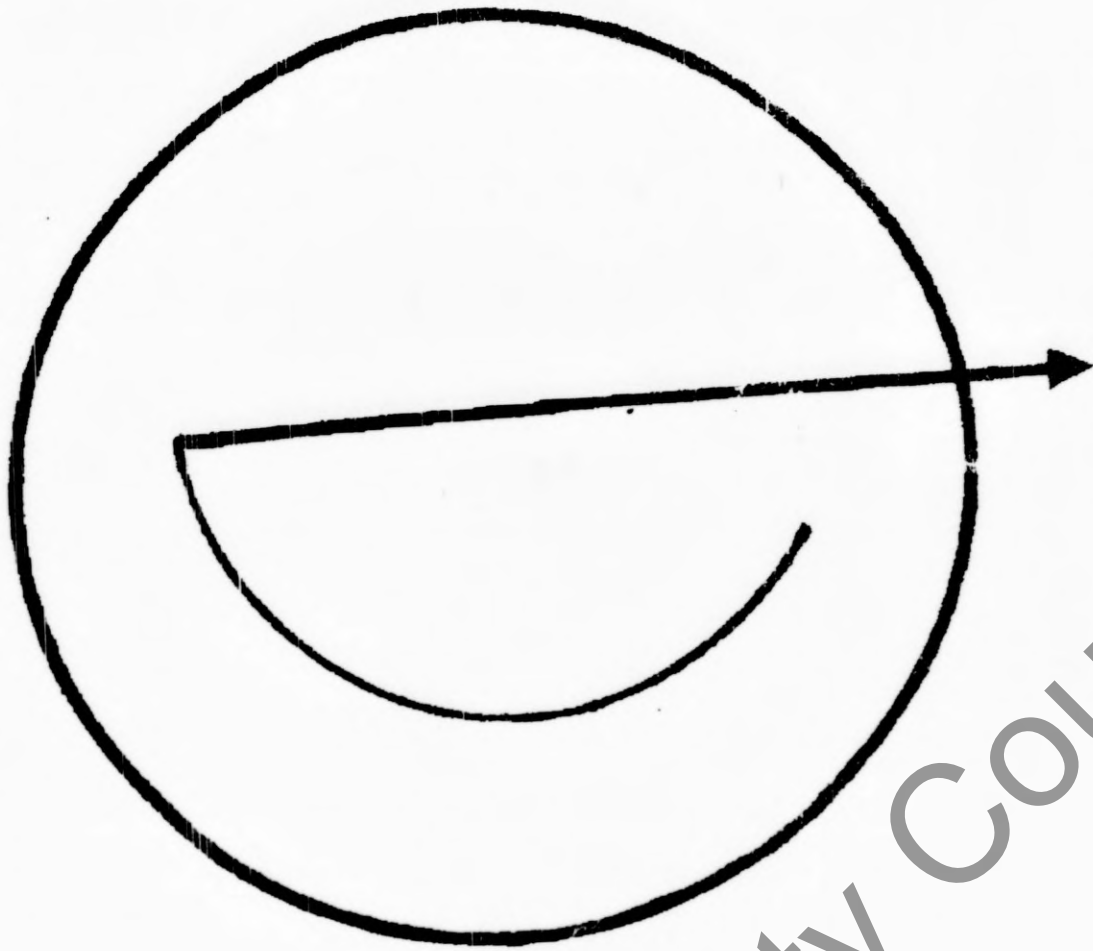
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