

**Gort Union.**

Present Net Annual Value, £42,541 11s.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31 day of August 1912.

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 2 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		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	88															
Lunatic Wards																	
Fever Hospital	51	—															
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>88</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	17	27	29			6	6	10	95	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 14	In separate Wards			
Admitted during the Week, Born,			1	1	2			1				18	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates,			
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>6</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>29</b>			<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>Total, 19</b>	<b>Total, 11</b>			
Discharged during the Week, Died,			1	2	1	1						24	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Total Discharged and Dead			1	2	1	2						24	No. Relieved during Week	Males 15	Females 3	Children under 15	TOTAL 18
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			5	11	28	27			1	6	6	48	No. in Workhouse at date	4			4
													No. at corresponding period last year, 105				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of August 1912 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	47	66			47	66
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>66</b>			<b>47</b>	<b>66</b>

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

the 7th day of September 1912.  
*Mr. Patrick Lambert*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

- ~~MARTIN BRENNAN.~~
- ~~MARTIN J. BURKE.~~
- ~~JOHN CAHILL.~~
- ~~WILLIAM CARR.~~
- ~~JOHN CALLANAN.~~
- ~~THOMAS P. CORLESS.~~
- step* ~~MARTIN COEN.~~
- ~~MICHAEL CURTIN.~~
- ~~JOHN DONOHUE.~~
- ~~EDWARD FAHY.~~
- ~~MICHAEL FEENEY.~~

- ~~THOMAS GALBRAITH.~~
- ~~EERGUS GILL.~~
- ~~MARTIN GLYNN.~~
- ~~PETER GLYNN.~~
- ~~PATRICK J. HAYES.~~
- ~~JAMES HEADD.~~
- ~~COLMAN HIGGINS.~~
- ~~JAMES JOYCE.~~
- ~~JOHN KAVANAGH.~~
- ~~JOHN KEANE.~~

- ~~MORTIMER KEELY.~~
- ~~THOMAS LALLY.~~
- ~~PATRICK LAMBERT.~~
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- ~~BARTLY QUINN.~~
- ~~WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.~~
- ~~PATRICK RYAN.~~
- ~~OWEN SWEENEY.~~
- ~~MICHAEL TANNIAN.~~

*and Jas. Karanagh*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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[FORM 14.]  
(Article 7.)

**(TABLE 2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.**

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

**Gort Union.**

Meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 1912.

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

In-door, from No.....2640.....to No.....2675.....  
 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 In-door 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 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1912, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding Week			Received during the Week			Total			Consumed during the Week						Stock in hand at close of this Week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.	
Provisions -	31	14	1	19	7	1	57	1	2					19 4 8		31	16	6	594
Necessaries -	82	2					82	2						2 12 4		79	9	8	
Total -	113	16	1	19	7	1	133	3	2					21 17		111	6	2	

	£	s.	d.
<i>The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was</i> ... ..		4	9
<i>Average Cost in Infirmary</i> ... ..		5	10
<i>Average Cost in Fever Hospital</i> ... ..			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 19 12, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Gormally			Relieving Officer Leech			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total					
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	19	6	3	11	1	11																30	8	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																								
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	6	3	11	1	11																30	8	2
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	4			19	6																	5	9	6
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility						28																		28
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...				17	9	17	9															2	5	6
7. Total Relief given	4	17	9	2	19	11																7	17	8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	14	8	6	8	2																	22	10	6
Total ...	19	6	3	11	1	11																30	8	2

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.


Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 19 12.

Myler Bred  
Clerk of the Union.

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:—

560 lbs white Bread  
24 . Brown Bread  
68 . Meat  
360 Eggs  
21 lbs Butter  
2 . Tobacco

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



Submitted notification of transfer from County Fund of £480:10:0, being balance of second instalment of Guardians demand to 31<sup>st</sup> March next.

Resolved: — That Mr. John E. Hayell, be appointed to take stock in the Workhouse, on 30<sup>th</sup> September, at usual remuneration, namely £5=.

A supply of medicines c £3:12:7, and appliances c £2:7:3½, were ordered for use in the Workhouse.

The clerk was allowed his usual months vacation. Mr. John formally to discharge his duties at same remuneration as in previous years, namely £1= per week - half to be paid by the Guardians, and the other half by the District Council.

Ordered — Request Solicitor to state if the Promissory note for £11, given by Mrs. Tomber to Michael James who died in the Infirmary, leaving the cost of his maintenance unpaid - is valid, and if so what proceedings are necessary to recover same. 9 Sep 12

Ordered — Advertise for flashing Infirmary chimney, according to specification; also, new floor for Laundry.

James Griffin's tender was accepted c £4 = for painting Workhouse Ambulance. No Bond necessary, and no money to be paid except on Engineer's certificate.

A resolution of Kilmacthomas Guardians, suggesting an amending Act of Parliament, re. deportation of Paupers from Ireland to England, was adopted.

Ordered - Request Mr. McDonald, Galway, to send fitter to examine the Workhouse Range, and quote cost of repair, and give estimate for new Range.  
9 Sep. 12

a bill of Messrs Smyth and Sons, Dublin, amounting to £2:1:4, for chapel requisites and repairs was ordered to be paid.

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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 Act)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 19 12.

(Signed) Amey Burt  
Clerk of the Union.



**GORT UNION.****BOARDED-OUT CHILDREN, &c.**

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Gort Union, at their  
Meeting on SATURDAY, the.....7<sup>th</sup>.....day of.....September.....19.....12

Relieving officer Leech reported that Mrs Donohoe Killomoran has provided a separate bed for the boarded out child, Michael Bermingham, as required by the Local Gort Board, in their letter dated 23<sup>rd</sup> August.

"Approved"

clothing not to exceed 15/- each, was allowed for boarded out children, named Margaret Galvin, and Bridget O'Dea.

(Signed),.....

*James Burt*  
Clerk of the Union.

**Gort Union.**

**MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT (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 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 1912.

PRESENT—In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians :—

- |                               |                              |                                   |                                   |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <del>MARTIN BRENNAN.</del>    | THOMAS GALBRAITH.            | <del>MORTIMER KEELY.</del>        | MARTIN O'DONNELL.                 |
| MARTIN J. BURKE.              | <del>FERGUS GILL.</del>      | THOMAS LALLY.                     | MICHAEL O'DONNELL.                |
| <del>JOHN CAHILL.</del>       | MARTIN GLYNN.                | <del>PATRICK LAMBERT.</del>       | MICHAEL O'DONOHUE.                |
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| <del>THOMAS P. CORLESS.</del> | <del>JAMES HEADD.</del>      | <del>JOHN NEWELL.</del>           | BARTLY QUINN.                     |
| MARTIN COEN.                  | <del>GOLMAN HIGGINS.</del>   | PATRICK F. NILAN.                 | WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.              |
| <del>MICHAEL CURTIN.</del>    | JAMES JOYCE.                 | <del>JAMES NOONE.</del>           | PATRICK RYAN.                     |
| <del>JOHN DONGHUE.</del>      | <del>JOHN KAVANAGH.</del>    | <del>RICHARD P. O'FLAHERTY.</del> | <del>OWEN SWEENEY.</del>          |
| <del>EDWARD FAHY.</del>       | JOHN KEANE.                  | <del>LAURENCE O'DONNELL.</del>    | MICHAEL TANNIAN.                  |
| <del>MICHAEL FEENEY.</del>    |                              |                                   |                                   |

*and Jas. Kavanagh* (8)

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances required by the Medical Officers of the undermentioned 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</i>	4	2	1 1/2	<i>Medicines } ordered Appliances }</i>
	1	12	10	

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

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

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions given thereon as follows:—

Miss Anna Brilly, Midwife of Kinvara Dispensary District tendered her resignation.  
Ordered —

Resignation accepted — Advertise for this day month for midwife on same conditions as before, namely £40 per annum.

Nurse Brilly wrote stating she did not take the 14 days leave of absence granted by the Guardians on 13<sup>th</sup> July, and requesting to be allowed this leave from 17<sup>th</sup> September. Dr. Connolly to discharge her duties.

Ordered — Leave granted.

The Engineer reported that the Kitchen Range in Ardahan Dispensary is very much dilapidated, and a new Range is required.

Ordered — Request Mr. McDonald, Galway, to send fitter to examine this Range, and quote cost of repair, and give estimate for new Range.

[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 Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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

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*J Lambert*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup>  
day of September 1912.

(Signed) *James O'Connell*  
Clerk of the Union

**Gort Union.**

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of September 1912.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
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Fever Hospital	51	-													
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>87</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	11	26	29			1	6	5	7	91	18	In separate Wards
Admitted during the Week, Born,			1	2	1								25	29	In Wards with other inmates,
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>29</b>			<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>Total, 11</b>
Discharged during the Week,			1		4	2							25	32	
Died,				1									1		
<b>Total Discharged and Dead</b>			<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>							<b>25</b>	<b>33</b>	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	12	23	27			1	6	5	7	87		No. at corresponding period last year, 101.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1912, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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										By Inmates		By Officers		Total					
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Provisions -	30	13	1	19	2	11	49	16					19	10	4	30	5	8	593
Necessaries -	13	2	19	2	1	3	6	136	2	8			2	14	2	131	8	6	
Total -	163	12	3	20	6	5	183	18	8				22	4	6	161	14	2	

	£	s.	d.
<i>The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was</i> ... ..	:	4	7
<i>Average Cost in Infirmary</i> ... ..	:	5	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
<i>Average Cost in Fever Hospital</i> ... ..	:		

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 19 12, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Gormally			Relieving Officer Leech			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total			
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	19	10	9	5	7	5													24	18	2	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																						
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	10	9	5	7	5													24	18	2	
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In Kind ...																						
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																						
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		17	9	1	7	9														2	5	6
7. Total Relief given	4	17	9	2	17	3													7	15	..	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	14	13	..	2	10	2														17	3	2
Total ...	19	10	9	5	7	5														24	18	2

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.

Dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 19 12.

John Gormally  
Acting Clerk of the Union.



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:—

720 lbs White Bread  
 30 " Brown "  
 70 " Meat  
 360 Eggs  
 56 lbs Butter  
 2 " Tobacco  
 112 " Soap

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

The Master reported that on the requisition of the Medical officer he engaged two Fever Nurses on the 10<sup>th</sup> inst on which he admitted a Fever patient named Bgt. Tracey. The Nurses fee will be £1. 11. 6 per week, each, with 9/- and 2/6 weekly for rations and laundry.

"Approved"

That he purchased a Cow from James Hamberry Lisburn c £14. 10. 0, less 3/6 luck.

Approved.

Ordered — That another cow be purchased cost not to exceed £18=.

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 the following letters from Local Govt. Board:—

No 45846 - dated 11<sup>th</sup> September - sanctioning payment of £3. to the Porter, for superintending delivery of coal.

No 48273 - dated 16<sup>th</sup> September, sanctioning payment of £5. to Mr. Stajell, for his services as stock taker, for half year ended 30 Sept. next.

No 48273 - dated 16<sup>th</sup> September, sanctioning payment of £15 a week to Mr. Gormally for his services as temporary Clerk - half to be paid by the Guardians, and one half by the District Council.

The following tenders were accepted:—

Michael M. Carthy — White Bread c<sup>s</sup> - 6<sup>d</sup> per 4th loaf.  
Brown do c - 5<sup>d</sup> do

Patrick Burke — Beef + Mutton c - 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> .. lb  
Lew's Heads c 1. 4 each  
Sheeps do c - 7 .. "

John Nolan — Oatmeal c 12. 6 .. cwt  
Flour c 12. 0 .. "  
Bran c 7. 0 .. "  
Rice c 1. 7 .. st  
Arrowroot c 7. 11 .. "  
Pepper c - 9 .. lb  
Arrowroot Biscuits c - 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> .. "  
Guinness's x x Porter c 1. 6 .. doz  
Hennessy's three star Brandy c 69. 10 .. "  
Malaga Wine c 18. 6 .. "  
Silver Taper Candles c - 5 .. lb  
Wax Candles c 1. 2 .. "  
Blue c - 4 .. lb

Mary O'Grady — Irish Bacon c 87. 0 .. cwt  
Tobacco c 3. 11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> .. lb  
Irish Brown Soap c 23. 0 .. cwt  
Coarse Salt c 2. 3 .. "  
Fine Salt c 3. 0 .. "

Mary Hayes — Washing Soda c 3. 6 .. "

M. A. Burke — Oranges + Lemons c 1. 2 .. doz  
Starch c - 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> .. lb  
Potatoes c - 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> .. "

Wm. Pigott	Bacon, Kingans dear Becks, c	65. 0 per cwt
	Eggs	9. 9 " 120
	Fresh Butter	1. 0 1/2 " lb
Annie Flanagan	creamery Butter	c 1: 3 " "
Thomas Nestor	Tiling Laundry Floor	c £ 12: 15: 0
Thomas Nestor	Repairs to Infirmary chimney	c £ 2: 15: 0
James Griffin	Glazing	c £ 4 =
James Willy	Booken Stones	c - 2: 5 per yd.
John Brennan	making Men's shoes	c - 7: 6 " pair
	" Women's "	c - 6: 6 " "
	" Boys & girls Boots	c - 5: 6 " "
	" Slippers	c - 4: 0 " "
	Soling Men's shoes	c - 3: 6 " "
	" Women's "	c - 2: 6 " "
	" Boys & girls "	c - 2: 3 " "

Ordered - send samples of Tea to Mr. C. J. McHugh's Commercial Buildings Dublin, who was appointed Tea taster, at fee of £1 =.

Consideration of remaining tenders was adjourned to next meeting.

Mr. McDonald, Galway, wrote stating he would repair the Range in the Hospital ~~Range~~ Kitchen for the sum of £4 =.

Ordered - the Guardians agree to allow Mr. McDonald £4 = for doing this work.

Katie Nolan, Hospital Attendant, wrote tendering her resignation.

Ordered - Accepted - Advertise on previous conditions.

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 17<sup>th</sup> inst. forwarding a communication received from John Mc Namara, claiming £1= for whitewashing and cleaning the Fever Hospital.  
Ordered -

Mc Namara was an inmate of the House when he did this work. The guardians will allow him 10/- if the Local Govt. Board approves.

Ordered - that Michael Fahy be charged at the rate of 6<sup>d</sup> per day for his maintenance in the Infirmary.

Two tenders were received for blaying, namely Harry Kelly c. £3:18:0, and James Griffin c. £4:10:0. The guardians agreed to give the contract to Griffin at £4=, Kelly not being a recognised glazier.

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 Act)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1912.

(Signed) John Coomally  
Clerk of the Union.

**GORT UNION.****BOARDED-OUT CHILDREN, &c.**

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Gort Union, at their  
Meeting on SATURDAY, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1912.

Read letter from Local Gort Board dated 13<sup>th</sup> inst, sanctioning the proposal to place out at nurse a child named Michael Bermingham, with Mrs Ellen Donohoe of Kilmorair.

Resolved - that a child named Mary Donohoe be boarded out with Mary Hynes Cappamore, on usual conditions Fifteen shillings worth of clothing to be allowed when leaving.

Ordered - that <sup>5</sup>15/- worth of clothing be allowed for a child named Peter Learroll, boarded out with Mrs Burke, Coughtyshassy.

(Signed) John Gormally  
Clerk of the Union.

**Gort Union.****MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT (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 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1912.

PRESENT—In the Chair—Mr. Patrick Lambert.

Other Guardians :—

MARTIN BRENNAN.	<del>THOMAS GALBRAITH.</del>	MORTIMER KEELY.	<del>MARTIN O'DONNELL.</del>
<del>MARTIN J. BURKE.</del>	FERGUS GILL.	<del>THOMAS LALLY.</del>	MICHAEL O'DONNELL.
<del>JOHN CAHILL.</del>	<del>MARTIN GLYNN.</del>	PATRICK LAMBERT.	<del>MICHAEL O'DONOHUE.</del>
WILLIAM CARR.	<del>PETER GLYNN.</del>	<del>PATRICK LINNANE.</del>	THOMAS O'NEILL.
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<del>THOMAS P. CORLESS.</del>	JAMES HEADD.	<del>JOHN NEWELL.</del>	BARTLY QUINN.
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<del>EDWARD FAHY.</del>	<del>JOHN KEANE.</del>	LAURENCE O'DONNELL.	<del>MICHAEL TANNIAN.</del>
MICHAEL FEENEY.			

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

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

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

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

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions given thereon as follows:—

The Solicitor submitted Counsel's opinion requested by the Guardians, in respect of the payment of the Doctors' salaries in accordance with the graded scale adopted on the 6<sup>th</sup> April last, as follows:—

"The Guardians are bound to pay the salaries of the Medical Officers at the increased rate sanctioned by the Local Govt. Board, and the first quarter's salary became payable in full at the increased rate on 30<sup>th</sup> June. I think Mr. O'Shea's advice to the Guardians was sound" x x x x x x x x x  
Signed— Francis J. Mac Cormack.

Ordered— Pay salaries in accordance with adopted scale.

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 6<sup>th</sup> inst. returning vouchers, &c. furnished with a view to recoupment in respect of the cost of medicines and medical appliances during the past half year, and stating they will not recognise a sum of 119. shortage in the discount allowed on Dispensary Appliances, when considering the amount for recoupment.

"Read"

Mr. McDonald, Plumber, Galway, wrote stating the Range in Abraham Dispensary Residence could not be repaired, and stated he would supply a new one for the sum of £23=.

23 Sep 22 Ordered— Request Mr. McDonald to quote for cheaper Range.



[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 Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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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 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 19 12.

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

**Gort Union.**

Present Net Annual Value, £42,541 11s.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	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 3 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse . . . . .	729														
Lunatic Wards . . . . .															
Fever Hospital . . . . .	51														
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>780</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, }												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week, .												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other Inmates, }		
Born, . . . . .												<b>Total,</b>	<b>Total,</b>		
<b>TOTAL,</b>												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Discharged during the Week, .												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died, . . . . .												No. Relieved during Week			
Total Discharged and Dead .												No. in Workhouse at date			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,												No. at corresponding period last year, _____			

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

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
No. IV.						
<b>TOTAL</b>						

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PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

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| MICHAEL FEENEY.    |                   |                        |                        |

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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| MICHAEL FEENEY.    |                   |                        |                        |

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.



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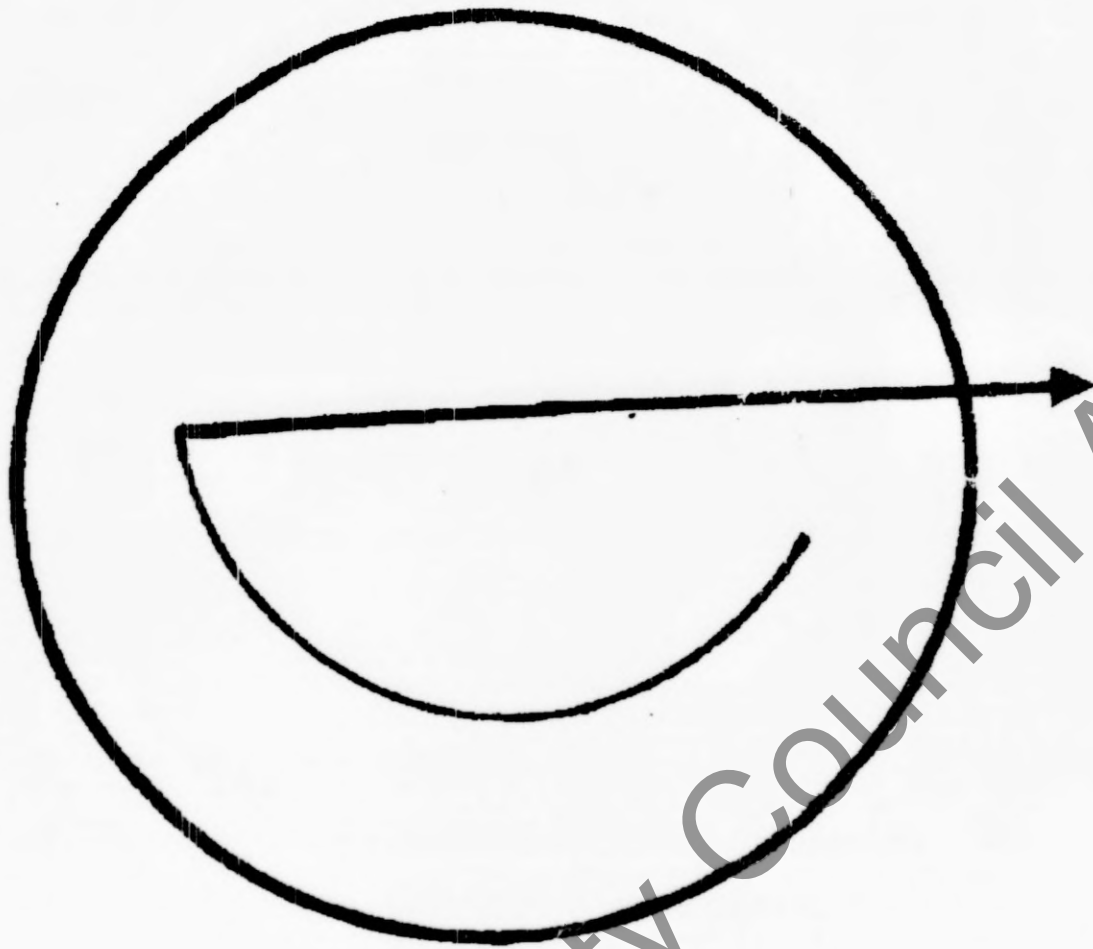
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