

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 8th day of March 1913.

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Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	53	17	9	24	11	4	78	9	1				20	12	3	57	16	10	642
Necessaries ...	46	3	4	.	.	.	46	3	4				4	14	9	41	8	7	
Total ...	100	1	1	24	11	4	124	12	5				25	7	.	99	5	5	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		4	7 $\frac{1}{4}$
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Average Cost in Fever Hospital			

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7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Outdoor Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Outdoor 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,
the 8th day of March 1913 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer GORMALLY			Relieving Officer LEECH			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 hands at close of pre- vious week ...	15	17	8	5	2	1										20	19	9		
2. Money since ad- vanced by Guardians ...																				
3. Total to be ac- counted for ...	15	17	8	5	2	1										20	19	9		
EXPENDITURE.																				
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																				
In Money ...	4	4		1	6	6										6	6			
In Kind ...																				
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Re- lieving Officer on his own Responsibility			5	7		14	11											1	6	
6. Orphans and De- serted Children boarded out ...			17	9		1	7	9										2	5	6
7. Total Relief given	5	7	4	3	19	2										9	6	6		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10	10	4	1	2	11										11	13	3		
9. Total ...	15	17	8	5	2	1										20	19	9		

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Dated this 8th day of March 1913.

Angela Burt
Clerk of 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
 36 . . Brown .
 80 . . Meat
 224 . . Sugar
 240 Eggs
 100 St Potatoes
 2 lbs Tobacco

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

i. The Master reported that he lodged to credit of the Union, a sum of £2:4:0, for maintenance, &c.
 "approved."

ii. That the Hospital patients are not using the firkin Butter supplied at present, and he deducted 10 lbs from his stock last week.

The Butter is good, but strong in flavour.
 ordered—

Require the contractor to supply Butter according to his agreement, of a approved quality of which the doctor, and Master approves.
 Write Report 10 March 12

The medical officer also reported on the quality of the Butter, the taste and smell of which is rather strong.

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. No. 8048, dated 4th March, sanctioning payment of £1. 0: 0. to Maternity Nurse Mulhern, for her services in attending a midwifery case in the Hospital.

Resolved — That Mr. John E. Hazell, be appointed to take stock in the Workhouse on 31st March next, at usual remuneration, namely £5.

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 6th inst. relative to the condition of a man named Thomas Lewis, who is the occupier of eleven acres of land, and his family; stating that out door relief cannot be afforded to this man or any dependent member of his family unless disabled from labour by sickness or accident, also adding that the Relieving Officer should be instructed to watch this case.

"Comply"

Submitted notification of transfer from County Fund of £480. 10. 0. balance of final instalment of guardians demand to 31st March next.

Bridget Bley. Watermaid, tendered her resignation as which was accepted, and advertisements ordered on previous conditions, namely. £10 = per annum, with rations.

Read letter from Secretary County Council, forwarding copy of a letter received from the Resident Medical Superintendent, Ballinascloe Asylum, requesting to know if they could take over ~~the~~ Workhouse, as an Auxiliary Asylum with the sanction of the Local Govt. Board.

Ordered — Put on agenda for next meeting.

The Master was allowed leave of absence on the 22nd and 23rd inst, the Matron to discharge his duty.

Pursuant to notice, Mr Lambert, moved, and Mr. Nolan, seconded:—

"That the Guardians consider the advisability of appointing a permanent Trained Nurse for the Fever Hospital."

Passed by 13 votes to 8. and:

Ordered — That advertisements be issued for a Trained Nurse for Fever Hospital at salary of £40 per year, with rations (or equivalent of 6/6 per week) and subject to any conditions as to employment in the Infirmary which the Guardians may determine.

Appointment on this day fortnight.

The following Notice of Motion, was received:—

"I, or some member, on my behalf, will move at the next meeting, that the order made ^{proposing the appointment of} ~~appointing~~ a Fever Hospital Nurse, at a salary of £40 per annum with rations, be rescinded."

(Signed) Owen Sweeney

Submitted Notice of removal from West Derby Union, England, of Patrick Cahill, stated to be born in Gort.

On the 8th Ultimo, the clerk drew the Guardians attention to the fact that the expenditure in connection with the maintenance and treatment of a fever patient named Mrs Tracey, amounted to ~~£77-4-8~~ ^{£73-2-8}, owing to employment of two special Nurses at cost of £68: 15: 4.

The Guardians then directed that the patient's husband be asked to pay £10.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...
Ditto disallowed
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

The Bonds and other Securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 22nd
day of March 19 13.
(Signed), Amely 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 9th day of March 1913.

Ordered — That a child named Mary Connolly be boarded out with Miss Sarah Thompson Cressler, Ardara, on usual conditions. $15/-$ worth of clothing to be allowed when child is leaving the work.

R. O. Gormally reported that the boarded child Mary Stanton is now 14 years of age, and is claimed by the grandmother who will provide for it in future. "Approved."

II That Peter Carroll is also 14 years of age and he recommends that applications be invited for a foster parent to hire out this child, at reasonable wages. "Comply"

Ordered — Write to foster parent, regarding the absence from school of Bridget O'Dea, during the month of February. 10 March 13

(Signed),

James Buech
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 8th day of March 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians:—

MARTIN BRENNAN.
~~MARTIN J. BURKE.~~
 JOHN CAHILL.
 WILLIAM CARR.
~~JOHN CALLANAN.~~
~~THOMAS P. CORLESS.~~
 MARTIN COEN.
~~MICHAEL CURTIN.~~
~~JOHN DONOHUE.~~
~~EDWARD FAHY.~~
 MICHAEL FEENEY.
 THOMAS GALBRAITH.
 FERGUS GILL.

MARTIN GLYNN.
 PATRICK J. HAYES.
~~JAMES HEADD.~~
 COLMAN HIGGINS.
 JAMES JOYCE.
 JOHN KAVANAGH.
~~JOHN KEANE.~~
~~MORTIMER KEELY.~~
~~THOMAS LALLY.~~
~~PATRICK LAMBERT.~~
~~PATRICK LINNANE.~~
~~MICHAEL NAUGHTON.~~
 JOHN NEWELL.

PATRICK F. NILAN.
 JAMES NOONE.
 RICHARD P. O'FLAHERTY.
~~LAURENCE O'DONNELL.~~
~~MARTIN O'DONNELL.~~
~~MICHAEL O'DONNELL.~~
~~THOMAS O'NEILL.~~
~~PATRICK O'SHAUGHNESSY.~~
 BARTLY QUINN.
 WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.
 PATRICK RYAN.
 OWEN SWEENEY.
 MICHAEL TANNIAN.

Mr Linnane + Jas Karanaph

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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:—

On Dr. Connolly's recommendation, a Dispensary patient, named Michael Donohoe, Newtown, Kilcolgan, was ordered to be sent to Galway Hospital for treatment.

The following tenders for supply of Medicines, were received:—

Boileau & Boyd.	offering abatement of	25½	per cent.
Sumner & Co.	Do	25	Do

Ordered — Accept tender of Messrs Boileau & Boyd.

The following tenders for supply of Appliances were received:—

Adamson & Co.	offering abatement of	30	per cent
Sumner & Co.	Do	33½	Do
Fannin & Co.	Do	33½	Do
Boileau & Boyd	Do	30	Do

Ordered — Accept tender of Messrs Fannin & Co.

Dr. Connolly, Medical Officer, Keshvara Dispensary District, wrote stating he was subpoenaed to attend the Galway Assizes on the 18th inst, as a Crown witness, and recommends Dr. Foley to do duty in his absence.

Ordered — Approved. Pay Dr. Foley scale fee.

Set Query Form
25 Mar 13

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

Patrick Burke tendered for repairs to Kinnara Dispensary Residence, for the sum of £27:14:0, which was considered too high, and fresh advertisements were ordered.

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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 Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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 22nd day of March 1913.

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

Present Net Annual Value, £43,610 6s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of March 1913.

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	Casuals			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	729	94														
Temporary Buildings ..	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	51															
Fever Sheds	—															
TOTAL	780	94														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	14	26	30			1	5	8	5				98
Admitted during the Week			1	1	1	1							23	4	3	27
Born											1					1
TOTAL,			10	15	27	31			1	5	9	23	4	3	126	
Discharged during the Week			2	2					2	1	18	3	2		30	
Died			1		1										2	
Total Discharged and Died			3	2	1				2	1	18	3	2		32	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			7	13	26	31			3	8	7	1	1		94	
															No. at corresponding period last year,	100.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of March 1913, 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.	52	81			52	81	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							TOTAL ..	52	81			52	81

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

the 22nd day of March 1913.

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and Jas Kavanagh

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Gort Union.

Finance Meeting, held on Saturday, the 8th day of March 1913.

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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief	2	4	..
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	2	4	..

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

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

TABLE (b)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries	73	1	10
Clothing and Bedding	28	1	10
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm	5	4	8
(d.) Other Expenses	35	5	9
Workhouse Burials	1	9	8
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	13	7	.
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	5	7	1
Medical Charities	1	5	9
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	3	3	.
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances	3	17	3
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	35	15	.
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	45	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...	210	15	1

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

February 1913.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	965	16	7			
Total sums received during the month	2	4	.			
Total	968	"	7			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Payments ordered during the month	210	15	1			
Total	210	15	1			
Net Balance due ^{to} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	757	5	6			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	1012	18	10			
Outstanding Orders	255	13	4			
Net Balance as above due ^{to} the Union	757	5	6			

Dated this 10th day of March 1913.

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Total	90	16	3	15	7	6	106	3	9				26	1	9	80	2	.

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	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hands at close of previous week ...	54	17 9 5					22 13 5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	54	17 9 5					22 13 5
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
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In Kind ...							
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8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...		3 3 13 19 11					14 3 2
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2 .. Candles

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Submitted letter from Local Govt. Board. No. 13, 185, dated 20th inst. sanctioning payment of £5. to Mr. John E. Hayll, as remuneration for his services in taking and valuing stock in the Workhouse for the current half-year.

A supply of Medicines for the Workhouse, c £4: 12: 1¹/₂, and appliances c £2: 17: 8¹/₂, were ordered.

The Master reported that he lodged to the credit of the Union, a sum of £6: 11: 9. for maintenance, &c. approved.

circular letter from Local Govt. Board, relative to the relief of persons insured under the National Health Insurance Act. was marked "read"

Pursuant to notice: -

Mr. Sweeney, proposed, and
Mr. Michael, O'Donnell, seconded: -

"That the order made on the 8th inst, proposing the appointment of a Fever Hospital Nurse, at a salary of £40 = per annum, with retires, be rescinded."

Rejected by 17 votes to 13.

the Guardians then proceeded to appoint a ^{Fever} Nurse when the following applications were received: -
B. Duggan, Dunganon, J. Kirgan, Strabane, Isabel Kavanagh, Clifden, and A. M. Kalbraith, Loughrea.

On the motion of Mr. Sewell, seconded by Mr. Martin, O'Donnell, Miss, A. M. Kalbraith, was unanimously appointed, subject to the approval of the Local Govt. Board.

There was only one applicant for the position of Wardsmaid in the Infirmary, namely, Mary Doyle who was appointed subject to Local Govt. Board's approval.

The usual Easter fare was allowed for the inmates.

Resolved — "Having read the letter from the Resident Medical Superintendent of Ballinasloe Asylum, forwarded by the Secretary of the County Council, the Guardians desire to state, after notice to each member, and careful consideration, that they are prepared to treat with the Asylum Authorities for the handing over of the Workhouse for use as an Auxiliary Lunatic Asylum, on conditions that suitable portions are retained as general and Fever Hospitals, and for the accommodation of the aged and infirm classes."

"The Guardians invite consideration of this proposal"

Copies to
 Inspector of Lunatics
 Asylum and Ballinasloe
 R.M. & Ballinasloe
 31 Dec 13
 G. & J. See Co. Co.
 24 March 13

The clerk asked instructions as to whether proceedings are to be taken against Michael Tracey for £10. in part payment of the cost of maintenance and treatment of his wife while in the Hospital.

Adjourned

The clerk reported that on Dr. Moran's recommendation two ~~are~~ infirm patients named Nagle and Duggan being urgent cases, were sent to Galway Hospital for treatment, and 7/- and 5/- travelling expenses respectively, allowed.

Approved

On the Medical Officer's recommendation a hospital patient named Cooney was ordered to be sent to Galway Hospital for treatment.

Ordered — That a sum of £4:10:0 due by Michael Fahy for maintenance be struck off, as he has no visible means; and adjourn ^{consideration of} the charge for James Kholloy, for attendance of local guardians

Ordered — The Local Govt. Board are requested to state if they sanction the proposal referred to in Minutes of 14th December, and 11th January last, to allow dresses at 10/- to each of 6 workmaids.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

The Bonds and other Securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April 1913.

(Signed), [Signature]
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 22nd day of March 1913.

clothing was allowed for the following boarded out children: —

Bridget Hurley	cost not to exceed	15/-
Pat Hynes	do	15/-
Mary Hurley	do	15/-
John Fahy	do	15/-

The following proposals were received for the hiring out of Peter Carroll, aged 14 years: —

Patt Fahy, offering wages of £4 = per annum, and clothing			
Michael Geoghegan	do	£6:1:0	do
Bridget Burke	do	£3 =	do

Ordered — That Peter Carroll, be hired out with Mrs Bridget Burke of Loughtyshaughnessy, (who nursed him) at £4 = for one year, she to provide clothing in addition.

(Signed),

Angela Reed
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 22nd day of March 1913.

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

Other Guardians:—

MARTIN BRENNAN.
MARTIN J. BURKE.
~~JOHN CAHILL.~~
WILLIAM CARR.
~~JOHN CALLANAN.~~
~~THOMAS P. CORLESS.~~
MARTIN COEN.
MICHAEL CURTIN.
JOHN DONOHOE.
~~EDWARD FAHY.~~
MICHAEL FEENEY.
THOMAS GALBRAITH.
FERGUS GILL.

MARTIN GLYNN.
PATRICK J. HAYES.
JAMES HEADD.
COLMAN HIGGINS.
JAMES JOYCE.
~~JOHN KAVANAGH.~~
JOHN KEANE.
~~MORTIMER KEELY.~~
THOMAS LALLY.
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PATRICK LINNANE.
MICHAEL NAUGHTON.
JOHN NEWELL.

PATRICK F. NILAN.
JAMES NOONE.
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PATRICK O'SHAUGHNESSY
~~BARTLY QUINN.~~
WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.
PATRICK RYAN.
OWEN SWEENEY.
MICHAEL TANNIAN.

James Kavanagh

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>	3	3	9	Medicines } ordered Appliances }
<i>do</i>	1	3	5	

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.	

WALTER THORP
Government and I
OFFICE HOURS—10 TO

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

Dublin, 20th March 1913

REPORT upon Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Gort
Union Abraham Dispensary, and received by me on 12th March 1913
Drugs received in Stock 22nd Feby 1913
Report Signed 20th March 1913

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

		Standards.
1. Name of Medicine	<u>Creosote</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>1.082</u>	<u>1.079</u>
Extract		grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids		
Alcohol by volume	<u>Distils between 200/220 c.</u>	
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
2. Name of Medicine	<u>Funct. Opil</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.961</u>	<u>0.950 to 0.960</u>
Extract	<u>3.24</u>	grammes in 100 c.c. <u>3</u>
Alkaloids	<u>0.724</u>	" " <u>0.76 to 0.8</u>
Alcohol by volume	<u>42.45</u>	<u>42.</u>
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
3. Name of Medicine	<u>Funct. Belladonnae</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.914</u>	<u>0.910 to 0.916</u>
Extract	<u>1.20</u>	grammes in 100 c.c. <u>0.5</u>
Alkaloids	<u>0.049</u>	" " <u>0.048 to 0.052</u>
Alcohol by volume	<u>60.92</u>	<u>57.</u>
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
4. Name of Medicine		
Specific Gravity		
Extract		grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids		" " "
Alcohol by volume		
Observations		

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

Signed, W. Thorp F.R.C.

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:—

Two tenders were received for repairs to Keenara Dispensary Residence, viz:—

John P. Ryan	c	£ 23: 10: 0
Thomas Beech	c	£ 26: 7: 6.

Ordered— Advertise again as both tenders exceed Engineer's estimate.

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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 Dispensary Districts, viz. :-

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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 5th day of April 1913.

(Signed), *Myler Burt*
Clerk of the Union

Present Net Annual Value, £43,610 6s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of March 1913.

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	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	729	86														Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In Separate Wards with other Inmates		
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital			
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														TOTAL, 24	TOTAL, 11		
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	—														OBSERVATIONS			
Fever Sheds	—	—																	
TOTAL	780	86																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	11	27	28			1	4	6	4	1	1	92				
Admitted during the Week			1	1		3								4	6	3	28		
Born																			
TOTAL,			10	12	27	31			1	4	6	18	7	4	120				
Discharged during the Week			2	2	2									17	7	4	34		
Died																			
Total Discharged and Died			2	2	2									17	7	4	34		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			8	10	25	31			1	4	6	1			86	No. at corresponding period last year, 97			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of March 1913 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.	52	81			52	81	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							TOTAL ..	52	81			52	81

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

the 5th day of April 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians :—

~~MARTIN BRENNAN.~~
~~MARTIN J. BURKE.~~
~~JOHN CAHILL.~~
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The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

and Michael Linnane
 (5)

[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 5th day of April 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 3270 to No. 3310

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of March 1913 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 ...	45	57	14	9	4	59	14	11							22	4	37	8	624	
Necessaries ...	27	16	4	1	6	27	7	10							3	18	2	19		8
Total ...	73	1	11	14	10	87	12	9							26	12	5	61		4

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		4	8
Average Cost in Infirmary		6	6
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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Outdoor Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Outdoor 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of April 19 13 was submitted as follows:--

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	GORMALLY	LEECH					
	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 hands at close of previous week ...	19 15 .	9 10 5					29 5 5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19 15 .	9 10 5					29 5 5
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	4 6 .	1 19 .					6 5 .
In Kind
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	.	5 7 .					. 5 7
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out 14 9	1 10 6					2 5 3
7. Total Relief given	5 6 4	3 9 6					8 15 10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	14 8 8	6 . 11					20 9 7
9. Total ...	19 15 .	9 10 5					29 5 5

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 in the Minutes.

Dated this 5th day of April 19 13.

James B. Burt
Clerk of 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:—

570 lbs W. Bread
 24 .. B ..
 70 .. Meat
 14 .. Sugar
 2 Dg Brandy
 2 lbs Tobacco

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

① The Master reported that he lodged a sum of £12: 9: 9 for in-maintenance to credit of the Union.

② That on the recommendation of the medical officer he sent John Fahy ^{a Hospital Patient} of Derryvee, to a Dublin Hospital at cost of £1. approved

③ That there is a leakage in the Laundry Boiler. ordered — Referred to Visiting Committee.

④ That he is not feeling well and the Matron is discharging his duties. "Approved"

Ordered — Charge Thomas Molloy a sum of £1. for maintenance of his child in Hospital.

Ordered — On the Medical officer's recommendation a Hospital patient named Rooney was ordered to be sent to Mercer's Hospital for treatment, and usual expenses for patient and attendant allowed.

A bill of Frank Caffrey's Plumber, amounting to £4:12:6, for extra work in Hospital, was referred to Engineer.

14 June 1902

Miss Barrett Night Nurse applied for an allowance of 2/6 per week for Laundry. "Adjourned"

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 4th inst. requesting to be informed whether the Medical officer of the Workhouse is satisfied, as to the suitability of Mary Doyle as Wardsmaid in the Hospital.

Ordered — The Medical officer does consider the girl suitable.

The Clerk reported that he has on hands a cheque for £2:8:8 for salary due to Bridget Kelly, late Wardsmaid, now deceased.

Ordered — cheque to be handed to the girl's uncle provided he gets some person to guarantee the guardians against any other claim for same.

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Ordered — cheque to be handed to the girl's uncle provided he gets some person to guarantee the guardians against any other claim for same.

Solicitor is requested to apply for cost of maintenance due by Mrs Mary Carroll, Catherine Kelly and Mary Walsh.

14 April '10

Read letter from Local Govt Board dated 4th inst. stating they will not object to the proposal to allow a dress at a cost of 10/- to each of the 6 Warden maids in the Workhouse.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 19th day of April 1913.

(Signed), *James 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 5th day of April 1913

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 26th ulto. suggesting that before Peter Carroll is hired out to service a medical report should be made upon his present state of health, and his fitness for work.

Ordered — Request Dr. Moran to see this boy.

From Local Govt. Board dated 26th ulto. stating they have sanctioned the boarding-out of a child named Mary Connolly with Miss Sarah Thompson.

clothing was allowed the following children: —

John Walsh (Kilenny)	not to exceed	15/-
Pat Stynes	do	14/-
Margaret Kalvin	do	15/-

(Signed),

Amey Burt
Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

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

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

Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 5th day of April 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians:—

~~MARTIN BRENNAN.~~
~~MARTIN J. BURKE.~~
~~JOHN CAHILL.~~
~~WILLIAM CARR.~~
~~JOHN CALLANAN.~~
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and Michael Linnane (5)

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	£	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:—

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 31st ulto, sanctioning remuneration of £1:1:0 to Dr. Foley as temporary substitute for Dr. Connolly, during his absence on leave.

R. O'Leach reported that he requested Dr. Foley to attend Kinvara Dispensary station on 25th March owing to the absence of Dr. Connolly at a Labourer's Inquiry in fort.

"and pay Dr. Connolly scale fee."

"approved"

Set down from
12 April 13

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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. :—

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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Peter Lambert

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 19th day of April 1913.

(Signed), *Myler Beub*
Clerk of the Union.

Present Net Annual Value, £43,610 6s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of April 1913

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	Casuals			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	729	97														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	—														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	780	97														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			9	10	25	31		1	2	5	7	1				91
Admitted during the Week			4	1	2		1					6	2			16
Born																
TOTAL			13	11	27	31	1	1	2	5	7	7	2			107
Discharged during the Week			1	2	3							3	1			10
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			1	2	3							3	1			10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			12	9	24	31	1	1	2	5	7	4	1			97
																No. at corresponding period last year, } 97

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of April 1913, 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.	52	76			52	76	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							TOTAL ..	52	76			52	76

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

the 19th day of April 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians :—

- | | | | |
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| MARTIN BRENNAN. | MICHAEL FEENEY. | MORTIMER KEELY. | MARTIN O'DONNELL. |
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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 19th day of April 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 3310 to No. 3360

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of April 1913 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	34	3	4	22	10	10	76	14	2				21	19		54	15	2
Necessaries	26	2	7				26	2	7				3	5	2	22	17	5
Total	80	5	11	22	10	10	102	16	9				25	4	2	77	12	7

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		4	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary		6	1 $\frac{1}{4}$
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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Outdoor Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Outdoor 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of April 1913 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer GORMALLY		Relieving Officer LEECH		Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL £ s d.				
	District No. I. £ s. d.		District No. II. £ s. d.		District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.	District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.					
1. Balance in hands at close of previous week ...	9	10	22	11	5					31	12	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...													
3. Total to be accounted for ...	9	10	22	11	5					31	12	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money ...	4	5	6	1	19						6	4	6
In Kind ...													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility													
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		14	9	1	10	6					2	5	3
7. Total Relief given	5	3	3	9	6						8	9	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4		7	19	1						23	2	8
9. Total ...	9	10	22	11	5						31	12	3

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 in the Minutes.

Dated this 19th day of April 1913

James Burt
Clerk of 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:—

664 lbs White Bread
 30 .. Brown ..
 86 .. Meat.
 240 Eggs
 130 lbs Butter
 2 .. Tobacco

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

The Master reported^① that he lodged a sum of £ 6. 2. 5. for m-maintenance, &c. to credit of the Union.

"Approved"

② That a sum of 14/- is due for maintenance of Bridget Kley late Wardenmaid.
 Ordered — Stop from cheque going to girl's uncle.

③. that he has failed to procure a man to do the necessary repairs to the Workhouse roofs.
 Ordered — Try again

④ That a new Turnip cutter is required.
 Ordered — Procure new Turnip Cutter.

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, No. 17569, dated 11th April, sanctioning the appointment of Miss Agnes M. Galbraith as Fever Nurse in the Workhouse, at salary of £40 = per annum, with an allowance of 6/6 a week in lieu of rations, on the understanding that she resigns the office of Nurse in the Workhouse of Loughree Union.

From Local Govt Board, No. 16380, dated 11th April, approving of the appointment of Mary Doyle, as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse, at a salary of £10, a year, with rations.

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 11th inst stating they have received a report from their Inspector, Mr. Jack Beresford, in which he states "that on Thursday the 3rd inst. Mr. J. D. Nelly, Master of the Workhouse, was not well, and went to the Dispensary with the idea of getting a dose of salts, but, made a mistake, and took poison instead, and requesting the guardians to obtain a report from the Medical Officer on the subject.

The following report was received:—

Govt. April 18th 1913.

the Govt Board of Guardians,

Gentlemen,

In compliance with letter from Local Govt. Board No 176 31/1913. I beg to inform you that on the 3rd inst. I was called to see Mr Nelly who informed me that he had taken what he thought was a dose of salts, which he procured from the Dispensary, and was feeling unwell since. I examined the remains of the parcel and concluded he had taken sulphate of Zinc. His stomach was washed out immediately and the necessary antidotes applied through the stomach tube, and there were no more symptoms.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant

J. P. Moran. M. O.

Submitted notification of transfer from County Fund of £ 572. 10. 0, being on a/c of first instalment of Guardians demand to 31st March 1914.

The Stocktaker submitted his valuation, &c. of the stock of Provisions, clothing, &c. in the Workhouse on the 31st March last.

The following worn out articles were cancelled, the Matron to use any suitable pieces for repairs: -
 26 Pillow slips, 45 sheets, 1 Double Blanket, 8 Rugs, 6 Straw
 ticks, 28 Mattresses, 1 Feather Pillow, 2 Rollers, 1 Men's jacket,
 6 Waistcoats, 6 Trowsers, 22 shirts, 11 shoes, 12 socks, 2 caps, 6 Flannel
 Drawers, 1 Flannel Vest, 12 Women's jackets, 9 Upper Petticoats,
 9 Under Petticoats, 28 chemises, 30 aprons, 7 Neckchiefs, 13 Shoes,
 20 Stockings, 4 caps, 18 Shawls, 14 Girls Frocks, 13 Petticoats
 10 Bibs, 6 shoes, and 1 stocking.

The Visiting Committee reported as follows: -

"We have examined the Boiler in the Laundry, and we recommend it to be referred to the Engineer to inspect and report thereon."
 23 April 1855 "Approved"

A resolution of the Ballinasloe Guardians protesting against the erection of new Buildings as an addition to Ballinasloe Lunatic Asylum, was adopted.

Ordered - Consideration of taking proceedings against Tracey for £10, on acc of his wife's maintenance was again adjourned.

On the Medical Officer's recommendation a Hospital patient named Mrs Stynes was ordered to be sent to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Dublin, for treatment, and 25/- expenses allowed.

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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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of May 1913.

(Signed), [Signature]
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 19th day of April 1913.

Dr. Moran, Medical Officer, Gort Dispensary District, wrote stating that the boy Peter Carroll, whom the Guardians propose to hire out with Mrs Bume Loughyshaughnessy, is in a fit state to be hired out, and his general health is good.

15/- worth of clothing was allowed for a boarded out child named John Harley

(Signed),

James Burt
 Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

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

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

Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 19th day of April 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr. Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians:—

~~MARTIN BRENNAN.~~
~~MARTIN J. BURKE.~~
~~JOHN CAHILL.~~
~~WILLIAM CARR.~~
~~JOHN CALLANAN.~~
~~THOMAS P. CORLESS.~~
~~MARTIN COEN.~~
~~MICHAEL CURTIN.~~
~~JOHN DONOHUE.~~
~~EDWARD FAHY.~~
~~MICHAEL FEENEY.~~
~~THOMAS GALBRAITH.~~
~~FERGUS GILL.~~

~~MARTIN GLYNN.~~
~~PATRICK J. HAYES.~~
~~JAMES HEADD.~~
~~GOLMAN HIGGINS.~~
~~JAMES JOYCE.~~
~~JOHN KAVANAGH.~~
~~JOHN KEANE.~~
~~MORTIMER KEELY.~~
~~THOMAS LALLY.~~
~~PATRICK LAMBERT.~~
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~~MICHAEL NAUGHTON.~~
~~JOHN NEWELL.~~

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~~BARTLY QUINN.~~
~~WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.~~
~~PATRICK RYAN.~~
~~OWEN SWEENEY.~~
~~MICHAEL TANNIAN.~~

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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.	

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ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

OFFICE HOURS—10 TO 5.

Dublin, 14th April 1913

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Gort
Union Workhouse Dispensary, and received by me on 5th April 1913
Drugs received in Stock 31st March 1913
Report Signed 14th April 1913

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

		Standards.
1. Name of Medicine	<u>Infant-Camphe Co</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.918</u>	<u>0.915 to 0.920</u>
Extract	<u>0.42</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	<u>0.33</u>
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume	<u>57.69</u>	<u>57.</u>
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
2. Name of Medicine	<u>Syr Pruni Virg</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>1.295</u>	<u>1.28 to 1.32</u>
Extract	grammes in 100 c.c.	
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume		
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
3. Name of Medicine	<u>Infant-Digitalis</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.935</u>	<u>0.930 to 0.935</u>
Extract	<u>3.58</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	<u>3</u>
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume	<u>55.60</u>	
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	<u>53</u>
4. Name of Medicine		
Specific Gravity		
Extract	grammes in 100 c.c.	
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume		
Observations		

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

Signed,

W Thorp F.I.C.

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ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

OFFICE HOURS—10 TO 5.

Dublin, 14th April 1913

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Fort-
Union Fort- Dispensary, and received by me on 5th April 1913
Drugs received in Stock 31st March 1913
Report Signed 14th April 1913

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

		Standards.
1. Name of Medicine	<u>Jinct-Camph Co</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.918</u>	<u>0.915 to 0.920</u>
Extract	<u>0.44</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	<u>0.33</u>
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume	<u>57.80</u>	<u>57.</u>
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
2. Name of Medicine	<u>Ext-Ergotae liq.</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>1.02</u>	<u>1.014 to 1.023</u>
Extract	<u>13.34</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	<u>12</u>
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume	<u>30.40</u>	<u>30.</u>
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
3. Name of Medicine	<u>Jinct-Iodid</u>	
Specific Gravity	<u>0.882</u>	<u>0.875 to 0.880</u>
Extract	<u>Jodine 2.62</u> grammes in 100 c.c.	<u>2.5</u>
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume	<u>86.54</u>	<u>85.</u>
Observations	<u>Genuine</u>	
4. Name of Medicine		
Specific Gravity		
Extract		grammes in 100 c.c.
Alkaloids	" " "	
Alcohol by volume		
Observations		

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

Signed, _____

W Thorp FIC

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OFFICE HOURS—10 TO 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

Dublin, 7th April 1913

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Louth
Union Kennera Dispensary, and received by me on 12th March 1913
Drugs received in Stock 20th Feb 1913
Report Signed W Thorp 1913

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

- | | | Standards. |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Name of Medicine | <u>Acid Phosphoric Dil.</u> | |
| Specific Gravity | <u>1.084</u> | <u>1.08</u> |
| Extract | <u>H₃PO₄ 15.75</u> | grammes in 100 c.c. |
| Alkaloids | " " " | " " " |
| Alcohol by volume | | |
| Observations | <u>Genuine.</u> | |
| 2. Name of Medicine | <u>Opt. Vinic Meth.</u> | |
| Specific Gravity | <u>0.875</u> | |
| Extract | | grammes in 100 c.c. |
| Alkaloids | " " " | " " " |
| Alcohol by volume | | |
| Observations | <u>Genuine.</u> | |
| 3. Name of Medicine | <u>Potassium Bromide</u> | |
| Specific Gravity | | |
| Extract | | grammes in 100 c.c. |
| Alkaloids | " " " | " " " |
| Alcohol by volume | <u>had gram reqs 85.500 to AgNO₃.</u> | |
| Observations | <u>Genuine.</u> | |
| 4. Name of Medicine | | |
| Specific Gravity | | |
| Extract | | grammes in 100 c.c. |
| Alkaloids | " " " | " " " |
| Alcohol by volume | | |
| Observations | | |

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

Signed, W Thorp F.I.C.

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 :—

Forms for obtaining Parliamentary grants were this day signed

Galway County Council Archives

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 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. :—

Ardrahan	—	41 defaulters	
Wort	—	36	do
Kinvara	—	57	do

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

R. O. Gormally to serve usual notice at remuneration of $\frac{3}{6}$, $\frac{3}{-}$ and $\frac{3}{6}$, per list respectively.

Michael O'Donnell

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 3rd
day of May 1913.

(Signed),

Myler Beub
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

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Present Net Annual Value, £43,610 6s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of April 1913.

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	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	729	93														Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In Separate Wards with other inmates
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														28	—
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														—	—
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	—														—	—
Fever Sheds	—	—														—	—
TOTAL	780	93														28	—
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	9	25	31	1	1	2	5	7	2			93		
Admitted during the Week			2	1	3	1						7	2		16		
Born																	
TOTAL,			12	10	28	32	1	1	2	5	7	9	2		109		
Discharged during the Week			1	1	1	1		1			1	8			14		
Died			1		1										2		
Total Discharged and Died			2	1	2	1		1			1	8			16		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			10	9	26	31	1		2	5	6	2			93		
															No. at corresponding period last year,)		89

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of April 1913 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.	52	76			52	76	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							TOTAL ..	52	76			52	76

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of May 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians:—

- | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| MARTIN BRENNAN. | MICHAEL FEENEY. | MORTIMER KEELY. | MARTIN O'DONNELL. |
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No meeting - a quorum not attending until more than one hour after the appointed time. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Gort Union.

Finance Meeting, held on Saturday, the 19th day of April 1913.

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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	480	10	.
Repayment of Relief	68		4
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	11	4	9
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts	5	11	5
Loans received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above	491	4	9
	503	14	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)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries	9	3	2
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	180	1	11
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	12	2	4
(c.) Farm	20	10	6
(d.) Other Expenses	41	19	9
Workhouse Burials	1	4	.
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	10	16	9
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	57	10	.
Medical Charities	182	8	1
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	2	2	.
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	26	19	9
Superannuation Allowances	29	18	1
<i>Cash in lieu of rations</i> Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	8	1	5
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	13	11	6
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	50	x	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	62	14	9
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	682 2	4 18	3 4

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March 1913.

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	757	5	6			
Total sums received during the month	503	14	6			
Total	1261	"	"			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	682	4	3			
Payments ordered during the month	682	4	3			
Total	682	4	3			
Net Balance due ^{to} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	578	15	9			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	1261	15	.			
Outstanding Orders	679	5	11			
	682	19	3			
Net Balance as above due ^{to} the Union	578	15	9			
	582	9	1			

Dated this 21st day of April 1913.

Angela Burt
Clerk of the Union.

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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 3rd day of May 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. 859 to No. 878

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of April 1913, 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 Day.					
							By Inmates		By Officers		Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.		d.				
Provisions ...	52	19	8	156	2	68	5	10			21	8	9	46	17	1	634
Necessaries ...	19	12	5			19	12	5			3	11	5	16	1		
Total ...	72	12	1	156	2	87	18	3			25	2	62	18	1		

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...			4 7 8
Average Cost in Infirmary			5 7 8
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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Outdoor Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Outdoor 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,
the 3rd day of May 1913 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer GORMALLY		Relieving Officer LEECH		Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL					
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.					District No. V. £ s. d.	District No. VI. £ s. d.	£	s	d.	
1. Balance in hands at close of pre- vious week ...	18	19	10	15	5	8					34	5	6	
2. Money since ad- vanced by Guardians ...														
3. Total to be ac- counted for ...	18	19	10	15	5	8					34	5	6	
EXPENDITURE.														
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—														
In Money ...	4	6		1	15	6						6	16	
In Kind ...														
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Re- lieving Officer on his own Responsibility		7	6		7	3							14	9
6. Orphans and De- serted Children boarded out ...		14	9		1	10	6						25	3
7. Total Relief given	5	8	3	3	13	3						9	16	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	13	11	7	11	12	5						25	4	
9. Total	18	19	10	15	5	8						34	5	6

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 in the Minutes.

Dated this 3rd day of May 1913

Amey Beech
Clerk of 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. W. Bread
18 " B ..
90 " Meat
400 Eggs
2 lbs Tobacco

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

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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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May 1913.

(Signed), *Amey Beuch*
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 3rd day of May 1913.

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(Signed), Imogen Beub
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 3rd day of May 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

*no meeting - a quorum not attending until
more than one hour after the appointed
hour.*

MARTIN BRENNAN.
MARTIN J. BURKE.
JOHN CAHILL.
WILLIAM CARR.
JOHN CALLANAN.
THOMAS P. CORLESS.
MARTIN COEN.
MICHAEL CURTIN.
JOHN DONOHOE.
EDWARD FAHY.
MICHAEL FEENEY.
THOMAS GALBRAITH.
FERGUS GILL.

MARTIN GLYNN.
PATRICK J. HAYES.
JAMES HEADD.
COLMAN HIGGINS.
JAMES JOYCE.
JOHN KAVANAGH.
JOHN KEANE.
MORTIMER KEELY.
THOMAS LALLY.
PATRICK LAMBERT.
PATRICK LINNANE.
MICHAEL NAUGHTON.
JOHN NEWELL.

PATRICK F. NILAN.
JAMES NOONE.
RICHARD P. O'ELAHERTY.
LAURENCE O'DONNELL.
MARTIN O'DONNELL.
MICHAEL O'DONNELL.
THOMAS O'NEILL.
PATRICK O'SHAUGHNESSY
BARTLY QUINN.
WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.
PATRICK RYAN.
OWEN SWEENEY.
MICHAEL TANNIAN.

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>Adaha</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3¹/₂</i>	<i>Medicines ordered</i>
<i>Do</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>8¹/₂</i>	<i>Appliances</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.	

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. :—

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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

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Michael O'Donnell

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May 1913.

(Signed), *James Buech*
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £43,610 6s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of May 1913.

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	Casuals			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date
Workhouse	729	96														
Temporary Buildings ..	-	-														
Additional Workhouse ..	-	-														
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	-														
Fever Sheds	-	-														
TOTAL	780	96														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			7	9	27	30	1	1	2	5	6	3				91
Admitted during the Week			1	2					1	2		0	15	7	1	29
Born																
TOTAL			7	10	29	30	1	1	3	7	6	18	7	1		120
Discharged during the Week			3	1	1							13	5	1		24
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			3	1	1							13	5	1		24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			4	9	28	30	1	1	3	7	6	5	2			96
															No. at corresponding period last year, }	96

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of May 1913 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.	54	78			54	78	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							TOTAL ..	54	78			54	78

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May 1913.

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

Other Guardians:—

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

- MICHAEL FEENEY.
- THOMAS CALBRAITH.
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- JAMES HEADD.
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- LAURENCE O'DONNELL.

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- MICHAEL O'DONNELL.
- THOMAS O'NEILL.
- PATRICK O'SHAUGHNESSY.
- BARTLY QUINN.
- WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.
- PATRICK RYAN.
- OWEN SWEENEY.
- MICHAEL TANNIAN.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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 17th day of May 1913

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

Indoor, from No. 3360 to No. 3430

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of May 1913, 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	41	11	3	26	11	11	68	3	2				22	13	6	45	9	8	654
Necessaries	20	3	8	10	16		30	19	8				3	18	6	27	1	2	
Total	61	14	11	37	7	11	99	2	10				26	12		72	10	10	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...			4 6
Average Cost in Infirmary			5 9
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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The Outdoor Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Outdoor 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,
the 17th day of May 1913 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer GORMALLY		Relieving Officer LEECH		Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I. £ s. d.	District No. II. £ s. d.	District No. III. £ s. d.	District No. IV. £ s. d.					
1. Balance in hands at close of pre- vious week ...	877	7181							1658
2. Money since ad- vanced by Guardians ...									
3. Total to be ac- counted for ...	877	7181							1658
EXPENDITURE.									
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—									
In Money ...	46	1156							616
In Kind ...									
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Re- lieving Officer on his own Responsibility	87	84							1311
6. Orphans and De- serted Children boarded out ...	143	1106							249
7. Total Relief given	5570	3144							92
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	319	434							756
9. Total ...	877	7181							1658

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 17th day of May 1913

Myling Burt
Clerk of 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 :—

640 lbs White Bread
60 .. Meat
300 Eggs
47 lbs Butter
130 St Potatoes
1 lb Tobacco
160 cwt Coal.

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were 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):—

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 28th ulto. referring to a report from the Medical officer of the Workhouse as to the circumstances under which a poisonous drug was obtained from the Dispensary, and pointing out that Officers of the Workhouse should not be allowed to have access to Medicines in the Dispensary which should be in charge of the Medical officer.

Ordered — copy has been sent to the Medical officer.

An inmate named Pat Leahill was allowed a pair of Boots on leaving the Workhouse.

Miss Bennett, Night Nurse, applied for a weekly allowance of $\frac{2}{6}$ for Laundry.

Ordered — The Guardians regret they cannot make this allowance. 20 May

John McNamee applied for payment for rations, which he alleged was due to him while acting as helper in the Fever Hospital.

Ordered — The prescribed rations were given to this man.

Ordered — Apply to James Keegan for $\frac{13}{11}$ travelling expenses paid on his behalf by Mercer's Hospital. 20 May 13

Ordered — Charge Patrick Long $\frac{5}{-}$ per week for his maintenance in the Infirmary.

Pat Courihan and John Leech, applied for ^{and were allowed} clothing which belonged to their wives who died in the Hospital.

The Head Postmaster, Galway, wrote asking would the Guardians have any objection to a letter box in the wall near the front gate of the Workhouse.

Ordered — The Guardians have no objection. 20 May 13

Ordered — That cheque No 888 £2. 18. 4 for quarters superannuation to 31st March, payable to Richard P. Burke, deceased, be cancelled, and a new paying order issued to his widow Mrs Ellen Burke, on production to the clerk of a letter from some responsible person guaranteeing the Guardians against any other claim on the amount.

The Master reported ① that he sold a skipper bow to Mr. Keran Labane, for £12. 5. 0, less 3/- luck. "approved"

2. That he lodged a sum of ~~£18. 11. 11~~ ^{32. 16. 11.} for maintenance. 46. to credit of the Union
Approved

3. That he would recommend the Guardians to provide a donkey or horse gear, for pumping water, owing to the scarcity of labour.

Ordered — Referred to Engineer for estimate. 20 May

Ordered — That a new Boiler, or Boilers, be provided for the Laundry. 20 May 59

On the Medical Officer's recommendation a patient named Cooney was ordered to be sent to a Dublin Hospital for treatment, and usual travelling expenses allowed.

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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 Acts.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 31st
day of May 1913

(Signed), [Signature]
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 17th day of May 1913

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 1st inst. pointing out that Relieving Officer Beech's report on John Walsh, boarded out child, with Mrs Ford, is not satisfactory, and that the child's school attendance is irregular, and requesting that the foster parent must be warned to keep the child more regularly at school.

Ordered — Inform Mrs Ford of this letter.

clothing was allowed the following children:—

Mary O'Boonng, not to exceed	15/-
Delia Burke	10/-
Martin Smith	10/-
Mr Ford	10/-
Mr Pieher	10/-
Mary Lally	15/-
Mary Brennan	15/-

Pat Connell wrote stating he purchased a suit of clothes for a boarded out child named Pat Sullivan, with his wife last year from Mrs. Taylor Ardahan. The child was taken from her afterwards, and brought into the Workhouse.

Ordered — Pay bill

(Signed),

Angela Burt
 Clerk of the Union.

Gort Union.

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

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

Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May 1913.

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

Other Guardians:—

MARTIN BRENNAN.
~~MARTIN J. BURKE.~~
~~JOHN CAHILL.~~
 WILLIAM CARR.
 JOHN CALLANAN.
~~THOMAS P. CORLESS.~~
 MARTIN COEN.
~~MICHAEL CURTIN.~~
~~JOHN DONOHUE.~~
 EDWARD FAHY.
 MICHAEL FEENEY.
~~THOMAS GALBRAITH.~~
~~FERGUS GILL.~~

~~MARTIN GLYNN.~~
~~PATRICK J. HAYES.~~
~~JAMES HEADD.~~
 COLMAN HIGGINS.
~~JAMES JOYCE.~~
~~JOHN KAVANAGH.~~
~~JOHN KEANE.~~
~~MORTIMER KEELY.~~
 THOMAS LALLY.
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~~MICHAEL NAUGHTON.~~
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~~THOMAS O'NEILL.~~
~~PATRICK O'SHAUGHNESSY.~~
 BARTLY QUINN.
 WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.
 PATRICK RYAN.
~~OWEN SWEENEY.~~
 MICHAEL TANNIAN.

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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.	
<u>Ardrakan</u>	4	5	3 ³ / ₄	} Medicines } } Appliances } ordered
<u>do</u>	1	18	8 ¹ / ₂	
<u>Kindara</u>	8	5	7 ¹ / ₄	} Medicines } } Appliances } ordered
<u>do</u>	1	3	1 ¹ / ₂	

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:—

Read letter from Local Govt. Board dated 15th inst, requesting the Guardians to take steps to enforce strict compliance with the Vaccination Acts in the Union.

Ordered — Notices have been served and the defaulters are coming in.

From Local Govt. Board dated 15th inst, forwarding extract of a report from Dr. Bonnelly, calling attention to certain defects in the Dispensary Buildings at Kinnivara.

Ordered — Referred to Engineer. 20 May

The Secretary of the County Council wrote asking the use of the Govt Dispensary on the third Thursday of each month, to enable Dr. O'Carne to confer with persons suffering from Tuberculosis

Ordered — The Guardians have no objection. 20 May 13

Ordered — On Dr. Moran's request a visiting ticket issued to Bridget Hession of Georges St. Govt was cancelled, on the grounds that she was possessed of ample means, and was not a person entitled to Poor Law Relief

Dismissed
20 May 13

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

R. O'Leach reported that Dr. Foley, Ardara, was summoned as a crown witness to the Petty Sessions on the 17th inst, and he requisitioned Dr. Connolly to discharge his duty on that day.

Ordered — Pay Dr. Connolly £1:1:0

James J. J.
19 May

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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 Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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

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P. Lambert

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May 1913.

(Signed), *Amey Burt*
Clerk of the Union.

GORT UNION.

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Present Net Annual Value, £43,610 6s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of May 1913.

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	Casuals			TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse	729	90														26	In Separate Wards
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														—	In Wards with other Inmates
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	51	—															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	780	90														TOTAL, 26	TOTAL, 11
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			5	9	27	29	1	1	3	5	6	1			87		
Admitted during the Week			2	2	1	1						12	3	1	22		
Born																	
TOTAL,			7	11	28	30	1	1	3	5	6	13	3	1	109		
Discharged during the Week			1	1	3							11	2	1	19		
Died																	
Total Discharged and Died			1	1	3							11	2	1	19		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	10	25	30	1	1	3	5	6	2	1		90	No. at corresponding period last year, 89.	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of May 1913, 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.	52	76			52	76	Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.							No. X.						
							TOTAL ..	52	76			52	76

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Mr Patrick Lambert

Other Guardians:—

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

~~MICHAEL FEENEY.~~
~~THOMAS GALBRAITH.~~
~~EERGUS GILL.~~
~~MARTIN GLYNN.~~
~~PATRICK J. HAYES.~~
~~JAMES HEADD.~~
~~GOLMAN HIGGINS.~~
~~JAMES JOYCE.~~
~~JOHN KAVANAGH.~~
~~JOHN KEANE.~~

~~MORTIMER KEELY.~~
~~THOMAS LALLY.~~
~~PATRICK LAMBERT.~~
~~PATRICK LINNANE.~~
~~MICHAEL NAUGHTON.~~
~~JOHN NEWELL.~~
~~PATRICK P. NILAN.~~
~~JAMES NOONE.~~
~~RICHARD P. O'FLAHERTY.~~
~~LAURENCE O'DONNELL.~~

~~MARTIN O'DONNELL.~~
~~MICHAEL O'DONNELL.~~
~~THOMAS O'NEILL.~~
~~PATRICK O'SHAUGHNESSY.~~
~~BARTLY QUINN.~~
~~WILLIAM ROSEINGRAVE.~~
~~PATRICK RYAN.~~
~~OWEN SWEENEY.~~
~~MICHAEL TANNIAN.~~

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The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Gort Union.

Finance Meeting, held on Saturday, the 17th day of May 1913.

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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	572	10	-
Repayment of Relief	1	5	10
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	4	16	7
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above	578	12	5

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)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries	54	3	5
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses		15	.
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	7	17	"
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	3	.	.
Medical Charities	7	6	.
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	5	14	.
Superannuation Allowances	6	13	7
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	40	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
<i>Petty Cash</i>	15	.	.
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...	140	9	11