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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of May 1916

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
Workhouse	740	209
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hosptl.	38	6
Fever Sheds	—	-
TOTAL	778	215

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	35	45	56	66	2	5	7	6	6	228
Admitted during the Week -	40	14	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	55
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	75	59	56	66	2	5	8	6	6	283
Discharged during the Week	41	19	1	-	1	1	2	1	2	68
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -	41	19	1	-	1	1	2	1	2	68
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	34	40	55	66	1	4	6	5	4	215

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	49	In separate Wards	44
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	55	TOTAL,	44

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	8	.	39
No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	.	4
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of May 1916 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	139	339			139	339
No. II.	43	72			43	72
No. III.	22	32			22	32
TOTAL	204	443			204	443

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 5th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians— Mr. Hamill. Messrs. O'Meara. Treanor. Mackean. Hughes. Rev. Sharkey

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

On Friday last about 12:30 P.M. a patient of the hospital named Duncan McAllister attempted to commit Suicide by cutting his throat with a razor.

From the report of the Wardsman it appears that McAllister went to the Bathroom for the purpose of shaving and was subsequently found with his throat cut. The Medical Officer who was in the hospital at the time promptly attended him and requisitioned the services of Dr. O'Donnell who also attended. On a requisition from the Medical Officer I posted to Stevens Hospital Dublin for a special Nurse for the case. Nurse Kelly attended here and took up duty same evening.

Approved

The Washing machine for the Fever Hospital has arrived and should be inspected by a Committee of the Guardians before it is put in position.

Referred to Visiting Committee for Inspection at their meeting on Friday next.

Nurse McDermott begs to apply for her annual suit of Clothes.

Ward McDermott Wardsmaster Male Lunatic Department also applies for his outfit.

Ordered - Cost not to exceed £3 in each case.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows) :—

Sealed order of the Local Government Board for Ireland No. $\frac{2-2\ 553}{1916}$ dated the thirty first day of May 1916 directing every Superintendent-Registrar in Ireland who is not himself the Registration Officer to furnish to the Registration Officer on or before the first day of July next the particulars required to be supplied under the Acts and Rules relating to the registration of parliamentary and local government electors in Ireland.

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No. 26,116 : 1916 dated 3rd instant stating that they have had before them the proposal of the Guardians to allow the Master of the Workhouse remuneration of one pound a week for his services for a period of three weeks in discharging the duties of the Matron during her illness and requesting to be informed what additional duties were discharged by the Master and by which of the female Officers he was assisted.

Letter from the Boiler Insurance Company dated 30th ultimo stating that on the 16th instant one of their Inspectors made an ordinary inspection of No 2 Boiler whilst working and where seen found it in order.

The Inspectors report which pointed out some minor defects was referred to the Master with a direction to have the defects remedied.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was

Ordered - That the inmates Bridget McKeown Owen O'Neill and Mary Higgins be sent to extern hospitals for special treatment.

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Pursuant to advertisement of the 29th ultimo the Board received the following tenders for 7 Pigs now for sale at the Workhouse Viz:

L Goodman £57:10:0
Thomas Goodman £59:0:0
Edward McAleski £61:0:0
Peter Callaghan £62:0:0

and accepted the tender of mr. Peter Callaghan at £62 less 1/= net £61:15:0

On the suggestion of the Chairman it was Ordered - That the visiting Committee be asked to consider at their meeting on Friday next the propriety of further reducing the consumption of Coal in the house and disposing of the two boilers at the Workhouse.

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Patrick Hynes Chairman

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Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 5

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 3

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

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 5th day of June 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3126 to No. 3178

Separate „ No. ~ to No. ~

Outdoor „ 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 27th day of May 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	48 5 8	63 14 11	112 0 7	61 11 1	6 8 4	67 19 5	44 1 2	1544
Necessaries ...	234 17 9	1 10 4	236 8 1	17 13 8	1 8 8	19 2 4	217 5 9	
Total ...	283 3 5	65 5 3	348 8 8	79 4 9	7 17 -	87 1 9	261 6 11	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 2
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 2

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of May 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer ~~RICE~~ District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	39 13 1	8 17 -	7 10 8				56 0 9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 - -	10 - -	5 - -				39 1 9
3. Total to be accounted for	63 14 10	18 17 -	12 10 8				95 2 6
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	18 14 -	4 16	2 15 6				26 5 6
In Kind ...	6 0 10	- - -	- - -				6 0 10
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	19 4	- - -	- - -				- 19 4
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	12 -	3 4 -	1 4 -				5 - -
7. Total Relief given ...	26 6 2	8 - -	3 19 6				38 5 8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	37 8 8	10 17 -	8 11 2				56 16 10
9. TOTAL ...	63 14 10	18 17 -	12 10 8				95 2 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 on the minutes.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191__

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 5th day of June 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Hamill. Messrs O'Meara Treanor. Muckian Hughes. Roe. Sharkey.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Moved by Mr. Hamill
Seconded by Mr. Hughes and
Resolved - That the boy John Belton aged 4 years be barded out with Mrs. Mary Trainor of Drumbilla and that the usual allowance of Four Shillings a week with Clothes and School Requisites be made in this case.

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Patrick Byrne Chairman

(*Signed*) P K Dempsey
Clerk of the Union.

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day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____

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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 MONDAY, the 5th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs Omeara. Treanor. MacKeon. Hughes. Roe. Sharkey.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
	nil	

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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. :—

Vaccination Defaulters

Relieving Officer Rice submitted his report on the above in his district.

Carlingford - all complied except 3 certified unfit.

Ravensdale - all complied except one certified unfit

Ordered - That Mr. Rice submit on this day fortnight a further report on the cases returned as unfit.

Ordered - That the Medical Officer of the Dundalk District be again requested to submit their reports (Form P) in respect of the last quarter.

Medical Records

The Medical Registers &c of the Medical Officers and the Midwives of the several Dispensary Districts were submitted and initialed by the Chairman and the Clerk except those of Dr. O Hagan Medical Officer of Dundalk No 2 District.

Dr. O Hagan to submit books at next meeting.

Patrick Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 12th day of January 1916

(Signed) J R Grange
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union

Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians of the Poor of the above named Union at their annual Meeting held at the Board room of the Workhouse Dundalk on Friday the 9th day of June 1916.

Present Messrs Byrne JP Woods JP. McArdle (D) Brannigan Hoey. Muckian Roe. Hughes. Callan. Deane.

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The outgoing Chairman Mr. Patrick Byrne J.P. having taken the Chair it was

Proposed by Mr. William Woods J.P.
Seconded by Mr. Denis McArdle and unanimously

Resolved - That Mr. Patrick Byrne J.P. be re-elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Proposed by Mr. Byrne J.P. Chairman
Seconded by Mr Muckian and

Resolved - That Mr. B. J. Roe be elected Vice Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Proposed by Mr. Woods J.P.
Seconded by Mr. Callan and

Resolved - That Mr. Michael Deane be elected Deputy Vice Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

On the motion of Mr. Byrne Chairman seconded by Mr. Woods the Board appointed the following Committees for the ensuing year by

Visiting Committee

The Chairman Messrs. Hamill J.P. O'Neill a. Keatney J.P. Hughes Gosling O'Rourke Soraghan Moyraugh McArdle (Ed.) Sharkey Mackin Callan Woods J.P. Muckian McEoy McDonald Deane & Mr. Hamill

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Finance Committee

The Chairman, Messrs Hamill JP, Hardy Senr, Kearney (Jn) Hardy Jnr, Brown, Hoey, Lovaghan, Hughes, McArdle (D), Brannigan, Muckian, Rice (Joseph), McDonald, Woods JP, and Mr Hamill.

The Finance Committee to meet on the first Monday of each month.

Proposed by Mr Muckian

Seconded by Mr Hoey and

Resolved. That the ordinary Meetings of the Board be held at the Board room of the Workhouse Dundalk every Monday at 11 am during the ensuing year.

Next ordinary Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday 19th June 1916.

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Proposed by Mr. Peter Hughes
Seconded by Mr. Bernard Roe and

Resolved - That we the members of Dundalk Poor Law Guardians at our Annual Meeting have heard with alarm and regret of the proposed exclusion of Six Irish Counties from the operation of the Home Rule Act under the suggested settlement and that we protest in the most emphatic manner against any attempt to divide the Irish Nation.

And further we call for the abolition of Martial Law now in force in the Country.

Patrick Byrne
Chairman

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TOTAL,	67	55	55	66	2	6	7	6	5	269
Discharged during the Week	28	17	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	47
Died - - - - -	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total Discharged and Died -	28	20	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	50
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Other Guardians—

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(Signed) P. R. Lanigan

Clerk of the Union.

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(Form 14.)
(Article 3.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 4th day of April 1916

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

Indoor from No. ✓ to No. ✓

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ 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 Book.
2. The Provision Book.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

Patrick Byrne Chairman

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the [illegible] 191[illegible], was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Provisions	Necessaries	Total
Amount	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			
Average Cost in Workhouse			
Average Cost in Workhouse from Casual Poor			
Average Cost in Workhouse from Dispensary Patients			
Average Cost in Workhouse from Out-door Relief			
Average Cost in Workhouse from Out-door Relief (Non-resident)

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

~~Meeting held~~ the 12th day of June 1916

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

Indoor from No. ✓ to No. ✓

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ 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 3rd day of June 1916, was ~~submitted~~ examined, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week: By Inmates			By Officers			Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	44	1	2	84	4	5	128	5	7	60	18	8	6	8	4	67	7	-	60	18	7	1514
Necessaries ...	217	5	9	1	3	4	218	9	1	15	15	1	1	19	-	17	14	1	200	15	-	
Total ...	261	6	11	85	7	9	346	14	8	76	13	9	8	7	4	85	1	1	261	13	7	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 1
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 1

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.

i.e. Tea supplied to 1 Relief Depot £ 12 : 2 : 0 ; 48 : 16 7
Coal " " " " " 1 : 17 : 0 198 : 18 : 0
247 : 14 : 7

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	37 8 8	10 17	8 11 2				56 16 10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 - -	10 - -	- - -				38 6 1
	8 6 1						
3. Total to be accounted for	65 14 9	20 17 -	8 11 2				95 2 11
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	18 16 -	14 16 -	2 12 6				26 4 6
In Kind ...	6 5 8	- - -	- - -				6 5 8
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	- - -	- - -	- - -				- - -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	12 12 -	3 14 -	1 14 -				5 - -
7. Total Relief given ...	25 13 8	8 - -	3 16 6				37 10 2
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	40 1 1	12 17 -	4 14 8				57 12 9
9. TOTAL ...	65 14 9	20 17 -	8 11 2				95 2 11

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 12th day of June 1916

P R Thompson

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____ 19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____

day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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~~ MONDAY, the 12th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians:—

(No Meeting held)

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 191____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

Patrick Byrne
Chairman

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(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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. :—

Patrick Byrne
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 19th day of June 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118.722. 7:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1916

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
Workhouse	740	206
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospt'l.	38	7
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	213

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	39	35	55	66	1	6	7	6	4	219
Admitted during the Week -	42	15	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	61
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	81	50	55	66	1	6	7	9	5	280
Discharged during the Week	43	18	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	66
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Total Discharged and Died -	43	18	-	-	-	2	1	2	1	67
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	38	32	55	66	1	4	6	7	4	213

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	42	In separate Wards	42
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	49	TOTAL,	42

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	25	8	5	38
No. in Workhouse at date	4	-	-	4
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of June 1916 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	
	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.	141	342			141	342
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	202	442			202	442

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 19th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians— Mrs. Hamill. Messrs. Hughes. Roe. McArdle (D) Woods J.P. Brown Shorkey Hardy Jnr. O'Meara. Mackin Treanor. Murphy. Rice (J.) Rice (Joseph?) Mackin Byrne. O'Hare.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1800 lbs Bread	No 1 Relief Depot
100 " Butter	370 lbs Bread
40 qts Buttermilk	
7 lbs Fish	
20 Doz Eggs	
10 " Cabbage	
300 lbs Meat	
56 " Bacon	
1 Cwt Rice	
4 Cwt Sugar	
1100 qts New Milk	
5 lbs Tobacco	
1 Gross Matches	

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

With reference to the suggestions made by the Inspector Mr. Fitzpatrick in his last report we recommend that the passages leading to the Masters Closets be painted Similar to the walls of the dining hall and the walls of the Infirmary Kitchen passages and staircase chipped and replastered and the new Maternity ward painted That a new door be placed in the passage connecting Female Lunatic Department and new dormitorys That the Master have the outside walls of the Infirmary yard and some of the rooms in the Female Lunatic ward, whitewashed by house Labour. That a Stop cock be placed in the Connection between the boiler and disinfector and the pressure on the boiler Kept at not more than 70 lbs which should be Sufficient for all purposes in the Summer. That the Consumption of Coal reduced to 4½ ton a week and advantage taken of the fine weather to dry all the clothes possible in the Open.

Signed. P. Byrne. M. A. Hamill P. Hughes. P. MacKian B. J. Ros. M. Deane. and Denis McArdle.

Proposed by Mr. Hughes.
Seconded by Mr. MacKian and
Resolved. That the foregoing Report be adopted and the Architect instructed to Submit at next Meeting a specification for the plastering of the passages etc. in the Infirmary Entering the fixing of a new door in the Lunatic ward and the painting of the Maternity ward.

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

Owing to having no able-bodied help in the house on a requisition from the Medical Officer I employed William Robinson at 5/- per day to mind patient Duncan Mealiski in Hospital there is a policeman minding him at night who claims 1/6 per night sustenance allowance.

Approved.

On a receipt of a wire that her mother was dangerously ill Nurse Mahaddy left the Fever Hospital on Wednesday. On a requisition from the Medical Officer I wired to Stevens Hospital Dublin for a nurse for night duty in the Fever Hospital Nurse Hanly arrived here and took up duty on the 8th inst.

Approved - Medical certificate received that Nurse Mahaddy will be unable to resume duty for one month.

The 7 pigs sold by the Board were taken away and the sum of £62 6s0 7 Shillings discount - paid for them.

Cheque received by Clerk and lodged to credit of Guardians.

Nurse Kelly

On Friday last the patient Duncan

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

McAlister was removed to the Co South Infirmery

Nurse Kelly Special nurse left same day also William Robinson taken service being no longer required.

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows) :—

Circular Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland cro 25, 688. 1916 dated 5th instant transmitting a copy of the Local Government (Emergency Provisions) Act 1916 for the information of the Guardians

The Local Government Board draw attention to part one of the act which legalises and regulates the action of the local Authorities in granting leave of absence and making allowances to their officers and Servants who have joined His majesty's forces and to Part II which makes various administrative provisions with a view to economy both in money and labour during the war

Letter from Secretary Catholic Institution for Deaf & Dumb dated Cabra County Dublin dated 12th instant reporting with regret that the inmate Hugh Byrne recently sent to the institution by the Guardians is mentally deficient and is not a fit Subject for training

Child to be taken home during the week.

On the recommendation of the workhouse medical officer it was.

Ordered- That inmate Kate Duffy and Maggie Nugent be sent to Exeter Hospital for special treatment.

In reply to the inquiry of the Local Government Board cro 22. 192. 1916 dated 20th ultimo the Master reported that Patrick Turtle has given satisfaction as Cook since his appointment.

In reply to letter from same cro 26. 116 1916 dated 3rd instant the Master States that he discharged all the duties of the Matron during her illness and was only assisted by the Seamstress in the case of females admitted or discharged from the house.

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Bernard J. Roe
Presiding Chairman

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916

(*Signed*) P B Thompson
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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 14th day of June 1916.

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

Indoor from No. 2179 to No. 2294

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Outdoor „ No. 2419 to No. 2423

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 18th day of June 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	48 16 7	201 6 -	250 2 7	60 9 11	8 2 7	68 12 6	181 10 1	1500
Necessaries ...	198 18 0	42 11 -	241 9 -	14 16 7	1 19 -	16 15 7	224 13 5	
Total ...	247 14 7	243 17 -	491 11 7	75 6 6	10 1 7	85 8 1	406 3 6	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 0 1/4
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 0 1/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 0 1/4

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.
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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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	40	1	1	12	17	-	4	14	8										57	12	9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-										24	2	11
	4	2	11																		
3. Total to be accounted for	59	4	-	12	17	-	9	14	8										81	15	8
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...	-	-	-																		
In Money ...	18	16	-	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	4	6
In Kind ...	6	5	8	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	5	8
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	0	16	11	-	-	-	-	-	-											16	11
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	10	7	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	15	1
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	32	13	5	5	9	-	5	18	2										44	0	7
9. TOTAL ...	59	4	-	12	17	-	9	14	8										81	15	8

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 _____ day of _____ 191__

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Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 19th day of June 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Patrick Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Hamill Messrs. Hughes. Roe. McArdle (D) Woods J.P. Brown. Clarkey Hardy Mrs. O'Hara. Mackin Treanor. Murphy Rice John, Rice Joseph P) Mackin Byrne O'Hare.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The accompanying reports of the Relieving officer on the children Boarded out in the Union during the month of May were read and considered Satisfactory.

Mrs Hamill P.L.G. reported that the children Minnie & Lizzie Kearney were removed from the charge of Mrs O'Hare and placed in St Josephs Orphanage Dundalk

Approved.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

(Signed) ...

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 19th day of June 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Patrick Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:—

Mr Hamill Messrs Hughes Roe, McArdle (D) Woods J.P. Brown Sharkey Hardy Mr O'Meara Muckian Treanor Murphy Rice (John) Rice (Joseph P) Machin Byrne (J) O'Hare

Bernard J Roe.
Presiding Chairman

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Dundalk No. 1	22	18	3	Ordered

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916.

(Signed) P. R. Jennings
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 19th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:—

Mr Hamill Messrs Hughes. Roe, McArdle(D) Woods JP. Brown Sharkey Hardy Jnr. O'Meara. Meakin Treanor. Murphy Rice(John) Rice(Joseph P) Mackin. Byrne, O'Hare.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Dundalk No. 1	22	18	5	Returned

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 191____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
26002 1916 5th June 1916	Minutes of the 29th May 1916	Sanctioning the payment & remuneration at the rate of Four Pounds Four Shillings a week to Dr. O'Brien for his services as temporary Substitute for Doctor Hood in his capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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.:—

No Dispensary District 48 persons.

Referred to Relieving officer Mc Ardle for inquiry and report on this day fortnight

Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916.

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740											
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38											
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			38	32	55	66	1	4	6	7	4	213
Admitted during the Week -			44	11	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	60
Born - - - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			82	43	55	66	1	4	9	8	5	273
Discharged during the Week			46	9	1	.	.	.	3	3	2	64
Died - - - - -			.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Died -			46	10	1	.	.	.	4	3	2	66
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			36	33	54	66	1	4	5	5	3	207

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards / Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital — TOTAL,	In separate Wards / In Wards with other Inmates — TOTAL,	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	7	4	42
No. in Workhouse at date	3	2	.	5
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of June 1916 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	
	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.	139	333			139	333
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	200	433			200	433

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Roe. Esq

Other Guardians—

Messrs Hughes and Hoey

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1800 lb Bread	No 1 Relief Depot:
100 " Butter	370 lb Bread.
40 qt Buttermilk	
14 lb Jam	
14 " Cornflour	
7 " Fish	
20 Doz Eggs	
10 " Cabbage	
300 lb Meat	
5 " Bacon.	
1100 qt New Milk	
5 lb Tobacco	
1 Gall Whiskey	
1 Gross Matches	
¼ Ton Washing Soda.	

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

Referring to Order of Board on 29th May
ult. I beg to say that I have tried for the
past week to reduce the consumption and I find
that we cannot do with less than one Cwt per week

I also beg to state that we cannot do
with less than 40 lbs of Steam constantly on the
Boilers

I would suggest that the boilers be
worked which would mean a saving in fuel

Visiting Committee requested to consider
the above at their meeting on Monday next 3rd proximo.

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

Referring to Order of Board on 29th May re soap. I beg to say that I have tried for the past 4 weeks to reduce the consumption and I find that we cannot do with less than one Cwt. per week

I also beg to state that we cannot do with less than 40 lb of Steam constantly on the Boiler

I would suggest that the boilers be covered which would mean a saving in fuel.

Visiting Committee requested to consider the above at their meeting on Monday next 3rd proximo.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland dated 13,372 - 1916 dated 24th instant referring to Guardians Minutes of 13th March last and stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of Five Shillings a week, with rations, to the Estimated weekly value of Six Shillings and Four pence to Peter Callan for his services as Cook in the Workhouse from the 10th January last to the 11th March last.-

Letter from the Architect dated 26th instant forwarding a specification for the plastering of the passages halls and Kitchen in the Infirmary and providing a new door to the new passage at Female Lunatic department.

Approved - Ordered - That the Clerk issue advertisements inviting Tenders for the carrying out of the above improvements for Consideration of the Guardians at their Meeting on the 10th July next.-

The Clerk Submitted a bill from Doctor Lavery Medical officer of the Workhouse dated 17th Mount Sheet Dublin, 26th instant, for £144: 4: 4½, being Salary Claimed by him from the 28th January 1915 to the 28th January 1916.

Consideration postponed until next Meeting -

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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 .. 54

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1916

(Signed) P. R. Finnegan
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 26th day of June 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3295 to No. 3349

Separate „ No. – to No. –

Outdoor „ No. 2423 to No. 2425

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 17th day of June 1916, 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: By Inmates			Consumed during the week: By Officers			Consumed during the week: Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	181	10	1	56	9	3	237	19	4	59	0	1	8	3	7	67	3	8	170	15	8	1466
Necessaries ...	224	13	5	-	-	-	224	13	5	14	7	4	1	19	-	16	6	4	208	7	1	
Total ...	406	3	6	56	9	3	462	12	9	73	7	5	10	2	7	83	10	-	379	2	9	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		7	-
Average Cost in Infirmary		8	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		8	-

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	32	13	5	5	9	-	5	18	2										44	0	7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	-	-	10	-	-	5	-	-										43	19	10
	3	19	10																		
3. Total to be accounted for	61	13	3	15	9	-	10	18	2										88	0	5
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	14	6	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	3	-
In Kind ...	6	0	10	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	0	10
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	16	11	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	16	11
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	4	3	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	8	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	35	9	0	8	1	-	7	1	8										50	11	8
9. TOTAL ...	61	13	3	15	9	-	10	18	2										88	0	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 on the minutes.

Dated this 17th day of June 191[illegible]

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191___, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.—Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians.—Messrs Hughes and Hoey.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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 contained in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____ day of_____ 19____

(*Signed*)_____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Hughes and Hoey.

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:—

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dundalk. Dispensary	3 Buckets
"	1 Scrubbing Brush
"	2 lbs Paint.

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

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_____ 191 _____

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
21st June 1916	Doctor O'Connell J J Connolly Medical officer Dromahair Dispensary	Applying for his Annual Vacation and nominating Doctor P. H. O'Connell of Drumdacka as his Substitute.	That Doctor Connolly be granted a months vacation and Dr. O'Connell appointed to do the duty during that time at the usual remuneration of £4.4.0 a week. The Guardians to pay Doctor O'Connell for three weeks and Doctor Connolly to pay him for the fourth week.

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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.:—

BUNDALK UNION.

MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1916

ANALYSIS OF MEDICINES.

Vaccination Defaulters.

Relieving Officer Reilly reported that all the defaulters in the South part of the Dromiskin Dispensary District have been Successfully vaccinated

of the 41 defaulters in the Barronstown Dispensary District 35 have been Successfully vaccinated 4 are Still unfit and 12 have promised to Comply this Week.

Ordered- That Relieving Officer Reilly Submit a further report at next Meeting and Relieving Officer Mc Ardle to report on same day as to the defaulters in the Dundalk part of the Dromiskin District

Patrick Byrne

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1916.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. Ltd

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DUNDALK UNION.

MONDAY, the 26th *day of* June 1916

ANALYSES OF MEDICINES.

The accompanying Reports of the Medicine Analyst on the Samples recently forwarded him from the Ravensdale *Dispensary were read and considered satisfactory* [~~*except in the case of Article No.* ____ *which was found deficient*~~].

Ordered—That a copy of the Analyst's Report be forwarded the Medical Officer concerned.

Clerk of the Union.

DOLLARD, DUBLIN. P.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118.722 . 7 . 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 1916

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
Workhouse	740	200
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	5
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	205

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	36	33	54	66	1	4	5	5	3	207
Admitted during the Week	23	26	-	-	1	-	2	2	-	54
Born	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	59	59	54	66	2	4	7	7	3	261
Discharged during the Week	28	22	-	-	-	2	2	2	-	56
Died	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died	28	22	-	-	-	2	2	2	-	56
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	31	37	54	66	2	2	5	5	3	205

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other Inmates	-
	TOTAL, 49	TOTAL, 43	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	9	12	-	21
No. in Workhouse at date	1	2	-	3
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of June 1916 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	
	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.	139	335			139	335
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	15	31			15	31
TOTAL	194	435			194	435

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill Messrs Woods H. McEntigart McArdle (A) Sharkey Hardy (Jas) Mears Hoey Mackin Treanor Byrne (James) McArdle (E) Mackin Myers Deane.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1800 lb Bread
100 - Butter
40 qts Buttermilk
7 lb Fish
30 doz Eggs
300 lb Meat
56 lb Bacon
1100 qts New Milk
5 lb Tobacco.

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lb Bread
2 cwt Sugar

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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There are Linen Sheeting and Towelling to be examined and compared with the Standard sample before it is taken into stock

Committee to inspect above

I would suggest that a Committee of the Guardians purchase some young pigs

Messrs Deane and Muskian to purchase stores.

Owing to illness the Seamstress was absent from work on Friday and Saturday last.

There is a new [illegible] boiler required for the Male Lunatic Ward

Committee to inspect old boiler

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

There are Linen Sheeting and Towelling to be examined and compared with the Standard sample before it is taken into stock

Committee to inspect above

I would suggest that a Committe of the Guardians purchase some young pigs

Messrs Deane and Muckian to purchase stores.

Owing to illness the Seamstress was absent from work on Friday and Saturday last.

There is a new Boot boiler required for the Male Lunatic Ward.

Committee to inspect old boiler

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No. 30. 193: 1916 dated 27th ultimo referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 19th instant and sanctioning the payment of remuneration of One Pound a week to the Master for his services in discharging the duties of the Matron of the Workhouse for a period of three weeks during the illness of that Officer.

Letter from same No. 10. 774: 1916 dated 28th ultimo advising of previous correspondence respecting the proposed appointment of Patrick Turtle as Cook in the Workhouse and sanctioning his appointment on the terms specified in replies to Queries namely at a salary of five Shillings a week with rations to the estimated weekly value of Six Shillings and four pence.

Letter from same No. 29. 5. 89: 1916 dated 30th ultimo acquainting local authorities that the Board of Trade have made an order under section 5 (2) of the Trade Boards Act dated 7th June 1916 making obligatory in cases in which they are applicable on all persons employing labour and on all persons employed the minimum time-rates of Wages for female workers and the general minimum piece rates of wages for home workers fixed by the Shirt-making Trade Board (Ireland) of which Notice was given on the 6th December 1915.

Letter from Miss Alice Malone Trained Nurse of the Workhouse dated 3rd instant applying for her usual vacation

Application granted. Nurse to be allowed 3 weeks vacation

On the application of the Porter the Board granted him a weeks vacation and appointed Mr. Thomas Mullen to perform the duties at the same remuneration as heretofore viz 5/: a week and

Porter's rations

Sanction requested

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was.

Ordered - That the following inmates James Mc Entaggart. Patrick McArdle. Mary Morgan. Bertie Murphy and Terence Black be sent to extern hospitals for special treatment.

With reference to the claim of D. Lavery Medical Officer of the Workhouse for payment of a sum of £147 : 7 : 4½ as salary from the 28th January 1915 to 28th January 1916 it was

Ordered - That the Clerk inform D. Lavery that having regard to the conditions under which he was granted leave of absence the Guardians must decline to recognise his claim

(Please see minutes of the 25th January 1915

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[Form 14.]
(Article 2.)

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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 3rd day of July 1916

The following Relief Registers were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the [illegible] signature of the Clerk.

[illegible] No. 3350 to No. 3402

[illegible] No. – to No. –

[illegible] No. 2425 to No. 2427

The Ledger was [illegible] the Clerk, posted up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits.

The following Books [illegible] Patrick Byrne [illegible] entries made therein by the Master of the [illegible], and authenticated the same by his signature:—

1. [illegible] Relief List.
2. [illegible] Check Account.
3. The [illegible] Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Statement of the [illegible] and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, [illegible] was committed, of which the following is a Summary:—

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ..	52
Ditto disallowed	–
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	–
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ..	1
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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of July 1916

(Signed) P. B. Finigan
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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 3rd day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3350 to No. 3402

Separate ,, No. - to No. -

Outdoor ,, No. 4425 to No. 4427

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 7th day of June 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	170	15	8	70	1	7	240	17	3	58	3	7	7	2	8	65	6	-	175	11	3	11447
Necessaries ...	208	7	1	-	-	-	208	7	1	14	7	10	1	19	-	16	6	10	192	0	3	
Total ...	379	2	9	70	1	7	449	4	4	72	11	5	9	1	8	81	12	10	367	11	6	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 0¼
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 0¼
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 0¼

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.

Sea. Sept. 14th Relief Report £12 : 2 : 0 - £163 : 9 : 3

Total - £355 : 9 : 6

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of June 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	35	9	-	8	1	-	7	1	8										50	11	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	5	-		5	-	-										34	1	-
3. Total to be accounted for	54	9	-	13	1	-	12	1	8										84	12	8
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	12	6	4	16	-	2	12	6	-	-	-							26	1	-
In Kind ...	6	15	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							6	15	4
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	4	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	4	8	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	9	2
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	33	5	4	5	13	-	8	5	2										47	3	6
9. TOTAL ...	59	10	-	13	1	-	12	1	8										84	12	8

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 4th day of June 1916

P R Finnegan

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 5th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill Messrs Woods JP McEntegart McArdle (D) Sharkey Hardy (Jas) O'Meara Hoey Mackian Treasor Byrne (James) McArdle (E) Mackin Myers Keane.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Ravensdale	18	12	6	

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Hamill Messrs Woods JP. McEntegart McArdle (D) Sharkey. Hardy (Mr) O'Meara Hoey. Mackian Treanor Byrne (James) McArdle (E) Mackin Myers Deane.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Ravensdale	10	12	6	Ordered

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

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_____ 191 _____

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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.:—

Ravensdale 2 Children

Referred to Relieving Officer Rice for his report.

Dr. O'Hagan, Medical Officer, Dundalk No 2 Dispensary District reported that he successfully vaccinated 5 persons in his district during the half year ended the 31st March 1916.

Patrick Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of July 1916

(Signed) P R Finnegan
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722: 7: 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	197										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospl.	38	4										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	201										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			31	37	54	66	2	2	5	5	3	205
Admitted during the Week -			29	12	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	44
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL			60	49	54	66	2	2	5	7	4	249
Discharged during the Week			24	12	7	-	-	-	-	2	1	46
Died - - - - - -			-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Total Discharged and Died -			24	13	7	-	-	-	-	2	2	48
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			36	36	47	66	2	2	5	5	2	201

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 45	In separate Wards 42	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL 49	TOTAL 42	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	18	4	1	23
No. in Workhouse at date	4	-	-	4
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of July 1916 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	
	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.	138	328			138	328
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	199	429			199	429

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 10th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes and Roe.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1800 lb Bread
100 " Butter
20 " qts Buttermilk
14 lb Jam
7 " Fish
30 Doz Eggs
10 " Cabbages
300 lb Meal
½ Ton Oatmeal
5 lbs Bacon
20 Cwt Potatoes
4 Cwt Sugar
1100 qts New Milk
5 lbs Tobacco
1 Gall Whiskey

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lbs Bread

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

The Porter left the Workhouse on Tuesday last for the weeks holiday granted by the Board. His duties are being discharged by Mrs Mullen.

Nurse Malone left the Workhouse on Wednesday last on holidays granted by the Board Nurse Cooney took up duty as her substitute on some day.

D. O'Brien notified me he had to attend the Dublin Courts on Subpoena on Tuesday last and nominated D Clarke to act as his substitute at the usual remuneration

Payment of £1:1:0 to be made D Clarke subject to sanction of Local Government Board.

On Saturday last a committee of the Guardians purchased 9 pegs for the sum of £16-17:6

Approved.

I beg to report that there is a serious amount of Coal short in the store, owing to the porter not charging in his weekly coal account. The full quantity distributed throughout the Workhouse. Since the Porter was appointed by the Board to take charge of the coal he has had full control of the stores. He received all coal supplied stored same distributed same, and always had charge of the keys. He admits

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

to me that he was giving the boilerman one ton per week more than he was charging in his weekly coal account. I therefore submit that the responsibility for the shortness is his. I wish it to be understood that I am not making this report in the Porter's absence or without his knowledge. It is only now I was able to ascertain the full amount of the shortness which in my calculation would be about 50 tons I find in receipt of Contractor's bill that there was a quantity of Coal

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delivered that was not entered in the Porter's receipt book.

Ordered - That the Porter submit an explanation in writing of the alleged deficiency in the stock of coal at next meeting.

Mr. Toal Fever Hospital begs to apply for a fortnights holidays. It will be necessary for the Board to appoint a substitute.

Granted.

Patrick Baxter Shoemaker begs to apply for one weeks holidays

Granted.

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 32.667. 1916. dated 8th. instant Requesting questions for answers respecting the temporary substitute for Mrs Malone Trained Nurse. of the Workhouse during the absence of that officer on Vacation.

Answers to queries herewith.

Letter from Doctor. James P. Lavery Medical officer of the Workhouse dated 8th. instant stating in reply to Clerks letter of the 3rd. instant that he is not aware of any condition imposed upon him at the time he obtained leave of absence which deprive him of his Salary. He would therefore feel obliged if the Guardians would send him a Copy of the Conditions as he has no desire to act Contrary to them if they are declared and made known to him. and are as alleged.

Clerk to furnish Doctor Lavery with an extract from Guardians minutes of the 25th. January 1915 relative to his leave of absence.

On the recommendation of the Medical officer of the workhouse it was.

Ordered- That the inmate Mary Morrison aged 3 years be sent to the Childrens Hospital Temple Street for special treatment

Pursuant to advertisement of the 26th. ultimo the Board Considered Tenders for the plastering of the walls etc of the Infirmary the painting of the Maternity Ward etc, and accepted the tender of Mr. Bernard Duffy Dundalk proposing to carry out the works in accordance with the approved specification for the Sum of £45.0.0.

Mr Duffy was the lowest tender received

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 10th day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3403 to No. 3466

Outdoor " No. — to No.

Outdoor " No. 2427 to No. Bernard J Roe.

Presiding Chairman

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the pro[illegible]

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 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 ..	53
Ditto disallowed	.
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	.
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ..	1
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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 17th day of July 1916

(Signed) P. B. Jungen
Clerk of the Union.

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 10th day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3403 to No. 3486

Separate ,, No. ~ to No. ~

Outdoor ,, No. 2427 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 1st day of July 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	163 9 3	21 14 5	225 3 8	58 18 1	7 1 11	66 - -	149 3 8	1421
Necessaries ...	192 0 3	1 10 4	193 10 7	14 7 10	1 19 -	16 6 10	177 3 9	
Total ...	355 9 6	53 4 9	408 14 3	73 5 11	9 0 11	82 6 10	326 7 5	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 2½
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 2½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 2½

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 191 6 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	33 5 4	5 13 -	8 5 7				47 3 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 - -	10 - -	- - -				46 - -
3. Total to be accounted for	69 5 4	15 13 -	8 5 7				93 3 6
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	18 12 6	4 16 -	2 12 6				26 1 -
In Kind ...	6 14 11	3 17 -	- - -				6 12 11
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	- 2 5	- - -	- - -				2 5
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	- 12 -	2 12 -	1 4 -				4 8 -
7. Total Relief given ...	25 - 10	7 8 -	3 16 6				37 4 4
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	43 5 6	8 5 -	4 8 8				55 19 2
9. TOTAL ...	69 5 4	15 13 -	8 5 7				93 3 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 on the minutes.

Dated this 11th day of July 191 6

P. T. Dempsey

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 10th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians.— Mr Hamill Messrs Hughes, and Roe.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical [illegible] 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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Workhouse	29	5	10	Ordered

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 10th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:— Wm Hamill Messrs Hughes, and Roe.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Workhouse	29	5	10	Ordered

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dundalk	One Lon Book. One Jour Book.

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 ____

..... District - - - £.....

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(This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.)

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
32,598 1916	26th June 1916	Sanctioning the payment of £4:4:0 a week for a period of three weeks to Dr Peter H O'Connell as substitute for Dr Connolly, Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Dromiskin Dispensary District during his absence on vacation.	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	Dundalk No 2	73 Children	

Referred to Relieving Officer McCardle for his report on this day fortnight

Relieving Officer McCardle reported that of the 81 defaulters in the Dundalk Not Dispensary District 20 have been successfully vaccinated 6 died 3 certified unfit 3 left the District and nineteen neglected and of the 20 defaulters in the Dromiskin Dundalk District 12 have been successfully vaccinated 2 died 2 certified unfit and four neglected

Relieving Officer Reilly reported that of the 41 defaulters in the Barronstown Dispensary District all have complied with the exception of four who are certified to be unfit and one whose mother is ill.

Relieving Officers McCardle and Reilly to submit reports on the children not yet vaccinated on this day fortnight

Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 14th day of July 1916

(Signed) P R [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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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.:—

Dundalk No 2. 73 Children.

Referred to Relieving officer McArdle for his report on this day fortnight

Relieving officer McArdle reported that of the 81 defaulters in the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District 50 have been successfully vaccinated 6 died 3 certified unfit 3 left the District and nineteen neglected and of the 20 defaulters in the Dromiskin Dundalk District 12 have been successfully vaccinated. 2 died 2 certified unfit and four neglected.

Relieving officer Reilly reported that of the 41 defaulters in the Barronstown Dispensary District all have complied with the exception of four who are certified to be unfit and one whose mother is ill.

Relieving officers McArdle and Reilly to submit reports on the children not yet vaccinated on this day fortnight.

Bernard J Roe.
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 17th day of July 1916

(Signed) P R Finigan
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

MONDAY, the 10th *day of* July 191 6

ANALYSES OF MEDICINES.

The accompanying Reports of the Medicine Analyst on the Samples recently forwarded him from the Dundalk & Dromiskin *Dispensaries were read and considered satisfactory* ~~[*except in the case of Article No.* ____ *which was found deficient*].~~

Ordered—That a copy of the Analyst's Report be forwarded the Medical Officer concerned.

Clerk of the Union.

DOLLARD, DUBLIN. P.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118.722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	195										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt'l.	38	7										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	202										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			36	36	47	66	2	2	5	5	2	201
Admitted during the Week -			47	7	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	57
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			83	43	47	66	3	2	5	7	2	258
Discharged during the Week			47	5	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	56
Died - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -			47	5	2	-	-	-	1	1	-	56
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			36	38	45	66	3	2	4	6	2	202

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	46	In separate Wards	42
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	7	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	53	TOTAL,	42

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	36	3	-	39
No. in Workhouse at date	2	-	-	2
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 1916 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	
	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.	140	332			140	332
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	201	432			201	432

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 17th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mr. Hamill. Messrs Hughes. Woods. J.P. Treanor. Nelson- Sharkey Clarke (Jas)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1600 lbs Bread
100 " Butter
40 qts Buttermilk
14 lbs Corn Flour
7 " Jam
20 doz Eggs
10 " Cabbage
300 lbs Meat
56 lbs Bacon
20 Cwt Potatoes
1100 qts New Milk
5 lbs Tobacco
1 Gallon Whiskey
1 Gross Matches

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lbs Bread

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

The Porter returned from holidays and resumed duty on Tuesday last.

Mr Toal left the Fever Hospital on Thursday last for two weeks holidays granted by the Board. His duties are being discharged by Elizabeth McShane.

On Saturday last I lodged to the Credit of the Board of Guardians the sum of £38 [illegible] for maintenance &c. made up as follows.

Mr Byrne Jr	2	0	0
Bridget McCann	7	11	0
Rev F Woodcock	6	12	0
Miss Mooney	3	5	0
Owen Craven	7	17	6
Mary McMahon Vat	1	15	0
[illegible] Murphy Do		15	0
[illegible]	3	15	0
[illegible] McGuill		10	0
John White	3	0	0
Old Shoes	1	7	9
Total	38	1	3

The shoemaker left the Workhouse on Tuesday last for one weeks holidays granted by the Board.

Patrick Tumble Cook has been drinking since he got his salary. He left the Workhouse each day without [illegible] and came back under the influence of drink so abused and insulted the Matron on Friday and between dinners before the other inmates so badly that she [illegible] the [illegible]. On Yesterday Morning [illegible] about 7.15 am and [illegible] I suspended him pending [illegible] his duties are being [illegible] by Mr Woods JP and [illegible] put in the Workhouse.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows :—

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

The Porter returned from holidays and resumed duty on Tuesday last.

Mr. Swan left the Fever Hospital on Thursday last for two weeks holidays granted by the Board. His duties are being discharged by Elizabeth McShane.

On Saturday last I lodged to the Credit of the Board of Guardians the sum of £38 1 3. for maintenance made up as follows.

Mr. Byrne	£	2 : 0 :	0
Bridget McCann		7 : 4 :	0
Rev J Woodcock		6 : 12 :	0
Miss Mooney		3 : 5 :	0
Owen Graven		7 : 17 :	6
Mary Mc Mahon Val.		1 : 15 :	0
Anne Murphy Do		15 :	0
Eliza Hall		3 : 15 :	0
Rose McNeill		10 :	0
John White		3 : 0 :	0
Old Stores		1 : 7 :	9
Total	£	38 1	3

The shoemaker left the Workhouse on Tuesday last for one weeks holidays granted by the Board.

Patrick Tuttle Cook has been drinking since he got his Salary. He left the Workhouse each day without leave and came back under the influence of drink. He abused and insulted the Matron on Friday and Saturday Evening before the other inmates so badly that she had to leave the kitchen. On Yesterday Morning (Sunday) he went away about 7 : 15 am and did not return till 6 : 0 PM. I suspendended him pending the meeting of the Board of Guardians. His duties are being performed by an Inmate.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

(answers to queries herewith)

moved by Mr. Hamill. Seconded by Mr. Woods P.L. and Resolved - That Patrick Tuttle be suspended from his post in the Workhouse.

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 32.667. 1916 dated 10th instant referring to Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 3rd instant and sanctioning the proposed payment of a sum of Five Shillings and rations to Thomas Mullen as remuneration for his services in acting as temporary substitute for the Porter of the Workhouse during the absence of that officer on vacation for one week.

Letter from same of same date No 32580 1916 sanctioning the proposed payment of one Pound Five Shillings a week and rations at the estimated weekly value of Thirteen Shillings and Ten pence to Miss Anna Frances Kelly as temporary nurse in the Workhouse.

Letter from same of same date No 32581. 1916 sanctioning the proposed payment of one Pound Eleven Shillings and six pence a week and rations at the estimated weekly value of Thirteen Shillings and Ten pence to Miss Belinda Clara Hanley as temporary Night nurse in the Fever Hospital

Letter from Miss Mahaddy dated 12th instant requesting a weeks extension of the leave granted to her for which she will pay her substitute granted

on the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical officer it was

Ordered that the inmate Margaret M. G. McArdle and Peter McGuinness be sent to Extern Hospital for special treatment.

With reference to the Masters report which appears on Minutes of the 3rd instant relative to the deficiency in the stock of coal in the Workhouse the Porter furnished the following explanation.

Copy.

The Chairman Dundalk Board of Guardians

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Gentlemen.

At your request I am sending in an explanation regarding the shortage of coal in the store. It is nearly three years since I was appointed to distribute the coal through the house. and during that time I did my best to reduce the consumption more particularly within the last year.

The casuals are employed to carry the coal when weighed out to them to the wards of hospitals I also accompany them. The boilerman is the last to get his supply the coal is delivered to him in barrows. (average 10st.) I admit that I told the Master I miscalculated the quantity of coal the boilerman was getting out I deny absolutely that I knowingly entered less coal in the weekly coal book. than I was giving out. When I came back from my holidays I produced all the coal dockets for delivery since 1st April including dockets for last delivery. As to the taking in of the coal weighing storing & measuring and having full control I would leave to the consideration of the board.

I remain
Your obedient servant.
Jos. Smyth.
Porter -

Ordered- that a special meeting of the Visiting Committee be convened for Monday next at 12 noon to consider the Masters report on the foregoing Statement

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[Form 14.]
(Article 5.)

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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting, held the 17th day of July 1916.

The following Books of Orders were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the countersignature of the Clerk.

Indoor Relief Book No. 3457 to No. 3517

Separate " No. ..... to No. .....

Outdoor " No. 7213 to No. 7429

Bernard J Roe.
Chairman.

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 Issues of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th inst., was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Provisions.	Necessaries.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Average Cost in Former Months	14 17 6	1 19 6	16 16 0
Average Cost in Four Weeks	14 17 8	1 19 6	16 17 2
Average Cost in Present Week	14 17 8	1 19 6	16 17 2

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 ..	60
Ditto disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ..	1
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 :

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916

(*Signed*) P. B. Thompson
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 17th day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3457 to No. 3517

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. 7427 to No. 7429

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 8th day of July 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	149 3 8	59 2 10	208 6 6	59 1 -	7 1 11	66 2 11	142 3 7	1437
Necessaries ...	177 3 9	17 7 4	194 11 1	14 7 10	1 19 -	16 6 10	178 4 3	
Total ...	326 7 5	76 10 2	402 17 7	73 8 10	9 0 11	82 9 9	320 7 10	

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

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.

* Cost supplies no 1 Relief Report £1 : 17 : 0 = 176 : 7 : 3
Total £ 318 : 10 10

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	43	5	6	8	5	-	4	8	8										55	19	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	-	-	5	-	-	5	-	-										33	8	4
3. Total to be accounted for	66	13	10	13	5	-	9	8	8										89	7	6
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	18	-	4	16	-	2	17	6										26	6	6
In Kind ...	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	3	3
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	7	3	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	7	3
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	6	6	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	5	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	40	13	4	5	17	-	5	12	2										52	2	6
9. TOTAL ...	66	13	10	13	5	-	9	8	8										89	7	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 on the minutes.

Dated this 15th day of July 1916

P. F. Thompson
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 17th day of July 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, B. J. Roe Esq. VC

Other Guardians:— Mrs. Hamill, Messrs Hughes, Woods, Treanor, Nelson, Sharkey and Clarke

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The reports of the Relieving Officers on the children boarded out during the month of March were read and considered satisfactory

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Bernard J Roe.
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916

(Signed) P R Simpson
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 17th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard D Roe Esq

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes Woods J.P. Lucanor Nelson Sharkey Clarke (Jas)

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
	Nil	

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 17th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J. Roe. Esq

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs. Hughes Woods J.P. Treanor. Nelson. Sharkey. Clarke (Jas)

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dundalk	6 lbs distemper

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
31496: 1916.	10th April 1916	Transmitting to be laid before the Guardians an extract from the Medical Officers return Form L. relating to Barrowstown Dispensary District for the half year ended 31st March last and requesting that the Guardians will be good enough to take the requisite action with regard to the matter referred to therein. Extract. The Dispensary residence at Barrowstown is not in a sanitary state. The Pump is out of order and I am informed past repair consequently there is not sufficient water supply besides which some of the pipes are chocked. The closet attacked to the Dispensary waiting room cannot be flushed. I reported to the District Council and I believe a pump has been ordered. I hope the nuisance will be abated before the dry weather sets in and I fear an outbreak of fever should the place remain as at present.	That a suitable pump was ordered from an English firm over four months ago but in reply to several inquiries from the Guardians Engineer the firm state that they are unable to have it conveyed to Dundalk

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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. :—

_____

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_____

_____

Bernard J. Roe,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916

(*Signed*) P B Thompson

Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118 722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1916

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
Workhouse	740	207
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospt'l.	38	5
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	212

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	36	38	45	66	3	2	4	6	2	202
Admitted during the Week -	39	13	-	-	-	-	6	2	2	62
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	75	51	45	66	3	2	10	8	4	264
Discharged during the Week	30	12	1	-	-	-	4	1	1	50
Died - - - - - -	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Total Discharged and Died -	31	12	2	8	1	-	4	1	1	52
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	44	39	43	66	2	2	6	7	3	212

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 50	In separate Wards 45	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 5	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL, 55	TOTAL, 45	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	28	7	2	37
No. in Workhouse at date	7	1	-	8
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of July 1916 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	
	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.	141	339			141	339
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	202	439			202	439

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians—

Messrs Hughes and Kearney (J)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1800 lb Bread
100 - Butter.
40 qts Butter Milk
14 lb Jam
7 lb Fish
30 Doz Eggs
300 lb Meat.
56 - Bacon
1 Cwt. Rice
4 - Sugar
1100 qts New Milk
5 lb Tobacco
1 Gall Whiskey

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lb Bread.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Shoemaker returned from holidays and resumed duty on Thursday last

Nurse Mahaddy returned from leave and resumed duty on Thursday last Nurse Stanly temporary nurse left same day

On Thursday last there was a case of Cerebro Spinal Meningitis admitted from the Military Barracks being to having no help in the house I had to employ two men to mind him on Thursday night @ 2/6 each On a requisition from the Medical Officer on Friday I wired to Dublin for a special nurse for the Case Nurse Mullany arrived here and took up duty on same evening; I also had to employ two men to mind him at 6/- per night each and one man for day duty @ 2/6 per day with rations

Approved

Medical Officers Report

I have to report that a case of Cerebro Spinal Meningitis was sent to Union Sewer Hospital from the Military Barracks on 22/7/16 the patient being a private of the R.A.M.C. I duly reported the matter to the Local Government Board A bacteriological Exam of the Spinal fluid was made by Captain Wilson R.A.M.C with positive result I requisitioned the Master to supply extra help

Joseph O'Brien T.M.O.
22nd/7/16.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

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

The Shoemaker returned from holidays and resumed duty on Thursday last.

Nurse Mahaddy returned from leave and resumed duty on Thursday last. Nurse Hanly temporary nurse left same day.

On Thursday last there was a case of Cerebro Spinal Meningitis admitted from the Military Barracks owing to having no keep in the house I had to employ two men to mind him on Thursday night @ 2/6 each. On a requisition from the Medical Officer on Friday I wired to Dublin for a special nurse for the case. Nurse Mullany arrived here and took up duty on same evening; I also had to employ two men to mind him at 5/= per night each and one man for day duty @ 2/6 per day with rations.

Approved.

Medical Officers Report.

I have to report that a case of Cerebro Spinal Meningitis was sent to Union Fever Hospital from the Military Barracks on 20/7/16 the patient being a private of the R.A.M.C. & duly reported the matter to the Local Government Board. A bacteriological exam of the Spinal fluid was made by Captain Wilson R.A.M.C with positive result. I requisitioned the Master to supply extra keep.

Joseph O'Brien J.M.O.
22nd/7/16

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 33.893: 1916 dated 15th instant referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 10th instant and sanctioning the payment of one Pound one Shilling to Doctor Clarke for his services as temporary Medical officer of the Workhouse during the absence of Doctor O'Brien on sub.-poena.

Letter from same No 33,834: 1916 dated 22nd instant, acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss Mary Cooney as nurse in the workhouse and sanctioning at the remuneration of the sale of one Pound Five Shillings a week with an allowance of Eight Shillings and nine pence a week in lieu of rations.

Letter from same No 35,224: 1916, dated 22nd instant observing from Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 17th instant that the Guardians suspended Patrick Turtle from the position of cook; stating that they have decided not to remove the suspension in this case. and that the Guardians may now dismiss this man.

Moved by Mr Roe.

Seconded by Mr Hughes, and

Resolved. That Patrick Turtle be dismissed from the past of cook for the reasons stated in Minutes of the 17th instant.

Letter from Miss Bergin Supremary Nurse dated 24th instant, applying for her annual vacation

Vacation granted.

On the recommendation of the Medical Officer it was

Ordered. That the inmate, Delia

Clarke and Thomas Hodgers be sent to Eastern Hospitals for special treatment.

With reference to the case of Cerebro Spinal Meningitis recently sent to the Workhouse Fever Hospital from the Military Barracks here, it was ordered- That the local Military Authorities be requested to apply to the Relieving officer for an admission order in all future cases, so as to enable the Medical officer of the Workhouse to decide whether the case should be sent to the Isolation Hospital at the Point or to the Workhouse Hospital. It would appear that this case was brought to the Fever Hospital by the Doctor Hagan, the local Military Medical officer, without notice to the Relieving Officer or the Workhouse Medical officer, and necessitates the employment of three men. One of the men employed on the night of the patients admission were casuals and left the Workhouse on the following day.

Ordered- That as only three Members of the Visiting Committee attended here today the Clerk issue fresh Notices convening a special meeting of the Committee for Monday next to consider and report on the deficiency found in the Stock of Coal at the Workhouse.

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The cases of provisional relief, and confirmations in relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse authorised 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 Officer's Book relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was

The Bonds and other Securities in those cases were produced, together with the Report thereon as follows:

Dated this day of

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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 24th day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3518 to No. 3584

Separate " No. — to No. —

Outdoor " No. 2429 to No. 2430

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.

Patrick Byrne Chairman

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 .. 66

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 1

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 1461

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31 day of July 1916.

(Signed) P. R. Finnegan
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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 14th day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3518 to No. 3584

Separate „ No. ~ to No. ~

Outdoor „ No. 4429 to No. 4430

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 15th day of July 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	142 3 7	67 6 3	209 9 10	60 4 11	7 1 11	67 6 10	142 3 -	1461
Necessaries ...	176 7 3	- - -	176 7 3	14 9 3	1 19 -	16 8 3	159 19 -	
Total ...	318 10 10	67 6 3	385 17 1	74 14 7	9 0 11	83 15 1	302 2 -	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 2
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 2

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £	s.	d.	TOTAL £	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	40	13	4	5	17	.	5	12	2										52	2	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	-	-	10	-	-	5	-	-										43	18	-
	3	18	-																		
3. Total to be accounted for	69	11	4	15	17	.	10	12	2										96	0	6
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	18	.	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	6	6
In Kind ...	6	10	6	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	10	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	.	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-											4	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	5	4	7	8	.	3	16	6										37	9	10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	43	6	-	8	9	-	6	15	8										58	10	8
9. TOTAL ...	69	11	4	15	17	.	10	12	2										96	0	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 on the minutes.

Dated this 25th day of July 1916

[signature]

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, R. J. Roe Esq

Other Guardians:— Messrs Hughes and Kennedy (2)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No. 35.157:1916 dated 22nd instant stating that they have had before them the reports of the Relieving Officers for the month of June on the children boarded out from the Workhouse together with the records of school attendances and pointing out that the boys parents of Thomas McCabe, John Roddy and Peter Lynch should be cautioned that these children must not be kept from School to work

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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 MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Rae.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Hughes and Kearney (J)

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:— Chairman

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1916.

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 24th day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Bernard J Roe.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Hughes and Kearney (2)

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 —

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
24th July 1916	W. Brogan Medical Officer Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District	Applying for four weeks' vacation and nominating W. Clarke, Dundalk as his substitute	Application granted W. Clarke to be paid at the usual rate of remuneration - £4:4:0 - a week for three weeks, W. Brogan to pay for the fourth week.

Patrick Boyle Chairman

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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. :—

Patrick Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1916

(Signed) P. A. Swayne
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722: 7: 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1916

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
Workhouse	740	207
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospl.	38	6
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	213

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	44	39	43	66	2	2	6	7	3	212
Admitted during the Week -	42	16	.	.	.	.	5	3	2	70
Born - - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	86	55	43	66	2	2	11	12	8	282
Discharged during the Week	42	18	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	66
Died - - - - - -	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Total Discharged and Died -	45	18	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	69
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	41	37	43	66	2	2	9	9	4	213

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	51	In separate Wards	43
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other Inmates	2
TOTAL,	57	TOTAL,	45

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	33	12	2	47
No. in Workhouse at date	4	-	-	4
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1916 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	
	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.	141	339			141	339
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	202	439			202	439

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians—

Mrs Hamill. Messrs B. J Roe. Woods JP. McArdle (D). Sharkey Hardy (Jas) Kearney (John J) Murphy (PJ) Rice (John) McArdle (C)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1800 lb Bread
100 lb Butter
20 qts Buttermilk
6 lb Fish
30 Doz Eggs
300 lb Meal
56 lb Bacon
1100 qts New Milk
5 lb Tobacco
14 lb Blue
56 lb Starch
¼ Ton Washing Soda

No 1 Relief Depot.
370 lb Bread
2 cwt Sugar.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

Nurse Mullany special Nurse left the Fever Hospital on Friday last her services being no longer required. We were also able to dispense with the services of the three Male attendants

Mr Royal Wardsmaid returned from holidays and resumed work on Saturday

There are 8 pigs in the cots fit for sale

Tenders to be invited for next meeting

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

Nurse Mullany Special Nurse left the Fever Hospital on Friday last. Her services being no longer required. We were also able to dispense with the services of the three Male attendants

Mr. Local Warden and returned from holidays and resumed work on Saturday

There are 8 pegs in the cot for sale Tenders to be invited for next meeting

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):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No. 35091 : 1916 dated 28th instant acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiry respecting the temporary employment of Elizabeth McShane as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse and stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of five shillings a week with rations of the estimated weekly value of thirteen shillings and ten pence

Letter from same No 36322 : 1916 dated 29th instant requesting to be informed what permanent arrangements will be made for the discharge of the duty of Cook in the Workhouse

To be considered at next meeting

Letter from same of same date and number referring to entry in Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 24th instant and trusting that the important question of the deficiency found in the stock of Coal in the Workhouse will be considered at an early date by the Visiting Committee and the Board of Guardians

Visiting Committee to consider and report on above today after the meeting

Letter from same of same date and number referring to Guardians Minutes of the 24th instant and sanctioning the payment of remuneration of two shillings and sixpence each to the two men employed on the night of the 20th instant to mind a patient suffering from Cerebro Spinal Meningitis and also remuneration at the rate of five shillings a night each to the two men employed on the night of the 21st instant for the same purpose and two shillings and sixpence a day with rations to the man employed for the like purpose for day duty provided that these men were not at the time acting on the Workhouse Books

Letter from Colonel J. H. Daly A. D. M. S.

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Belfast District dated 28th instant informing the Guardians that it has been arranged that all soldiers who require Hospital treatment be admitted to the local County Infirmary and that as no Military Ambulances are available whether the Guardians would supply their ambulance for the conveying of sick soldiers from the Barracks to the Infirmary or Railway station and if so what would be the charge for each journey

Ordered - That the Clerk inform Colonel Daly that the Guardians Ambulance will be supplied for the purpose named at a cost of five shillings for each removal

On the application of the Clerk the Board granted him his annual Vacation of one month and appointed Miss Kate Reilly Relieving Officer to discharge the duties during that time at the remuneration allowed her last year viz £2:0:0 a week

Sanction requested

Subject to the concurrance of the Medical Officer the Board granted Miss Mullin Fever Nurse a month's Vacation and Miss Ward Maternity nurse three weeks.

Ordered - That the application of the Medical Officer for this annual Vacation be referred back to him in order that he may nominate a substitute other than Dr. Clarke who has been named by Dr. O'Hagan and Dr. Flood to act for them

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was

Ordered - That the inmates William Davidson Kathleen Byrne and Matthew Nolan be sent to extern Hospitals for special treatment

An intimation dated the 27th instant was

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received from the County Council that they had lodged to the Credit of the Guardians the sum of £2806 being the second instalment of Demand for the ensuing financial year.

A report was read from Relieving Officer McArdle stating that an insured person suffering from the result of an accident with a wife and four children depending on him applied to him for out-door relief and that Dr. Clarke and Dr. O'Hagan (in the Case) declined to give a certificate for Insurance purposes.

Copy of above report to be furnished Insurance Commissioners.

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 1st day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3585 to No. 3662

Separate " No. — to No. —

Outdoor " No. 2430 to No. —

The Indoor 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 Charge Book.
3. The Provision Receipt Book.

Patrick Byrne Chairman

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries, for the Week ending the 1st day of July 1916, was approved of and the Chairman and Guardians.

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 7th day of August 1916

(Signed) P. R. Dunnigan
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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 31st day of July 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3585 to No. 3642

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Outdoor ,, No. 2430 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 22nd day of July 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	142 3 0	68 14 5	210 17 5	60 15 7	7 1 11	67 17 6	142 19 11	1492
Necessaries ...	159 19 0	50 0 1	209 19 1	15 6 4	1 19 0	17 5 4	192 13 9	
Total ...	302 2 0	118 14 6	420 16 6	76 1 11	9 0 11	85 2 10	335 13 8	

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

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 191 6 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	43	6	0	8	9	-	6	15	8										58	10	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	0	0	10	-	-	8	-	-										38	18	0
	3	18	0																		
3. Total to be accounted for	67	4	0	18	9	-	11	15	8										97	8	8
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	19	0	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	6	6
In Kind ...	6	10	6	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	10	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	-	-	4	10	-	-	-	-										-	4	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	5	4	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	9	10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	40	18	8	11	1	-	7	19	2										59	18	10
9. TOTAL ...	67	4	0	18	9	-	11	15	8										97	8	8

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 1st day of July 191 6

P R [illegible]

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill Messrs Rea, Woods J.P. McArdle (P) Sharkey Hardy (Jnr) Kearney (J.T.) Murphy Rice (J.) Mr. McArdle (E)

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines 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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:—

Mrs. Hamill. Messrs Rae. Woods J.P. McArdle (D) Sharkey Hardy (Jnr) Kearney (J J) Murphy Rice (John) McArdle (E)

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dundalk	1 Cwt. Soap.

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 ____

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates		Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
30th July 1916	Dr. Flood Medical Officer Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District		Enclosing a certificate from Dr. Ottagan that Dr. Flood is suffering from Lumbago and Hemmorhage is unfit to attend to his work and requires a months rest and nominating Dr. Clarke as substitute	Application granted Dr. Clarke to receive the usual remuneration of [illegible] a week
22[illegible]	Dr. Blake Medical Officer Kannadale Dispensary District		Applying for his Annual Vacation and Nominating Dr. Clarke as his substitute	Dr. Blake to nominate a substitute other than Dr. Clarke who has already been nominated as temporary officer for two other districts.
31st July 1916	Clerk of Union		Referring to minutes of [illegible]	Dr. Ottagan [illegible] to furnish the particulars required.

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
30th July 1916	D. Flood Medical Offr Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District	Enclosing a certificate from D. Ottagan that D. Flood is suffering from Lumbago and Hemmorhage is unfit to attend to his work and requires a months rest and nominating D. Clarke as substitute	Application granted D. Clarke to receive the usual remuneration of £4:4:0 a week
22.	D. Blake. Medical Offr Ravensdale Dispensary District	Applying for his Annual Vacation and Nominating D. Clarke as his substitute	D. Blake to nominate a substitute other than D. Clarke who has already been nominated as temporary Offr for two other districts.
31st July 1916	Clerk of Union	Referring to minutes of 7th instant and stating that as D. O'Hagan has not stated the dates between which his substitute will act he the Clerk has been unable to complete the usual quarterly sheet for the Local Government Board.	D. O'Hagan be again asked to furnish the particulars required.

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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.:—

Patrick Byrne
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 9th day of August 1916

(Signed) P. R. Jennings
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118.722.7.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	202										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	3										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	205										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			41	37	43	66	2	2	9	9	4	213
Admitted during the Week -			29	18	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	57
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			70	55	43	66	2	2	14	14	4	270
Discharged during the Week			36	16	-	-	1	-	5	6	-	64
Died - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -			36	16	-	-	1	-	5	6	-	64
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			34	39	43	66	1	2	9	8	4	206

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	42	In separate Wards	46
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	45	TOTAL,	46

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	20	7	1	28
No. in Workhouse at date	2	1	-	3
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of July 1916 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	
	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.	139	336			139	336
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	200	436			200	436

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, ~~at a Meeting held~~ on MONDAY, the 7th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— No Meeting held.

Other Guardians—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1800 lb Bread
100 " Butter
40 qts Buttermilk
12 lb Jam
6 " Fish
40 Doz Eggs
300 lb Meal
56 " Bacon
14 " Pepper
6 " Snuff
1100 qts New Milk
5 lb Tobacco

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lbs Bread

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[FORM 14.]
(Article 7a)

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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 7th day of August 1916

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

Indoor from No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor " No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor " No. ✓ to No. ✓

The Order 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 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 :

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1916

(Signed) Kate Reilly
Acting 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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 7th day of August 1916

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

Indoor from No. ✓ to No. ✓

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ 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 29th day of July 1916, was ~~submitted~~ received, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	142 19 11	64 1 5	207 1 4	8 3 2	57 12 6	66 15 8	141 5 8	1453
Necessaries ...	192 13 9	19 4 9	211 18 6	1 19 -	15 6 4	17 5 4	194 13 2	
Total ...	335 13 8	83 6 2	418 19 10	10 2 2	72 18 10	83 1 -	335 18 10	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 0¼
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 0¼
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 0¼

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of July 191 6 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	40 18 8	11 1 0	7 19 2				59 18 10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 - -	10 . .	- . .				33 15 9
	3 15 9						
3. Total to be accounted for	64 14 5	21 1 .	7 19 2				93 14 7
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	18 18 -	4 16 -	2 12 6				26 6 6
In Kind ...	6 5 8						6 5 8
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	4 10	. . -	. . .				. 4 10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	12 .	2 12 -	1 4 -				4 8 .
7. Total Relief given ...	26 0 6	7 8 -	3 16 6				37 5 =
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	38 13 11	13 13 -	4 2 8				56 9 7
9. TOTAL ...	64 14 5	21 1 .	7 19 2				93 14 7

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 8th day of August 1916

Kate Reilly
Acting
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19_____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 7th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians—

No meeting held.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board.

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____ day of_____ 19____

(*Signed*)_____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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~~ MONDAY, the 7th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— No meeting held.

Other Guardians :—

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 :—

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 ——

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_____ 191 _____

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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. :—

Patrick Byrne
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1916

(Signed) Kate Reilly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118.722.710

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1916.

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
Workhouse	740	207
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospti.	38	2
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	209

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	34	39	43	66	1	2	9	8	4	206
Admitted during the Week	45	13	-	-	1	1	2	2	·	63
Born	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TOTAL,	79	52	43	66	2	2	11	10	4	269
Discharged during the Week	35	14	2	..	..	..	4	3	..	58
Died	1	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	2
Total Discharged and Died	36	14	2	·	1	·	4	3	·	60
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	43	38	41	66	1	2	7	7	4	209

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In separate Wards	47
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	·
	TOTAL, 46	TOTAL, 47	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	32	7	2	41
No. in Workhouse at date	21	6	2	29
No. at corresponding period last year	·			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of August 1916 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	
	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.	138	340			138	340
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	199	440			199	440

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians—

Mr. Hamill Messrs McArdle (D) Woods JP. Branigan Phenkey. Hoey. Muckian Nelson. Hughes Rae Deane

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

Coal Deficiency

Meeting of Visiting Committee 31st July 1916

Having considered the written reports of the Master and the Porter and their statements to us relative to above we find that there is an admitted shortage of some 65 tons of Coal representing a cash value at contract price of £ 20 5 0 that the Master did not visit the coal store for at least twelve months and that there was a deplorable lack of supervision in the Matter

It would appear from the statement of the Master to us this day that the Master Stacktaker and Porter were aware that there was a shortage at the end of the last half year which we think the Master should have [illegible]

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:—

1600 lb Bread	370 lb. Bread.
100 lb Butter	
20 qts Buttermilk	
6 lb Fish	
30 Doz Eggs	
300 lbs Meat	
56 Bacon	
4 Cwt Sugar	
1100 qts New Milk	
4 cwt Salt	
5 lb Tobacco	

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

Coal Deficiency

Meeting of Visiting Committee, 31st July. 1916

Having considered the Written reports of the Master and the Porter and their statements to us relative to above we find that there is an admitted shortage of some 65 tons of Coal representing a cash value at contract price of £120:5:0, that the Master did not visit the coal store for at least twelve months and that there was a deplorable lack of Supervision in the Matter.

It would appear from the statements of the Master to us this day that the Master Stock taker and Porter were aware that there was a shortage at the end of the last half year which we think the Master should have reported to the Board.

We consider the Master is responsible for the safe keeping of all goods received at the Workhouse

Signed

Patrick Byrne
Bernard J Kae
W. Woods
Denis McArdle
John J Kearney
P J Murphy
John Rice
John Hardy
Joseph Sherkey
Edward McArdle.

Moved by Mr. Roe
Seconded by Mr. Byrne. Chairman and
Resolved – That the foregoing report be adopted by the Board of Guardians

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

Nurse Malone returned from holidays and resumed duty on Wednesday last.

Nurse Bergin left the Workhouse on Thursday last for her holidays granted by the Board.

There are Blankets Tweed & Serge to be examined by a committee of the Guardians before they are taken into stock

Committee of Guardians to examine

On yesterday evening Sunday about 3 Pm an inmate of the Female Infirm Ward named Kate Carroll whom it was believed went suddenly insane absconded from the Workhouse. She got out through a window and crossed a wall. When the matter was reported to me I immediately made a search of the roads for her on my bicycle and informed the police. She was found about an hour afterwards at St Helenas, Park where she attempted to commit Suicide by jumping into the river but was rescued by a young man named Michael Bradley. I immediately sent the Ambulance for her and had her conveyed to Hospital where she was attended by the Medical Officer and is now quite recovered

Patient since sent to Richmond Asylum

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

On a requisition from the Medical Officer on Sunday last I wrote to Dublin for a trained nurse for duty in Infirmary. Nurse Tiernan arrived here and took up duty on Monday evening

Nurse Mullins left on Monday for one Months holidays granted by the Board

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Nurse Ward left on holidays on Wednesday

On Wednesday last an inmate of the Lunatic Ward named Kate Carroll was sent to Richmond Lunatic Asylum the usual formalities having been gone through

See Masters report of 7th inst.

On the invitation of Lady Bellingham on Friday last the Schoolchildren of the Workhouse spent a most enjoyable day at the Castle. They were provided as usual with a good supply of tea, Cakes Fruit &c. On behalf of the Officials and children I beg to return thanks to Lady Bellingham for her great kindness.

Clerk to return thanks of Guardians to Lady Bellingham for her kindness

The Medical Officer left on holidays on Saturday last D. Clarke is acting as his substitute

Last night at 9 PM there was an urgent Maternity case admitted from Blackrock in the absence of Nurse Ward on holidays I had to employ Nurse McGahon. the usual fee 5/- Approved. Nurse McGahon to be paid

Sanction requested

The Porter begs to apply for his annual suit of clothes

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):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 37. 499. 1916 dated 7th instant sanctioning payment of remuneration at the rate of Two Pounds a week to Miss Kate Reilly. Relieving Officer for her services as temporary clerk of the Union during the absence of the permanent Officer on Vacation

Letter from Same No 36. 824. 1916 dated 10th instant acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss Alice Mullany as temporary nurse of the Workhouse and stating that they have approved of the employment on the terms specified namely One Pound Eleven Shillings and Six pence a week with rations to the estimated weekly value of Thirteen shillings and Ten Pence

Letter from the Temporary Medical Officer of the Workhouse dated 1st instant stating in reply to Clerks inquiry that he will not be taking his full holiday until the end of the month at which time Dr. Clarke will be free to do same

Application granted. Dr. Clarke to receive £3.3.0 a week for three weeks Sanction requested

Letter from Mr. P R. Finigan Clerk of the Union dated 4th instant reporting the death of one of his sureties Mr James Norton JP and proposing a fidelity Guarantee Bond for £300 from the Hibernian Fire and General Insurance Company Ltd in lieu of his former bond.

Accepted. The Guardians to pay half the annual premium of the bond and Mr. Finigan the remaining half

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On the certificate of the Temporary Medical Officer of the Workhouse it was ordered - That the inmate John Lennon be sent to the Cancer Hospital Dublin for treatment

Pursuant to advertisement of the 31st ultimo the Board considered tenders for 8 pigs now at the Workhouse and accepted the offer of £10. 10. 0 of Mr. Edward McAlester for same which was the highest tender received - Luck penny 8/-

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Bernard J Kol Chairman

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 [illegible] was .. [illegible] (Five weeks)

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 1

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was 1

The Bonds and other Securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 21st day of August 1916

(Signed) Gale Neilly
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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 14 day of August 1916

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

Indoor ... No. 3443 to No. 3755

Separate ... No. — to No. —

Outdoor ... No. 20 to No. 43

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 Book.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

The Weekly Abstract of the Issues of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, 19th inst., was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Provisions	Necessaries	Total
Average Cost in Indoor Hospital			
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			
Average Cost in Workhouse			
Average Cost in Auxiliary Workhouse			
Average Cost in Infirmary			
Average Cost in Lunatic Asylum			
Average Cost in Industrial School			
Average Cost in Reformatory			
Average Cost in Orphanage			
Average Cost in Auxiliary Home			
Average Cost in Children's Home			
Average Cost in Out-door Relief			
Total			

Bernard J. Kirk. Chairman.

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 .. 142 (two weeks)

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 3

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 2

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 :

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August 19 16

(Signed) Kate O'Reilly
Relieving Clerk of the Union.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 14th day of August 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3643 to No. 3785

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Outdoor ,, No. 7430 to No. 7733

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 5th day of August 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	141 5 8	54 8 11	195 14 7	57 0 3	6 8 10	63 9 1	132 5 6	1438
Necessaries ...	194 13 2	66 5 8	260 18 10	15 6 4	1 19 -	17 5 4	243 13 6	
Total ...	335 18 10	120 14 7	456 13 5	72 6 7	8 7 10	80 14 5	375 19 0	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 0 1/4
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 0 1/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 0 1/4

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	28	13	11	13	13	-	4	2	8										56	9	7
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-										28	12	1
3. Total to be accounted for	8 62	12 6	1 -	13	13	-	9	2	8										85	1	8
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	14	6	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	3	-
In Kind ...	6	10	6	-	-	-													6	10	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-											4	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	0										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	1	10	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	6	4
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	36	4	2	6	5	-	5	6	2										47	15	4
9. TOTAL ...	62	6	-	13	13	-	9	2	8										85	1	8

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 15th day of August 1916

Kate Reilly
Acting
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Hamill Messrs McArdle (D) Woods JP. Branigan. Sharkey Holy. Muckian Nelson. Hughes Roe. Deane.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The reports of the Relieving Officers on the Children boarded out during the month of July were read and considered satisfactory.

Copies herewith.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1916

(Signed) Kate Reilly
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs. McArdle (R) Wood J.P. Branigan Sharkey Hoey Mackin Nelson Hughes Hoe Deane

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq JP.

Other Guardians:— Wm. Hamill Messrs. McArdle (2) Woods JP. Branigan. Sharkey. Hoey. Muckian Nelson. Hughes. Rae. Deane.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No. 37595/1916 8th August 1916	Minutes of 31st July 1916	Sanctioning the proposed payment of £4.4.0 a week to W. Clarke for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Flood in his capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Dundalk No. 1 Dispensary District	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
7th August 1916	D. Blake Medical Officer Londonderry Dispensary District	Stating in reply to Clerks enquiry that he D. Blake does not propose to take his Vacation at present that if the Guardians accept D. Clarke as substitute arrangements will be made by which the poor will be in no way inconvenienced &c	Application granted D. Clarke to be paid £4.4.0 a week for three weeks Sanction requested

[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.:—

Dromiskin (20)

Barronstown (22)

Referred to Relieving Officers McArdle and Reilly for their reports.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1916

(Signed) Nat. Reilly Acting
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722. 7. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	207										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hosptl.	38	3										
Fever Sheds	—	—										
TOTAL	778	210										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	38	41	66	1	2	7	7	4	209
Admitted during the Week -			45	18	-	-	-	-	4	5	-	72
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			88	56	41	66	1	2	11	12	4	281
Discharged during the Week			43	17	-	-	-	-	4	5	1	70
Died - - - - - -			-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Died -			43	18	-	-	-	-	4	6	1	71
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			45	38	41	66	1	2	7	7	3	210

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			OBSERVATIONS
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In separate Wards	47
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	
TOTAL,	47	TOTAL,	47

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	27	8	5	40
No. in Workhouse at date	7	1	2	10
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of August 1916 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	
	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.	138	340			138	340
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	31			21	31
TOTAL	199	440			199	440

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mr Hamill and D O'Meara

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1800 lb Bread	No 1 Relief Depot.
100 - Butter	370 lb Bread
40 gls Buttermilk	2 cwt Sugar.
12 lb Jam	
lb. Fish	
30 Doz Eggs	
300 lb Meat	
56 - Bacon	
1100 qts New Milk	
5 lb Tobacco	

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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 registered was ... 6

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 following Electoral Divisions 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 at this day, together with the Report thereon as follows:

(See the Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Sixth Schedule hereto.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the

day of 19

(Signed)

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

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

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 21st day of August 1916

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

Indoor Lists No. 3786 to No. 3866

Separate " No. — to No. —

Outdoor " No. 2433 to No. 2436

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:—

Bernard J Rice.

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

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 .. 60

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. .. .

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 2

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 28th day of August 1916

(Signed) Gate Reilly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 21st day of August 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3786 to No. 3846

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Outdoor „ No. 4333 to No. 4536

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 12th day of August 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	132 5 6	56 17 1	189 2 7	56 8 9	5 8 4	62 15 1	126 7 6	1423
Necessaries ...	243 13 6	92 10 -	336 3 6	15 6 4	1 19 -	17 5 4	318 18 2	
Total ...	375 19 -	149 7 1	525 6 1	71 13 1	8 7 4	80 0 5	445 5 8	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 0½
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 0½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 0½

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	36	4	2	6	5	-	5	6	2										47	15	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	-	-	5	-	-	5	-	-										28	18	9
3. Total to be accounted for	55	2	11	11	5	-	10	6	2										76	14	1
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-												
In Money ...	18	14	6	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	3	-
In Kind ...	6	5	8	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	5	8
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		9	8	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	9	8
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	1	10	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	6	4
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	29	1	1	3	17	-	6	9	8										39	7	9
9. TOTAL ...	55	2	11	11	5	-	10	6	2										76	14	1

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 22nd day of August 1916

Kate Reilly
acting
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__.

(*Signed*) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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day of_____19____

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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 MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Edmund J Roe Esq

Other Guardians:— Mr Howell and B [illegible]

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Roe Esq

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Hamill and D O'Meara.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
		Nil

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dundalk.	One ton Coal.

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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.:—

Bernard J Roe. Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 28th day of August 1916

(Signed) Kate Reilly Acting Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of August 1916

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
Workhouse	740	204
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	3
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	207

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	45	38	41	66	1	2	7	7	3	210
Admitted during the Week -	58	11	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	70
Born - - - - - -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
TOTAL,	103	49	41	66	1	2	8	7	4	281
Discharged during the Week	60	9	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	73
Died - - - - - -	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Died -	60	10	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	74
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	43	39	41	66	1	2	5	6	4	207

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	43	In separate Wards	47
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	46	TOTAL,	47

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	36	3	.	39
No. in Workhouse at date	4	2	.	6
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of August 1916 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	
	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.	140	341	-	-	140	341
No. II.	41	70			41	70
No. III.	20	27			20	27
TOTAL	201	438			201	438

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 28th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Rae Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mr. Hamill Messrs Hughes. O'Meara. McArdle (D) McEntegart.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1600 lb Bread
100 " Butter
40 at Buttermilk
5 lb Fish
30 Doz Eggs
300 lbs Meat
10 Cwt Oatmeal
56 lb Bacon
1 Cwt Rice
4 Cwt Sugar
1100 qts New Milk
5 lb Tobacco.

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lb Bread
1 Chest Tea.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Drying Chamber on laundry is out of repair for some time. The Contractor says it is impossible to keep it in repair. I would suggest that Mr Cahill C.E. be asked to inspect and report on same.

Referred to Engineer

I had to employ [illegible] to rathead another case in the [illegible]

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

The Drying Chamber in laundry is out of repair for some time. The Contractor says it is impossible to keep it in repair I would suggest that Mr. Cahill C.E. be asked to inspect and report on same.

Referred to Engineer

I had to employ Nurse McGahan to attend another case in the Maternity Ward

Approved.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland. No. 37246 : 1916 dated 21st instant acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter of the 29th ultimo and expressing their sanction to the scales of dietary for the healthy inmates of this Workhouse

The Local Government Board suggest that the Medical Officer of the Workhouse should now proceed to frame scales of diets for the sick and submit same to the Guardians for their approval

Ordered accordingly

Ordered - That the Clerk issue advertisements inviting tenders for the necessary supplies to the Workhouse for consideration of the Guardians at their Meeting on the 11th September next.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was

Ordered - That the inmates James McArdle and M. Price be sent to extern hospitals for operation

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TABLE OF STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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 Roads and other Securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the

day of 18

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[FORM 14.]
(Article 71)

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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 7th day of August 1916

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

Indoor Relief Roll	No. 3847	to No. 3919	
Outdoor " "	No.	to No.	
Dispensary " "	No. 7436	to No. 7439	

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by the signature of the Chairman.

The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, having been duly kept by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by the signature of the Chairman.

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

The Weekly Abstract of Account of Provisions and Stores received from the Wholesale Contractors, and issued to the Paupers in the Workhouse, during the Week ending Saturday, the 19th August 1916 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

Provisions	Bread	Flour	Meal	Milk	Tea	Sugar	Butter
Received	1,400 lbs.		1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.
Issued	1,400 lbs.		1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.
Necessaries	Soap	Candles	Starch	Blue	Salt	Pepper	
Received	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	
Issued	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	1,400 lbs.	

Bernard J Rooney Presiding Chairman

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 ..	72
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	3
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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of September 1916

(*Signed*) Kate Reilly
Acting *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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 15th day of August 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3847 to No. 3919

Separate „ No. ~ to No. ~

Outdoor „ No. 7436 to No. 7439

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 August 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	126 7 6	61 15 4	188 2 10	56 18 5	6 8 4	63 7 -	124 15 10	1451
Necessaries ...	318 18 2	24 1 -	342 19 2	15 6 4	1 19 -	17 5 4	325 13 10	
Total ...	445 5 8	85 16 4	531 2 -	72 5 -	8 7 4	80 12 4	450 9 8	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	6	: 11 3/4
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	7	: 11 3/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	7	: 11 3/4

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.

Bread supplied on 1 Relief Report £1 : 14 : 0

£ 450 : 9 : 8
1 : 17 : 0
£ 448 : 12 : 8

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of August 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	29	1	1	3	17	-	6	9	8										39	7	9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25	-	-	10	-	-	5	-	-										43	19	11
	3	19	11																		
3. Total to be accounted for	58	1	-	13	17	-	11	9	8										83	7	8
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	18	-	5	-	-	2	9	6										26	7	6
In Kind ...	6	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	8	1
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	9	8	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	9	8
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	7	9	7	12	-	3	13	6										37	13	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	31	13	3	6	5	-	7	16	2										45	14	5
9. TOTAL ...	58	1	-	13	17	-	11	9	8										83	7	8

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 29th day of August 1916

Kate Reilly
acting *Clerk of the Union.*

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191___, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 28th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill, Messrs Hughes, Messrs McArdle (B), McEntaggart.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 28th day of August 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill, Messrs Hughes. Mears a McArdle (D) McEntegart.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
	Nil	

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended_____191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
28th August 1916	B. O'Hagan Medical Officer Hardwick Infirmary District	Recommending that Dr Flood Medical Officer of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District be granted an extension of sick leave for one month as he is not yet able to resume duty	That Dr Flood be granted a month's extension of sick leave and Dr Clarke appointed to act as substitute at the usual remuneration of £4:4:0 a week. Sanction requested. (Please see minutes of 30th ultimo.)

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
28th August 1916.	D. O'Hagan Medical Officer Dundalk Dispensary District.	Recommending that Dr. Flood Medical Officer of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District be granted an extension of sick leave for one month as he is not yet able to resume duty	That Dr. Flood be granted a month's extension of sick leave and Dr Clarke appointed to act as substitute at the usual remuneration of £4:4:0 a week. Sanction requested. (Please see minutes of 30th ultimo.)

Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 4th day of September 1916.

(Signed) Kate Reilly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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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. :—

Bernard J Roe,
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of September 1916

(Signed) Kate Reilly.
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118 722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of August 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	207										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	—										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	207										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	39	41	66	1	2	5	6	4	207
Admitted during the Week -			51	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	67
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
TOTAL,			94	55	41	66	1	2	5	6	5	275
Discharged during the Week			37	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	66
Died - - - - -			1								1	2
Total Discharged and Died -			52	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	68
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			42	41	41	66	1	2	5	6	3	207

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In separate Wards / In Wards with other inmates: 47
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	-
	TOTAL, 44	TOTAL, 47

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	33	6	-	39
No. in Workhouse at date	5	-	-	-
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of August 1916 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	
	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.	139	335			139	335
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	20	27			20	27
TOTAL	199	431			199	431

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 4th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Roe. Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mrs Hamill Messrs Deane Omeara and O'Rourke.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1600 lb Bread	No 1 Relief Depot
100 - Butter	370 lb Bread
12 - Jam	
6 - Fish	
30 Doz Eggs	
300 lb Meal	
56 Bacon	
1000 qts New Milk	
5 lb Tobacco	
¼ Lon Washing Soda	

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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Nurse Feenan temporary Nurse left the Fever Hospital on Monday last. Her services being no longer required.

Nurse Ward returned from holiday and resumed duty on Thursday last.

Dr. O'Brien returned from Holidays and resumed duty on Saturday last.

The cooking boilers and Steam frens are out of repair. It would be well if Mr Cahill reported on same.

Engineer to inspect and report.

I would suggest that the Committee of the Guardians purchase small pigs to purchase stones.

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

Nurse Keenan temporary Nurse left the Fever Hospital on Monday last. Her services being no longer required

Nurse Ward returned from holidays and resumed duty on Thursday last.

Dr. O'Brien returned from Holidays and resumed duty on Saturday last.

The cooking boilers and Steam press are out of repair. It would be well if Mr. Cahill reported on same.

Engineer to inspect and report.

I would suggest that the Committee of the Guardians purchase small pigs

Messrs Deane and Muckian to purchase stores.

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):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 37246-1916 dated 21st instant acknowledging the receipt of Clerk's letter of the 29th ultimo and expressing their sanction.

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 40 924/1916 dated 28th ultimo referring to minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 21st instant and stating that they have sanctioned the payment of a sum of Two Shillings and six pence to a man named Michael Martin as remuneration for his services in attending a patient named William Bonney in the Workhouse Fever Hospital on the 19th instant.

On the recommendation of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse it was ordered - That the inmates Bridget Finegan Rose Anne Kirk and Mathew Agnew be sent to extern hospitals for special treatment.

Ordered - That the Clerk issue advertisements inviting tenders for the usual supplies to the Workhouse on the 10th instant.

With reference to a bill for £2:2:6 received from Mrs Mc Gahon for attending two cases of labour in the Workhouse during the absence on vacation of the midwife it was.

Moved by Mr Hamill

Seconded by Mr Roe and

Resolved - That a fee of 10/6 be paid Mrs McGahon for her services in each case

Sanction requested

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 11th day of September 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3920 to No. 3967

Separate " No. to No. -

Separate " No. 2439 to No. 2440

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 Register.

Bernard J Roe.
Presiding Chairman

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 .. 47

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. .. .

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 1

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 11th day of September 1916

(Signed) Kate Neilly.
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 4th day of September 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3920 to No. 3967

Separate „ No. ..... to No. .....

Outdoor „ No. 7439 to No. 7440

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 26th day of August 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	124 15 10	57 4 -	181 19 10	57 9 5	6 8 4	63 17 9	118 2 1	1459
Necessaries ...	323 16 10	53 13 4	377 10 2	15 6 4	1 19 -	17 5 4	360 4 10	
Total ...	448 12 8	110 17 4	559 10 -	72 15 9	8 7 4	81 3 4	478 6 11	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	6	: 11 3/4
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	7	: 11 3/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	7	: 11 3/4

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.

†. Tea Supplies No 1 Relief Dept. £17:2:0

Total £466:4:11

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of August 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	31	13	3	6	5	-	7	16	2										45	14	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-										28	16	10
	3	16	10																		
3. Total to be accounted for	55	10	1	11	5	-	7	16	2										74	11	3
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	18	-	4	16	-	2	9	6										26	3	6
In Kind ...	6	12	11	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	12	11
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	26	2	11	7	8	-	3	13	6										37	4	5
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	29	7	2	3	17	-	4	2	8										37	6	10
9. TOTAL ...	55	10	1	11	5	-	7	16	2										74	11	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 on the minutes.

Dated this 5th day of September 1916

Kate Reilly
Acting *Clerk of the Union.*

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191___, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Other Guardians:—

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 4th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.—Edward J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians.—Mr Hamill Messrs Deane, Sheridan & Rourke.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Dundalk No 1	14	5	3	Ordered

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____ day of_____ 19____

(*Signed*)_____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 4th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Bernard J Rae Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill Messrs Deane. Omeara and Rourke.

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:—

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No. 41 924 1916 2nd September 1916.	Guardians Minutes of the 28th August ultimo	Sanctioning the payment of £4. 4 a week to Dr. Clarke for his continued services as temporary substitute for Dr. Flood Medical Officer of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District.	✓

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 11th day of September 1916.

(Signed) Gabe Reilly
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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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. :—

_____

_____

_____

_____

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 11th day of September 1916

(Signed) Gabe Reilly Acting
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin. Ltd.

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DUNDALK UNION.

MONDAY, the 4th day of September 1916

ANALYSES OF MEDICINES.

The accompanying Reports of the Medicine Analyst on the Samples recently forwarded him from the Workhouse *Dispensary were read and considered satisfactory* [~~*except in the case of Article No.* ____ *which was found deficient*~~].

Ordered—That a copy of the Analyst's Report be forwarded the Medical Officer concerned.

Kate Reilly.
acting *Clerk of the Union.*

DOLLARD, DUBLIN. P.

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CHARLES McMULLAN, F.I.C.
PUBLIC ANALYST.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY,
8 WILLIAM STREET SOUTH,

BELFAST, 29th Aug 19 16

Fluids.

REPORT *upon* 3 *Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from* Dundalk *Union* Workhouse *Dispensary, and received by me on* 15/8/16 19

Drugs received in Stock 10/8/16 19

Report Signed 29/8/16 19

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

			Standards.
1.	*Name of Medicine*	Liquor Ferri Perchlor	
	Specific Gravity	1.122	
Iron	*Extract*	5%	
	Alkaloids		
	Alcohol by volume		
	Observations	Correct	
2.	*Name of Medicine*	Syrupus Ferri Iodii	
	Specific Gravity	1.368	
Ferrous Iodide	*Extract*	4.95%	4.9-5.1%
	Alkaloids		
	Alcohol by volume		
	Observations	Correct.	
3.	*Name of Medicine*	Syrupus Sennae	
	Specific Gravity	1.30	
	Extract		
	Alkaloids		
	Alcohol by volume		
	Observations	Correct.	

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

Signed Charles McMullan

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1916

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
Workhouse	740	198
Temporary Buildings ...	—	–
Additional Workhouse	—	–
Permanent Fever Hosptl.	38	
Fever Sheds	—	–
TOTAL	778	198

	Able-bodied Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	42	41	41	66	1	2	5	6	3	207
Admitted during the Week	42	9	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	53
Born	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,	84	50	41	66	1	2	5	7	4	260
Discharged during the Week	41	11	2	1	.	.	2	2	2	61
Died	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Died	41	12	2	1	.	.	2	2	2	62
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	43	38	39	65	1	2	3	5	2	198

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	43	In separate Wards	47	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	.	In Wards with other Inmates	.	
TOTAL,	43	TOTAL,	47	

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	29	5	2	36
No. in Workhouse at date	3	.	.	3
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1916 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	137	326			137	326
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	29			21	29
TOTAL	198	424			198	424

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 11th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J. Roe Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mr. Hamill, Messrs. Hughes Deane, Muckian, Brannigan, Marmion JP. O'Meara Sharkey, Hanlon, McArdle (D)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1600 lb	Bread
4 "	Barley
100 "	Butter
20 qts	Buttermilk
6 lb.	Fish
30 Doz	Eggs
300 lb	Meal
56 "	Bacon
1000 qts	New Milk
5 lb	Tobacco
5 lb	Starch
1 Gross	Matches

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lb Bread.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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Nurse Bergan returned from Holidays on Monday last. Nurse Cooney temporary nurse left.

On Tuesday last I reported a case of suspected [illegible] Fever in the Workhouse pig [illegible] the pigs were inspected by Mr Clinton and Mr Chambers V.S. who pronounced that it was not [illegible] Fever. Two of the pigs died.

Nurse Mullen returned from holidays on Thursday last and resumed duty.

On yesterday evening at 5 P.M. I sent for the Vaccinator to take in a case of Fever from Bellrobin. He did not come and is absent from work to day. I had the case removed by an inmate to day.

Vanman [illegible]

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

Nurse Bergan returned from holidays on Monday last. Nurse Cooney temporary nurse left.

On Tuesday last I reported a case of suspected swine fever in the Workhouse pig cott. the pigs were inspected by Mr. Clinton and Mr. Chambers V. S. who pronounced that it was not swine fever. Two of the pigs died.

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Vanman ill.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No. 41860: 9/16 dated 6th instant. acknowledging the receipt of replies to their replies in query respecting the temporary employment of Miss M. E. Feenan as Nurse in the Workhouse and stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of One Pound Eleven Shillings and sixpence a week with rations to the estimated weekly value of Thirteen Shillings an Ten Pence.

Letter from Miss M. Bergin dated 11th instant tendering her resignation as Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary

Ordered - That Miss Bergins resignation be accepted and that the Clerk issue advertisements inviting applications for the Office of Nurse in the Workhouse at a Salary of £35 per annum with a weekly allowance of 2/9 in lieu of rations for consideration of the Guardians at their meeting on the 25th instant:

Letter from the Secretary Mater Infirmorum Hospital Belfast dated 5th instant - informing the Guardians that in consequence of the great increase in the cost of provisions to the Cost per day for ~~cost of provisions~~ patients sent to that hospital will be 3/1

Terms accepted.

The resolution of the Irish Association of Gas Managers of the 15th August last urging upon the Government the ~~esteame~~ and immediate necessity for adopting such measures as will assure an adequate supply of Coal at reasonable prices including sea Carriage was on the Motion of Mr. Hughes Seconded by Mr. Sharkey adopted.

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On the report of the Clerk it was
Ordered. That advertisements be
issued inviting applications for the taking of
the stock of provisions clothing &c. in the Workhouse
on the 30th instant for consideration of the Guardians
at their next meeting.

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(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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 11th day of September 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3969 to No. 1393

Separate No. — to No. —

Outdoor No. 4440 to No. 4441

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

The following Relief Books were collected by the Clerk, he having [illegible] of the owner made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same as follows:

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

Bernard J Roe
[illegible]

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 .. 44

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 1

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 18th day of September 1916

(Signed) [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 14th day of September 1916

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

Indoor from No. 3968 to No. 4012

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Outdoor ,, No. 3440 to No. 3441

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 2 day of September 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	106 0 1	75 9 8	181 9 9	55 19 2	5 13 9	61 12 11	119 16 10	1403
Necessaries ...	360 4 10	35 16 0	396 0 10	14 16 7	1 19 -	16 15 7	379 5 3	
Total ...	444 4 11	111 5 8	577 10 7	70 15 9	7 12 9	78 8 6	499 2 1	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 0 3/4
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 0 3/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 0 3/4

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	29	7	2	3	17	-	4	2	8										37	6	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	10	-	-	5	-	-										55	9	3
	20	9	3																		
3. Total to be accounted for	69	16	5	13	17	-	9	2	8										92	16	1
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	15	6	4	16	-	2	9	6										26	1	-
In Kind ...	6	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	8	1
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-											3	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...		12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	25	15	7	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	0	1
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	44	0	10	6	9	-	5	6	2										55	16	-
9. TOTAL ...	69	16	5	13	17	-	9	2	8										92	16	1

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 14th day of September 1916

P. H. Finnegan

Clerk of the Union.

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BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 11th day of September 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Bernard J Rae Esq

Other Guardians:—

Mrs Hamill. Messrs. Hughes. Deane. Muckian. Bramigan. Mormon J.P. O'Meara. Sharkey Hanlon. McArdle. (D)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____ 19____

(*Signed*)_____

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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 MONDAY, the 11th day of September 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Bernard J. Roe Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes Deane Muckian Monnigan Marmion J.P. O'Meara Sharkey Hanlon McArdle (D)

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Dundalk No 2	44	14	5	ordered

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 11th day of September 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Bernard J. Roe Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes Deane MacKian Brannigan Marmion J.P. O'Meara Sharkey Hanlon McArdle (D)

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 ____

..... District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
42.079. 1916 3rd Sep. 1916.	Minutes of 14th August 1916.	Approving of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Ravensdale Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation and sanctioning payment of remuneration at the rate of Four Pounds Four Shillings a week to Dr. J. J. Clarke as substitute in the Capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of health	Approved Answers to queries herewith Sanction requested
26406: 1916 5th Sep. 1916		Returning the Vouchers &c. furnished with a view to recoupment in respect of the cost of Medicines and Surgical Appliances obtained for use in this union during the past half year.	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
11th Sept. 1916	Relieving Offr Reilly	Reporting that on the 4th instant D. Teevan Medical Offr of the Barronstown Dispensary District became unwell and that she employed Dr. O'Brien to discharge the duty at the usual remuneration of £4:4:0 a week. Dr. Clarke certifies that D. Teevan is suffering from acute congestion of lungs &c.	Approved Answers to queries herewith Sanction requested

[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. :—

Bernard J. Roe
Chairman

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(Signed) P. R. Finnegan
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722: 7: 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1916

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
Workhouse	740	196
Temporary Buildings ...	—	
Additional Workhouse	—	
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	2
Fever Sheds	—	
TOTAL	778	198

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	43	38	39	65	1	2	3	5	2	198
Admitted during the Week -	36	7	-	-	-	1	4	1	-	49
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	79	45	39	65	1	3	7	6	2	247
Discharged during the Week	40	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	47
Died - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -	40	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	47
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	39	40	39	65	1	3	5	6	2	200

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	41	In separate Wards	47
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	-
TOTAL,	43	TOTAL,	47

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS

	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	23	1	2	26
No. in Workhouse at date	2	-	-	2
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September 1916 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	
	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.	138	327			138	327
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	29			21	29
TOTAL	199	425			199	425

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PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J. Roe Esq.

Other Guardians—

Mrs Hamill Messrs. O'Meara Woods P. Brown Hughes Deane Hamill O'Rourke.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1600 lb Bread	No. 1 Relief Depot.
100 - Butter	370 lb Bread.
20 qts. Buttermilk	
12 lb Jam	
6 - Fish	
40 Doz Eggs	
300 lbs Meal	
56 - Bacon	
20 cwt. Potatoes	
4 - Sugar.	
1000 qts. New Milk	
4 lb Tobacco	
1 Gall. Whiskey	

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

The Vandriver was absent from work last week. His work was done by an inmate named McGaley. (Medical Certificate produced)

Ordered — that McGaley be discharged and appointed temporary vandriver at a remuneration to be fixed at next meeting by the Guardians.

I sold the surplus pigs feeding to Mr. Patrick White last week for 5/=

Approved.

On Friday last I lodged to the credit of the Board of Guardians the sum of £16:12:0 for Maintenance made up as follows.

Owen Craven	£ 5 : 15 6
Mrs Mooney	2 : 5 : 0
John White Oap.	- 15 : 0
Anne Murphy ..	1 - 0 . 0
Eliza Hill	1 - 0 — 0
Rose McNeill	2 : 0 — 0
Mrs. Mahood.	-16- 6
Eliza Keegan.	2 : 0 : 0
	£16 : 12 : 0

~~The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—~~

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows) :—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland. No 39. 831. 1916 dated 12th instant referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 14th ultimo and Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of Three Pounds Three Shillings a week to Doctor. J. J. Clarke for his services as temporary Medical officer of the Workhouse.

Letter from Same of Same date No H3.030 1916 referring to Guardians Minutes of the 4th instant and Sanctioning the payment of one Pound one Shilling to Mrs Mc Gahon for her services in attending two midwifery Cases in the Workhouse Infirmary during the absence of the permanent officer on vacation.

Letter from Same of Same date. No 41859 1916 acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss M. Cooney as Nurse in the Workhouse and Sanctioning the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of one Pound Five Shillings a week and Eight Shillings and nine pence a week in lieu of Rations.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical officer it was

Ordered that the inmates Margaret Sullivan and James Brennan be sent to Extern hospitals for Special treatment.

In reply to their advertisement of the 11th instant the Board received an application from Mr. P. J. Clarke Auctioneer Etc Dundalk proposing to take and value the Stock in the Workhouse on the 30th instant for the usual fee of £4. 0. 0. application accepted. Sanction

requested.

Pursuant to advertisement of the 4th instant the Guardians Considered Tenders for the usual supplies to the Workhouse and accepted the following for one half year ending 31st March 1917.

Name.	Article.	Price
D.D.+J. McCann.	Bread.	10d per 4lbs.
Patrick White	Beef.	8⅞ per lb.
James McCourt	Oatmeal.	£18: 5: per ton
	Flour.	£22: 10: per ton
	Bacon.	11 3/4 per lb.
	Jam.	7½ per lb
	Soap.	39s 3d per cwt.
Francis Short.	Shell Cocoa.	4d 3/8 per lb.
	Dripping (beef)	10d ½ per lb.
	Rice	26s 11d per cwt.
	Pearl Barley.	30s 11d per cwt.
	Ground white pepper.	1s 2d ½ per lb.
	Peas.	31s 5d per cwt.
	Washing Soda	25s 5d per ¼ ton.
	Candles.	6s/10d per doz lbs.
	Salt.	3s 2½ per cwt.
S. Lockington	300 tons of best Durham Coal	34s per ton.
Patk. Kieran.	Irish Eggs. new. 1½ lb. weight per doz	2/6d per dozen
John McGough.	Best Swede Turnips.	1s/ per cwt.

and the following for 12 months ending 30th September 1917.

Name.	Article.	Price
James McCourt.	Best Irish Bran	11s/ per cwt.
	" " Oats.	19s per barrel
Michael McKenna	Pure new Milk.	1d/ per gallon

Name.	Article	Price
Michael McKeown.	Pure Red Milk.	1½ per gallon
John Mc George.	Best First Crop. Hay.	6 per cwt.
John Mc Pudden.	Sweeping Chimneys	£6. per year.

The sureties named in the respective tenders were approved.

The Board made the following orders

That the samples of teas received this day be forwarded Messrs C. J. McHugh & Co for examination and report and that the payment of one Pound one Shilling be paid thereon in respect of their Services.

That the Clerk issue advertisements inviting tenders for the following articles for which the prices named in the tenders received were considered too high, or for which no tender was received for consideration of the Guardians at their meeting on the 2nd proximo. Sugar Brush Butter Ball Blue Starch. Champion Potatoes Onions Matches Corn. Flour. Mustard. Cabbages & Lentils

Also. That advertisements be inserted for the re-leasing and recovering of forty malthouses for consideration of the Board on this day fortnight

Patrick Byrne Chairman

[illegible] Chairman. Clerk of Union

[FORM 14.]
(Article 9.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 1st day of September 1916

The following Relief Lists were produced, examined, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the countersignature of the Clerk.

Indoor from No. 4013 to No. 4070

Separate " No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor " No. 24641 to No. 24648

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 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 .. 57

Ditto disallowed .. .. -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. .. -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

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 2

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916

(*Signed*) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 18th day of September 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4013 to No. 4070

Separate ,, No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor ,, No. 2441 to No. 2442

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 9th day of September 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	119 16 10	51 12 10	171 9 8	55 11 1	6 8 4	61 19 5	109 10 3	1393
Necessaries ...	379 5 3	1 - -	380 5 3	15 6 4	1 19 -	17 5 4	362 19 11	
Total ...	499 2 1	52 12 10	551 14 11	70 17 5	8 7 4	79 4 9	472 10 2	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 1½
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 1½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 1½

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £	s.	d.	TOTAL £	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	44	0	10	6	9	-	5	6	2										55	16	-
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	-	-	5	-	-	5	-	-										28	15	-
	3	15	-																		
3. Total to be accounted for	62	15	10	11	9	-	10	6	2										84	11	-
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	15	6	4	16	-	2	12	6										26	4	-
In Kind ...	6	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	8	1
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-											2	5
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	25	18	-	7	8	-	3	16	6										37	2	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	36	17	10	4	1	-	6	9	8										47	8	6
9. TOTAL ...	62	15	10	11	9	-	10	6	2										84	11	-

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 19th day of September 1916

P. B. Kingston

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

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PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____
day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 18th day of September 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Rae Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill, Messrs. Mearns, Woods, Brown, Hughes, Doane, Hamill, Shaw, Rea.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances [illegible] Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, were [illegible] were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £	s.	d.	[illegible]
Carlingford	7	8	-	Ordered

Distinct Requisitions from the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts [illegible] before the Board, and [illegible] given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	[illegible]	Total Cost £	s.	d.	[illegible]

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 18th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Rae Esq.

Other Guardians:— Mrs. Hamill. Messrs. O'Meara. Woods JP. Brown. Hughes. Deane. Hamill. O'Rourke.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Carlingford	7	8	-	Ordered.

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

[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. :—

_____

_____

_____

_____

Patrick Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916

(*Signed*) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118 722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of September 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	196										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	3										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	199										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	40	39	65	1	3	5	6	2	200
Admitted during the Week -			35	7	-	-	-	1	3	2	-	48
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			74	47	39	65	1	4	8	8	2	248
Discharged during the Week			33	8	-	-	-	2	3	2	-	48
Died - - - - -			-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Died -			33	9	-	-	-	2	3	2	-	49
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			41	38	39	65	1	2	5	6	2	199

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	41	In separate Wards	48	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	-	
TOTAL,	44	TOTAL,	48	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	21	3	5	29
No. in Workhouse at date	4	-	-	-
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of September 1916 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	
	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.	136	324			136	324
No. II.	40	69			40	69
No. III.	21	29			21	29
TOTAL	197	422	.	.	197	422

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Byrne Esq. JP.

Other Guardians— Wm Hamill Messrs Omeara, Woods JP. McGuigan. Hughes. Byrne Jas Sharkey, Roe. Holly Nelson Brannigan. Sharkey. Gallagher.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1600 lb Bread
100 - Butter
20 qts Buttermilk
6 lb Fish
40 Doz Eggs
300 lb Meal
56 - Bacon
1000 qts New Milk
5 lb Tobacco

No 1 Relief Depot
370 lb Bread.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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Mr. Fitzpatrick &
On Wednesday last a Committee of the Guardians purchased ten pigs for the sum of £18 10 [illegible]

Approved

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

Mr. Fitzpatrick £
On Wednesday last a Committee of the Guardians purchased ten Pigs for the sum of £18:10:0
Approved.

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):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No. 44. 142. 1916., dated 20th instant referring to Guardians' Minutes of the 11th instant, and transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed as nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary in succession to Miss Berzi resigned

Letter from same No 39. 959: 1916. dated 23rd instant adverting to minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 11th ultimo, and requesting to be informed what steps the Guardians propose to take with a view of recouping the funds of the Union the cost of the Coal improperly issued out of stock

Ordered – that as the Master denies any responsibility the Local Government Board be requested for their directions in the matter

On the report of the Tea Tester the Board accepted the tender of Mr. James MacCourt for supplying tea to the Workhouse during the ensuing half year at 2/4 per lb

The Clerk reported that several of the persons whose tenders for workhouse supplies were accepted at last meeting failed to perfect the usual bonds, although duly noticed to do so.

Ordered – that the Clerk issue fresh notices that the Guardians will cancel the acceptance of all tenders for which bonds are not signed before the 2nd proximo

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was

Ordered. that a pair of spectacles be provided for Julia McCann and that the inmate Patrick McKenna be sent to the Royal Victoria Hospital for Special treatment.

The Board adopted the accompanying new scale of diet for the sick in this Workhouse

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as prepared by the Medical Officer and requesting the sanction of the Local Government Board thereto.

Pursuant to advertisement of the 11th instant the Guardians considered applications for the office of night nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary.

There were two applicants viz.
Miss Mary Cooney Mullaboy Belcoo and
Miss Annie J Johnston Monaghan.

Proposed by Mr. Hamill
Seconded by Mr. Deane and
Resolved - that Miss Mary Cooney be appointed night nurse of the Workhouse Infirmary at a salary of £35 per annum with a weekly allowance of 8/9 in lieu of rations.

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[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 2nd day of September 1916

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Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 1

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 2nd day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Bernard J. Roe
Chairman

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Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	1

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1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	36 17 10	4 1 -	6 9 8				47 8 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	25 - -	10 - -	8 - -				43 13 11
	3 13 11						
3. Total to be accounted for	65 11 9	14 1 -	11 9 8				91 2 5
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	18 11 -	4 16 -	2 12 6				25 19 6
In Kind ...	6 8 1	- - -	- - -				6 8 1
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	- - -	~~2~~ ~~12~~ -	- - -				- - -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	12 -	2 12 -	1 4 -				4 8 -
7. Total Relief given ...	25 11 1	7 8 -	3 16 6				36 15 7
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	40 0 8	6 13 -	7 13 2				54 6 10
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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 16th day of September 1916

P. H. Finnegan

Clerk of the Union.

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BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Patrick Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill Messrs O'Meara Woods J.P. McGuigan Hughes Byrne Jas Sharkey Roe Hoey Nelson Brannigan Deane Gallagher.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The reports of the Relieving Officers on the Children boarded out during the month of August were read and considered Satisfactory

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq. JP.

Other Guardians:— Mr Hamill Messrs O'Meara Woods JP McGuigan Hughes Byrne (Jas) Sharkey Roe Hoey Nelson Brannigan Deane Gallagher

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

Bernard J Roe
[signature]

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq. JP.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs. O'Meara Woods JP. McGuigan Hughes Byrne (Jas) Sharkey Roe Haley Nelson Brannigan Deane Gallagher.

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:—

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dundalk.	1 Ton Coal
Do.	2 Doz. Enameline.

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

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The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
44.070.-1916 22nd Sept. 1916	11th September 1916	Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of £4.4.0 a week to Dr. O'Brien for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Leevan Medical Officer of the Barronstown Dispensary District.	
105/M/1916 Miscellaneous		Adverting to their Circular letter of the 28th November last relative to the filling of Vacancies in the Poor Law Medical Service; requesting the Guardians to avoid giving any inducement to Medical men of Military age to seek appointments when other suitable and satisfactory arrangements can be made; suggesting that permanent or temporary positions should if possible be assigned to a Doctor holding a permanent local appointment or the duty divided between two or more permanent Medical Officers; that the Guardians should invite the Co-operation of their Medical Officers as to the best means for filling temporary vacancies for the period of the war and issue instructions that any Medical Officer who intends volunteering for Military Service should first apply for leave of absence so that suitable arrangements could be made for the discharge of his duties.	Approved.

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
25th Sept. 1916	Relieving Officer Reilly	Enclosing a further Medical Certificate that Dr. Leevan Medical Officer of the Borrowstown Dispensary District is yet ill and unable to perform his duties	That Dr. O'Brien be appointed to continue discharging Dr. Leevan's duties at the special remuneration of £4 : 4 : 0 a week. Sanction requested

[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.:—

Bernard J Roe
Chairman

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(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118 722 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	207										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt'l.	38	3										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	210										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			41	38	39	65	1	2	5	6	2	199
Admitted during the Week -			49	17	-	-	1	-	5	4	-	76
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
TOTAL,			90	55	39	65	2	2	10	10	3	276
Discharged during the Week			43	14	3	-	-	-	3	3	-	66
Died - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -			43	14	3	-	-	-	3	3	-	66
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			47	41	36	66	2	2	7	7	3	210

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			OBSERVATIONS
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	44	In separate Wards 48	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates -	
	TOTAL, 47	TOTAL, 48	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	12	8	51
No. in Workhouse at date	7	1	2	10
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1916 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	
	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.	136	323			136	323
No. II.	41	74			41	74
No. III.	21	29			21	29
TOTAL	198	426			198	426

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 2nd day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Roe. Esq

Other Guardians—

Mr. Hamill Messrs. O'Rourke Deane, Callan Hughes McGuigan Mackin McArdle (E) Trainor. Mormonff. MacKean. O'Meara. Brown. Woods St. Hanlon Kearney (John)

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1600 lbs Bread
100 " Butter
40 qts Buttermilk
14 lbs. Corn Flour
12 " Jam
6 " Fish
40 Doz Eggs
300 lbs Meat
56 " Bacon
20 Cwt Potatoes
4 " Sugar
1000 qts New Milk
5 lbs Tobacco
14 " Bale Blue.

No 1 Relief Depot.

410 lbs of Bread
2 Cwt Sugar.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

Nurse Bergin left the Workhouse on Tuesday last. Her duties are being performed by Nurse Cooney.

On Friday last I lodged to the Credit of the Board of Guardians the sum of £5-14-0 for maintenance &c made up as follows

Mrs O'Meara.	£3 : 0 : 0
Rose McNeill	15 : 0
Ellen Sandys	10 : 0
James McBride	4 : 0
John White	5 : 0
Surplus Pig Feeding	10
	£5 : 14 : 0

Making a Total Lodgment for half year of £59 17 : 3

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were ~~laid before the Board,~~ and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 43. 366 : 1916 dated 26th instant referring to minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 18th ultimo and transmitting questions for answer respecting the person employed as temporary Van driver in the Workhouse

On the motion of Mr. Hughes

Seconded by Mr. Deane it was

Ordered - That the temporary Van-driver James McGaley be paid at the rate of 10/= a week with helpers rations

(answers to queries herewith)

Letter from same No. 43. 366 ; 1916 dated 27th ultimo referring to Guardians minutes of the 27th ultimo and stating that they have sanctioned the expenditure of a sum of One Pound one Shilling to having the samples of teas supplied to the Workhouse tested.

Letter from same No. 43. 366 of same date sanctioning the proposed payment of four Pounds to Mr. P. J. Clarke for his services in taking and valuing the stock in the Workhouse during the Current half-year

Letter from Relieving Officer McArdle dated 2nd instant reporting that he had a tramp who was taken suddenly ill in Dundalk on the 29th ultimo conveyed to the workhouse at a cost of 2/6

Approved.

Mr. Edhill C.E. submitted the accompanying proposal for the repairing of the steam plant at the Workhouse which is the Engineer states in urgent need of repairs

Messrs. Musgrave & Co Ltd purpose to carry out the work for a sum of £125 : 0 : 0

Ordered - That the Clerk apply to the Local

Government Board for authority to accept Messrs Musgraves tender which the Engineer considers reasonable.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was

ordered - That Margaret Ryan Edward Connally and Patrick Duffy be admitted to the Workhouse with the view of sending them to extern hospitals for special treatment.

Pursuant to advertisement of the 18th ultimo the Guardians accepted the following tenders for Workhouse supplies up to the 31st March 1917 viz.

Owen J Kearney	Irish Butter (best quality)	1/11½ per lb	
Francis Short	Best Mustard	1/6 per lb	
William J Maye	Best Mutton	0/10 per lb	
Same	Best Beef Suet	0/8 per lb	

and

Edward McArdle for releasing and recovering 40 Mattresses at 19/9 each added hair 1/6 per lb extra

No tender was received for Soft Sugar Ball Blue Starch Matches Corn Flour Cabbage Lentils or Potatoes

Ordered - That the Local Government Board be requested to authorize the Guardians to purchase the foregoing articles in the open market during the Current half year.

The Board accepted the tender of James Mathews for the Bones on hands at 3/- per Cwt

On the recommendation of the Visiting Committee it was

Ordered - That the Clerk issue

advertisements inviting tenders for the disused Engine and Vertical Boiler at the Workhouse for consideration of the Guardians at their meeting on the 6th instant.

[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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 1st day of October 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4142 to No. 4204

Separate " No. — to No. —

Outdoor " No. 3443 to No. 3646

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 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 .. 62

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 2

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 :

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 9th day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin, Ltd

Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

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[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 2nd day of October 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4142 to No. 4204

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Outdoor „ No. 2443 to No. 2446

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 23rd day of September 1916, 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: By Inmates			By Officers			Total			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	98	10	9	60	3	11	158	14	8	56	9	8	6	14	8	63	4	4	95	10	4	1438
Necessaries ...	345	12	10	1	2	-	346	14	10	15	7	8	1	19	-	17	6	8	329	8	2	
Total ...	444	3	7	61	5	11	505	9	6	71	17	4	8	13	8	80	11	-	424	18	6	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: —
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: —
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: —

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.

(* Coal supplied No 1 Relief Depot £1 : 17 : 0. Total £424 . 18 . 6
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£423 : 1 : 6

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	40	0	8	6	13	.	7	13	2										54	6	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20			5	.	.	-	-	.										28	16	10
	3	16	10																		
3. Total to be accounted for	63	17	6	11	13	.	7	13	2										83	3	8
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	12	-	5	3	6	2	12	6										26	8	.
In Kind ...	6	10	6	-	-	-													6	10	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		2	5	-	-	-	-	-											.	2	8
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	.	1	4	-										4	8	.
7. Total Relief given ...	25	16	1	7	15	6	3	11	6										37	8	11
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	38	0	7	3	17	6	3	16	8										45	14	9
9. TOTAL ...	63	17	6	11	13	.	7	13	2										83	3	8

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 27th day of September 1916

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Other Guardians:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____ *Clerk of the Union.*

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 2nd day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Edward J Rae Esq

Other Guardians:— Mr Hamill Messrs O'Rourke, Deane, Callan, Hughes McEvoy, Mackin McArdle (E) Trainor Mormon J.P. Mackin Moore Brown Woods J.P. Hanlon Kearney (John)

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
45632.1916 28th Sept. 1916		Informing the Guardians that the Local Government Board have received the report of their Medical Inspector, Dr. Browne relating to his recent inspection of the Dispensary Districts of the Union, enclosing extracts therefrom and requesting that the several important matters therein adverted to may receive the Guardians Consideration	That the several suggestions contained in Dr. Brownes report be given effect to and that the Medical Officer of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District be asked for a description and an estimate of the cost of the ~~[illegible]~~ chair which he states is required for his Dispensary
44.143:16 30th Sept. 1916	Guardians Minutes of 11th September 1916	Requesting to be furnished with a duplicate Copy of the requisition for a supply of Medicines monthly submitted by the Medical Officer for use in the Dundalk No 2 Dispensary District.	Copy Herewith

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

The Medical Officer of the Ravensdale Dispensary District submitted his report Form L for the half year ended the 30th September last.

Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 9th day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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. :—

The Medical Officer of the Ravensdale Dispensary District submitted his report - Form L for the half year ended the 30th September last.

Bernard J Roe. Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 9th day of October 1916

(*Signed*) P K Finnegan
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 48,722: 7: 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of September 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	192										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	3										
Fever Sheds	—											
Total	778	195										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			47	41	36	65	2	2	7	7	3	210
Admitted during the Week -			49	3	.	.	-	-	-	1	-	53
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,			96	44	36	65	2	2	7	8	3	263
Discharged during the Week			54	7	.	.	-	-	2	3	-	66
Died - - - - - -			2									2
Total Discharged and Died -			56	7	.	.	-	-	2	3	-	68
Remaining on the above date			40	37	36	65	2	2	5	5	3	195

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 44	In separate Wards 48	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In Wards with other Inmates -	
Total, 44	Total, 48	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	75	2	1	78
No. in Workhouse at date	1	-	-	1
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of September 1916 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	
	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.	137	329			137	329
No. II.	41	74			41	74
No. III.	21	29			21	29
Total	199	432			199	432

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday, the 9th day of October 191—

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Bernard J Rae Esq

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes Brannigan O'Meara Brown O'Rourke

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1600 lbs Bread
56 " Butter
40 qts Buttermilk
6 lbs Fish
40 Doz Eggs
300 lbs Meat
56 " Bacon
1 Cwt Rice
4 " Sugar
1000 qts New Milk
4 Cwt Salt
5 lbs Tobacco
10 Chests Tea
20 Cwt Soap
1 Gross Matches
¼ Ton Washing Soda

No 1 Relief Depot
420 lbs Bread.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

Michael Morhon Vandoner resumed work this morning

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

Michael Morton Van driver resumed work this morning

Circular Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 95 M 1916 Miscellaneous dated 2nd instant transmitting a form for a statement showing the sums paid by the Guardians for medical and educational purposes in respect of the year ended the 30th ultimo in order that recoupment may be made out of the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account to the County Council on behalf of the Guardians.

Letter from same. No 46. 369. 1916 dated 5th instant acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Miss Mary Cooney as Nurse in the Workhouse and approving of the appointment on the terms specified namely at a salary of Thirty Five Pounds a year and an allowance of Eight Shillings and nine pence a week in lieu of rations.

Letter from same No 47. 451. 1916 dated 7th instant acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of James McGailey as Van-driver in the Union and requesting to be furnished with a medical certificate as to this man's fitness for the position.

The Local Government Board desire to be informed of the nature of the permanent Van-drivers illness and as to the probability that he will be able to resume duty in the near future.

The Master reported that the permanent Van-driver resumed duty this morning.

Letter from same No 46. 438. 1916 dated 7th instant adverting to previous correspondence and to the entry on the subject in Minutes of

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Circular Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 95. M. 1916 Miscellaneous dated 2nd instant transmitting a form for a statement showing the Sums paid by the Guardians for Medical and Educational purposes in respect of the year ended the 30th ultimo in order that Reconsidered may be made out of the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account to the County Council on behalf of the Guardians.

Letter from Same. No H6. 369. 1916 dated 5th instant acknowledging the receipt of replies to their enquiries respecting the Appointment of Mrs Mary Cooney as Nurse in the Workhouse and approving of the appointment on the terms specified namely at a salary of Thirty Five Pounds a year and an allowance of Eight Shillings and nine pence a week in lieu of rations.

Letter from Same No H4. 451. 1916 dated 4th instant acknowledging the receipt of replies to their enquiries respecting the temporary employment of James McGarley as Van-driver in the Union and requesting to be furnished with a Medical certificate as to his mental fitness for the position.

The Local Government Board desire to be informed of the nature of the permanent-Van-drivers illness and as to the probability that he will be able to resume duty in the near future.

The Master reported that the permanent Van-driver resumed duty this morning.

Letter from Same No H6. 438. 1916 dated 4th instant adverting to previous Correspondence and to the ruling on the Subject in Minutes of

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of proceedings of the Guardians on the 25th ultimo and stating that the question of the deficiency found in the stock of Coal in the Workhouse has been referred to the Auditor to inquire into at next ~~meeting~~ audit.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical officer it was.

Ordered. That the inmates Mrs. Margaret Sullivan Mrs. E. Connolly and Bridget Hodges be sent to extern hospital for special treatment.

On the motion of Mr. Omeara.

Seconded by Mr. Hughes. the Board passed a resolution requesting the Government to grant a war bonus to the Irish National School Teachers similar to that granted the School Teachers of Great Britain.

On the motion of Mr. Hughes Seconded by Mr. Omeara.

The Board also passed a resolution of Condolence with the Sisters of Mercy Dundalk on the lamented death of Rev. Mother Clare who was for years Head Nurse in the Workhouse.

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Patrick Rogers Chairman

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 .. 16

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 2

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 16 day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]

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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 9th day of October 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4205 to No. 4291

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Outdoor „ No. 3446 to No. 3447

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:—

Patrick Byrne Chairman

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

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 .. 86

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 16 day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 9th day of October 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4205 to No. 4391

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Outdoor ,, No. 7446 to No. 7447

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 30th day of September 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	95	10	11	57	9	6	152	19	10	56	12	3	6	14	8	63	6	11	89	12	11	1423
Necessaries ...	327	11	2	.	.	.	327	11	2	15	8	7	1	19	.	17	7	7	310	3	7	
Total ...	423	1	6	57	9	6	480	11	—	72	0	10	8	13	8	80	14	6	399	16	6	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	7	: 1¼
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 1¼
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 1¼

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of September 191 6 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	38	0	7	3	17	6	3	16	8										45	14	9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	10	-	-	10	-	-										45	2	10
	5	2	10																		
3. Total to be accounted for	63	3	5	13	17	6	13	16	8										90	17	7
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	12	-	5	3	6	2	12	6										26	8	-
In Kind ...	5	8	9	-	-	-	-	-	-										5	8	9
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	4	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										4	8	
7. Total Relief given ...	24	17	7	7	15	6	3	16	6										36	9	7
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	38	5	10	6	2	-	10	0	2										54	8	-
9. TOTAL ...	63	3	5	13	17	6	13	16	8										90	17	7

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 9th day of October 191 6.

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(*Signed*) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 Monday, the 9th day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair: Edward J Roe Esq.

Other Guardians: Mr Hamill Messrs Hughes Brannigan Mrs Brown. O'Kourke.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 9th day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bernard J Roe Esqr.

Other Guardians:— Mr. Hamill Messrs Hughes Branigan. O'Meara. Brown. O'Rourke.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 191 _____

..... District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		D. Joseph O'Brien for his further services as Temporary Substitute for Doctor Keevan in his Capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health Barrowtown Dispensary District
86 M 1916 2nd Oct 1916		Transmitting a form in which should be Entered the Sums Charged to the Guardians in respect of Medecines and Medical and Surgical appliances so far as the same were delivered during the half year ended 30th September 1916. Clerk to furnish the required Particulars

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
46·439 1916 2nd Oct 1916	25th of September 1916	Expressing Sanction to the proposed payment of Four Pounds Four Shillings a week to D. Joseph O'Brien for his further services as Temporary Substitute for Doctor Keegan in his Capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health Ballymakenny Dispensary District	
86 M 1916 2nd Oct 1916		Transmitting a form in which should be Entered the Sums Charged to the Guardians in respect of Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances so far as the same were delivered during the half year ended 30th September 1916.	Clerk to furnish the required Particulars

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	Carlingford Dispensary District 36 Children		
		Referred to Relieving Officer for his report on this day fortnight	
		Dr Finegan Medical Officer of the Carlingford Dispensary District submitted his report Form L in respect of the half year ended 30th September	
			Mayne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 16th day of October 1916.

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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.:—

Carlingford Dispensary District 36 Children.

Referred to Relieving Officer Rice for his report on this day fortnight

Dr. Finegan Medical Officer of the Carlingford Dispensary District submitted his report Form L. in respect of the half year ended 30th September.

P Byrne, Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 16th day of October 1916.

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,727 : 7 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of October 191 6.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	207										
Temporary Buildings ...	—	-										
Additional Workhouse	—	-										
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	4										
Fever Sheds	—	-										
TOTAL	778	211										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			40	34	36	65	2	2	5	5	3	195
Admitted during the Week -			69	23	-	-	-	-	2	4	-	98
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			109	60	36	65	2	2	7	9	3	293
Discharged during the Week			53	14	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	74
Died - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -			53	14	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	74
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			49	46	36	65	1	2	4	6	3	211

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	4	In separate Wards -
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates -
TOTAL,	4	TOTAL, -

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	10	5	46
No. in Workhouse at date	8	8	11	11
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of October 191 6 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	
	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.	134	325			134	325
No. II.	41	74			41	74
No. III.	20	24			20	24
TOTAL	195	423			195	423

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 16th day of October 191 6

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Bayne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill, Messrs Muckian, Hughes, Rice, Dane, O'Rourke, Teague and Treanor

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the day of 191

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Poor, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children under 9 years of age, including Infants at nurse	Casuals relieved during the Week	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital or on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse 140												
Temporary Buildings ... —												
Additional Workhouse —												
Permanent Fever Hospit. 38												
Fever Sheds ... ... —												
TOTAL 178												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return										Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In Asylums	
Admitted during the Week—										Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Workhouse with ordinary Inmates	
Born - - - - - -										TOTAL	TOTAL	
TOTAL										NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week											Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died - - - - - -										No. Relieved during week				
Total Discharged and Died -										No. in Workhouse at date				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE										No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 191 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Nature of Relief	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 and Dependants on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family and Dependants on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday, the day of 191

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1600 lbs Bread
100 " Butter
40 qts Buttermilk
12 lbs Jam
6 " Fish
30 doz Eggs
300 lbs Beef
10 cwt Oatmeal
56 lbs Bacon
1 ton Potatoes
4 cwt Sugar
1000 qts Skimmilk
5 lbs Tobacco
1 Gallon malt
56 lbs Starch

For No 1 Relief Depot
420 lbs Bread

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

There are Soap and Dungaree in the Hall for the inspection of the Guardians.

Mr. Hamill and Mr. Hughes to inspect the above

Mr. Larkin. Tailor begs to apply for one week's holidays.

Granted

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

Referred to the Visiting Committee for consideration and report on this day week.

Letter from Nurses Malone Ward Cooney, Mahaddy and Mc Dermott dated 16th instant stating that owing to the increase in the price of provisions the weekly allowance of Eight Shillings and nine pence now paid them is insufficient to purchase their weekly supply of food

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 47,623: 1916 dated 11th instant referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 2nd instant stating that for the present they will not raise any objection to the guardians proposal to purchase in the open market the articles enumerated in the Minutes for the supply of which no tenders were received.

Ordered- That the Clerk's balance be increased by Twenty Pounds to meet the cost of articles which must be paid for on delivery. Sanction requested.

Letter from same No 48.316: 1916 dated 12th instant referring to Clerk's letter of the 7th instant and to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 2nd June last and expressing Sanction to the payment of Two Pounds Two Shillings to Doctor P. H. O. Connell for his services in assisting the Medical officer of the Workhouse in connection with the case mentioned in the Minutes

Letter from same No 48.872: 1916 dated 13th instant transmitting an enclosure giving the substance of a report which the Local Government Board have received from their Inspector Mr. Fitzpatrick consequent on his recent inspection of the workhouse and requesting that the matter adverted to therein may receive the attention of the Guardians.

Referred to the Visiting Committee for consideration and report on this day week.

Letter from Nurses Malone, Ward, Cooney, Mahaddy and Mc Dermott dated 16th instant stating that owing to the increase in the price of provisions the weekly allowance of Eight Shillings and nine pence now paid them is insufficient to purchase their weekly supply of food

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Ordered- That the Clerk send advertisements notice to each member that on this day fortnight the 30th instant the Guardians will Consider the foregoing application.

The Clerk reported that Messrs S. Lockington & Co whose tender for the supply of coal to the Workhouse was accepted by the Guardians had not perfected the necessary bond.

Ordered- That the tender of Messrs S. Lockington + Co be cancelled, that Messrs Connick + Co whose tender was next lowest be asked if they would be prepared to supply whatever coal that may be be required during the current half year at the price named in their tender vizt. 3/7½ per ton.

(The quantity at present in Stock should be sufficient until February next.)

On the recommendation of the Medical officer of the Workhouse it was

Ordered- That the boy Joseph Coburn be sent to an extern Hospital for special treatment

The Clerk reported that no tender was received in reply to the Guardians advertisement for the ~~duties of the~~ Steam Engine and Boiler at the Workhouse.

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(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.)

Dundalk Union

The Clerk was produced in this Clerk, [illegible]

The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, [illegible]

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 ..	48
Ditto disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	2
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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 23rd day of October 1916

(Signed) P R Simpson
Clerk of the Union.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 16th day of October 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4,292 to No. 4,340

Separate ,, No. / to No. /

Outdoor ,, 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 14th day of October 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	89 17 11	71 16 6	161 9 5	60 7 6	6 14 11	67 2 5	94 7 .	1453
Necessaries ...	310 3 4	. . .	310 3 4	15 5 .	1 19 .	14 4 .	292 19 4	
Total ...	399 16 6	71 16 6	471 13 .	75 12 6	8 13 11	84 6 5	384 6 4	

Coal to Riverstown Dispensary £3:14:0 - Actual Balance £383:12:4.

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	4	3½
Average Cost in Infirmary	-	8	3½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	-	8	3½

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of October 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	38	5	10	6	2	.	10	0	2										54	8	.
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	10	4	5	-	.	.	-	.										29	10	4
3. Total to be accounted for	62	16	5	11	2	.	10	0	2										83	18	4
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	18	10	.	5	4	6	2	9	6										26	4	.
In Kind ...	6	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	12	11
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	4	10	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	4	10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	17	-	2	12	-	1	4	-										3	16	-
7. Total Relief given ...	25	19	9	4	16	6	3	13	6										37	9	9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	36	16	8	3	5	6	6	6	8										46	8	10
9. TOTAL ...	62	16	5	11	2	.	10	0	2										83	18	4

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 14th day of October 1916

P R Finnegan

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 16th day of October 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Patrick Byrne Esq J.P

Other Guardians:— Mrs Stanill, Messrs Meehan, Hughes, Roe Keane, O'Rourke, Taaffe and Treanor

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The accompanying Reports of the Relieving Officers on the children boarded out during the month of September were read and considered satisfactory.

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Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 23rd day of October 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 16th day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— [illegible]

Other Guardians:— [illegible]

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

(*Signed*) _____

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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 MONDAY, the 16th day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq J P

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill, Messrs Mackean, Staughes, Hoe, Deane, Ohourke, Taaffe and Treanor

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
	Nil			

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 ____

Carlingford District - - - £.....

Ravensdal District - - - £.....

Barnowarnshouse District - - - £.....

Louth District - - - £.....

Dundalk No 1 District - - - £.....

" No 2 District - - - £.....

..... District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
47624 1916 11th October 1916	Minutes of 2nd October 1916	Returning the duplicate copies of requisitions for medecines and medical and surgical appliances recently submitted to the Guardians by the Medical Officer of the Dundalk No 2 Dispensary District stating that the Medical officer should be instructed to order drugs in future at more frequent intervals and in smaller quantities	ordered accordingly
39837 1916 11th Oct 1916	Minutes of the 14th August 1916	Requesting to be informed whether the defaulters under the vaccination acts in the Barrowstown and Dromiskin Dispensary Districts have complied with the law.	Relieving officers Reilly and McArdle reported that all had complied with the exception of 3 who were certified unfit.

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
October 16th 1916	Relieving officer Reilly.	Transmitting a certificate from Doctor J. J. Clarke Dundalk that Dr. Teevan Medical officer of the Barrowstown Dispensary District is yet ill and will not be able to resume duty for three weeks from this date.	That Doctor O'Brien be appointed to discharge the duty for a further period of three weeks at the usual remuneration of £4.4.0 a week. Sanction requested.

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(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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.:—

Barrowstown Dispensary 24 Children
Wromskin 28 D°
Ravensdale 3 D°

Referred to Relieving Officer Reilly and Rice for their report on this day fortnight

The Reports Form H of the Medical Officers for the following districts for the half year ended 30th ultimo were submitted viz:
Barrowstown 38 persons successfully vac.
Ravensdale 34 D° D°
The Report Form L. of the Medical Officer of the Barrowstown Dispensary District was also submitted.

A Deane
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 23rd day of October 1916.

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 114,432. 7. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of October 1916.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	147										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	6										
Fever Sheds	—	-										
TOTAL	778	223										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			56	46	36	65	1	3	6	5	3	223
Admitted during the Week -			54	17	-	-	2	1	3	1	-	81
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			110	63	36	65	3	4	9	6	3	304
Discharged during the Week			48	17	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	69
Died - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Discharged and Died -			48	17	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	69
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			58	46	36	65	1	3	6	5	3	223

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 45	In separate Wards 46	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL, 51	TOTAL 46	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	32	9	3	44
No. in Workhouse at date	9	2	2	13
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of October 1916 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	
	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.	135	316			135	316
No. II.	41	44			41	44
No. III.	20	24			20	24
TOTAL	196	414			196	414

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 23rd day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— As a quorum did not attend until 11.40 am

Other Guardians— there was no meeting held.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1000 lbs Bread
56 - Butter
60 qts Buttermilk
6 lbs Jam
30 doz Eggs
300 lbs Beef
56 - Brown
6 - Sugar
2 cwt Sugar
1000 qts Skimmilk
5 lbs Tobacco
1 Gallon Whiskey

1410 lbs Bread.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the day of 191

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	Adult. Males	Adult. Females	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons above 16 years of age, but not working	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 years of age	Girls	Children under 9 years of age, whether Males or Females	Children under 2 years of age, whether Males or Females	TOTAL
Workhouse	760									
Temporary Building ...	—									
Additional Workhouse	—									
Fever Hospital	88									
Fever Sheds	—									
TOTAL	778									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return										
Admitted during the Week										
Born - - - - -										
TOTAL										
Discharged during the Week										
Died - - - - -										
Total Discharged and Died										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE										

SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
	Under Medical treatment in Ward Infirmary	
	In Wards	
	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	
	With other Lunatics	
TOTALS	TOTAL	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week				
No. in Workhouse at date				
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 191 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 Workhouses	
	Number relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependant on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependant on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	135	310				
No. II.	81	74				
No. III.	80	94				
Total	296	478				

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the day of 191

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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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 .. ..

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916

(*Signed*) _____

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.)

Dundalk Union.

~~Meeting held~~ the 9th day of October 191[illegible]

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

Indoor from No. / to No. /

Separate ,, No. / to No. /

Outdoor ,, 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:—

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2. The Provision Check Account.
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The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of October 191[illegible], ~~was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:~~

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	94 4 .	69 13 4	164 0 4	65 14 2	6 14 11	72 13 1	69 2 3	1414
Necessaries ...	249 5 4	1 19 4	251 4 11	15 5 .	1 19 .	17 4 .	234 0 11	
Total ...	343 12 4	69 12 8	453 5 3	81 2 2	8 13 11	89 16 1	363 9 2	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 8½
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 8½
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 8½

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

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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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of October 191... was ~~submitted~~ as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1			Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II.			Relieving Officer RICE District No. III.			Relieving Officer District No. IV.			Relieving Officer District No. V.			Relieving Officer District No. VI.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	36	16	8	3	5	6	6	6	8										46	8	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians	20	4	6	10	-	-	5	-	-							3			39	6	8
3. Total to be accounted for	61	3	4	13	5	6	11	6	8										85	15	6
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	14	16	-	5	4	6	2	9	6										25	10	-
In Kind ...	6	15	4	-	-	-	-	-	-										6	15	4
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	12	-	1	14	-										4	8	-
7. Total Relief given ...	21	3	4	4	16	6	3	13	6										36	13	4
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	36	-	-	5	9	-	4	13	2										49	2	2
9. TOTAL ...	61	3	4	13	5	6	11	6	8										85	15	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 on the minutes.

Dated this 14th day of October 191...

P. A. Finnegan

Clerk of the Union.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the.....

day of.....191.....was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Marble. District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Reilly. District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Rice. District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...							
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for							
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7. Total Relief given ...							
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9. TOTAL ...							

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Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

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Clerk of the Union.

Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191___, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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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~~ MONDAY, the 23rd day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— No Meeting held this day

Other Guardians:—

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

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_____ 191 _____

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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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. :—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916

(*Signed*) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,922: 4:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of October 191 6

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	414										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	6										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	420										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return												
Admitted during the Week -												
Born - - - - - -												
TOTAL,												
Discharged during the Week												
Died - - - - - -												
Total Discharged and Died -												
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE												420

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 46	In separate Wards 43	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 6	In Wards with other Inmates 4	
TOTAL, 52	TOTAL, 47	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	49	4	3	56
No. in Workhouse at date	8	1	—	9
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of October 191 6 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	
	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.	133	316			133	316
No. II.	41	74			41	74
No. III.	20	24			20	24
TOTAL	194	414			194	414

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Michael Deane Esq. D. V. C.

Other Guardians— Wm. M. Hazill. Messrs Hughes Rob. D. McArdle. and T. Clarke

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

The Tailor left the Workhouse for one weeks holidays on Tuesday last.

The Tea recently ordered by the Board is at present in the Porters Hall it is necessary that a committee of the guardians to take samples from the different chests in order to have them compared with the original - Committee to select sample.

There are new straps required on the windows of the Fever Van the roof of the Ambulance is leaking and the Harness requires to be repaired.

Referred to Mann Deane, Hughes and Woods.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

Pursuant to Notice of the 16th instant the Board considered the applications of Nurses Malone, Ward, Cooney and Mahaddy and Ward Mistress McDermott for an increase in the many allowance now made them in lieu of rationsing was.

Proposed by Mr Hughes and Wharke

Seconded by Mr Hughes and

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 47.623: 1916 dated 17th instant referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 2nd instant and stating that in pursuance of Article 21 of the General Regulations they consent to the Guardians proposal to accept Messrs Musgraves tender for repairs to the steam-plant at the Workhouse.

Ordered- That the Engineer be directed to put the proposed work in hands forthwith.

Letter from same No 46. 457. 1916 dated 19th instant expressing their approval of the revised scale of dietary for the sick inmates of the Workhouse Infirmary and the Fever Hospital of the Union

Letter from Mr. Patrick Baxter Shoemaker of the Workhouse dated 23rd instant applying for an increase in his wages owing to the increased cost of living due to the war.

Letter from Mrs Mary Toal Helper in the Fever Hospital applying for an increase in her salary.

Ordered- That the Clerk issue notice to each Guardian that the foregoing applications will be considered by the Guardians at their meeting on the 13th proximo.

Pursuant to Notice of the 16th instant the Board considered the applications of Nurses Malone, Ward, Cooney and Mahaddy and Ward-Mistress McDermott for an increase in the money allowance now made them in lieu of rations in the Wards.

Proposed by Mr. ~~Hughes and~~ O'Rourke
Seconded by Mr. Hughes and

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Resolved- That the weekly ration money allowed each of the above named officers be increased until the end of the war from Eight Shillings and nine pence to Twelve Shillings.

Sanction requested.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer it was

Ordered- That the inmates James McLiteggart, Thomas Brannigan, Lizzie Hanlon, and Maggie Woods be sent to Extern Hospitals for special treatment.

The Clerk reported that having compared the returns of stock as furnished by the Stocktaker in respect of the half year ended the 30th ultimo with the master's Books he found amongst others the following differences

Deficiencies. 45½ tons of coal. - 16 mens handkerchiefs 13 womens handkerchiefs 11 girls shifts, 15 delph plates, 23 spoons, 98 Enamelled plates.

Excesses. 29 Bolster Covers, 49 pillow slips, 79 sheets, 15 mens caps. 14 mens flannels, 15 womens aprons 36 womens shifts, 20 girls gowns and frocks and 26 petticoats.-

Ordered- That the master be directed to furnish a written explanation of the above differences for consideration of the Guardians at next Meeting

On the report of a Committee of Guardians (Messrs Hughes & O'Rourke) it was also ordered That the following articles which were found worn out be deducted from stock and disposed of as usual viz:-

Bedding. 8 Bedticks. 13 Blankets. 14 Bolster covers, 109 Pillow slips. 31 quilts, 237 sheets, 4 Table cloths and 54 towels.

Mens clothing 21 coats. 4 handkerchiefs 24 caps. 96 shirts. 32 shoes. 88 socks. 12 trousers

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4 waistcoats. 9 slippers 25 Flannels and 3 Suspenders
Womens Clothing. 84 aprons. 6 Caps. 43 gowns
3 handkerchiefs 28 petticoats 65 Shifts 25 Shots
63 stockings 34 slippers and 24 Flannels.
Boys clothing. 9 Coats., 4 Caps. 10 Skirts, 6 Shots
19 Socks. 8 drawers, 3 waistcoats. and 4 collars
Girls clothing. 30 aprons. 25 gowns. 9 petticoats
19 Skifts. 18 Shots and 32 stockings.

The Board adopted the Resolution of the Dublin Corporation asking the Government to grant an amnesty to the political prisoners and also of the Cork Board of Guardians adopting against applying conscription to Ireland.

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 30th day of October 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4,371 to No. 4,502

Separate ,, No. / to No. /

Outdoor ,, No. 9,448 to No. 9,451

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 21st day of October 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Officers £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	89 6 3	90 15 9	180 1 5	66 9 5	7 5 10	73 15 3	106 6 2	1503
Necessaries ...	274 0 11	39 5 .	313 5 11	14 16 3	2 19 -	17 15 3	295 10 8	
Total ...	363 7 2	130 0 9	493 7 11	81 5 8	10 4 10	91 10 6	401 16 10	

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

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of October 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	36 . .	5 9 .	4 13 2				44 2 2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	24 10 .	10 . .	. .				34 10 -
3. Total to be accounted for	60 10 -	15 9 .	4 13 2				78 12 2
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	17 6 .	5 4 6	2 9 6				25 - -
In Kind ...	6 15 4	. . .	. . .				6 15 4
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	. 5 10	. . .	. . .				. 5 10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. 19 .	2 17 .	1 4 .				4 8 .
7. Total Relief given ...	24 19 2	4 16 6	3 13 6				36 9 2
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	35 10 10	4 12 6	3 19 8				44 3 -
9. TOTAL ...	60 10 -	15 9 -	4 13 2				93 12 2

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

Dated this 31st day of October 1916

P. H. Finnegan

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Michael Deane Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill. Messrs Hughes Murphy. P.J. Muckian McArdle. and Woods JP

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 50.059 1916 dated 25th instant stating that they have had before them the reports of the Relieving Officers on the children boarded out by the Guardians together with Certificates of school attendances for the month of September and in reference to the absence from school of Frank Fisher and Peter Grimes on Eight days each. the Local Government Board State that the foster parents of these children should be warned against Keeping them from school to work.

Relieving Officer Reilly to convey the above caution to the foster parents concerned.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Michael Deane Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Gross-Hughes Murphy Clarke Muckian McCardle and Wood JP

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Patrick Byrne Chairman

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 6th day of November 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Michael Deane Esq. D.V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes Murphy, O'Rourke Duckett McCardle and Webb J.P.

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Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Dundalk W. House	44	5	11	} Allowed
Dunleer	19	4	8	}

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

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.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
48.875 1916 21st Oct.	Minutes 9th October instant	Requesting to be informed if the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the Carlingford Dispensary District have complied with the law.	Relieving officer Rice to submit his report on the 13th proximo.
50.219 1916 23rd Oct. 1916	Minutes 16th October instant	Sanctioning the payment of remuneration at the rate of Four Pounds Four Shillings a week to Doctor J O'Brien for his services for a further period of three weeks as temporary substitute for Doctor Teevan, Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health, of the Barronstown District	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

[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. :—

The Medical officer of the Carlingford Dispensary District submitted his report Form P. from which it appeared that between the 31st March last and the 1st instant he successfully vaccinated 56 persons all of whom were residents in his district.

Patrick Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 6th day of November 1916

(Signed) T. H. Thompson
Clerk of the Union.

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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.:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

MONDAY, the 30th day of October 1916

ANALYSES OF MEDICINES.

The accompanying Reports of the Medicine Analyst on the Samples recently forwarded him from the Dundalk No. 1 and 2 *Dispensaries were read and considered satisfactory [except in the case of Article No.* 3 *which was found deficient].*

Ordered—That a copy of the Analyst's Report be forwarded the Medical Officers concerned. and that the Medical Officer, Dundalk No 2 District be directed to return the drug found deficient and obtain from the Contractor in lieu thereof an article of standard quality

P K Finegan

Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 114,722:4:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of November 191 6

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
Workhouse	740	211
Temporary Buildings ...	—	-
Additional Workhouse	—	-
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	11
Fever Sheds	—	-
TOTAL	778	222

	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
	Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	55	43	36	65	2	4	8	3	4	220
Admitted during the Week -	41	9	-	-	1	1	2	2	1	57
Born - - - - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,	96	52	36	65	3	5	10	5	5	277
Discharged during the Week	47	9	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	58
Died - - - - - -	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Total Discharged and Died -	47	10	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	60
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE	55	42	36	65	3	4	9	5	3	222

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	49	In separate Wards 35
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	12	In Wards with other Inmates 11
	TOTAL, 61	TOTAL, 46

OBSERVATIONS

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	31	6	1	38
No. in Workhouse at date	3	-	-	3
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 191____ 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	
	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.	134	324			134	324
No. II.	41	44			41	44
No. III.	20	24			20	24
TOTAL	195	425			195	425

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 27th day of November 191 6

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Patrick Boyne Esq J.P.

Other Guardians— Mrs. Hamill, Messrs E. Hanlon, P. Mc. Linden, P. Brannigan, T. Sherlock, J. Hanlon Jun., P. Murphy, E. Hoey, J. Boyne, J. Woods, B. Fox, Mc Donnell, T. Linden, T. Lysaght, J. Mannion J.P., & W. Woods J.P.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

As directed by the Board I sent for the Stocktaker and pointed out to him a mistake in the number of Enamelled plates in his return for the body of the house. He admits that he omitted in transferring from his pass book to the Stock Sheet a quantity of new plates that were in the Store.

As regards the Clothing Stock I am quite satisfied that his returns are correct.

See Stocktakers letter in general minute.

Master to furnish explanation of the chief differences for next meeting.

The tailor returned from holidays and resumed work on Tuesday last.

I instructed the Board's Solicitor in reference to the case of an inmate named Lizzie Kearney from South Commons [illegible]

Approved.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

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

As directed by the Board I sent for the Stocktaker and pointed out to him a mistake in the number of cancelled plates in his return for the body of the house. He admits that he omitted in transferring from his pass book to the Stock Sheet a quantity of new plates that were in the Store.

As regards the clothing Stock I am quite satisfied that his returns are correct.

See Stocktakers letter in General Minute Book

Master to furnish explanation of the chief differences for next meeting.

The tailor returned from holidays and resumed work on Tuesday last.

I instructed the Board's Solicitor in reference to the case of an inmate named Lizzie Kearney, from South Commons, Carlingford.

Approved.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letters from Wm. William Leeks and Bridget Mc Kevitt Cook of the Workhouse applying for an increase in their wages.

Ordered That the Clerk issue notice to each Guardian that the foregoing applications will be considered by the Guardians at their meeting on the 20th instant

Letter from Wm. C. J. McHugh Dea Lister dated 3rd instant reporting that the Sample of Tea taken from the brek is equal to the original Sample.

Ordered- That the Master be authorized to take the brek into Stock.

Letter from Wm. T. J. Clarke Stocktaker dated 4th instant stating that he has discovered an error in the number of Enamelled plates returned by him in the Stock Sheet. That the return showed have shown 84 additional enamelled plates in the Masters Store. which he omitted to transfer from the book in which he made the original entries on the recommendation of the Medical officer it was.

Ordered- That the inmate Patrick Boyle be sent to a Public Hospital for Special treatment.

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(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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 15th day of November 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4503 to No. 4557 Bernard J Roe.

Separate " No. — to No. — Chairman

Outdoor " No. 2457 to No. 2457

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 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 .. 52

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. 1

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 1

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 13th day of November 1916

(Signed) P. P. Tanger
Clerk of the Union.

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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.)

Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 6th day of November 191 6

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

Indoor from No. 4503 to No. 4555

Separate „ No. / to No. /

Outdoor „ No. 4451 to No. 4454

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 6th day of November 191 6, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	104 8 2	68 5 9	174 13 11	140 19 8	4 5 10	144 16 6	96 17 5	1550
Necessaries ...	295 10 8	1 3 4	296 14 .	14 5 2	2 14 .	20 4 2	276 9 10	
Total ...	401 18 10	69 9 1	471 7 11	154 15 10	10 4 10	164 0 8	373 7 3	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		:	:
Average Cost in Infirmary		:	:
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		:	:

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the..... day of 6th November 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	35 10 10	17 12 6	3 19 8				47 3 .
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	29 12 8	10 . .	5 . .				44 12 8
3. Total to be accounted for	65 3 6	17 12 6	8 19 8				91 15 8
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	17 11 .	5 4 6	2 9 6				25 5 .
In Kind ...	6 15 4	~~2 12~~ .	. . .				6 15 4
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	. 6 10	. . .	. . .				. 6 10
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	. 12 .	2 12 .	1 4 .				4 8 .
7. Total Relief given ...	25 5 2	17 16 6	3 13 6				36 15 2
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	39 18 4	9 16 .	5 6 2				55 0 6
9. TOTAL ...	65 3 6	17 12 6	8 19 8				91 15 8

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 4th day of November 1916

P. B. Jungen

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191___, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 6th day of November 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair.— Patrick Byrne Esq JP

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill, Messrs Stanton McArdle J Brannigan J Sharkey J Hardy P Mullen P Hory J Byrne J Woods B J Roe M Deane J Rourke F Gosling J Marmion J Paul William Woods

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 13th day of November 1916

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 6th day of November 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Patrick Byrne Esq. JP

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill, Messrs Stanton. McCardle J Brannigan. J Sharkey. J Hardy. P Muckian. P Story. J Byrne. J Woods. B J Roe. M Deane. J O'Rourke. T Gosling J Marmion J Paul William Woods.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

_____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

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.....District - - - £.....

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

[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.:—

Vaccination Defaulters.

On the application of Relieving Officers Reilly and McArdle the Board Granted them an extension of a fortnight to Complete their returns respecting the defaulters in the Dromiskin and Barronstown Dispensary Districts

Ordered that the Medical Officers of the Dundalk Dispensary Districts be directed to Submit their reports Form P. Concerning the defaulters in their districts at next Meeting

Bernard J Roe Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 13th day of December 1916

(Signed) P J Lennon
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1916.

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 Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Workhouse	740	220										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hosptl.	38	12.										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	232.										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			55.	42	36	65.	3	4.	9	7	2	223
Admitted during the Week			33	10	-	-	1	-	2	5.	3	54.
Born			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL,			88	52	36	65	4	4	11	12	5	277.
Discharged during the Week			31	7	.	.	1	.	2	3	1	45.
Died			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Died			31	7	.	.	1	.	2	3	1	45.
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			57	45	36	65	3	4	9	9	4	232.

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS: Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	12	In separate Wards		46
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	51	In Wards with other Inmates	46	
TOTAL,	63	TOTAL,	46	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	25 ~~16~~	5 (5)	6	36.
No. in Workhouse at date	9	2	1	12
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 191__ 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): Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1): Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1): Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1): Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse: Persons
No. I.	134	325.			134	325.
No. II.	41	74			41	74
No. III.	20	27			20	27.
TOTAL	195.	426			195	426

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 13th day of November 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— B. J. Roe. V. C.

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill Messrs Hughes. Deane Rourke. McDonald. D. Omeara. + J. Kearney.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1600 lbs Bread.
100 " Butter.
40 qts Buttermilk
12 lbs Jam.
6 " Fish
240 doz Eggs
300 lbs Beef.
56 " Bacon
1 ton Potatoes
4 Cwt Loaf Sugar
1100 qts Newmilk
5 lbs. Tobacco.

For No. 1 Relief Depot.
420 lbs. Bread.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 050218: 1916 dated 7th instant referring to the entry in Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 16th ultimo and stating that they see no objection to the proposal to increase the value of cash in the Clerks hands by £20:0:0 while necessary for the purpose of paying for the articles the purchase of which without inviting tenders was sanctioned by the Local Government Board letter of the 11th ultimo.

Letter from Sister M. Lucy Flately dated 19th instant resigning her position as Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary.

Resignation accepted. Clerk to issue advertisements inviting applications from a Sister of the Convent of Mercy. Dombach at a Salary of £35:0:0 per annum. With apartments, milk & [illegible] for consideration of the Guardians at their meeting on the 27th instant.

Letter from Mr P. L. Mac Ardle Solr dated 11th instant stating that the inmate Lizzie Kearney would be entitled to £1:10:0 per annum out of the holding of her deceased father.

Solicitor to make arrangements for the lodgement of this amount to the Guardians credit.

The Clerk submitted a warrant for the removal of a [illegible] Maria [illegible] of Mr Grace from [illegible] to this Union.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical officer it was ordered that the inmate Colvin be sent to an external hospital for special treatment.

Pursuant to Notice of the 30th ultimo it was

Proposed by Mr Deane.
Seconded by Mrs Hamill and
Resolved that the wages of Mr P.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 50218: 1916 dated 7th instant referring to the entry in Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 16th ultimo and stating that they see no objection to the proposal to increase the balance of cash in the Clerk's hands by £20:0:0 while necessary for the purpose of paying for the articles the purchase of which without inviting tenders was sanctioned by the Local Government Board letter of the 11th ultimo

Letter from Sister M. Lucy Flately dated 12th instant resigning her position as Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary

Resignation accepted. Clerk to issue advertisements inviting applications from a Sister of the Convent of Mercy. Dundalk at a Salary of £35:0:0 per annum. with apartments. milk & vegetables. for consideration of the Guardians at their meeting on the 27th instant

Letter from Mr P. L. Mac Ardle Solr dated 11th instant stating that the inmate Lizzie Kearney would be entitled to £1:10:0 per annum out of the holding of her deceased father.

Solicitor to make arrangements for the lodgement of this amount to the Guardians credit

The Clerk Submitted a warrant for the removal of a woman named Maria McMurray or McGrane from the Glasgow. Workhouse. to this Union.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical officer it was ordered. That the inmate Coburn be sent to an external Hospital for special treatment.

Pursuant to Notice of the 30th ultimo it was.

Proposed by Mr Deane.
Seconded by Mrs Hamill. and
Resolved. That the wages of Mr P.

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Baxter Workhouse Shoemaker be increased from £1:0:0 to £1:10:0 per week for the duration of the war.
Proposed by Dr. Hamill
Seconded by Mr. Deane. and
Resolved. That the Salary of Dr. May Local attendant in Fever Hospital be increased from £10. to £13 per annum.
Sanction requested.

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[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 13th day of November 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4556 to No. 4619

Separate " No. — to No. —

Outdoor " No. 2452 to No. 2453

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to date, with the [illegible]

Bernard J Roe.
V. Chairman.

The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, he having first ascertained [illegible] 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 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 .. 63

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 20th day of November 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.]
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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 13th day of November 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4556. to No. 4619.

Separate „ No. ——— to No. ———

Outdoor „ No. 2452. to No. 2453.

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 11th day of November 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	84 15 5	68 13 3	153 8 8	40 13 9	7 5 10	47 19 7	75 9 1	
Necessaries ...	265 7 10	· · ·	265 7 10	19 9 2	2 19 -	22 8 2	242 19 8.	1583
Total ...	350 3 3	68 13 3	418 16 6.	60 2 11	10 4 10	100 7 9	318 8 9.	

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

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	39 18 4	9 16 -	5 6 2				55 0 6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 -		5				41 12
Provisions	16 12 -						
3. Total to be accounted for	76 10 4	9 16 -	10 6 2				96 12 6
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	14 13 6	5 4 6	2 10 6				25 8 6
In Kind ...	6 17 9						6 17 9
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	4 5						4 5
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	12 -	2 12 -	1 4 -				4 8
7. Total Relief given ...	25 7 8	7 16 6	3 14 6				36 18 8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	51 2 8	1 19 6	6 11 8				59 13 10
9. TOTAL ...	76 10 4	9 16 -	10 6 2				96 12 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 on the minutes.

Dated this 14th day of November 1916

[signature]

Clerk of the Union.

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BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 13th day of November 1916, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, B. J. Roe Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill. Messrs Hughes Deane. McDonald. D. Omeara & J Kearney

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Letter from Dr. P. H. O. Connell Surgeon Louth County Infirmary dated 12th instant informing the Guardians that a boarded out boy from the Union was admitted to the Louth Infirmary on the 2nd instant suffering from severe crushing of the little finger of the right hand and that he died on Saturday last the 11th instant from Tetanus or lock jaw.

Doctor O. Connell continues

" I was unable to amputate the finger when the boy was admitted as I could not obtain permission from his Guardian this man said he would give no permission without first seeing the Guardians. I do not think the boys life could have been saved in this particular instance the infection proving of a virulent nature. but I would be glad if you would kindly bring the matter before the Guardians and let me know what

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what I am to do should anything of a similiar nature occur in future.

Letter from Miss K. Reilly. Relieving officer dated 13th instant reporting that a boarded out orphan with Mrs. McLuteggart Ballinfull met with an accident to his hand by a gate slapping and injuring the little finger on the right hand. The foster parent brought him to Doctor Clarke who ordered his removal to the Louth Infirmary when Doctor O'Connell found it necessary to amputate the finger. with the result that lock-jaw. set in and he died on Saturday last the 11th instant

Ordered. That Doctor O'Connell be asked to exercise his own discretion in any similiar case that may occur in future.

Bernard J Roe.
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 20th day of November 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 13th day of November 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair.— B. J. Rog. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs. Hamill Messrs Hughes. Keane. ORourke McDonald. OMeara and J Kearney.

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
Ravensdale	12	19	7	Allowed

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 ____

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

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.....District - - - £.....

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
52465 1916 10th Nov. 1916	30th inst.	Requesting to be furnished with duplicate copies of the recent requisitions for supplies of Medecines and Medical and Surgical appliances for use in the Workhouse and Dromskin Dispensary District of the Union (Herewith)	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
13th November 1916	Relieving officer McCardle.	Reporting that on the 11th inst Doctor Flood Medical Officer of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District became ill and that he the Relieving officer employed Doctor J. J. Clarke to perform the duty at the usual remuneration of £4.4.0 a week or £1.1.0 a day if under four days.	Approved. Sanction requested

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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. :—

_____

_____

_____

_____

Bernard J Rice.
Presiding Chairman.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 20th day of November 1916.

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 118,722.7.0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of November 1916.

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 Males	Able-bodied Fem.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Males	Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Boys	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age Girls	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL
Workhouse	740	217										
Temporary Buildings ...	—											
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hosptl.	38	16										
Fever Sheds	—											
TOTAL	778	233										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			57	45	36	65	3	4	9	9	4	232
Admitted during the Week			45	7	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	56
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			102	52	36	65	3	4	9	12	5	288
Discharged during the Week			45	4	.	.	.			1	2	53
Died			2									2
Total Discharged and Died			47	4	.	1				1	2	55
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			55	48	36	64	3	4	9	11	3	233

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	OBSERVATIONS
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	50	In separate Wards 46	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	16	In Wards with other Inmates —	
TOTAL,	66	TOTAL, 46	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	32	8	-	40
No. in Workhouse at date	4	1	..	5
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of November 1916 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) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Cases	Total relieved out of the Workhouse Persons
No. I.	134	325			134	325
No. II.	40	73			40	73
No. III.	20	27			20	27
TOTAL	194	425			194	425

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 20th day of November 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— B. J. Roe V.C. Subsequently Patrick Byrne Esq. J.P. (Chairman)

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill. Messrs W. Woods. J.P. J. Brown. P. Muckian. Owen Mathews. Peter Hughes. M. Deane.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

1600 lbs Bread.
100 " Butter
110 qts Buttermilk
17 lbs Jam
6 " Fish
420 doz Eggs.
300 lbs Beef.
56 lbs Bacon
1 ton Potatoes.
½ cwt Soft Sugar.
1100 qts Newmilk
5 lbs Tobacco.

For No. 1 Relief Depot
420 lbs Bread.

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

owing to the Workhouse horse being very tired after taking a fever patient from Cooley on the night of the 14th instant I had to employ a horse and Brougham from Mrs. H.C. Quilty to take a patient from Jenkinstown at a cost of 12/6 but attached.

payment ordered.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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

owing to the Workhouse horse being very tired after taking a Fever patient from Cooley on the night of the 14th instant I had to employ a horse and Brougham from Mr. McGuills to take a patient from Jenkinstown at a cost of 12/6 bill attached.

payment ordered.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

20th instant & Letter from Relieving officer Rice dated 20th instant reporting that a destitute old man named Michael Ferguson of Gaultrimsland died last night and as the Workhouse Master states that he has a funeral for day and tomorrow. and has no coffin ready, he the Relieving officer requests the directions of the Board in the matter.

Ordered- That the Relieving officer be authorized to have the deceased interred in the nearest burial ground.

The Sisters of Mercy wrote returning thanks to Lady Bellingham. Mrs Mac Mahon. Mrs Russell and Mrs J. Callan for presents of papers etc made to the inmates

Pursuant to Notice of the 6th instant it was.

Proposed by Mr Roe.
Seconded by Mr Hughes and.
Resolved- That the wages of the Workhouse Tailor be increased from Twenty seven
£1:7:0. Shillings to Thirty two. Shillings a week for the duration
£1:12:0 of the war.

Pursuant to Notice of same date it was.
Proposed by Mr Roe.
Seconded by Mr Muckian
Resolved- That the Salary of Bridget McKevitt Cook of the Infirmary be increased from
£4:£7. Four Pounds to Seven Pounds a year for the duration of the war.

Sanction requested.

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Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

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 ..	35
Ditto disallowed	
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ..	1
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:-

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 27th day of November 1916

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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Bernard J Roe.
Presiding Chairman.

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Ditto disallowed	-
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	1
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ..	1
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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 27th day of November 1916.

(*Signed*) C B Thompson
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.]
(Article 7:)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Dundalk Union.

Meeting held the 20th day of November 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4620 to No. 4655

Separate „ No. / to No. /

Outdoor „ No. 2453 to No. 2454

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.....day of.....191....., was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
										By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	75	9	1	231	4	10	306	16	11	41	18	10	7	5	10	49	4	8.	227	12	3.	1604.
Necessaries ...	242	19	8.	2	4	8.	245	4	4.	19	8	9.	2	19	0	22	7	9.	222	19	7.	
Total ...	318.	8.	9	233	15	6.	552	4	3.	91	4	7	10	4	10	101	12	5.	450	11	10.	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 11½.
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 11½
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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the.....

day of.....191.....was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £	s.	d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £	s.	d.	TOTAL £	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	51	2	8	1 ~~9~~	19 ~~16~~	6 ~~0~~	6	11	8										59	13	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	.	.	10	.	.	5	.	.										34	10	0
Provisions	4	10	0																		
3. Total to be accounted for	70	12	8	11	19	6	11	11	8										94	3	10
Expenditure.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...																					
In Money ...	14	13	6	5	4	6	2	10	6										25	8	6
In Kind ...	7	6	3																7	6	3
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	2	-																-	2	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	12	-	2	8	0	1	4	0										4 ~~4~~	4 ~~17~~	0 ~~8~~
7. Total Relief given ...	25	13	9	7	12	6	3	14	6										37 ~~34~~	0 ~~13~~	9 ~~9~~
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	44	18	11	4	7	0	7	17	2										57	3	1
9. TOTAL ...	70	12	8	11	19	6	11	11	8										94	3	10

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 7th day of November 1916

[signature]

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the_____day of_____191__, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the_____

day of_____19____

(*Signed*)_____

Clerk of the Union.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 30th day of November 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Chas. Roe V.C. Subsequently P. Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians— Mrs. Hamill Messrs. W. Woods J.P. J. Brown P. [illegible] Owen Mathews P. Hughes & M. Deane

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 £	s.	d.	Directions given by the Board
[illegible]				[illegible]

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin, Ltd.

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Dundalk 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 MONDAY, the 20th day of November 1916.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— B. J. Roe V.C. Subsequently P. Byrne Esq. J.P.

Other Guardians:— Mrs. Hamill Messrs W. Woods J.P. J. Brown. P. Buckley owen Mathews P. Hughes & M. Doran.

Messrs Connick & Co to be asked to deliver these Coal as the road is unable owing to pressure ban

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
Dromiskin	2 tons.
Carrickmullan.	2 tons.
Barronstown.	2 "
Louth.	2 ton.
	Messrs Connick & Co to be asked to deliver these coal. as the van is unable owing to pressure of work

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 191 _____

.....District - - - £.....

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(This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.)

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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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:—

Reference No. & Date	Date of Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians or other communication to which L.G. Board Order or Letter relates	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
20th Nov. 1916.	Relieving officer Rice.	Reporting that on Monday evening last Doctor Blake M.O. Ravensdale Dispensary District reported to him that he Doctor Blake had to go to Dublin with his daughter who developed acute appendicitis & would not be able to return for some days. he the M.O. employed Doctor O'Brien to see an urgent case at Jenkinstown on the 13th instant & refused to continue to do the duty he then (the M.O.) employed Doctor Clerke until Doctor Blake returned on Saturday the 18th inst	No order made by the Guardians

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. :—

Vaccination Defaulters.

Relieving Officer McArdle Reilly applied for an extension of a fortnight to complete their inquiries respecting the defaulters in the Dromiskin and Barronstown districts

Bernard J Roe
Presiding Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 27th day of November 1916.

(Signed) [signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Board, Printinghouse, Dublin. Ltd.

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DUNDALK UNION.

Population in 1911—33,929. Present Net Annual Value, £ 116,722: 7:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 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	TOTAL
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				
Workhouse	740	214										
Temporary Buildings ...	—	—										
Additional Workhouse	—											
Permanent Fever Hospt.	38	14										
Fever Sheds	—	—										
TOTAL	778	228										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			55	45	36	64	3	4	9	11	3	233
Admitted during the Week -			29	14	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	47
Born - - - - - -			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL,			84	59	36	64	3	5	11	13	3	280
Discharged during the Week			29	15	-	-	-	1	3	3	-	51
Died - - - - - -			1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total Discharged and Died -			30	15	-	-	-	1	3	3	-	52
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			54	44	36	64	3	4	8	10	3	228

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 50	In separate Wards -	
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 14	In Wards with other Inmates -	
TOTAL, 64	TOTAL, 44	

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	Males	Females	Children under 5	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	22	8	1	31
No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-	
No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of November 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	
	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.	134	325			134	325
No. II.	40	73			40	73
No. III.	20	27			20	27
TOTAL	194	425			194	425

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 24th day of November 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Edward J Hoey Esq JP

Other Guardians— Mrs Hamill and Gallagher

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1800 lbs Bread
56 " Butter
20 qts Buttermilk
14 lbs Corn Flour
6 fish
40 doz Eggs
300 lbs Beef
10 cwt Oatmeal
½ " Bacon
1 Ton Potatoes
4 cwt Sugar
1100 qts Menmilk
5 lbs Tobacco
1 Gallon Whiskey

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 55.463. 1916 dated 21st instant transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed Nurse in the Workhouse in place of Sister May Lucy Flately resigned and also respecting the person temporarily employed as Boilerman in the Workhouse.

Letter from same No 52.464. 1916 dated 22nd instant referring to Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 30th ultimo and stating that they have sanctioned the proposal to increase the allowance in lieu of rations to Nurses Malone, Ward, Cooney and Mahaddy and to Wardsmistress McDermott from Eight Shillings and nine pence to twelve shillings a week each for the remainder of the period of the war.

Circular Letter from same No 56314 dated 25th instant giving the course which the Sugar Commission suggest should be followed by Boards of Guardians in order to obtain supplies of sugar for use in Workhouses and on behalf of the Commission asking all connected with the Sugar Trade and also the public at large to assist by exercising the greatest possible care in handling sugar and by economy in its use as furthermore to be content with whatever type of sugar is available etc.

Letter from the Secretary Louth County Council dated 17th instant reporting the lodgment:
£2910:10:0 of the third instalment Two Thousand Nine hundred and ten Pounds ten shillings and no pence of the Guardians demand to the credit of the Union account.

Letter from the Engine Boiler Company Limited dated 24th instant stating that on the 10th instant one of their Inspectors made an ordinary inspection of Numbers one and two Boilers at the Workhouse and where seen found them in good order.

An application was read from the

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the Workhouse van-driver dated 27th instant applying for an increase in his wages which he states are quite inadequate to maintain himself and his family.

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Clerk to send notice to each Guardian that the van-drivers application will be Considered on this day fortnight.

Relieving Officer McArdle reported that on the 25th instant he had a woman named E. Connor whom the police found in an exhausted Condition removed to the Workhouse at a Cost of Five Shillings.

approved.

In reply to their advertisement of the 13th instant the Board received an application from Sister M. Joseph Flynn. for the office of Nurse in the Workhouse and it was.

Proposed by Dr. Hamill
Seconded by Mr Gallagher and
Resolved that Sister M Joseph Flynn be appointed Nurse in the Workhouse in Room of Sister M. Lucy Flately resigned at a Salary of Thirty five Pounds per annum with Apartments Milk & Vegetables.

The ... 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 sanctioned was ... 3

Ditto discharged ... ...

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ...

The number of cases of provisional Outdoor Relief was ... ...

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ...

The number of other Applicants to the Relieving Officers' Books ordered by order of the Guardians was 1

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

The Bonds and other Securities in force were last taken by the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the ... day of ... 1919.

(Seal) ... Clerk of the Union.

Clerk's salary, £... 0s. 0d.

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Bernard J. Roe.

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 .. 36

Ditto disallowed .. ..

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was .. ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 2

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 1

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:

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of December 1916

(Signed) P. B. Tunney

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.)

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Meeting held the 4th day of November 1916

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

Indoor from No. 4656 to No. 4694

Separate „ No. / to No. /

Outdoor „ No. 4453 to No. 4505

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 14th day of November 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	224 12 3	81 4 11	309 0 2	77 0 11	6 11 9	48 12 8	230 4 6	1608
Necessaries ...	215 11 7	3 1 4	218 12 11	18 6 4	2 19 ·	21 5 4	199 4 4	
Total ...	443 3 10	84 4 3	527 13 1	95 7 6	9 10 9	99 18 3	427 14 10	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 10
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	8	: 10
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 10

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer McARDLE District No. 1 £ s. d.	Relieving Officer REILLY District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer RICE District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	44 15 11	4 4	4 14 2				54 3 1
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 10 .	10 .	3 13 6				34 10 .
3. Total to be accounted for	64 8 11	14 4 .	4 14 2				91 13 1
Expenditure.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...							
In Money ...	14 13 6	5 4 6	3 13 6				23 11 6
In Kind ...	4 4 .	- -	- -				4 4 .
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	- 4 4	- -	- -				. 4 4
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	- 12 .	2 8	1 4 .				3 4 .
7. Total Relief given ...	25 16 10	4 12 6	3 14 6				34 6 10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	43 12 1	6 14 6	3 16 8				54 6 3
9. TOTAL ...	64 8 11	14 4 -	4 14 2				91 13 1

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 28th day of November 191 6

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Dundalk Union.

BOARDED OUT CHILDREN, &c.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Dundalk Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 29th day of November 1920, in relation to the Boarding or Hiring-out of Children, and under the Infant Life Protection Act.

PRESENT—In the Chair, B. J. Roe. Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:— Mrs. Hamill and Gallagher.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The accompanying reports of the Relieving officers for the month of October on the Children boarded out from the workhouse were read and considered Satisfactory.

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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 MONDAY, the 27th day of November 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,—B. J. Roe Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:—Mrs Hamill and Gallagher

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

Bernard J. Roe.
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of November 1916

(Signed) P. B. [illegible]
Clerk of the Union.

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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 MONDAY, the 27th day of November 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair,— P. J. Ross Esq JP.

Other Guardians:— Mrs Hamill and Gallagher.

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 £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board

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

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

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On the Application of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended_____191 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____191_____

.....District - - - £.....

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union, and to each Relieving Officer and Warden therein, namely:—

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division

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No 5547. 22nd Nov. 1916

Minutes of the 4th November 1916.

Stating that the remuneration at the rate of four Pounds four Shillings a week proposed to be allowed to Doctor J. J. Clarke for his Services as temporary Substitute for Doctor Flood in his capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Dundalk No 1 Dispensary District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board.

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
25th Nov. 1916	The midwives of the several Dispensaries throughout the District	Applying for increases to their salaries in consequence of the great increase in the cost of living	Clerk to issue notice to each Guardian that the application of the midwives will be considered by the Guardians at their meeting on the 11th December next.

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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. :—

Bernard J. Rice.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of December 1916

(*Signed*) P. H. Finnegan
Clerk of the Union.

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The Reports of the Visiting Committees were read, and Orders made thereon as follows :—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows :—

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