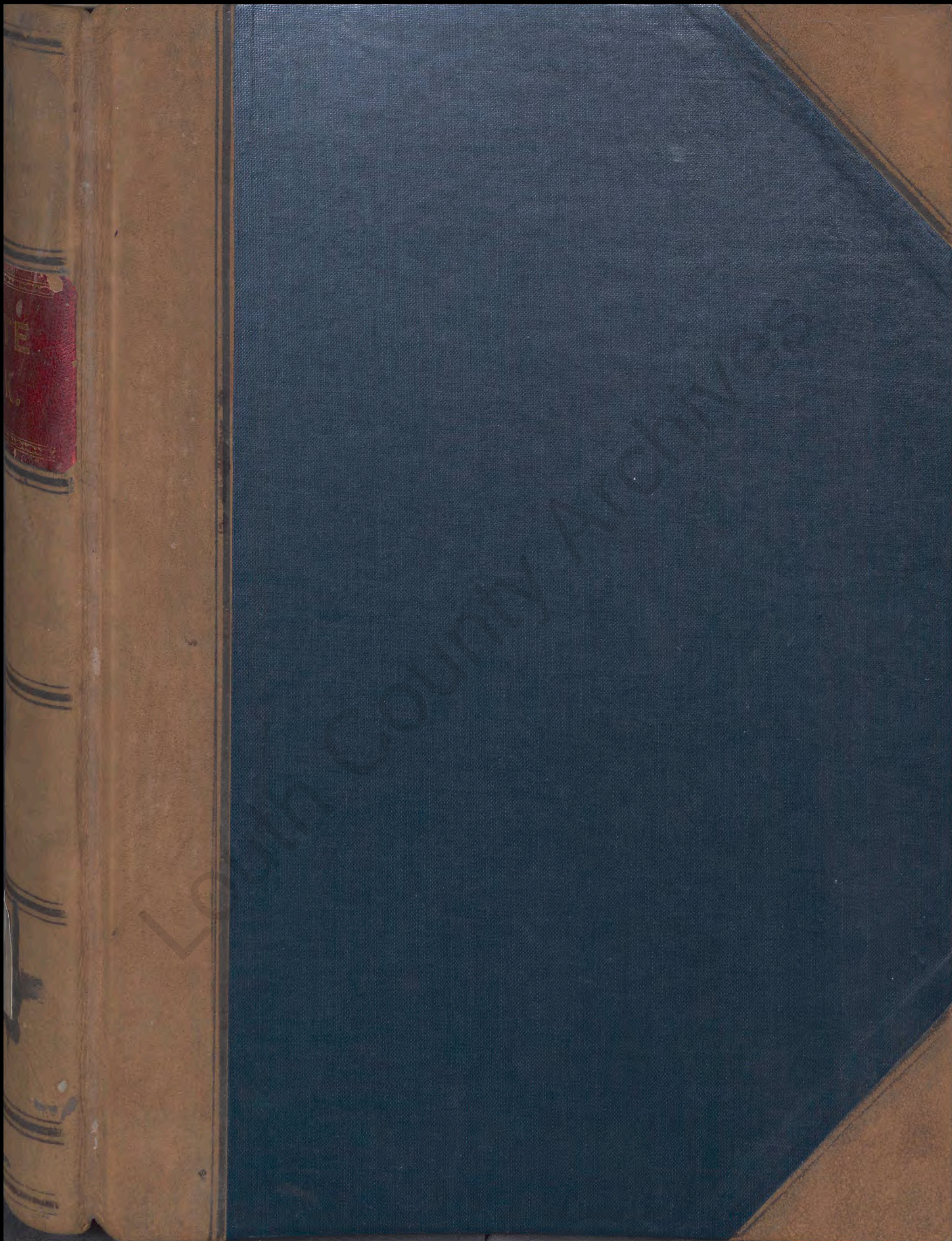


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ARDEE UNION.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1914

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|--|---|---|------------------------------|--|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 130 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 134 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 4 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 13 | 13 | 8 | 140 | 64 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 67 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | | 91 | 3 | TOTAL | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 75 | 15 | 3 | 7 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 14 | 168 | 231 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 66 | 14 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 97 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 66 | 14 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 97 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 9 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 134 | | No. at corresponding period last year, 3 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of June 1914 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. | 63 | 111 | | | | |
| No. II. | 49 | 87 | | | | |
| No. III. | 18 | 18 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 130 | 216 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 30th day of June 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:—
 Other Guardians:—
 No member of the Board attended, and no meeting was held.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1911

| OBSERVATIONS | RETURN OF SICK AND INFIRMS | | Total | Admitted during the Week | Discharged during the Week | Died | Total Discharged and Died | REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------|-------|--------------------------|----------------------------|------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | No. of Patients | Number | | | | | | |
| Workhouse | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |
| Temporary Buildings | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Additional Workhouses | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| Workhouse Total | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |

RETURN OF DISTRICT PERSONS TAKEN OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, AS BY RELIEF LISTS, FOR THE LAST WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 27th day of June 1911

| Relief List | Number | Total |
|-------------|--------|-------|
| ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... |

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:—

| Quantity | Article | Quantity | Article | Quantity | Article |
|----------|----------------|--------------|--------------------|----------|---------|
| 56 lbs. | Arrowroot | 180 lbs. | Lentils | ... | ... |
| ... | Bacon | ... | Meat | ... | ... |
| 170 lbs. | Barley (Pearl) | 700 qts. | Newmilk | ... | ... |
| ... | Brown Bread | ... | Oatmeal | ... | ... |
| 800 lbs. | White Bread | ... | Onions | ... | ... |
| ... | Brandy | 56 lbs. | Pease (Split) | ... | ... |
| ... | Beef Juice | ... | Pepper | ... | ... |
| 40 lbs. | Butter | 24 1/2-bots. | Porter | ... | ... |
| 100 qts. | Buttermilk | 8 brls. | Potatoes | ... | ... |
| ... | Cabbage | ... | Rice | ... | ... |
| ... | Carrots | ... | Sago | ... | ... |
| ... | Cocoa | 112 lbs. | Salt | ... | ... |
| ... | Cornflour | 10 | Syphons Soda Water | ... | ... |
| ... | Dripping | 56 lbs. | Sugar | ... | ... |
| 30 doz. | Eggs | 112 | Tea | ... | ... |
| ... | Flour | ... | Tobacco | ... | ... |
| 10 lbs. | Jam | ... | Turnips | ... | ... |

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR. | | |
|---|-----|-----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | ... | ... | ... |
| Repayment of Relief | ... | ... | ... |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | ... | ... | ... |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | ... | ... | ... |
| Loans received | ... | ... | ... |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | ... | ... | ... |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES. [Form 14]

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7). 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 Finance meeting.

Ardee Union.

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The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same. Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer.

TABLE (b) Table with columns for Description, £, s, d. Rows include: Total Amount of Payments ordered as above, Expenditure out of Loans, Unpaid Bills of last half-year, Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, Repayment of Loans, Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers, Superannuation Allowances, Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers, Medical Charities, Emigration Law and other Expenses, Maintenance in Extern Institutions, Workhouse Burials, (4) Other Expenses, (c) Farm, (b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, (a) Salaries, Establishment—, Clothing and Bedding, Provisions and Necessaries, Sundry Accounts, viz.:

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Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY, Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Total sums received during the month, Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Payments ordered during the month, RECONCILEMENT: Balance per Bank Book due, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses: (a) Salaries, (b) Clothing and Bedding, (c) Provisions and Necessaries, (d) Other Expenses, (e) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, (f) Workhouse Bursars, (g) Maintenance in Extern Institutions, (h) Litigation Law and other Expenses, (i) Medical Charities, (j) Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers, (k) Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, (l) Superannuation Allowances, (m) Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers, (n) Payment of Loans, (o) Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, (p) Unpaid Bills of last half-year, (q) Expenditure out of Loans, (r) Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

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

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY, Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Total sums received during the month, Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Payments ordered during the month, RECONCILEMENT: Balance per Bank Book due, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due. Includes handwritten numbers and a list of items at the bottom.

The General Average Cost of an Infant for the year ... = 3-11

The following list was prepared by the Clerk, this statement having been prepared and authenticated by him and authorized by the Union.

- 1. The Clothing Account, 2. The Workhouse Farm Account, 3. The Medical Charities, 4. The Lunacy Fees, 5. The Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, 6. The Vaccinations, 7. The Superannuation Allowances, 8. The Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers, 9. The Payment of Loans, 10. The Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, 11. The Unpaid Bills of last half-year, 12. The Expenditure out of Loans, 13. The Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

The Out-door Relief List, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books, and other books used by the Clerk, this statement having been prepared and authenticated by him and authorized by the Union.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the.....day of.....191.....

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. 4771 to No. 4861
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2260 to No. 2261

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 June 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|-------|--|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 12 | 7 | 2 | 27 | 2 | 3 | 39 | 9 | 5 | 22 | 0 | 6 | 4 | 15 | 10 | 26 | 16 | 4 | 12 | 13 | 1 | } 905 | |
| Necessaries | 11 | 7 | 5 | 18 | 10 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 16 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 3 | 7 | 7 | | | | | |
| Total | 23 | 14 | 7 | 28 | 1 | 15 | 15 | 8 | 26 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 12 | 4 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 20 | 0 | 1 | | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 3 : 11
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4 : 2 1/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : 4 : 6

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.

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1911 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|---|---------|----|----|----|---|---|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ s. d. | | | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 2 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 20 | | | 16 | | | | | | 36 | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 22 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 46 | 3 | 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 | 18 | 6 | 7 | 14 | 6 | 2 | 18 | 19 | 11 | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 4 | | | | | | | | | 4 | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | | 2 | 6 | | 2 | 6 | | 12 | 6 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 10 | | 7 | 17 | | 3 | 0 | 6 | 20 | 7 | 6 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 13 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 17 | 25 | 16 | 3 | |
| 9. Total | 22 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 46 | 3 | 9 |

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 7. The Out-door Relief Book.
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 9. The Out-door Relief Book.

Dated this 27th day of June 1911

Clerk of Union.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June 1911 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|---|---------|----|----|----|---|---|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ s. d. | | | | | |
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 9. The Out-door Relief Book.

Dated this 27th day of June 1911

Clerk of Union.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of June, 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 2 18 9 | 1 7 6 | 5 17 6 | 10 3 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 20 . . | 16 . . | | 36 . . |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 22 18 9 | 17 7 6 | 5 17 6 | 46 3 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 18 6 | 7 14 6 | 2 18 . | 19 11 . |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 4 . | | | 4 . |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | 12 6 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 10 . | 7 17 . | 3 0 6 | 20 7 6 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 13 8 9 | 9 10 6 | 2 17 . | 25 16 3 |
| 9. Total | 22 18 9 | 17 7 6 | 5 17 6 | 46 3 9 |

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.....19

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report : day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—
The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and directions given thereon as follows:—

| | Y. J. MATHEWS | J. F. YINNON | D. HALLIGAN | TOTAL |
|--|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 2189 | 176 | 576 | 1039 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians | 20 | 16 | | 36 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 22189 | 1776 | 576 | 1639 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money | 1186 | 746 | 218 | 1911 |
| In Kind | | | | |
| 5. Provisions and Necessaries received during the week | | | | |
| 6. Orphan and Deserted Children boarded out | 76 | 26 | 26 | 126 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 910 | 772 | 306 | 2076 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 1389 | 910 | 276 | 2510 |
| 9. Total | 22189 | 1776 | 576 | 1639 |

Dated this 27th day of June 1911

Clerk of Board

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

Date of Visit and Report : day of 1911

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter No. : 19 : dated : 19 : referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the :
The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—
day of 1911

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

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

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

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day of 19

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The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was for last week.

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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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Letter No. : 10 , dated , by , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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UNION

Minutes of the Board of Guardians of the Poor of the County of Louth, held on the 10th day of January 1901.

The Board met at 8 o'clock in the evening at the County Council Chamber, Louth, and was present: Mr. J. J. [Name], Chairman; Mr. [Name], Vice-Chairman; Mr. [Name], Secretary; and Mr. [Name], Clerk.

Applications for relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the minutes of the previous meeting. The number of admissions to the Workhouse was 91. The number of admissions to the Outdoor Relief was 1. The number of admissions to the Relieving Officers' Books was 129.

The names of those to whom relief was not ordered was [Name]. The names of those in whose favor relief was granted by the Guardians was [Name].

The Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 17th day of January 1901. (Signed) [Name], Clerk of the Union.

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]
The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]
Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. 91
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 129
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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

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The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ... Ditto disallowed ... The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

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Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

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[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

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Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations. Includes entries for Ardee District, Castledillonagh District, and Total Union.

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Ardee Union.

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Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination: Ardee Dispensary District, Castlebellingham do.

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Name of Report and Observations, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, No. of Samples.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry for 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses. Lists Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

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Ardee Union.

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Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry for 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

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This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

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

Letter No. 10 dated 1914 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 19th July 1914 on the subject and

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians on the 1st March next for the year ending 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 names of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations:—

| District | Detailers | Number of cases of successful vaccinations |
|----------|-----------|--|
| 131 | | 153 |
| 132 | | 153 |
| 133 | | 153 |
| 134 | | 153 |
| 135 | | 153 |
| 136 | | 153 |
| 137 | | 153 |
| 138 | | 153 |
| 139 | | 153 |
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| 199 | | 153 |
| 200 | | 153 |

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:— That the relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the detailers to comply with the law.

| District | Detailers | Number of cases of successful vaccinations |
|----------|-----------|--|
| 131 | | 153 |
| 132 | | 153 |
| 133 | | 153 |
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| 200 | | 153 |

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 19th day of July (Signed) Clerk of the Board.

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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.:-

| |
|----------------------------------|
| _____ District _____ defaulters. |
| _____ " _____ " _____ |
| _____ " _____ " _____ |
| _____ " _____ " _____ |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| |
|---------------------------|
| _____ District. No. _____ |
| _____ " " _____ |
| _____ " " _____ |
| _____ " " _____ |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Rev. Foster.
JUL -7 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 7th day of July 1914.

(Signed) *James S. Dunlop*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 9519 s 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of July 1914.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm Persons, above 15 years of age, fit not working | | Boys and Girls above 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|---|------|--------------------------------------|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|---|---|--------------|---------------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Male | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 131 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 134 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 9 | 13 | 51 | 8 | | | 11 | 11 | 8 | 134 | Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 59 | In separate Wards with other inmates | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 40 | 14 | 3 | 2 | | | 1 | 5 | 2 | 67 | Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3 | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 49 | 15 | 54 | 10 | | | 12 | 16 | 11 | 202 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 39 | 13 | 7 | 3 | | | 4 | 2 | 68 | | No. Relieved during week 40 | Males 14 | Females 7 | Children under 15 6 | TOTAL 67 |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Workhouse at date 10 | 2 | 2 | 14 | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 39 | 13 | 7 | 3 | | | 4 | 2 | 68 | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 10 | 2 | 31 | 50 | 8 | | 12 | 12 | 9 | 134 | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, 5 |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of July 1914 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief District | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 51, s. 1) | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of Cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her | Number of Cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. | 62 | 104 | | | | |
| No. I | 48 | 86 | | | | |
| No. III | 18 | 18 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 128 | 208 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 7th day of July 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Si. A. Vere Foster, Bart.*
Other Guardians:— *No meeting was held this day so I was absent, per;*
Anthony Maloney, Richard Stone, Joseph Barry, Peter W. Dello, Richard W. Grever, Peter Wagnier, James Wagnier, Joseph S. Wajee, James Brennan, Patrick Wagnier, Edward M. Gullan, Patrick J. Sheen, Edmund S. Devine, William A. Doan, and Peter Kerr, Esq.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDEE UNION

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect: Present Net Annual Value Population in 1901 - 14,628

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of ...

Table with columns for Observations, History of Sick and Lunatics, and various counts for inmates, including Total, Discharged during the Week, and Remaining on the above.

RETURN of Destitute Persons ...

Table with columns for Districts, Total, and other categories.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities such as Arrowroot, Bacon, Barley (Pearl), Brown Bread, White Bread, Butter, Buttermilk, Cabbage, Carrots, Cocoa, Cornflour, Dripping, Eggs, Flour, Jam, Lentils, Meat, Newmilk, Oatmeal, Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, Porter, Potatoes, Rice, Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, Vinegar, Whiskey, Wine, Blue, Mould Candles, Coal, Coke, Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

[FORM 14] (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19

TABLE (a) Financial Statement Book of Receipts. Columns: TABLE (a), £, s., d. Rows: County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce, Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts, Loans received, Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES. [FORM 14]

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Ardee Union.

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Table (b) with columns for Dr, s, d and rows for Sundry Accounts, Provisions and Necessaries, Clothing and Bedding, Establishment, Salaries, Medicines, Farm, Other Expenses, Workhouse Burials, Maintenance, Emigration, Medical Charities, Lunacy Fees, Registration, Superannuation, Assessment, Repayment of Loans, Relieving Officers, Unpaid Bills, and Expenditure out of Loans.

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TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account, and Union. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses: (a) Salaries, (b) Stationery, (c) Printing, (d) Other Expenses, (e) Medical and Medical and Surgical Appliances, (f) Maintenance in Extern Institutions, (g) Registration Law and other Expenses, (h) Medical Charities, (i) Funds paid to Medical Officers, (j) Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, (k) Superannuation Allowances, (l) Assessment and Fees of Teachers, (m) Repayment of Loans, (n) Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, (o) Unpaid Bills of last half-year, (p) Expenditure out of loans, (q) Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Loans Account, Ordinary Account, and Union. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due). Includes handwritten entries and a date 'Dated this ... day of ... 19...'. A large watermark 'South County Archives' is visible across the page.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Ardce Union.

Meeting held the 7th day of July 1914

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. 4862 to No. 4929
 Separate „ No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor „ No. 2261 to No. 2261

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 4th day of July 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days |
|-------------|--|----|------|--------------------------|----|------|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | |
| Provisions | 12 | 13 | 13/4 | 44 | 46 | 17 5 | 22 | 67 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 26 | 26 | 20 | 13 | 11 |
| Necessaries | 7 | 7 | | | | 77 | 4 | 58 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 10 |
| Total | 20 | 0 | 13/4 | 44 | 46 | 45 | 26 | 12 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 5 | 31 | 22 | 23 | 19 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = 4 : 0 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary = 4 : 1/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = 4 : 6

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of July 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | | Relieving Officer | | Relieving Officer | | TOTAL | | | |
|--|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------|-------------------|---------|-------|----|----|---|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | | | | | | | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | | | | | | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 13 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 17 | 25 | 16 | 3 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | 4 | | 4 | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 13 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 17 | 29 | 16 | 3 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 | 18 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 2 | 15 | 19 | 4 | 6 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 8 | | 4 | | | | | 12 | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 6 | | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 14 | 7 | 14 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 20 | 9 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 3 | 14 | 9 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 16 | 6 | 9 | 3 |
| 9. Total | 13 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 17 | 29 | 16 | 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 4th day of July 1914

Clerk of Union

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

Date of Visit and Report: 7th day of July 1914

We visited the house to-day, and found everything very clean and in good order. — We also inspected the milk, bread, meal, &c., and found all of the best quality.

We strongly recommend that the part of the ceiling over the school room be ceiled with light boards; also to purchase a new washing machine, as the old one is quite useless; and to repair the plastering and distemper the two small rooms occupied by Miss Farrell. The floor also wants repair and oil-cloth should be provided for it. (Signed) P. Kerr, J. Keenan, P. Maguire.

Approved: [Signature]

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

7th day of July 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on six days during the week.

I beg to report that R. P. Fitzpatrick, Esq., local Government Board Inspector, visited and inspected the house on the 2nd instant.

Bridget-Johnson, paid attendant in the infirmary, was allowed leave of absence on the 2nd instant by the medical officers, for one day. She paid Kate Davis to discharge her duties till she returned.

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 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 No. 9328 : 1914, dated 29th June, 1914, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 23rd June, 1914, on the subject, and approving of the permanent appointment of William Davis as woodman in the infirmary at 6/- per week and rations.

Letter No. 34252: 1914, dated 29th June, 1914, approving of the temporary engagement of Nurse Keogh during Nurse Seolins' vacation of one week.

Letter No. 34298: 1914, dated 29th June, 1914, referring to the Workhouse Medical Officer's report on the 23rd June stating that one of the children in the workhouse school had developed scarlatina, and requesting that the Medical Officer might be asked for a report as to the probable source of infection in the case.

Resolved — to inform the Local Government Board that the Medical Officer states that he cannot form any opinion as to the source of the infection.

Communication

Communication No. 34,604/1914, Miscellaneous, dated 20th June 1914, respecting a return relating to blind persons in receipt of poor law relief. Furnished.

With reference to the Guardians' minute of the 23rd Ultimo on the subject of Relieving Officer Finnefar's omission to enter up his book and to attend the meeting on that day, that officer handed in the following explanation:

"I very much regret being unable to attend the last meeting of your Board. The axle of my bicycle broke, and I could not get one to bring me at the time. I never intended to treat the Board with disrespect: I always treated the members of it with the greatest respect — in the board-room and outside."

Mr. Finnefar was cautioned not to omit to enter up his book in future.

On the motion of Mr. Doran, it is Resolved — That Thomas Dennis be prosecuted for wilfully neglecting to maintain his wife and children, so that they have become destitute and inmates of this workhouse.

Notice of motion:

I beg to give notice that on this day three weeks I shall move that Mrs. Kate Dolan, seamstress in the workhouse, be allowed an increase of pay from 8/- to 10/- a week in her wages as was promised to her on her appointment. — (Signed) Richard Stokes.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board & Ireland were laid before the Board.
 Letter No. 10 dated 10th June 1874, regarding a return relating to blind persons in receipt of poor law relief.
 Forwarded.

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 Forwarded.

Minutes of Proceedings in relation to the Ardbee Union and held on the 11th June 1874.

The following applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the following table.

| | |
|--|-----|
| Total number of persons to the Workhouse confirmed was | 67 |
| Number of persons to the Workhouse was | |
| Of persons on Out-door Relief was | 2 |
| Number of persons in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by Guardians was | 126 |
| Number of persons for whom Relief was not ordered was | |

The following resolutions in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

The Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 11th June 1874.
 (Signed) Clerk of the Union.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out as apprentices by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

Name of Medicine

Specific Gravity

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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

67

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

126

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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 7 July 1914

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of June 1914 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

which were of a satisfactory character.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [redacted] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged [redacted] years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ... Discontinued ... The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Off-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 1914

Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

WALTER THORP, B.Sc. (London), F.I.C. B.Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S. Government and Public Analyst.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

OFFICE HOURS—10 TO 5.

Dublin, 23rd June 1914

REPORT upon Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from [redacted]

Union Workhouse Dispensary, and received by me on 17th June 1914

Drugs received in Stock 6th June 1914

Report Signed 23rd June 1914

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

Standards.

1. Name of Medicine Jinct Belladonnae Specific Gravity 0.916 Extract 1.24 grammes in 100 c.c. Alkaloids 0.05 " " " Alcohol by volume 64.50 Observations Genuine

2. Name of Medicine Jinct Scillaee Specific Gravity 0.969 Extract 12.36 grammes in 100 c.c. Alkaloids 51.85 Alcohol by volume 51 Observations Genuine

3. Name of Medicine Aqua Distillata Specific Gravity 1.000 Extract grammes in 100 c.c. Alkaloids " " " Alcohol by volume Observations Genuine

4. Name of Medicine Froch Eucalypti Specific Gravity Extract grammes in 100 c.c. Alkaloids " " " Alcohol by volume Observations Genuine

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

Signed, Walter Thorp

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children and Public Analysts

REPORT: Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on Tuesday, the 7th day of July 1914

| Name of Medicine | Specific Gravity | Extract | Alkaloids | Alcohol by volume | Observations |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------|
| <i>First Sample</i> | <i>0.910</i> | <i>1000</i> | <i>0.02</i> | <i>21.82</i> | <i>...</i> |
| <i>Second Sample</i> | <i>0.910</i> | <i>1000</i> | <i>0.02</i> | <i>21.82</i> | <i>...</i> |

Local Government Board's instructions. Signed, *Walter Thorp*

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on Tuesday, the 7th day of July 1914

The Clerk read Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Mes hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Co Reports annexed):-

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|-----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <i>Ardee District</i> | <i>1914</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>1914</i> | <i>all reported to be genuine.</i> |

Total Union. Signed, *Walter Thorp* Clerk of the Union.

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and the Board resolved to grant the same on the following conditions, to be complied with respectively, as follows:—

Letter No. 10 dated 19th referring to an entry in the Guardians Minutes of the on the subject of and

Read letter from Miss Catherine Reid, Midwife of Dunlea, Draperstown District, dated 5th July 1914, applying for three weeks' vacation. She recommended Miss Finnegan, a qualified midwife, as her substitute.
Approved.

Louth County Archives

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly viz:— Districts, viz:—

| District | Detailers |
|----------|-----------|
| Dunlea | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the respective District Officers for the respective Districts notice the holders to comply with the law.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 19th day of July (signed) [Signature]

1914 JUL 14

[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.:-

| | | |
|---------|----------|-------------|
| Dunleer | District | defaulters. |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of June 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| | | |
|-----------|----------|---------------|
| Castellon | District | No. <u>27</u> |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Rev. Foster

JUL 14 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 14th day of July 1914.
 (Signed) James M. Donoghue
 Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £ 950/19 s. 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of July 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 119 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 123 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 10 | 2 | 21 | 50 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 13 | 4 | 54 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 35 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 45 | 6 | 33 | 52 | 2 | 13 | 13 | 10 | 19 | 58 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 37 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 7 | | |
| Died | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 37 | 16 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 7 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 2 | | 27 | 49 | 8 | 11 | 11 | 9 | 12 | 3 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 day of July 1914 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 | 60 | 97 | | | | |
| No. II | 49 | 93 | | | | |
| No. III | 18 | 18 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 127 | 208 | | | | |

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

the 14 day of July 1914

PRESENT-In the Chair:- Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.

Other Guardians: John C. Kieran Junr; Anthony Malone; Richard Stokes; Peter W. Kelly; Peter Keir; Patrick J. Sheen; and William A. Moran.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of July 1914. Table with columns for Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, etc.

REMARKS or DEPARTURE TERMS... Table with columns for Total Discharged and Died, etc.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Barley (Pearl), etc.

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 14th day of July 1914

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of June 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) Table with columns for Receipts: County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, etc.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of June 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b) Table with columns for Expenditure: Sundry Accounts, viz.: Provisions and Necessaries, Clothing and Bedding, Establishment, etc.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of July 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | | | TOTAL | | |
|--|---|--|---|-------|----|----|
| | V. J. MATHEWS District No. I. £ s. d. | J. FINNEGAN District No. II. £ s. d. | D. HALLIGAN District No. III. £ s. d. | £ | s. | d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 3 14 9 | 1 16 | 3 16 6 | 9 | 7 | 3 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 8 | 9 | | 17 | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 11 14 9 | 10 16 | 3 16 6 | 26 | 7 | 3 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 9 4 6 | 7 9 6 | 2 18 | 19 | 12 | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | A. | A. | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | 12 | 6 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 12 | A. | 3 0 6 | 20 | 12 | 6 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 2 2 9 | 2 16 | 16 | 5 | 14 | 9 |
| 9. Total .. | 11 14 9 | 10 16 | 3 16 6 | 26 | 7 | 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 day of 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report : day of 1914

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 3257, dated 10/7/14, relating to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the fact that the provisions and necessaries for the week ending 7th inst. were not put out at the usual time, and that the water was closed.

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

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

11th day of July 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.6 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on four days during the week.

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

| | 1914 | | 1915 | |
|---|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| | July | Aug | July | Aug |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 3,149 | 1,160 | 3,166 | 9,723 |
| 2. Money under ad- vanced by Guardians | 9 | | | |
| 3. Total to be ac- counted for | 11,449 | 10,160 | 3,166 | 9,723 |

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 35271 : 19 14, dated 9th July, 19 14, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 23rd Ultra, on the subject, and sanctioning the payment of 5/- a week, with rations, to Rose Reilly for acting as temporary cook in the infirmary during the illness of the per- manent cook Kate Hughes.

Read letter from Kate Hughes, Cook in the infirmary, dated 14th July, 1914, applying for two weeks' vacation. Allowed, and Rose Reilly's appointment as temporary cook continued on the same terms as at present.

Read letter from Dr. Steen, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, dated 13th July, 1914, reporting that Mary Jane Deane, an inmate, had assaulted and injured the inmate named Mary Kavangh. He appeared to have done this without any provocation; and he was of opinion that at times she is not responsible for her actions, and he thought it

it would be advisable to have her com- mitted to the asylum as a dangerous lunatic.

Resolved - That Dr. Steen's recommendation be carried out.

Miss Lovlin, night nurse of the Infirmary, applied to have some gravel put on the roadway going to her apartments, as there were pits in it in which water lodged in wet weather.

Ordered - That the Master use his discretion in this matter.

Ordered - That tenders be invited for insuring the Union officials under the Workmen's Compensation Act; tenders to be considered on this day fortnight.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board.

it would be desirable to be directed to the Board as a consequence of the Board's recommendation that the Board should be carried out.

This being a right name of the Board, applied to have some relief put on the Board's part to be appointed, or there were that in it in which was added in the matter.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect:

Letter No. 3527 of 19th July 1904. The Guardians' Minutes of the 20th July 1904 on the subject of the application of Kate Huffer for relief from the Workhouse. The Guardians' Minutes of the 20th July 1904 on the subject of the application of Kate Huffer for relief from the Workhouse.

Read letter from Kate Huffer, Cook in the Workhouse, dated 19th July 1904, applying for two weeks' vacation. Allowed, and those Pilleys' application for temporary Cook continued on the same terms as at present.

Read letter from Dr. Sheen, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, dated 19th July 1904, reporting that Mary Jane Deane, an inmate, had assaulted another inmate named Mary Davanagh. He appeared to have done this without any provocation, and he was of opinion that at times she is not responsible for her actions, and he thought it

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect:

| | |
|--|-----|
| of relief not ordered for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Books | |
| total contributions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 58 |
| amounts advanced to the Workhouse was | |
| of provisional Out-door Relief was | |
| which was continued by the Guardians | 2 |
| Applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by Guardians was | 125 |
| of which for whom Relief was not ordered was | 1 |

The Minutes in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

The Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 10th of the month.
(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Board.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out as nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child, _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 ..

58
:
2
125
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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ... Ditto disallowed ... The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Signed, _____ Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed, _____ Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of ... Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on ... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 5 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations.

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 5 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations.

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 14th day of July 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | No. of Samples | Collon No. 2 to Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ardee Dispensary District | | | | |
| Castlebellingham do. | | | | |
| Dunleer | | | | |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 19, dated 19, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Castleblin | |
| | Colin No. 2 | |
| | Dunbar | |

Estimate of the Medicines for required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Exhibits for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

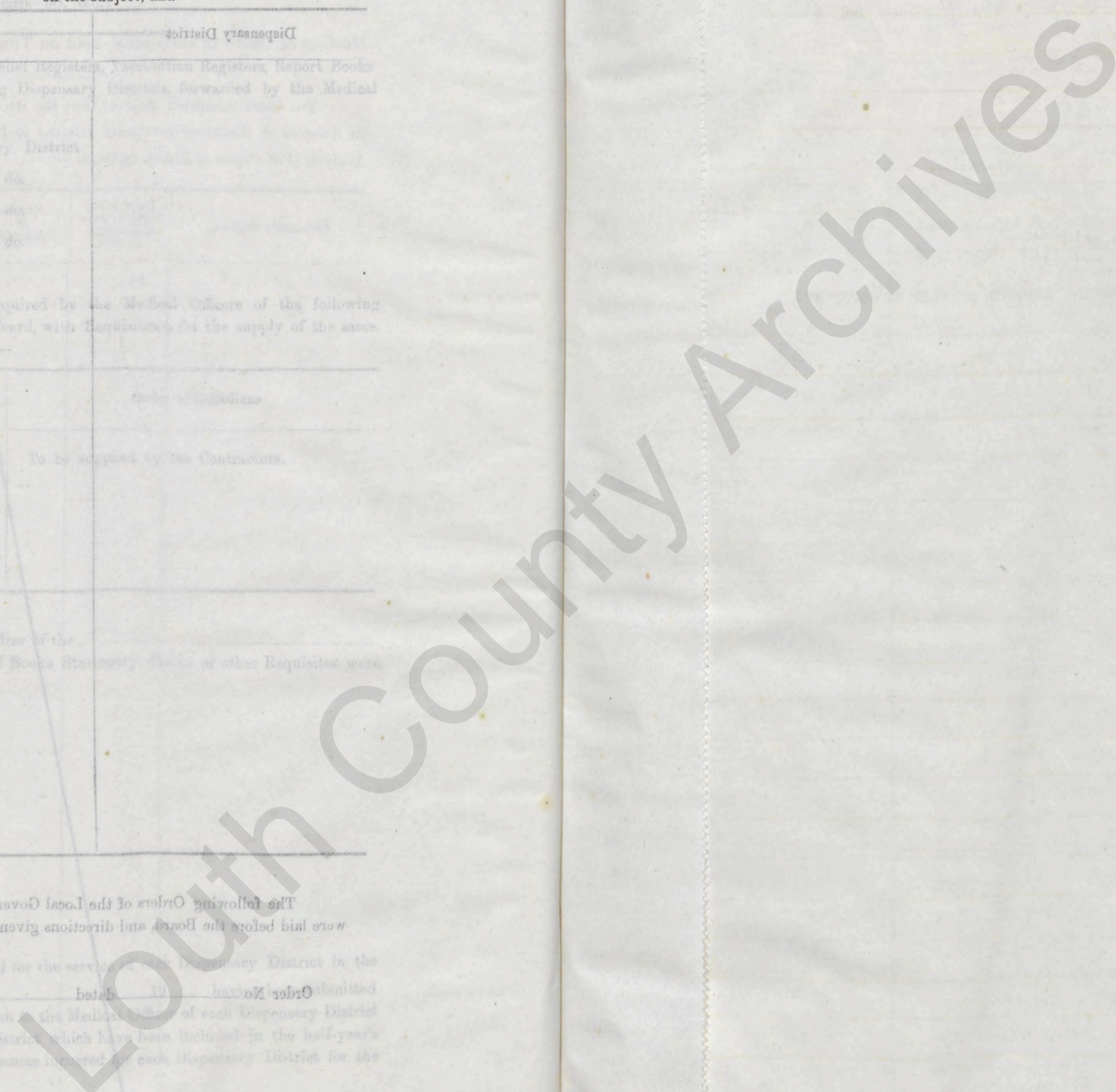
| District | Gross Cost of Medicines for the Requisition | Value of Medicines |
|----------|---|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books Stationery &c. or other Requisites were ordered to be supplied:—

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of the Dispensary District in the Order No. 19, dated 19, (state subject)

| | | |
|----------------------|---|--|
| Ards District | £ | |
| Castleblin District | £ | |
| Colin No. 2 District | £ | |
| Dunbar District | £ | |
| Total Union | £ | |



[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz. on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

| | | | |
|------------------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| <u>Columbo 2</u> | District | <u>10</u> | defaulters. |
| _____ | " | _____ | " |
| _____ | " | _____ | " |
| _____ | " | _____ | " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of June 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| | | |
|------------------|----------|---------------|
| <u>Columbo 2</u> | District | No. <u>13</u> |
| _____ | " | _____ |
| _____ | " | _____ |
| _____ | " | _____ |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Wm. Foster
 JUL 28 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 21st day of July 1914
 (Signed) Thomas H. Dempsey
 Clerk of the Union.

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 19_____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of _____ 19_____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows :-

| TABLE (a) | DR | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 19_____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (A) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.
 Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...
 The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

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

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (A) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...
 The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

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

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

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

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of [Month] 19[Year]. (To be kept by the Clerk who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the Minutes of each Finance Meeting.)

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

Dated this .. day of .. 19..

- (a) Sundry Accounts
- (b) Medical and Medical and Surgical Appliances
- (c) Farm
- (d) Other Expenses
- Workhouse Rates
- Clerk of the Union.
- Maintenance in External Institutions
- Registration Law and other Expenses
- Medical Charities
- Fees to Medical Officers
- Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations
- Superannuation Allowances
- Assessment and Receipts of Teachers
- Repayment of Loans
- Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief
- Unpaid Bills of last half-year
- Expenditure out of Loans
- Total Amount of Payments ordered as above

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

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

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authorized by the Committee:

- 1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Consignment Book.
- 2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
- 3. The Inventory Book.
- 4. The Labour Book.
- 5. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
- 6. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
- 7. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authorized by the Committee:

- 1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Consignment Book.
- 2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
- 3. The Inventory Book.
- 4. The Labour Book.
- 5. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
- 6. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
- 7. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the.....day of.....191.....

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. 4988 to No. 64 (New Register)
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. AF
 Outdoor ,, No. 2264 to No. 2264

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of July, 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|---|----|----|----|---|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | | |
| Provisions | 22 | 1 | | 23 | 2 | 16 | 75 | 17 | 9 | 20 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 24 | 2 | 6 | 30 | 15 | 3 | 862 |
| Necessaries | 6 | 9 | 10 | 4 | | | 70 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 9 | 2 | |
| Total | 9 | 1 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 125 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 5 | 29 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 6 | 4 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4:0
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4:7½
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : 4:8

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.

[FORM 4.]
(Article 7.)

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Ardee Union.

Meeting held the day of 191.....

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. 4988 to No. 64 (New Register)
Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
Outdoor ,, No. 2264 to No. 2264

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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 July 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|---|-----|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 22 | 1 | 23 | 16 | 7 | 5 | 17 | 9 | 20 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 24 | 26 | 30 | 15 | 3 | 862 | | | | |
| Necessaries | 6 | 9 | 10 | 4 | 15 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 9 | | 2 | | | |
| Total | 9 | 1 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 5 | 29 | 1 | | 8 | 9 | 6 | 4 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 0
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4 : 7½
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : 4 : 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; Book.
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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Ardee Union.

Meeting held the day of 191.....

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Indoor from No. 4988 to No. 64 (New Register)
Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
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The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of July 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|---|-----|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 22 | 1 | 23 | 16 | 7 | 5 | 17 | 9 | 20 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 16 | 11 | 24 | 26 | 30 | 15 | 3 | 862 | | | | |
| Necessaries | 6 | 9 | 10 | 4 | 15 | 7 | 0 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 9 | | 2 | | | |
| Total | 9 | 1 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 5 | 29 | 1 | | 8 | 9 | 6 | 4 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 0
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3. The Inventory Book.
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5. The Workhouse Farm Account; Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|-------|-------|----|----|---|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ | s. d. | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 2 | 29 | 2 | 16 | 16 | 5 | 14 | 9 | | | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 18 | 16 | 7 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 20 | 29 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 16 | 46 | 14 | 9 | | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 9 | 76 | 7 | 17 | 2 | 18 | 20 | 3 | | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 15 | 9 | 1 | 30 | 6 | 20 | 15 | 6 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 10 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 16 | 4 | 15 | 8 | 25 | 19 | 3 |
| 9. Total | 20 | 29 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 15 | 64 | 6 | 14 | 9 | |

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 1914

Clerk of Union.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|-------|-------|----|----|---|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ | s. d. | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 2 | 29 | 2 | 16 | 16 | 5 | 14 | 9 | | | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 18 | 16 | 7 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 20 | 29 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 16 | 46 | 14 | 9 | | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 9 | 76 | 7 | 17 | 2 | 18 | 20 | 3 | | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 15 | 9 | 1 | 30 | 6 | 20 | 15 | 6 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 10 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 16 | 4 | 15 | 8 | 25 | 19 | 3 |
| 9. Total | 20 | 29 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 15 | 64 | 6 | 14 | 9 | |

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 1914

Clerk of Union.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of July 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | | TOTAL £ s. d. |
|--|---------------------------------|----|----|-------------------------------|----|----|-------------------------------|----|----|------------------|
| | District No. I. | | | District No. II. | | | District No. III. | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 2 | 29 | 2 | 16 | 16 | 5 | 14 | 9 | | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 18 | 16 | 7 | 41 | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 20 | 29 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 16 | 46 | 14 | 9 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 9 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 17 | 6 | 2 | 18 | 20 | 3 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 6 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 15 | 18 | 30 | 6 | 20 | 15 | 6 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 10 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 16 | 4 | 15 | 6 | 25 | 19 |
| 9. Total | 20 | 29 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 15 | 6 | 46 | 14 | 9 |

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 19.....

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19.....

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

..... day of 19.....

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: _____ day of _____ 19__

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____ dated _____ 19__ referring to an _____

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

_____ day of _____ 19__

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were _____

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was _____ degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on _____ days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: _____ day of _____ 19__

| | Inspector Officer J. MATHIAS | Relieving Officer J. DENNISON | Inspector Officer D. HALLAHAN | TOTAL |
|---|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 229 2 16 | | 16 5 14 9 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians | 18 16 | 7 4 | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 2029 18 16 | 7 16 | 16 14 9 | |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| 4. Outdoor Relief ordered by Board— | The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:— | | | |
| In Money | 976 7 17 6 | 2 18 | 20 3 | |
| In Kind | The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were _____ | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (Lyon only) as shown by the Lactometer was _____ degrees for last week. | The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was _____ degrees for last week. | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Destitute Children boarded out | 76 26 | 26 | 126 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 976 7 17 6 | 30 6 20 3 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 1079 10 16 | 15 8 | 219 3 | |
| 9. Total | 2029 18 16 | 7 16 | 16 14 9 | |

_____ day of _____ 19__

Clerk of Union.

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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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 were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (the orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter No. : 19 , dated : 12 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the : on the subject, and

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 12th of January 1911.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of January 1911 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Clerk submitted the Report of the Medical Officer of the Union, dated 12th January 1911, in relation to the children boarded and hired out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. 77
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 127

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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings... Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts

(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Nature of Report and Observations. Rows: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Row: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the ... Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Expenses. Rows: Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, Total Union.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. The table is mostly empty.

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

Order No. ... dated ... (state subject)

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| Castleblinham | do. | |
| Collon No. 2 | do. | |
| Dunloe | do. | |

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

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

In Account of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts, the following are the total expenses incurred by each Dispensary District for the half-year:—

| | | |
|---------------|---|--|
| Castleblinham | £ | |
| Collon No. 2 | £ | |
| Dunloe | £ | |
| Total | £ | |

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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Population in 1901-1902

STATE of the Workhouse

| Number of Inmates by Age and Sex | Total | Male | Female |
|----------------------------------|-------|------|--------|
| Under 10 | | | |
| 10 to 15 | | | |
| 15 to 20 | | | |
| 20 to 25 | | | |
| 25 to 30 | | | |
| 30 to 35 | | | |
| 35 to 40 | | | |
| 40 to 45 | | | |
| 45 to 50 | | | |
| 50 to 55 | | | |
| 55 to 60 | | | |
| 60 to 65 | | | |
| 65 to 70 | | | |
| 70 to 75 | | | |
| 75 to 80 | | | |
| 80 to 85 | | | |
| 85 to 90 | | | |
| 90 to 95 | | | |
| 95 to 100 | | | |
| Total | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of the

In the presence of the Clerk
 of the Board
 at the meeting of the Board
 held on the 19th day of July 1902
 at the County Hall, Drogheda
 the following resolutions were passed
 That the sum of £100 be granted
 to the Louth County Council
 for the purpose of providing
 a public library for the town
 of Drogheda
 That the sum of £50 be granted
 to the Louth County Council
 for the purpose of providing
 a public library for the town
 of Carrickmacross
 That the sum of £50 be granted
 to the Louth County Council
 for the purpose of providing
 a public library for the town
 of Carrickshock
 That the sum of £50 be granted
 to the Louth County Council
 for the purpose of providing
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 of Carrickshock
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 to the Louth County Council
 for the purpose of providing
 a public library for the town
 of Carrickshock

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value £95819 s 15
 STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of July 1914.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--|--|-------------------|-------|----|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 109 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 113 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 8 | 2 | 26 | 47 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 125 | 46 | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 47 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 2 | | | 2 | 1 | 67 | 4 | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 55 | 13 | 30 | 48 | 10 | 1 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 192 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 49 | 13 | 3 | 1 | 2 | | | 2 | 3 | 73 | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | 3 | 3 | | | | | | 6 | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 49 | 13 | 6 | 4 | | | | 2 | 3 | 79 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 6 | | 24 | 44 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 11 | 8 | 113 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | 47 | 10 | 2 | 59 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Workhouse at date | 6 | | | 6 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, | | 6 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of July 1914 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 (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. | 59 | 96 | | | | |
| No. II. | 49 | 93 | | | | |
| No. III. | 18 | 18 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 126 | 207 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 28th day of July 1914.

PRESENT—In the Chair: Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.
 Other Guardians: John L. Kiran, Jun; Rev. Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, Joseph Harry James, James Maffran, Patrick W. Beeve, James M. Guillian, Patrick W. Maffran, John Bowden, Joseph S. Harman, James B. Devine, William G. Dransy, Peter M. Kelly, Joseph S. Maffran, John Barney, James Brennan, Peter Kerr, and Edward M. Guillian, Esq.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDEE UNION

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of ...

Table with columns for 'REMARKS ON THE ABOVE', 'Total Discharged and Died', 'Died in Workhouse', 'Discharged during the Week', 'NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS', 'Admitted during the Week', and 'Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return'.

REMARKS ON THE ABOVE: 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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities: lbs. Arrowroot, Bacon, Barley (Pearl), Brown Bread, White Bread, bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, Butter, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, Carrots, Cocoa, Cornflour, Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, Jam, lbs. Lentils, Meat, qts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, ozs. Vinegar, gallon Whiskey, bots. Wine, lbs. Blue, Mould Candles, tons Coal, cwts. Coke, lbs. Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) financial statement showing receipts: County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce, Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts, Loans received, Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|--|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

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|----------------|-------|
| Sundry Account | |
| Provisions a | |
| Clothing a | |
| Establish | |

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|--|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (b) | | Dr | |
|--|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| Sundry Account, viz:— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | | | |
| Clothing and Bedding | | | |
| Establishment | | | |
| (a) Salaries | | | |
| (b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c) Farm | | | |
| (d) Other Expenses | | | |
| Workhouse Rates | | | |
| Maintenance in External Institutions | | | |
| Registration Fee and other Expenses | | | |
| Medical Charities | | | |
| Grants made to Medical Officers | | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and Vaccinations | | | |
| Gratification Allowances | | | |
| Assessment and Rates of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Repayment out of Loans | | | |
| Total amount of Payments ordered as above | | | |

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with ...)

Table with columns: Loans Account, Ordinary Account, and Union. Includes a SUMMARY section and a table for 'Sums received during the month' with sub-columns for various sources like 'County Council', 'Farm Produce', etc.

19...

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

Table with columns: Loans Account, Ordinary Account, and Union. Includes a SUMMARY section and a table for 'Sums received during the month' with sub-columns for various sources like 'County Council', 'Farm Produce', etc.

19...

Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,
 day of July 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | TOTAL |
|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| District No. I. £ s. d. | District No. II. £ s. d. | District No. III. £ s. d. | £ s. d. |

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The Report of the Visiting Committee was read

Date of Visit and Report: _____ day of _____

County A

ment Board for Ireland were laid before

that the Master, in
the workhouse, should
be that is due

Resolved - To inform the local government Board
that the porter resumed duty on the 17th instant; that
the Master has explained satisfactorily to the guardian
the reason of the yards not being been scuffled, viz -
that he had not recently had sufficient male
inmate help to get this work done; that with
regard to the two school girls whose hair was
found not to be clean, they had only recently come
into the workhouse, and their mothers - who intended
leaving the workhouse soon again - objected to their
hair being cut; and that the other matters referred
to in the Inspector's report have been referred to
the Visiting Committee.

Read letter from the local government Board
J4298:1914, dated 17th July 1914, sanctioning
a day with rations, to have been
substitute for the workhouse?

The following applications
were granted:

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- (2) J
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Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Dublin,
for the admission of Anne Brennan, a patient in
the Workhouse hospital, thereto, for treatment for
cataract.

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JUL 30 1914

In accordance with notice Mr. Stokes moved
that Mrs. Kate Dolan, seamstress, in the workhouse,
be allowed an increase of 2/- a week in her
wage (from 8/- to 10/-).

Notice recorded by Mr. Malone, and carried
unanimously.

Moved by Mr. W. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Moran, and
carried - That we request the "Irish Independent"
to substantiate or withdraw its statement
that to be a sermon delivered by
which statement has been
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JUL 30 1914

Mr. Gullan, pavedigger
and 28th July 1914, stating
to all
man named John
Anne hospital,
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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded
and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on THURSDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__
of the following
Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their
respective Districts, also School Teachers, Catholic as well as the attendance of the children at School.

(Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government
The Reports are retained at the Union Office.)
who proposes to board or hire out the children or boarded
years, who is at present an inmate of the _____

in

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

Royal Victoria Hospital
to be a ... of ...
was ...
who ...
unanimously.

Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

m A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted years, who is at present an inmate of the _____

... that we request the ...
... substantiate or without ...
... to be a ...
... which statement ...
... and ...

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

... that we request the ...
... substantiate or without ...
... to be a ...
... which statement ...
... and ...

Table with columns: Name of child, Age, Sex, Religion, Date of birth, Date of admission, Name of nurse, Name of school, Name of district, Name of relieving officer, Name of school teacher, Name of guardian, Name of board of guardians, Name of local government.

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ARDEE UNION.**Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.**

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Ardee Union.**Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)****Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.**

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

ARDEE UNION

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic. cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of ... of the following Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on Tuesday, the ... day of ... 19...

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed) —

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | 19 | |

ARDEE UNION

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed) —

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | 19 | |

Ardee Union

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of July 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts

(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination.

Ardee Dispensary District

Castlebellingham do.

Collon No. 2 do.

Dunleer do.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same. Directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), and Order of Guardians. The Order of Guardians column contains the text 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

Requisition of the Medical Officer of the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were

The service of each Dispensary District in the ... 19 ... having been submitted the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District which have been included in the half-year's ... for each Dispensary District for the

Summary table with columns for currency (£, s., d.) and a final total row.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with 3 columns: Dispensary District, Name, and Residence. The table is mostly blank with some faint handwriting.

The following Orders of the Local Government were laid before the Board, and directions given

Order No. ... dated ...

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 No. 3852 : 1914, dated 25th July, 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 7th inst on the subject, and sanctioning the payment of £1.10.0 a week to Miss M. K. Finnegan for her services as temporary substitute for the midwife of Dunbeek Dispensary District whilst on vacation.

Read letter from D. P. O'Hagan, Medical Officer, Southbellinham Dispensary District, dated 27th 1914, applying for four weeks' vacation: Harroll, Dunbeek, would act as his at the usual remuneration, viz £4.4.0

used

The following Orders of the Local Government were laid before the Board, and directions given

Order No. dated

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

Letter No. 36552, dated 25 July 1914, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 7th inst. on the subject, and signifying

the payment of £1.10.0 to Mrs. M. P. [unclear] for her services as temporary substitute for the midwife of Dunbar Dispensary District whilst on vacation.

Read letter from Dr. J. O'Hagan, Medical Officer, Dunbar, dated 27th July 1914, applying for order with respect to Dr. O'Hagan, Dunbar, to act as his substitute whilst on vacation, and to be remunerated at the rate of £4.4.0 per week.

Read

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians on the 1st inst. of each month, and first quarter and first half year.] 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:—

| District No. | District | Deputies |
|--------------|----------|-------------|
| 1 | Ardee | [Signature] |
| 2 | " | [Signature] |
| 3 | " | [Signature] |
| 4 | " | [Signature] |
| 5 | " | [Signature] |
| 6 | " | [Signature] |
| 7 | " | [Signature] |
| 8 | " | [Signature] |
| 9 | " | [Signature] |
| 10 | " | [Signature] |

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:— That the following Officers for the respective Districts notice the Deputies to comply with the law.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 19th day of August 1914. (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.:-

| District | No. defaulters. | District | No. |
|---------------|-----------------|----------|-----|
| Ardee | 109 | | |
| Castellanyham | 34 | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 4th day of August 1914.

(Signed), James L. Donoghue
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £95,119 s 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of August 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 9 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 116 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 115 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 6 | 24 | 44 | 8 | 1 | 11 | 11 | 8 | 113 | 53 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 59 | 14 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 3 | | 2 | 3 | 91 | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 65 | 14 | 29 | 48 | 9 | 4 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 204 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 59 | 12 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 89 | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 59 | 12 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 89 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 6 | 2 | 27 | 44 | 7 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 115 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of August 1914 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief Districts | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 51, s. 1) | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|------------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of Cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her | Number of Cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | 60 | 98 | | | | |
| No. II. | 50 | 95 | | | | |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 127 | 210 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 4th day of August 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

A quorum was being present at meeting was held.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 1st day of 1866.

| REMARKS | No. of Patients in Hospital | No. of Patients in Workhouse | No. of Patients in Asylum | No. of Patients in Lunatic Asylum | No. of Patients in Workhouse (Total) | REMARKS | |
|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | | Admitted during the Week | Discharged during the Week |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Admitted during the Week | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Discharged during the Week | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Died | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Total Discharged and Died | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Remaining on the above Date | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of 1866. I am, Sir, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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:—

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 1st day of 1866.

| REMARKS | No. of Patients in Hospital | No. of Patients in Workhouse | No. of Patients in Asylum | No. of Patients in Lunatic Asylum | No. of Patients in Workhouse (Total) | REMARKS | |
|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | | | | Admitted during the Week | Discharged during the Week |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Admitted during the Week | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Discharged during the Week | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Died | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Total Discharged and Died | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |
| Remaining on the above Date | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 44 | 11 | 11 |

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:—

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

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:—

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
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| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending on the day of 19... (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | Total sums received during the month | |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | Payments ordered during the month |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | |
| Loans received | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

| TABLE (b) | Dr | |
|---|----|---------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. d. |
| Sundry Accounts, viz:— | | Outstanding Orders |
| Provisions and Necessaries | | |
| Clothing and Bedding | | |
| Establishment— | | Net Balance as above due to the Union |
| (a.) Salaries | | |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | |
| (c.) Farm | | Dated this... day of... 19... |
| (d.) Other Expenses | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | |
| Medical Charities | | |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | | |

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the annual minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account, and Union. Rows include SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Payments ordered) and RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Dated this... day of 19...

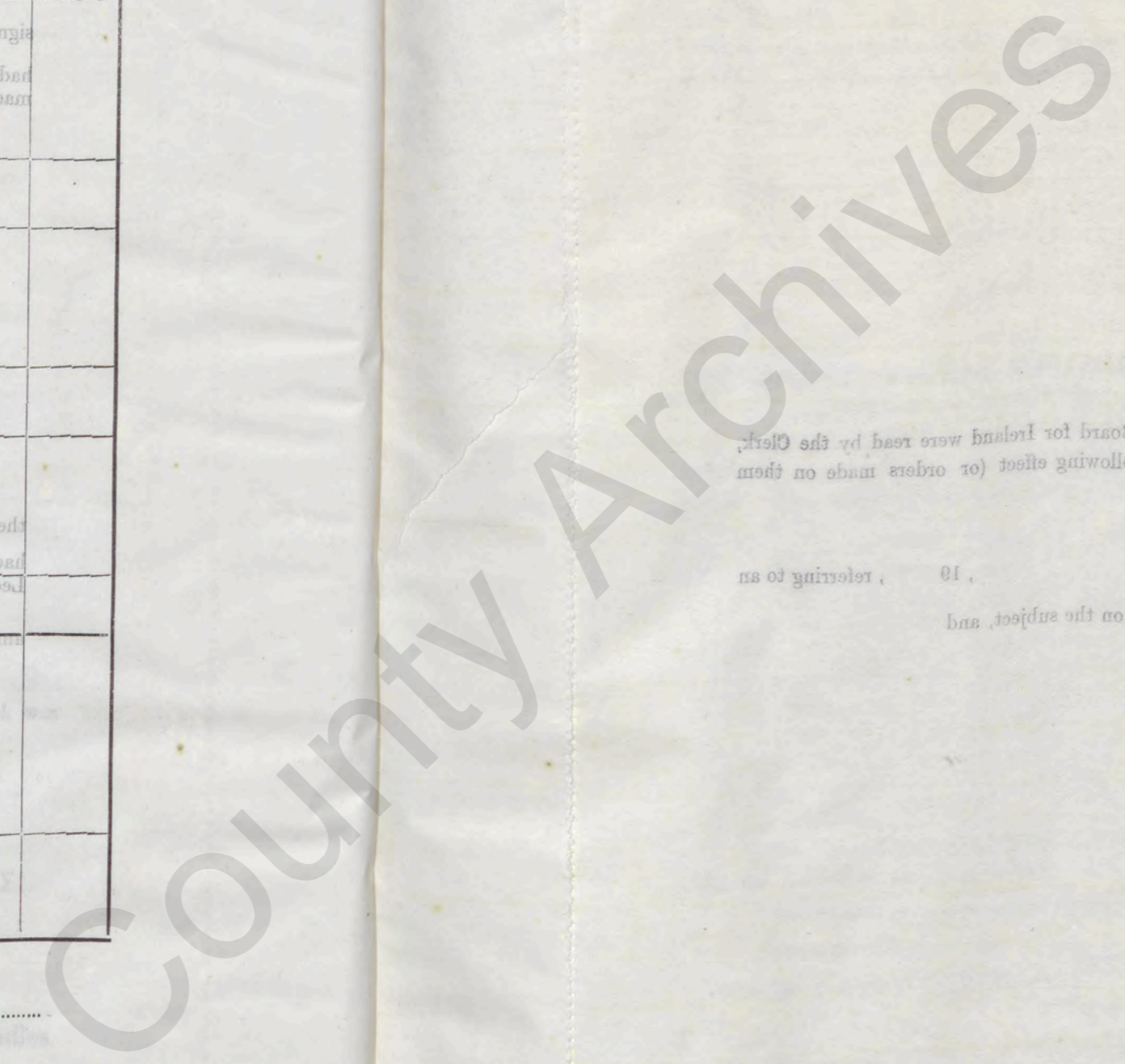
Clerk of the Union.

- List of expenses: (a) Medical and medical and surgical Appliances, (b) Other Expenses, (c) Maintenance in Extern Institutions, (d) Registration Law and other Expenses, (e) Medical Charities, (f) Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers, (g) Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, (h) Superannuation Allowances, (i) Assessment and Results, Fees of Teachers, (j) Repayment of Loans, (k) Relieving Officers' Accounts - Out-door Relief, (l) Unpaid Bills of last half year, (m) Expenditure out of Loans, (n) Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

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 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 No. ... dated ... 19... referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the ... on the subject, and ...



Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board,
and directions given thereon as follows:—

| | Ordinary Account. | | Loans Account. | |
|---|-------------------|----|----------------|----|
| | £ | d. | £ | d. |
| SUMMARY. | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | |
| Total sums received during the month | | | | |
| Total | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | |
| Payments ordered during the month | | | | |
| Total | | | | |
| The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and | | | | |
| Balance per Bank Book due | Treasurer | | | |
| Outstanding Orders | | | | |
| Net Balance as above due | the Union | | | |

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19__

Clerk of the Union.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ... **91**

Ditto disallowed

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

The number of cases of provisional relief granted was ...

Do. in which relief was granted by the Board was ... **125**

The number of other Applications in the following classes being referred by order of the Guardians was ...

The number of Applications for which relief was not granted was ...

The Board and other Authorities were kept advised by the Clerk, together with his Report Officer in relation to ...

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

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on **TUESDAY**, the _____ day of _____

Signed, _____
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... The number of cases of provisional Relief was ... 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 Act.)

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

day of _____ 19__ (Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of ... of the following Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on Tuesday, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Nature of Report and Observations.

Signed

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted the Medical Refill Register, Vaccination Register, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts forwarded by the Medical Officer of Health to the Medical Officer of Health for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Nature of Report and Observations.

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Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | No. of Samples | Collon No. 2 of Analyst's Report |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Ardee Dispensary District | | | |
| Castlebellingham do. | | | |
| Dunleer do. | | | |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition s. d. | Order of Guardians |
|----------|---|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19__ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

Clerk of the Union

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Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | No. of Samples | Collon No. 2 of Analyst's Report |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Ardee Dispensary District | | | |
| Castlebellingham do. | | | |
| Collon No. 2 do. | | | |
| Dunleer do. | | | |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition s. d. | Order of Guardians |
|----------|---|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19__ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| | |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Ardee | Dispensary District |
| Castlebellingham | do. |
| Collon No. 2 | do. |
| Dunleer | do. |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition | | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|-------|------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. d. | |
| | | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----|---|---|---|
| Ardee District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | ... | £ | : | : |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

[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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Res. Foster

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 11th day of August 1914

(Signed) *Thomas J. Drummond*
Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 958 19 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of August 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Boys and Girls above 8 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | | | | | No. in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 108 | 62 | 27 | 44 | 7 | 10 | 9 | 15 | 48 | 48 | In separate Wards | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | In Wards with other inmates | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 108 | 62 | 27 | 44 | 7 | 10 | 9 | 15 | 48 | 48 | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | — | — | 44 | 20 | 3 | 4 | 1 | — | — | 73 | — | | |
| Admitted during the Week | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Born | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| TOTAL | — | — | 50 | 22 | 30 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 108 | — | | |
| Discharged during the Week | — | — | 46 | 17 | 6 | 5 | — | — | — | 78 | — | | |
| Died | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 2 | — | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | — | — | 46 | 17 | 6 | 5 | — | — | — | 80 | — | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | — | — | 4 | 5 | 23 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 108 | — | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of August 1914 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. | 60 | 98 | — | — | 60 | 98 |
| No. II. | 50 | 95 | — | — | 50 | 95 |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | — | — | 17 | 17 |
| TOTAL | 127 | 210 | — | — | 127 | 210 |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 11th day of August 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Sir A Vere Foster Bart.*
Other Guardians:— *John C. Kieran, Jun; Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, Eugene J Caragher, Joseph M Mahon, Edward M Quillan, Francis M Quillan, Peter Kent, James Gammons, Patrick J. Steen, Francis B Swin, Joseph S Harmon, James Callan, John Fediqan, and Thomas Kieran, Esqrs*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDEE UNION

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

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE FOR THE WEEK ending Saturday the 11th day of August 1914

| REMARKS | Number | Admitted during the Week | Discharged during the Week | Total Discharged and Died | REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE |
|-----------------------------|--------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Admitted during the Week | 174 | 174 | 174 | 174 | 174 |
| Discharged during the Week | 174 | | 174 | 174 | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 174 | 174 | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | | | 174 |

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:—

| | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| 56 lbs. Arrowroot | 56 lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| 170 „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| 56 „ Barley (Pearl) | 600 qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| 160 „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| 600 „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| 56 bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| 30 „ Butter | 1/2-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| 40 qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | 10 „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | 112 „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | 56 lbs. Sugar | |
| 20 doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 11th day of August 1914. (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 11th day of August 1914

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of July 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a)

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | 362 | 15 | 1 |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | 362 | 15 | 1 |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of July 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| Sundry Accounts, viz:— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | 116 | 8 | 4 |
| Clothing and Bedding | 59 | 4 | 3 |
| Establishment— | | | |
| (a.) Salaries | 11 | 0 | 6 |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | 6 | 11 | 6 |
| (d.) Other Expenses | | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | 10 | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | 4 | 6 |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | 3 | 5 | 4 |
| Medical Charities | 7 | 7 | 6 |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | 1 | 1 | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | 7 | 10 | |
| Superannuation Allowances | 7 | 10 | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | 79 | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | 302 | 18 | 11 |

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of July 1914

| | Ordinary Account. | | | Loans Account. | | |
|--|-------------------|-----------|----------|----------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| SUMMARY. | | | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement | 30 | 7 | 4 | | | |
| Total sums received during the month | 362 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| Total | 665 | 16 | 5 | | | |
| Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | | | |
| Payments ordered during the month | 402 | 14 | 5 | | | |
| Total | 402 | 14 | 5 | | | |
| Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals) | 136 | 18 | | | | |
| RECONCILEMENT. | | | | | | |
| Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer | 15 | 6 | 1 | | | |
| Outstanding Orders | 121 | 11 | 11 | | | |
| Net Balance as above due to the Union | 136 | 18 | | | | |

Dated this day of 1914

Clerk of the Union.

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.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 11th day of August 1914

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

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|---|
| Indoor from No. 223 to No. 295 |
| Separate .. No. 88 to No. 88 |
| Outdoor .. No. 2267 to No. 2267 |

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 August 1914 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|----------------------|--|----------|----------|--------------------------|-----------|----------|------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------------|-------------|----------|-------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------------------------|----------|-----------|----------|----------|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | | |
| Provisions | 28 | 13 | 10 | 18 | 2 | 11 | 46 | 16 | 9 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 21 | 13 | 2 | 25 | 3 | 7 | |
| Necessaries | 58 | 11 | 6 | 13 | 6 | 5 | 59 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 11 | 12 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 5 | 54 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 9 |
| Total | 87 | 5 | 4 | 18 | 16 | 5 | 106 | 19 | 22 | 12 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 26 | 12 | 7 | 79 | 9 | 2 | | |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | = | 4 | 1/2 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary | = | 4 | 6/4 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital | = | 3 | 0 |

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of August 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 12 11 9 | 8 5 6 | 5 16 6 | 26 17 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 12 11 9 | 8 5 6 | 5 16 6 | 26 17 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 12 6 | A .. | 2 16 .. | 19 8 6 |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | 12 6 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 .. | 8 2 6 | 2 8 6 | 20 1 .. |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 3 11 9 | 3 .. | 2 18 .. | 6 12 9 |
| 9. Total | 12 11 9 | 8 5 6 | 5 16 6 | 26 17 9 |

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 August 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 11th day of August 1914

We visited the house this morning and found everything clean and tidy. We also inspected the bread, mutton, milk, bacon, meal, &c. and found them all of superior quality.

(Signed) Anthony Malone
Francis M. Quillan

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

11th day of August 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were fortnight were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.3 degrees for last week fortnight.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on eight days during the week fortnight.

I received an order from the Medical Officer on the 30th July to provide a temporary night attendant to take charge at night, under the supervision of the night nurse, of a delirious patient named Francis Rully, Parsonstown. I employed Henry Wall at 3/6 per night without rations, and dispensed with his services on 31st ultimo. (Approved).

Bridget M. Cormack, temporary wardmaid in the Dwyer hospital left on the 2th inst, all the patients therein having been discharged.

Nurse M. Arthey left on one day's leave on the 3rd inst, and returned on the 4th. Nurse Twlin left on three weeks vacation on the 10th inst. Her duties will be discharged by the Dwyer Hospital nurse during her absence.

On the 5th inst Mr. Whelahan, Inspector N. S. P. C. C. delivered up a child at the Workhouse named Thomas M. Quillan, aged about 11 years whom he intends to have sent to an Industrial School.

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

| Date of Visit and Report | Name of Officer | Name of Institution | Number of Patients | Number of Beds |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| 11/01 | W. J. ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 12/19 | ... | ... | 566 | 566 |

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. / , dated / , 19 / , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the / on the subject, and /

Read letter from Mr J. V. McQuillan, Ardee, Contractor for the supply of provisions to the Workhouse, dated 3rd August, 1914, bringing under the notice of the Board the advance in prices of all classes of provisions, particularly sugar, eggs, bacon, and butter, and requesting to be allowed to charge advanced prices considering the exceptional circumstances that now exist.

Resolved - That the matter be referred to the Local Government Board, for their opinion as to whether any advance in the current contract prices is allowable under the present exceptional circumstances prevailing.

Read letter from the Acting Editor, Daily Independent, Dublin, dated August 2nd, 1914, having reference to the Guardians' minute of the 28th Ultimo, on the subject of a report of a sermon delivered at Coalisland, Co. Tyrone, by Rev Canon A. Lockett, Ford, Rector of Ardee, and stating that their Correspondent, who supplied the report is a reliable man, and he stands by the accuracy of his report.

Read letter from Rev Canon A. Lockett, Ford, The Rectory, Ardee, stating that the statement of Francis McQuillan, contained in the Guardians' minutes of the 28th Ultimo, was an unmitigated and absolute falsehood.

So far from refusing the grave permission, and as is usual, in such cases sent him to the sexton, to whom he went and said he had permission from him (Canon Ford). The sexton reported later in the day that McQuillan was unable to identify the grave. He thought it would be far better when a matter of so important a nature as a burial arises that the request should come from some official, and in an official way.

Francis McQuillan appeared before the Board and substantiated the statement that Canon Ford had refused to give him a written permit to open the grave, and that he was refused admission to the graveyard by the sexton in consequence.

Read letter from Dr. Steen, Workhouse Medical Officer, dated 10th August, 1914, stating that some weeks ago a female imbecile child was admitted to the hospital from the Drumecondra district. She was altogether an unmitable case to be kept in the workhouse. He did not certify her as a fit case for admission to an Asylum as he knew from experience in a former case that neither Richmond nor Mullingar Asylums would take her. Richmond Asylum would refuse on the grounds that she has not been two years resident in their district, and Mullingar because she is not at present resident in their district. He recommended that the Guardians take steps to have her admitted to one of the Asylums.

Resolved - That the Guardians would be glad if the Local Government Board would kindly inform them if there is any special Asylum for imbeciles to which they could send the child in question as they surmise that either the Richmond or the Mullingar Lunatic Asylum would object to receiving such a case. Should the Local Government Board not know of any such special Asylum, and consider that the child should be sent to either the Richmond or the Mullingar Asylum, the question would then arise as to which of these Asylums is legally liable to receive the child, and the Guardians would in that case also require the Local Government Board's assistance, as in a similar case sometime ago the Guardians' application was refused by both Asylums - by the Richmond on the ground that the patient, though an inmate of the Ardee Workhouse (which is in the County Louth) was a native of the County Meath.

Meath part of the Andee Union, and by the Mullingar Asylum on the ground that the patient was not "resident" in Co. Meath when application for admission was made. The Guardians send to the Local Government Board the file of correspondence relating to the former case, and would be glad to receive their advice as to how they should act in the circumstances. As the time required to settle the legal question may be very long, the Guardians would suggest as an expedient in the present case that the child might be formally discharged from the Workhouse and given back to her father who resides in the County Meath part of the Union, from which the Mullingar Asylum would be bound to receive her (the proper application being made to that Asylum by her father). The Guardians in this case would have to pay the expenses of recording the child to the Asylum, the father being too poor to bear it. The Guardians would ask the Local Government Board to allow them to pay this expense.

The Guardians proceeded to consider quotations from Insurance Companies for the insurance of their employes which had been left over from their meeting on the 28th ultimo.

Resolved. That the quotation of Messrs Mackintosh & Sons, on behalf of the Patriotic Company, be accepted at the rate of 5/6 per cent, the rate in question to cover compensation from date of accident in respect of all employes insured.

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 18th August 1874.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of July 1874 of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurses and boarded by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

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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 | 73 |
| 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 | 127 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the 18th day of August 1874 (Signed), Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 11th August 1914

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of July 19 14 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

which were of a satisfactory character. Ordered - That the usual clothing material be supplied.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged [Age] years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 TUESDAY, the 18th August 1914.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the [] day of [] 19 []

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children's Board Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Name of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|---|
| Local Government | 19 | | The Reports and School Attendance Certificates were transmitted to the Analyst for his examination. Duplicates of the Reports are retained for the use of the Analyst. The Analyst has examined the Reports and has found that the same are correct and that the certificates are valid. Order made by the Board. |

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____. The Clerk submitted the Medical Charities Reports, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts forwarded by the Medical Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|------------------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Order of Guardians | 19 | | 19 | Estimates of the Medicines required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board with Requisitions for the supply of the same and directions were given thereon as stated:— |
| To be supplied by the Contractors. | | | | |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half-year ending _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |
| Ardee District | £ | ... | | |
| Castledillon District | £ | ... | | |
| Dunfer District | £ | ... | | |
| Total Union | £ | ... | | |

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 11th day of August 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination: Ardee Dispensary District

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, Name of Report and Observations, No. of Samples, Date when received by Analyst

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), Order of Guardians

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses (£ s. d.), Total Union

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. Handwritten entries: Ardee, Peter Murray, Stormanstown

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 42,050 : 1914, dated 10th August, 1914, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 28th ultimo on the subject, and approving of the

arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the medical officer of the Castlebellingham Dispensary district during the absence of that officer on vacation and sanctioning payment of £4.4.0 a week to Dr Thomas P. ~~Flanagan~~ O'Carroll as his substitute.

Read letter from Dr Keelan, Medical Officer of Dunleer Dispensary district, dated 10th August, 1914, requesting ~~for~~ vacation for six weeks from 14th Inst. He would be responsible for the payment of his substitute for two weeks. Dr Murray would act as his substitute. Allowed.

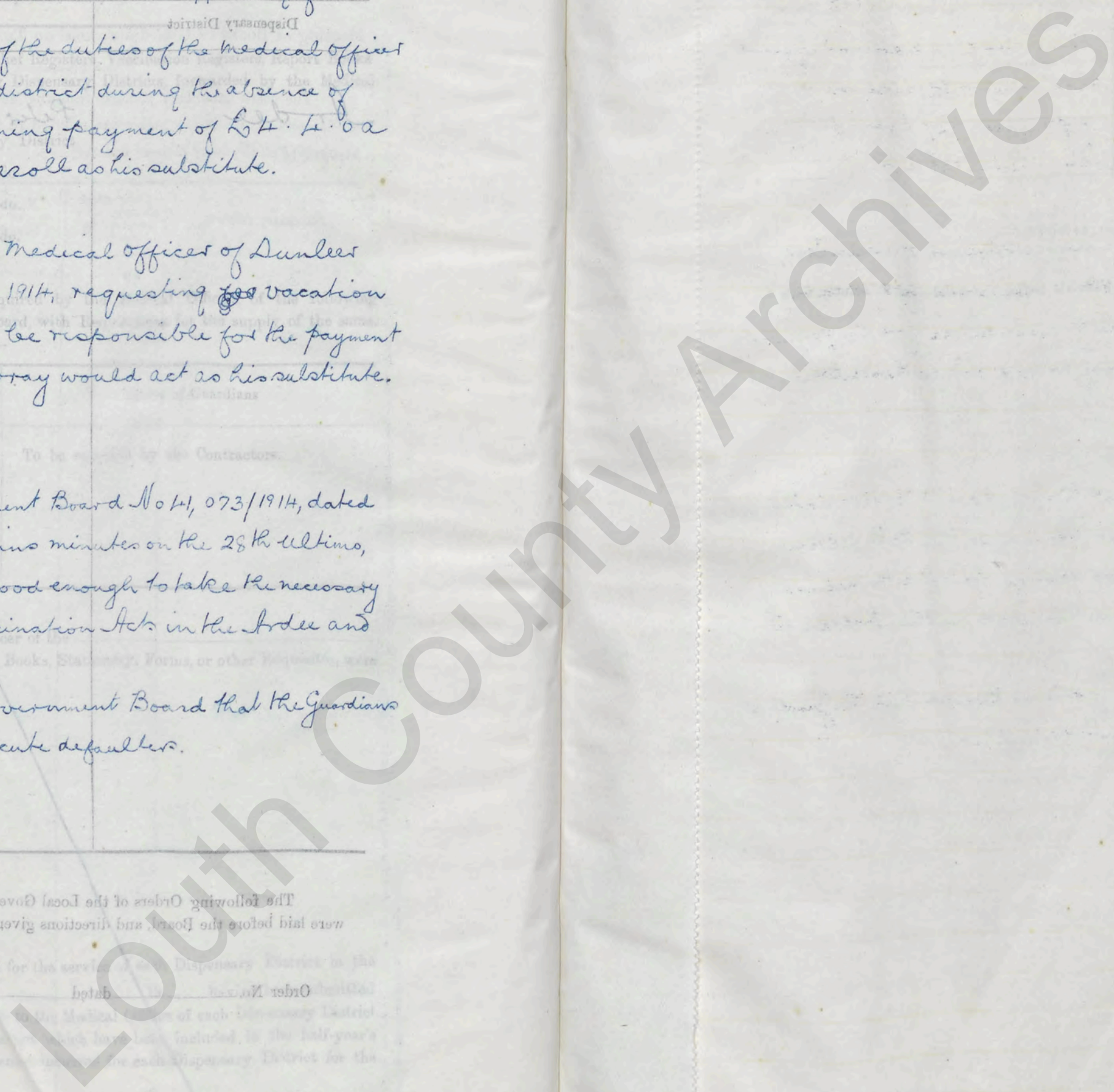
Read letter from the Local Government Board No 41, 073/1914, dated 6th August, 1914, directing to the Guardians minutes on the 28th ultimo, and trusting the Guardians would be good enough to take the necessary steps to ensure compliance with the Vaccination Act in the Ardee and Castlebellingham Dispensary districts.

Resolved - To inform the Local Government Board that the Guardians have decided by Resolution not to prosecute defaulters.

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

(state subject)

Order No. 1014



[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.:-

| | |
|----------|-------------|
| District | defaulters. |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of June 19/14 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| | |
|----------|-------|
| District | No. 5 |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

For
25/10/14

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 18th day of August 1914

(Signed) J. B. Dromgole Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 = 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £95,819 s15
STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of August 14

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|---|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 106 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 774 | 106 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 4 | 5 | 23 | 42 | 8 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 108 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 4 | 9 | 15 | 4 | 1 | | 1 | 3 | 4 | 77 | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 53 | 20 | 27 | 43 | 8 | 2 | 13 | 13 | 7 | 185 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 4 | 2 | 20 | 5 | 4 | | 3 | 4 | | 78 | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 4 | 2 | 20 | 5 | 4 | | 3 | 4 | | 79 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 11 | | 22 | 39 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 106 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, 13 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of August 14 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. | 59 | 97 | | | | |
| No. II. | 50 | 95 | | | | |
| No. III. | 19 | 19 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 128 | 211 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 18th day of August 14

PRESENT - In the Chair: -
Other Guardians: -

A quorum not being present, no meeting was held

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:

| RETURN OF DESISTEE PERSONS KEPT OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, AS PER KOLISEL LIST FOR THE LAST WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, THE 10th day of _____ 1884 | | RETURN OF DESISTEE PERSONS KEPT OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, AS PER KOLISEL LIST FOR THE LAST WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, THE 10th day of _____ 1884 | |
|--|------------------------|--|------------------------|
| DATE | REMAINING ON THE ABOVE | DATE | REMAINING ON THE ABOVE |
| 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 |
| 11 | 12 | 11 | 13 |
| 12 | 14 | 12 | 15 |
| 13 | 16 | 13 | 17 |
| 14 | 18 | 14 | 19 |
| 15 | 20 | 15 | 21 |
| 16 | 22 | 16 | 23 |
| 17 | 24 | 17 | 25 |
| 18 | 26 | 18 | 27 |
| 19 | 28 | 19 | 29 |
| 20 | 30 | 20 | 31 |
| 21 | 31 | 21 | 32 |
| 22 | 32 | 22 | 33 |
| 23 | 33 | 23 | 34 |
| 24 | 34 | 24 | 35 |
| 25 | 35 | 25 | 36 |
| 26 | 36 | 26 | 37 |
| 27 | 37 | 27 | 38 |
| 28 | 38 | 28 | 39 |
| 29 | 39 | 29 | 40 |
| 30 | 40 | 30 | 41 |
| 31 | 41 | 31 | 42 |
| 32 | 42 | 32 | 43 |
| 33 | 43 | 33 | 44 |
| 34 | 44 | 34 | 45 |
| 35 | 45 | 35 | 46 |
| 36 | 46 | 36 | 47 |
| 37 | 47 | 37 | 48 |
| 38 | 48 | 38 | 49 |
| 39 | 49 | 39 | 50 |
| 40 | 50 | 40 | 51 |
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The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

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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| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR. | | |
|---|-----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 31st day of 19... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.
 Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|--|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 31st day of 19... (Article 7.)
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Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
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| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the Summary Minutes of each financial meeting.)

Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Dated this... day of... 19...

Table of expenses: (a) Salaries, (b) Etablissement, (c) Clothing and Bedding, (d) Provisions and Necessaries, (e) Sundry Accounts, (f) Repayment of Loans, (g) Unpaid Bills, (h) Expenditure out of Loans, (i) Assessment and Health Fees, (j) Superannuation Allowances, (k) Vaccinations, (l) Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, (m) Medical Officers, (n) Medical Expenses, (o) Migration Law and other Expenses, (p) Maintenance in External Institutions, (q) Clerk of the Union, (r) Workhouse Rates, (s) Other Expenses, (t) Apparatus.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the Summary Minutes of each financial meeting.)

TABLE (II) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Table with columns: Dated this... day of... 19... and numerical data columns.

The following... The Clothing... The Medical... The Inventory... The Labour... The Outdoor Relief... The Clerk, their... by him and authenticated by his signature.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the.....day of.....191.....

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. 296 to No. 372
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2267 to No. 2269

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 August 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|--------------|--|----------|----------|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------------------|-------------|----------|-------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 25 | 3 | 7 | 18 | 19 | 10 | 44 | 3 | 5 | 17 | 17 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 20 | 14 | 23 | 9 | 5 | 765 |
| Necessaries | 54 | 5 | 7 | | | | 54 | 5 | 7 | 4 | 8 | | 11 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 49 | 6 | 5 | |
| Total | 79 | 9 | 2 | 18 | 19 | 10 | 98 | 9 | 12 | 22 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 25 | 13 | 2 | 72 | 15 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4: 1
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 4: 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : -: -

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of August 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 3 11 9 | 3 . 2 18 | | 6 12 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 18 . . | 18 . . | 6 . . | 42 . . |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 21 11 9 | 18 3 . | 8 18 . | 48 12 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 10 . | 8 . . | 3 3 6 | 19 13 6 |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | 5 . . | 5 . . |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ... | 7 6 . | 2 6 . | 2 6 . | 12 6 . |
| 7. Total Relief given | 8 17 6 | 8 2 6 | 3 11 . | 20 11 . |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 12 14 3 | 10 0 6 | 5 7 . | 28 1 9 |
| 9. Total | 21 11 9 | 18 3 . | 8 18 . | 48 12 9 |

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 1914
Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

..... day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 15th day of August 1919

| | Relieving Officer | | Relieving Officer | | Relieving Officer | | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHREWS | J. FINNIGAN | J. FINNIGAN | D. KALLIGAN | D. KALLIGAN | D. KALLIGAN | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 3 11 9 | 3 | 2 18 | | | | 6 12 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians | 18 | 18 | 6 | | | | 42 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 21 11 9 | 18 3 | 8 18 | | | | 48 12 9 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Board | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisions and Necessaries received during the week | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | | | | 12 8 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 8 17 6 | 8 2 6 | 3 11 | | | | 20 11 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 12 14 3 | 12 0 6 | 5 7 | | | | 29 19 9 |
| 9. Total | 21 11 9 | 18 3 | 8 18 | | | | 48 12 9 |

Note.—The entries in the above account should not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the account should be struck out in red ink, and the entries contained in the Minutes.

Dated this 15th day of August 1919

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 1919

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. dated 1919 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 1919

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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MINUTE BOOK

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Louth County Board of Health, held on the 10th day of January, 1910.

The meeting was held at the County Court House, Louth, at 7:30 P.M.

Present: Mr. J. J. Donnell, Chairman; Mr. J. J. Swift, Secretary; Mr. J. J. Brock, Treasurer; Mr. J. J. [Name], [Title]; Mr. J. J. [Name], [Title].

Mr. J. J. Donnell called the meeting to order and read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved.

Mr. J. J. Swift reported on the work of the Board of Health during the past month.

Mr. J. J. Brock reported on the financial condition of the Board of Health.

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. 77
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 .. 127
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 TUESDAY, the _____

day of _____ 19__ (Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

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[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ child _____ aged _____ years, who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 77. Ditto disallowed. The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1. The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 121. 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

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Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

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[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ child _____ aged _____ years, who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations. Includes entries for Ardee District, Carrickshock District, and Dunier District.

Clerk of the Union.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

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Table with columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations. Includes entries for Carrickshock District and Dunier District.

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, Ardee, Castlebellingham, do.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses. Includes entries for Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

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Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, Ardee, Castlebellingham, do.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses. Includes entries for Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

Total Union

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table listing Dispensary Districts: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), Order of Guardians. Content: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table showing Total Expenses for each Dispensary District: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. The table is currently empty.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
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| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £ 95,819 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1914

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|-------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 92 | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 92 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 11 | 22 | 39 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 106 | Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards | 39 | In separate Wards with other inmates | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 29 | 3 | 1 | 2 | | | | | 35 | Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | 39 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 40 | 3 | 23 | 41 | 8 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 141 | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 38 | 3 | | 2 | 2 | 1 | | 2 | 48 | Males | Fe- males | Children under 15 | TOTAL |
| Died | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | No. Relieved during week | 29 | 3 | 32 |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 38 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | | 2 | 49 | No. in Work-house at date | 2 | | 2 |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 2 | | 22 | 39 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 5 | 79 | No. at corresponding period last year, | | | 11 |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of August 1914 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief Districts | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 51, s. 1) | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1) | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|------------------|--|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | 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 | 59 | 97 | | | | |
| No. II | 50 | 95 | | | | |
| No. III | 19 | 19 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 128 | 211 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 25th day of August 1914

PRESENT-In the Chair:- Sir A Vere Foster, Bart.
Other Guardians:- Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, William A Doran, Eugene J Caragher, James M Keever, Matthew Clinton, Peter McKello, Peter Maguire, Joseph Barry, and Edward M Quillan, Esq.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of August 1914

(Signed), J. B. Dranspole Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) Table with columns for Description, £, s, d. Rows include: County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians; Repayment of Relief; Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce; Sales of Ofal, old stores, and other Receipts; Loans received; Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

Main financial summary table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account, including rows for Balance, Total sums received, and Net Balance.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table of expenses and allowances including Clerk of the Union, Medical Officers, and various allowances.

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

TABLE (II) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with multiple columns and rows, likely containing statistical data or a detailed financial breakdown.

Table with numerical data, possibly a continuation of the statistical minutes or a summary of figures.

Textual notes and signatures at the bottom of the page, including a list of items and a concluding statement.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 25th day of August 1914

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. 373 to No. 407

Separate „ No. 88 to No. 88

Outdoor „ No. 2269 to No. 2269

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 August 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 23 | 9 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 2 | 40 | 15 | 7 | 16 | 11 | 11 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 19 | 8 | 8 | 21 | 6 | 11 | 693 |
| Necessaries | 49 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 50 | 17 | | 4 | 8 | 1 | | 11 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 3 | 45 | 17 | 9 | |
| Total | 72 | 15 | 10 | 18 | 16 | 9 | 91 | 12 | 7 | 21 | - | - | 3 | 7 | 11 | 24 | 7 | 11 | 67 | 4 | 8 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 3
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 5 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 4 : 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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|---|---------|---|----|----|----|---|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ s. d. | | | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 12 | 14 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 28 | 1 | 9 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 12 | 14 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 28 | 1 | 9 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 | 10 | | 8 | | | 3 | 3 | 6 | 19 | 13 | 6 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | | 2 | 6 | | 2 | 6 | 12 | 6 | | |
| 7. Total Relief given .. | 8 | 17 | 6 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 20 | 6 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 3 | 16 | 9 | 1 | 18 | | 2 | 1 | 7 | 15 | 9 | |
| 9. Total .. | 12 | 14 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 28 | 1 | 9 | |

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 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 1914

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. H. 3344, dated 19th August 1914, relating to an application for the employment of the Guardians, as it was contrary to practice to sanction an increase in the number of Guardians.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

25th day of August 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were for fortnight were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.2 degrees for last week—the fortnight.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on eight days during the week for fortnight.

I beg to suggest that two children in the Workhouse be boarded out.

Resolved—That the Master's suggestion be approved, and that the Relieving Officers be requested to find suitable persons with whom the children could be boarded out.

aware of any provision in the law which would enable the Guardians to accede to the application and relieve the contractor of his obligation. If, however, on the expiration of the period of contract it can be shown that owing to the outbreak of war any individual contractor has suffered excessive loss, the Board would be prepared to consider favourably any suggestion by which he might in some measure be compensated therefor.

Circular No 42642/14. - Misc. dated 12th August, 1914, informing the Guardians of the measures necessary to deal with any distress that may arise in consequence of the war.

Circular No 44, 316/1914. Miscellaneous, dated 21st August, 1914, forwarding memorandum with regard to the assistance available for the wives and other relatives of soldiers and sailors.

Ordered - That in the event of any such applications being made to the officers of this Union that they direct them to apply to Mrs MacCallan, Castlebellingham, the local member of the Committee in charge of the fund.

Read letter from Miss O. MacCartney, Fever Hospital nurse, dated 25th August, 1914, requesting her annual holiday - half the time to be taken now and the other half later.

Resolved - That Nurse MacCartney be allowed a month's leave of absence to commence when Nurse Twolin returns off her holiday, and that her request to take half ^{then} and half at a later date be approved.

Read letter from Dr Deen, Workhouse Medical Officer, dated 25th August, 1914, reporting that he had obtained the assistance of Dr Moore at an operation which he performed on Mary Halpin in the Hospital on 20th Inst.

The Matron, Miss Lennon, is not yet fit to resume duty, and would require leave of absence for another month. He (Dr Deen) would be much obliged if the Guardians would kindly grant him a month's leave of absence from the beginning of

of September. He recommended that Dr Moore be appointed *locum tenens*.

Resolved - That Dr Moore be allowed a fee of £1 for assisting at the operation, that the Matron be allowed ~~the~~ leave of absence for another month, and that Dr Deen's application for leave be granted, and Dr Moore appointed substitute to discharge his duties at £3. 3. 0 a week.

Read letter from the Patriotic Assurance Company, Dublin, and also from Messrs Mackittrick Sons, Drogheda, whose quotation on behalf of the Patriotic Assurance Co, had been accepted for the Guardians' employees' insurance, stating that if compensation was payable from date of accident an additional 7 1/2 per cent would have to be charged on the rates quoted in the Guardians' minutes of the 11th Inst.

Read letter from Mr Thomas Riehl, local agent for the Patriotic Assurance Co, dated 24th August, 1914, asking the Guardians to transfer the business to him, he being the local agent, and having quoted already the Company's terms.

Resolved - That the Guardians request the Patriotic Company to transfer the business to Mr Riehl, he being the best entitled to it, as their local agent, and in the event of their refusing to accede to this request the Guardians consider the question of rescinding their resolution with a view to this being done.

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

Proposed by Mr. Halpin, seconded by Mr. Cahill and Resolved - That this Board should to Cardinal Logue an expression of its regret consequent upon the death of the Pope.

| | | |
|--|-------|-----|
| 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 | | 128 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the 1st day of September 1914

(Signed), V. J. Mathews
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 cases of provisional relief was _____ 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 Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__ (Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Signed, _____ Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 cases of provisional relief was _____ 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 Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__ (Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Signed, _____ Clerk of the Union

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|---|
| | 19__ | | 19__ | Estimates of the Medicines required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board with Requisition for the supply of the same and directions were given thereon as stated:— |
| Order of Guardians | | | | District |
| To be supplied by the Contractor | | | | |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half year ending _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |

Ardee District

Castellblunham District

Colton No. 10, signed

Dunbar District

Total Union

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Charities Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | | | | (The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted to the Local Government for their information. The Clerk is to be kept advised of the progress of the same.) |
| | | | | The Clerk is to be kept advised of the progress of the same. |
| | | | | Orders made by Guardians thereon as stated. |

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 25th day of August 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, Ardee, Castlebellingham, do.

Medical Requisites. Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry for Ardee Workhouse.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Union, Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. Contains handwritten entries and a large diagonal watermark 'Archives'.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 42,984 : 1914, dated 14th August 1914, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 11th inst on the subject, and stating that

they had approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Dunleer Dispensary district during the absence of that officer on vacation, and sanctioning payment of £4. 4. 0 a week for four weeks to Dr Charles Murray as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health.

Dr Murray's certificates of proficiency in Vaccination and of Registration under the Medical Acts were also returned.

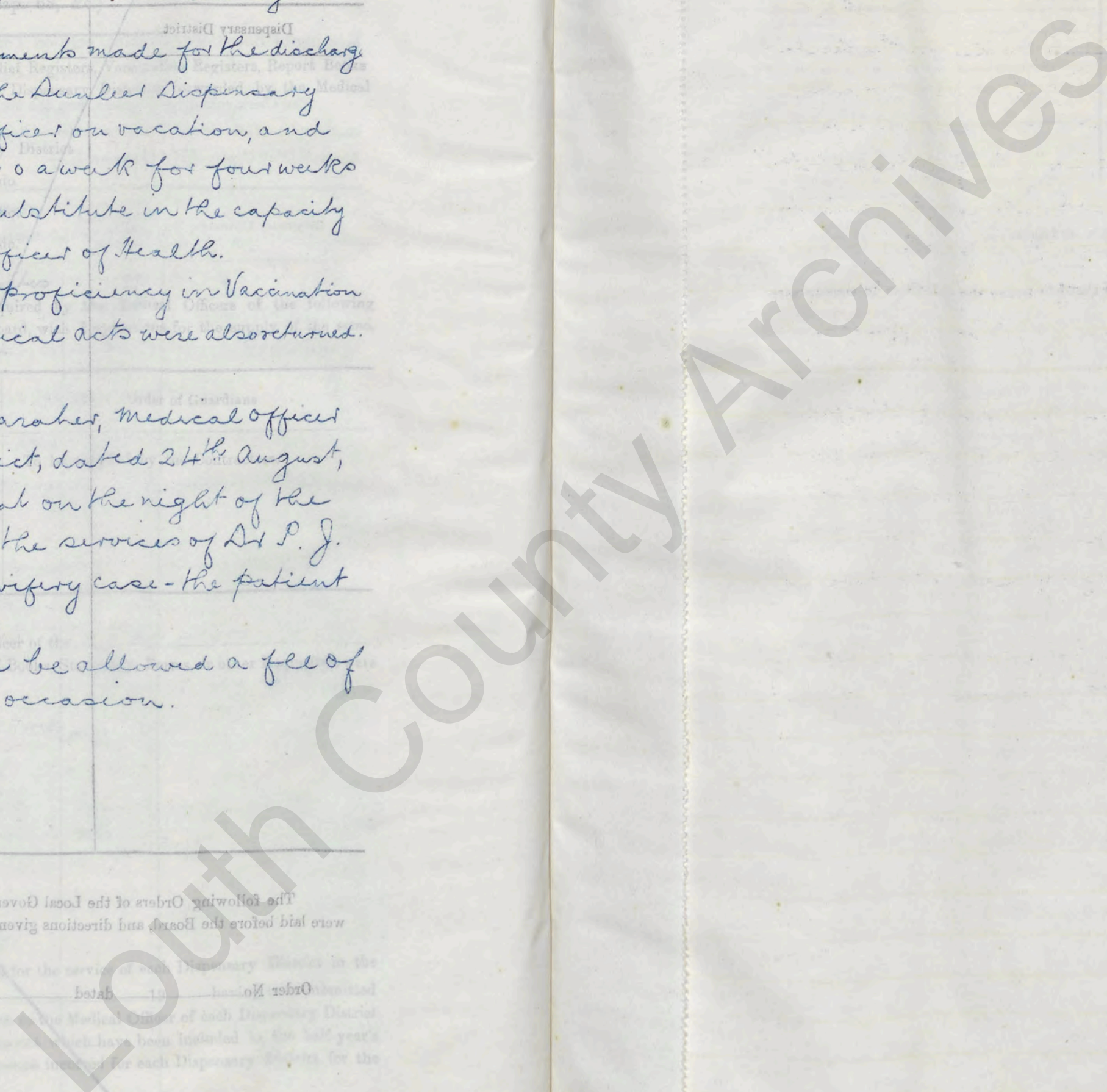
Read letter from Dr More Caraher, Medical Officer of the Dromondra Dispensary district, dated 24th August, 1914, informing the Guardians that on the night of the 17th inst he had to requisition the services of Dr P. J. Steen, Ardee, in a difficult midwifery case - the patient being Mrs Carolan, Kellystown.

Resolved - That Dr Steen be allowed a fee of £2. 2. 0 for his services on the occasion.

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

An Order of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts, in relation to the Dunleer Dispensary, was laid before the Board on the 11th inst. The Order was dated the 11th inst and related to the Dunleer Dispensary, and was in the following terms:—

| | |
|---------------|--|
| Disbursements | |
| Grants | |
| Other | |
| Total | |



[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.:-

| | |
|----------|-------------|
| District | defaulters. |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| | |
|----------|-----|
| District | No. |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 1st day of September 1914

(Signed) V. J. Mathews acting Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901-14,626. Present Net Annual Value, 95,819 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of August 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--|---|--------------------------------------|-------|----|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 101 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 101 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 2 | 22 | 39 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 5 | 7 | | 92 | Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards | 43 | In separate Wards with other inmates | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 31 | 6 | 6 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | 46 | Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 33 | 6 | 28 | 40 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 138 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 28 | 5 | 3 | | | | 1 | | | 37 | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 28 | 5 | 3 | | | | 1 | | | 37 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 5 | 1 | 25 | 40 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 5 | 8 | 101 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Fe-males | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | 31 | 6 | 2 | 39 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Workhouse at date | 5 | 1 | 1 | 7 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, 7 | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of August 1914 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. | 59 | 97 | | | | |
| No. II. | 49 | 94 | | | | |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 125 | 208 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 1st day of September 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

A quorum not being present, no meeting was held.

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:

Table with columns for 'REMARKS', 'ADMITTED DURING THE WEEK', 'DISCHARGED DURING THE WEEK', 'TOTAL DISCHARGED AND DIED', and 'REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE'. Includes sub-sections for 'MIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS' and 'OBSERVATIONS'.

RETURN OF DISTRICT PERSONS TOLDED OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of August 1847

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessaries: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Meat, gallon Whiskey, lbs. Barley (Pearl), qts. Newmilk, bots. Wine, lbs. Brown Bread, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Blue, lbs. White Bread, lbs. Onions, Mould Candles, bot. Brandy, Pease (Split), tons Coal, lbs. Beef Juice, Pepper, cwt. Coke, lbs. Butter, 1/2-bots. Porter, lbs. Brown Soap, qts. Buttermilk, brls. Potatoes, Lifebuoy Soap, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Rice, Sunlight Soap, lbs. Carrots, lbs. Sago, White Soap, lbs. Cocoa, Salt, Starch, lbs. Cornflour, Syphons Soda Water, Washing Soda, lbs. Dripping, lbs. Sugar, doz. Eggs, Tea, lbs. Flour, Tobacco, lbs. Jam, Turnips.

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 Clerk who is to copy to the Local Government the following effect: the general Minutes of each Week.

Ardee Union

Finance Meeting held on the day of 1847. The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and audited by the signatures of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sum which had been received during the week ending on the day of 1847 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

Table with columns for 'RECEIPTS' and 'EXPENDITURE'. Includes items like 'Balance on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', 'Total Discharged and Died', 'Remaining on the above date', 'Might Lodgers or Casuals', and 'Total'.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessaries: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Barley (Pearl), lbs. Brown Bread, lbs. White Bread, bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, Butter, pts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Carrots, lbs. Cocoa, lbs. Cornflour, lbs. Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, lbs. Jam, lbs. Lentils, Meat, pts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips.

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:—

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which

had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR. | | |
|---|-----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the day of 19.....
 (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.
 Finance Meeting held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | Total sums received during the month | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----|
| | £ | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | |
| Loans received | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | £ | d. |
|---|---|----|
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | |
| Loans received | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with ...)

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses: (a) Medicines and medical and surgical Appliances, (b) Farm, (c) Other Expenses, (d) Workhouse Bursars, Clerk of the Union, Maintenance in Extern Institutions, Registration Law and other Expenses, Medical Charities, Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers, Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, Superannuation Allowances, Assessment and Resale's Fees of Teachers, Repayment of Loans, Believing Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, Unpaid Bills of last half year, Expenditure out of Loans, Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (Article 7.)

TABLE (II) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due). Includes a small table at the bottom with numerical data.

The following list of books and documents ... 1. The Weekly Meeting Book, 2. The Weekly Meeting and Extra Book, 3. The Inventory Book, 4. The Labour Book, 5. The Out-door Relief List, 6. The Weekly Meeting Book for Out-door Relief, 7. The Weekly Meeting Book for Discharge, 8. The Weekly Meeting Book for Admission and Discharge.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Meeting held the 29th day of September 1914

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. 408 to No. 453
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2269 to No. 2269

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 August 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|---|----|----|---|-----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 21 | 6 | 11 | 16 | 4 | 9 | 38 | 1 | 8 | 15 | 19 | 8 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 18 | 16 | 5 | 19 | 5 | 3 | 684 | |
| Necessaries | 45 | 17 | 9 | 1 | 17 | 7 | 47 | 15 | 4 | 4 | 8 | | 11 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 16 | 2 | | |
| Total | 67 | 4 | 8 | 18 | 12 | 4 | 85 | 17 | | 20 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 23 | 15 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 1 | | 3 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 2
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 5 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : - : -

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,

the 29th day of August 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | TOTAL |
|--|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| | District No. I. £ s. d. | District No. II. £ s. d. | District No. III. £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 3 16 9 | 1 18 . | 2 1 . | 7 15 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 16 . . | 16 . . | 5 . . | 37 . . |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 19 16 9 | 17 18 . | 7 1 . | 44 15 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 10 . | 7 18 . | 2 11 6 | 18 19 6 |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 . | 2 6 . | 2 6 . | 12 6 . |
| 7. Total Relief given | 8 17 6 | 8 0 6 | 2 14 . | 19 12 . |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 10 19 3 | 9 17 6 | 4 7 . | 25 3 9 |
| 9. Total | 19 16 9 | 17 18 . | 7 1 . | 44 15 9 |

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 .. 19 ..

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report : .. day of .. 19 ..

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

.. day of .. 19 ..

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was .. degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on .. days during the week.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—
 The Abstract of the Accounts of the several relieving Officers for the week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1910, was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHIAS | J. FINNEMAN | D. SHALIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 3 16 9 | 1 18 | 2 1 | 7 15 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians | 16 | 16 | 5 | 37 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 19 16 9 | 17 18 | 7 1 | 44 15 9 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:— | | | | |
| The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were | | | | |
| The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was for last week. | | | | |
| The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week. | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Destitute Children boarded out | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | 12 8 |
| 7. Total Reliefs given | 5 12 0 | 3 0 0 | 2 14 | 10 12 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 10 17 3 | 9 17 6 | 7 | 25 5 9 |
| 9. Total | 19 16 9 | 17 18 | 7 1 | 44 15 9 |

By Order of the Board of Guardians, the undersigned, Clerk of the Board, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Report of the Visiting Committee for the week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1910, as submitted to the Board of Guardians.

 Clerk of the Board

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—
 The following Report of the Board of Guardians for the week ending Saturday, the 29th August 1910, was submitted as follows:—

Date of Visit and Report : _____ day of _____ 19

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____ dated _____ 1910, relating to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

_____ day of _____ 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was _____ degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on _____ days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week. The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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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 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 No. : 19 : 19 : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

on the subject, and

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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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 were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, in the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter No. 19 dated 19 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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Minute Book of Trustees of Louth County Board of Health

and their One by the Board of Health

Meeting of Board of Health held on 10th day of August 1914

The Board of Health met at 7:30 P.M. in the Board Room of the County Jail

and were present: Ardee Wilson, Chairman; J. J. ...

and J. J. ...

The first item on the agenda was the report of the Board of Health

for the month of August 1914. The Board reported that the

number of cases of typhoid fever reported during the month

was 12, as compared with 15 for the corresponding month of

July 1914. The number of cases of dysentery reported during

the month was 8, as compared with 10 for the corresponding

month of July 1914. The number of cases of cholera reported

during the month was 5, as compared with 7 for the

corresponding month of July 1914. The number of cases of

typhus fever reported during the month was 3, as compared

with 4 for the corresponding month of July 1914. The

number of cases of malaria reported during the month was

2, as compared with 3 for the corresponding month of July

1914. The number of cases of relapsing fever reported during

the month was 1, as compared with 2 for the corresponding

month of July 1914. The number of cases of plague reported

during the month was 0, as compared with 0 for the

corresponding month of July 1914. The number of cases of

cholera infantum reported during the month was 1, as

compared with 2 for the corresponding month of July 1914.

The total number of cases of all the above mentioned diseases

reported during the month of August 1914 was 32, as

compared with 41 for the corresponding month of July 1914.

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.] Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. 46
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 .. 125
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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 confined was 40. Ditto disallowed. The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1. The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 125. 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 Guardians Acts.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

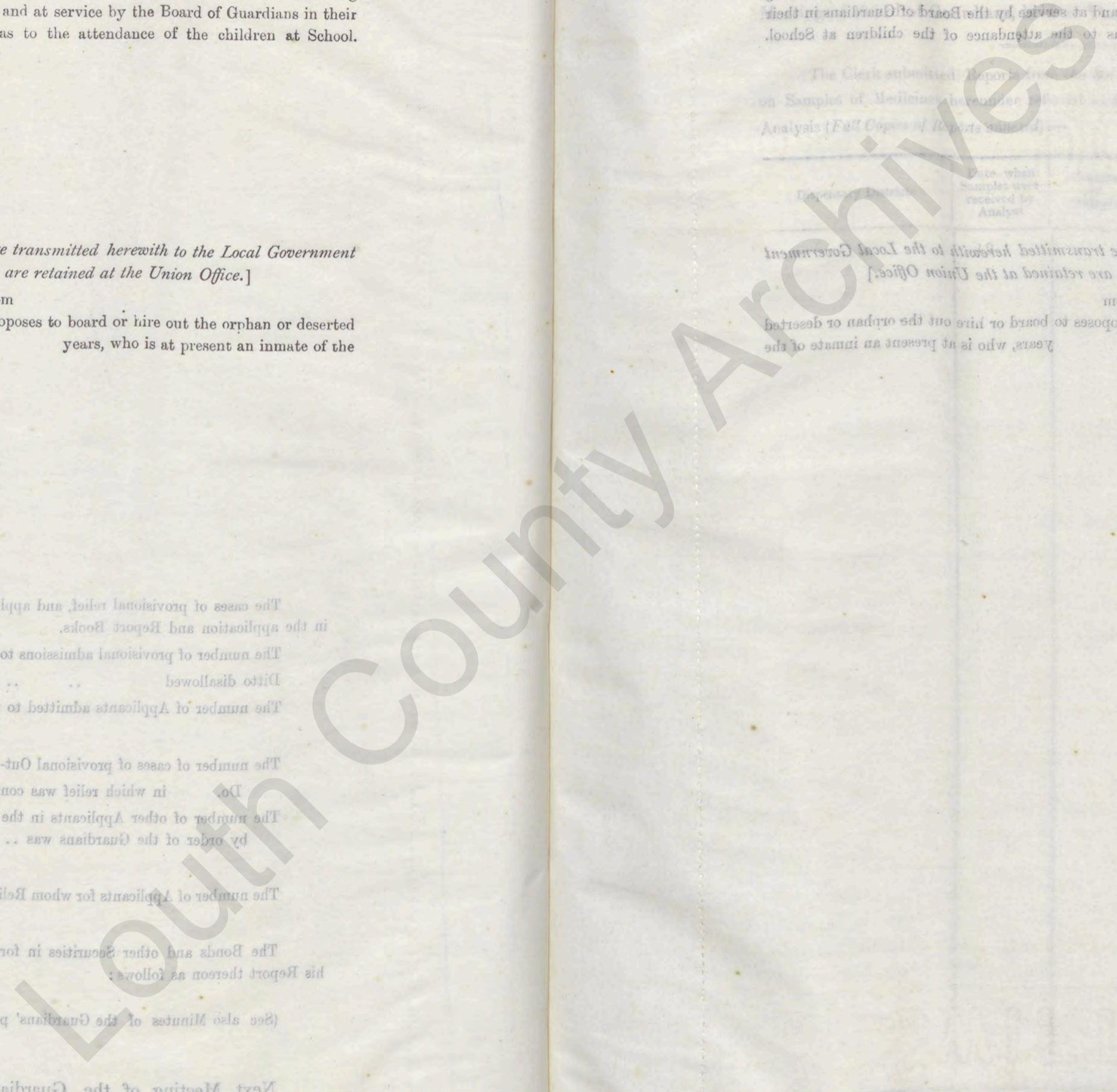
[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

Signed,



ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table listing Dispensary Districts: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Colton No. 2, and Dunleer. Includes columns for Name of District, Name of Report and Observations, and Date when Samples were received by Analyst.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), and Order of Guardians. Entry: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the ... Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Summary table of expenses for each district: Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Colton No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

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Table listing Dispensary Districts: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Colton No. 2, and Dunleer. Includes columns for Name of District, Name of Report and Observations, and Date when Samples were received by Analyst.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), and Order of Guardians. Entry: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the ... Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Summary table of expenses for each district: Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Colton No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:--

- Ardee Dispensary District
Castlebellingham do.
Collon No. 2 do.
Dunleer do.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:--

Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), Order of Guardians. Content: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:--

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:--

Table with 3 columns: District, £, s., d. Total Union ... £ : :

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:--the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):--

Table with 3 columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. The table is mostly empty.

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:--

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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

Letter No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minute of the day on the subject, and

Reports (Form F) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz:—

| District No. | District | Detainers |
|--------------|----------|-----------|
| 1 | | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |
| 4 | | |
| 5 | | |
| 6 | | |
| 7 | | |
| 8 | | |
| 9 | | |
| 10 | | |
| 11 | | |
| 12 | | |
| 13 | | |
| 14 | | |
| 15 | | |
| 16 | | |
| 17 | | |
| 18 | | |
| 19 | | |
| 20 | | |

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—
That the Refusing Officers for the respective Districts notice the detainers to comply with the law.

| District No. | District | Detainers |
|--------------|----------|-----------|
| 1 | | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |
| 4 | | |
| 5 | | |
| 6 | | |
| 7 | | |
| 8 | | |
| 9 | | |
| 10 | | |
| 11 | | |
| 12 | | |
| 13 | | |
| 14 | | |
| 15 | | |
| 16 | | |
| 17 | | |
| 18 | | |
| 19 | | |
| 20 | | |

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1914
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 15th day of April 1914

(Signed) J. J. [Signature]
Chairman of the Board

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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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
| | |
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| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
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were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows :-

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

SEP -8 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 8th day of Sept 1914

(Signed) V. J. Mathews
acting Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £ 95.07 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of September 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 103 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 103 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 5 | 1 | 25 | 40 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 5 | 8 | 101 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 35 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | | 3 | 2 | 5 | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 40 | 13 | 27 | 42 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 159 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 35 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 | 3 | 56 | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 35 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 | 3 | 56 | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 5 | 1 | 24 | 41 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of September 1914 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. | 59 | 97 | | | | |
| No. II. | 49 | 94 | | | | |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 125 | 208 | | | | |

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

the 8th day of September 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.

Other Guardians:— John L. Kieran, Jun., Anthony Malone,
Edward J. Gilliam, Francis M. Gilliam, Peter Kerr, Lucretia J. Caraker, Peter W. Kelly,
and Joseph S. Harman, Esq.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDEE UNION

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

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of August 1914

| REMARKS | Number | Age and Sex | Admitted during the Week | Discharged during the Week | Total |
|--------------------------------|--------|-------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-------|
| Remaining on previous Saturday | 103 | | | | 103 |
| Admitted during the Week | 105 | | 105 | | 208 |
| Discharged during the Week | 105 | | | 105 | 105 |
| Remaining on the above | 103 | | | | 103 |

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:—

| | | |
|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 56 lbs. Arrowroot | 190 lbs. Lentils | 112 ozs. Vinegar |
| 280 „ Bacon | 800 „ Meat | 112 gallon Whiskey |
| 900 „ Barley (Pearl) | 112 qts. Newmilk | 112 bots. Wine |
| 280 „ Brown Bread | 112 ton Oatmeal | 112 lbs. Blue |
| 900 „ White Bread | 112 lbs. Onions | 112 „ Mould Candles |
| 70 bot. Brandy | 112 „ Pease (Split) | 112 tons Coal |
| 160 lbs. Beef Juice | 112 „ Pepper | 112 cwts. Coke |
| 70 „ Butter | 112 ½-bots. Porter | 112 lbs. Brown Soap |
| 160 qts. Buttermilk | 112 brls. Potatoes | 112 „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| 112 lbs. Cabbage | 112 lbs. Rice | 112 „ Sunlight Soap |
| 112 „ Carrots | 112 „ Sage | 112 „ White Soap |
| 112 „ Cocoa | 112 „ Salt | 112 „ Starch |
| 112 „ Cornflour | 112 Syphons Soda Water | 112 „ Washing Soda |
| 40 „ Dripping | 112 lbs. Sugar | |
| 10 doz. Eggs. | 112 „ Tea | |
| 10 lbs. Flour | 112 „ Tobacco | |
| 10 „ Jam | 112 „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 2nd day of September 1914

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of August 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a)

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|------|----|----|
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | 1017 | 14 | 11 |
| Repayment of Relief | 9 | 4 | 9 |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | 3 | 6 | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | 1030 | 5 | 8 |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of August 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| Sundry Accounts, viz. :— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | 99 | 10 | |
| Clothing and Bedding | 9 | 12 | 8 |
| Establishment— | | | |
| (a.) Salaries | 13 | 4 | 4 |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | 6 | 15 | 4 |
| (d.) Other Expenses | 24 | 15 | 7 |
| Workhouse Burials | | 5 | 7 |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | | |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | 1 | 6 |
| Medical Charities | 37 | 4 | |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | 99 | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | 290 | 8 | 5 |

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of August 1914

| | | Ordinary Account. | | | Loans Account. | | |
|---|--|-------------------|----|----|----------------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| SUMMARY. | | | | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | | | | |
| Total sums received during the month | | 1030 | 5 | 8 | | | |
| Total | | 1030 | 5 | 8 | | | |
| Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | 176 | 11 | 11 | | | |
| Payments ordered during the month | | 302 | 10 | 11 | | | |
| Total | | 439 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals) | | 590 | 8 | 9 | | | |
| RECONCILEMENT. | | | | | | | |
| Balance per Bank Book due to Treasurer | | 689 | 4 | 7 | | | |
| Outstanding Orders | | 96 | 15 | 10 | | | |
| Net Balance as above due to the Union | | 590 | 8 | 9 | | | |

Dated this .. day of .. 1914

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.
Meeting held the .. day of .. September 1914

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. 454 to No. 511
Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
Outdoor ,, No. 2269 to No. 2269

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 September 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :-

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | Received during the week | Total | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | Collective No. of Days |
|-------------|--|--------------------------|---------|--------------------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| | | | | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | | |
| Provisions | 19 5 3 | 24 10 6 | 43 15 9 | 17 4 4 | 2 16 9 | 20 1 1 | 23 14 8 | |
| Necessaries | 42 16 2 | 3 5 4 | 42 19 7 | 4 8 1 | 1 12 | 4 19 3 | 38 0 4 | 728 |
| Total | 62 15 | 24 13 11 | 86 15 4 | 21 12 5 | 3 7 11 | 25 0 4 | 61 15 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 2
Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4 : 7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of September 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | | Relieving Officer | | Relieving Officer | | TOTAL | |
|--|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | J. FINNEGAN | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | D. HALLIGAN | D. HALLIGAN | D. HALLIGAN |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. II. | District No. II. | District No. III. | District No. III. | District No. III. | District No. III. |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 10 19 3 | 9 17 6 | 4 7 | | | | | 25 39 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 10 19 3 | 9 17 6 | 4 7 | | | | | 25 39 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 10 | 7 18 | 2 11 6 | | | | | 18 19 6 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | | | | | 12 6 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 8 17 6 | 8 0 6 | 2 14 | | | | | 19 12 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 2 1 9 | 1 17 | 1 13 | | | | | 5 11 9 |
| 9. Total | 10 19 3 | 9 17 6 | 4 7 | | | | | 25 39 |

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 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 7th day of September 1914

We visited the house this morning and found everything very clean and in good order. We also inspected the milk, bread, butter, bacon, &c., and found them all very good. We recommended that the Fever Hospital be whitened, and the Nurses' room distempereed, as there are no patients there at present.

(Signed) P. J. Faragher.
 Anthony Malone
 Francis J. Gilligan
 Peter Kerr.

Approved. ✓

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

7th day of September 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were fortnight were food.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on five days during the week.

Nurse Leolin returned from vacation on the 31st Ult. Nurse McCartney left on 5th instant and Dr. Steen on 7th instant - each on a month's vacation. Owing to the death of my father, I was absent from the house one day last week. Moved by Mr. Faragher, seconded by Mr. Kerr, and Resolved - that we desire to give expression to our regret for the bereavement in the family circle of Mr. Wood, Master of the Workhouse, being to the death of his father, and we tendered him our sincere sympathy for his great loss. Carried unanimously. ✓

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

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19, dated , 19, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject and letters as under, sanctioning payment of the following remuneration:

No. 45851: 1914, dated 31st August 1914 — £3.3.0 a week to D. Mone as temporary Medical Officer of workhouse during D. Steen's vacation of one month; and £1 to D. Mone for assisting at a surgical operation in workhouse.

No. 45779: 1914, dated 3rd September, 1914 — 2/- a night to Mary Kearney as night attendant.

No. 45911: 1914, dated 31st August 1914 — £2 a week to Mr. Vincent J. Matthews for acting as substitute for the Clerk of the Union for three weeks during the absence of the latter on vacation.

Circular no. 46407: 1914, Miscellaneous, dated 1st September, 1914, on the subject of relief to dependents of Soldiers and Sailors on active service.

Resolved — That the proposal of Messrs. C.J.

M. Hugh

M. Hugh & Co, 5 Commercial Buildings, Dame St., Dublin, be accepted for testing samples of tea delivered at the workhouse during the year ending 30th September, 1915, for a fee of £1.1.0.

Resolved — That the proposal of Mr. Thomas Shorkey, Tullaheel, be accepted for taking stock of the provisions, clothing, and other effects at the workhouse on 30th September, 1914, at £2.10.0

Resolved — That the tenders of the following persons for the undermentioned supplies for twelve months from 1st proximo, at the prices stated, be accepted:
Maryford Hagman — Whitebread at 3/6 per 20 lbs; brown bread 2/8 do.

Philip Jay — Neumilk at 8^d per fallon.
Peter Callaghan — Beef and mutton at 7 1/2^d per lb;
bacon 11 1/2^d per lb.

J. V. M. Gullan — groceries, as per tender.
Owen Macdonald — do. do.

Thomas Dolan — groceries, hardware, and sundries, as per tender.

Patrick M. Fee — Hardware and sundries, as per tender.
William Taffe — Clothing materials, timber, oil, and cement, as per tender.

Thomas Taffe — Clothing materials, as per tender.
Thomas Kearney — Leather, &c. do.

Mary A. Jay — Oatstraw at £3 per ton.
John Douglas — Linen at 2/6 per fallon.

Thomas O'Neill — Flaying windows and distampering, as per tender.
Seaf Douglas — Repairing locks and keys at £1.10.0

John Kerr — Repairing roof at £10.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 8th September 1914

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of August 1914 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School,

which were of a satisfactory character

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [redacted] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged [redacted] years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 Outdoor Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the [redacted] day of [redacted] 1914

Signed, Thomas A. Drumfoole Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the [redacted] day of [redacted] 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and discussions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect:—

Letter No. 15 dated 18/10/44 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 10th October, 1944, on the subject, and

Enclosure No. 42056:1944, Miscellaneous, dated 20th August 1944, in respect of medical officers the necessity of exercising economy in the use of certain drugs and dressings the supply of which is scarce on account of the war.

Relieving Officer, Tuam, reported that on the 25th ult. he had to procure the services of Dr. Murray, Dunleer, to assist the acting Medical Officer of the faithballyshan Dispensary District when a patient was a dangerous patient.

Resolved - That Dr. Murray be allowed £2.2.0, as per approved scale.

Reports (Form F) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz:—

| District No. | District | Medical Officers |
|--------------|----------|------------------|
| — | — | — |
| — | — | — |
| — | — | — |
| — | — | — |
| — | — | — |

were laid before the Board and discussions given thereon, as follows:—
That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the details to comply with the law.

Recd
SEP 22 1944

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 19th day of September 1944
(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union

Louth County Archives

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

| | | |
|-------|----------|-------------|
| _____ | District | defaulters. |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| | | |
|-------|-----------|----------|
| _____ | District. | No._____ |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Rev. Foster

SEP 22 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 15th day of September 1914
(Signed) *James H. Drummond*
Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £95,819. 15
STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of Sept. 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. on the above day | 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|----------------------------|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 96 | 51 | 24 | 41 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | 41 | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 96 | 51 | 24 | 41 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | 41 | | |
| Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 5 | 1 | 24 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 31 | 7 | 4 | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | 44 |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 36 | 8 | 28 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 147 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 32 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 | | | 3 | 1 | 51 | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 32 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 | | | 3 | 1 | 51 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 4 | 24 | 39 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 96 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of September 1914 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. | 60 | 98 | | | | |
| No. II. | 47 | 92 | | | | |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 124 | 207 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 15th day of September 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:—
Other Guardians:—
no members of the Board having attended, no meeting was held

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDFE UNION

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

Table with columns for OBSERVATIONS, RETURN ON SIDE AND DEPARTURES, and RETURN ON DESTITUTE PERSONS. Includes sub-tables for Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, and Died.

RETURN ON DESTITUTE PERSONS removed out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 13th

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessaries such as lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Bacon, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, etc., with corresponding quantities.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...

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

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

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

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19... The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same. Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer.

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

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the annual financial minutes of each financial meeting.)

Main financial summary table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account. Includes sections for SUMMARY and RECONCILEMENT.

Dated this... day of 19...

Table of expenses and payments, including Clerk of the Union, Medical Charities, and other Union-related costs.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19... (Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with multiple columns for statistical data, including financial figures and dates.

Table with columns for dates and numerical values, possibly representing a calendar or schedule.

Textual notes and descriptions at the bottom of the page, including references to various accounts and reports.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 22nd day of September 1914

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. 512 to No. 558

Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88

Outdoor ,, No. 2268 to No. 2268

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 September 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|---|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Provisions | 23 | 14 | 8 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 40 | 14 | 10 | 16 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 19 | 12 | 2 | 21 | 2 | 686 |
| Necessaries | 38 | 0 | 4 | 11 | | | 38 | 18 | 4 | 48 | | | 11 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 23 | 19 | 2 | | |
| Total | 61 | 15 | | 28 | 18 | 2 | 79 | 32 | 14 | 64 | 15 | 5 | 33 | 17 | 23 | 41 | 45 | 1 | 10 | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 4
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : : :

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of September 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week ... | 2 19 11 | 17 11 | 15 5 | 5 11 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 1 16 | 5 | 30 | 36 11 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 20 19 17 | 17 6 13 | 44 11 9 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 126 79 | 2 116 18 | 13 | |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ... | 76 | 26 | 26 | 126 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 7 116 2 14 | 19 5 6 | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 11 19 10 | 5 6 3 | 19 25 6 3 | |
| 9. Total | 20 19 17 | 17 6 13 | 44 11 9 | |

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 September 1914

The Outdoor Relief List, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Outdoor Relief in kind, and Receipt 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.
Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 12 day of September 1911

| | W. J. HATHORN | J. FERRELL | D. WALLIGAN | TOTAL |
|--|---------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| 1. Balance in hand at close of previous week | 219.14 | 115. | 511.9 | |
| 2. Money since received by Guardians | 16. | 5. | 39. | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 201.9 | 177.6 | 13.44 | 411.9 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| 4. Out-door relief ordered | 126.79 | 211.10 | | |
| 5. Provisions and Necessaries received during the week | 76. | 25. | 26. | 126. |
| 6. Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was | 9. | 711.6 | 214. | 195.6 |
| 7. School Children were out for exercise and recreation on | 11.9 | 10.5 | 8.19. | 6.3 |
| 8. Total | 201.9 | 177.6 | 13.44 | 411.9 |

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

Date of Visit and Report: 10 day of September 1911

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. dated 1911 referring to

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report : day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the lactometer was for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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 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 No. : 19 dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

on the subject, and

Louth County Archives

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

Louth County Archives

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 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 No. 1 10 , dated 10 , referring to an entry in the Sanctions' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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ARDBEE UNION

Minutes of Proceedings in relation to Children Booked and Brought Out by the Board of Guardians &c

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on THURSDAY, the _____

The Clerk reported that the Board of Guardians had received the following information from the relieving officers...

The Board of Guardians considered the applications for relief and decided on as set forth in the application and Report Books.

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

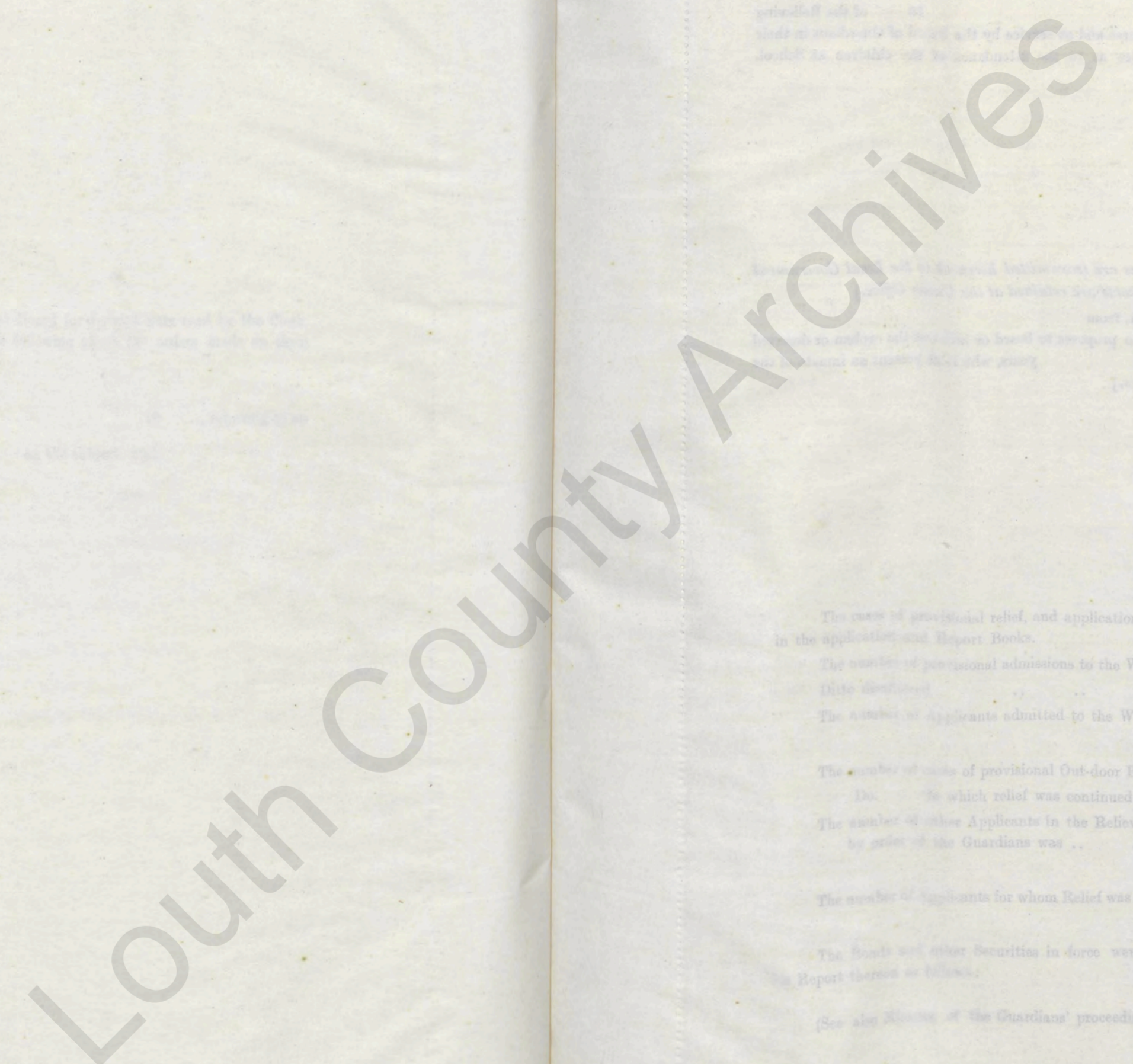
- The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...
- The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...
- The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ...
- Do. to which relief was continued by the Guardians ...
- The number of other Applicants in the Relieving 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 the 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 TUESDAY, the _____

day of _____ 19____
(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.



ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or described child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ... Ditto disallowed ... The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed) ---

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Ardee District | 19__ | ... | 19__ | Estimates of the Medicines, &c. required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same. and directions were given thereon as stated: --- District Gross Cost of Medicines, &c. in Requisition Order of Guardians To be supplied by the Contractor. |
| Castledillonagh District | ... | ... | ... | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied: --- |
| Dunleer District | ... | ... | ... | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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: --- |
| Ardee District | £ ... | ... | ... | |
| Castledillonagh District | £ ... | ... | ... | |
| Dunleer District | £ ... | ... | ... | |
| Total Union | £ ... | ... | ... | |

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed) ---

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Ardee District | 19__ | ... | 19__ | Estimates of the Medicines, &c. required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same. and directions were given thereon as stated: --- District Gross Cost of Medicines, &c. in Requisition Order of Guardians To be supplied by the Contractor. |
| Castledillonagh District | ... | ... | ... | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied: --- |
| Dunleer District | ... | ... | ... | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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: --- |
| Ardee District | £ ... | ... | ... | |
| Castledillonagh District | £ ... | ... | ... | |
| Dunleer District | £ ... | ... | ... | |
| Total Union | £ ... | ... | ... | |

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses.

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Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses.

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MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

- Ardee Dispensary District
Castlebellingham do.
Collon No. 2 do.
Dunleer do.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (pounds, shillings, pence), and Order of Guardians. Content: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with 3 columns: District, Expense amount (£ s d), and Total Union. Rows: Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, Total Union.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with 3 columns: Dispensary District, Name, and Residence. The table is currently empty.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____ : 19 _____, dated _____, 19 _____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

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[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded for the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly viz. on the 1st March, 1st June, 1st September, and 1st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

| District | Detailers |
|----------|-----------|
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were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—
That the Detailing Officers for the respective Districts notice the detailers to comply with the law.

Wm. Forster

SEP 22 1874

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY the 22nd day of September 1874

(Signed) Thomas W. [Name]
Clerk of the Union.

Printed by the [Name] at [Address]

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, as follows:—

Letter No. 19, dated 19th [Month], 1874, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the [Subject]

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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.:-

| |
|----------------------------|
| _____ District defaulters. |
| _____ " " " |
| _____ " " " |
| _____ " " " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| |
|---------------------------|
| _____ District. No. _____ |
| _____ " " _____ |
| _____ " " _____ |
| _____ " " _____ |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

R. Fork

SEP 22 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of September 1914.
(Signed), *James D. Donoghue*
Clerk of the Union.

Dollard's Pen Duplicate Minute Book. Reg. No 45963.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901-14,626. Present Net Annual Value, 95,819 s 15.
STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of September 1914

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 9 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 100 | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 4 | 24 | 39 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 96 | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 47 | 11 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | 4 | 3 | 70 | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 51 | 11 | 26 | 4 | 15 | 2 | 11 | 9 | 166 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 46 | 11 | 1 | 1 | | | 3 | 3 | 65 | | | |
| Died | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 46 | 11 | 2 | 1 | | | 3 | 3 | 66 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 5 | 24 | 40 | 5 | 2 | 11 | 6 | 7 | 100 | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of September 1914 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. | 60 | 98 | | | | |
| No. II. | 47 | 92 | | | | |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 124 | 207 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of September 1914.

PRESENT-In the Chair:- *Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.*
Other Guardians: *John J. Keenan, James D. Donoghue, Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, Eugene J. Carahan, John Darney, John Bowden, James D. Devine, David McQuillan, James Farrell, Peter W. Helle, Joseph S. Harmon, Joseph W. Mahon, Joseph Barry, Matthew J. Martin, James W. Weaver, and Patrick W. Weaver, Esq.*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES. [FORM 14]

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

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Finance Meeting held the... day of... 19... The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) Table with columns for Dr, s, d and rows for County Council Money, Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account, Sales of Offal, Loans received, and Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same. Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer.

TABLE (b) Table with columns for Dr, s, d and rows for Sundry Accounts, Provisions and Necessaries, Clothing and Bedding, Establishment, Salaries, Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, Farm, Other Expenses, Workhouse Burials, Maintenance in Extern Institutions, Emigration Law, Medical Charities, Lunacy Fees, Registration of Births, Superannuation Allowances, Assessment and Results' Fees, Repayment of Loans, Relieving Officers' Accounts, Unpaid Bills, Expenditure out of Loans, and Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

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Ardee Union.

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TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

Main financial summary table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account. Includes sections for SUMMARY, RECONCILEMENT, and a list of expenses below.

- List of expenses: (a) Salaries, (b) Establishment, (c) Provisions and Necessaries, (d) Sundry Accounts, etc.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with multiple columns and rows, containing statistical data and handwritten entries. Includes a date field at the top.

Textual notes and signatures at the bottom of page 221, including a date and a signature.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[Form 4.]
(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).

TOTAL
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Meeting held the 22nd day of September 1914

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. 556 to No. 625
Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
Outdoor ,, No. 2268 to No. 2268

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 September 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Provisions | 21 | 28 | 18 | 17 | 9 | 40 | 05 | 16 | 18 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 19 | 15 | 20 | 55 |
| Necessaries | 33 | 19 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 34 | 27 | 4 | 10 | | 11 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 29 | 15 |
| Total | 55 | 10 | 19 | 1 | 2 | 74 | 3 | 21 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 11 | 24 | 16 | 49 | 60 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 2
Average Cost in Infirmary : 4 : 6 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : : : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of September 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | | | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 11 19 10 | 56 3 19 | 25 6 3 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 11 19 10 | 56 3 19 | 25 6 3 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 12 6 7 | 9 2 11 | 6 18 13 | |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | 2 6 | 2 6 | 12 6 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 11 6 | 2 14 | 19 5 6 | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 2 19 2 | 14 15 | 6 0 9 | |
| 9. Total .. | 11 19 10 | 56 3 19 | 25 6 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 day of 1914

The Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 1914

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 410 dated 19th Sept. 1914 relating to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

22nd day of September 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.2 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on five days during the week.

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

| Calendar Date | Calendar Date | Calendar Date | TOTAL |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------|
| V. J. MATHEWS | J. PINROCK | D. HALLIGAN | |
| 11 | 19 | 1056 | 219 2563 |
| 11 | 19 | 1056 | 319 2563 |

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 4750 : 19 14, dated 12th Sept. 19 14, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

forwarding a copy of a letter which they had received from the Inspector of Lunatics, on the subject of the care and treatment of an imbecile child named Kate Duffey, an inmate of the workhouse. [The letter enclosed in above stated that whilst the Inspector of Lunatics recognised the unsuitability of a workhouse for the care and treatment of imbecile children, they considered a District Asylum would be even more unsuitable for a child of Kate Duffey's age. They could only suggest that the guardians should endeavour to have the child sent to the Stewart Institution for treatment.]

Resolved that as the child is a Roman Catholic, and as the Stewart Institution is conducted on Protestant principles, the guardians find this an obstacle in the way of the child's being sent there.

Letters no. 4823: 1914, dated 17th September, 1914, sanctioning the payment of £2.10.0 to Mrs.

W. Thomas Sharkey for stock taking, and £1.1.0 to Messrs. C. W. Hugh & Co., for tea testing.

Circulars as under:

No. 43622/1914. Miscellaneous, dated 8th September, 1914, on the subject of contracts of local authorities and the Trade Boards Act, 1909.

No. 125/11/1914. Office - dated 14th September, 1914, sending a copy of their Annual Report for 1913-14.

No. 150/11/1914. Dated 9th September, 1914, on the subject of officers of local authorities who enter for military or naval service.

No. 48575: 1914. Miscellaneous - dated 21st September, 1914, on the subject of rates of interest on loans raised by local authorities.

Read letter from Mr. Michael Woods, Master of the Workhouse, dated 22nd September, 1914, thanking the Board for their expression of sympathy on the occasion of his recent family bereavement.

Read letter from Bridget Johnson, workmaid in the infirmary, dated 21st September, 1914, applying for a fortnight's vacation. Allowed, subject to the medical officer's approval. The Board to employ a substitute in her place, if necessary.

Read letter from Messrs. C. W. Hugh & Co., tea testers, dated 14th September, 1914, reporting on samples sent them for examination, and placing that of Mr. P. H. Arden, first. Resolved - that Mr. H. H. H. tender for supplying tea at 1.6 per lb. be accepted.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____
The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____
Officers of the Union on the children placed out as nurse and as servant by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]
The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____
who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____
aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 70 |
| 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 .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 124 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ... Ditto disallowed ... The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|---------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | 19 | | 19 | Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:— |
| | | | | Districts |
| | | | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the _____ half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |
| Ardee District | £ | ... | ... | |
| Castledellingham District | £ | ... | ... | |
| Collon N. District | £ | ... | ... | |
| Dunfer District | £ | ... | ... | |
| Total Union | £ | ... | ... | |

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Minutes of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ of the following Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____ on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Louth County Archives

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of September 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, No. of Samples, No. of Reports. Rows: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), Order of Guardians. Row: Ardee, 18 8 1, To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses (£ s. d.). Rows: Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, Total Union.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. The table is mostly blank with some faint handwriting.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 No. 26547: 19/14, dated 10th Sept, 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and returning the vouchers in respect of the cost of medicines and medical and surgical appliances in this Union during the past half-year.

Read Communication from Messrs. Boyle and Boyd Ltd Contractors for medicine dated 24th August 1914, stating that on account of the war they had been obliged to pay considerably advanced prices for certain drugs, and they asked the Guardians to meet them by allowing them an increase on their contract price.

Resolved - That the Guardians are unable to comply with Messrs Boyle and Boyd's request, at all events at the present time.

Read letter from Dr. Whelan, Medical Officer of the Fonthellinham Dispensary District dated 17th September, 1914, stating that he had a Dispensary patient - M. A. Campbell, of Lyons, a fisher aged about 35 years, daughter of an old-lap pensioner, who had recently, at the expense of a local charitable lady, been sent to a Dublin hospital, where he had been amputated at the knee. The operation had been performed successfully and he was now reported that the Board of Guardians should provide an artificial limb for the fish, which Messrs. Jannin & Co., Dublin, had proposed to make for £10.

Resolved - That the Guardians are willing to expend a sum of £10 in providing the artificial limb for the fish in question, should

Local Government Board sanction the expenditure

These reports (Form B) containing the names of persons vaccinated in the last half year of the quarter ended the 31st of August 1914, from the following Districts were submitted, showing numbers of cases of successful vaccination:—

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 14th day of September 1914. (Signed) Clerk of the Union

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

District defaulters.

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

District No.

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

R. E. Foster

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 29th day of September 1914.

(Signed) *James H. Donoghue*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £75,819 s 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of September 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|--|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 95 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 95 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 5 | 2440 | 5 | 211 | 67 | 100 | | | | | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 23 | 5 | | | | 29 | | | | | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 28 | 524 | 40 | 52 | 11 | 68 | | | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 25 | 5 | 2 | | | 33 | | | | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 25 | 5 | 2 | | | 34 | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 3 | 2240 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 67 | | | | | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of Sept. 1914 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. | 58 | 96 | | | | |
| No. II. | 47 | 92 | | | | |
| No. III. | 17 | 17 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 122 | 205 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 29th day of September 1914.

PRESENT - In the Chair:-

Other Guardians: - No members attending. No meeting was held.

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:

Table with columns: RETIREE OR DESTITUTE PERSONS RELIEVED OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, Total Discharged and Died, Died, Discharged during the Week, Born, Admitted during the Week, Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, and various columns for hospital admissions and discharges.

RETIREE OR DESTITUTE PERSONS RELIEVED OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, as per Relief Lists for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 1874, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessaries: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, lbs. Bacon, Meat, gallon Whiskey, lbs. Barley (Pearl), qts. Newmilk, bots. Wine, lbs. Brown Bread, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Blue, lbs. White Bread, lbs. Onions, Mould Candles, bot. Brandy, Pease (Split), tons Coal, lbs. Beef Juice, Pepper, cwt. Coke, lbs. Butter, 1/2-bots. Porter, lbs. Brown Soap, qts. Buttermilk, brls. Potatoes, Lifebuoy Soap, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Rice, Sunlight Soap, Carrots, Sago, White Soap, Cocoa, Salt, Starch, Cornflour, Syphons Soda Water, Washing Soda, Dripping, lbs. Sugar, doz. Eggs, Tea, lbs. Flour, Tobacco, lbs. Jam, Turnips.

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:

To be kept by the Clerk for forward to the Local Government, but separate from the general Minutes of each Finance Meeting.

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting held the day of 1874. The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

Table with columns: RECEIPTS, PAYMENTS, BALANCE, and various sub-columns for different types of receipts and payments.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessaries: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, lbs. Bacon, Meat, gallon Whiskey, lbs. Barley (Pearl), qts. Newmilk, bots. Wine, lbs. Brown Bread, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Blue, lbs. White Bread, lbs. Onions, Mould Candles, bot. Brandy, Pease (Split), tons Coal, lbs. Beef Juice, Pepper, cwt. Coke, lbs. Butter, 1/2-bots. Porter, lbs. Brown Soap, qts. Buttermilk, brls. Potatoes, Lifebuoy Soap, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Rice, Sunlight Soap, Carrots, Sago, White Soap, Cocoa, Salt, Starch, Cornflour, Syphons Soda Water, Washing Soda, Dripping, lbs. Sugar, doz. Eggs, Tea, lbs. Flour, Tobacco, lbs. Jam, Turnips.

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:—

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | bris. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14]

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

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

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|--|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

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

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES. Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

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

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|--|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

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

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

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

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

Table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account, containing financial data and a reconciliation section.

Table listing various expenses such as Medical and Surgical, Appliances, and Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account, containing financial data and a reconciliation section.

Table listing various expenses such as Medical and Surgical, Appliances, and Clerk of the Union.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 6th day of October 1914

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. 626 to No. 654

Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88

Outdoor ,, No. 2269 to No. 2269

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 Sept 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|---|---|----|----|----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 20 | 5 | 5 | 17 | 2 | 9 | 37 | 18 | 2 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 16 | 9 | 19 | 2 | 3 | 18 | 15 | 11 | 677 |
| Necessaries | 29 | 1 | 5 | 18 | 2 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 11 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 3 | 25 | 0 | 2 | | | | | |
| Total | 49 | 6 | 10 | 35 | 4 | 18 | 42 | 20 | 3 | 27 | 7 | 11 | 24 | 1 | 43 | 16 | 1 | | | | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 3 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4 : 6 1/4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : : :
 Total Relief given

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of September 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 219 | 214 | 15 | 609 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 11 | 16 | 5 | 39 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 2019 | 1814 | 65 | 4509 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 19 | 710 | 2116 | 1106 |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 2 | | | 83 |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 96 | 26 | 26 | 126 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 196 | 710 | 214 | 106 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 112 | 311 | 6 | 429 |
| 9. Total | 2019 | 1814 | 65 | 4509 |

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 1914

Clerk of Union

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

..... day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 26 day of September 1919

| | Mr. J. J. Matthews | Mr. J. J. Matthews | Mr. J. J. Matthews | TOTAL |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------|
| 1. Balance at close of previous week | 219 | 24 | 15 | 609 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians | 16 | 5 | 39 | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 207 | 14 | 65 | 459 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| 4. Out-door labor ordered by Board | 7 | 10 | 2 | 106 |
| 5. The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were | 78 | 25 | 26 | 129 |
| 6. The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was | 196 | 128 | 24 | 149 |
| 7. The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on | 11 | 2 | 11 | 25 |
| 8. The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were | 20 | 9 | 14 | 65 |
| 9. The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were | 20 | 9 | 14 | 65 |

Dated this 26 day of September 1919

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 10 dated 19 relating to an

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: _____ day of _____ 19__

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____, dated _____, 19__, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were _____ day of _____ 19__

The Average Daily Register of Green, as shown by the Lactometer was _____ for last week. The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on _____ days during the week.

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 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 No. _____, dated _____, 19__, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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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 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 No. : 19 dated 19 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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ARMS UNION

Minute Book of Proceedings in relation to Children Inmates
and other matters of the Board of Guardians

Meeting of the Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 2nd day of January 1884
The Clerk submitted Reports for the week ending the 29th ult. in relation to the
admission of Children Inmates and other matters of the Board of Guardians
The Clerk also submitted a Report in relation to the admission of Children Inmates
and other matters of the Board of Guardians
The Board considered the Reports and decided on as set forth
in the Application and Report Books
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 29
Ditto Children
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
Do. of which relief was continued by the Guardians
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved
by order of the Guardians was 121
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
the Report thereon as follows:
(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts.)

The next meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the
day of 1884

(Signed)
Clerk of the Union

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 14th day of January 1911

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of January 1911 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Clerk submitted a Report on the children who were boarded out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts during the month of January 1911.

| Name | Age | Sex | Religion | Profession | Address | Remarks |
|--|-----|-----|----------|------------|---------|---------|
| [The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.] | | | | | | |
| The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.] | | | | | | |
| Order made by Guardians thereon:— | | | | | | |

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 .. | 29 |
| 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 .. | . |
| The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | 121 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 ... 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19 _____ (Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union. Signed, _____ Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations.

Signed

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____ The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations. Includes a summary table at the bottom.

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary District, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, and Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, and Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the ... Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with 4 columns: District, Total Expenses, and Total Union.

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Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, and Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the ... Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with 4 columns: District, Total Expenses, and Total Union.

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Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with 2 columns: Dispensary District, Name. Rows: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with 4 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£, s., d.), Order of Guardians. Content: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with 4 columns: District, Amount (£, s., d.). Rows: Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, Total Union.

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with 3 columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. The table is currently empty.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

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| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Arthur | Dispensary District |
| | Con | do |
| | Colin No. 2 | do |
| | Daniel | do |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c. required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board with requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

| District | Quantity of Medicines, &c. in Requisition | Order of Guardian |
|----------|---|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

| | |
|-------------------------|---|
| Arthur District | £ |
| Conabellingham District | £ |
| Colin No. 2 District | £ |
| Daniel District | £ |
| Total Value | £ |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19, dated 19, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

on the subject, and

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---------------------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19, dated 19, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and



The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and on the subject, and

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated : 18 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers in the District to the Board of Guardians, and are to contain the names of the Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from Reports (Form F) containing the names of successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

Table with columns for District, Report No., Date, and other details. Includes handwritten entries and a large '4' in the top right corner.

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:— That the Religious Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Faded table with columns for District, Report No., Date, and other details. Includes a date stamp 'OCT - 6 1814'.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the day of October 1814 (Signed) Clerk of the Guardians

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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.:—

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:—

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |

Re. Fiske
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 6th day of October 1914

(Signed) *James S. Drumbo*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, 19,119 s/5

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of October 1914

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--|--|-------------------|-------|----|
| | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | | 100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | | 100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | 3 | 22 | 40 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 95 | | | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | 34 | 5 | 3 | 1 | | 2 | | | 46 | | | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 37 | 27 | 43 | 6 | 2 | 12 | 6 | 7 | 141 | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | 28 | 4 | 5 | 3 | | | 1 | | 41 | | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | 28 | 4 | 5 | 3 | | | 1 | | 41 | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | 9 | 2 | 20 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 6 | 100 | | | | | | |
| RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3 rd day of October 1914 | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | 34 | 16 | 2 | 42 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Work-house at date | 9 | 2 | 2 | 13 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, 3 | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of October 1914 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. | 58 | 98 | | | | |
| No. II | 46 | 90 | | | | |
| No. III | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 119 | 203 | | | | |

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

the 6th day of October 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.*

- Other Guardians: *John H. Keegan, Junr.; Richard Stokes, Stephen Leeman, Thomas J. Faragher, Peter M. Kelly, Peter Kerr, Edward M. Gillan, James McGraw, Peter Maguire, John Dowden, Patrick M. Keever, Thomas Keegan, Francis P. Devine, Patrick J. Steen, and Matthew Linton, Esq.*

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:

Table with multiple columns and rows, containing financial or administrative data, possibly related to the Ardee Union. Includes headers like 'REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE' and 'Total Discharged during the Week'.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS DISCHARGED OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE AS BY ROLLED LISTS FOR THE LAST WEEK ENDED SATURDAY THE 19th day of...

Small table with columns for 'Destitute Persons' and 'Total'.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities with handwritten quantities. Items include lbs. Arrowroot, Bacon, Barley (Pearl), Brown Bread, White Bread, bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, Butter, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, Carrots, Cocoa, Cornflour, Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, Jam, lbs. Lentils, Meat, qts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, ozs. Vinegar, gallon Whiskey, bots. Wine, lbs. Blue, Mould Candles, tons Coal, cwts. Coke, lbs. Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) showing financial receipts. Columns: TABLE (a), £, s., d. Items include County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce, Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts, Loans received, Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

[FORM 14]
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the day of 19... (Article 7.)
(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| Total sums received during the month | | | |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

[FORM 14]
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the day of 19... (Article 7.)
(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with ...)

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account, and Union. Rows include SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered) and RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Table listing various expenses: (a) Salaries, (b) Expenses, (c) Medical and Medical and Surgical Appliances, (d) Other Expenses, (e) Loan, (f) Maintenance in External Institutions, (g) Registration Law and other Expenses, (h) Medical Charities, (i) Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers, (j) Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations, (k) Superannuation Allowance, (l) Assessment and Rates, (m) Fees of Teachers, (n) Repayment of Loans, (o) Reverting Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, (p) Unpaid Bills of last half-year, (q) Expenditure out of Loans, (r) Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Clerk of the Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account, and Union. Rows include SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered) and RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due). Includes handwritten entries and a date: Dated this ... day of ... 19...

The Clerk of the Union has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the ... The following ... The ...

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 6th day of October 1914

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. 655 to No. 700
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2269 to No. 2271

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 October 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | | | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Provisions | 18 | 15 | 11 | 17 | 45 | 36 | 0 | 4 | 15 | 1 | 3 | 38 | 10 | 18 | 10 | 1 | 17 | 10 | 3 |
| Necessaries | 25 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 10 | 25 | 19 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 5 | 29 | 20 | 16 | 3 | | |
| Total | 43 | 16 | 1 | 18 | 3 | 6 | 19 | 4 | 19 | 12 | 6 | 3 | 19 | 4 | 23 | 12 | 10 | 38 | 6 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 2
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4 : 9
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,

the 3rd day of October 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | |
|--|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|---------|--|
| | District No. I. £ s. d. | District No. II. £ s. d. | District No. II. £ s. d. | District No. III. £ s. d. | District No. III. £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 11 23 | 11 16 | | 3 11 | | | 25 49 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 11 23 | 11 16 | | 3 11 | | | 25 49 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 7 6 | 3 10 6 | | 2 3 6 | | | 17 19 | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 6 | | | 6 | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | 2 6 | | 2 6 | | | 12 6 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 1 | 7 10 6 | | 2 6 | | | 18 17 6 | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 2 13 | 3 11 | | 1 5 | | | 6 17 3 | |
| 9. Total | 11 23 | 11 16 | | 3 11 | | | 25 49 | |

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 3rd day of October 1914

The Clerk of the Union, Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 6th day of October 1914

We visited the house this morning, and found everything very clean and in good order. The larder inspected the bacon, milk, bread, and meal, also the beef: all are of excellent quality.

Approved: Peter Kerr, Peter Maguire.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

6th day of October 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were fortnight were food.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on five days during the week.

Nurse McFarney returned from vacation on 26th ult.

Bridget Johnston, wardmaid, left on vacation on the 2nd inst., for two weeks. I employedizzie Wright as her substitute, at five shillings per week and ration.

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 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 No. _____, dated _____, 19____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and _____

Read letter from His Eminence Cardinal Hogue, dated 4th October, 1914, acknowledging with thanks the receipt of the Guardians' resolution of condolence on the occasion of the death of His Holiness Pope Pius X.

Read letter from Miss Pratt Red House, Ardee, local honorary secretary and treasurer of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, dated 5th October, 1914, soliciting a subscription from the Board of Guardians towards the funds of that Society.

Resolved—That this Board give a subscription of £2 to the funds of the National Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Children, subject to the sanction of the Local Government Board.

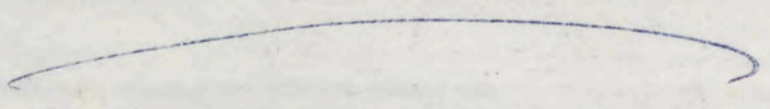
Resolved—

Resolved—That the case of four children named Gillespie, whose father is serving in the army and who have been deserted by their mother, and who are at present inmates of this workhouse, be brought under the notice of the local committee of the Prince of Wales' Relief Fund.

Read letter from Relieving Officer Tunngpan, dated 6th October, 1914, stating that he was too ill to attend the Guardians' meeting to-day, and that he would furnish a doctor's certificate

moved by Mr. Kerr—That we, the Ardee Board of Guardians, do hereby thank sincerely Mr. John Redmond and his party, especially Joe Bolan, for placing the Home Rule Bill on the Statute-Book; and that we still promise him and Mr. Laghith our continued support, and will do our utmost to wipe out that arch-devil the Kaiser.

Carried unanimously.



Resolved - That the Local Government Board for Ireland, were laid before the Board, ...
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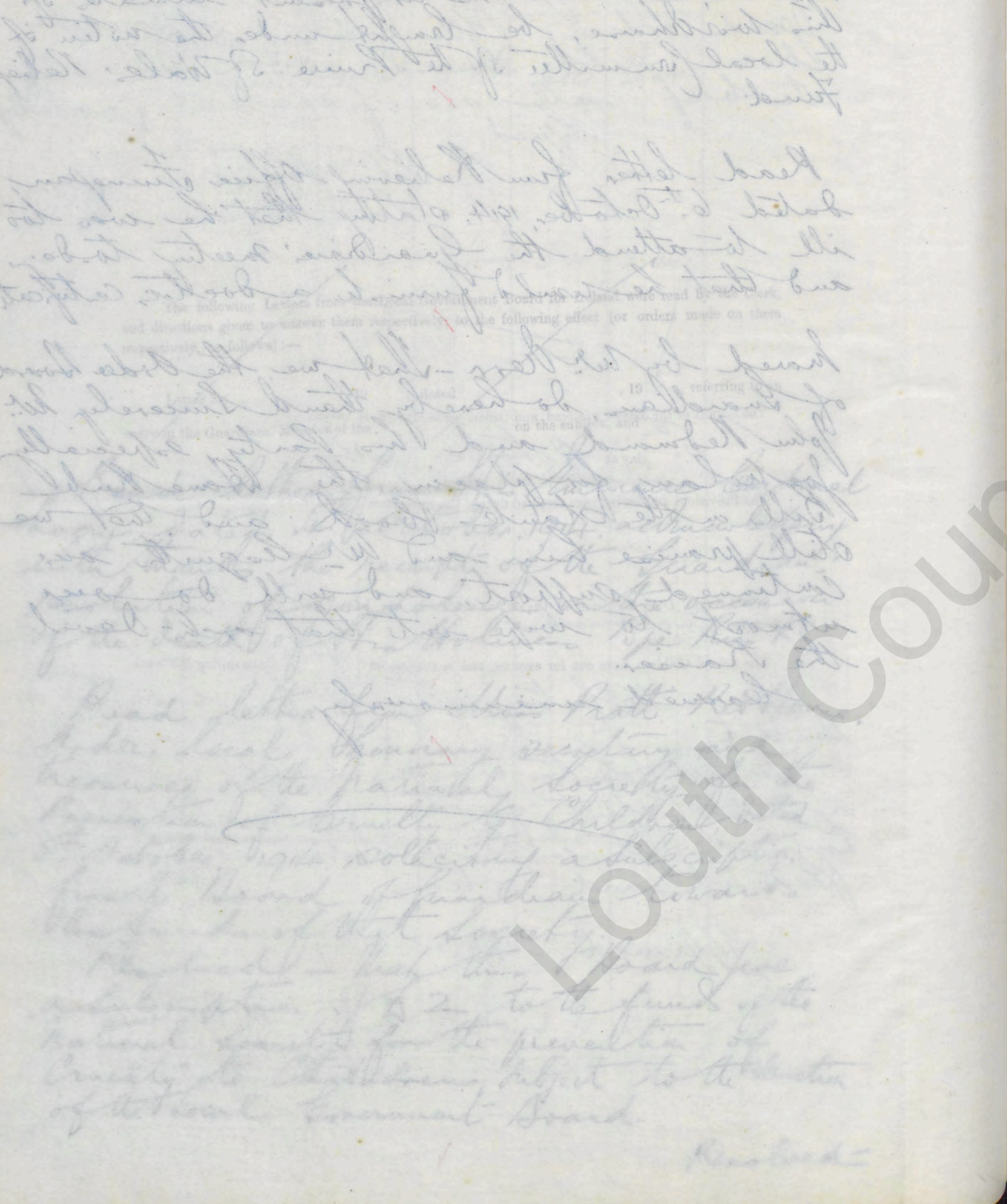
Resolved

Minutes of the Board of Directors of the ...
 and ...

The ...
 The ...
 The ...

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on ...
 day of ...

...



Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on THURSDAY the 19th of October 1890

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of September 1890 of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at school by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at school, which were of a satisfactory nature.

The Report received from the Relieving Officers in respect of the children placed out at nurse and at school was of a satisfactory nature. The Report and School Attendance Certificates were transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

of Medicine
of Gravity
of Street
of Roads
of Volume
of Observations
of Name of Member
of Age
of Sex
of Religion
of Occupation
of Residence
of Date of Birth
of Date of Admission
of Date of Discharge
of Date of Death

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 | 46 |
| 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 | 118 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 6th October 1914

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of September 1914 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates, as to the attendance of the children at School, which were of a satisfactory character.

[No report received from Relieving Officer Finigan, who excused his absence from the meeting on the ground of illness.]

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from of child who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted aged years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued 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 Tuesday, the

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

WALTER THORP, B.Sc. (London), F.I.C.,
B.Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S.
Government and Public Analyst.
OFFICE HOURS—10 to 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

Dublin, 26th Sept 1914

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Ardee Union Ardee Dispensary, and received by me on 19th Sept 1914
Drugs received in Stock 16th Sept 1914
Report Signed 26th Sept 1914

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

- | | | Standards. |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Name of Medicine | <u>Nitrous Specie</u> | |
| Specific Gravity | <u>1.00</u> | <u>0.999 to 1.001</u> |
| Extract | <u>4.24</u> grammes in 100 c.c. | <u>3</u> |
| Alkaloids | <u>0.158</u> " " " | <u>0.1 to 0.125</u> |
| Alcohol by volume | <u>77</u> | <u>15</u> |
| Observations | <u>Genuine.</u> | |
| 2. Name of Medicine | <u>Finet Nour Nour</u> | |
| Specific Gravity | <u>0.917</u> | <u>0.906 to 0.919</u> |
| Extract | <u>3.16</u> grammes in 100 c.c. | <u>2</u> |
| Alkaloids | <u>0.258</u> " " " | <u>0.2 to 0.3</u> |
| Alcohol by volume | <u>64.05</u> | <u>62</u> |
| Observations | <u>Genuine.</u> | |
| 3. Name of Medicine | <u>Spt Nitrous Nitrate</u> | |
| Specific Gravity | <u>0.840</u> | <u>0.838 to 0.842</u> |
| Extract | grammes in 100 c.c. | |
| Alkaloids | " " " | |
| Alcohol by volume | <u>500 = 22.5 cc Nitric Oxide</u> | |
| Observations | <u>Genuine.</u> | |
| 4. Name of Medicine | | |
| Specific Gravity | | |
| Extract | grammes in 100 c.c. | |
| Alkaloids | " " " | |
| Alcohol by volume | | |
| Observations | | |

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

Signed, Walter Thorp F.I.C.

Dublin, 19th Oct 1914

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from [illegible] Dispensary, and received by me on [illegible] 1914. Drugs received in Stock [illegible] 1914. Report signed [illegible] 1914. I have examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results

| Name of Medicine | Specific Gravity | Extract | Alkaloids | Alcohol by volume | Observations |
|------------------|------------------|---------------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| [illegible] | 1.00 | Grammes in 100 c.c. 4.84 | " " 0.105 | " " 75% | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | Grammes in 100 c.c. 3.16 | " " 0.105 | " " 75% | [illegible] |
| [illegible] | [illegible] | Grammes in 100 c.c. 0.870 | " " 0.105 | " " 75% | [illegible] |

These Samples were carefully put up and labelled in accordance with the Local Government Board's instructions. Signed, [illegible]

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the 16th day of October 1914.

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|-----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Castledillon District | 19/11 | 3 | 19/11 | All pronounced to be genuine. |
| Dunlee District | | | | |
| Colton N. District | | | | |
| Total Union | | | | |

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 6th day of October 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Nature of Report and Observations. Includes entries for Ardee, Castlebellingham, and Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (pounds, shillings, pence), Order of Guardians. Includes entry for 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Total Expenses (£ s d). Includes entries for Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

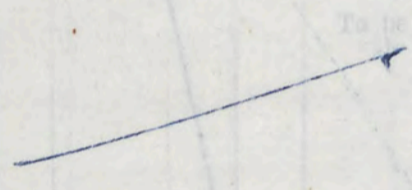
Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. The table is mostly blank with some faint handwriting.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 50,972/19 dated 5th Oct. 1914 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 22nd Oct. on the subject, and requesting

that the maker's estimate and specification of an artificial limb proposed to be supplied by the guardians to a despondent patient named W. A. Campbell might be forwarded to that Department.
Ordered - That Messrs. Jannin & Co., Dublin, be requested to supply the information required by the Local Government Board.

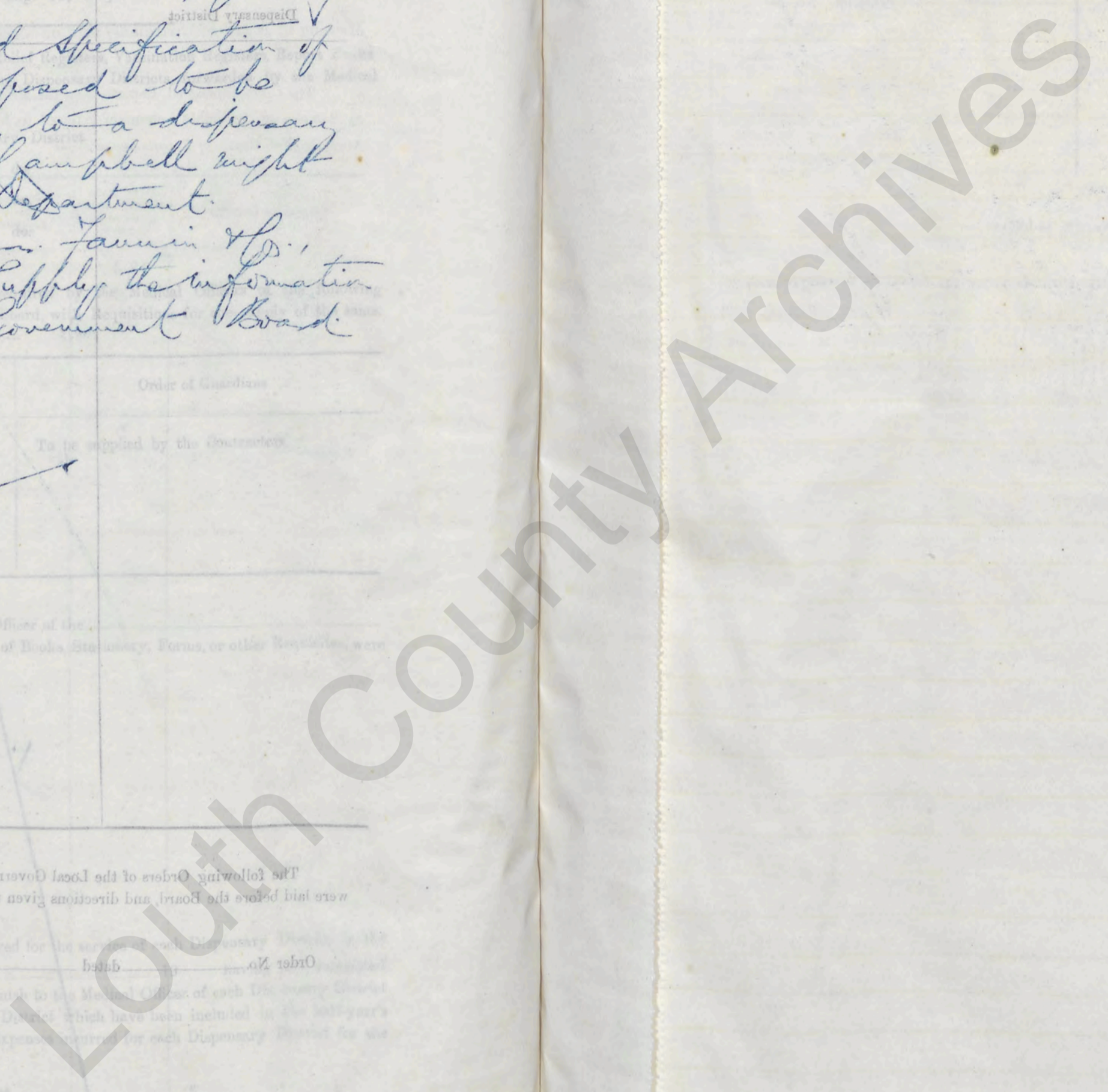


On the application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

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

| Order No. | Date | Subject |
|-----------|------|---------|
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| | | |

Total Union



The following letters from the Local Government Board (as printed) were read by the Clerk and directions given in answer thereon respectively to the following effect or order made on them respectively as follows:—

Letter No. 50972, dated 5th Oct. 1914, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 22nd Oct. on the subject and reporting

that the maker, a natural and specification of an artificial limb proposed to be supplied by the Board, to a suppurating patient, named W. A. Campbell might be forwarded to that Department. It is ordered that Mr. J. J. Fox, of Dublin be requested to supply the information required by the Local Government Board

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded to the Board of Guardians by the Medical Officers of the Districts, via:— Districts, via:—] 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 date of their birth, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations:—

| District | Medical Officer | Number of successful vaccinations |
|----------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|
| District | Medical Officer | Number of successful vaccinations |
| District | Medical Officer | Number of successful vaccinations |
| District | Medical Officer | Number of successful vaccinations |
| District | Medical Officer | Number of successful vaccinations |

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:— That the Medical Officers for the respective Districts notice the details to comply with the law.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the day of October 1914 (Signed) Clerk of the Board

Louth County Archives

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

| | | |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| District defaulters. | <i>J. the bellman</i> | District No. <i>9</i> |
| " | " | " |
| " | " | " |
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Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half year or quarter ended the last day of *Sept.* 19*14* from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on **TUESDAY**, the *13th* day of *October* 19*14*.

(Signed) *James C. Dunfords*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901—14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, *£9,819 15*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *10* day of *October* 19*14*

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | | | | | Boys and Girls above 15 years of age | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|------|-------|------|------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|--|-------------------|--|-------|--|----|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 97 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 97 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 9 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 9 | 6 | 7 | 100 | | | | | | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 53 | 8 | 4 | | 4 | | | | | 69 | | | | | | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 62 | 10 | 24 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 6 | 7 | 169 | | | | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 5 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | | | | 71 | | | | | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 55 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | | 72 | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 7 | 2 | 21 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 97 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Under Medical treatment in Infirmaries, Wards, and Fever Hospital | | In separate Wards, with other inmates | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | | TOTAL | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | | Females | | Children under 15 | | TOTAL | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | | 5 | | 3 | | 4 | | 65 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Work-house at date | | 7 | | 2 | | 2 | | 11 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, | | | | | | 7 | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *10* day of *October* 19*14* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief Districts | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 lbs., & 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. | 59 | 99 | | | | |
| No. II. | 46 | 90 | | | | |
| No. III. | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 120 | 204 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on **TUESDAY**, the *13* day of *October* 19*14*

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.*
Other Guardians: *John A. Kieran, Jun.; Peter W. Kelly, James McKeever, James M. Gillan, Joseph S. Meafe, Thomas Brennan, Richard Stokes, John Sinden, and John Harvey, Esq.*

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

Table with columns for 'REMARKS ON THE ABOVE', 'Discharged during the Week', 'Admitted during the Week', and 'Remaining on previous Saturday'. Includes handwritten entries for various categories.

REMARKS ON THE ABOVE: Discharged during the Week, Admitted during the Week, Remaining on previous Saturday...

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities with handwritten quantities. Columns include items like Arrowroot, Bacon, Barley, Brandy, Butter, etc., and their respective amounts.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

[FORM 14] (Article 7.) Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 13th day of October 1914

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of September 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) showing financial receipts. Columns include item descriptions, £, s., and d. Total amount of Lodgments as above: £2 16.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of September 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b) showing financial expenditures. Columns include item descriptions, £, s., and d. Total Amount of Payments ordered as above: £898 7.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of September 1914

| | Ordinary Account. | | | Loans Account. | | |
|---|-------------------|----|----|----------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| SUMMARY. | | | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement | 590 | 9 | | | | |
| Total sums received during the month | 216 | 9 | | | | |
| Total | 593 | 4 | 9 | | | |
| Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | | | |
| Payments ordered during the month | 290 | 5 | | | | |
| Total | 290 | 5 | | | | |
| Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals) | 302 | 16 | 4 | | | |
| RECONCILEMENT. | | | | | | |
| Balance per Bank Book due Treasurer | 122 | 6 | 2 | | | |
| Outstanding Orders | 119 | 9 | 10 | | | |
| Net Balance as above due the Union .. | 302 | 16 | 4 | | | |

Dated this .. day of .. 1914

Clerk of the Union.

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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 13 day of October 1914

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. 701 to No. 769

Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88

Outdoor ,, No. 2272 to No. 2272

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 10 day of Oct 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|----------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | |
| Provisions .. | 17 | 10 | 3 | 27 | 18 | 11 | 45 | 9 | 2 | 18 | 9 | 2 | 14 | 8 | 21 | 3 | 10 | 24 | 5 | 4 | |
| Necessaries .. | 20 | 6 | 3 | 13 | 6 | | 21 | 9 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 19 | 2 | 16 | 10 | 7 |
| Total .. | 38 | 6 | 6 | 27 | 12 | 5 | 66 | 18 | 11 | 22 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 18 | 1 | 26 | 3 | 40 | 15 | 11 | 668 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 0
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 4 : 11 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : - : -

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,

the 10th day of October 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | District No. III. | £ | s. d. | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 213 | 511 | 15 | 613 | | | 613 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 9 | 8 | 4 | 21 | | | 21 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 1113 | 1111 | 55 | 2773 | | | 2773 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 918 | 78 | 236 | 1896 | | | 1896 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 76 | 26 | 26 | 126 | | | 126 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 956 | 706 | 26 | 192 | | | 192 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 1109 | 406 | 219 | 8153 | | | 8153 |
| 9. Total .. | 1113 | 1111 | 55 | 2773 | | | 2773 |

Did not submit in book.

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 10th day of October 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 13th day of October 1914.

The Chairman and Mr. Stokes reported that some of the paths in the infirmary yard required to be improved, also some of the consumptive sheds. Ordered—That the Guardians Architect be requested to prepare a specification for the required improvements.

Wm. L. Hall 1041
14/10/14

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

13th day of October 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were *good.*

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.2 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on *six* days during the week.

Dr. Speer returned from vacation on the 9th inst. and resumed duty.

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

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes and text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 5255^t : 19th dated 9th October, 1914, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 6th inst. on the subject, and sanctioning the payment of five shillings a week, with rations, to Miss Wright for acting as temporary wardmaid.

Read communication from W. J. A. Reddy, local government auditor dated 12th October, 1914, appointing the 22nd inst. for the audit of the Union accounts for the half year ending 31st March 1914.

Ordered - that notice be issued to the Guardians that the question of introducing electric light into the workhouse will be considered on this day fortnight, and that an estimated be invited from the local Electric Lighting Co. showing the probable cost of the installation.

Relieving Officer Finnegan did not attend the meeting this day, and furnished

furnished no explanation as to the cause of his absence.

The Board decided to suspend him for a month.

His sureties - Messrs. James J. McGee, J. P. Roodstown, and Joseph Meehan, Cappoge - attended the meeting, and arranged with the Guardians that they would be responsible for the discharge of the duties of the Relieving Officer during the month whilst he was under suspension, on the expiration of which such steps could be taken as would seem advisable to the Guardians.

The Board of the [unclear] for Ireland were laid before the Board.
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Read Commission report from Mr J. J. Kelly, Public Accountant, dated 12th October, 1911, regarding the 22nd instalment for the credit of the Main Account for the half year ending 31st March, 1911.

Ordered - that notice be issued to the Guardian, that the question of introducing electric light into the workhouse, will be considered on the day of next meeting, and that an estimate be invited from the local electric light works, showing the probable cost of the installation.

Relieving Officer, Fermoy, did not attend the meeting this day, and [unclear]

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| The [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] | |
| The [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] | 69 |
| The [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] | |
| The [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] | 120 |
| The [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] [unclear] | |
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JOHN McDONNELL

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.] The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | .. | .. | 69 |
| | | | |
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians .. | .. | .. | 120 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued 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 Act.)

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

day of _____ 19__
Clerk of the Union.

Signed, _____
Clerk of the Union

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Table with columns for Name of Applicant, Age, Sex, and other details. The table is mostly blank with some faint text visible.

Signed, _____
Clerk of the Union

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 13th day of October 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:

| Dispensary District | Collon No. 2 | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | No. of Samples |
|---------------------|--------------|--|----------------|
| Castlebellingham | do | do | do |
| Dunleer | do | do | do |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|------------------------------------|
| | £ s. d. | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |

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

Order No. _____, dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 19, dated 19, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

(No communications.)

On the application of the Medical Officers of the Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

| District | Order of Guardians |
|----------|-----------------------------------|
| | To be supplied by the Contractors |

On the application of the Medical Officers of the Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

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

Order No. 19, dated 19, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

| | |
|----------------------|---|
| Ards District | £ |
| Castlemaine District | £ |
| Colin North District | £ |
| Donny District | £ |
| Total Value | £ |

South County Archives

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
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Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
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were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows :-

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

John Foster

OCT 20 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 20th day of October 1914

(Signed) *James M. Dunlop*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £95,819 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of October 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | Boys and Girls above 15 years of age | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 110 | 72 | 21 | 36 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 97 | 49 | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 110 | 72 | 21 | 36 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 97 | 49 | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 7 | 2 | 21 | 36 | 7 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 97 | 49 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 21 | 11 | 5 | 7 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 1 | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 35 | 13 | 26 | 43 | 11 | 2 | 13 | 7 | 15 | 8 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 29 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 3 | | 2 | 1 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 29 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 3 | | 2 | 1 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 6 | 3 | 24 | 42 | 8 | 2 | 11 | 6 | 8 | 110 | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of October 1914 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 | 59 | 99 | | | | |
| No. II | 46 | 90 | | | | |
| No. III | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 121 | 205 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 20th day of October 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair: - *Sir A. Vere Foster Bart.*

Other Guardians: *John C. Kieran Junr, Richard Stollo, Matthew Downey, Peter Maffin, Edward M. Gullan, Peter Kerr, James D. Devine, Joseph S. Harmon, Stephen Feehan, James Karahan, Peter W. O'Keefe, James W. Keever, Joseph S. Magee, John Dowden, James Gammal, Patrick W. Keever, James M. Gullan, James Brennan, Matthew Clinton, and Patrick J. Steen, Esq.*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDEE UNION

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

Table with multiple columns: REMAINING ON THE ABOVE, Total Discharged and Died, Died, Discharged during the Week, BORN, etc. Includes handwritten entries.

REMARKS on Descriptions referred out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of ...

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, ,, Bacon, ,, Meat, gallon Whiskey, ,, Barley (Pearl), qts. Newmilk, bots. Wine, ,, Brown Bread, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Blue, ,, White Bread, lbs. Onions, ,, Mould Candles, bot. Brandy, ,, Pease (Split), tons Coal, lbs. Beef Juice, ,, Pepper, cwts. Coke, ,, Butter, 1/2-bots. Porter, lbs. Brown Soap, qts. Buttermilk, brls. Potatoes, ,, Lifebuoy Soap, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Rice, ,, Sunlight Soap, ,, Carrots, ,, Sago, ,, White Soap, ,, Cocoa, ,, Salt, ,, Starch, ,, Cornflour, Syphons Soda Water, ,, Washing Soda, ,, Dripping, lbs. Sugar, doz. Eggs, ,, Tea, lbs. Flour, ,, Tobacco, ,, Jam, ,, Turnips

[FORM 14] TABLE (B) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) Table with columns: TABLE (a), £, DR s., d. Rows include: County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce, Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts, Loans received, Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

[FORM 14] Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Ardee Union. Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19... The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows: TABLE (a) Total sums received during the month... County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians... Repayment of Relief... Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce... Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts... Loans received... Total amount of Lodgments as above... The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same. Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer. TABLE (b) Sundry Accounts, viz.:— Provisions and Necessaries... Clothing and Bedding... Establishment— (a.) Salaries... (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances... (c.) Farm... (d.) Other Expenses... Workhouse Burials... Maintenance in Extern Institutions... Emigration Law and other Expenses... Medical Charities... Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers... Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations... Superannuation Allowances... Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers... Repayment of Loans... Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief... Unpaid Bills of last half-year... Expenditure out of Loans... Total Amount of Payments ordered as above...

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Ardee Union.

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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19...

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account, Union. Rows include: Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Total sums received during the month, Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Payments ordered during the month, Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals), RECONCILEMENT, Balance per Bank Book due Treasurer, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due to the Union.

Dated this... day of... 19...

Table listing various expenses: (c) Farm Appliances, (d) Other Expenses, Workhouse Burials, Clerk of the Union, Maintenance in External Institutions, Immigration Law and other Expenses, Medical Charities, Laundry Fees to Medical Officers, Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages and of Vaccinations, Superannuation Allowances, Assessment and Health Fees of Teachers, Repayment of Loans, Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, Unpaid Bills of last half-year, Expenditure out of Loans, Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19...

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account, Union. Rows include: Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Total sums received during the month, Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement, Payments ordered during the month, Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals), RECONCILEMENT, Balance per Bank Book due Treasurer, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due to the Union.

Table with columns: Dated this... day of... 19... and numerical data rows.

Textual notes and signatures at the bottom of the page, including a date '17th October 19...' and various handwritten entries.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[Form 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 20th day of October 1914

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. 770 to No. 830
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2272 to No. 2273

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 October 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 24 | 5 | 4 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 43 | 6 | 4 | 20 | 14 | 2 | 14 | 8 | 22 | 16 | 20 | 10 | 4 | | |
| Necessaries | 16 | 10 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 10 | 17 | 14 | 5 | 4 | 16 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 14 | 2 |
| Total | 40 | 15 | 11 | 20 | 4 | 10 | 61 | 0 | 9 | 24 | 18 | 2 | 3 | 18 | 12 | 16 | 3 | 32 | 4 | 6 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 5 : 0 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of October 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. PINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|---------|----|----|----|---|
| | District No. I. £ s. d. | | District No. II. £ s. d. | | District No. III. £ s. d. | | £ s. d. | | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 1 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 8 | 15 | 3 | | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 8 | .. | 16 | .. | .. | .. | 34 | .. | .. | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 19 | 15 | 20 | 0 | 2 | 19 | 42 | 15 | 3 | | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 | 18 | 7 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 18 | 12 | .. | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 12 | 6 | .. | | |
| 7. Total Relief given .. | 9 | 5 | 7 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 19 | 4 | 6 | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 10 | 10 | 3 | 12 | 10 | .. | 10 | 6 | 23 | 10 | 9 |
| 9. Total .. | 19 | 15 | 9 | 12 | 10 | .. | 2 | 19 | 42 | 15 | 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.....day of.....19

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 20th day of October 1914

We visited the house this morning, and found everything clean and in good order. We also inspected bread, bacon, meat, eggs, meal, butter &c, and found them of good quality. We also approve of the arrangements made so far to accommodate the Belgian refugees.

Signed,
John F. Keenan
Matthew Downey
Peter Kerr.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

20th day of October 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were food.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.6 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on four days during the week.

Bridget Johnston, woodmaid in the infirmary, returned from vacation on the 16th instant, and in that date the Service of Lizzy Wright, her substitute, were dispensed with.

The Station resumed duty on the 19th instant.

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 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 No. 167 M. Misc. dated 15th October, 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the Board, on the subject of a telegram sent by them to the Clerk of the Union, on that day, and stating that the Government were anxious to obtain immediate accommodation for a large number of Belgian refugees, and that that Board had been requested to assist in that task, and to ascertain if the Board of Guardians of this Union could find room for those unfortunate people in the workhouse. — The rates payable would be reimbursed for all expenses incurred. — The Local Government Board requested that the matter might be considered by the Guardians.

The Clerk reported that on the 15th instant he received a telegram from the Local Government Board in advance of, and to the same effect as the above-noted letter; and, with the approval of the Chairman of the Board of Guardians (with whom he had communicated) it was provisionally arranged that about sixty of the Belgian refugees could be accommodated in the workhouse, and

and he so informed the Local Government Board by telegram.

On the following day the Right Hon. Augustine Dwyer, K.C.M.G., Chief Secretary for Ireland, and Sir Henry A. Robinson, P.C. & K.C.B., President and Vice-President, respectively, of the Local Government Board, paid a visit to the workhouse inspected the apartments, which were available for the refugees, and consulted with the officials regarding the necessary arrangements.

At the desire of the Chairman, the (the Clerk) had convened this meeting specially to consider the matter.

Resolved, That the Local Government Board be informed that the Board of Guardians cordially confirm the arrangements provisionally made by the Chairman and the officials to receive a number of the Belgian refugees into the workhouse, and we shall be glad to receive as many as we can find accommodation for.

Letter No. 53,473:1914, dated 16th October, 1914, stating that they considered it advisable that notice should be given to each guardian before the Board adopted the proposal to subscribe to the fund of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. Notice to be given accordingly.

Letter No. 53473:1914, dated 15th October, 1914, sending questions for answer respecting the person temporarily taking the place of relieving officer Finneyan. To be furnished.

Submitted Specification furnished by Mr. Cahill, C.E., Keshmarr, Thurles, for improving the

The consumptive sheds and laying concrete paths in the infirmary yard.

Ordered that tenders be invited for carrying out the work to be considered on the 10th proximo.

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text covering the majority of the page.]

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Admitted by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 10th proximo.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of ... of the following ... Officers of the Union on the children placed out as nurses and as servants by the Board of Guardians in their respective districts, also School Teachers' Certificates, as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates were transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.

| Name | Age | Sex | Religion | Profession | Place of Birth | Place of Residence | Particulars of Status |
|---|-----|-----|----------|------------|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| The Clerk submitted an application in Form A from ... who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted ... years, who is at present an inmate of the ... workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with 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 ... 61

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 ... 121

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 TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... (Signed), Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 20th October 19 14

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from of who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Read letter from the local Government Board No. 45,851, 1914, dated 16th Oct., inquiring whether foster homes had yet been found for two of the workhouse children, referred to in the minutes of the 25th August last.

Resolved, to inform the local Government Board that the Relieving Officers have not yet been able to find homes for the children in question.

Read letter from same No. 52,270, 1914, dated 16th October, 1914, forwarding the substance of a report which they had received from their Inspector, Miss Browne, on the condition of the children boarded out from the workhouse, and requesting that the matter advertised to therein might receive the Guardians' attention.

[Copy of Report annexed.] Resolved - That the Guardians have considered Miss Browne's Report, and beg to state that

(1) They will have the child Annie Callaghan medically

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the day of 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|

| | | | | |
|--|----|--|----|--|
| | 19 | | 19 | |
|--|----|--|----|--|

Medically examined. With regard to this child, the workhouse officials deny that she was sent out of the workhouse with her head in a verminous condition, and they state also that the clothing which she had when going out was new and sufficient.

(2) The child Philomena Woldan will be also medically examined.

(3) The Guardians are willing to raise, the s. d. maintenance allowance for children from 2.6 to 3.0 a week, and to bear the expense of the making of the girls' clothing.

(4) Winter overcoats will be provided for the children.

(5) The Relieving Officers have been entrusted to be on the look-out for suitable foster parents for the two boys who are eligible for boarding-out.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 20th day of October 1914.

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were taken by Analyst | No. of Samples | Analyst |
|---------------------|---|----------------|---------|
| Ardee | do. | do. | do. |
| Castlebellingham | do. | do. | do. |
| Collon No. 2 | do. | do. | do. |
| Dunleer | do. | do. | do. |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition £ s. d. | Order of Guardians |
|--------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Collon No. 2 | 10 2 9 | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Collon No. 2 Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

- 1 ton of coal for Drumcree Dispensary
- 15 cwt. do. for Syddan do.
- 2 gal. Paraffin oil for do. do.
- 15 cwt. coal for Garageeth do.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—

The Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

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| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---------------------|
| | | |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites were ordered to be supplied:—

| District | Quantity of Requisites, in Approximate | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|----------------------------------|
| | 10, 2, 9 | To be supplied by the Guardians. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites were ordered to be supplied:—

- 15 lbs Coal for Derry under Dispensary
- 15 lbs Coal for Derry under Dispensary
- 2 lbs Coal for Derry under Dispensary
- 15 lbs Coal for Derry under Dispensary

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

An Account of the ... in the ... District ...

Order No. _____ dated _____

The Clerk was directed to furnish to the Board a return of the ... for each Dispensary District ... in the half year ...

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
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| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 54,429: 1914, dated 19th October, 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 22nd Oct. on the subject, and stating that they were of opinion that the proposal of the Guardian, to provide an artificial limb for a Dispensary patient named Mary A. Campbell at a cost of £10 should be considered after the usual 14 days' notice. Ordered accordingly.

Submitted Circulars as under:
No. 50431: 1914, dated 15th October, 1914, on the subject of the effect of the war on medicine contracts.

No. 164 M/1914, dated 16th October, 1914, on the subject of the necessity for special attention on the part of the Guardians in administering the Vaccination Acts so as to be prepared to meet an epidemic of small-pox, should it be introduced into this country.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk...

Letter No. 54429, 14th October 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians Minutes of the 7th Oct. on the subject, and stating that they were of opinion that the proposal of the Guardians to provide an artificial limb for a Dispenary patient named Mary D. Campbell at a cost of £10 should be considered after the usual 14 days' notice. Ordered accordingly.

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[The Reports (Form P) containing the names of Report (Form H) of the number of persons... Report (Form P) containing the names of Report (Form H) of the number of persons...

Table with columns: District, Number of cases, etc. Includes handwritten entries and a large watermark 'Louth County Archives'.

Handwritten notes and signatures, including a date stamp 'OCT 27 1914'.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY the 19th day of October 1914. Signed: [Signature]

[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.:-

Table listing defaulters for Cootebellinshan District (23) and Collan No. 2 (9).

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half year or quarter ended the last day of Sept. 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz:-

Table listing successful vaccinations for Collan No. 2 District (10).

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J.L. Nieran

OCT 27 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 27th day of October 1914.

(Signed) James A. Donohoe, Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value £95,119 s 11

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of October 1914

Main workhouse statistics table with columns for inmates, aged and infirm persons, boys and girls, and return of sick and lunatics.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of October 1914 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

the 27th day of October 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair: John L. Nieran, jun. Other Guardians: Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, Edward McGillat, Patrick J. Steen, Eugene J. Coraher, John Harney, Peter Kerr, Joseph Davy, Patrick Maguire, Peter M. Wells, Thomas Carroll, Matthew Clinton, Joseph L. Harman, and Patrick M. Keever, Esq. R. FitzPatrick, Esq., Local Government Board Inspector was also present.

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:

Table with multiple columns and rows, containing handwritten entries and printed text. Includes sections for 'Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided' and 'Admitted during the Week'.

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Retail Lists for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of October 1901, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities with handwritten quantities. Columns include items like 'lbs. Arrowroot', 'lbs. Lentils', 'ozs. Vinegar', etc., with handwritten values such as 56, 100, 600, etc.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a) showing financial receipts. Columns: TABLE (a), £, s., d. Rows include County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce, etc.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b) showing financial payments. Columns: TABLE (b), £, s., d. Rows include Sundry Accounts, viz.:— Provisions and Necessaries, Clothing and Bedding, Establishment—(a.) Salaries, (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, etc.

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending ... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

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

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|--|---------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| Total sums received during the month | | | |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

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

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

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

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Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

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

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|---|--|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |

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

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

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

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

Table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account. Includes sections for SUMMARY and RECONCILEMENT with various financial entries and dates.

Table listing various expenses and payments such as 'Clerk of the Union', 'Medical Charities', and 'Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages'.

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

Table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account. Includes sections for SUMMARY and RECONCILEMENT with various financial entries and dates.

Table listing various expenses and payments, including 'Clerk of the Union' and other financial items.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 27th day of October 1914.

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. 831 to No. 888
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2273 to No. 2273

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 24th day of October 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|------------|-------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Officers | By Inmates | Total | | | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Provisions | 20 | 10 | 4 | 21 | 6 | 6 | 41 | 16 | 10 | 20 | 7 | 10 | 21 | 7 | 9 | 18 | 11 | 3 | |
| Necessaries | 11 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 11 | 16 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 19 | 10 |
| Total | 32 | 4 | 6 | 22 | 12 | 5 | 54 | 16 | 11 | 25 | 11 | 9 | 38 | 11 | 29 | 5 | 10 | 25 | 11 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 10 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 8
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of October 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | | | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------|-------------|----------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 10 | 10 | 3 | 12 10 6 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | 4 4 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 10 | 10 | 3 | 12 10 10 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 18 | 7 | 12 | 26 8 11 |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 | 6 | 2 | 6 12 6 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 0 | 6 | 7 14 6 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 1 | 9 | 4 | 5 6 22 |
| 9. Total | 10 | 10 | 3 | 12 10 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 24th day of October 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 27th day of October 1914

Allowed: the note to be expounded to enjoy a midday temporarily should occur in case during the absence.

Pursuant to notice of work done and the unanimous resolution of the Board ... of the Board ... for the prevention of ...

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

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

27th day of October 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.9 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on four days during the week.

Mrs Henry Nathurstin has kindly sent in a large quantity of fruit for the inmates.

Mr W. W. Farthy, local Government Board Inspector, visited the workhouse on the 26th instant in connection with the arrangements which are being made for the reception of Belgian refugees here.

Resolved that the thanks of the Board be conveyed to Mrs. Henry for her kindness to the inmates.

Resolved - That the Guardians approve of the suggestion made by Mr W. W. Farthy, local Government Inspector, to appropriate the workhouse fever Hospital for the female Belgian refugees, in case satisfactory arrangements can be made by the local Government Board with the Guardians of the neighbouring Unions to receive fever cases from this Union should they occur.

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

| | Y. J. MATHEWS | J. VERKEEY | M. W. BELL | TOTAL |
|---|---------------|------------|------------|-------|
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 10 10 | 12 10 | 10 6 | 23 10 |
| 2. Money since received by Guardians | | | | 4 10 |
| 3. Total | 10 10 | 12 10 | 10 6 | 28 10 |

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 54957 : 19 14 dated 23rd Oct. 1914 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 13th inst.

requesting for answers respecting the person temporarily employed as Relieving Officer during the absence of Relieving Officer Finnehan's suspension; and reporting that when the Relieving Officer would have resumed duty he might be called on for a written explanation as to his conduct. Ordered accordingly.

W. Fitzpatrick, local government Board Inspector, mentioned the case of a man named Thomas Malone, a casual pauper who had been an inmate of the workhouse from the 14th to the 24th inst. and who had written a complaint to the local Government Board to the effect that he had been discharged from the Hospital whilst not unwell. Dr. Sheen, Workhouse Medical Officer, stated that he believed the man was malingering. The Guardians confirmed the man's discharge from the Workhouse.

Read

Read letter from Mrs. Kate Carroll, Maternity Nurse of the Workhouse, applying for a month's vacation.

Allowed: the master to be empowered to engage a midwife temporarily should occasion arise during Mrs. Carroll's absence.

Pursuant to notice, it was moved and unanimously resolved, that this Board contribute a sum of £2 towards the funds of the National Society for the prevention of cruelty to children.

Pursuant to notice, the Guardians proceeded to consider the question of introducing the electric light into the Workhouse.

In response to the Guardians' invitation, Mr. John W. McKeever (trading as the Ardara Electric Co.) submitted a tender for a complete installation of electric wiring and fittings, providing 108 lamps, for the sum of £148. Mr. McKeever was prepared to accept payment in four equal quarterly instalments, the first to be paid on 31st December, 1914.

Proposed by Mr. McKeever, seconded by Mr. Caraher, and resolved - that the tender of Mr. John W. McKeever be accepted, subject to the sanction of the Local Government Board.

Carried unanimously.

Resolved - that the tender of Patrick Boyle be accepted for the purchase of the rags, &c., at prices quoted.

The following is a list of the names of the persons who have been admitted to the Workhouse during the week ending the 10th inst. and the names of the persons who have been discharged during the same period.

Admitted: 10 males, 12 females, 2 children, 24 in all.

Discharged: 8 males, 10 females, 1 child, 19 in all.

The net result of the week is an increase of 5 males, 2 females, and 1 child, 8 in all.

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out at home and at school by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]
The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]
Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | 58 |
| 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 | 121 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

(Signed), _____
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

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[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 ... in which relief was granted 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 Act.)

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

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

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The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Table with 5 columns: Name of Applicant, Age, Sex, Nature of Report and Observations, and Date of Report. The table is mostly empty.

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

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The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19__ | | 19__ | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union

Minute Sheet of Proceedings of Board of Guardians held on Tuesday, the 19th day of February, 1911. Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

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|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | | |

Signed: Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union

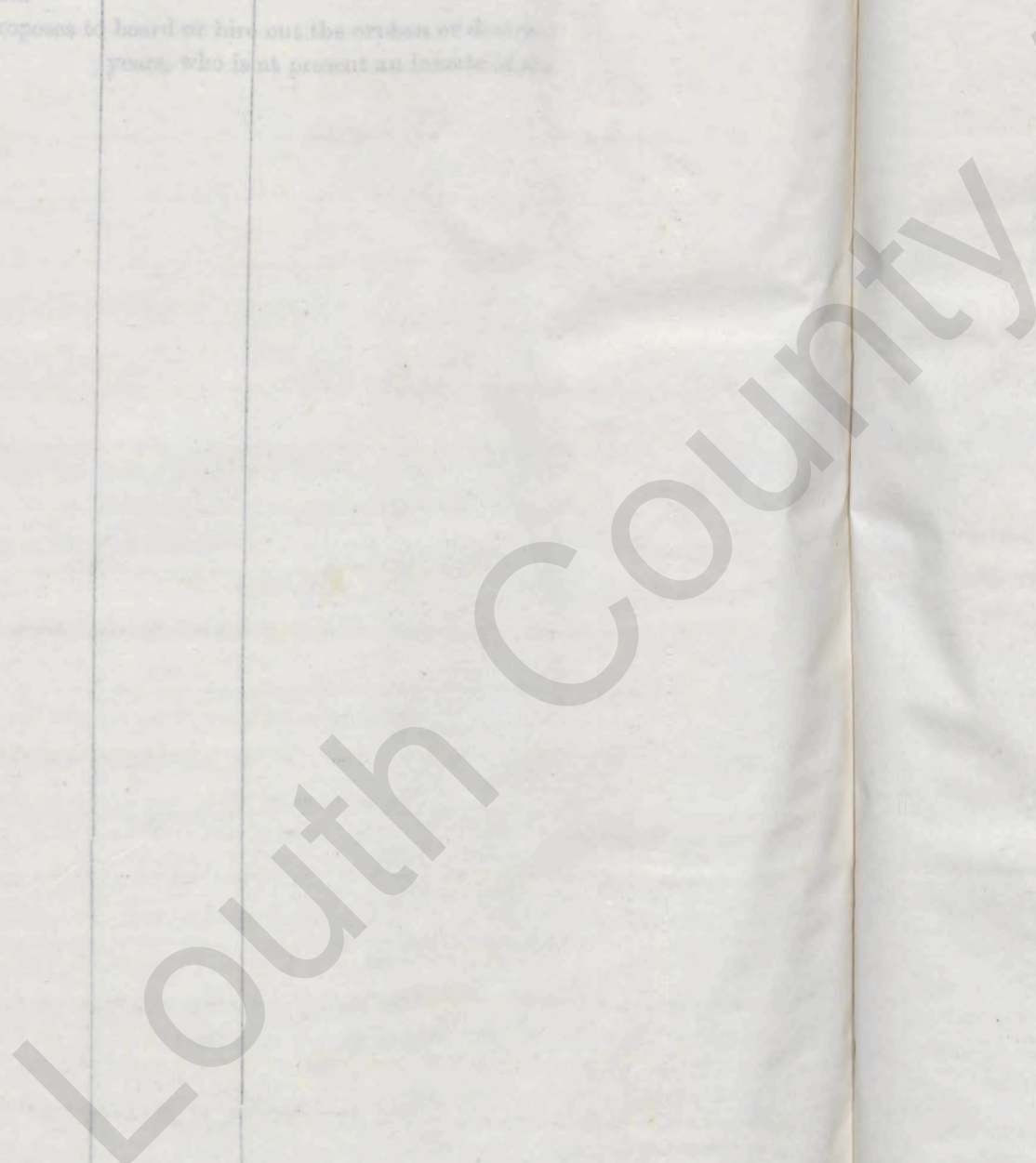
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| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | 19 | | 19 | Estimates of the Medicines required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board with Requisitions for the supply of the same. and directions were given thereon as stated:— |
| Order of Guardians | | | | District |
| To be supplied by the Contractor. | | | | |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | 1 for Carl ... 12 for ... |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... half-year:— |

Signed: Clerk of the Union.



Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 27 day of October 1914.

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | No. of Samples | Analyst |
|----------------------|--|----------------|---------|
| Castlebellingham do. | | | |
| Collon No. 2 do. | | | |
| Dunleer do. | | | |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition £ s. d. | Order of Guardians |
|----------|---|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dunleer Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

*1 ton coal for Dunleer Dispensary.
15 lbs. Collon do.*

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 19 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 No. 19, dated 1911, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---------------------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

Estimates of the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Medical Officer | Order of Guardians |
|----------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the *Dunleer* Dispensary District the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

1 ton load of Dunleer Dispensary
15 lbs. ... Collins Dr.

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

An Order was made for the expenditure of the amount of *£100* on the part of the Board, to be paid to the *Dunleer* Dispensary District in the form of a grant, to be applied in the purchase of *Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites*, as mentioned in the Order.

| District | Total Expenses |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Ards District | £ 100 |
| Cashelborough District | £ 100 |
| Castletown District | £ 100 |
| Dunleer District | £ 100 |
| Total | £ 400 |

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The following Letters from the Local Government have been read by the Clerk, and the following answers have been given to the same, in answer to a resolution passed on the 14th inst. and the following resolutions have been passed by the Board:

Letter No. 191 dated 18th Nov. 1917 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 14th inst. and to the following resolution:

(Faint text, likely a resolution or list of items)

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:—

| | | |
|-----------------|--|--|
| District No. 1 | | |
| District No. 2 | | |
| District No. 3 | | |
| District No. 4 | | |
| District No. 5 | | |
| District No. 6 | | |
| District No. 7 | | |
| District No. 8 | | |
| District No. 9 | | |
| District No. 10 | | |
| District No. 11 | | |
| District No. 12 | | |
| District No. 13 | | |
| District No. 14 | | |
| District No. 15 | | |
| District No. 16 | | |
| District No. 17 | | |
| District No. 18 | | |
| District No. 19 | | |
| District No. 20 | | |

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

That the following Officers for the respective Districts notice the details to comply with the law.

(Faint text, likely a list of names and districts)

(Faint text, likely a signature or date)

(Faint text, likely a signature or date)

Other

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 19th day of *(Faint text)*

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

(Faint text)

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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.:-

| | |
|---------------|---------------------------------|
| <u>Ardee</u> | District <u>121</u> defaulters. |
| <u>Dunbar</u> | " <u>mil</u> " |
| | " " " |
| | " " " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| | |
|--|--------------|
| | District No. |
| | " " |
| | " " |
| | " " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Rec. Foster

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of November 1914.
(Signed) Thomas S. Draypole
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £ 9519 s 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of October 1914

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|--|------|-------|------|------|-------|--|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 98 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 98 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 9 | 25 | 40 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 104 | 51 | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 46 | 7 | 2 | 2 | | 1 | 1 | | 59 | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 55 | 7 | 27 | 42 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 7 | 163 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 5 | 7 | 3 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | | 64 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 5 | 7 | 3 | 2 | | 1 | 1 | | 65 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 4 | 24 | 40 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 98 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of October 1914 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. | 58 | 98 | | | | |
| No. II. | 48 | 97 | | | | |
| No. III. | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 122 | 211 | | | | |

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

the 3rd day of November 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair: - Sir A. Vere Foster Bart.
Other Guardians: John J. Kiran Junr., Richard Stokes, Peter Maguire, Peter M. Nello, Francis H. Gillan, Joseph Magee, James Magrane, John Bowden, John Redican, and Matthew Clinton, Esq.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 21st day of October 1901

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----|--------------------------|----|----------------------------|----|---------------------------|----|-----------------------------|-----|
| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | 728 | Admitted during the Week | 12 | Discharged during the Week | 12 | Total Discharged and Died | 12 | Remaining on the above Date | 728 |
| Workhouse | 728 | Admitted during the Week | 12 | Discharged during the Week | 12 | Total Discharged and Died | 12 | Remaining on the above Date | 728 |
| Temporary Buildings | — | Admitted during the Week | — | Discharged during the Week | — | Total Discharged and Died | — | Remaining on the above Date | — |
| Additional Workhouse | — | Admitted during the Week | — | Discharged during the Week | — | Total Discharged and Died | — | Remaining on the above Date | — |
| Treatment over Hospital | — | Admitted during the Week | — | Discharged during the Week | — | Total Discharged and Died | — | Remaining on the above Date | — |
| Year Beds | — | Admitted during the Week | — | Discharged during the Week | — | Total Discharged and Died | — | Remaining on the above Date | — |
| TOTAL | 728 | Admitted during the Week | 12 | Discharged during the Week | 12 | Total Discharged and Died | 12 | Remaining on the above Date | 728 |

RETURN of Destitute Paupers relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last Week ended Saturday the 21st day of October 1901, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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:—

| | | |
|----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | 190 „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| 150 „ Barley (Pearl) | 700 qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| 900 „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | 112 „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | 20 „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| 40 „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| 60 qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | 112 „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | 112 lbs. Sugar | |
| 40 doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | 10 „ Tobacco | |
| 10 „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 1st day of 19... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|--|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 1st day of 19... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|--|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with ...)

Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due to the Union).

Table of expenses: (v) Medicines and medical and surgical Appliances, (4) Other Expenses, Clerk of the Union, Workshop Bursars, Maintenance in Extern Institutions, Burial Law and other Expenses, Medical Charities, Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers, Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, Superannuation Allowances, Assessment and Results, Fees of Teachers, Repayment of Loans, Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief, Unpaid Bills of last half-year, Expenditure out of Loans, Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due to the Union). Includes handwritten entries and a large 'Archives' watermark.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with ...)

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.] The Abstract of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week (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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 30th day of November 1914

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. 119 to No. 947
 Separate ,, No. 38 to No. 38
 Outdoor ,, No. 2274 to No. 2274

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 31st day of October 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 18 | 11 | 3 | 22 | 0 | 5 | 40 | 11 | 8 | 21 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 24 | 0 | 9 | 16 | 10 | 19 | |
| Necessaries | 6 | 19 | 10 | 5 | 17 | 6 | 12 | 17 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 17 | 2 | 7 | 13 |
| Total | 25 | 11 | 1 | 27 | 18 | 1 | 53 | 9 | 2 | 26 | 7 | 12 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 20 | 6 | 14 | 23 | 8 | 1 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 5 : 8
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : . . .

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of October 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | |
|--|------------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-----------|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | | |
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 199 | 4 15 6 2 | | | | | 199 | 4 15 6 2 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 18 | | 16 | | 3 | | 37 | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 199 | 20 15 6 2 | | | 3 | | 199 | 20 15 6 2 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 14 | | 7 15 | | 26 | | 47 | 15 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 7 6 | | 2 6 | | 2 6 | | 12 6 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 91 6 | | 7 17 6 | | 28 6 | | 127 6 | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 108 | | 3 12 10 | | 2 17 6 25 | | 113 6 | |
| 9. Total | 199 | | 20 15 6 2 | | 3 45 7 3 | | 199 | |

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.....1914
Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: .. day of .. 1914

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them and directions given to answer them respectively, as follows):—
Letter No. 25,000
The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them and directions given to answer them respectively, as follows):—
Letter No. 25,000
The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them and directions given to answer them respectively, as follows):—
Letter No. 25,000

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

3rd day of November 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were good.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 11 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on three days during the week.

Messrs. Fitzpatrick and W. Farthy, Local Government Board Inspectors, visited the work-house, the former on the 27th ult., and the latter on the 30th ult., in connection with the arrangements which are being made for the reception of Belgian refugees.

Miss Prath, Rev. House, and Mrs. Lee-Herman, Corbolic, have very kindly sent in quantities of fruit for the Belgian refugees.

Resolved, that the Board of Guardians convey their thanks to these ladies for their kindness.

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

| | 1914 | 1913 | 1912 | 1911 | 1910 | 1909 | 1908 | 1907 | 1906 | 1905 | 1904 | 1903 | 1902 | 1901 | TOTAL |
|---|----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week | 19940.22 | 173 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians | 11 | 16 | 3 | 37 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 19951.22 | 189 | 3 | 74 | | | | | | | | | | | |

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 56966 : 1914, dated 29th Oct. 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 20th inst. on the subject, and to be furnished with a specification of the proposed works for improving the consumptive sheds, and for laying concrete paths in the infirmary yards.

To be furnished.

Letter No 57810 dated 20th October, 1914 sending a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his audit of the Union accounts for the half year ended 31st March 1914, as follows:

"Further — I have the honour to report that I have audited the accounts of the Board of Guardians of Ardee Union for the half year ended the 31st March, 1914, and found them correct. I enclose herewith duly certified copies of the abstract of accounts and Cash Statements for this period.

I have, &c. — J. A. Reddy, Auditor
Read

Read letter from Dr. Keen, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, dated 3rd November, 1914, stating that owing to the urgency of the case he was obliged to send Peter Reid Low a patient in the Workhouse hospital, to the Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Dublin, for special treatment.
Approved.

County Archival

Handwritten text, likely a letter or report, partially obscured by a watermark. The text is written in cursive and appears to be a formal communication.

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

Letter No. 51955 14 29th Oct. 1914

to be furnished with a specification of the proposed works for improving the Cessington sheds, and for laying concrete paths in the infirmary yards to be furnished.

Letter No. 51950 originated 26th October 1914 and a copy of the Report of the Auditor and audit of the firm account for the half year ended 31st March 1914, in relation to the furtherance of the work to be done that I have audited the accounts of the various parishes of the diocese for the half year ended 31st March 1914, and found that the accounts were in accordance with the accounts for the period.

J. A. Reddy, Auditor
 Read

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- The ... considered and decided on as set forth
- The ... was
- The ...
- The ...
- The ...
- The ...
- The ...

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Guardians of the Poor ... the Guardians by the Clerk, together with ...

Monday, the ...

ARDEE UNION

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in Relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 12th day of February 1905

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of February 1905 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and otherwise by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained in the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged [Age] years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | .. |

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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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 3rd November 1914

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of October 1914 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School,

except that the school attendance certificate in the case of the child Stephen Weldon was not submitted

Reports considered satisfactory.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged [Age] years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Read Circular from the local government Board no. 156/11/1914. Misc., dated 27th October, 1914, on the subject of official routine, &c., in connection with boarded-out and hired-out children.

Table with 2 columns: Description of cases, and Number of cases. Rows include: 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 granted 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 TUESDAY, the [Day] day of [Month] 19[Year].

Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

WALTER THORP, B.Sc. (London), F.I.C. B.Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S. Government and Public Analyst. HOURS—10 to 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

Dublin, 31st October 1914

REPORT upon [Number] Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from [Dispensary] and received by me on [Date] 1914. Drugs received in Stock [Date] 1914. Report Signed [Signature] [Date] 1914. I have examined the Samples as specified below, with the following results:

Table with 3 columns: Name of Medicine, Specific Gravity, Extract, Alkaloids, Alcohol by volume, Observations. Includes entries for 'Red Cassia Bagging', 'Fines Pills', and 'Mist Cassia Bagging'.

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

Signed, [Signature]

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of November 1914

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Ardee | 19 14 | 3 | 19 14 | All reported to be genuine. |
| Castledillonham | | | | |
| Collon | | | | |
| Dunleer | | | | |
| Total Union | | | | |

Clerk of the Union.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

ALTER THORP, B.Sc. (London), F.I.C., Government and Public Analyst.

Dublin, 1914

Office Hours—10 to 5.

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Union Dispensary, and received by me on 19 14

Drugs received in Stock 19 14

Report Signed 19 14

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

| Name of Medicine | Specific Gravity | Extract | Alkaloids | Alcohol by volume | Observations |
|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| 1. Name of Medicine | 1.008 | Grammes in 100 c.c. | | | |
| Specific Gravity | 1.008 | | | | |
| Extract | | | | | |
| Alkaloids | | | | | |
| Alcohol by volume | | | | | |
| Observations | | | | | |
| 2. Name of Medicine | 1.010 | Grammes in 100 c.c. | | | |
| Specific Gravity | 1.010 | | | | |
| Extract | | | | | |
| Alkaloids | | | | | |
| Alcohol by volume | | | | | |
| Observations | | | | | |
| 3. Name of Medicine | 1.010 | Grammes in 100 c.c. | | | |
| Specific Gravity | 1.010 | | | | |
| Extract | | | | | |
| Alkaloids | | | | | |
| Alcohol by volume | | | | | |
| Observations | | | | | |

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

Signed

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 3rd day of October 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month, and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon. No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Observations. Includes entries for Castlebellingham and Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), Order of Guardians. Includes entry for 'Workhouse' with a cost of 10 5 and 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses (£ s. d.). Includes entries for Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. Includes handwritten entries for 'Dunleer' with names 'John W. Egan' and 'Patrick Driscoll'. Includes a red stamp: 'Informing Dr. before' and a date stamp 'NOV -5 1914'.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect...

Letter No. 10 dated 19th July 1914

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the ... on the subject, and

Just

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz:—

| District | Detailers | Remaining on 1st day as at 1st July 1914 | Admitted since 1st July 1914 | Born since 1st July 1914 |
|----------|-----------|--|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Ardee | ... | 210 | 67 | 46 |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:— That the Reliefing Officers for the respective Districts notice the detailers to comply with the law.

| District | Detailers | Remaining on 1st day as at 1st July 1914 | Admitted since 1st July 1914 | Born since 1st July 1914 |
|----------|-----------|--|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 14th day of December, 1914.

(Signed) ...
Chair of the Union

Louth County Archives

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz. on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

| |
|----------------------------|
| _____ District defaulters. |
| _____ " " " " " " " " |
| _____ " " " " " " " " |
| _____ " " " " " " " " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half year or quarter ended the last day of Sept 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| |
|---------------------------------------|
| <u>Dunlee</u> District. No. <u>10</u> |
| _____ " " " " " " " " |
| _____ " " " " " " " " |
| _____ " " " " " " " " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

R. Foster

NOV 10 1914

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 10th day of November 1914.

(Signed) Thomas S. Dwyer
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, 9519 s 15

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of November 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 9 and under 15 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|--|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 103 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 103 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 4 | 24 | 40 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 9 | 8 | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 23 | 11 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 27 | 11 | 31 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 14 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 25 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | 40 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 25 | 10 | 5 | | | | | | | 40 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 2 | 1 | 26 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of November 1914 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 | 57 | 76 | | | | |
| No. II | 48 | 97 | | | | |
| No. III | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 121 | 209 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 10th day of November 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Sir A. Vere Foster, Bart.

Other Guardians:— John L. Keran jun., Anthony Malone, Peter Maguire, John Dowden, Peter Kerr, James J. Barahel, Peter W. Wells, and Patrick W. Treverer, Esq.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of November 1911

| NAME | AGE | SEX | RELATION | ADMITTED | DISCHARGED | DIED | TOTAL |
|-------|-----|-----|----------|----------|------------|------|-------|
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| TOTAL | | | | ... | ... | ... | ... |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Table Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of November 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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:—

| | | | |
|------------|------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|
| 100 600 | lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| | „ Bacon | 140 „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| | „ Barley (Pearl) | 800 qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| | „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| | „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| | bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| | lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| 50 | „ Butter | 1/2-bots. Porter | 112 lbs. Brown Soap |
| 60 | qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| | lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| | „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| | „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| | „ Cornflour | 10 Syphons Soda Water | 112 „ Washing Soda |
| | „ Dripping | 112 lbs. Sugar | |
| 40 | doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| | lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| 10 | „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 10th day of November 1911. (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 10th day of November 1911

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of October 1911, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | 365 | 2 | 5 |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | 365 | 2 | 5 |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of October 1911, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

| TABLE (b) | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|-----|
| Sundry Accounts, viz. :— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | 94 | 12 | 6 |
| Clothing and Bedding | 72 | 1 | 8 |
| Establishment— | | | |
| (a.) Salaries | 7 | 0 | 8 |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | | | |
| (d.) Other Expenses | 44 | 0 | 2 |
| Workhouse Burials | | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | | 9 8 |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | | |
| Medical Charities | 6 | 11 | 6 |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | 6 | 15 | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | 80 | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | 311 | 11 | 2 |

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of October 1914

| | Ordinary Account. | | | Loans Account. | | |
|---|-------------------|----|----|----------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| SUMMARY. | | | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement | 302 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| Total sums received during the month | 365 | 2 | 5 | | | |
| Total | 667 | 18 | 9 | | | |
| Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | | | |
| Payments ordered during the month | 838 | 7 | | | | |
| Total | 838 | 7 | | | | |
| Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals) | 170 | 8 | 3 | | | |
| RECONCILEMENT. | | | | | | |
| Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer | 101 | 1 | 5 | | | |
| Outstanding Orders | 271 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| Net Balance as above due by the Union | 170 | 8 | 3 | | | |

Dated this 14th day of November 1914

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.] The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday (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.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 10th day of November 1914

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. 948 to No. 992

Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88

Outdoor ,, No. 2275 to No. 2275

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 November 1914 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|---|----|---|----|-----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 16 | 10 | 11 | 23 | 16 | 4 | 40 | 7 | 3 | 21 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 46 | 7 | 24 | 4 | 16 | 2 | 11 | 716 | |
| Necessaries | 6 | 17 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 19 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 1 | | 11 |
| Total | 23 | 8 | 1 | 28 | 15 | 5 | 52 | 6 | 6 | 26 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 54 | 1 | 30 | 4 | 8 | 2 | 1 | | 10 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 5 : 9 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : = : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of November 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|-------|-----------|
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | District No. III. | £ | s. d. | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 10 | 83 | 12 | 18. | 2 | 17 | 6 25 19 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 10 | 83 | 12 | 18. | 2 | 17 | 6 25 19 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 8 | 11 | 6 | 7 15. | 2 | 8 | 6 18 15. |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 9. | | 2 | 6 | | | 11 6 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 9 | 06 | 7 | 17 6 | 2 | 8 | 6 19 6 6 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 1 | 99 | 5 | 0 6 | 5. | 6 | 13 3 |
| 9. Total | 10 | 83 | 12 | 18. | 2 | 17 | 6 25 19 9 |

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 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 10th day of November 1914.

We visited the house this morning, and found everything clean and in good order, as usual. We also inspected the bread, meat, bacon, butter, and milk, and found them all of the best quality.

We inspected the sheds in the consumptive yard, and found the rain comes through the roof, and we recommended that something be done to remedy the defect. (Signed) Ed. Carahan, Peter Kerr. Ordered that Mr. Cahill the Board's Architect be requested to prepare a specification for raising the pitch of the roof of the consumptive sheds, and that meanwhile no tenders be accepted for the extension of the sheds, as advertised.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

10th day of November 1914

W. J. Cahill
good. 11 2 3
NOV 11 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.9 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on two days during the week.

Maternity Nurse Carroll left on vacation on the 6th instant, and I was obliged to obtain the services of Nurse Fairchild on the 7th instant, to attend a patient in the Maternity Ward.

Mrs. Henry, Rathfriland, has sent a large quantity of apples for the Belgian refugees, for which they are extremely grateful.

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 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 No. 51704 : 19 14, dated 4. Nov. 14, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 27th Ult. on the subject, and sanctioning the Guardians' proposal to contribute a sum of £2 towards the funds of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

Letter No. 51327, dated 6th November 1914, forwarding communications which they had received from a man named Thomas Malone relative to his treatment in, and discharge from, the Workhouse.

Resolved, to inform the Local Government Board that Thomas Malone's complaints were investigated by the Board of Guardians at their meeting on the 27th Ultimo, in which occasion Mr. Fitzpatrick, Local Government Board Inspector, was present, and they came to the conclusion that his complaints were groundless.

[Thomas Malone's letters are returned to the Local Government Board with these minutes.]

Read Letter from the Local Government Board

Board No. 59671:14, dated 5th November, 1914, stating, with reference to previous communication on the subject of placing the Fever Hospital of this Union at the disposal of Belgian refugees, that the Guardians of the Drogheda and Dundalk Unions had for the present agreed to take any cases of fever arising in this Union.

The Master of the Workhouse applied for a fortnight's vacation: the Chairman would discharge the duties in his absence.
Allowed.

Read letter from Miss A. Macfarlane, Fever Hospital Nurse, dated 10th November 1914, stating that she had volunteered as a military nurse during the war, and she asked the Guardians' permission to go, in case she would be called on, and also that her place might be kept open for her until her return.

Application granted. 1126 NOV 11 1914

With reference to the Guardians' Minute of the 15th Ultimo on the subject, and the Local Government Board's letter, No. 54957:14, dated 23rd Ultimo, read letter from the relieving Officer, Joseph Finnegan, stating, in explanation of his absence from the Guardians' meeting on the 13th Ultimo, that he was on his way to the meeting and he became ill, and had to return home. He expressed regret for having caused the Guardians so much trouble, and he hoped they

they would overlook it on this occasion.
 Resolved - That Mr. Finnegan's suspension
 be removed, but that he be given to
 understand that the Guardians will not
 tolerate any further dereliction of duty
 on his part.

Ordered. That the Clerk advertise for
 the supply of 250 tons Best Scotch coal
 (screened) to the Workhouse: tender to
 be considered on this day fortnight.

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ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]
 The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | 45 |
| 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 | 120 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____
 Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

Ordered that the Board of Guardians be supplied with 250 tons of Scotch coal (or equivalent) to be delivered to the workhouse.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 ...
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 Act.)

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

Signed, _____
Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

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Ordered that the Board of Guardians be supplied with 250 tons of Scotch coal (or equivalent) to be delivered to the workhouse.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed, _____
Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Order of Guardians | 19 | | 19 | Estimates of the Medicines required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with requisitions for the supply of the same and directions were given thereon as stated:— District Medicines, &c. in requisition Gross Cost of Medicines, &c. in requisition To be supplied by the Contractors. |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary District the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |
| Ardee District | £ | ... | | |
| Castledillonagh District | £ | ... | | |
| Collon N. District | £ | ... | | |
| Dunbar District | £ | ... | | |
| Total Union | £ | ... | | |

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed.

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 10th day of November 1911

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, Date when Samples were received by Analyst.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1911 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses (£ : :).

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. Contains handwritten entries.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 54705 : 1914, dated 5th Nov: 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 27th Ult. on the subject, and

to be informed what action has been taken by the Guardians with a view to securing compliance with the law on the part of the outstanding defaulters under the Vaccination Act in the Ardee Dispensary District.

Resolved. To inform the local Government Board that, as the Board of Guardians have decided by Resolution not to prosecute in these cases they cannot do more than notice the parties to have their children vaccinated.

In pursuance of notice issued on the 20th Ultimo (in consequence of the local Government Board's letter No. 54429: 1914, dated 19th Ultimo) —

Mr. Eugene J. Coraher, moved — That the Guardians expend a sum of £10 in the purchase of an artificial limb for Mary A. Campbell, a Dispensary patient of the Ardee Dispensary District, whose leg has been amputated.

Motion seconded by Mr. Kerr and carried unanimously.

20th Nov 1914

County Archives

The following letters have been received from the Local Government Board for London, and are hereby published for the information of the public.

Letter No. 54705 dated 5th Nov 1914

to be informed what action had been taken by the Guardian with a view to securing compliance with the law in the light of the outstanding defaulters under the Vaccination Act in the London Dispensary District.

Resolved. To inform the local Government Board that the Board of Guardians have decided by Resolution not to prosecute in those cases they cannot do so, but to urge the parties to have their children vaccinated.

In pursuance of notice issued on the 20th ult. in connection of the local Government Board letter No. 54429, dated 19th ult.

Mr. James J. Cooke, proved that the Guardian spent a sum of £10 in the purchase of artificial limbs for Mary J. Campbell, a Dispensary patient of the London Dispensary District, whose leg had been amputated.

Notice recorded by Mr. Harriss, and carried unanimously.

19th Nov 1914

Louth County Archives

Reports (Form F) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated from the Board of Guardians. The Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were submitted showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations:

| District No. | Detailers | Successful Vaccinations |
|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | 60 |
| 2 | 2 | 60 |
| 3 | 3 | 60 |
| 4 | 4 | 60 |
| 5 | 5 | 60 |
| 6 | 6 | 60 |
| 7 | 7 | 60 |
| 8 | 8 | 60 |
| 9 | 9 | 60 |
| 10 | 10 | 60 |

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:— That the Reporting Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

| District No. | Detailers | Successful Vaccinations |
|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|
| 1 | 1 | 60 |
| 2 | 2 | 60 |
| 3 | 3 | 60 |
| 4 | 4 | 60 |
| 5 | 5 | 60 |
| 6 | 6 | 60 |
| 7 | 7 | 60 |
| 8 | 8 | 60 |
| 9 | 9 | 60 |
| 10 | 10 | 60 |

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the day of November 1914

(Signed) Clerk of the Guardians

[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.:-

| | |
|----------|-------------|
| District | defaulters. |
| " | " |
| " | " |
| " | " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of Sept. 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| |
|-------------------------------------|
| <u>Ardee</u> District No. <u>33</u> |
| " " " |
| " " " |
| " " " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. L. Livan
24/11/14

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 14th day of November 1914.

(Signed) Thomas D. Drayford
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £95,119 15s
14th day of November 1914

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 108 | 212 | 64 | 54 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | | | 60 | In separate Wards & In Wards with other inmates | |
| Temporary Buildings | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | - | - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 108 | 361 | 115 | 54 | 2 | | 2 | 60 | | | 66 | TOTAL | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 21 | 26 | 41 | 5 | 4 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 103 | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 36 | 11 | 5 | 4 | | | 2 | | 2 | 60 | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 32 | 12 | 42 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 56 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 32 | 12 | 42 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 56 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 32 | 12 | 42 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 56 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 6 | 27 | 43 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 108 | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of November 1914 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 Applicants and Family dependent on him or her | Number of Cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | 53 | 92 | | | | |
| No. II | 47 | 96 | | | | |
| No. III | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 116 | 204 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 17th day of November 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair:-

Other Guardians:-

A quorum not being present, no meeting of the Board of Guardians was held this day.

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:

Table with columns for 'REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE', 'Total Discharged and Died', 'Died', 'Discharged during the Week', 'NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS', and 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS'. Includes handwritten entries and a 'TOTAL' row.

RETURN of SICK or LUNATICS Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of...

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:—

Table listing provisions and necessities in three columns: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Meat, gallon Whiskey, etc.

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:

Ardee Union.

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

Table (a) showing financial entries: 'To balance on ledger from previous month', 'Receipts from various sources', 'Total as ascertained in former list'.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sum which has been paid during the month of ... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:

Table (b) showing financial entries: '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:—', 'lbs. Arrowroot', 'lbs. Bacon', etc.

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:—

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR. | | |
|---|-----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (B) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | Total | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | Total | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (A) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19... (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|--|----|----|
| | | £ | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the annual minutes of each Finance Meeting.)

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Table of expenses: (c) Turn, (d) Other Expenses, (e) Medical and Medical and Surgical Appliances. Includes Clerk of the Union, Maintenance in External Institutions, Migration Law and other Expenses, Medical Charities, Agency Fees to Medical Officers, Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, Vaccinations, Superannuation Allowances, Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers, Repayment of Loans, Relieving Officers' Accounts-Out-door Relief, Unpaid Bills of last half-year, Expenditure out of Loans.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the annual minutes of each Finance Meeting.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due). Includes a large handwritten table at the bottom with columns for various items and a total of 2275.

The General Average Cost of an Infant 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 Receipt and Conversion Book, 2. The Clothing Receipt Book, 3. The Inventory Book, 4. The Labour Book, 5. The Workhouse Farm Account Book, 6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book, 7. The Outdoor Alms and Discharge Book, 8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.
Meeting held the 17th day of November 1914

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. 993 to No. 1053
Separate ,, No. 88 to No. AP
Outdoor ,, No. 2275 to No. 2275

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 Novr 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|---|----|----|----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 16 | 2 | 11 | 34 | 5 | 1 | 50 | 8 | 22 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 25 | 2 | 4 | 25 | 5 | 8 | 753 |
| Necessaries | 5 | 18 | 11 | 40 | 2 | 3 | 46 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 40 | 0 | 10 | |
| Total | 22 | 1 | 10 | 74 | 7 | 4 | 96 | 9 | 22 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 31 | 2 | 8 | 65 | 6 | |

£ s. d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 5 : 1 ¹/₄
Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 10 ¹/₂
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.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Ardee Union.
Meeting held the 17th day of November 1914

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| | 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 | | |
| Provisions | 16211 | 3451508 | 22592 | 16725 | 2425 | 58 | | |
| Necessaries | 51811 | 40234612 | 5210 | 17660 | 4400 | 10 | 753 | |
| Total | 22110 | 7474969 | 22707 | 31413 | 2865 | 66 | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = 5 : 14
Average Cost in Infirmary = 5 : 10 1/2
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—

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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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | |
|--|---------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|-------|----|
| | £ | s. | £ | s. | £ | s. | £ | s. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 1 | 79 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 13 | 3 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 20 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 21 | 79 | 20 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 17 | 4 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | A 06 7 12 . 2 8 6 18 1 . | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | | | | | | | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 9 | | 3 | | | | 12 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 2 | 96 | 7 | 15 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 18 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 12 | 18 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 16 |
| 9. Total | 21 | 79 | 20 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 17 | 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 November 1914
The Outdoor Relief List, Application and Report Books, Order Book, and Report Books for Outdoor Relief in kind, and the several Relieving Officers' 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.
Clerk of Union.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of November 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | |
|--|---------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|----|-------|----|
| | £ | s. | £ | s. | £ | s. | £ | s. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 1 | 79 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 6 | 13 | 3 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 20 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 21 | 79 | 20 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 17 | 4 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | |
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| In Money .. | | | | | | | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 9 | | 3 | | | | 12 | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 2 | 96 | 7 | 15 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 18 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 12 | 18 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 16 |
| 9. Total | 21 | 79 | 20 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 17 | 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 November 1914
Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 : dated : 19 : referring to an :
The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

| | SWANWICK J. V. | SWANWICK J. | SWANWICK J. | TOTAL |
|---|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| 1. Balance at hand at end of week | 179 | 506 | 5 | 6133 |
| 2. Money paid to the Board | 20 | 15 | 6 | 41 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 2179 | 2006 | 65 | 47133 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| 4. Balance at hand at beginning of week | | | | |
| 5. Money received from the Board | | | | |
| 6. Money received from other sources | | | | |
| 7. Total received | | | | |
| 8. Balance at hand at end of week | | | | |
| 9. Total paid to the Board | | | | |
| 10. Total paid to other sources | | | | |
| 11. Total paid | | | | |
| 12. Balance at hand at end of week | | | | |

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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| 9 | 3 | 12 | |
| 196 | 715 | 246 | 1813 |
| 218 | 312 | 56 | 3662003 |
| 2179 | 2006 | 65 | 47133 |

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the lactometer was for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

on the subject, and

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

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 1, 14, dated 10, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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Minutes of Proceedings in relation to Children's Land and held out by the Board of Directors

Resolved that the Board of Directors be authorized to...
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JOHN Mc DONNELL

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | 61 |
| 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 .. | 116 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ child _____ aged _____ years, who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 contained was ... Ditto disallowed ... The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... in which relief was granted 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 Act.)

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

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ child _____ aged _____ years, who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Table with 5 columns: Name of Applicant, Age, Sex, Religion, and other details. The table is mostly blank with some faint text visible.

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

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The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

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Table with 5 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, Nature of Report and Observations. Includes rows for Ardee District, Castledillonham District, and Total Union.

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

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Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, and Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, and Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19__ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with 4 columns: District, Total Expenses, and Total Union.

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Table with 4 columns: Dispensary District, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, and Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with 3 columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, and Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19__ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with 4 columns: District, Total Expenses, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---|
| | | Vaccination Registers, Report Books |
| | | by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded to the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. |
| | | Discharge Books |
| | | Order No. 2 |
| | | Form E |

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

| Name of Medicine, &c., or Requisition | Order of Guardian |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

| Dispensary District | Total Expenditure |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Ards District | £ _____ |
| Castledillon District | £ _____ |
| Order No. 2 District | £ _____ |
| Down District | £ _____ |
| Total | £ _____ |

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| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____, dated _____, 19____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

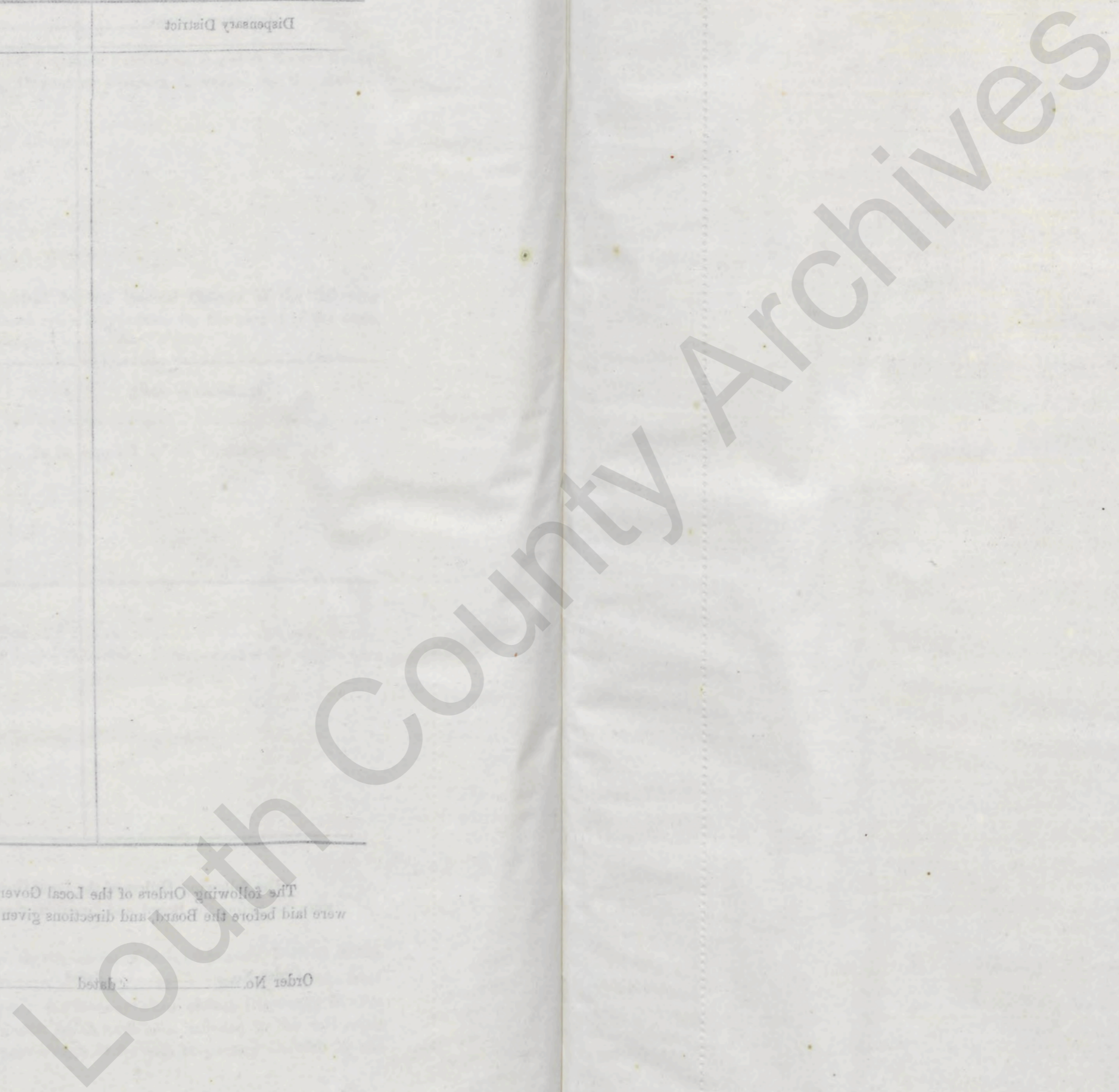
| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Clinics Acts were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____, dated _____, 19____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and



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Letter No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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The following tables from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and the same were referred to the Committee for their consideration and report thereon.

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These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated from the Board of Guardians, viz. the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the delinquents to comply with the law.

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

Reported (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

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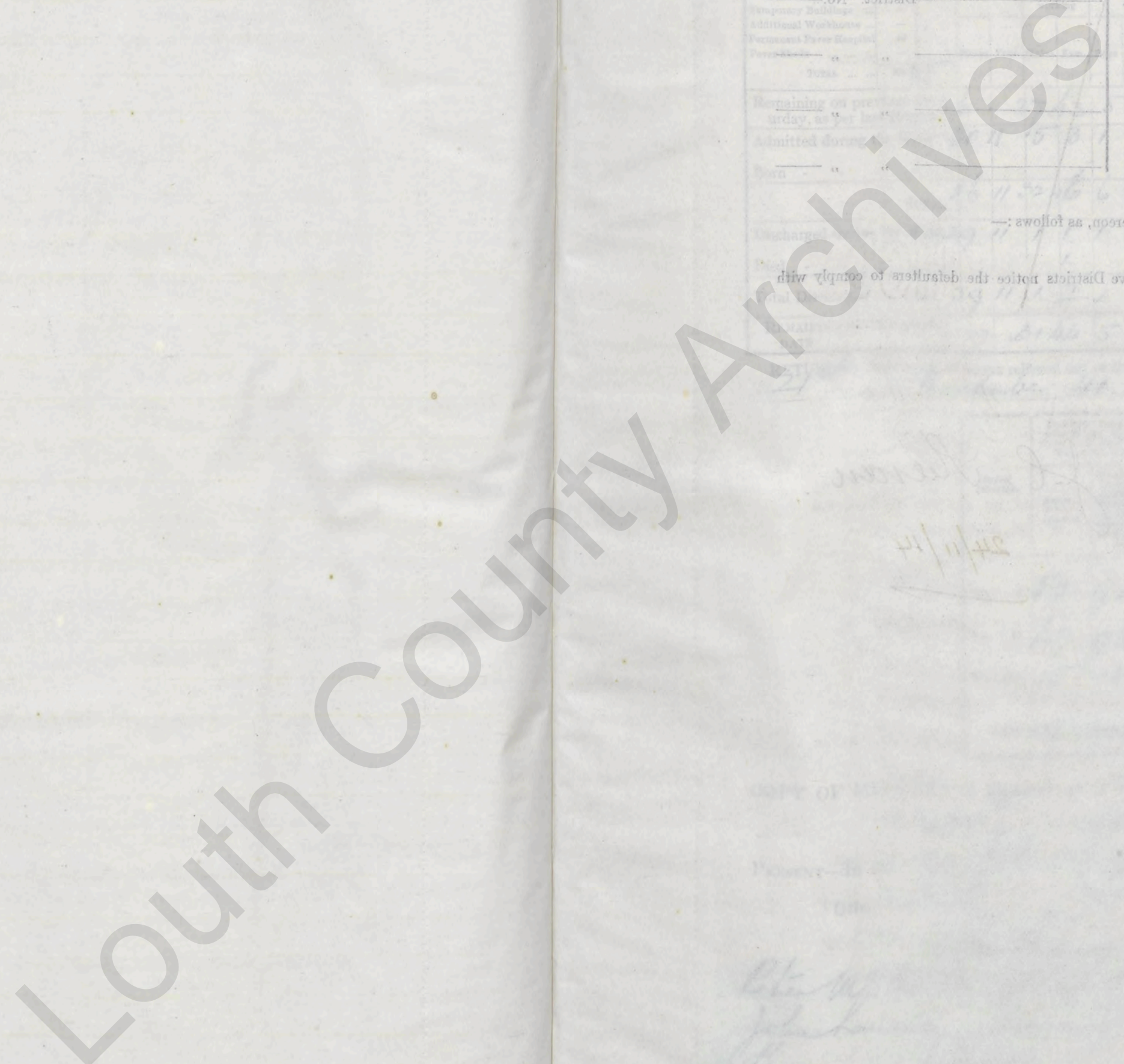
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 19th day of November 1844. (Signed) Clerk of the Union.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

| District | defaulters. |
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Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
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were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows :-

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. L. Tieran
24/11/14

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of November 1914

(Signed) *James S. Dimpole*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value, £9,580

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of November 1914

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|--|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 115 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 115 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 6 | 27 | 43 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 108 | | | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 30 | 11 | 5 | 3 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | 53 | | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 36 | 11 | 32 | 46 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 9 | 161 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 29 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 45 | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 29 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 46 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 7 | 31 | 44 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 115 | | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of November 1914 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 dependants on him or her | Number of Cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependants on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | 53 | 92 | | | | |
| No. II. | 47 | 96 | | | | |
| No. III. | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 115 | 203 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 24th day of November 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair: *John C. Tieran, Jun. Esq.*
Other Guardians: *Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, Peter W. Kelly, Peter Kerr, Patrick M. Keever, John Barney, James M. Keever, and Thomas Keeran.*

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

TABLE (B) FINANCIAL MINUTES.
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|--|-------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | Total | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | Total | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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Ardee Union.

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| Establishment— | | | |
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| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | | | |
| (d.) Other Expenses | | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | | |
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| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | | | |

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the general minutes of each Finance meeting.)

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses: (6) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, (5) Other Expenses, Clerk of the Union, Maintenance in Extern Institutions, Migration Law and other Expenses, Medical Charities, Lunary Fees to Medical Officers, Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and Vaccinations, Superannuation Allowances, Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers, Repayment of Loans, Unpaid Bills of last half-year, Expenditure out of Loans, Total Amount of Payments ordered as above.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of ... (Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Table with columns: Description, Amount. Rows include: Provision, Total.

The following list of books and documents has been previously examined and found correct by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the general minutes of each Finance meeting. 1. The Clothing Account Book and Convention ... 2. The Clothing Book ... 3. The Inventory Book ... 4. The Labour Book ... 5. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book ... 6. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book ... 7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book ... 8. The Labour Book ...

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 24 day of November 1914

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. 1054 to No. 1106

Separate ,, No. PA to No. PA

Outdoor ,, No. 2276 to No. 2276

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 21 day of November 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|---|----|---|---|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 25 | 5 | 8 | 31 | 19 | 1 | 57 | 4 | 9 | 23 | 3 | 8 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 26 | 0 | 3 | 31 | 4 | 6 | |
| Necessaries | 40 | 0 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 40 | 41 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 9 | 34 | 14 | 2 | | | | 177 |
| Total | 65 | 6 | 6 | 32 | 3 | 2 | 99 | 9 | 8 | 28 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 22 | 1 | 65 | 8 | 8 | | | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 5 : 14
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 11
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of November 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|----|----------------------------------|---|-------|-------|----|----|----|---|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ | s. d. | | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 12 | 18 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 16 | 6 | 29 | 0 | 3 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 12 | 18 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 16 | 6 | 29 | 0 | 3 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 7 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 12 | 2 | 5 | 17 | 11 | 6 | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 4 | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 9 | | | 3 | | | | 12 | | | | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 21 | 16 | 7 | 15 | 2 | 5 | 18 | 11 | 6 | | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 4 | 6 | 9 | 4 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 11 | 6 | 10 | 18 | 9 |
| 9. Total | 12 | 18 | 3 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 16 | 6 | 29 | 0 | 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 21st day of November 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 24th day of November 1914

We visited the house this day, and found no complaints in the Hospital, as they all seemed contented. Also saw the meat, bread, butter, meal, &c. — all of good quality.

Richard Stokes.
Anthony Malone.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

24th day of November 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were food.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.5 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on three days during the week.

The Master left on two weeks' leave on the 17th instant.

Mr. Robinson, Local Government Board, Inspector, visited the Workhouse on the 20th instant in reference to the Belgian refugees.

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 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 No. 61093 : 1914, dated 16th Nov 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 10th inst on the subject, and requesting to be informed of the amount of the fee to be allowed to Maternity Nurse Fairchild for her services in attending a midwifery case in the Workhouse.

Resolved - To inform the Local Government Board that the Guardians propose to pay Nurse Fairchild a fee of one guinea for her services.

Letter No. 61903/1914, dated 16th November, 1914, referring to the Guardians' minute of the 10th inst on the subject, and stating that in pursuance of Article 40 of the General Regulations they had removed the suspension of Mr. Joseph Finnegan from the office of Relieving Officer in the Union.

Letter No. 57704: 1914, dated 16th November, 1914, requesting to be furnished with a copy of the specification of the works in connection with the proposal to install electric light in the workhouse.
Furnished.

Letter

Letter No. 61903: 1914, dated 16th November 1914, requesting to be furnished with a specification of the improvements proposed to be carried out at the consumptive shed in the Workhouse.

Read letter from Mr. Cahill, C.C., the Guardian Architect, dated 23rd November 1914, stating that he had attended at the Workhouse with Mr. P. Kerr, P.L.C., who pointed out to him what was required to be done in connection with the consumptive shed. He estimated the cost at £35.

Resolved - That the Guardians approve of the alterations in the shed referred to in Mr. Cahill's letter, and that Mr. Cahill be requested to prepare a specification for same.

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Circular Letter No. 173/M/1914 - Miscellaneous, dated 11th November, 1914, stating that no person should be permitted to take any of the Belgian refugees out of the Workhouse without the authority of the War Refugee Committee of the Local Government Board.

D. Sheen, Workhouse Medical Officer, recommended that Kate Coulter, who is suffering from myopia be sent to the Royal Victoria Eye Hospital, Dublin, for treatment.
Approved.

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Resolved - That the tender of J. Lockington & Co. Ltd. be accepted for supplying 2500 tons best Scotch coal (screened) at the Workhouse at 20/5 per ton.

Submitted the returns of the stock of clothing

clothing, provisions, and other effects in the
 Warehouse on the 30th September, last, was
 taken by Mr. Thomas Shorley, together with
 the Stocktaker's valuation of the clothing - amounting
 to £484 17 10.

Resolved - That the Stocktaker's returns of the
 Warehouse stock and his valuation of the clothing
 be approved, and that the several deductions
 and additions representing the deficits and
 surplusses shown by the Clerk's list submitted
 this day, be made in the Master's books as
 a to reconcile the latter with the Stocktaker's
 returns.

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 Clerk of the Union
 30th September 1914

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Stocktaking

30th September, 1914.

Clerk of Union's Report.

The Stocktaker's returns when compared with the Master's books show the following

| Deficits | Surpluses |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 2 bedticks | 2 bolster covers |
| 3 sheets | 4 pillow slips |
| 1 man's Coat | 3 rollers |
| 2 " night caps | 2 men's caps |
| 2 " gr. socks | 2 " gr. flannel drawers |
| 2 boys' jerseys | 3 flannel vests |
| 4 " shirts | 2 " shirts |
| 3 " gr. trousers | 3 " gr. shoes |
| 2 " collars | 2 " suspenders |
| 3 women's aprons | 8 " gr. trousers |
| 12 " flannel vests | 2 boy caps |
| 2 " frocks | 3 " coats |
| 2 " night caps | 3 " gr. shoes |
| 1 " handkerchief | 4 " " stockings |
| 5 " gr. stockings | 1 " waistcoat |
| 3 girls do. | 4 women's petticoats |
| 2 " bibs | 3 " chemises |
| 1 1/4 yards shirting | 6 " gr. shoes |
| 2 " shrouding | 3 girls frocks |
| 1/2 " tweed | 3 " hats |
| 1 cut. straw | 6 " petticoats |
| 1 1/2 lbs. kip leather | 5 " chemises |
| 1 yard druggat | 1 " gr. shoes |
| 1/2 " holland | 1 yard flannel |
| 5/6 dozen buttons | 1 " towelling |
| 1 lb. white bread | 1 1/2 lbs. insole leather |
| | 1 yard check |
| | 3 o/s oatmeal |
| | 2 " jam. |

ARDEE UNION.

Minutes Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on THURSDAY, the 11th of September, 1914.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of September of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child [Name] aged 12 years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon: That the Board's officers be requested to visit the child and to report to the Board on the 18th of September next.

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 | .. |
| 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 | 114 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____.

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 24th Nov 1914

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School,

of the child Stephen Weldon in the months of September and October, which had not accompanied Relieving Officer Finnegan's Report on the child for those months.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from Mrs. Matthew Wood of Sheebeen Ardee who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child Owen Donnelly aged 12 years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:-

That Mrs Wood's application for the child be approved, subject to the sanction of the local Government Board.

Application of Thomas McFadden, Killystan, to board out Patrick Clarke, aged 11 years, an orphan child from the Workhouse approved.

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):-

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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

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| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Nature of Report and Observations |
|---------------------|--|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| ... | 19 | 12 | ... |

Signed

Clerk of the Union

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

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| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| ... | 19 | ... | 19 | ... |

Signed

Clerk of the Union

North County Ardee

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 24th day of November 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, No. of Samples, and No. of Reports. Includes entries for Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, and Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition (£ s. d.), and Order of Guardians. Includes the note 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Summary table of expenses for Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, and Residence. The table contains handwritten entries and is mostly illegible due to the watermark.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 No. 60079 : 1914, dated 4 Nov, 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and the Medical Officers' Return furnished for the past half-year showing *inter alia*, the number of defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in each District of the Union: and the local Government Board requested that the Guardians would be so good as to take steps to enforce strict compliance with the Vaccination Acts in the Union.

Resolved - that the Guardians, by to ref. the local Government Board to their minute of the 10th instant on the subject.

Letter No. 61904: 1914, dated 23rd November, 1914, stating that they would not raise any further objection to the proposed expenditure of a sum of £10 in providing an artificial limb for the woman Mary Campbell referred to in the minutes of 4th instant, and previous meetings.

Relieving Officer, Mathews, reported that on the 14th instant Dr. Henry J. Moore, Medical Officer of the Ardee Dispensary District met with an accident, rendering him unfit for duty, and he (Relieving Officer) was consequently employed. Dr. Steen to discharge his duties at £4.4.0 per week pending the Guardians' approval.

Approved.

Dr. Carahan, Medical Officer of the Drogheda Collin No. 2 Dispensary District applied for a week's vacation from the 11th proximo. Dr. Steen would act as his substitute.

Approved: Dr. Steen, if available, to be allowed.

allowed £4.4.0 for the week. Reports (Form H) of the number of persons vaccinated during the half-year... (The following Reports (Form H) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 12 months of age and have not been vaccinated from the 1st March 1914, were submitted showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations...)

Table with columns for District No. and other details, mostly blank or faintly visible.

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:— That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Table with columns for District No. and other details, mostly blank or faintly visible.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the 19th day of... (Signature) Clerk of the Union

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September, and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. C. Nixon

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 1st day of December 19 14

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value £ 950 10 s -

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of November 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|-------|------|------|-------|--|---|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|----|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 107 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 107 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 7 | 31 | 44 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 115 | 61 | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 358 | 2 | 2 | | | 1 | 2 | 2 | 52 | 61 | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 428 | 33 | 46 | 5 | 4 | 12 | 9 | 8 | 167 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 398 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | | 60 | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 398 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | | 60 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 3 | 30 | 43 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 107 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | 35 | 1 | 3 | 46 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Workhouse at date | 3 | | | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, | | 9 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of November 1914 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. | 53 | 92 | | | | |
| No. II. | 47 | 96 | | | | |
| No. III. | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 116 | 204 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 1st day of December 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

No Guardians having attended this day no meeting was held.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 14th day of November 1914

Table with columns for REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, Total Discharged and Died, Died after period of confinement, Discharged during the Week, and NIGHT LODGERS ON CASALS. Includes sub-tables for REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE and NIGHT LODGERS ON CASALS.

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of November 1914, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at the Meeting...

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 :-

Table listing provisions and necessaries: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Barley (Pearl), lbs. Brown Bread, lbs. White Bread, bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, lbs. Butter, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Carrots, lbs. Cocoa, lbs. Cornflour, lbs. Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, lbs. Jam, lbs. Lentils, lbs. Meat, qts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, lbs. Sago, lbs. Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, ozs. Vinegar, gallon Whiskey, bots. Wine, lbs. Blue, Mould Candles, tons Coal, cwts. Coke, lbs. Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 14th day of November 1914

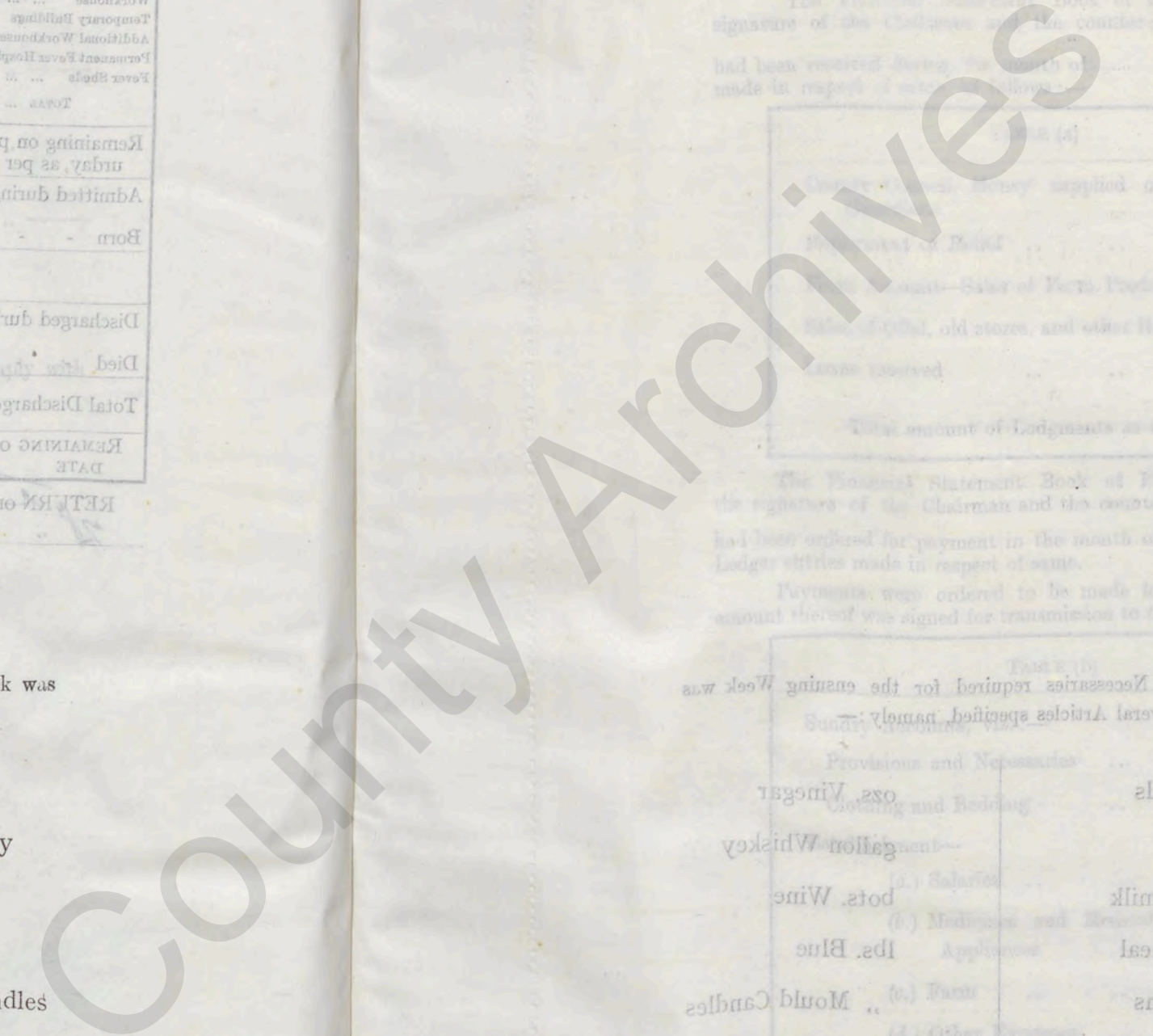
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The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed



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

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| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)
(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR. | | |
|---|-----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19...
 (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---|-------|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | Total | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | Total | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19.....
 (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of 19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of [Month] 19[Year]

Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), and RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book due, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Dated this [Day] day of [Month] 19[Year]

Table of Expenditures with columns: Description, Amount. Includes: Total Amount of Payments ordered as above, Expenditure out of Loans, Unpaid Bills of last half-year, Repayment of Loans, etc.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of [Month] 19[Year]

TABLE (II) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received, Balance due to Treasurer, Payments ordered, Net Balance due), and RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book due, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance as above due).

Table with columns: Description, Amount. Includes: Total, Clerk of the Union, etc.

Handwritten notes and signatures at the bottom of the page, including dates like 5:11 and 5:12.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday (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).

TOTAL
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Meeting held the.....day of.....1914

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. 1107 to No. 1158

Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88

Outdoor ,, No. 2277 to No. 2277

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 28 day of Nov 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | |
| Provisions | 31 | 4 | 6 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 54 | 6 | 2 | 22 | 19 | 7 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 25 | 16 | 2 | 10 | 768 |
| Necessaries | 34 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 10 | | 36 | 14 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 11 | 17 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 30 | 13 | 9 | |
| Total | 65 | 8 | 8 | 25 | 11 | 1 | 91 | 0 | 4 | 28 | 2 | 18 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 31 | 16 | 7 | 59 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 1 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 5 : 11
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : - : -

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday; the 21st day of November 1919 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 469 4 10 6 | 1 11 6 | 10 8 9 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 20 .. 14 .. | 6 .. | 40 .. | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 2469 18 10 6 | 7 11 6 | 50 8 9 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 7 16 .. | 7 12 .. | 25 .. 17 13 .. | |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | 2 .. 2 .. | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 9 .. | 3 .. | 3 .. 15 .. | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 85 .. 7 15 .. | 28 .. 18 10 .. | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 16, 9 10 15 6 | 5 1 6 | 3 11 8 9 | |
| 9. Total | 2469 18 10 6 | 7 11 6 | 50 8 9 | |

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 21st day of November 1919

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 25 November 1919 day of

| | Relieving Officer | | | TOTAL |
|---|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------|
| | V. J. MATHURAN | J. PINNIGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| 1. Balance in hands of each of the relieving officers | 469 | 406 | 1116 | 911 |
| 2. Money sent in by the relieving officers | 20 | 4 | 6 | 40 |
| 3. Balance in hands of relieving officers | 246 | 410 | 716 | 509 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | |
| 4. The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:— | | | | |
| 5. The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were | 716 712 25 713 | | | |
| 6. The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was | | | | |
| 7. The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on | | | | |
| 8. Children and Deaf-mutes | 9 | 3 | 3 | 15 |
| 9. Total | 85 | 715 | 28 | 1110 |
| 10. Balance in hands of relieving officers | 16 | 910 | 156 | 1116 |
| 11. Total | 246 | 410 | 716 | 509 |

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 19 Dated 19 referring to an

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

| Date of Visit and Report | Day of |
|--------------------------|--------|
| 18 | |

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the

The Report of the Master was read, and Order made thereon, as follows:— on the subject, and day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the lactometer was for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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 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 No. : 19 : 19 : dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

Louth County Archives

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 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 No. 119, dated 18, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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Minute Sheet of Proceedings in Relation to Children Board and First Out by the Board of Guardians

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on THURSDAY, the 11th day of May 1881.

The Board of Guardians met at 10 o'clock in the evening at the Board Room, and the following business was transacted: The Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The Chairman reported that the Board had received from the Board of Guardians a copy of the Report of the Board of Guardians for the year ending 31st March 1881. The Report was read and approved. The Chairman then reported that the Board had received from the Board of Guardians a copy of the Report of the Board of Guardians for the year ending 31st March 1881. The Report was read and approved.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 52

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ..

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 1

in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other Applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by relief at the Guardians was 113

The number of applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ..

The Books and other Documents in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with the Report Books as before.

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

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

day of .. (Signed) Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]
The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. | 1 |
| 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 | 115 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

This at the first meeting in each month.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

This at the first meeting in each month.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Table with 5 columns: Name of Applicant, Age, Sex, Religion, and other details. The table is mostly blank with some faint text visible.

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19__ | | 19__ | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|------------------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|---|
| | 19 | | 19 | Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:— |
| Order of Guardians | | | | District |
| To be supplied by the Contractors. | | | | |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |

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Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed, _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses.

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Observations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses.

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Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District |
|----------------------|
| Ardee |
| Castlebellingham do. |
| Collon No. 2 do. |
| Dunleer do. |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition | | | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|----|----|------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. | d. | |
| | | | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----|-----|---|---|---|
| Ardee District | ... | ... | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | ... | ... | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | ... | ... | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | ... | ... | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | ... | ... | £ | : | : |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.]

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, on the occasion of every appointment respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Medical Charities Acts

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
| | | |
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| | | |

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

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| | | |
|-------------|-------|-----------------|
| Order No. 1 | Dated | (state subject) |
| Order No. 2 | Dated | (state subject) |
| Order No. 3 | Dated | (state subject) |
| Order No. 4 | Dated | (state subject) |
| Order No. 5 | Dated | (state subject) |
| Total Union | | |

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Medical Charities Acts

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
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| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 No. : 19, dated , 19, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---------------------|
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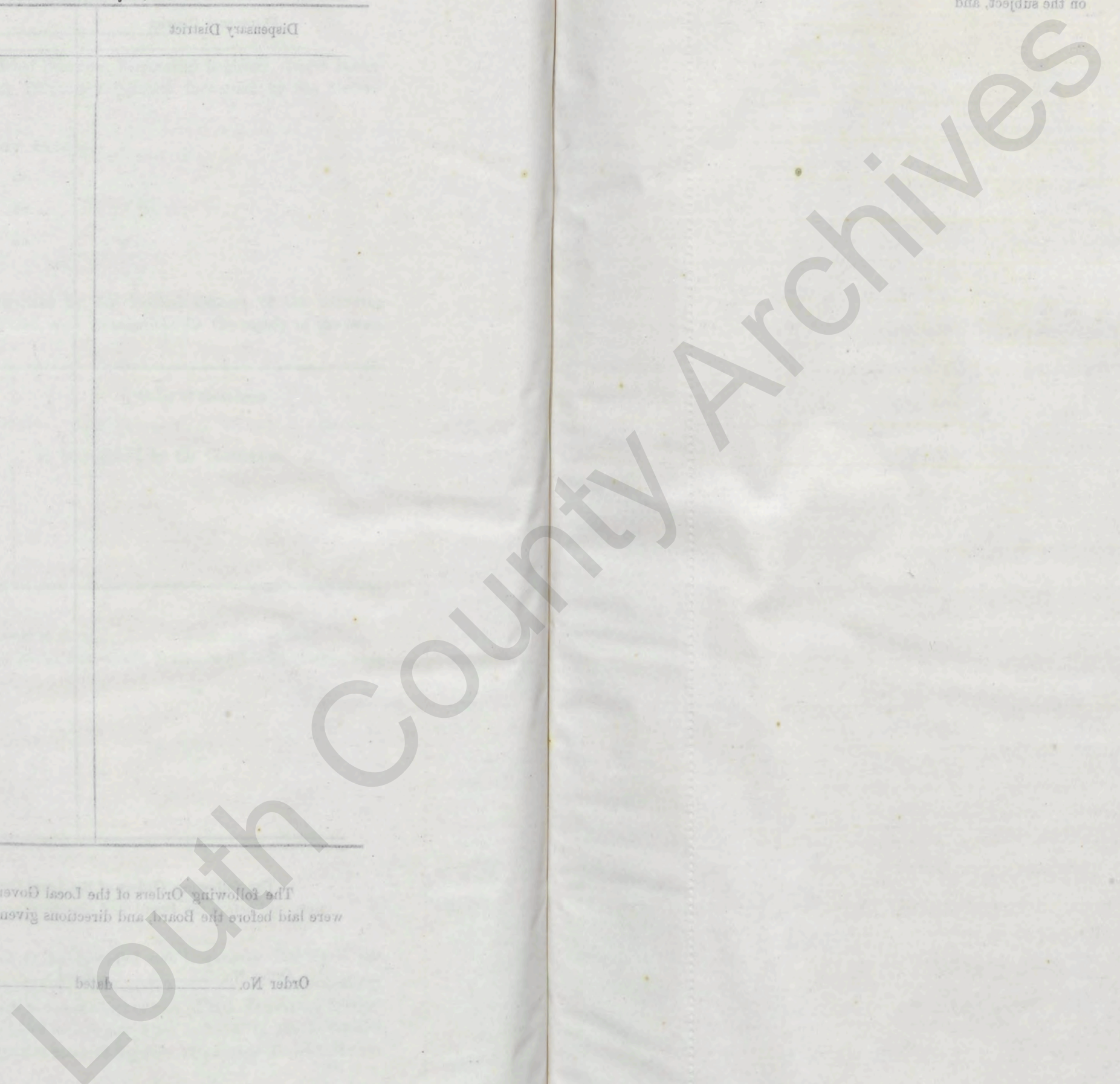
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Letter No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
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| | |
| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |
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| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. E. Sheridan

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 8th day of December 1914.

(Signed) *Thomas D. Dunford*
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 95,110 s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of December 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 112 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 112 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | 3 | 30 | 43 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 107 | | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | 41 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 2 | | | | 1 | 2 | 61 | | | |
| Born | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 44 | 9 | 34 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 7 | 10 | 168 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | 40 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | 2 | 5 | 54 | | | |
| Died | — | — | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | 40 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 1 | | | | 2 | 5 | 56 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | 4 | 1 | 33 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 112 | | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of December 1914 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. | 52 | 91 | | | | |
| No. II. | 48 | 102 | | | | |
| No. III. | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 116 | 209 | | | | |

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

the 5th day of December 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

John Sheridan junr

Other Guardians:—

Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, John Bowden, Peter Murphy, Peter Hall, Anthony Chalons, Francis D. Devine, Eugene Macaher, Peter W. Kelly, Francis M. Gillan, Patrick W. Keever, and Matthew Linton,

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 19th day of December 1914

| REMARKS | MALES | FEMALES | TOTAL |
|----------------------------|-------|---------|-------|
| Admitted during the Week | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Discharged during the Week | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Died | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Total Discharged and Died | 10 | 10 | 20 |
| Remaining on the above | 10 | 10 | 20 |

RETURN of Destitute Persons removed out of the Workhouse as by Relief Lists for the last Week ended Saturday the 19th day of December 1914

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:—

| | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 56 lbs. Arrowroot | 130 lbs. Lentils | 60 ozs. Vinegar |
| 50 „ Bacon | 600 „ Meat | 10 gallon Whiskey |
| 50 „ Barley (Pearl) | 600 qts. Newmilk | 10 bots. Wine |
| 600 „ Brown Bread | 10 ton Oatmeal | 60 lbs. Blue |
| 600 „ White Bread | 56 lbs. Onions | 60 „ Mould Candles |
| 10 bot. Brandy | 10 „ Pease (Split) | 10 tons Coal |
| 40 lbs. Beef Juice | 10 „ Pepper | 10 cwt. Coke |
| 40 „ Butter | 10 1/2-bots. Porter | 10 lbs. Brown Soap |
| 60 qts. Buttermilk | 10 brls. Potatoes | 10 „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| 10 lbs. Cabbage | 10 lbs. Rice | 10 „ Sunlight Soap |
| 10 „ Carrots | 10 „ Sago | 10 „ White Soap |
| 10 „ Cocoa | 10 „ Salt | 10 „ Starch |
| 10 „ Cornflour | 10 Syphons Soda Water | 10 „ Washing Soda |
| 10 „ Dripping | 10 lbs. Sugar | |
| 30 doz. Eggs. | 10 „ Tea | |
| 10 lbs. Flour | 10 „ Tobacco | |
| 10 „ Jam | 10 „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.) Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending 31st day of December 1914. (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the 14th day of December 1914

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of November 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a)

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|------|----|----|
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | 1024 | 7 | 8 |
| Repayment of Relief | 6 | 6 | 2 |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | 7 | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | 1 | 1 | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | 1032 | 14 | 10 |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of November 1914, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| Sundry Accounts, viz. :— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | 202 | 11 | 10 |
| Clothing and Bedding | 4 | 10 | 6 |
| Establishment— | | | |
| (a.) Salaries | 7 | 11 | 8 |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | 4 | | |
| (d.) Other Expenses | 68 | 11 | 9 |
| Workhouse Burials | | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | 1 | 16 | 6 |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | 17 | 6 |
| Medical Charities | 16 | 8 | 11 |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | 1 | 15 | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | 98 | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | 398 | 11 | 8 |

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of November 1914

| | Ordinary Account. | | | Loans Account. | | |
|---|-------------------|----|----|----------------|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| SUMMARY. | | | | | | |
| Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement | | | | | | |
| Total sums received during the month | 1032 | 14 | 10 | | | |
| Total | 1032 | 14 | 10 | | | |
| Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement | 170 | 8 | 3 | | | |
| Payments ordered during the month | 311 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| Total | 481 | 19 | 5 | | | |
| Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals) | 550 | 15 | 5 | | | |
| RECONCILEMENT: | | | | | | |
| Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer | 7 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| Outstanding Orders | 165 | 6 | 1 | | | |
| Net Balance as above due to the Union | 550 | 15 | 5 | | | |

Dated this .. day of .. 1914

Clerk of the Union.

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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the .. day of .. 1914

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. 1159 to No. 1219
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2278 to No. 2279

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 .. 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 28 | 10 | | 23 | 14 | 8 | 52 | 4 | 8 | 23 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 26 | 2 | 26 | 2 | | |
| Necessaries | 30 | 13 | 9 | 39 | 5 | 8 | 69 | 19 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 17 | 6 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 25 | 11 | 11 | |
| Total | 59 | 39 | 6 | 63 | 0 | 4 | 122 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 16 | 1 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 70 | 10 | 25 | 13 | 11 |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = 5 : 14
 Average Cost in Infirmary = 5 : 11 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of December 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | | | TOTAL | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|----|----|-------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | | | | | | | | | |
| | District No. I. | | | District No. II. | | | District No. III. | | | TOTAL | | |
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 16 | 19 | 10 | 56 | 5 | 16 | 5 | 16 | 3 | 31 | 18 | 9 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 16 | 19 | 10 | 56 | 5 | 16 | 5 | 16 | 3 | 31 | 18 | 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 7 | 10 | 7 | 12 | 2 | 5 | 17 | 7 | 7 | 17 | 7 | 7 |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 2 | 6 | 12 | | | | | | | 14 | 6 | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 9 | | 3 | | | 3 | | | | 15 | | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 8 | 16 | 8 | 7 | 2 | 8 | 18 | 16 | 6 | | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 8 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 2 | 13 | 6 | 13 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Total | 16 | 19 | 10 | 56 | 5 | 16 | 5 | 16 | 3 | 31 | 18 | 9 |

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained in the Minutes.

Dated this 5th day of December 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 5th day of December 1914

We visited the house this day, and found everything in good order. We inspected the bread, meat, milk, butter, and meal, and found them to be of superior quality.

Anthony Malone
Richard Stokes
John Rowden
Peter Maguire.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

5th day of December 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

food.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.9 degrees for last week same time.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on two days during the week.

I resumed duty on 2nd instant. Mrs Henry, Richards turn for the first in a large quantity of vegetables for the use of the Belgian refugees, for which they were extremely grateful. Mr. Wheelahan, Inspector N.S.P.C.C., delivered at the workhouse on the 1st inst. a boy named James McKean, aged 12 years, whom he had found wandering in this town, he having run away from his parents at Beauparc. On the 7th instant, the child's mother, called here and took him away.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 1914

[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten notes and bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 65,126 : 1914, dated 1st Dec, 1914, referring to the

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the Order made thereon on the subject, and

returning the specification of the works in connection with the proposal to instal electric light in the workhouse, and requesting that fuller details might be given as to the size and description of the cables, wires, switches, distribution boards, and fuses, also their positions.

Read letter from the Engineer to the Chief Medical Officer, dated 28th Decem^r, 1914, furnishing the details asked for by the Local Government Board.

Letter No. 65,039, 1914, dated 1st Decem^r, 1914, sanctioning payment of a fee of £1-1-0 to Maternity Nurse Fairchild for attending a midwifery case in the workhouse.

Read letter from Dr. Steen, Medical Officer of the workhouse, dated 1st Decem^r, 1914, recommending that a child named Anne Gartlan, an inmate of the workhouse, suffering from strabismus, be sent to the Royal Victoria Eye Hospital, Dublin, for treatment. Approved.

Read

Read letters from the Manager of the Patriotic Assurance Co., Ltd., Dublin, dated 20th Ultimo, and 3rd instant, in continuation of previous correspondence on the subject of the Policy of Insurance under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1914, which the Guardians required from them in foot of their accepted tender furnished in response to the Guardians' advertisement.

Resolved - That as the Patriotic Assurance Co. have, by now requiring double the amount of their quoted premium in the case of medical officers, and by not furnishing a Policy on the lines of the Guardians' advertisement, failed to comply with the terms of their tender for the Guardians' liability insurance, the acceptance of that tender be cancelled, and fresh tenders be advertised for: to be considered on this day fortnight.

Read letter from ^{Co. Wick} Night Nurse Teolin, Fever Hospital, Nurse M. Gortney, and Maternity Nurse Carroll, applying for an increase in the money allowed them in lieu of rations. The allowance given them was £8.4 each per week, which was the actual amount their rations came to at the time of the allowance, calculated according to the Workhouse Contract prices at the time. Provisions were much dearer now, and they only asked for a corresponding increase in the money allowed them wherewith to purchase their own rations.

The Clerks stated that at the present Contract prices, which are considerably higher than last year, the nurses' rations would come to about 9.10 each per week.

Moved by W. Kerr, seconded by W. Caraher, and Resolved - that the money in lieu of rations allowed

allowed to nurse Leolin, McFarney, and Carroll
 be raised to correspond with the increase in
 current workhouse contract prices, viz: from
 8.4 to say 10/- a week each.
 Carried unanimously.

Moved by Mr. Stone, seconded by Mr. Faraher, and
 Resolved - that the Master of the Workhouse
 be allowed, as hitherto, fifteen shillings a
 week for the extra duties imposed on him
 during the Matron's absence through illness,
 viz: from the 27th July to the 19th October last
 - in all twelve weeks.
 Carried unanimously.

Resolved - That the inmates of the Workhouse
 be allowed the usual extras of diet on
 Christmas Day; and that the recipients of
 out-door relief be each allowed 1/- extra
 for Christmas week, as has been the practice
 in previous years.

Proposed by Mr. Kerr, seconded by Mr. McFarlane,
 and Resolved - that the Board desire to
 express its sympathy with Mr. Anthony Malone,
 a respected member of our body, on the death
 of his sister, Mrs. O'Brien, and that our Condolences
 in his sad bereavement be conveyed to Mr.
 O'Brien.
 Carried unanimously.

The Clerk reported that the ten Belgian refugees who
 were staying at this Workhouse at the date of last
 meeting had since left - eight of them having been trans-
 ferred to a country house at Seneschalston, Scarsdale,
 and two to Dalnothy workhouse.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded
 and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 19th 1911

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of
 1911 of the following
 Officers of the Union on the children placed out as nurses and as governesses by the Board of Guardians in their
 respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government
 Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]
 The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from
 who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or destitute
 child named in Form B, aged 7 years, who is at present an inmate of the
 Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with 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 .. 61
 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 116

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 TUESDAY, the
 day of _____ 1911

(Signed), _____
 Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 8th December 1914

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of November 1914 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School,

which were of a satisfactory character.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from Mrs. Elizabeth McBride of Charleville who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child now Fred and Henry Bray aged 9 and 7 years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:-

Application approved.

Read letter from the Local Government Board, No. 65,612:1914, sanctioning the Guardians' proposal to board out the child now Henry Bray with Mrs. James Ward, the pinner, Ardee.

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

The number of provisional Out-door Relief was ...

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

The number of applications for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

The number of applications 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 Tuesday, the ...

Signed, Clerk of the Union

WALTER THORP, B.Sc. (London), F.I.C., B.Sc. (Leeds), F.C.S. Government and Public Analyst. OFFICE HOURS—10 TO 5.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY,

Dublin, 12th December 1914

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from Ardee Union Dispensary, and received by me on 16th Nov 1914. Drugs received in Stock 15th Nov 1914. Report Signed W. Thorp 1914

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

Table with 4 columns: Name of Medicine, Specific Gravity, Extract, Alkaloids, Alcohol by volume, Observations. Includes entries for Tinct. Senege, Vin. Spectorum, and Tinct. Silla.

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

Signed, Walter Thorp JTC

J. Keiran 8/12/14

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the 14th day of Decr 1914

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):-

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|-----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Collon No. 2 | 16 Nov. | 3 | 1 Decr. | All reported as genuine |
| Ardee W.S. Dispensary | 24 Nov. | 3 | 2 Decr. | D. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:-

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:-

Ardee District ...
 Collon No. 2 ...
 Total Union ...

Signed, Clerk of the Union.

ANALYTICAL LABORATORY.

ER THORP, F.I.C. (London), F.I.C. (Leeds), F.I.C. (Lond.)
Chemist and Public Analyst.
Hours—10 to 6.

Dublin, 18th Decr 1914

REPORT upon 3 Samples of Drugs forwarded for Analysis from ... Dispensary, and received by me on ...
Drugs received in Stock ...
Report Signed ...
I have examined the samples as specified below, with the following results

| Name of Medicine | Specific Gravity | Extract | Alkaloids | Alcohol by volume | Observations |
|------------------|------------------|---------|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

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

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 14 day of December 19 14

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No., No. of Samples, Date when Samples were received by Analyst. Includes entries for Castlebellingham and Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry for 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 19 14 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table listing expenses for Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, Residence. Contains handwritten entries and a large 'Archives' watermark.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

[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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. E. Steichen
23/12/14

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 15th day of December 1914
(Signed), Thomas M. Dempsey, Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £95810

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of December 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 5 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 105 | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 41 | 33 | 42 | 52 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 112 | | | Under Medical treatment in Infirmary | 53 | In separate Wards with other Inmates | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 25 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 43 | | | | Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital | 53 | TOTAL | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 29 | 9 | 34 | 45 | 6 | 2 | 13 | 98 | 155 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 23 | 9 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 49 | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 23 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 50 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 6 | 27 | 42 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 105 | | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of Dec 1914 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. | 55 | 95 | | | | |
| No. II. | 50 | 103 | | | | |
| No. III. | 16 | 16 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 121 | 214 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 15th day of December 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair:-
Other Guardians: No members attending, a meeting was not held.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

ARDEE UNION

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

Table with columns: RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC, OBSERVATIONS, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Died, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC persons relieved out of the Workhouse as by Relief Lists for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of...

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:—

Table listing provisions: lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Barley (Pearl), lbs. Brown Bread, lbs. White Bread, bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, lbs. Butter, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, lbs. Carrots, lbs. Cocoa, lbs. Cornflour, lbs. Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, lbs. Jam, lbs. Lentils, lbs. Meat, qts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, lbs. Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, ozs. Vinegar, gallon Whiskey, bots. Wine, lbs. Blue, Mould Candles, tons Coal, cwts. Coke, lbs. Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda.

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| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|---|--|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.)
 (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | Dr | |
|---|--|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance).

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses: (a) Salaries, (b) Etablissement, (c) Clothing and Bedding, (d) Provisions and Necessaries, (e) Sundry Accounts, (f) Repayments of Loans, (g) Repayment of Loans, (h) Assessment and Fees of Teachers, (i) Superannuation Allowances, (j) Vaccinations, (k) Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, (l) Laundry Fees to Medical Officers, (m) Medical Clinics, (n) Migration Law and other Expenses, (o) Maintenance in Extern Institutions, (p) Workhouse Burials, (q) Other Expenses, (r) Appliances.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

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

Table with columns: Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include: SUMMARY (Balance due by Treasurer, Total sums received), RECONCILEMENT (Balance per Bank Book, Outstanding Orders, Net Balance). Includes handwritten entries and a large 'Archives' watermark.

The following list of books and reports having been previously procured by the Treasurer and the Clerk of the Union...

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the.....day of.....December.....1914

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. 1220 to No. 1262
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2280 to No. 2285

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 December 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | | |
| Provisions | 26 | 2 | | 25 | 4 | 11 | 52 | 6 | 11 | 22 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 24 | 19 | 10 | 27 | 7 | 1 | |
| Necessaries | 25 | 11 | 11 | 1 | 9 | 2 | 27 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 13 | 3 | 17 | 6 | 10 | 9 | 25 | 10 | 4 | | | 750 |
| Total | 51 | 13 | 11 | 27 | 14 | 1 | 79 | 8 | 2 | 27 | 16 | 6 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 31 | 10 | 7 | 52 | 17 | 5 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 5 : 2 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 11
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of December 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 8 03 206 | 2 13 6 | 13 2 3 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 12 .. | 14 5 11 | 28 .. | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 20 03 16 8 6 | 2 13 6 | 13 2 3 | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 7 17 .. | 3 6 25 | 18 5 6 | |
| In Kind .. | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 12 .. | 9 .. | 3 14 .. | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 8 9 .. | 2 12 6 | 19 9 6 | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 11 11 3 | 7 16 .. | 5 6 19 12 9 | |
| 9. Total | 20 03 16 8 6 | 2 13 6 | 13 2 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 12th day of December 1914
Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 1919

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

12th December 1914

Date of Visit and Report: day of 1914

| Date of Visit and Report: | Day of | | | TOTAL |
|---------------------------|--------|-----|-----|-------|
| | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | |
| 12th Dec 1914 | 103 | 216 | 213 | 532 |
| 17th Dec 1914 | 12 | 14 | 26 | 52 |
| 20th Dec 1914 | 200 | 167 | 210 | 577 |
| 12th Dec 1914 | 12 | 9 | 7 | 28 |
| 19th Dec 1914 | 113 | 71 | 19 | 203 |
| 20th Dec 1914 | 113 | 71 | 19 | 203 |
| 20th Dec 1914 | 113 | 71 | 19 | 203 |

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

17th Dec 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

12th Dec 1914

19th Dec 1914

113 71 19

200 167 210

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

19th Dec 1914

Date of Visit and Report: day of 1914

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 19 dated 19th Dec 1914 referring to an

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report : day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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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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Letter No. 19 dated 19 referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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Minutes of the Association of Guardians of the Poor
and their Clerks in the County of Louth

The Association of Guardians of the Poor
and their Clerks in the County of Louth
met on the 10th day of January 1881
at the County Hall, Louth

Present: Mr. J. J. [Name] Chairman
Mr. [Name] Vice-Chairman
Mr. [Name] Secretary
Mr. [Name] Clerk

The Chairman reported that the
Association had received from the
County Council a copy of the
Report of the Guardians of the Poor
for the year 1880.

The Report was read and approved.
The Chairman then proposed that
the Association should meet on
the 15th day of February 1881
at the County Hall, Louth.

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
None

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was
in which relief was dispensed by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

The Rules and other Regulations in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with the Report of the Guardians for the year 1880.

The Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings upon the Medical Charities (Act)

The Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the

day of [Month] 1881
(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Guardians

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ARDFE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at school by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at school.

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__ (Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Dollard's Pen Duplicate Minute Book
Reg. No. 45935.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ...
Ditto disallowed ...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...
The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ...
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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):--

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report, and Nature of Report and Observations. Includes entries for Ardee District, Castledilghin District, and Dunbar District, with a Total Union row at the bottom.

Clerk of the Union.

Minutes Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):--

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, and Nature of Report and Observations. The table is mostly blank with some faint text visible.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination: Ardee Dispensary District, Castlebellingham do.

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Collon No. 2, Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses. Lists Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

Ardee Union

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts

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Table with columns: Dispensary District, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Collon No. 2, Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians. Includes entry: To be supplied by the Contractors.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses. Lists Ardee District, Castlebellingham District, Collon No. 2 District, Dunleer District, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

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| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|-------------|---------------------|
| | Archie | Castellington |
| | Colin No. 2 | Do |
| | Daniel | Do |

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Order of Guardians | Amount of Medicines, Ac. in Request |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| To be supplied by the Contractors. | |

On the application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary Districts, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

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

As respects the following Dispensary District in the Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject) _____ the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District the following Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's statement. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year:—

| | | | |
|------------------------|---|---|---|
| Archie District | £ | s | d |
| Castellington District | £ | s | d |
| Colin No. 2 District | £ | s | d |
| Daniel District | £ | s | d |
| Total Union | £ | s | d |

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| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____, dated _____, 19____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---------------------|
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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

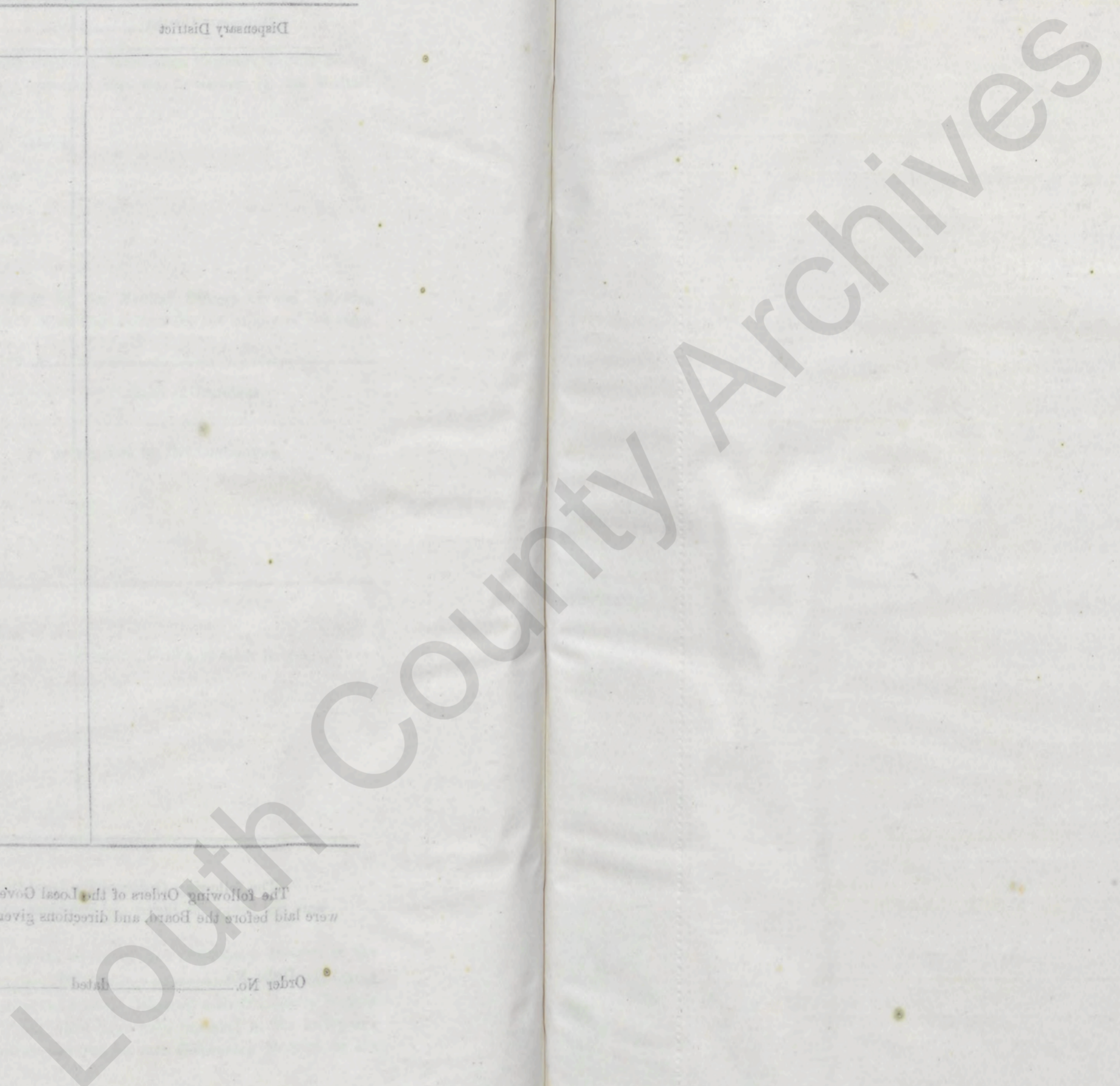
The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or orders made on them respectively, as follows:—

Letter No. _____, dated _____, 19____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

| Residence | Name | Dispensary District |
|-----------|------|---------------------|
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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Acts were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)



The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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[These Reports to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians on the 1st March, 1891.]

Reports (Form P) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

| District | Defaulter |
|----------|-----------|
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

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

That the Honorary Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

Witness my hand and seal this _____ day of _____ 1891.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the _____ day of _____ 1891.

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Guardians

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, were read by the Clerk, and Minutes were taken thereon respectively, to the following effect (or to the following effect, as amended):

[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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
|----------|-------------|
| | |
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| | |
| | |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
|----------|-----|
| | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. L. Kieran
22/12/14.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of December 1914
(Signed) Thomas D. Donaghy
Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value £95,810 s. -

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of December 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 15 years of age | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|---|------|--------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--|---|-------------------|-------|----|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | | | | | | No. in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 101 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 101 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 6 | 27 | 42 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 105 | | 50 | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 27 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 38 | | | | | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 33 | 28 | 45 | 10 | 2 | 12 | 8 | 143 | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 4 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 4 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 16 | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 101 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Males | Females | Children under 15 | TOTAL | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. Relieved during week | 41 | 23 | 13 | 77 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. in Workhouse at date | 2 | 3 | — | 5 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | No. at corresponding period last year, 9 | | | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of December 1914 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 | 55 | 95 | | | | |
| No. II | 50 | 103 | | | | |
| No. III | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 120 | 213 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of December 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair: John L. Kieran, Esq.
Other Guardians: Anthony Malone, Richard Stokes, Joseph S. Harmon, Peter Kerr, John L. Kieran, Thomas Brennan, Patrick M. Reeves, and Thomas Carroll, Esq.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the ... day of ... 19...
REMARKS ON THE ABOVE
REMAINING ON PREVIOUS SATURDAY AS PER LAST RETURN
Admitted during the Week
Born
Discharged during the Week
Died
Total Discharged and Died
Total

REMARKS ON PREVIOUS SATURDAY AS PER LAST RETURN
Admitted during the Week
Born
Discharged during the Week
Died
Total Discharged and Died
Total

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:—

Table with 3 columns: Item, Quantity, and Unit.
Items include: lbs. Arrowroot, Bacon, Barley (Pearl), Brown Bread, White Bread, Bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, Butter, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, Carrots, Cocoa, Cornflour, Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, Jam, lbs. Lentils, Meat, qts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, ozs. Vinegar, gallon Whiskey, bots. Wine, lbs. Blue, Mould Candles, tons Coal, cwts. Coke, lbs. Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

[FORM 14] (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the...day of...19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of...19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a)
DR. £ s. d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians
Repayment of Relief
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts
Loans received
Total amount of Lodgments as above

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of...19...and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.) 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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union. Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19... The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | | Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | Payments ordered during the month |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

| TABLE (b) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|---------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| Sundry Accounts, viz. :— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | | | Outstanding Orders |
| Clothing and Bedding | | | |
| Establishment— | | | |
| (a.) Salaries | | | Net Balance as above due to the Union |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | | | Dated this... day of... |
| (d.) Other Expenses | | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | | |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | | |
| Medical Charities | | | |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | | | |

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending... (Article 7.) 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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union. Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19... The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|---|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | | Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | Payments ordered during the month |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | Total |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

| TABLE (b) | | DR | |
|---|---|----|---------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| Sundry Accounts, viz. :— | | | |
| Provisions and Necessaries | | | Outstanding Orders |
| Clothing and Bedding | | | |
| Establishment— | | | |
| (a.) Salaries | | | Net Balance as above due to the Union |
| (b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | | |
| (c.) Farm | | | Dated this... day of... |
| (d.) Other Expenses | | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | | |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | | |
| Medical Charities | | | |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | | | |

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

Main financial summary table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account, including sections for SUMMARY and RECONCILEMENT.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table of expenses and allowances including Clerk of the Union, Medical Charities, and various other items.

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

Main financial summary table for page 455, including sections for SUMMARY and RECONCILEMENT.

Dated this ... day of ... 19... Clerk of the Union

Additional notes and text at the bottom of page 455.

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

.....19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 19th day of December 1914

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. 1263 to No. 1343
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2285 to No. 2285

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 December 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | | | | | | | |
| Provisions | 27 | 7 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 3 | 50 | 7 | 4 | 21 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 23 | 19 | 8 | 26 | 7 | 8 | | |
| Necessaries | 20 | 10 | 4 | 18 | | | 21 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 17 | 6 | | 6 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 7 | 5 |
| Total | 47 | 17 | 5 | 23 | 8 | 3 | 71 | 15 | 8 | 26 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 29 | 19 | 11 | 41 | 15 | 9 | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 11
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 10 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of December 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. PINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|----|----|---|
| | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. | | | |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 11 | 11 | 3 | 7 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 19 | 12 | 9 | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | 3 | | 2 | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 11 | 11 | 3 | 25 | 76 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 40 | 12 | 9 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 7 | 17 | | 3 | 6 | | 2 | 2 | 18 | 26 | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 12 | | 9 | | 3 | | 14 | | | | |
| 7. Total Relief given | 7 | 9 | 8 | 12 | 6 | 25 | 19 | 6 | 6 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 3 | 2 | 3 | 17 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| 9. Total .. | 11 | 11 | 3 | 25 | 76 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 40 | 12 | 9 |

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 December 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: 22nd day of December 1914.

We visited the house this day and found everything up to date. We inspected the beef, bread, meal, butter, milk, &c., and found them of superior quality.

We recommend that a hut be erected over the pump recently erected in the boys' yard. (Signed)

Anthony Malone

Peter Kerr

Approved: the Master to get the shelter over the pump made by the Workhouse Carpenter.

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

22nd day of December 1914

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

food

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 10.6 degrees for last week same period.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on two days during the week.

Dr. Dillon, and Mr. Fitzpatrick, Local Government Board Inspectors, visited the workhouse on the 17th and 18th instant, respectively.

As directed at last meeting, I served notice on Lawrence Martin to have his wife and children removed from the workhouse, but he has not done so up to the present.

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 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 No. 68.588 : 19 14th Dec 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 14th Dec 1914, pointing out that the Guardians' proposal to increase the allowance in lieu of rations of Nurses Teulin McFarney, and Carroll should be considered after the usual notice of motion, and that the increase of allowance should be measured by the increase of the contract prices of the various articles composing the scale of rations.

Read letter from Patrick Maguire, Porter of the Workhouse, dated 22nd December, 1914, applying to the Guardians to be allowed the money value of the rations at present given to him, as with the money he would be able to procure a more varied diet.

Notice of Motion:

I beg to give notice that on this day fortnight I shall move that Nurses Teulin, McFarney and Carroll and the Porter of the Workhouse be allowed the present money value of their rations calculated according to current contract prices.

W. Speed,

Peter Kerr.

Letter

Letter No. 68.588: 1914, dated 14th December, 1914, referring to the Guardians' minutes of the 14th Dec 1914 and reporting to be informed what exactly were the extra duties performed by the Master during the Matron's illness for discharge which the Guardians propose to remunerate him.

Resolved, to inform the Local Government Board that the Master states that during the Matron's illness he discharged all his duties except in such matters as would require the attention of a female - such as intercourse with the women's ward - and in these matters he had the services of one of the Sisters of Mercy.

Letter No. 68.589/1914, dated 17th December, 1914, returning the amended specification for the installation of electric light in the workhouse, and stating that they saw no objection thereto.

Resolved - that the contract with Mr. John W. M. Keefer, trading as the "Ardee Electric Co.," for the installation of electric light in the Workhouse, according to his amended specification for the sum of £148 be this day sealed with the seal of this Board.

Read letter from Dr. Steen, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, dated 21st December, 1914, recommending that Kate Hoey, a patient in the hospital suffering from carcinoma, be sent to a Dublin hospital for special treatment.

Ordered accordingly by *Mater Hosp. l*

Read

Read letter from the Manager, Patriotic Assurance Co., Dublin, dated 11th December, 1914, referring to previous correspondence between them and the Board of Guardians on the subject of the Guardians' dissatisfaction with the form of accident insurance policy offered by the Company and waiving their right to claim the insurance, but stating that they would claim the premium for the time which they had the Guardians' employees "protected."

The Guardians proceeded to consider fresh tenders for the insurance of their employees against accidents, in accordance with their advertisement, and the tender of the Ocean Accident Co. was accepted.

Ordered - that the fresh advertisement for the supply of potatoes to the workhouse up to the 1st June 1915: tenders to be considered on this day fortnight.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 19th _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the following Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. 81
 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 120

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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 continued was ... Ditto disallowed ... The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

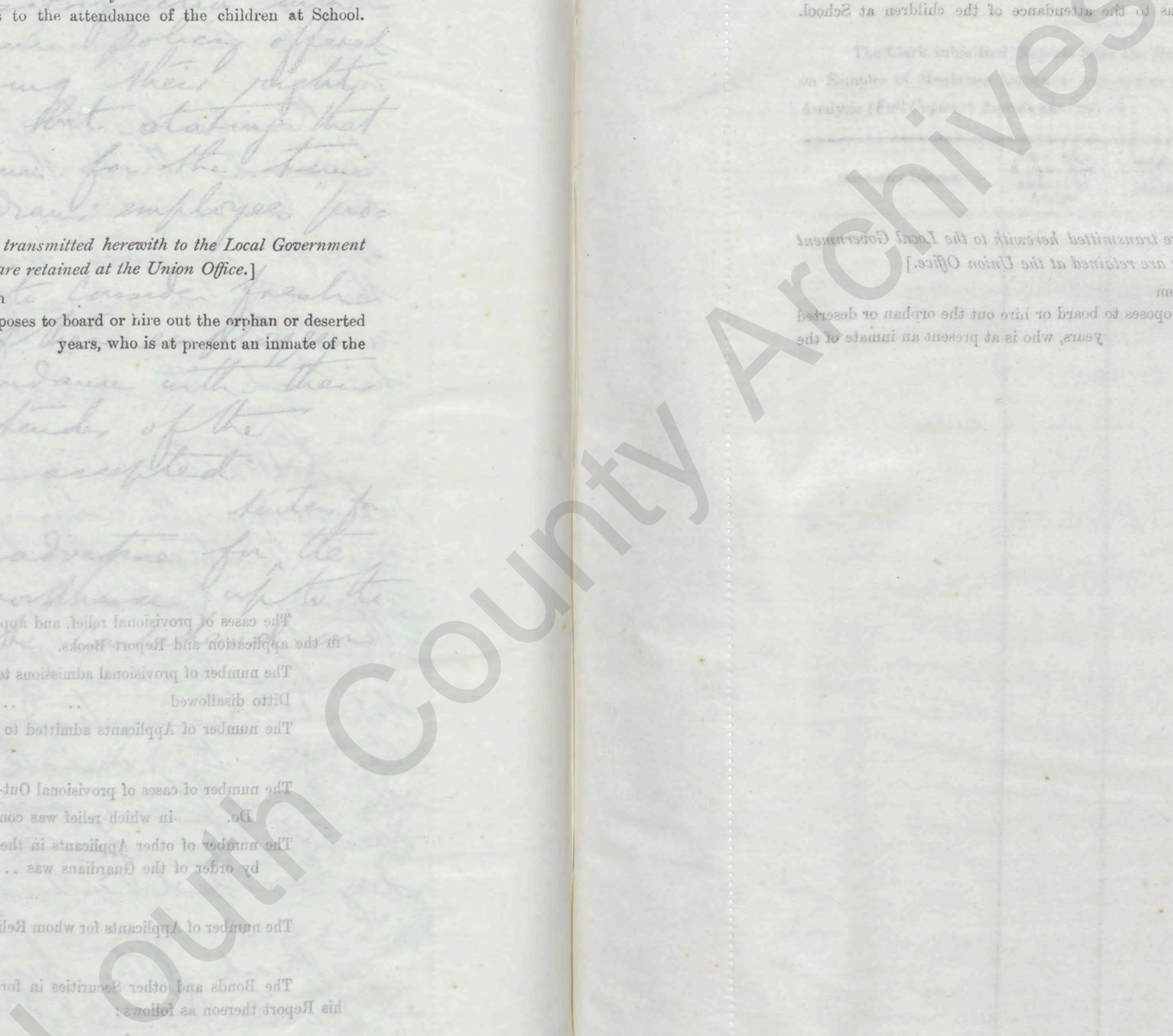
[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

Signed,



Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|---|
| | 19__ | | 19__ | |
| Order of Guardians | | | | Estimates of the Medicines required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:— |
| | | | | Those Costed Medicines &c. in Requisition |
| | | | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Account. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year:— |
| Ardee District | £ | ... | ... | ... |
| Castledillonagh District | £ | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | £ | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | £ | ... | ... | ... |
| ... | £ | ... | ... | ... |
| Total Union | £ | ... | ... | ... |

Signed, _____

 Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

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

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19__ | | | |

Signed, _____

 Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the

22nd day of December 1914

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers for the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table listing Dispensary Districts: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, and Dunleer.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, and Order of Guardians. Includes the note 'To be supplied by the Contractors.'

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1914 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table showing Total Expenses for each Dispensary District: Ardee, Castlebellingham, Collon No. 2, Dunleer, and Total Union.

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Name, and Residence. The table is mostly blank with faint handwriting visible in the background.

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 No. 65640: 1914, dated 12th December, 1914, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 24th Ult. on the subject, and requesting to be informed whether the Relieving Officers had yet served the notices under the on the Defaulters under the Vaccination Acts included in the last lists, Form P, and furnished special reports thereon showing how many of the defaulters had complied with the law and also the number, and names of the defaulters who had disregarded the Notices. —

The Relieving Officers' reports when received should be placed before the Guardians at their next following meeting, with the view to their directing legal proceedings against the persistent defaulters.

Resolved—To inform the Local Government Board that

(1) As regards the Ardee Dispensary District, in which the greatest number of the defaulters reside, no notices have been served by the Relieving Officer, for the reason that so he did not receive sufficient remuneration for the duties of serving the notices, &c., he has resigned those duties, and no other arrangements have been made by the Guardians. [See Minutes of the 2nd and 23rd June, 1914.]

(2) As to the Bellingham Dispensary District. Relieving Officer, Finnegan reports that he had warned all the defaulters. A great number of them had promised to conform to the law next week, when he would again report on the matter.

(3) Colton No. 2 Dispensary District. — Relieving Officer Hallyan reported that all

all the defaulters had complied with the law except three, viz. Patrick McFinnigan, James Joseph, James Joseph, Duncannon, and William Meade, Rathbraunmore; and that in these cases the children were suffering from certain diseases which left them unfit for vaccination.

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

Resolved—that the Local Government Board be again asked to sanction the payment of £2 per annum to Relieving Officer Mathews for serving notices on defaulters so that he may resume his duties under the Vaccination Acts.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the

Clerk of the Board

(Signed)

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., 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.:-

| District | defaulters. |
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Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of 19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | No. |
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were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows :-

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

[Handwritten notes and signatures, including 'J. L. Sullivan' and 'J. H. Drompolt', and a date stamp 'JAN -5 1915'. The text is mostly illegible due to cursive handwriting.]

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 29th day of December 1914.

(Signed) *J. H. Drompolt*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901 - 14,626. Present Net Annual Value £958/10

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of December 1914

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to 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 | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 728 | 104 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 104 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 8 | 10 | 11 |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 24 | 13 | 4 | | 2 | | | 7 | | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 26 | 16 | 27 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 10 | 7 | 10 | 15 | 6 |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 2 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 2 | | | | 1 | 1 | 5 |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 2 | 9 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | | 1 | 1 | 5 |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 7 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 4 |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of December 1914 - 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. | 56 | 96 | | | | |
| No. II. | 50 | 98 | | | | |
| No. III. | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 121 | 209 | | | | |

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on TUESDAY the 29th day of December 1914

PRESENT - In the Chair: -
 Other Guardians: -
Meeting was not held this day
 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:

Table with columns for Observations, Return of Sick and Inmates, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Died, Remaining on the Above, and Night Lodgers or Casuals.

RETURN of Deserving Persons removed out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of ...

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:—

Table listing various provisions and necessities such as lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Meat, gallon Whiskey, etc.

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

Ardee Union

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts and Expenditure for the week ending Saturday, the day of ...

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditure, listing items like County Rates, Rates on Houses, and various other financial entries.

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:—

Table listing various provisions and necessities such as lbs. Arrowroot, lbs. Lentils, ozs. Vinegar, lbs. Bacon, lbs. Meat, gallon Whiskey, etc.

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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| lbs. Arrowroot | lbs. Lentils | ozs. Vinegar |
| „ Bacon | „ Meat | gallon Whiskey |
| „ Barley (Pearl) | qts. Newmilk | bots. Wine |
| „ Brown Bread | ton Oatmeal | lbs. Blue |
| „ White Bread | lbs. Onions | „ Mould Candles |
| bot. Brandy | „ Pease (Split) | tons Coal |
| lbs. Beef Juice | „ Pepper | cwts. Coke |
| „ Butter | ½-bots. Porter | lbs. Brown Soap |
| qts. Buttermilk | brls. Potatoes | „ Lifebuoy Soap |
| lbs. Cabbage | lbs. Rice | „ Sunlight Soap |
| „ Carrots | „ Sago | „ White Soap |
| „ Cocoa | „ Salt | „ Starch |
| „ Cornflour | Syphons Soda Water | „ Washing Soda |
| „ Dripping | lbs. Sugar | |
| doz. Eggs. | „ Tea | |
| lbs. Flour | „ Tobacco | |
| „ Jam | „ Turnips | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the.....day of.....19.....

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of.....19....., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | | |
| Loans received | | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of.....19.....and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 31st day of January 1919. (Article 7.) (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

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

| TABLE (a) | DR | |
|---|-------|-------|
| | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | Total | |
| Repayment of Relief | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | |
| Loans received | Total | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

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

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

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

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Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the day of 19.....

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

| TABLE (a) | DR | |
|---|----|-------|
| | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | |
| Repayment of Relief | | |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | |
| Loans received | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

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

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

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

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

Main financial summary table with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account, and rows for Balance, Total sums received, Payments ordered, and Net Balance.

Table of expenditures with categories like (a) Salaries, (b) Establishment, (c) Clothing and Bedding, (d) Provisions and Necessaries, (e) Sundry Accounts, etc.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

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

TABLE (II) FINANCIAL MINUTES

Main financial summary table for page 473, similar to page 472, with columns for Ordinary Account and Loans Account.

Table of expenditures for page 473, including categories like (a) Salaries, (b) Establishment, etc.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Textual notes and a list of items at the bottom of page 473, including 'The General Average of ...' and 'The Clothing Receipt Book'.

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

19.....

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the 5th day of January 1915

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. 1344 to No. 1398
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2286 to No. 2286

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 December 1914, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stack in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|----|---|---|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | | | |
| Provisions | 26 | 7 | 8 | 45 | 1 | 8 | 72 | 6 | 4 | 13 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 46 | 7 | 8 | 25 | 1 | 8 | | |
| Necessaries | 15 | 1 | | 3 | 4 | | 15 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 17 | 6 | | 6 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 11 | 2 | 7 | 23 |
| Total | 41 | 8 | 8 | 48 | 5 | 8 | 87 | 17 | 9 | 18 | 10 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 52 | 7 | 11 | 85 | 9 | 10 | | | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 9 : 5 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 9 : 9 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : = : =

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of December 1914 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | Relieving Officer | TOTAL |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | V. J. MATHEWS | J. FINNEGAN | D. HALLIGAN | |
| | District No. I. | District No. II. | District No. III. | |
| | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. | £ s. d. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 323 | 1736 | 106 | 2163 |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | 20 | | 6 | 26 |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 232 | 31736 | 706 | 4763 |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | |
| In Money .. | 10 | 10 | 1 | 215 |
| In Kind .. | | | | 236 |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | | 2 | | 2 |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 12 | 9 | 3 | 14 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 112 | 1012 | 518 | 2412 |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week | 120 | 36116 | 426 | 22143 |
| 9. Total .. | 232 | 31736 | 706 | 4763 |

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 1914

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

..... day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

the 26. day of December 1918

| | 1918 | 1919 | 1920 | 1921 | 1922 |
|-------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1. Balance at start of week | 323 | 1736 | 106 | 2163 | |
| 2. Money raised during week | 20 | | 6 | 26 | |
| 3. Total to be at end of week | 232 | 307 | 36 | 706 | 4763 |
| EXPENDITURE | | | | | |
| 1. Balance at start of week | 108 | 0 | 101 | 20 | 26 |
| 2. Money expended during week | | | | | |
| 3. Balance at end of week | | | | | |
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The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 1918

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

| | | | |
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| 12 | 9 | 3 | 14 |
| 112 | 1012 | 218 | 2412 |
| 1203 | 6116 | 426 | 2143 |
| 2325 | 1736 | 706 | 4763 |

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

Date of Visit and Report: day of 19

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. dated 19 referring to an

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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

Date of Visit and Report : day of 19

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

day of 19

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the lactometer was for last week. The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on days during the week.

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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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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 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 No. : 19 , dated , 19 , referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the on the subject, and

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The following Resolutions of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board,
and the following Resolutions were adopted:—

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

Letter No. 19, dated 19, referring to an
order of the Governor-General in Council of the
on the subject, and

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JAMES M. ...

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19____

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Reports and School Attendance Certificates were transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office. The Clerk submitted an application in Form A from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 <u>confirmed</u> was .. | 54 |
| 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 .. | .. |
| The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | 120 |
| 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 confined 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19__

Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19__

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19__ of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Clerk of the Union

Signed,

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the _____ 19

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of _____ 19 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from _____ of _____ who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child _____ aged _____ years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. *[Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]*

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (*Full Copies of Reports annexed*):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report. Includes entries for 19... and 19... with descriptions of medicines and observations.

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the ... half year:—

Summary table for expenses with columns for District, Amount, and Total Union.

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19... The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

Table with 4 columns: Dispensary Districts, Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Number of Samples, Date of Analyst's Report. The table is mostly blank.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts

(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Operations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts

(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

Table with columns: Dispensary District, Collon No., Date when Samples were received by Analyst, Name of Report and Operations.

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

Table with columns: District, Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition, Order of Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended ... 19 ... having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

Table with columns: District, Total Expenses.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts
(14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Ardee | Dispensary District |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Castlebellingham | do. |
| Collon No. 2 | do. |
| Dunleer | do. |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition | | Order of Guardians |
|----------|--|-------|------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. d. | |
| | | | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----|---|---|---|
| Ardee District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | ... | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | ... | £ | : | : |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| Castledillon | do | do |
| Castledillon | do | do |
| Castledillon | do | do |

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

| Order No. | Dated | (state subject) |
|-----------|-------|-----------------|
| 1 | | |
| 2 | | |
| 3 | | |
| 4 | | |
| 5 | | |
| 6 | | |
| 7 | | |
| 8 | | |
| 9 | | |
| 10 | | |

The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. _____ : 19 _____, dated _____, 19 _____, referring to an entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the _____ on the subject, and

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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.:-

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of

19 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz.:-

| District | defaulters. | District. | No. |
|----------|-------------|-----------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. L. Keenan

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 5th day of January 1915

(Signed) James D. Drumfoole Clerk of the Union

Population in 1901 - 14,626.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 9,5810 s.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of Jan. 1915

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated to each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | TOTAL | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 738 | 125 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 46 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 774 | 129 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 71 | 25 | 41 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 9 | 104 | 63 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 35 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 67 | 4 | | |
| Born | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 42 | 7 | 32 | 47 | 5 | 7 | 13 | 8 | 101 | 67 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | 34 | 5 | 2 | | | | | | 41 | | | |
| Died | | | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Total Discharged and Died | | | 34 | 5 | 2 | 1 | | | | | 42 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 8 | 2 | 30 | 46 | 5 | 7 | 13 | 8 | 101 | 67 | | |

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of Jan. 1915 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 Applicants 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. | 57 | 102 | | | | |
| No. II. | 50 | 98 | | | | |
| No. III. | 13 | 13 | | | | |
| TOTAL | 120 | 213 | | | | |

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

the 5th day of January 1915

PRESENT-In the Chair :-

Other Guardians:

John C. Keenan
 Richard Stokes, Peter W. Kello
 James Ingham, Stephen Feehan, Francis M. Guilan,
 Patrick W. Keever, Peter Kerr, Joseph S.
 Harman, Joseph S. Magee, and Eugene J.
 Carahan, Hoyle.

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:

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of ...

Table with columns for RISK AND LEVANT, OBSERVATIONS, and various counts. Includes handwritten entries for 'Remaining on previous Saturday' and 'Admitted during the Week'.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS RELIEVED OUT OF THE WORKHOUSE, as by Retail Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of ...

Small table with columns for 'Total', 'Relieved out of the Workhouse', and 'Relieved out of the Workhouse (not included in the total)'.

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 :-

Table listing provisions and necessities with handwritten quantities. Items include lbs. Arrowroot, Bacon, Barley (Pearl), Brown Bread, White Bread, bot. Brandy, lbs. Beef Juice, Butter, qts. Buttermilk, lbs. Cabbage, Carrots, Cocoa, Cornflour, Dripping, doz. Eggs, lbs. Flour, Jam, lbs. Lentils, Meat, qts. Newmilk, ton Oatmeal, lbs. Onions, Pease (Split), Pepper, 1/2-bots. Porter, brls. Potatoes, lbs. Rice, Sago, Salt, Syphons Soda Water, lbs. Sugar, Tea, Tobacco, Turnips, ozs. Vinegar, gallon Whiskey, bots. Wine, lbs. Blue, Mould Candles, tons Coal, cwts. Coke, lbs. Brown Soap, Lifebuoy Soap, Sunlight Soap, White Soap, Starch, Washing Soda, 6 bot. New Co.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

(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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ... day of ... 19...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of ... 19..., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows :-

TABLE (a) with columns for £, s., d. and rows for County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians, Repayment of Relief, Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce, Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts, Loans received, Total amount of Lodgments as above.

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ... 19... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19... (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.
 Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...

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

| TABLE (a) | DR | |
|---|----|---|
| | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | Payments ordered during the month |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | Total |
| Loans received | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

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

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

| TABLE (b) | DR | |
|---|----|---------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. d. |
| Sundry Accounts, viz:— | | Outstanding Orders |
| Provisions and Necessaries | | |
| Clothing and Bedding | | |
| Establishment— | | Net Balance as above due to the Union |
| (a) Salaries | | |
| (b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | |
| (c) Farm | | Dated this... day of... |
| (d) Other Expenses | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | |
| Medical Charities | | |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | | |

[FORM 14] **TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
 Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the 19th day of 19... (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 Finance meeting.)

Ardee Union.

Finance Meeting, held the... day of... 19...
 The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

| TABLE (a) | DR | |
|---|----|---|
| | £ | s. d. |
| County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians | | Total |
| Repayment of Relief | | Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement |
| Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce | | Payments ordered during the month |
| Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts | | Total |
| Loans received | | |
| Total amount of Lodgments as above | | |

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.
 Payments were ordered to be made for accounts as follows, and the authority for the amount thereof was signed for transmission to the Treasurer.

| TABLE (b) | DR | |
|---|----|---------------------------------------|
| | £ | s. d. |
| Sundry Accounts, viz:— | | Outstanding Orders |
| Provisions and Necessaries | | |
| Clothing and Bedding | | |
| Establishment— | | Net Balance as above due to the Union |
| (a) Salaries | | |
| (b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances | | |
| (c) Farm | | Dated this... day of... |
| (d) Other Expenses | | |
| Workhouse Burials | | |
| Maintenance in Extern Institutions | | |
| Emigration Law and other Expenses | | |
| Medical Charities | | |
| Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers | | |
| Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations | | |
| Superannuation Allowances | | |
| Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers | | |
| Repayment of Loans | | |
| Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief | | |
| Unpaid Bills of last half-year | | |
| Expenditure out of Loans | | |
| Total Amount of Payments ordered as above | | |

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

Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include SUMMARY, RECONCILEMENT, and various financial entries like 'Balance per Bank Book due' and 'Outstanding Orders'.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses and payments such as 'Appliances', 'Clerk of the Union', 'Medical Charities', and 'Unpaid Bills of last half-year'.

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

Table with columns: Union, Ordinary Account, Loans Account. Rows include SUMMARY, RECONCILEMENT, and various financial entries, mirroring the structure of page 490.

Dated this ... day of ... 19...

Table listing various expenses and payments, similar to the table on page 490.



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

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 4.]
(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).

Ardee Union.

Meeting held the.....day of.....1915

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. 1390 to No. 1465
 Separate ,, No. 88 to No. 88
 Outdoor ,, No. 2287 to No. 2287

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.....1915, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

| | Stock in hand at close of preceding week | | | Received during the week | | | Total | | | Consumed during the week | | | Stock in hand at close of this week | | | Collective No. of Days | | | | | |
|-------------|--|----|----|--------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|--------------------------|-------------|-------|-------------------------------------|----|----|------------------------|----|----|----|---|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | By Inmates | By Officers | Total | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Provisions | 25 | 11 | 8 | 20 | 17 | 11 | 46 | 16 | 7 | 22 | 17 | 5 | 2 | 16 | 7 | 25 | 14 | 21 | 27 | | |
| Necessaries | 9 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 3 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 7 | 95 |
| Total | 35 | 9 | 10 | 22 | 10 | 8 | 58 | 0 | 6 | 28 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 31 | 14 | 26 | 6 | 2 | |

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was = : 4 : 11 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary = : 5 : 11
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital = : : 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 Book.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Outdoor Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of January 1915 was submitted as follows:—

| | Relieving Officer V. J. MATHEWS | | Relieving Officer J. FINNEGAN | | Relieving Officer D. HALLIGAN | | TOTAL | |
|--|------------------------------------|-----|----------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|-----|---------|----|
| | District No. I. | | District No. II. | | District No. III. | | £ s. d. | |
| | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. |
| 1. Balance in hands at close of previous week .. | 1203 | 611 | 6 | 426 | 22 | 143 | | |
| 2. Money since advanced by Guardians .. | | | | | | | | |
| 3. Total to be accounted for | 1203 | 611 | 6 | 426 | 22 | 143 | | |
| EXPENDITURE. | | | | | | | | |
| 4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board— | | | | | | | | |
| In Money .. | 719 | 714 | | 1196 | 17 | 126 | | |
| In Kind .. | | | | | | | | |
| 5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility | 6 | | | | | | 6 | |
| 6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out .. | 12 | | | 9 | | | 3 | 14 |
| 7. Total Relief given | 817 | 83 | | 226 | 19 | 26 | | |
| 8. Balance in hands at close of the week .. | 333 | 616 | | 2 | 11 | 119 | | |
| 9. Total | 1203 | 611 | 6 | 426 | 22 | 143 | | |

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 ... 1915

Clerk of Union.

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

Date of Visit and Report: ... day of ... 1915

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

Letter No. ... dated ... referring to ...

The Report of the Master was read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

... day of January 1915

The Provisions and Necessaries received during the week were

Nurse McFartney returned from a week's vacation on the 1st inst.

The Average Daily Register of Cream, as shown by the Lactometer was 11 degrees for last week.

The School Children were out for exercise and recreation on two days during the week.

Acting in orders from the Medical Officer, I employed:

- (1) Henry Wall, at 3/6 per night, to take charge under the supervision of the night nurse, of a delirious patient named John Shein.
- (2) A temporary night nurse (Nurse McFee) and a temporary woodmaid (Rose Reilly) for duty in the Fever Hospital in consequence of the admission of four typhoid cases.

Approved.

Approved: [Signature]

Approved: [Signature]

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

Date of Visit and Report: 1914

Name of Officer: J. F. KELLY

Name of Institution: St. Vincent's Hospital

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 No. 72239: 1914, dated 4th Jan. 1915, referring to an

entry in the Guardians' Minutes of the 22nd Ult. on the subject, and to a proposal to allow three of the Nurses and the Porter of the Workhouse money in lieu of rations, and stating that it was not customary to give money in lieu of rations to officers other than Nuns and nurses. Mr. Kerr accordingly eliminated from his notice of motion the proposal relating to the Porter, and moved

That Nurses Twolin, Macfarlane and Carroll be allowed the money value of their rations, calculated according to current contract prices, which as computed by the Clerk, amounts to £0.9.10 each per week.

Motion seconded by Mr. Farahan, and carried unanimously.

Letter No. 69092: 1914, dated 21st December 1914, stating that they saw no objection to the Specification of the proposed works in connection with improving the Consumption shed and making concrete paths in the Infirmary yards.

Resolved

Resolved - That the Tender of Francis Baldwin, Arda, be accepted for carrying out the improvements in the Consumption shed and making concrete paths, for the sum of £33.10.0

Read letter from the Manager of the Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation Ltd., dated 21st December 1914, enclosing covering note for the insurance of the Guardians' employees against accidents, pending the issue of the policy.

In accordance with notice the Guardians proceeded to consider the Annual Estimate of the funds required for the ensuing year.

Resolved that the Clerk's Estimate of the funds required for the year ending 31st March 1916, amounting to £5805, be approved, and that a Demand in the appropriate form be made on the County Councils of South and North, respectively, for the provision of their proportionate amounts of that sum.

Resolved - That the Tender of Joseph Meehan, Cappoq, be accepted for the supply of Potatoes to the Workhouse up to the 1st June next, at £0.9.4 per barrel.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 2nd of December, 1911

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of December 1911 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out as well as a series by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School.

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [Name] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child [Name] aged [Age] years, who is at present an inmate of the Workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

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 .. 67
- 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 119
- 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 TUESDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19____

(Signed), _____ Clerk of the Union.

ARDEE UNION.

Minute Sheet of Proceedings in relation to Children Boarded and Hired Out by the Board of Guardians, &c.

Meeting of Board of Guardians held on TUESDAY, the 5th January 1915

This at the first meeting in each month.

The Clerk submitted Reports for the month of December 1914 of the Relieving Officers of the Union on the children placed out at nurse and at service by the Board of Guardians in their respective Districts, also School Teachers' Certificates as to the attendance of the children at School,

which were satisfactory. Relieving Officer, Finnefan was absent from the meeting having to attend the Quarter Session Court, and his report has been consequently delayed.

[The Reports and School Attendance Certificates are transmitted herewith to the Local Government Board for their information. Duplicates of the Reports are retained at the Union Office.]

The Clerk submitted an application, in Form A, from [redacted] who proposes to board or hire out the orphan or deserted child aged [redacted] years, who is at present an inmate of the workhouse. [Copy of Form A enclosed with Minutes.]

Order made by Guardians thereon:—

The Master of the Workhouse reported that Stephen Weldon, a child who had been boarded out with Joseph Smith Salpatrick, returned to the Workhouse on the 2nd inst. the foster-parent not being any longer in a position to keep him. Being the wife having died. The Guardians will endeavour to find another foster-parent for the child.

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief in which relief was granted 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 TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

Clerk of the Union.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

Ardee Union.

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

Special Minute Sheet in relation to Analysis of Medicines.

Meeting of Board of Guardians, held on TUESDAY, the ... day of ... 19...

The Clerk submitted Reports from the Medicine Analyst for the Union (Mr. Walter Thorp, F.I.C.) on Samples of Medicines hereunder referred to, from the following Dispensary Districts, sent to him for Analysis (Full Copies of Reports annexed):—

| Dispensary Districts | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | Number of Samples | Date of Analyst's Report | Nature of Report and Observations |
|----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 19 | | 19 | |

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

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

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|-----------------------|--|-------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | 19__ | | 19__ | Estimates of the Medicines &c. required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board with Requisitions for the supply of the same and directions were given thereon as stated:— District: _____ Gross Cost of Medicines &c. in Requisition: _____ To be supplied by the Contractors. |
| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |
| Ardee District | £ | | | |
| Castledilany District | £ | | | |
| Dunler District | £ | | | |
| Total Union | £ | | | |

Clerk of the Union.

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| | | | | On the Application of the Medical Officer of the following Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:— |
| | | | | An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:— |
| Ardee District | £ | | | |
| Castledilany District | £ | | | |
| Dunler District | £ | | | |
| Total Union | £ | | | |

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Ardee Union.

Meeting held on TUESDAY, the 5th day of January 1915

MINUTES of Proceedings under the Medical Charities Acts (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68, &c.)

This at the First Meeting in each month. The Clerk submitted the Medical Relief Registers, Vaccination Registers, Report Books and Midwives' Registers from the following Dispensary Districts, forwarded by the Medical Officers for examination:—

| Dispensary District | Date when Samples were received by Analyst | No. of Samples | Analyst's Report |
|---------------------|--|----------------|------------------|
| Ardee | do. | | |
| Castlebellingham | do. | | |
| Collon No. 2 | | | |
| Dunleer | | | |

Estimates of the Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, with Requisitions for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as stated:—

| District | Gross Cost of Medicines, &c., in Requisition £ s. d. | Order of Guardians |
|------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Castlebellingham | 8 14 10 | To be supplied by the Contractors. |

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other Requisites, were ordered to be supplied:—

This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts. An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1915 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer 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:—

| | | | |
|---------------------------|---|---|---|
| Ardee District | £ | : | : |
| Castlebellingham District | £ | : | : |
| Collon No. 2 District | £ | : | : |
| Dunleer District | £ | : | : |
| Total Union | £ | : | : |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens.] The Board appointed the following to be Wardens for the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a return according to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply each Warden with Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2 and E 3):—

| Dispensary District | Name | Residence |
|---------------------|------|-----------|
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |

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

Order No. _____ dated _____ (state subject)

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Health on the 1st March each year, viz:—

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:—

| District | Detailers |
|----------|-----------|
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

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

That the Detailing Officers for the respective Districts notice the detailers to comply with the law.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday, the _____ day of _____ 1812

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Board

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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. :-

| | | |
|-------|----------|-------------|
| _____ | District | defaulters. |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |

Reports (Form H) of the number of persons successfully vaccinated during the half-year or quarter ended the last day of Decr 1914 from the Medical Officers of the following Districts were submitted, showing the numbers of cases of successful vaccinations viz. :-

| | | |
|--------------|----------|-------|
| for Bellinfa | District | No. 6 |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |
| _____ | " | " |

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

That the Relieving Officers for the respective Districts notice the defaulters to comply with the law.

J. C. Keenan

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on TUESDAY, the 12th day of January 1915
(Signed) *Thomas D. Dunfoole*
Clerk of the Union.

