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Drogheda UNION. 1

Population in 1901—*29212*. Present Net Annual Value, £*12648/7/0*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *16* day of *Augt.* 19 *13*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 4 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	<i>76</i>	<i>224</i>														
Temporary Buildings ..	<i>58</i>	<i>5</i>														
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. .																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	<i>134</i>	<i>229</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			<i>23</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>223</i>	<i>169</i>	<i>48</i>			
Admitted during the Week			<i>34</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>-</i>			
TOTAL,			<i>57</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>301</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>18</i>			
Discharged during the Week			<i>33</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>72</i>					
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			<i>33</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>72</i>					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			<i>24</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>229</i>					
												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, <i>169</i>		In separate Wards <i>48</i>		
												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, <i>35</i>		In Wards with other inmates <i>-</i>		
												TOTAL, <i>74</i>		TOTAL, <i>18</i>		
NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS																
												Males	Fe-males	Children	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week <i>19</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>35</i>	
												No. in Work-house at date <i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i>	
												No. at Corresponding period, last year <i>228</i>				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *16* day of *Augt.* 19 *13*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	<i>76</i>	<i>123</i>					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	<i>58</i>	<i>95</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>43</i>	<i>78</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>28</i>	<i>46</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.	<i>10</i>	<i>26</i>					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	<i>216</i>	<i>369</i>					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *19* day of *August* 19 *13*.

PRESENT—In the Chair, — *Peter Lynch Esq JP*
 Other Guardians:— *Mr. MacIntyre, Messrs. Clarke, Noonan, Kelly, J. W. O'Connor, O'Keefe, B. Murphy, A. Cullough, McEabie, L. O'Hara*

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

visited the house today found everything in excellent order.
we recommend a fender for lower Infirmary, also slip
nailed to stairs lower Infirmary to prevent accidents

Signed Thos McQuinn

19. 8. 1913.

Thos J. O'Leary

Notes Adopted.

visiting committee for coming week Messrs McQuinn
McQuinn for window & door

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

Achieving Masters Report. 19 August 1913

Nurse Mooney went on leave of absence on the 12th Inst.
Nurse Hammon is acting as substitute at £1:5:0 a week with rations

Achieved named Joseph Blayney from Balthay was admitted to the Fever Hospital on the 12th Inst suffering from Scarlatina
Three children named Curran were admitted to the Fever Hospital on the 15th Inst suffering from Scarlatina
The above children are from Scabbs Street.

The Master went on leave of absence on the 15th Inst.

Mr J.B. Deane L.G.B. Inspector visited the workhouse on the 18th Instant:

while being conveyed in the ambulance to the workhouse Hospital on Saturday the 16th Instant a man named Thomas Smith, Sampsons Lane was found to be dead.

At an inquest held in the workhouse on Monday the 18th Inst. on the remains of the above, Thomas Smith the jury returned the following verdict

We find the said Thomas Smith died 16th Aug 1913 from fracture of the skull the result of a fall received in Chemicalyard Marsh Road Drogheda.

Note Adopted.

The Guardians accepted the offer ^{of Ed Morgan} (highest received) to purchase eight pigs for the sum of £45:10:0

On the recommendation of the witness medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Violet Owens to Royal Victoria Hospital for treatment of the eyes.

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

Read Letter from L.G.B. No 43183 dated 13th Instant.
Sanction to the payment of £1:5:0 a week rations to the Misses Hammon temporary substitute for Nurse McLann on leave

Read Letter from Local Government Board No 43721 dated 16th Instant questions for answers re Nurse employed as substitute for nurse Mooney on vacation

Note. Misses Hammon (referred to in above letter No 43183)

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

Referring to L.G.B. letter No 38964 dated 23rd Ultimo.

The following was read.

Lower Infirmary. 19. 8. 1913.

Ladies & Gentlemen

In order to meet the requirements of the L.G.B. towards sanctioning the increase of salary which you unanimously voted to me recently, I now beg to formally tender my resignation as nurse in Hospital and I trust that you will see your way to re-elect me at the increased salary

Thanking you in anticipation

Your obedient Servant

S. J. McEann

Note. Miss McEann's resignation accepted by the Guardians.

The Guardians appointed Miss McEann to act as temporary nurse at the rate of £25 a year until permanent appointment is made on 2nd Sep.

On the motion of Mr N. J. Murphy seconded by Mr Kelly the Guardians unanimously fixed the salary for the incoming nurse at £35 a year.

Notice of Appointment.

The Clerk was directed to issue advertisements for a trained Nurse for night duty alternate months Upper Infirmary and for day duty alternate months Lower Infirmary at a salary of £35 a year with rations & Apartment.

Appointment to take place on 2nd Sept. 1913.

Each Guardian to be notified.

The Clerk was directed to write Drogheda Corp. The increased rate charged for water supplied to workhouse for it ended June 1913. (viz 1/- per 1000 gals) also not to be paid for the present.

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 - 8

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 2

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 1

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 3

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: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 26th day of August 1913

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 1917

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 19 day of August 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4184 to No. 4261.
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. —
 Out door ,, No. 1997 to No. 1998.

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 16 day of August 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.				
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.					
Provisions ...	56	11	5	44	11	1	20	2	6	44	14	2	4	10	4	49	4	6	15	18	-		
Necessaries ...	28	3	4	9	5	2	9	1	3	9	7	2	9	1	-	8	3	5	2	8	3	1	1631
TOTAL ...	84	14	9	53	11	6	4	2	6	3	5	1	6	5	11	13	7	11	4	3	18	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 8³/₄.
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 1¹/₄.
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 5 : 2¹/₄.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Aug 1913 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <i>Tomme</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Mullen</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Larry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McQuinn</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2	16	5	3	13	7	1	18		2	14	8	1	6	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	13			8			8			4			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	16	5	11	13	7	9	18		6	14	8	3	6	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11			6	8	6	6	16		4	6		1	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. Total Relief given ...	11			6	8	6	3	2		4	6		1	15	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	15	11	3	5	1	3	2		2	8	8	1	11	11
9. Total ...	15	16	5	11	13	7	9	18		6	14	8	3	6	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 19 day of Aug 1913

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda

Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 19 day of August 1913.

PRESENT : In the Chair,

Other Guardians :— *Same Guardians.*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____			Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The Guardians accepted the tender of Peter W. Lamm to supply two medicine presses for St. Peter's Disp. at £3:10:0 each.

Read Letter from Mrs. Therman forwarding agreement to be signed by Guardians Re the tenancy of Quay house as a Dispensary Depot.

The Clerk of Union
Drogheda,
Dear Sir,

W. 92.793. Guide Pres.
Dublin 12th Aug. 1913.

Referring to your recent letter enclosing copy of analyst report on Nit. Senesol. supplied to St. Peter's no 2 Disp. we venture to think that as the report shows the drug so slightly below the standard required for Solids, all other points being correct, that the L.G.B. will not require us to replace the quantity. We accordingly await your further instructions until you have time to communicate with them on the subject.

Yours faithfully
Boileau & Boyd L^{rs}
W. H. Boyd, Director

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

To the Chairman Drogheda Board of Guardians
Sir,

I beg to report that the one vaccination defaulter in St. Peter's District says the child has been vaccinated. He does not intend bringing it back for inspection.

Yours obediently

19. 8. 1913.

John D. Corry

Note. No order made.

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Mary Mackintosh

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 26 day of Aug 1913

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of August 1913

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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																	
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hosp...																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	31	85	60	4	6	11	8		220	Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 71	In separate Wards } 18			
Admitted during the Week			37	20	5	4		2		1		69	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 5	In Wards with other Inmates } -			
TOTAL,			61	51	90	64	6	8	11	9		298	TOTAL, } 76	TOTAL, } 18			
Discharged during the Week			30	18	6	5		1	2	1		63					
Died			30	18	6	5		1	2	1		64					
Total Discharged and Died			30	18	6	5		1	2	1		64					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			31	33	83	59	4	7	9	8		234					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	Females	Children	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week	26	13	1	40
													No. in Workhouse at date	12	4	-	16
													No. at Corresponding period last year: 223				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of August 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	77	124					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	59	96					No. X.						
No. III.	43	78					No. XI.						
No. IV.	29	46					No. XII.						
No. V.	10	26					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	218	370					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26th day of August 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Mrs Mackintosh
Other Guardians:— Messrs N. J. Murphy, Gannis, Hogan, Clarke, Kelly, McDonnell, Glover

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

Visited the House to-day; found everything in good order; no complaints from any of the inmates

26. 8. '13 signed John McDonnell
Patrick Black

Visiting Committee for coming week
Messrs L. G. Keon & G. Keon Messrs
& L. Murphy —

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

Master's Report 26th August 1913

I received £43.10.0 for 8 pigs. I returned 87. as luckpenny. I purchased 9 pigs for £18

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

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

Read. Letter from L.G.B. N^o 45165 dated 25th instant: questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed nurse on the 2nd. September in succession to Miss McKeann resigned.

Read. Letter from L.G.B. N^o 45165 dated 25th instant: sanction to payment of £1.5.0 a week & rations to Miss Hannon, temporary substitute for Nurse Mooney on two weeks vacation

Miss Kate Deary, wardmaid, Fever Hospital applied for and was allowed 4 weeks vacation

Read. Copy of Resolution passed by Guardians of Castlecomer Union re insertion of advertisement in the Freeman's Journal

Note. On occasion when advertisement is necessary in a Metropolitan paper, the Freeman's Journal to get preference

Dr. Hamill, W.H. M.O applied for & was allowed 4 weeks vacation. Dr Mcullen appointed substitute at £3-3-0 a week.

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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 2nd day of September 1913

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION,

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 26 day of Augt 1913

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

Indoor, from No. 4262 to No. 4330

Separate ,, No. 16 to No. _____

Out door ,, No. 1999 to No. 2002

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 23 day of augt 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.								
Provisions ...	15	1	8	4	5	11	19	4	3	11	4	6	6	4	4	1	2	5	7	6	1	4	3	16	5	157 1/2
Necessaries ...	2	8		4	6	7	3	4	11	7	4	10	-	1	8	10	8	3	8	3	3	5	17	3		
TOTAL ...	17	9	8	8	11	18	22	7	11	11	10	16	6	5	1	2	5	15	13	9	10	13	19	8		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 9

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 14 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 5 : 8

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of August 1913 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <i>Dunn</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Mullin</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Cory</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McQuillan</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Dunn</i> TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	15	11		3	5	1	3	2		2	8	8	1	11	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	11			9			7			4			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	15	11	12	5	1	10	2		6	8	8	3	11	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	3	6	8	11		6	16		4	8	6	1	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. Total Relief given ...	11	3	6	8	11		6	16		4	8	6	1	15	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	12	5	3	14	1	3	6		2	2		1	16	11
9. Total ...	15	15	11	12	5	1	10	2		6	8	8	3	11	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 26 day of August 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26th day of August 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr Mackintosh*
Other Guardians :—

Same Guardians

£9. 10. 4
An Estimate of Medicines, &c. required by the Medical Officers of the Workhouse & the St Marys Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

Forward to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	for _____	Amount,
			£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Agreement, Miss M. V. Hernan, with the Drogheda Board of Guardians, Dispensary premises, North Quay, Drogheda signed by Guardians on this day.

Read Letter from L. G. B. dated 20th August 1913 re proposed increase of salary to Mrs Clarke, Midwife Duleck, District stating that they will defer the consideration of the question until they are in a position to form an estimate of the effects of the operations of the Insurance Act on her employment in Dispensary cases.

Note. Copy to be forwarded Mrs Clarke

Increase of £3 a year,
granted on 23 July 13

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[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :—

Not signed

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 2nd day of September 1913

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—29512.

Present Net Annual Value, £126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of Sept 1913.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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																
Temporary Buildings ..	76	221														
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..	58	5														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		822														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			31	33	83	59	4	7	9	8		234	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 73	In separate Wards } 17		
Admitted during the Week			37	17	9	2	3		2	3		73	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 5	In Wards with other inmates } -		
TOTAL,			68	50	92	61	7	7	11	11		307	TOTAL, } 78	TOTAL, } 17		
Discharged during the Week			43	19	8	3	1	2	1	3		80				
Died												1				
Total Discharged and Died			43	19	8	4	1	2	1	3		81				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	31	84	57	6	5	10	8		226				No. at Corresponding period last year 226

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Sept 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	76	123					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	60	96					No. X.						
No. III.	43	77					No. XI.						
No. IV.	29	46					No. XII.						
No. V.	10	26					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	218	368					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of September 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians :—

Peter Lynch Esq. JP.
Wm Mackintosh Messrs Emis W Fox Callan
Clarke Kelly Thomas Noonan Comyns
J. J. Murphy

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No report from visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week. Messrs. T. J. Murphy,
Noahs Agonan & Obama.

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

Masters Report. 2 Oct 1913.

I respectfully request an order for outfit allowed to Patrick Curran who is about to be discharged from the Fever Hospital

Nurse ^{Mooney} ~~Cogan~~ returned from leave of absence last Tuesday evening, and nurse Stannon left here on the following morning

Nurse Cogan returned from leave of absence last Saturday and Nurse Lowry left same date.

There is sheeting to be compared with the sample. Miss Deary went on leave of absence last Friday

Note Order issued for outfit, sheeting to be examined

On the recommendation of the workhouse Medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send Mary Gibney to R. V. Eye Hospital for special treatment

Read copy of Ejectment notice served on Relieving Officer. L. J. Branigan v. McLooney, Chester Lane, Francis Gormley v. James McKeever George Greet

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

Read letter from L.G.B. No 45910, dated 28 ultimo sanction to the payment of £3.3.0. a week to Mr McEileen, temporary medical officer workhouse during vacation of Dr Stannell.

Read letter from L.G.B. No 46144, dated 30 ult forwarding copy of Report of Mr E. M. Barron auditor on his audit of Union a/c for the half years ended 30 Sep 1912. & 31. March 1913. with attested abstract

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

Read circular letter from L.G.B. No 28465 dated 28 ult re books to facilitate the keeping of the a/c's rendered necessary by new dietaries in Irish workhouses. Note Suitable books in use in this workhouse. Read application from Mr James Bourne workhouse tailor for increase in salary

res. To be considered on 16th inst each Guardian to be notified

Referring to minutes of 19 ult. In accordance with advertisements & notice to each member the Board proceeded to elect a trained nurse for workhouse infirmary at a salary of £36 a year with rations and apartment. There was only one application viz from Miss D. J. Whann

Proposed by Mr Noonan seconded by Mr Gorman and carried unanimously. That Miss D. J. Whann be appointed

Analysis.

Sweetmilk thro Hughes Contractor Drogheda w stone
12 Aug. 1913. Slightly under average

Chas Cameron

19 Aug. 1913.

Note due 7/6 to be paid by Contractor in accordance
with terms of Bond

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 - 12

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - -

Do. 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 - 2

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

9 day of Sept. 193

(Signed)

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

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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.

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Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
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(a) Salaries			
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(d) Other Expenses,			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
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Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
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Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief			
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Unpaid Bills of last half year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
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	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
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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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Broughda 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.)

Meeting held the 2 day of Sept. 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4331 to No. 4403
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. -
 Out door ,, No. 2002 to No. -

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

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

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	143	16	5	50	9	-	194	5	5	45	3	4	4	10	4	49	13	8	144	11	9	1537
Necessaries ...	335	17	3	34	17	3	370	14	6	7	3	1	1	8	8	2	9	362	10	9		
TOTAL ...	479	12	8	85	6	3	564	19	11	52	6	5	5	11	-	57	17	5	507	2	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 45 : 92 3/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 2 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 8 1/4

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

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

	Relieving Officer <i>Dunnell</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Muller</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Corry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McQuillan</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Howrey</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	12	5	3	14	1	3	6		2		2	1	16	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	11			8			7			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	12	5	11	14	1	10	6		7		2	3	16	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	10	18	6	8	13	6	6	17		4	8	6	1	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. Total Relief given ...	10	18	6	8	13	6	6	17		4	8	6	1	15	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	13	11	3		7	2	9		2	11	8	2	1	11
9. Total ...	15	12	5	11	14	1	10	6		7		2	3	16	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 2 day of Sep 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Woghera Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2 day of Sep 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:— *[Signature]*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.		£	s.	d.
Account of Mr.	for	Amount,		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 19

_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read letter from to meath Insurance Committee dated 1st Inst. inquiring if the Board would allow their medical adviser Dr Warren on a day in each week suitable to the Deputy Dr. the use of the form Dr. Drury for one hour for the treatment of Tuberculosis patients.

Proposed by Mr D. J. Murphy & seconded by Mr Fallon, That the application be not granted.

Amendment proposed by Mr O'Connor & seconded by Mr O'Connor. That consideration of this application be postponed to next meeting, the clerk to place before the Meeting an application on this subject made to the Guardians some time ago by the meath Co Council

The chairman did not put the question to the meeting and ordered that the application read at this meeting and application made by Co Council some time ago (Minutes 13th Dec 1913) be brought forward at next meeting

Mr Turley Archd was directed to have a new lavatory basin erected in Doctor's room New Disp North Quay

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :-

Laurence McKeeon

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :-

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

9 day of Sept 1913

(Signed) *[Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901- 29212

Present Net Annual Value, £126408.170

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of Sept 1913

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm Persons, 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 (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hosp., Fever Sheds, and summary rows for Admitted, Discharged, and Died.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of Sept 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse., RELIEF DISTRICTS., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I. to No. XVII. and a Car. forwrd row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of September 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — *Laurence McKeeon Esq.*
Other Guardians: — *Mrs Branigan, Mrs Mackittrick, Mrs Melvane, Clarke, McCallough, Kelly, Donegan, N. J. Murphy, Byrne, Gannon, G. McGivver, Courtney, McCabe, Wynn, Bunnis, O'Connor, J. Butcher, M. McKeeon, Ogle, J. J. Ballan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

We visited the House, and inspected the Hospitals everything appeared to be in continually increasing good order and efficiency. No requisition made to us. We have no other observations to make

9th Sept 1913 N. J. Murphy
Chancellor

Visiting Committee for coming week—
Messrs Oyle, Riath, Reilly + Roche

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

Master's Report 9th. September, 1913

I returned 12 lbs butter rejected by the Guardians last meeting & I purchased 12 lbs instead at 175th per lb

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

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

Read Notification from Louth Co. Council: transfer of £1187 15 3 to Union Fund.

Read Reports of National Boiler Insurance Co. on their inspection of the Workhouse Boilers

Note Referred to Architect

The Committee appointed for that purpose submitted revised Tender Form for Workhouse supplies (groceries)

Note Adopted.

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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 - 7

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - —

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - —

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - - —

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 2

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - - —

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 16th day of September 1913

(Signed), Thomas Dowdall (per J.B.)
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 9th day of September 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4404 to No. 4476

Separate ,, No. 16 to No. —

Out door ,, No. 2003 to No. —

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of September 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	144	11	9	44	10	2	189	1	11	44	13	7	4	1	5	48	15	0	140	6	11	152 3
Necessaries ...	362	10	9	10	12	5	373	3	2	7	4	10	18	10	8	3	8	36	4	19	6	
TOTAL ...	507	2	6	55	2	7	562	5	1	51	18	5	5	0	3	56	18	8	50	5	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 9 1/4
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 3
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 6 : 8 1/2

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

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

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

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

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	Dunnane			Mullen			Lorrey			Downey			Downey		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	13	11	3	0	7	3	9	0	2	11	8	2	1	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	11			9			7			4			1		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	13	11	12	0	7	10	9	0	6	11	8	3	1	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	10	18	6	8	13	6	6	12	0	4	11	6	1	18	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	0	0	1	10	0				10					
7. Total Relief given ...	11	18	6	10	3	6	6	12	0	5	1	6	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	3	15	5	1	17	1	3	17	0	1	10	2	1	3	11
9. Total ...	15	13	11	12	0	7	10	9	0	6	11	8	3	1	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 9th day of September 1913.

Thomas Dowdall
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of September 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lawrence McKinnon Esq
Other Guardians :—

Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

With reference to minutes of last meeting the request of the Meath Insurance Committee for the use of the John St Dispensary, ^{for one hour each week} for treatment of tuberculosis patients was again before the Board

Mr John Smyth, solicitor presented a petition of the inhabitants of John St + neighbourhood asking that the request of the Insurance Committee be refused

Proposed by Mr G. M^e Ivor + seconded by Mr O'Connor:—
"That the application of the Committee be granted"

A amendment proposed by Mr Kelly + seconded by Mr McElwaine:—
"That the application be refused"

On a division the amendment was carried by 14 votes to 14

Mr J. J. Ballan handed in the following Notice of Motion:—
"I beg to give notice that I will move on this day fortnight that the Resolution passed on 13th. March 1913 granting the Meath Co. Council the use of John St Dispensary for treatment of tuberculosis patients be rescinded."

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

Laurence McKeon

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 16th day of September 1913

(Signed), Thomas Dowdall (per RB)
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—29012.

Present Net Annual Value, £4648:17:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of Dec 1913

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 6 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	764	717														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..	58	4														
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	822	721														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			31	28	80	56	3	6	8	6		218	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 70	In separate Wards } 17		
Admitted during the Week			63	19	8	2						92	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 4	In Wards with other Inmates } -		
TOTAL,			94	47	88	58	3	6	8	6		310	TOTAL, } 74	TOTAL, } 17		
Discharged during the Week			63	17	3		1	1				86				
Died					2	1						3				
Total Discharged and Died			63	17	5	1	1					89				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			31	30	83	57	2	5	8	5		221				
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
													Males	Fe-males	Children	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during week } 34	12		46
													No. in Work-house at date } 11	2	-	13
													No. at Corresponding period, last year, 219.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 day of Dec 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	97	134					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.	60	96					No. XI.						
No. IV.	42	72					No. XII.						
No. V.	30	47					No. XIII.						
No. VI.	11	27					No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	220	366					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of September 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Lawrence McKeeon Esq.
Other Guardians:— Mr Mackittrick Messrs McLane Clarke, Noonan, McLullough, Kelly, Fay O'Reilly, Reilly, Ballan, Gannon N. J. Murphy, P. D. Mc Ivor.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

No Report from Visiting Committee

*Visiting Committee for coming week:—
Mr Branigan, Messrs Branigan, D. Butterly + J. Butterly*

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

Masters Report 16th. Sept 1913

I respectfully request an order for outfits for Mary, Bridget & Charles Lurran + Joseph Blaney, patients in Fever Hospital. There is shrouding to be examined by the Committee.

Note. Outfits ordered. Shrouding to be examined

Read Letter from L.G.B. No 47387 dated 10th. instant sanction to appointment of Miss Julia McEann as Infirmary Nurse at a salary of £35 a year with rations and apartments

Read Letter from National Insurance Commissioners drawing attention to Sec 6 of the National Insurance Act 1913 re insurance of employees of Boards of Guardians and other Public Bodies + stating that they have under consideration the making of a special order dealing with the matter

Note. Consideration postponed pending receipt of order.

Read. Paying order, £11.12.1 from Army Pay Office for maintenance of an inmate named M. Cassidy

Read Letter from Mr M. G. Maxwell asking attention to a piece of shrouding supplied by him under contract and rejected by the Matron.

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

Wardmistress Halligan applied for and was allowed a month's leave of absence, the Master to make provision for the discharge of her duties by some suitable person at present in the House or to employ a substitute at a rate not exceeding 5/- a week + rations.

Read Letter from Margaret Moran, Greenlanes, asking Out-door Relief

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

Note. Refused. Widow with one child

On the recommendation of the Workhouse M.O. the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Mary Plunkett to the R. V. Eye & Ear Hospital ^{Dublin} for special treatment

In accordance with notice to each Member the application of the Workhouse tailor as follows for increase in salary was considered

Mary Street 2/9/13

Ladies & Gentlemen

I am fourteen years in your service during which I have never received an addition to my salary. As the cost of living has increased would thank you for an increase in my weekly wages

James Connor
Workhouse Tailor

Proposed by Mr Ballan, seconded by Mr Noonan and passed unanimously

"That the salary of the tailor be increased from £1 a week to £1.7.6 a week"

Sanction requested

Mr J. Moore was appointed Stocktaker for half year ending 30th September at a fee of £2.10.0

(Mr Moore has done this work satisfactorily on previous occasions)

In accordance with advertisements + notice to each Member, the Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for half-yearly supplies of Bread, Meat, Meal + Groceries when the following were accepted:-

Bread (only one tender received) W. G. Steffington
White Bread 3/1^a per 20 lbs
Brown Bread 2/10^a " "

Meat (only one tender received) Christopher Reilly
Beef 9^a per lb, Mutton 9^a per lb.

Meal, Oats Bran (only one tender received) Tho Ballan
Oatmeal 12/6 per cwt.
Indianmeal 7/3 " "
Oats 12/- per bbl
Bran 6/6 per cwt

For Groceries only one tender was received which not being on the Board's form was rejected as informal and the clerk was directed to re-advertise the contract. Tenders to be considered on the 30th instant each Guardian to be notified

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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 23rd day of September 1913

(Signed), Thomas Dowdall (per R.B.)
Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 1917

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Louth 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.)

Meeting held the 16 day of Jan 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4477 to No. 4568.
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. -
 Out door ,, No. 2004 to No. 2005

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 13 day of Jan 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.			
Provisions ...	144	11	9	44	10	2	189	1	11	44	13	7	4	1	5	48	15	140	6	11	
Necessaries ...	36	10	9	10	12	5	373	3	2	7	4	10		18	10	8	38	36	4	19	6,152
TOTAL ...	507	26	5	54	22	7	562	5	13	51	18	5	5	3	56	18	8	505	6	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 10
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 10
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 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 Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

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

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	3	15	5	1	17	1	3	17		1	10	2	1	3	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12			8			7			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	15	5	9	17	1	10	17		6	10	2	3	3	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	2		8	13	6	6	14	6	4	11	6	2	1	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	2		8	13	6	6	14	6	4	11	6	2	1	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	13	5	1	3	7	4	2	6	1	18	8	1	5	11
9. Total ...	15	15	5	9	17	1	10	17	0	6	10	2	3	3	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 16th day of Sept 19 13

Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of September 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lawrence McKern Esq.
Other Guardians :—

Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the St Peter's W.D. Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

Amount £ 32-12-8, forward to Contractors
a special Requisition for a Thomas hip splint by the Workhouse M.O. was passed and ordered to be forwarded to contractor

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.
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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Read Letter from L.G.B N^o 45166 dated the 15th instant advertising to Minutes of 19th ultimo + stating that the medicine contractor should be required to replace the drug Mist Senna Co, St Peters N^o 2 District by a fresh supply.

Note. Contractor to replace drug.

Read Report upon analysis of samples of medicines St Peters N^o 3 Dispensary

Note. Satisfactory (Enclosed)

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Patry Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 23rd day of September 1913

(Signed), Thomas Dowdall Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda

UNION.

Population in 1901—29212

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Sept. 1913.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 6 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	76	214												
Temporary Buildings ..	58	2												
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hosp. .														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	822	216												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			31	30	83	57	2	5	7	6		221		
Admitted during the Week			59	27	42				3	1		96		
TOTAL			90	57	87	59	2	5	10	7		317		
Discharged during the Week			66	24	34				1	2	1	101		
Died														
Total Discharged and Died			66	24	34				1	2	1	101		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	33	84	55	2	4	8	6		216		

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

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	44	119					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	60	96					No. X.						
No. III.	42	72					No. XI.						
No. IV.	30	47					No. XII.						
No. V.	10	38					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	316	360					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 23rd day of Sept. 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians:—

Edw Lynch Esq JP.
Mrs Branigan Mrs Mackintosh Messrs McFarr
Clarke Kelly McAllough Courtney
Byrne PD whoor Callan Eunis Fay of minor
whoor McCabe.

W. Brown medical Inspector. L.G.B was in attendance.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No report from visiting committee

*Visiting Committee for coming week Messrs Byrne
Callan Pearce & Collins*

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

Master's Report. 23rd Sep. 1913.

Miss Haugan (wardsmaid Lower Infirmary) went on leave of absence last Wednesday.

There is Lordduroy to be examined by the Committee

Note. Lordduroy to be examined

The Guardians unanimously resolved that relief list be posted 1/2 yearly in future instead of monthly.

On the recommendation of the witness med^l Officer the Guardians resolved to send John Conaghty and Eileen Williams to Royal Victoria Eye & Ear Hospital for special treatment.

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

Read Circular letter from L.G.B. to 88/M. dated 16 Instant forwarding Annual Report Year 1912-'13.

Nurse McEann Lower Infy applied for permission to absent herself from duty on Wednesday night next she providing a substitute.

Note granted

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

Read Letter from Mr Jurely architect re report of Inspector of Stational Boilers Insurance Co. on workhouse Boilers

Note. To be brought forward at next meeting

Louth County Archives

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 - 11

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - - 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 2

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: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 30 day of Sept. 1913.

(Signed), Thomardowall (per RB)
Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

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UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the 9 day of Sept 1913.

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

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief	12		
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	25	2	
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments, as above	37	2	

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 Sept. 1913, 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	312	14	11
Clothing and Bedding	3	1	3
Establishment :-			
(a) Salaries	4	3	4
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, ...			
(c) Farm	18		
(d) Other Expenses,	17	7	6
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	15	18	
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	5	3	
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	165		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	540	19	-

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of Sept 1913,

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	452	19	1			
Total sums received during the Month ...	37	20				
TOTAL	490	11				
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	540	19				
TOTAL	540	19				
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	249	2	1			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1009	4	10			
Outstanding Orders	760	2	9			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	249	2	1			

Dated this 20 day of Sept 1913,

Thomas Dowdall (per RB)
Clerk of Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Prohara 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.)

Meeting held the 23rd day of Sept. 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4569 to No. 4661

Separate ,, No. 16 to No. -

Out door ,, No. 2006 to No. 2007.

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 20 day of Sept. 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	144	7	3	44	17	5	189	4	9	42	19	11	3	11	8	46	11	7	142	13	1	1500
Necessaries ...	37	1	2	5	17	1	376	18	3	7	17	7	-	16	11	8	146	36	8	39		
TOTAL ...	515	8	5	50	14	6	566	2	11	50	17	6	4	8	7	55	6	1	510	16	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 8³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 4¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 13³/₄

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Sept. 1913, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Dunn</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Mullen</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Corry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Whelan</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Donohue</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District V.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	13	5	1	3	7	4	2	6	1	18	8	1	2	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	11			9			6			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	13	5	10	3	7	10	2	6	6	18	8	3	2	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	10	13	6	8	13	6	6	14	6	4	11	6	1	18	1
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	10	13	6	8	13	6	6	14	6	4	11	6	1	18	1
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	19	11	1	10	1	3	8		2	7	2	1	4	11
9. Total ...	15	13	5	10	3	7	10	2	6	6	18	8	3	2	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 23 day of Sept 1913.

Thomas Dowdall
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 23rd day of Sept 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Sams Guardian*
Other Guardians:—

£14.10.8
An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the workhouse Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

Forward to Contractor.

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	for _____	Amount,
			£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read Letter from L. G. B. returning Recompent
File for 1/2 year ended March 1913.

In accordance with notice to each member, proposed
by Mr J. J. Callan & recorded by Mr J. Kelly
"That the Resolution passed on 13 Mar 1912
granting the Health Co. Council the use of John St
Dispensary for treatment of Tuberculosis patients
be rescinded."

Before the motion was put Mr Brown addressed
the Board in favor of granting facilities
arguing that the utilization of existing
dispensary depôts for that purpose would be
a saving to the rates.

On a division Mr Callan's motion was carried
by 12 votes to 11.

The following was handed in
I hereby give notice that I shall move on
this day fortnight that the Guardians grant
permission to the Health Co. Council & South
Co. Council the use of the Dispensary at the
North Quay or some portion of the premises
for one day in the week when not used
under the medical charities acts as an
Tuberculosis Dispensary as tenants at will"

C. O'Connor 23/9/13

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the
Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 30 day of Sept 1913,

(Signed) Thomas Dowd Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—29212

Present Net Annual Value, £126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of Sept 1913

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each Building, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working (Males, Fem.), Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age (Boys, Girls), Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, TOTAL, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hosp., Fever Sheds, and summary rows for Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Died, and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Sept 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1 (Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 (Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1 (Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 (Number of Cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Includes rows No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 30 day of September 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Bob Lynch Esq JP
Other Guardians :— Mrs Branigan Mrs Mackintosh
Messrs Luskon Emis Clarke Kelly O'Riely P.M. Hon
Roche McCallough Callan McFaul Jay Jordan
& Noonan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No report from visiting committee

*visiting committee for coming week Messrs. Conolly
Lowrey Nolan & Donegan*

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

Masters Report. 30 Sep. 1913.

Miss Deary returned from leave of absence last Friday. The order was passed by the Guardians last Tuesday. The horse we have is becoming unable to draw the heavy ambulance, and it will be necessary to procure a younger animal for the work.

There are two new stoves wanted for the Inf. Dept. and the pipes of chapel stove require repairs.

Note. Messrs Lynch Eavis McNamee & Jordan appointed as a committee to purchase a hotel at next fair. Matter re stoves referred to Mr Turley Archt.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse medical officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named James Nugent to Jervis Street Hospital for Special Surgical and X-Ray treatment.

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

Read Letter from L.G.B. No 50277 dated 23rd Inst. Instant. Sanction to the payment of £2:10:0 to Mr J. Moore for his services as Stocktaker 1/2 Year Sept 1913.

Read Letter from L.G.B. No 50277 dated 29 Inst. relative to Guardians proposal to increase the wages of the workhouse Tailors from £1 to £1:7:6 a week and requesting to be informed what is the standard

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

rate of wages paid to tailors in the District

Note. L.G.B. to be informed that the standard rate in Drogheda District is £1:7:6 a week.

Read Report of Mr Turley architect & Inspector National Boiler Insurance Co. on repairs to No. 1. Vertical Boiler, workhouse kitchen

Note. Referred to Committee Messrs Lynch Eavis & Clarke

In accordance with advertisements & notice to each member the Guardians accepted the tender of Ben Matthews (lowest received) for supply of groceries etc to workhouse for six months from 1st October.

Read Letter from Hon Secty Co. Louth Home Rule
Demonstration Committee inviting the Board of Guardians
Louth R. D. C. to attend the Demonstration to be
held in Dundalk on the 5 October.

Note. Invitation accepted by Guardians and
R. D. C.

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 9

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 2

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 2

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - - - - 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 2

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 27 day of October 1913

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the ___ day of ___ 191

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 4 columns: Description, £, s., d. Rows include County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians; Repayment of Relief; Rents of Dispensary Residences; Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce; Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts; Loans received; Total Amount of Lodgments, as above.

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Wrotham **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.)

Meeting held the 30 day of Sept. 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4665 to No. 4739.

Separate ,, No. 16 to No. —

Out door ,, No. 2008 to No. 2009

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 27 day of Sept. 1913, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.			
Provisions ...	142	13	1	47	18	10	190	11	11	41	1	8	41	5	45	3	1	145	8	10	1445
Necessaries ...	368	3	9	7	4	5	375	8	2	7	15	9	18	10	8	14	7	366	13	7	
TOTAL ...	510	16	10	55	3	3	566	1	14	8	17	5	5	0	3	53	17	5	512	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 8 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5 ⁷/₂
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 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 Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of Sept 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	Dunne			Mullen			Lory			Whelan			Dunne		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	19	11	1	10	1	3	8		2	7	2	1	4	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	11			8			7			4			1		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	19	11	9	10	1	10	8		6	7	2	2	4	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	5	6	8	13	6	6	11	6	4	11	6	1	18	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility		4	3												
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	9	9	8	13	6	10	11	6	4	11	6	1	18	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	10	2	-	16	7	3	16	6	1	15	8		6	11
9. Total ...	15	19	11	9	10	1	10	8		6	7	2	2	4	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 30th day of Sept 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30th day of Sept 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *[Signature]*
Other Guardians: *[Signature]*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
_____	for _____			Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

*Read letter from Sec. Heath Co. Council
acknowledging receipt of Guardians resolution
of 23rd Inst.*

*Read Form H Succet District of Vaccin
1/2 year Sept 1913.*

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Mary Mackintosh

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

No. I.	76	121									
No. II.	61	97									
No. III.	40	70									
No. IV.	30	47									
No. V.	10	26									
No. VI.											
No. VII.											
No. VIII.											
No. IX.											
Total	217	361									

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the *7* day of *October* 19*13*
(Signed) *[Signature]* Clerk of the Union.

Broghda

UNION.

Population in 1901—*29212*

Present Net Annual Value, £*12648.17.0*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *11* day of *Oct* 19*13*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			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																
Temporary Buildings ..	<i>784202</i>															
Additional Workhouse ..	<i>58</i>	<i>2</i>														
Permanent Fever Hosp...																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	<i>822702</i>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			<i>26</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>11</i>			<i>206</i>	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, <i>61</i>	In separate Wards <i>17</i>		
Admitted during the Week			<i>13</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>68</i>	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, <i>2</i>	In Wards with other Inmates <i>-</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>69</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>4</i>		<i>274</i>	TOTAL, <i>63</i>	TOTAL, <i>17</i>		
Discharged during the Week			<i>47</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>69</i>				
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			<i>47</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>70</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			<i>29</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>88</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>4</i>		<i>204</i>			No. at Corresponding period, last year <i>222</i>	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11* day of *Oct* 19*13*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	76	121					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	61	97					No. X.						
No. III.	40	70					No. XI.						
No. IV.	30	47					No. XII.						
No. V.	10	26					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	217	361					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *7* day of *October* 19*13*

PRESENT—In the Chair,— *Jas. Ennis Esq. subsequently Headmaster*
Other Guardians:— *Wesley Clarke Kelly McQuinn Callan Fay Wharthy J.W. J. & J. Murphy*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

To report from visiting Committee

visiting Committee for coming week Messrs
Alcock Emis Fay & Gannon.

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

Master's Report. 7 Oct^r 1913
There is a new grate required in one of the wards in Female Lower Infy.

Note Adopted.

Read. Notification from Meath Co. Council to credit of £1224 : 15 : 6. 3rd instalment.

Read. Application from Mrs. Mangle. Aghe. Co. Meath. for a girl named Agnes Kane, an inmate of Miss School (from this Union)

Note. Granted, usual outfit allowed.

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

Read. Letter from L.G.B. No 52190. dated. 6 Inst. Direction to increase of salary from £1 : 0 : 0. to £1 : 7 : 6. a week to the Tailor of the workhouse.

Read. Notice from Matron R.V. & E. Hospital, stating that a patient named Violet Owens had been discharged from Hoop on 2nd Inst.

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

Read. Letter from Sec. All Ireland Industrial Conference asking the Guardians to appoint delegates to attend meeting to be held at Limerick on 22 & 23 Instant.

Note. Mrs Mackittrick & Mr Emms appointed.

The following resolution was proposed by Mr N. Murphy, seconded by Mr Kelly and carried unanimously, That we protest in the strongest manner against the action of the S.R. Co. Ltd in refusing to carry passengers from Drogheda to the Dundalk Demonstration on last Sunday (5th Oct.)

That copies be sent to the Prime Minister John E. Redmond, Mr. Keble, and the directors of the Company.

Referring to minutes of 15 Apr. & 19 Aug.

Read letter from Town Clerk Drogheda in reply to Guardians letter protesting against increased rate (from 6^d to 1/- 1,000 Gallons) for water supply to Workhouse and stating that the Corporation are prepared to charge the following scale instead of at the flat rate of 1/-.

1,000 Gallons to 5,000	5 ^d	1/6 per quarter
50,000	"	1/-
100,000	"	9 ^d
250,000	"	8 ^d
500,000	"	6 ^d

Ok. Scale adopted by Guardians.

Read letter from L.G.B. to 21727 dated 6th Inst. report of Mr Florence Dillon consequent on her recent inspection of the Workhouse Infirmary, Fever Hospital, Lunatic ward & childrens wards.

Note. Report considered very satisfactory by Guardians = Matter of enlargement of Kitchen etc. Upper Infirmary shall be considered at an early date on notice of motion to be given by Mr Lynch Chairman = Nurses sitting room lower Infirmary to be painted = No order made re New ambulance for Fever Hospital or disinfecting apparatus.

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 - 11

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 2

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - - 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

14 day of Oct 1913

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Armagh **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.)

Meeting held the 7 day of Oct^r 19 13

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

Indoor, from No. 4740 to No. 4807
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. -
 Out door ,, No. 2070 to No. 2072

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 4 day of Oct^r 19 13 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 ...	45	8	10	43	13	5	189	2	3	41	6	6	4	3	8	45	10	2	138	15	8	
Necessaries ...	366	13	7	13	16	9	380	10	4	15	13	8	19	7	16	13	3	352	14	2	1412	
TOTAL ...	512	25	57	10	25	69	127	57	0	2	5	3	3	62	3	5	491	12	10			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4:10³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5:3³/₄
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 5:10¹/₂

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of Oct 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	Dunn			Mullan			Cox			W.D.			Murray		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	10	2		16	7	2	16	6	1	15	8		6	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	22			18			14			9			4	6	4
3. Total to be accounted for ...	26	10	2	18	16	7	17	16	6	10	15	8	4	6	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	11		8	17	6	6	3	6	4	11	6		1	18
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	19	2	8	17	6	6	3	6	4	11	6		1	18
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	14	19	2	9	19	1	11	13		6	4	2	7	8	11
9. Total ...	26	10	2	18	16	7	17	16	6	10	15	8	4	6	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 7th day of Oct 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 7th day of Oct 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:— *[Signature]*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____	Amount,		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read Circular from L. G. B. 209079/1/10
dated, 1st and 2nd instant. requesting
returns of Medical & Educational
Expenditure Year ended 30 ult.

Vote. To be prepared & forwarded.

Mr O'Connor, P.M. wrote asking that notice
of objection standing in his name re the
granting license of North Quay Disp.
to Co. Council of South & Meath to
remain unremoved as he had to attend
Kells Co. Court Sessions.

Note. Mr O'Connor to give a fresh notice
for a future meeting if he so desires.

Read Result of analysis of Drugs from
Stann. Disp. & Weston Hospital

Vote. Satisfactory (copies enclosed)

Read Form H. from Dr McKewitt
vacen. of 21 persons between 1st Apr 1913
& 30 Sep. 1913, Templehill Disp. District

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the
Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Mr. Board

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

No. I.	76	119
No. II.	62	98
No. III.	40	68
No. IV.	30	47
No. V.	9	25
No. VI.		
No. VII.		
No. VIII.		
No. IX.		
Car. forwd	217	357

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 14 day of Oct 1913.

(Signed) *[Signature]* Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29212.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126488:17:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Oct 1913.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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																
Temporary Buildings ..	764	204														
Additional Workhouse ..	58	2														
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	822	206														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	29	85	50	2	4	8	4		204	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 62	In separate Wards } 17		
Admitted during the Week			50	21	9	2		1	1	1		85	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 2	In Wards with other inmates } 1		
TOTAL,			72	50	94	52	2	5	9	5		289	TOTAL, } 64	TOTAL, } 17		
Discharged during the Week			47	20	7	1	1	1	1	2		83				
Died												3				
Total Discharged and Died			47	20	7	1	1	1	1	2		83				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	30	84	51	1	4	8	3		206				

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Females	Children	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	21	11	1	33
No. in Workhouse at date	5	2	-	7

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 day of Oct 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	76	119					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	62	98					No. X.						
No. III.	40	68					No. XI.						
No. IV.	30	47					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	25					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	217	357					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11th day of October 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians:— Mrs Branigan Mrs Mackittrick
Messrs Lyons Emuis Fogau Branigan
Cowherd W. Wilson Harry P. M. Kelly
Clarke Toonan N. Murphy W. Barthy
Jamson Dolan W. Donnell & L. McKee

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

No report from visiting Committee.

visiting Committee for coming week Messrs Hogan Jordan Kelly Lynch.

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

Masters Report. 14th Oct. 1913.

The articles recommended for cancelling by the Stocktake, are in the store & await inspection. I beg to offer Mr. J. Harris Kemeelstown as surety for me instead of the late Mr. Laugan.

Note. Adopted.

On the recommendation of the witness Medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named John Farrell to Jervis St. Hospital for special treatment.

With reference to inspectors report of National Boilers Insurance Co. on boilers & report of Mr. Turley architect, was the following.

Committee appointed by Guardians beg to say in our opinion repairs carried out to boilers are quite sufficient.

Signed James R. Emins
John Clarke
7 Oct 1913.

Note. adopted. copy to be forwarded to Boilers Insurance Co.

Read. Letter from Secty JNK Co. acknowledging receipt of Guardians resolution passed on the 7th Inst.

Read. Sealed order of L. G. B. No 46060 dated 30 Aug. 1913. Form of Requisition for copy of certificate of marriage

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

required under the National Insurance Act 1911-1913

Read. List of Stock of Provisions clothing etc, in witness 1/2 year ended Sep 1913. as taken by Mr Moore Stocktake.

Note. Satisfactory.

The following articles of old clothing as recommended by Stocktake were on this day cancelled by a Committee of Guardians as unfit for use.. 65 Sheets.

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

23 Rugs 20 Blankets 13 Pillow Slips 32 Towels & rollers.
13 Bedticks 6 Bolsters 2 Toilet covers 15 coats 18 Vests
32 Shirts 40 Shirts 12 shoes 69 Stockings 19 Caps
16 Slippers 19 Sown & socks 22 Petticoats 33 Shifts 6 Shawls
21 Aprons 9 Bibs.

Any portion of old clothing suitable to be used for mending etc. remainder to be sold.

Read. Letter from L. G. B. No 46648 dated 8th Inst. forwarding report of Mr G. B. Beane Inspector, consequent on his recent inspection of the witness and requesting that the matters averted to therein may receive the attention of the Guardians.

Inspectors Report.

No. I. No consumptive ward for the Females & no ward to isolate cases like the two of cancer which have been for some years in the Female ward of the Lower Infirmary.

No. II. No part of the witness is overcrowded except the Sick childrens ward which is a small one.

with 10 occupied beds 2 of which are in too close proximity to the water closet off the ward. Hair mattresses might be supplied for the beds in this ward instead of the straw ones in use. A proper supply of water should always be kept in cistern of W.C. in connection with this ward.

No. III Nothing has been done about enlarging the kitchen attached to Upper Infirmary.

No. IIII The pointing that has been done to the back wall of Upper Infirmary viz: only 10 feet from the top is not sufficient the whole wall requires to be pointed down to the ground. A very bad crack in centre of wall Female top ward body of House

No. V A new gate required in mens ward Upper Infirmary = Bells from healthy male & female wards to Master & Matrons apartments, recommended by Mr. O'Conor have not been put up yet.

No. VI Straw mattresses where in use throughout the House should be replaced by hair mattresses this could be done gradually.

No. VII A proper disinfecting apparatus is required there is none at present. There was an escape of Gas on the landing outside the women's top ward which should be seen to.

Guardians Orders on Report.

No. I Matter shall have Guardians consideration

No. II Master to have the two beds removed to a more suitable place in the ward water closet to be looked after & kept in proper order.

No. III See order on Guardians minutes of 7th Inst.

No. IV Architect to examine walls & report to Board.

No. V Stak. Supplied. Matter re bells in hands of Architect.

No. VI Guardians are gradually replacing straw mattresses by Hair mattresses.

No. VII No order re disinfecting apparatus. Escape of gas seen to on the day of Inspector's visit.

Finance Committee Report.

Examined quarterly & monthly accounts and found them correct.

Approved
 J. Murphy
 Joseph Murray
 James R. Emsie
 James Lyons
 Michl McConor

Note Adopted by Board of Guardians
 J. Lynch. Chairman

Read. Circular from Hon. Sec. to Health
 Home Rule Demonstration Committee
 requesting the Guardians to attend the
 Tavan meeting on Sunday the 19th Inst.

On the motion of Mr. Swain seconded by
 Mr. W. Barry the Guardians resolved to attend
 the Demonstration.

An address on behalf of the Guardians
 to be presented by the Chairman to
 Mr. John Dillon M.P. on the occasion
 of his visit to Town on the 19th Inst.

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 - 11

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 2

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 3

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: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

21 day of Oct 1913

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Proper 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.)

Meeting held the 14th day of Oct 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4808 to No. 4892.

Separate ,, No. 16 to No. -

Out door ,, No. 2013 to No. 2015

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Oct 1913, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	138	14	8	45	13	7	184	8	3	41	13	7	4	2	11	45	16	6	138	11	9	1421.
Necessaries ...	352	17	2	7	5	359	17	7	10	10	4	-	19	7	11	9	11	348	7	8		
TOTAL ...	491	11	10	52	14	544	5	10	52	3	11	5	2	6	57	6	5	486	17	5		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 9/2

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Oct 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <i>Quinn</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Mullen</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Corry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McQueen</i>			TOTAL <i>Quinn</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	14	19	2	9	19	1	11	13		6	4	2	2	8	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...															
3. Total to be accounted for ...	14	19	2	9	19	1	11	13		6	4	2	2	8	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	9	6	8	9	1	6	3	6	4	11	6	1	15	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1			1	10	0				10					
7. Total Relief given ...	12	9	6	9	19	1	6	3	6	5	1	6	1	15	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2		8				5	9	6	1	2	8		12	11
9. Total ...	14	19	2	9	19	1	11	13		6	4	2	2	8	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 11th day of Oct 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drugheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11th day of Oct 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians :—

[Signature]
Sans Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Drugheda Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Drugheda Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of the 11th day of Oct 1913 having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

The following Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount,			

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District - - - £ _____
_____ District - - - £ _____
_____ District - - - £ _____
_____ District - - - £ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Handwritten signature in red ink, possibly 'Peter Lynch'.

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 21 day of Dec 1913

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

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UNION.

Population in 1901—29312

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126448.17

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of Oct 1913

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, etc.), and health status (RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS). Includes handwritten totals and sub-totals.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of Oct 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief Districts, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes handwritten data for various districts.

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

the 21st day of Oct 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq JP.
Other Guardians:— Mr Mackintosh Messrs L. W. Keon & J. Murphy
Callan W. Spence Clarke Kelly W. Downell
J. Butterly O'Rielly Roche Donegan Nolan
Finis J.annon & Rath.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

to report from visiting committee

visiting committee for coming week Mrs MacIntosh
Messrs. Lyons Harry & McCabe.

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

Master's Report 21st Oct 1913
Miss Halligan returned from leave of absence last Wednesday.

I enclose a letter I receive from Harney offering 10/- for two metal troughs.

Note. Harney's offer accepted by Guardians.

Read letter from the workhouse Tailor thanking the Guardians for increase in salary granted him.

Read letters from the Prime Minister Messrs J. E. Redmond, J. Devlin & J. Nolan M.P.s acknowledging receipt of resolution passed on the 7th instant.

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

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

The following table shows the number of persons in each of the following classes...

The following table shows the number of persons in each of the following classes...

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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 - 9

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 2

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: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 28 day of Oct 1913

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

Drogheda UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the 14 day of Oct 1913.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of Sept '13, and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1181	15	3
Repayment of Relief	5	19	1
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	18	-	-
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts *	2	14	7
Loans received			
<i>of 9 £ 2:14:7 cancelled PO.</i>			
Total Amount of Lodgments, as above	1208	81	11

** Reps Laurelly*

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 Sept 1913 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b).

	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries	305	13	2
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, ...	28	11	5
(c) Farm	4		
(d) Other Expenses,	181	11	7
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account	161	5	
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	34	11	
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	3	6	
Medical Charities	619	14	9
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	3	3	
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations,			
Superannuation Allowances	26	6	2
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	80	3	5
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	143		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	4	16	9
Unpaid Bills of last half year	280		2
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1876	2	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of Sept 1913.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	249	2	1			
Total sums received during the Month ...	1208	8	11			
TOTAL	1457	11	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	1876	2	5			
TOTAL	1876	2	5			
Net Balance due <u>by</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	418	11	5			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1541	19	4			
Outstanding Orders	1960	10	9			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union	418	11	5			

Dated this 21 day of Oct 1913

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

FORM 14—continued.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Meeting held the 21 day of Oct 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4893 to No. 4959.
 Separate ,, No. 16 to No. _____
 Out door ,, No. 2016 to No. 2018.

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of Oct 1913, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	138	11	9	48	1	11	186	13	9	43	13	-	4	13	11	48	6	11	138	6	9	
Necessaries ...	248	7	8	9	18	10	358	6	6	11	1	1	1	-	6	12	1	7	346	4	11	1120
TOTAL ...	486	19	5	58	9	5	545	2	5	54	14	1	5	14	5	60	8	6	484	11	8	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 24 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 8 1/2
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 7 : 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 Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of Oct 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <i>James Mullen</i> District No. I.			Relieving Officer <i>Mullen</i> District No. II.			Relieving Officer <i>Corry</i> District No. III.			Relieving Officer <i>W. B. Lowry</i> District No. IV.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2	9	8				5	9	6	1	2	8			13 11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	13			13			6			5			3		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	9	8	13			11	9	6	6	2	8	3	13	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	14		10	2	5	6	3	6	4	11	6	1	19	-
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	14		10	2	5	6	3	6	4	11	6	1	19	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	3	15	8	2	17	7	5	6		1	19	8	1	14	11
9. Total ...	15	9	8	13	-	-	11	9	6	6	2	8	3	13	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 21 day of Oct 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Dougheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 21 day of Oct 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Sam. Guardian

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.	Amount,
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

*Read Report from Mr. Gallan Dulcet
District. 1/2 Year Sep 1913.*

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :-

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :-

Duleek District 15 Names

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

R.O. to look after defaulters report to Board

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 28 day of Oct 1913

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901 - 29212.

Present Net Annual Value, £126408.11.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of Oct 1913.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 6 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	764	207														
Temporary Buildings ..	58	2														
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	822	209														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			26	28	88	50	1	4	8	3		208	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 65	In separate Wards, 17		
Admitted during the Week			51	22	1	14				3		87	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other Inmates, -		
TOTAL			77	51	89	54	1	4	8	6		290	TOTAL, 67	TOTAL, 17		
Discharged during the Week			56	21	2	1						80				
Died						1						1				
Total Discharged and Died			56	21	3	1						81				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	30	86	53	1	4	8	4		209				
													No. Relieved during week, 16	No. in Workhouse at date, 1	No. at Corresponding period last year, 219	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of Oct 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	75	118					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	62	98					No. X.						
No. III.	40	68					No. XI.						
No. IV.	30	47					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	25					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	216	356					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25th day of Oct 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair, — *Peter Lynch Esq. J.*
Other Guardians:— *Mrs Macfarland Messrs J. McKee W. Grane*
Patrick Tooman P.D. W. Clarke McQuillan
Hynd & Jordan

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

*visited the house to day found everything in
excellent order*

28. 10. 13.

*Signed. J. G. S. G. S.
Marydactrick*

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

Master's Report. 28th Oct. 1913.

There are Tweed & Ticker to be examined by the Committee.

Note. To be examined by Committee

Miss McNamee Sr. Infirmary applied for permission to absent herself from duty on Thursday night 30th Inst.

Note. Granted. provided she employs a competent substitute.

Read. Report of Inspector National Boiler Insurance Co. on workhouse Boilers.

Read. Letter from General Manager GNR Co. in reply to Guardians Resolution of 7th Inst.

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

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

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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 - 11
Ditto disallowed, - - - - -
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 2

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was -
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 1

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the
14 day of Novr. 1913

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 1917

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Meeting held the 28 day of Oct. 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 4960 to 5000 ~~to 5000~~ to 4911

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Out door ,, No. 2019 to No. —

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of Oct. 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	138	6	9	41	9	5	179	16	2	43	10	10	4	12	8	48	3	6	131	12	8	1456
Necessaries ...	246	4	11	6	5	4	352	10	3	11	-	-	1	1	6	12	1	6	340	8	9	
TOTAL ...	484	11	8	47	14	9	532	6	5	54	10	10	5	14	2	60	5	0	472	1	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 3 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 11 ¹/₂.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of Sept. 1913 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Lane</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Mullen</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Cosry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McWilliam</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Nowry</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	3	15	8	2	17	7	5	6		1	11	2	1	14	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12			9			6			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	15	15	8	11	17	7	11	6		6	11	2	3	14	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	11		9	9	6	6	3	6	4	11	6	1	19	-
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	4	4	0	9	9	6	6	3	6	4	11	6	1	19	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	4	8	2	8	1	5	2	6	1	19	8	1	15	11
9. Total ...	15	15	8	11	17	7	11	6		6	11	2	3	14	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 28 day of Sept. 1913.

Clerk of Union.

St. Joseph's Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 28 day of Oct 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Sans Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Stamullen* (7-2-3) *Stamullen* (8/6) Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

Forward to Contractors.
Special, Bulak Elastic Stocking 7/.
Stamps 10/.
Forward to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	for _____	Amount,
			£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read Forms L. 1/2 year ended Sep 1913
St Marys Stamullen & St Peters No 3 Dist

Read Forms H. 1/2 yr ended Sep 1913
Stamullen Dist. 8 Vaccins. St Marys Dist 13
Vaccins. & St Peters No 3 Dist 15 Vaccins

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Handwritten signature in red ink, possibly 'Peter Lynch'.

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

- Stamw. Dist. 1. defaulters*
- 10k. To be brought forward again at next meeting*
- St Marys Dist. 5 defaulters*
- St Peter's Dist 66 do.*

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

R.O.S. to look after defaulters report 10/30

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the *14* day of *Nov* 19*13*
 (Signed) *[Signature]*
 Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901—*29212*.

Present Net Annual Value, £*126408-17-0*

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *18th* day of *Nov* 19*13*.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 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	<i>764</i>	<i>213</i>														
Temporary Buildings ..	<i>58</i>	<i>2</i>														
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	<i>822</i>	<i>215</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			<i>23</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>86</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>4</i>		<i>209</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>17</i>		
Admitted during the Week			<i>52</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>34</i>					<i>5</i>		<i>83</i>	<i>2</i>			
TOTAL			<i>75</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>		<i>292</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>17</i>		
Discharged during the Week										<i>3</i>		<i>77</i>				
Died			<i>15</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>										
Total Discharged and Died			<i>15</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			<i>30</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>6</i>		<i>215</i>				
												No. at Corresponding period, last year		<i>206</i>		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *18th* day of *Nov* 19*13*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	<i>75</i>	<i>118</i>					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	<i>62</i>	<i>98</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>40</i>	<i>68</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>31</i>	<i>51</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.	<i>9</i>	<i>25</i>					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	<i>217</i>	<i>360</i>					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *14* day of *Nov* 19*13*

PRESENT—In the Chair, — *Peter Lynch Esq JP*
 Other Guardians: — *Mrs Wackabuck, Messrs. Ballan Clarke Kelly, Byrne McDonnell, J D Murphy & Roche, Ennis O'Connor & Reilly*

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No report from visiting Committee

visiting committee for coming week Messrs
J. M. ^{son} P. D. W. ^{son} L. G. ^{son} & all Keown

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

Master's Report 4 Nov. 1913.
The Dues Twice 7 Shillings were passed by the Committee on last Tuesday.

Read Circular from National Health Insurance Commission re Insurance of Employees of Public Bodies.

Referring to minutes of 30 Sep 1913, the following report was read, and on the motion of Mr Kelly seconded by Mr Murphy, was unanimously adopted by the Board of Guardians

Drogheda 29 Oct 1913

Dear Mr Dowdall

According to instructions of Board of Guardians we bought a six year old mare from Mr Kennedy Balscaaden at £29:10:0 nett. Please have a cheque drawn for this amount on Tuesday 4th Nov. and 10/- fee vet charge.

Peter Lynch J. H. Eavis & Simon Jordan
Committee appointed

To Mr Dowdall
Clerk of Guardians

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

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

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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).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Doogheou 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.)

Meeting held the 4th day of Nov 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 42 to No. 124

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Out door „ No. 2020 to No. 2071.

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 October 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	13	12	8	38	19	2	170	11	10	42	16	8	4	11	8	47	8	4	123	3	6	
Necessaries ...	24	0	8	25	17	2	366	6	5	1	18	3	1	1	6	12	19	9	353	6	8	1462
TOTAL ...	47	21	5	64	16	10	536	18	3	54	14	11	5	13	2	60	8	1	476	10	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 2³/₄

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 7 : 4³/₄

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of Nov. 1913, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>James Muller</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Jerry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>W.B.</i>			Relieving Officer <i>James</i>			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	4	8	2	8	1	5	2	6	1	19	8	1	15	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12			9			6			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	4	8	11	8	1	11	2	6	6	19	8	3	15	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	13		9	7	6	6	3	6	5	1	6	1	19	-
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	13		9	7	6	6	3	6	5	1	6	1	19	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	11	8	2		7	4	19		1	15	2	1	16	11
9. Total ...	16	4	8	11	8	1	11	2	6	6	19	8	3	15	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 18 day of Nov. 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Droghda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 14 day of Nov. 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:— *Sam. Guardians*

(£14 : 14 : 11)
An Estimate of Medicines, &c. required by the Medical Officer of the St. Peter 103 Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

Forward to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,
			£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19 __

_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Head. Result of analysis of Drugs from St Marys Dispy.

Note Satisfactory, enclosed,

Dr Moore reported that one of the windows of Stadalt med^l Residence was blown in during a squall on the night of the 2nd inst and that the pipes for carrying away waste water were out of order, causing the yard and out offices to be flooded

Note referred to Mr Turley architect.

Form P. Dr Moore Stanullen Kidrick, one defaulter. This case is one in which the parent (Wick^l Morgan) does not object to vaccination, but refuses to bring the child for inspection without inspection by the M.O. There is no authority to certify that the vaccination is successful.

J. J. Moore.

Note. Clerk to write Wick^l Morgan and call his attention to penalty for refusing to bring child for inspection and direct him to comply with the requirements of the Act. Otherwise the Guardians will be obliged to take legal proceedings

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

To, The Chairman, Sheda Bd of Sino.
Sir.

I beg to report that of 15 Vaccin defaulters in Duleek District 1 is done 1 is dead, 1 left district. I will not vaccinate ^(James Longman) it are unfit, the remaining 7 promised to have it done in a few days

Yours obediently

John Longman 4/11/13

Note. Same error in Longman's case as in St Marys having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 11 day of Nov 1913.

(Signed) *[Signature]* Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—29212.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 12648:17:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of Nov 1913.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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	76	216														
Temporary Buildings ..	58	7														
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. .																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	132	228														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			30	28	85	53	1	4	8	6		215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 68	In separate Wards } 18		
Admitted during the Week			47	15	10	7						79	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 2	In Wards with other Inmates } -		
TOTAL			77	43	95	60	1	4	8	6		294	TOTAL, } 70	TOTAL, } 18		
Discharged during the Week			54	15	4					21		75	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died					1							1	Males	Fe-males	Children	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Died			54	15	5					2		76	No. Relieved during week } 27	7	-	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	28	90	60	1	4	6	6		218	No. in Work-house at date } 5	2	-	7
													No. at Corresponding period last year } 219			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8 day of Nov 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	75	118					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	63	99					No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	25					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	217	363					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11th day of Nov 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair,— *Peter Lynch Esq. M.P.*
Other Guardians:— *Mr MacIntyre Messrs. W Keon W Keon Elcock Bowinney Hogan Euis N J Murphy Clarke Noonan Hebeoust Kelly P M & Joor Gellan Connolly Nolan & Donegan, & Mrs*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

No report from visiting Committee

visiting committee for coming week Messrs M. Moore,
L. Murphy, T. J. Murphy & Noonan.

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

Masters Report. 11th Nov 1913.

Peter Allen & Hugh Fagan were discharged from the Fever Hospital on last Friday.

Read Report from R.O.S. on children at work in the Union

Note. Satisfactory, enclosed,

Read Letter from National Boiler Insurance Co. Manchester re repairs to chimney tube of No. 1. Vertical Boiler.

Note Guardians adhere to their order of 14 ult.

Read Letter from Hon Sec. Drogheda Branch National Society for Prevention of Cruelty to children, requesting the Guardians to grant a subscription towards the society funds.

Note. To be considered at next monthly meeting (Dec.) each Guardian to be notified

Read Letter from James McDonnell & Co. requesting the Guardians to urge the Urban District Committee to hold a meeting at an early date

Note. Referred to Drogheda Corporation

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

The Guardians accepted the offer of Owen Lockhart (highest received) to purchase Rags @ 6/- per cwt. Old metal @ 1/8 per cwt. Bones @ 3/6 per cwt.

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

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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 - 11
 Ditto disallowed, - - - - -
 The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was -
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - -
 The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 2

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 18 day of Nov^r 1913.
 (Signed) [Signature]
 Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Meeting held the 11 day of Nov^r 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 125 to No. 201
 Separate ,, No. — to No. —
 Out door ,, No. 2022 to No. 2024

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 8 day of Nov^r 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	123	3	6	44	9	7	167	13	1	43	18	14	4	12	11	48	11	3	119	1	10	1488
Necessaries	33	6	8	13	4	11	366	11	7	11	19	2	1	6	12	19	8	353	11	11		
TOTAL	476	10	2	57	14	6	534	4	8	55	17	10	5	13	5	61	18	11	472	13	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 3
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 7
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 7 : 2

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

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

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

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

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	Name			Name			Name			Name			Name		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			TOTAL		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	11	8	2		7	4	19		1	18	2	1	16	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12			10			6			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	11	8	12		7	10	19		6	18	2	3	16	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	13		9	11	6	5	18	6	5	11	6	1	19	
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1			1	10					10					
7. Total Relief given ...	12	13		11	1	6	5	18	6	5	11	6	1	19	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	3	18	8			19	1	5	6	1	6	8	1	17	11
9. Total ...	16	11	8	12		7	10	19		6	18	2	3	16	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 11th day of Novr 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Proghda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

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

at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11th day of

Novr 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

[Signature]
Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 19__

_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following from the Union North Quay
Dispensary premises was read
Baltray 10/11/13.

Dear Sir

In reply to yours of the 3rd inst.
I regret I cannot comply with request
to hand over key of yard in
Besswell Lane as it is in the
possession of the occupying tenant
my agreement with the Guardians
covering only the North Quay House
and outoffices, situate in inner
yard - the latter being always
separated from the former by a
wooden partition or gate.

Faithfully Yours
M. T. Tierney

To

The Clerk of Union
Drogheda

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the
Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 18 day of Novr. 1913

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

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UNION.

Population in 1901—29212.

Present Net Annual Value, £12648.17.0

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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																
Temporary Buildings ..	764	215														
Additional Workhouse ..	58															
Permanent Fever Hosp...																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		822	215													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	28	90	60	1	4	6	6		218	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 163	In separate Wards, 18		
Admitted during the Week			32	39	6	4			3			74	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 1		
TOTAL,			55	57	96	64	1	4	9	6		292	TOTAL, 164	TOTAL, 18		
Discharged during the Week			36	27	4	4				3		74				
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			36	27	5	6				3		77				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	30	91	58	1	4	7	3		215				
													No. at Corresponding period, last year		228	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of Novr 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	74	117					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	64	100					No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd							TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 18th day of November 1913.

PRESENT—In the Chair, — *Peter Lynch Esqre JP.*
Other Guardians:— *Mrs Mackintosh Messrs Clarke Keely Barry Gogan. & N.J. Murphy.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

we visited the house on this day found everything in excellent order, no complaints from inmates, Provisions etc of the best quality

We recommend that $\frac{1}{2}$ doz fire bars for boilers in cooks kitchen be supplied

*Laurence McKee
P.M.W. Fox.*

11th Nov 1912.

Note. Adopted.

*visiting Committee for coming week Messrs
Morris, O'Connor, Ogle & O'Reilly*

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

Master's Report. 18 Nov. '13.
I respectfully suggest that you invite
purchasers for the Old horse.

Note adopted.

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

Read. Letter from L.G.B. No. 59264, dated 12th Inst. referring to minutes of 14th Inst. stating that in the circumstance they assent to a departure from the Union etc order and sanction the issue of a passing order on the 14th Inst. for a sum of £29.10.0 and 10^s V.S. fee in connection with the purchase of a horse for the workhouse.

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

Read. Circular from L.G.B. No 10864 dated 12th Inst. re Graded scale of salaries for Union Officers

Note. Guardians do not consider it necessary to frame scale for this Union

Miss McEam night nurse Upper Infirmary applied for permission to absent herself from duty on Wednesday night the 19th Inst.

Note. Granted provided she procured a competent substitute

A committee consisting of Messrs Blackwood Messrs Lynch (Chairman) N.J. Murphy Donegan Barry & Kelly were appointed to enquire and visit Upper Infirmary with a view to notice of motion being ^{given} by the Chairman for erection of new Kitchen &c

Did you find any fossils in your collection? ...

The following table shows the local Government ...

Louth County Archives

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 - 12.

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 2

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 2

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 25 day of Nov 1913.

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 18 day of Nov^r 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 205 to No. 277
 Separate ,, No. — to No. —
 Out door ,, No. 2025 to No. 2027

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 15 day of Nov^r 1913, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.			£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	119	1	10	46	1	4	165	3	2	44	10	10	14	11	11	49	2	9	116	-	5	1494
Necessaries ...	353	11	11	2	11	2	356	2	1	11	18	3	1	1	6	12	19	9	243	3	4	
TOTAL ...	472	12	9	48	12	6	521	6	3	56	9	1	5	13	5	62	2	1	459	3	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 34
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : - : -

The following Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.
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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 19

District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read. Result of analysis of Drugs
St Peters no. 1. Dispy.

Note. Satisfactory (enclosed)

Read. Letter from L. G. B. 1045166
dated 11th instant referring to minutes of 19th Inst. last and requesting to be informed whether the medicine contracts has since replaced the milk benzoate unfavorably reported on by the analysis by a fresh supply of standard quality.

Note Drug referred to replaced on
2nd Oct 1913.

J. J. Murray M.D.
St Peters No 2 Dist.

Read. Letter from L. G. B. no 59569
dated 14 Inst. forwarding for consideration of the Guardians extracts from Med Officers returns from L. G. B. for year Sep 1913. Shamullen & Townspection Districts

Note. Referred to local Guardians
for report.

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Abstract

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 26 day of Nov 1913

(Signed) [Signature] Clerk of the Union.

Progheda UNION.

Population in 1901—29217

Present Net Annual Value, £126408-17-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of Nov 1913

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 6 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														
Temporary Buildings ..	764	219												
Additional Workhouse ..	58													
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..														
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL		822	219											
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	30	91	58	1	4	9	3		215	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 65	In separate Wards 18
Admitted during the Week			47	28	2	2				7		86	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 65	In Wards with other Inmates 18
TOTAL,			66	58	93	60	1	4	9	10		301	TOTAL, 65	TOTAL, 18
Discharged during the Week			42	29	4	1				6		82		
Died			42	29	4	1				6		82		
Total Discharged and Died			42	29	4	1				6		82		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	29	89	59	1	4	9	4		219		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 day of Nov 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	74	117					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	64	100					No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<u>Total</u>	<u>246</u>	<u>361</u>					TOTAL.						

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

the 25 day of Nov 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq.
Other Guardians:— Mrs Mackintosh Messrs. Clarke Noonan
Ballan Kelly Goggin Smith White & Byrne.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No report from visiting committee

visiting committee for coming week Messrs. Rath Reilly
Roche & Whelan.

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

Master's Report 25 Nov 1913.

The new mare has a very bad cough and I think some remedy should be tried for it.

Note Master to procure services of Mr Sherlock V.S.

On the recommendation of the workhouse Medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Palk Story to R.V. Hospital for treatment of the eyes.

Read. Notification from Louth Co. Council
lodgment to credit of £1252:4:5. 3rd Instalments.

Read. Letter from Joseph McCarthy re working of unemployed workmen Act in Town of Drogheda.

Note. A matter for Drogheda Corporation

Miss Deary wardmaid Fever Hospital applied for and was allowed one weeks leave of absence (there are no cases in Fever Hospital at present)

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

Read. Sealed Order of L.G.B. No 52901. dated 12 Inst
re District Schools Drim & Glin.

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

The following list of names is taken from the...

Handwritten name

The following list of names is taken from the...

Louth County Archives

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 - 14

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 2

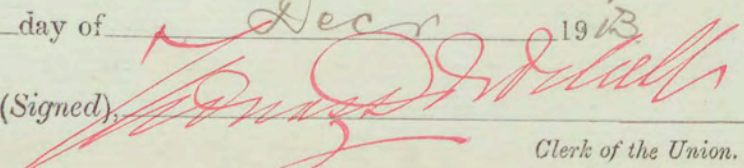
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 3

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: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 2 day of Decr 1913

(Signed) 
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Meeting held the 25 day of Nov^r 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 278 to No. 363

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Out door ,, No. 2028 to No. 2029

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 22 day of Nov^r 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	116	5		53	6	9	169	7	4	43	13	5	44	11	11	48	5	24	121	1	10	} 1512
Necessaries ...	343	3	4	2	2	3	345	5	7	11	18	1	1	1	6	12	19	7	332	6		
TOTAL ...	459	3	9	55	9	-	514	12	9	55	11	6	5	13	5	61	4	11	453	7	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 13 24
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 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 Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of Nov 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <i>Deane</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Hullen</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Corry</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Whincian</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Looney</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District V.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5	8	2	1	4	7	5	2	-	2	5	2	2	2	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12			10			6			5			2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	17	8	2	11	4	7	11	2		7	5	2	4	2	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	13	-	9	15	6	5	19	6	5	1	6	1	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. Total Relief given ...	11	13		9	15	6	5	19	6	5	1	6	1	15	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5	15	2	1	9	1	5	2	6	2	3	8	2	7	11
9. Total ...	17	8	2	11	4	7	11	2		7	5	2	4	2	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 25 day of Nov 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25 day of Nov 1913.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *[Signature]*
Other Guardians:— *[Signature]*

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.	Amount,
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

17 Lawrence St. Drogheda.
25/11/13.

As directed I prepared a Specification and obtained a Tender which I herewith submit for new drain at Stannellan Drogheda Doctor's Residence, viz: John Sharpe f7:17:6

Yours obediently

A. The

Louis Turley Archt

Chairman Bd of Gms.

Note. £6. offered Mr Sharpe to carry out the work.

Read Form L St Peter's No 1. St Peter's No 2
& Temnonfectin Districts 1/2 yr. Sep 1913.

Read Form H. St Peter's No 1 District
31r Vaccens 1/2 yr. Sep 1913.

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Refer to Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

R. O. to look after defaulters & report to Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 2nd day of December 1913.

(Signed)

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29212

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of November 1913

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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	764	228															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..	58	-															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	822	228															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	29	89	59	1	4	9	4		219	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 65	In separate Wards } 18			
Admitted during the Week			38	31	8	2				3		82	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } -	In Wards with other inmates } -			
TOTAL			62	60	97	61	1	4	9	7		301	TOTAL, } 65	TOTAL, } 18			
Discharged during the Week			38	29	1					4		72					
Died						1						1					
Total Discharged and Died			38	29	1	1				4		73					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	31	96	60	1	4	9	3		228					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	Fe-males	Children	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week	21	17	1	39
													No. in Work-house at date	6	4	0	10
													No. at Corresponding period last year		225		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of November 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	74	118					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	64	100					No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	216	362					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of December 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esqr. J.P.
Other Guardians:— Mr Mackittrick Messrs Clarke, Kelly, O'Connor, McKeane, O'Reilly, Reilly, Roche, Fay & Byrne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

Visited the House. Found everything satisfactory
Signed

Laurence Roche

Thomas Reilly

Thomas J. O'Reilly

2. 12. '13

Visiting Committee for coming week.
Mr. Braugan, Messrs Braugan, D. Butterly
& J. Butterly.

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

Masters Report 2nd December 1913

There are nine pigs now ready for sale

Note. Pigs to be sold.

Owing to the death of her brother and the serious illness of her mother, Miss Deary wardsmaid was allowed a further weeks leave of absence

Proposed by Mr. Kelly seconded by Mr. Mr. Lpauie & passed

That we have learned with deep regret of the death of Mr. Patrick Deary assistant to the Clerk and beg to tender to his relatives our heartfelt sympathy on the sad occasion

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

Read Letter from National Boiler Insurance Co. stating that their inspector will call & discuss the matter re recent repairs to no 1 vertical boiler

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

Read Letter from Local Government Board no 62894 dated the 1st inst. forwarding report of Miss Browne Inspector on her recent inspection of children boarded out in the Union

Note Report considered satisfactory by the Guardians; referred to Religious Officers and lady Guardians

The following is a list of the names of the persons who were present at the meeting held on the 1st day of June 1890 at the residence of Mr. J. W. Smith, in the town of Smith, Louth County, Mo.

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The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1913

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconcilement 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 2nd day of December 1913

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

Indoor, from No. 364 to No. 445

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Out door ,, No. 2030 to No. 2033

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 November 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.				
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.				£	s.	d.	
Provisions ...	121	1	10	46	4	4	167	6	2	44	9	2	4	5	3	48	14	5	118	11	9	1537	
Necessaries ...	332	6	0	2	10	0	334	16	0	12	4	6			17	3	13	1	3	321	14		9
TOTAL ...	453	7	10	48	14	4	502	2	2	56	13	2	5	2	6	61	15	8	440	6	6		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 1 ³/₄
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 4 ¹/₂
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : — : —

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of November 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <u>Dunne</u> District No. I.			Relieving Officer <u>Mullen</u> District No. II.			Relieving Officer <u>Conroy</u> District No. III.			Relieving Officer <u>McDullan</u> District No. IV.			TOTAL <u>Downey</u>		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5	15	2	1	9	1	5	2	6	2	3	8	2	7	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12	0	0	10	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	2	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	17	15	2	11	9	1	10	2	6	7	3	8	4	7	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	13	0	9	14	6	6	1	6	4	19	6	1	15	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	13	0	9	14	6	6	1	6	4	19	6	1	15	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	2	2	1	14	7	4	1	0	2	4	2	2	12	11
9. Total ...	17	15	2	11	9	1	10	2	6	7	3	8	4	7	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 2nd day of December 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Lrogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of December 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:—Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the St. Marys Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

£7 - 10 - 1 Forward to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the St. Marys Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of the 29th having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Medical Officer of the St. Marys Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied :—

The following Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	for _____	Amount,
			£ s. d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Read notice dated the 26th ultimo from Mr. W. P. Cairnes Receiver & Agent for Mrs. Alice Connolly, requesting the payment of rent. North Quay Dispensary

Note the Guardians' agreement is with Mrs. Mary V. Feenan. Mr. Cairnes to be informed of this

A Committee of Guardians to visit North Quay Dispensary and point out to caretaker the rooms to be used as caretaker's apartments

Notice of Motion for 16th December 1913

Thereby give notice that the conditions under which we have taken from Mrs. Feenan the house now our Dispensary on the North Quay be sent to our solicitor for consideration as to how we occupy the premises

James McEvane

2nd Dec 1913

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Handwritten signature in red ink, possibly 'P. Lynch'.

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1913

(Signed),

Handwritten signature of the Clerk of the Union.
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29212

Present Net Annual Value, £126,408-17-0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of December 1913

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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	764	226															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hosp...	58	20															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	822	228															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	31	96	60	1	4	9	3		228	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 168	In separate Wards, 15			
Admitted during the Week			30	36	5	2	1		2	1		77	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other Inmates, -			
TOTAL,			54	67	101	62	2	4	11	4		305	TOTAL, 68	TOTAL, 15			
Discharged during the Week			31	35	7	2						75					
Died					1	1						2					
Total Discharged and Died			31	35	8	3						77					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	32	93	59	2	4	11	4		228					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	Fe-males	Children	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week	11	6	2	19
													No. in Work-house at date	2	2	2	6
													No. at Corresponding period, last year: 228				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of December 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	24	132	45	132			Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	70	107	70	105			No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	55					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.	251	381					No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	228	366					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq JP
Other Guardians:— Murphy, McKeown, McCarthy, L. Murphy, McDonnell, Quinn, & Butler, Egan, J. McKeown, Ogle, Moran, Ryan, & Donohue

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

Visited The House on this day everything satisfactory an iron hearth for Miss Mc Carris Kitchens long previously recommended has not been supplied —

Walter Brennan

9 Dec^r 1913

John Kullaly

Date. Report adopted

Visiting Committee for coming week
Miss Payne Callan Clarke & Collier

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

Master's Report of Dec^r 1913

There is Calicid to be examined by The Committee

Date. Calicid to be examined —

Recd. Report from R. G^r on Children at
Nurse in the Union —

Date. Satisfactory (Copies Enclosed)

The Guardians accepted The offer (highest rec^d)
of Ed Morgan to purchase 9 Pigs for £41.10.0

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

Recd. Letter from Local Govt Board no 133 dated
4th inst re overdue accounts —

Recd. Letter from Mr Tallan D.D. to The Board
enclosing his Bill of Costs £1.16.9 —

Date. Referred to Finance Committee

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

Recd. Letter from Mrs Deary acknowledging
receipt of Resolutions of Sympathy passed
by Guardians at last meeting on the death of
Lu de Patrick —

In accordance with notice to each member
appeal from The National Society for Prevention
of Cruelty to Children (Local Branch) for a
Subscription to their funds was on this day
considered by the Guardians —

Proposed by Mr Rodman seconded
by Mr Ennis & Carried unanimously
That in response to the Appeal of The
Society we allow a Subscription of £5 —

(Sanction of Local Govt Board requested)

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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 - 10

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 26

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - - 26

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 26

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - ✓

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 16th day of December 1913

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the 9 day of Decr 1913

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

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1222	4	57
Repayment of Relief	7	11	0
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	10	17	0
Sales of Ofial, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments, as above	1240	12	57

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 Dec^r, 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	206	10	4
Clothing and Bedding	2	13	8
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries	6	3	4
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, ...			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses,		19	10
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions		16	0
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	7	18	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, ...		8	3
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	179	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	404	9	11

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of Dec^r 19/3

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	237	11	9			
Total sums received during the Month ...	1240	12	5			
TOTAL	1478	4	2			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	—	—	—			
Payments ordered during the Month ...	404	9	11			
TOTAL	404	9	11			
Net Balance due <u>To</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	1073	14	3			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1550	10	7			
Outstanding Orders	476	16	4			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	1073	14	3			

Dated this 16 day of Dec^r 19/3

John D. D. D. D. D.
Clerk of Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 9th day of December 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 446 to No. 522

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Out door „ No. 2034 to No. 2036

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 December 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.			£	s.	d.		
Provisions ...	118	11	9	41	1	11	159	13	8	44	18	4	4	2	11	49	1	3	110	12	5	1564	
Necessaries ...	321	14	9	2	3	3	323	18	0	12	1	11			19	7	13	1	6	310	16		6
TOTAL ...	440	6	6	43	5	2	483	11	8	57	0	3	5	2	6	62	2	9	42	18	11		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5^s : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5^s : 5^d

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 3 : 3¹/₄

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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|--|---|
| 1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book. | 6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book. |
| 2. The Clothing Receipt Book. | 7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book. |
| 3. The Inventory Book. | 8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book. |
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The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of December 1913, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	6	2	2	1	14	7	4	1	0	2	4	2	2	12	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12	0	0	9	0	0	6	0	0	5	0	0	2		
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	2	2	10	14	7	10	1	0	7	4	2	4	12	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	19	0	9	14	6	6	1	6	4	19	6	1	15	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1			1	10	0				10					
7. Total Relief given ...	12	19	0	9	14	6	6	1	6	5	9	6	1	15	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5	3	2	1	0	1	3	19	6	1	14	8	2	17	11
9. Total ...	18	2	2	10	14	7	10	1	0	7	4	2	4	12	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 9th day of December 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians :—
Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse ~~Dispensary District~~, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

Special 2 Water Beds £ 4. 10. 0
Megars Dilators
Double ended forceps £ 0. 10. 0
Note. Ordered

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District. in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District. retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
_____ for _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
		Amount,		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19 ____

_____ District -	-	£ _____
_____ District -	-	£ _____
_____ District -	-	£ _____
_____ District -	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Warden, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Read. Letter from Local Govt Bodua no 63742 dated 6th inst requesting to be furnished with a copy of the specifications of the proposed new drains in connection with the Medical Officer's residence Stamullen Dist —

Date. Referred to Archd —

Req. Result of analysis of drugs from Stamullen Dispy —

Date. Satisfactory (Enclsd)

Req. Letter from Mr W. P. Carnes stating that the rent of North Quay Dispy must in future be paid through him as Receiver —

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Total 6 weeks

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 16th day of December 1913

(Signed),

Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29 212

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126 408 17 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of December 1913

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hosp., Fever Sheds, and summary rows for Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Total Discharged and Died, and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 day of Decr, 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of Cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 (Number of Cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of Cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1 (Number of Cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Includes rows I through XVII and a TOTAL row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of December 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq JP
Other Guardians:— James Clarke Kelly PD Esq John McGrane
Edmond A. P. Murphy Esq Edmond

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

Report from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week

Miss Conolly Courtney Dolan
Doregan

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

Master's Report 16 Dec^r 1913

The Calico was accepted by the Guardians on last Thursday -

I received £41.10.0 for of Pags and I returned 9/- as Luckpenny -

I respectfully request instructions about the extras to be given to the inmates on Xmas & New Year days -

Note - Usual extra fare allowed on inmates -

Analysis

Sample of Whiskey marked Bernard Mathew Contractor Drogheda Union 2 degrees Dupont and of good quality -

E. A. Cameron
9th Dec^r 1913

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

Read Letter from Local Govt Board no 6679H dated 15th inst consenting to the Guardians proposal to contribute £5 to the funds of the National Society for the prevention of Cruelty to Children -

Read Letter from Clerk Dist School Trin forwarding copy of Estimate to meet expenditure of the school for year ending March 1915 -

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

Read Copy of Ejectment notice served on The P.O. at Petus Dist John Dolan & John Healy Sunday's gate -

Proposed by Mr Kelly seconded by Mr Mc Grane & carried unanimously -
"That the weekly allowance of out door relief in each case be double for Xmas week" -

Proposed by Mr Mc Grane seconded by Mr Kelly & carried unanimously -
"That no meeting of the Board of Guardians be held during Xmas week" -

The following is a list of the names of the persons who were present at the meeting held on the 1st day of June 1894.

The following is a list of the names of the persons who were present at the meeting held on the 1st day of June 1894.

Louth County Archives

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 - 20

Ditto disallowed, - - - - - 1

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 1

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - 1

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - 3

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 20

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: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 30th day of December 1913

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda **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.)

Meeting held the 1st Friday of December 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 523 to No. 608
 Separate „ No. — to No. —
 Out door „ No. 2037 to No. 2039

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 13th day of December 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	110	12	5	51	0	3	161	12	8	44	15	9	4	11	11	49	7	8	112	5	0	
Necessaries ...	310	16	6	2	14	11	313	11	5	12	15	1	1	1	7	13	16	8	299	14	9	1572
TOTAL ...	421	8	11	53	15	2	475	4	1	57	10	10	5	13	6	63	4	4	411	19	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 11 ^H
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5 ^H
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 5 : 0 ^H

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of December 1913 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer <i>Dunne</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Mullen</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Lorrey</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McDullon</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Donney</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5	3	2	1	0	1	3	19	6	1	14	8	2	17	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	13	0	0	14	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	2	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	3	2	15	0	1	9	19	6	7	14	8	4	17	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	19	0	9	17	0	6	1	6	5	7	0	1	18	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility												5			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out				1	10	0									
7. Total Relief given ...	11	19	0	11	7	0	6	1	6	5	12	0	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	4	2	3	13	1	3	18	0	2	2	8	2	19	11
9. Total ...	18	3	2	15	0	1	9	19	6	7	14	8	4	17	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 16th day of December 1913.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of December 1913

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:— Same Guardians

£20.18.3

An Estimate of Medicines, &c./required by the Medical Officer of the Lerninagh Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

Not Approved - Forward to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Messrs L Murphy & J Buttery Dist Guardians recommended that a small stove be erected in the writing room of Logher Dispy

Vote Approved by Board. Matter left in hands of Messrs Murphy & Buttery —

In accordance with notice to each member proposed by Mr. H. Grane seconded by Mr. L. H. Keon & carried —

"That the conditions under which we have taken from Mrs. Tiernan the house, now our Dispensary, on the North Quay, be sent to our Solicitor for consideration as to how we occupy the premises."

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Water Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 30th day of December 1913

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901—29212

Present Net Annual Value, £126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of December 1913

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	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	764	223														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..	58	6														
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	822	229														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	32	92	59	3	4	14	4		235	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 63	In separate Wards } 17		
Admitted during the Week			46	41	3	2			1	6		99	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 6	In Wards with other inmates } -		
TOTAL,			73	73	95	61	3	4	15	10		334	TOTAL, } 69	TOTAL, } 17		
Discharged during the Week			50	39	4	4			2	6		105				
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			50	39	4	4			2	6		105				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	34	91	57	3	4	13	4		229				No. at Corresponding period, last year } 232

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of December 1913, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	83	132					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	72	108					No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	60					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>Car. Road</i>	232	389					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30th day of December 1913

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Peter Lynch Esq. JP.
Other Guardians:— Messrs. Kelly, Clarke, McNamee, Jennis & O'Connor

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

No Report from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week:—

Messrs Lennis, Block, Fay & Gannon

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

Master's Report 30th December 1913.

I purchased 8 pigs for £15.4.0. I received 42½ lb tea from Mr Balfour for the inmates. I supplied 170 lb sugar for which I request your approval. The inmates desire me to return thanks to the Guardians for the extras allowed them at X-mas.

Note Thanks of Guardians to be conveyed Mr Balfour

Read Resolution of Cork Board of Guardians in favour of the establishment of a ~~house~~ for epileptic children

Note Adopted by Board of Guardians

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officers the Guardians resolved to send a patient named James Ludden to R.V. Hospital for (special) treatment of the eye

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

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

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Louth County Archives

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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 9th day of January 1914

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 30th day of December 1913.

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

Indoor, from No. 693 to No. 791

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Out door „ No. 2040 to No. 2041

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 December 1913 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions ...	112	18	1	65	8	11	178	7	0	63	3	3	4	11	11	67	15	2	110	11	10	1610
Necessaries ...	294	18	1	211	1		297	9	2	13	13	3	1	1	7	14	14	10	282	14	4	
TOTAL ...	407	16	2	68	0	0	475	16	2	76	16	6	5	13	6	82	10	0	393	6	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 6 : 8

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 6 : 10 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 6 : 4

The following Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	for _____	Amount,	£	s.	d.
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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Referring to Resolution of the 16th instant
 Read Letter from Mr Tallon, solicitor, re
 Guardians agreement with Mr Hernan
 in connection with premises North Quay
 Dispensary

Note. Matter left in hands of Mr Tallon

[This at the first
 Ordinary Meeting of
 the Guardians in each
 month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the
 Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :-

Handwritten signature in red ink, possibly 'M. J. ...'

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz, on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December.] Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :-

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

Thursday 6th Jan being a Catholic Holiday

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *8th* day of *January* 19*14*

(Signed) *[Signature]* Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29,212

Present Net Annual Value, £126,408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *3rd* day of *January* 19*14*

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm Persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, etc.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *3rd* day of *January* 19*14*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICTS, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. XVII and Car. forwd.

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

the *8th* day of *January* 19*14*

PRESENT—In the Chair, — *Peter Lynch Esq*
Other Guardians:— *Ellis Clarke Kelly McGrane McCarthy*
Donnan O'Connor O'Callaghan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

Advised from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week

Leave granted Kelly Lynch & Lyons,

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

31st January, 1914

There is a new Heating Boiler required for The Baths of The Lower Infirmary —

There are some slates of The Roads —

Date. Required to Archt, for report —

The duties of Mercy in charge of The Infirmary wrote thanking Local Cashiers for their kindness in sending presents to the patients at Xmas —

Date. Thanks of Guardians to be conveyed —

Recd. Letter from Local Govt Ref no 141 dated 2nd inst requesting returns — names of persons of unsound mind in Workhouse on the 31st ult —

Date. To be prepared, & forwarded —

Recd. Report of Engineer National Boiler Lorraine Co on state of Workhouse Boilers —

Date. Required to Committee Messrs Clarke Callan, Dodman, & Archt to have pressure tested —

Recd. Letter from Richmond Institution for Indigent Blind Dublin requesting the Guardians to increase the weekly allowance for P. Conaghy (an outworker from this Union) from 4/- to 5/-

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

Date. on the motion of Mr. Bodman seconded by Mr. Mr. Carthy the request was unanimously granted by the Guardians

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

Louth County Archives

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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

13th day of January 1914

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 8th day of January 1914.

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

Indoor, from No. 792 to No. 861

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Out door „ No. 2041 to No. —

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of January 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 ...	110	11	10	57	2	4	167	14	2	57	0	4	4	11	11	61	12	3	106	1	11	1577
Necessaries ...	282	14	4	2	6	1	285	0	5	13	14	2	1	1	7	14	15	9	270	4	8	
TOTAL ...																						

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 6 : 3 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 6 : 2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 5 : 2

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of January 1914, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Dunne</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Hullin</i>			Relieving Officer <i>Cary</i>			Relieving Officer <i>McQuillan</i>			TOTAL <i>Dunne</i>		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	6	7	2	3	13	1	3	13	6	2	1	8	2	5	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12	0	0	10	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	7	2	13	13	1	8	13	6	7	1	8	3	5	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	19	0	10	0	0	6	2	6	5	7	0	1	18	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	19	0	10	0	0	6	2	6	5	7	0	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	8	2	3	13	1	2	11	0	1	14	8	1	7	11
9. Total ...	18	7	2	13	13	1	8	13	6	7	1	8	3	5	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 8th day of January 1914.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 8th day of

January 1914

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:— same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Recd. Letter from L. G. D^o no 67977 dated 1st inst requesting to be furnished with copy of Requisition for medicine & made by G. O. Jackson Dist on the 16th ult -

Date. Forwarded on the 3rd inst -

- " I beg to report that Dr Tallan Dulack Dist was ill
 - " during last week, I appointed Dr Mc Cullen
 - " (R. P. Dist) to take charge of his Dist - Medical
 - " Certificate attached - I appointed Dr Mc Cullen
 - " to take charge of Dulack Dist on Monday last
 - " also during Dr Tallan's absence at *quarta recessis*
- John J. C. O'G
8 January 1914

Date - Remuneration at the rate of £4-4-0 a week allowed Dr Mc Cullen -

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 13th day of January 1914
(Signed) Peter Lynch Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901—29212

Present Net Annual Value, £126,408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 1914

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 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	764	234														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. .	68	6														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	822	240														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			21	36	94	57	3	4	13	3		226	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 71	In separate Wards } 17		
Admitted during the Week			43	19	7	4	2	1		1		77	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 6	In Wards with other inmates } -		
TOTAL,			64	49	101	61	5	5	13	4		302	TOTAL, } 77	TOTAL, } 17		
Discharged during the Week			36	19	3					1		59				
Died						2	1					3				
Total Discharged and Died			36	19	5	1				1		62				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			28	30	96	60	5	5	13	3		240				No. at Corresponding period last year: 232

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of January 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.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	83	132					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	72	108					No. X.						
No. III.	38	66					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	60					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>Barthol</i>	233	389					TOTAL,						

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

the 13th day of January 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq. JP
Other Guardians:— Mrs Mackintosh, Messrs Courtney, Clarke, Kelly, Connors, L. McKean, M. McKean, Ruth, McCarthy, Ogle, Logan & Brangan.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No Report from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week :—
Mr Mackittrick, Messrs Marry, McCarthy & Malhane

Finance Committee's Report
Quarterly + Monthly a/c's examined
and found correct

Mr. Mackittrick

Peter Lynch

13th. January 1915 Wm Courtney

Note adopted by Board of Guardians

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

Master's Report 13th January 1914

The milk was supplied late on 8 occasions during the past month which means a fine of £1.5.0 according to the bond.

If we are to continue sending out the new ambulance it will be necessary to purchase a horse able to draw it.

Note. Fine to be paid by milk contractor. Horse lately purchased by Committee of Guardians to be sold at to-morrow's fair.

On the recommendation of the Medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Jas. Kelleghy to Jervis St Hospital for treatment of cancer of the face.

Read. Report from R. Os on children at Nurse in the Union.

Note. Satisfactory.

Read. Report from Inspector, Munimay Ltd. on five appliances in use in the Workhouse.

Note. Satisfactory.

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

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

The following was read:—

To the Chairman & Guardians of the Poor of Drogheda Union.

Gentlemen

As deputed by the Board we requested Mr Joseph Branigan Chief Engineer of the Lanc. & York. S. S. Colleen Bawn to make an examination of the boiler complained of by the National Boiler Insurance Co. We asked Mr Branigan to act in conjunction with Mr Turley C.E. and also to ascertain from Mr Dowdall the points raised by the Boiler Insurance Co and to make his report to the Board thereon.

We beg to hand in the report which Mr Branigan makes upon his examination of the Boiler.

Dated the 12th June 1914. Charles O'Connor, Jno J. Ballan

Note. Mr Bramigan's report read for the Guardians and considered satisfactory. Referred to Architect and Master

In accordance with notice to each Guardian the Estimate and Demand on the lo. Councils of Louth and Meath to meet expenditure of the Union for financial year ending March 1915 was considered by the Board on this day.

Proposed by Mrs Mackittrick seconded by Mr Jennis and carried unanimously:-

That the Estimate and Demand as submitted by the clerk be adopted and signed.

(copy shall be forwarded L.G. B)

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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 20th day of January 1914

(Signed), [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

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Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments, as above			

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of _____ 19____

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 13th day of January 1914

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

Indoor, from No. 862 to No. 938
 Separate „ No. — to No. —
 Out door „ No. 2041 to No. —

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 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 ...	106	1	11	52	10	2	160	12	1	47	14	7	4	11	11	52	6	6	108	5	7	6,1635
Necessaries ...	270	4	8	2	10	6	272	15	2	13	2	1	1	1	7	14	3	8	258	11	6	
TOTAL ...	376	6	7	57	0	8	433	7	3	60	16	8	5	13	6	66	10	2	366	17	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2½
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5½
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 4 : 11

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 1914, was submitted as follows :—

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

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 13th day of January 1914.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 13th day of

January 1914
PRESENT: In the Chair, Peter Lynch Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians :—

Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Dr. Zallan, M.O. Duleek District applied
"for leave of absence for some days
this week, Dr Mcullen, St Peter's N^o. District
to act as temporary M.O. without expense
to the Guardians"

Note granted

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

St Peter's No 3 District 70 names

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

R. O's to look after defaulters and report to Board.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 20th day of January 1914

(Signed) *[Signature]* Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29212

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January 1914

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 3 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	764	241														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..	58	1														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	822	242														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			28	30	96	60	5	5	13	3		240	Under Medical treatment in Infirmery Wards, } 70	In separate Wards } 18		
Admitted during the Week			41	20	10	1	1	1	1	4		79	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 1	In Wards with other Inmates } -		
TOTAL			69	50	106	61	6	6	14	7		319	TOTAL } 71	TOTAL } 18		
Discharged during the Week			43	17	5	2	3	1	4	1		76				
Died						1						1				
Total Discharged and Died			43	17	5	3	3	1	4	1		77				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			26	33	101	58	3	5	10	6		242				
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
													Males	Fe-males	Children	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during week } 18	13	4	35
													No. in Work-house at date } 6	4	3	13
													No. at Corresponding period last year		231	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of January 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.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	83	132					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	72	108					No. X.						
No. III.	37	65					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	60					No. XII.						
No. V.	8	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	232	388					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 20th day of January 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq. JP.

Other Guardians:—
Mr Mackittrick Mrs Courtney
Ennis, M. McKeown, McEabe, Whyte
L. McKeon, Marry, Kelly, Clarke Noonan
Byrne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

Visited the House. Everything satisfactory
Officers at their posts. Provisions of good quality
Repairs are necessary to water closet in
Lr. Infirmary

15.1.14

Signed Simon Jordan

Date accepted

Visiting Committee for coming week:—
Messrs Mcabe, McLoughlin, McDonnell &
G. Mc Ivor.

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

Master's Report 20th January 1914
I received £15 for the made. I returned $\frac{2}{6}$ ^d
as luckpenny and paid 6^d for halter.

On the recommendation of the W.H. Medical Officers the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Patt. Corbally to R. V. Hospital for treatment of the eyes

Read Copy of Ejectment notice served on R. V. St. Peter's District Kate Branigan & John Fallon Dominick St.

Read Notification from Meath Co. Council lodgment to credit of £184.4.10, 4th instalment

Read Letter from Matron Jervis St. Hospital re the case of Patt. Ward a patient from this Union

Note. Referred to Dr. Hamill Medical Officer

Read Letter from Mr. Turley Architect recommending that a new boiler be supplied in connection with the Baths Lower Inprimary

Note. adopted. Specification to be prepared & tenders invited

Read Letter from L. G. B. No 1741 dated 13th inst referring to minutes of 8th inst & stating that 14 days notice should be given of the proposal to alter the terms of the contribution paid by the Guardians, in respect of the maintenance of a blind

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

outworker in the Richmond Institution for the Industrious Blind Dublin

Note notice will be handed in at next meeting for monthly meeting 10th Feb'y

Proposed by Mr. J. A. C. Noonan, seconded by Mr. Kelly & passed, that we tender our sincere sympathy to our colleague Mr. Tho. Rully.

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

on the death of his father, the late Mr. P. Rully of West St. one of Drogheda's oldest and most respected citizens

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The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - - - -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 27th day of January 1914

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the 13th day of January 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 December 1913 and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief	5	8	0
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	25	17	0
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts <u>Interest</u>	18	7	4
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments, as above	49	12	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of January, 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	279	9	2
Clothing and Bedding	43	5	6
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries	308	9	0
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances,			
(c) Farm	15	4	0
(d) Other Expenses,	8	15	4
Workhouse Burials	4	5	2
District School Account	161	5	0
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	3	7	6
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	13	6	9
Medical Charities	294	3	0
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	3	3	0
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations,			
Superannuation Allowances	26	6	2
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers <i>Health Insurance</i>	3	10	0
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	182	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1346	9	7

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

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	107	3	14	3		
Total sums received during the Month	49	12	4			
TOTAL	1123	6	7			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the Month	1346	9	7			
TOTAL	1346	9	7			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	223	3	0			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	1124	8	7			
Outstanding Orders	1347	11	9			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> the Union	223	3	0			

Dated this 26th day of January 1914

Thomas D. Edwards
Clerk of Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 20th day of January 1914

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

Indoor, from No. 939 to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Out door „ No. 2041 to No. 2042

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 January 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 ...	108	5	7	49	6	11	157	12	6	48	8	8	4	11	11	53	0	7	104	11	11		
Necessaries ...	258	11	6	2	28	26	14	2	13	2	5	1	1	7	14	4	0	24	6	10	2	164	7
TOTAL ...	366	17	1	51	9	7	418	6	8	61	11	1	5	13	6	67	4	7	351	2	1		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : $2\frac{3}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 5 : $8\frac{3}{4}$

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January 1914, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	5	9	2	3	1	7	2	8	6	1	17	8	1	19	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15	0	0	10	0	0	6	0	0	6	0	0	5	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	17	9	2	13	1	7	8	8	6	7	17	8	3	19	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	11	19	0	10	1	6	5	16	6	5	7	0	1	18	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	11	19	0	10	1	6	5	16	6	5	7	0	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5	10	2	3	0	1	2	12	0	2	10	8	1	11	11
9. Total ...	17	9	2	13	1	7	8	8	6	7	17	8	3	19	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 20th day of January 1914.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Lougheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

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

at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 20 day of January 1914

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

Peter Lynch Esq J. P.

Some Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the District Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

St. Peter's £26.8.8

Note approved. Forwarded to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the District Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of the 17th having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

The following Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
Account of Mr. _____	for _____	Amount,		

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

Louth County Archives

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Read Letter from L. G. B. No 1742, dated 19th inst re minutes of 8th inst, sanction to the payment of remuneration at the rate of £H. 4.0 a week to Dr. M. Cullen for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Gallan District

Messrs M. Cane & White local Guardians recommended that a new stove be supplied for Stedalt Dispensary Depot

Note Adopted

A meeting of the Board was held on 27th January 1914 In the Chair P. Lynch Esq. JP also present Mr Mackittrick Messrs Ballan, Clarke, Kelly, O'Connor, McCullough & Jordan after dealing with cases of out-door + in-door

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

Relief. On the motion of the Chairman seconded by Mr Ballan the Board adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of Mr Patrick Collins JP. O'Leary, whose death took place during the week; the clerk to convey the sympathy of the Board to his widow. were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

the week; the clerk to convey the sympathy of the Board to his widow.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 27th day of January 1914

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29212

Present Net Annual Value, £156,408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of January 1914

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			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	564	241														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..	58	-														
Fever Sheds ..																
TOTAL	582	241														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	30	99	60	2	5	9	6		238	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 85	In separate Wards 18		
Admitted during the Week			44	16	13		1	1		1		76	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, -	In Wards with other Inmates -		
TOTAL			71	46	112	60	3	6	9	7		314	TOTAL, 85	TOTAL, 18		
Discharged during the Week			48	17	6		1					72				
Died						1						1				
Total Discharged and Died			48	17	7		1					73				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	29	105	60	2	6	9	7		241				
													No. at Corresponding period, last year			237

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of January 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.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	89	142					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	69	107					No. X.						
No. III.	36	60					No. XI.						
No. IV.	32	52					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	235	384					TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 3rd day of February 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq. JP
 Other Guardians:— Mr Mackittrick Messrs Clarke, Ballan Noonan, N. S. Murphy, McBarthry, Kelly, J. Butterly, L. McKeon, Donegan & Ogle

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No Report from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week;—

Messrs N. J. Murphy, Noonan, Norris & Connor

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

Masters Report 27th. January 1914
Albert Fullerton from the Blue School was discharged from the Fever Hospital last Friday.

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Joseph Bradley to R.V. Hospital for treatment of the eye.

Read. circular letter from L.G.B. No 948 dated the 29th ultimo re scale of charges for cartage of medicine and return of empties &c

Read. circular letter from L.G.B. No 139 dated the 2nd instant re superannuation of officers

Read. Letter from L.G.B. No 62,653 dated the 26th ultimo returning vouchers &c furnished in connection with claim for recoupment: cost of medicine (half-year September 1913)

Read copy of ejectment notice served on R. O. St Peter's District Board Harrison v. Patk. Dillon, Boyne Place

Read. Letter from Hon Secty N. S. P. C. C. Drogheda, Branch, thanking the Guardians for subscription of £5 voted to Society funds

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

The Guardians accepted the tender of John Leollis (lowest received) for supplying and erecting special boiler in connection with Baths for Infirmary for the sum of £18. 15. 0

Notice of Motion for 17th. February 1914
That the weekly allowance to the Richmond National Institution for Industrious Blind for the maintenance of P. Leonardy, an outworker

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

from this Union be increased from 4/ to 5/.

J. G. E. Noonan

Read. Letter from Mr Tho Reilly P.L.G. acknowledging receipt of Guardians resolution passed on the death of his father.

Proposed by Mr J. A. C. Noonan seconded by Mr N. S. Murphy & carried:—
"That we, the Drogheda Board of Guardians hereby tender to our colleague Mr P. D. McIvor our sincere sympathy on the death of his sister, Miss McIvor, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr McIvor"

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The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

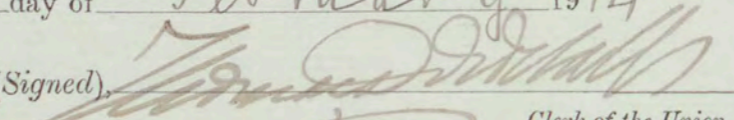
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 10th day of February 1914

(Signed) 
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 3rd day of February 1914.

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

Indoor, from No. 1088 to No. 1163

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Out door „ No. 2043 to No. 2048

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 January 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 ...	97	6	6	58	14	5	15	6	0	11	49	1	8	4	11	9	53	13	5	10	2	7	6		
Necessaries ...	24	2	6	2	3	3	24	9	5	13	12	8	1	2	2	14	4	10	2	30	4	7	16	5	3
TOTAL ...	33	9	12	60	17	8	40	10	4	62	4	4	5	13	11	67	18	3	33	2	12	1			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 3

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : — : —

The following Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	for	Amount,	£	s.	d.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____
_____ District	-	-	£ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Read. Letter from L. G. B. N^o 62210 dated the 28th ultimo requesting to be informed whether provision has been made for having fires regularly maintained in the waiting room of the Stamullen Dispensary and whether a fire-place has been provided for the waiting room of the Togher Depot

Note. A new stove ordered at meeting of 20th ultimo for waiting room Stamullen Dispensary. An oil stove supplied for waiting-room Togher Depot on the 20th December last.

Read. Letter from Mr Tallan, solicitor, re agreement in connection with premises North Quay Dispensary.

Note. New agreement to be submitted to Guardians for approval. Mr Tallan to arrange to have yard and back entrance included.

Read. Result of analysis of Drugs Jermonfecken and St Peter's N^o 3 Dispensaries

Note. Satisfactory (enclosed)

Read. Form H. Stamullen District 13 vaccinations 1/2 ended December 1913

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

Stamullen District 'nil'
St Peter's No. 1 District 47 names

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

R. O's to look after defaulters and report to Board

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 10th day of February 1914

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29212

Present Net Annual Value, £ 156,408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of February 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							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	764	233														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hosp. .																
Fever Sheds	58	—														
TOTAL	822	233														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	29	105	60	2	6	9	7	241		Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 71	In separate Wards } 19		
Admitted during the Week			53	8	5	3					69		Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } —	In Wards with other inmates } —		
TOTAL,			76	37	110	63	2	6	9	7	310		TOTAL, } 71	TOTAL, } 19		
Discharged during the Week			49	8	9	3			1	2	72					
Died					1	1					5					
Total Discharged and Died			49	8	10	4			1	5	77					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			27	29	100	59	2	5	9	2	233					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of February 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.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	90	143					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	70	108					No. X.						
No. III.	36	60					No. XI.						
No. IV.	31	51					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	236	385					TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 10th day of February 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair, — Peter Lynch Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians:— Mrs Mackittrick, Messrs Courtney Lynch, O'neil, Grogan, W. Keon, Mary Blacke, White, W. Dool, Clarke Kelly, Byrne, O'connor, Jordan, W. Carthy, N. J. Murphy, O'Reilly & Norris

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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 :—

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

No Report from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week
Messrs Cgle. A Reilly, Reilly + Roche

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

Masters Report
10th Feby 1914

I returned 4 dozen small eggs to Mrs Thomas Callow Contractors on last Friday but he refused to exchange them although his bond stipulates that all small eggs rejected be exchanged for larger ones

Note Masters to carry out terms of Bond

Read Report of R. C. s and children at nurse in the Union

Note Satisfactory. R. C. ordered to see that the boy Hickey attends School regularly in future

Read Letter from Joseph Mr. Carthy Bolton St stating that he was dismissed from his work under Distress Committee and requesting the Guardians to grant him outdoor Relief.

Note Referred to R. C. for inquiries

Read Notification from Louth Co. Council lodgment to credit £ 1181. 15.5 fourth instalment

Read Copy of Ejectment notice served on P. C. St. Peters Dist. A Donnelly Agent v Mary A Cahill Herschold Lane.

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

Read Letter from Mr. P. D. Mr. Jros P. L. G. acknowledging receipt of Guardians Resolution passed on the death of his Sister

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

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Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 1917

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

TABLE (a).

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

The 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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 17th day of February 1914

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 10th day of February 1914.

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

Indoor, from No. 1164 to No. 1232

Separate „ No. — to No. —

Out door „ No. 2049 to No. 2050

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 February 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 ...	102	7	6	49	10	10	151	18	4	48	3	5	4	12	9	52	16	2	99	2	2	1633
Necessaries ...	230	4	7	17	1	0	247	5	7	12	17	6	1	1	2	13	18	8	233	6	11	
TOTAL ...	332	12	1	66	11	10	399	3	11	61	0	11	5	13	11	66	14	10	332	9	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 5¹/₂

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. | 6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book. |
| 2. The Clothing Receipt Book. | 7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book. |
| 3. The Inventory Book. | 8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book. |
| 4. The Labour Book. | |
| 5. The Workhouse Farm Account. | |

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of February 1914, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	Dunne			Mullen			Corry			McMullen			Downey		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	4	15	8	2	19	7	2	16	6	4	16	2	1	15	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12	0	0	11	0	0	7	0	0	5	0	0	2	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	15	8	13	19	7	9	16	6	9	16	2	3	15	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	12	16	0	10	2	0	5	19	0	4	15	0	1	18	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	0	0	1	10	0				10					
7. Total Relief given ...	13	16	0	11	12	0	5	19	0	5	5	0	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2	19	8	2	7	7	3	17	6	4	11	2	1	17	11
9. Total ...	16	15	8	13	19	7	9	16	6	9	16	2	3	15	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 10th day of February 1914.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 10 day of February 1914

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:— Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Stamullen Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows:—

(£ 5. 16. 7)

Note approved. Forwarded to Contractors

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr.	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
	for			Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 19

District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£
District	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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 dated (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows :—

Read Result of Analysis of Drugs St. Mary's
Dispensary

Note Satisfactory Enclosed

[This at the first
Ordinary Meeting of
the Guardians in each
month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Laurence McKeeon

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, and the 31st December.] Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 17th day of February 1914
(Signed) James D. D. D.
Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901— 29 212

Present Net Annual Value, £126408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of February 1914

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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	764	238												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..	58	1												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	822	239												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	29	100	59	2	5	9	2		233	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 74	In separate Wards } 18
Admitted during the Week			59	20	6	6	1	3	2	3		100	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 1	In Wards with other inmates } -
TOTAL,			86	49	106	65	3	8	11	5		333	TOTAL, } 75	TOTAL, } 18
Discharged during the Week			58	17	8	5	-	2	1	1		92		
Died					1	1						2		
Total Discharged and Died			58	17	9	6	-	2	1	1		94		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			28	32	97	59	3	6	10	4		239		
													No. at Corresponding period last year	238

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of February 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.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	92	153					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	70	108					No. X.						
No. III.	36	60					No. XI.						
No. IV.	31	51					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	238	395					TOTAL.						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 17th day of February 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Laurence McKeeon Esq.
Other Guardians:— Mr Mackittrick Mess Blake, Kelly, Lynch Noonan, O'Reilly, Rath & Byrne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

No Report from Visiting Committee

Visiting Committee for coming week:—

Messrs Brangan, Butterly, Whyte and Mr Brangan

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

Master's Report 17th February 1914

In accordance with instructions the Chairman and I purchased a horse at the fair on last Wednesday for £28.0.0 from Mr McKullen, Beamore subject to a week's trial and so far he is working satisfactorily.

Note. Adopted

On the recommendation of the Workhouse Medical Officer the Guardians resolved to send a patient named Mary Mathews to Jervis Street Hospital for treatment of tumor

Read. Letter from Mrs Collier acknowledging receipt of resolution passed on the death of her husband Mr P. Collier P.M.

In accordance with notice to each Member proposed by Mr Noonan seconded by Mr Kelly and carried unanimously

That the weekly allowance to the Richmond National Institution for Industrious Blind for the maintenance of P. Conaghy, an outworker from this Union be increased from 4/- to 5/-

Read. Letter from Rev. James Lynn C.C. recommending Mrs Byrne, Crooked Street as a suitable person to take charge of James Russell as a boarded-out child.

Note. Usual form to be filled and signed and submitted to next meeting.

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

Read. Resolution of the Dundalk U.D.C. re provision of a sanatorium for Co. Louth.

Note. Not adopted by this Board

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

The following Report was read:—

We, the Committee appointed to consider the question of improving the kitchen arrangements of the Upper Infirmary beg to report that in consultation with our engineers, Mr Turley C.C. Architect we examined the place and recommend that the kitchen be extended in a southerly direction by 17 feet with total length of about 42 feet and carried to height of existing Hospital and that the first floor be utilized as a female consumptive ward and that it be fitted with baths and water closets; second floor to be arranged to accommodate cancer cases etc

We were accompanied by the Medical Officer and he entirely approves of this.

Approximately the cost will be £700 to £800. Loan to be borrowed from Board of Public Works under the Workhouse Improvements.

Peter Lynch

James S. Kelly

Mary Mackittrick

17th Feby 1914

over

Note. To be considered at monthly meeting (10th March)
each guardian to be notified

Louth County Archives

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. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

24th day of February 1914

(Signed)

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

Drogheda UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the 10th day of February 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 January 14, and the Ledger Entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1184	4	10
Repayment of Relief	12	7	3
Rents of Dispensary Residences	12	10	0
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	15	4	0
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	16	12	0
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments, as above	1240	18	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 February, 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.

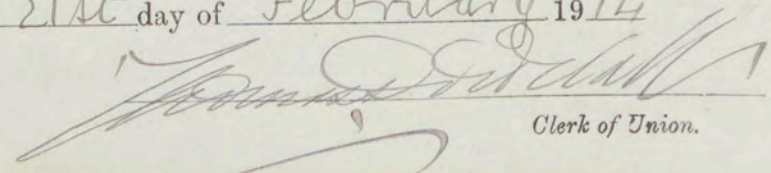
TABLE (b).

	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries	219	16	7
Clothing and Bedding	2	15	0
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries	4	3	4
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, ...			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses,	45	5	6
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	2	3	6
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses		14	0
Medical Charities	1	7	0
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	0
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations, ...	11	7	1
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	147	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	435	13	0

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of January 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	1240	18	1			
TOTAL	1240	18	1			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	223	3	0			
Payments ordered during the Month	435	13	0			
TOTAL	658	16	0			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	582	2	1			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1186	6	9			
Outstanding Orders	604	4	8			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	582	2	1			

Dated this 21st day of February 1914


Clerk of Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda 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.)

Meeting held the 17th day of February 1914

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

Indoor, from No. 1233 to No. 1332

Separate ,, No. _____ to No. _____

Out door ,, No. 2051 to No. 2055

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 February 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 ...	99	22	43	8	7	14	10	9	47	6	5	4	11	9	5	18	2	9	0	12	7		
Necessaries ...	233	6	11	2	6	5	23	13	4	12	16	4	1	2	2	13	18	6	22	14	10	16	15
TOTAL ...	332	9	1	45	15	0	378	4	1	60	2	9	5	13	11	65	16	8	31	2	7	5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 2½

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 6½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 1 : 5

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of February 1914, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2	19	8	2	7	7	3	17	6	4	11	2	1	17	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	14	0	0	11	0	0	6	0	0	5	0	0	2	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	19	8	13	7	7	9	17	6	9	11	2	3	17	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	13	6	0	10	2	0	5	19	0	4	15	0	1	18	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	13	6	0	10	2	0	5	19	0	4	15	0	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	3	13	8	3	5	7	3	18	6	4	16	2	1	19	11
9. Total ...	16	19	8	13	7	7	9	17	6	9	11	2	3	17	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 17th day of February 1914.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts,
at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 17th day of
February 1914

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lawrence McKeon Esq.
Other Guardians:—

Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and
directions were given thereon, as follows:—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the
Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he
had forwarded the same *as the case may be*), to the Medical Officer of the District,
retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
Account of Mr. _____ for _____			Amount,

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£
_____ District	-	-	-	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read. Letter from L.G.B. N^o 6883 dated the 10th instant requesting the M.O. St. Peter's N^o 3 District to explain why samples of drugs delivered into stock on the 22nd. November last did not reach the analyst until the 22nd ultimo.

Note. Referred to Dr Parr M.O. Explanation enclosed

R. O. Corry reported that Dr Moore (Stamullen District) took charge of Duleek District on the 12th instant while Dr. Tallan was absent in Dublin at hearing of Labourers Act petitions.

Note. £1.1.0 allowed Dr Moore

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows :—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows:—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the

24th day of February 1914

(Signed) *Peter Lynch*

Clerk of the Union.

Drogheda UNION.

Population in 1901—29212

Present Net Annual Value, £126,408.17.0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of February 1914

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			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	764	248													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hosp. ..															
Fever Sheds	58														
TOTAL	822	248													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			28	32	97	59	3	6	10	4		239	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 73	In separate Wards } 18	
Admitted during the Week			87	17	7	1	1					108	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } -	In Wards with other inmates } -	
TOTAL,			110	49	104	60	4	6	10	4		347	TOTAL, } 73	TOTAL, } 18	
Discharged during the Week			75	15	7		1					98			
Died						1						1			
Total Discharged and Died			75	15	8		1					99			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			35	34	96	60	3	6	10	4		248			

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
	Males	Females	Children
No. Relieved during week	52	10	-
No. in Workhouse at date	13	4	-
No. at Corresponding period last year	229		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of February 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.		RELIEF DISTRICTS.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	92	154					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	69	107					No. X.						
No. III.	36	60					No. XI.						
No. IV.	31	51					No. XII.						
No. V.	9	23					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd	237	395					TOTAL,						

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

the 24th day of February 1914

PRESENT—In the Chair,— *Peter Lynch Esq. JP*

Other Guardians:— *Mr Brangan, Mrs Mackittrick, Messrs Kelly, Byrne, Connor, Jordan, Connis, Brangan, Whyte, L. Murphy, Courtney.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of the 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:—

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

Visited the House. The boiler in main kitchen requires repairs as it is leaking. Everything else seems perfectly right. No complaints by inmates.

Kate Branigan

Joseph Whyte

Patrick Branigan

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Note. Adopted.

Visiting Committee for coming week:—
Messrs J. Butterly, Byrne, Clarke, Connolly,

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

Master's Report 24th February 1914

Some slates were blown from the roof of the Fever Hospital during the recent storm.

Note. To be repaired. Referred to Architect.

On the recommendation of the W.D. M.O. the Guardians resolved to send a patient named James Noonan to R.V. Hospital for treatment of the eyes.

Read. Copy of ejection notice served on R.D. St Peter's District — L. F. Branigan v. John Healy, Magdalene street.

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

Read. Letter from L.G.B. N^o 12/m dated the 17th instant re contracts for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances

Note. Instructions to be carried out.

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

Read. Letter from L.G.B. N^o 9623 dated the 20th instant consenting to the proposal to increase from 4/ to 5/ the contribution paid by the Guardians for maintenance of P. Conaghy, outworker in Richmond Institution for Blind.

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The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

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

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians, - - - - -

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - -

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' Proceedings under the Medical Charities Act.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 3rd day of March 1914

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

UNION.

UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL 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 Finance Meeting.)

Finance Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 191

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

TABLE (a).

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

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

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

TABLE (b).

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month 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 Union.

FORM 14—continued.

Drogheda **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.)

Meeting held the 24th day of February 1914.

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

Indoor, from No. 1333 to No. 1440

Separate ,, No. — to No. —

Out door ,, No. 2056 to No. 2057

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of February 19— 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 ...	90	12	7	49	5	0	139	17	7	47	14	9	4	11	9	52	6	6	87	11	1	1673
Necessaries ...	22	14	10	1	12	3	223	7	1	12	13	8	1	2	2	13	15	10	209	11	3	
TOTAL ...	312	7	5	50	17	3	363	4	8	60	8	5	5	13	11	66	24	297	2	4		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 5 : 0 ¹/₂
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 4 ¹/₂
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : 1 : 4 ¹/₂

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of February 1914, was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	3	13	8	3	5	7	3	18	6	4	16	2	1	19	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	14	0	0	10	0	0	5	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0
3. Total to be accounted for ...	17	13	8	13	5	7	8	18	6	9	16	2	2	19	11
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money ...	13	6	6	9	19	0	5	19	0	4	15	0	1	18	0
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out															
7. Total Relief given ...	13	6	6	9	19	0	5	19	0	4	15	0	1	18	0
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	7	2	3	6	7	2	19	6	5	1	2	1	1	11
9. Total ...	17	13	8	13	5	7	8	18	6	9	16	2	2	19	11

NOTE.—Should any of the above-mentioned books not be duly authenticated and submitted at the meeting, the names thereof should be struck out in red ink, and the cause of the omission explained on the Minutes.

Dated this 24th day of February 1914.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

Drogheda Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68), Vaccination Acts, and Dispensary Houses Act.

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

at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 24th day of February 1914.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Peter Lynch Esq. J.P.
Other Guardians:—

Same Guardians

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District, was laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon, as follows :—

An Invoice of Medicines, forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On 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 Accounts of expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Account of Mr. _____	Dispensary District.	£	s.	d.
for _____				
	Amount,			

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 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 Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____
_____ District	-	-	£	_____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of Wardens, after the Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies which may occur amongst the Wardens of a Dispensary District.]

The Board elected the following Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 2, 3, and 4 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts. The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1, E 2, and E 3), in pursuance of Article 31 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Wardens, namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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 dated _____ (state subject).

The Reports of the Medical Officers of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts were read, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Read Letter from L.G.B. No 8507 dated the 18th instant requesting to be informed on what date drugs were delivered at St Mary's Dispensary re analysts report of 10th instant.

Note. Clerk replied on the 19th instant.

[This at the first Ordinary Meeting of the Guardians in each month.]

The Medical Relief Registers, the Vaccination Registers, and the copies of the Medical Officers' Returns for the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

having been submitted, were examined, and orders made thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board and others were read by the Clerk, and Orders were made on them, respectively, as follows :—

Peter Lynch

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

Reports (Form P, containing the names of Children born in the District who are over 3 months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 3rd day of March 1914

(Signed)

[Handwritten Signature]

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