An application was received from Mrs. Connors, Ardoyne, for a shed to nurse and ordered to be noted.

The Board, acting on the recommendation of the Visiting Committee, resolved that the undermentioned articles of bedding clothing, &c. be condemned & cancelled:-

Bedding	Mens clothing	Womens clothing	Boys clothing	Girls clothing
12 Bedticks	6 Coats	7 5 Aprons	4 Coats	12 Aprons
14 Blankets	3 Flannel Shirts	2 Caps	4 Shoes	10 Gowns & Jacks
8 Bolster Covers	3 Do. Drawers	8 Gowns & Frocks	4 Socks	5 Petticoats
10 Pillow Slips	9 Shirts	12 Handkerchiefs	2 Trousers	6 Shoes
11 Rugs	14 Shoes	2 Petticoats under	1 Waistcoat	10 Stockings
24 Sheets	10 Socks	11 Do upper		
2 Table cloths	3 Trousers	34 Shifts		
9 Towels & Rollers	5 Waistcoats	18 Shoes		
		14 Stockings		

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 ... ... Two

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... ... one (for a week only)

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 41

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ... ... None

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th day of December 1904.

(Signed) D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 ____

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 in the month of _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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 _____ 19____

_____

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Meeting held the 6 day of December 1904

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

Indoor, from No. 3534 ..to No. 3536

Separate „ No. — ..to No. —

Out door „ No. —to No. —

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

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

1. The 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 30 day November 1904, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	25	3	5	14	15	9	42	19	2	16	2	3	3	5	10	19	8	1	23	11	1	
Necessaries ...	142	3	4	5	3	8	144	7	3	3	18	1		5	4	4	3	8	143	3	4	427
Total ...	167	6	9	19	18	5	186	26	5	19	20	4	3	10	14	23	11	9	166	14	5	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	-	: -

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of Dec Nov! 1904 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	16 16 2	4 5 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	16 16 2	4 5 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 0 0	1 4 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	6 0 0	1 4 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	10 16 2	2 18 0					
9. Total	16 16 2	4 5 0					

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 4 day of December 1904.

D Hopkins
Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 6th day of December 1904.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq JP

Other Guardians :— See folio :- 241

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
Coollattin	4 8 4	That the Drugs be ordered
"	4 8 6	" appliances.

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £ _____

_____ District ... ... £ _____

_____ District ... ... £ _____

_____ District ... .. £ _____

_____ District ... .. £ _____

_____ District .. .. £ _____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
4 Dec. 04	Mrs Kate Kelly Aghowle	To apply for the post of caretaker for Tinahely Dispensary.	The position has already been filled.

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

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

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

Michael Byrne Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13th day of December 1907.

(Signed), D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,155 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of December 1907.

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	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls			Infants under 2 years of age	Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	891	94													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	-													
Fever Sheds															
Total	941	94													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	16	40	21	6	2	2	1	5	6	-	-	99
Admitted during the Week				1	1	1						16	2		21
Born - - - - - -															
Total,			-	17	41	22	6	2	2	1	5	22	2	-	120
Discharged during the Week					1						1	19	2	-	23
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died -					1						1	19	2	-	23
Remaining on the above date			-	17	40	22	6	2	2	1	4	3	-	-	97

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	25	In Separate Wards	5
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	25	Total,	9

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 93

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7 day of December 1907 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	52	69	6	6	58	75
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
Car. forwd.	67	84	6	6	73	90

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
Bt. forward						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
No. X.						
Total ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of December 1907.

Present: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq P.P. Glen.

Other Guardians:—

Wms P. J. Maguire. Michael Fleming.

Patrick Kenny and John Byrne.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

35 lbs Butter
4 gals Buttermilk
20 Dozen Eggs
80 lbs Beef
30 " Mutton
40 " Boneless Beef
3 Dozen Pork
110 gals Sweetmilk
1 Chest Tea
220 ½ lb Loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

I beg to ask you for an order to give the inmates the usual extras on Christmas Day – granted

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

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

No. 61. 314 6 Decr. 1904.

The Local Government Board wrote to state that they had sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £3. 3. 0 a week to Dr. T. F. Brady for his services as substitute for the Medical officer of the Workhouse for four days.

9 December '04

W. Frank Brooke wrote to say that Lord Fitzwilliam wished to give the inmates of the Workhouse their Christmas dinner and some toys etc. to the children & asked for the Board's sanction thereto – Approved, with thanks.

12 December 04

The clerk wrote to inform the Board that he had received a summons to attend at Wicklow Assizes as a witness in the case of The King v. Foley & others, & had been detained there during the past three days, and, as the trial was expected to come off on the following day (Friday) he would be unable to be present at the meeting of the Board.

The Schoolmistress, Miss Furlong, applied for and obtained three days leave of absence.

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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 33

Ditto disallowed ... ... -

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

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 4/3

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 4

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 20th day of December 1904.

(Signed) D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the 13 day of December 1904

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 in the month of November 1904, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 November 1904, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	24	5	10
Clothing and Bedding	15	10	10
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	4	3	4
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses	13	2	3
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	5	1	0
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer	4	1	0
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 ...	42	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 ...	111	4	3

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of November 1904.

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	560	11	5			
Total sums received during the month	"	-	-			
Total	560	11	5			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	"	-	-			
Payments ordered during the month	136	2	10			
Total	136	2	10			
Net Balance due by the Union (being difference of above Totals)	424	8	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ...	436	13	9			
Outstanding Orders	12	5	2			
Net Balance as above due by the Union ...	424	8	4			

Dated this 14 December 1904.

D. O'Rourke

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 13 day of December 1904

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

Indoor, from No. 3554 to No. 3591

Separate „ No. - to No. -

Out door „ No. - to No. -

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

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

1. The 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 December 1904, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	23	11	1	20	4	6	43	15	4	16	8	6	3	5	10	19	14	4	24	1	3	646
Necessaries	143	3	4	-	-	-	143	3	4	3	18	1		5	4	4	3	8	138	19	11	
Total ...	166	14	8	20	4	6	186	19	2	20	6	4	3	11	5	23	18	0	163	1	2	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of December 1904 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	10 16 2	2 18 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	10 16 2	2 18 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 0 0	1 9 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	6 0 0	1 9 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	4 16 2	1 9 0					
9. Total	10 16 2	2 18 0					

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 14 day of December 1904.

D. O'Toole
Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of December 1904.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq JP chm.

Other Guardians:— See folio: 254

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

E. Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 20th day of December 1904. (Signed), D Hopkins Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,155 . 15 . 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of December 1904.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	887	93													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1													
Fever Sheds															
Total	931	94													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	14	40	22	6	2	2	1	4	3	-	-	94
Admitted during the Week					2							25	4	2	33
Born - - - - - -															
Total,			-	14	42	22	6	2	2	1	4	28	4	2	130
Discharged during the Week					1	2				1		26	4	2	36
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died -					1	2				1		26	4	2	36
Remaining on the above date			-	14	41	20	6	2	2	-	4	2	-	-	94

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	25	In Separate Wards	5
		In Wards with other Inmates	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1		
Total,	26	Total,	9

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No. at corresponding period last year, 96

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14 day of December 1904 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
							Bt. forward						
No. I.	53	70	4	4	60	77	No. VI.						
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	68	85	4	4	75	92	TOTAL ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of December 1904.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edward Byrne Esq DL

Other Guardians:—

Messrs M. Glennon, M. Byrne.

P. Doyle, Jos. Gahan, P. J. Maguire and William Deegan.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

That the period for which Thomas Donohoe had been appointed as Workhouse Tailor, would expire on 1st proximo.
Order: That the members of the Visiting Committee be asked to make an inspection of the work performed by Donohoe & report to the Board thereon.

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:—

40 lbs Butter
8 gals. Buttermilk
30 Dozen Eggs
100 lbs Beef
40 " Mutton
40 " Boneless Beef
2 cwt Salt
230, 4 lb loaves
110 gals Sweetmilk

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

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

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

No. 62908 16 December '04.

The Local Government Board wrote to forward the substance of a report which they had received from their Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald-Kenney, regarding the children boarded out or hired out in the Union under the provisions of the Pauper Children (I) acts 1898 & 1902, and to request that the Guardians would give their careful consideration to the several matters adverted to in the report.

Order: That the Local Government Board be asked to request their Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald-Kenney to furnish the Guardians with particulars respecting the alleged harsh treatment of the child, Thomas Dempsey, & as to the failure of the Relieving Officer to make regular monthly visits

No. 62,909 14 December 04

From same to forward, for the consideration of the Board of Guardians, copy of a report which the Board had received from their Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald-Kenney, regarding the working of the Infant Life Protection act 1894 in the Union.

No. 62062. 18 December 04

From same to point out that they had not yet been furnished with the usual particulars on the Form "A" with regard to the case of the child Mary Kenvin who was hired out from the Workhouse on the 7th of Sept. last. to request that same be forwarded without any further delay.

Order. Local Govt. Board to be informed that the girl, Mary Kenvin, aged 14 years, had been placed out to service by her mother, without any application having been made to the Board to hire her out, and the Guardians desire

desire to know whether Form 'A' should be furnished under such circumstances.

Mrs Sarah M. Kehoe, Tomhean, again wrote asking the Board to allow her something for maintaining the deserted child, named Wm Kealy, for four months. Refused.

Relieving Officer Dunne submitted Notice served upon him previous to execution of an ejectment decree in the case of Andrew Byrne, Plaintiff, and Michael Lambert, defendant. Knockanooke.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 29
Ditto disallowed ... ...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 4
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 45
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 4

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 4

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 2nd 24th day of January December 1907

(Signed) D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**
(Article 7.)
(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with, but separate from, the general Minutes of each Finance meeting.)

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the ____ day of ____ 190 ____

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 in the month of ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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_____ 19____

_____

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Meeting held the 20 day of December 190 4

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

Indoor, from No. 3592 ..to No. 3620

Separate „ No. — ..to No. —

Out door „ No. —to No. —

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

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

1. The 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 14 day December 190 4, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	34	1	3	16	5	4	40	6	4	~~20~~ 14	0	~~10~~ 3	3	5	10	20	6	1	20	0	6	
Necessaries	138	19	11	-	-	-	138	19	11	3	18	1		5	4	4	3	8	134	16	3	685
Total ...	163	1	2	16	5	4	179	6	6	20	18	4	3	11	5	24	9	9	154	16	9	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of December 1904 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	4 16 2	1 9 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	25 0 0	4 0 0					
3. Total to be accounted for ..	29 16 2	8 9 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 2 0	1 9 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	6 2 0	1 9 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	23 14 2	4 0 0					
9. Total	29 16 2	8 9 0					

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 December 1904.

D Hopkins
Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20th day of December 1904.

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

Other Guardians:— See folio :- 243.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Michael Byrne L.P.C. 10

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 3rd day of January 1908.

(Signed), D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8,946 Present Net Annual Value, £36,155 - 15 - 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of December 1904

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	881	98													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1													
Fever Sheds															
Total	931	99													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	14	41	20	6	2	2	-	4	2	-	-	94
Admitted during the Week				1	2							25	5	2	35
Born - - - - - -															
Total,			-	18	43	20	6	2	2	-	4	27	5	2	129
Discharged during the Week						2						25	2	1	30
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died -			-	~~18~~	~~43~~	~~18~~ 2	6	2	2	-	4	25	2	1	30
Remaining on the above date			-	18	43	18	6	2	2	-	4	2	3	1	99

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	23	In Separate Wards	5
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	24	Total,	9

OBSERVATIONS

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No. at corresponding period last year, 100

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of December 1904 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
							Bt. forward						
No. I.	53	92	4	4	60	79	No. VI.						
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	68	84	4	4	75	94	Total ..						

There was no meeting
COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24th day of December 1904.

Present: In the Chair, Rul.

Other Guardians:—

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

40 lb. Butter
4 gals. Buttermilk
30 Dozen Eggs
150 lb. Beef
40 " Mutton
30 " Boneless Beef
1 Side Bacon
2 Dozen Stout
110 gals. Sweetmilk
210 4 lb. Loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

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

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 ... ...

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

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

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

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

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 3rd day of January 1908.

(*Signed*) D O'Kelly
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the ____ day of ____ 190 ____

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 in the month of ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(*a.*) Salaries			
(*b.*) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(*c.*) Farm			
(*d*) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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_____ 19____

_____

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

No. Meeting held the 24 day of December 1904.

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

Indoor, from No..... ....to No.....

Separate „ No..... ....to No..... .....

Out door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day December 1904, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	20	0	6	14	11	2	34	11	8	16	19	1	3	5	10	20	4	11	14	6	9	681
Necessaries	134	16	3	-	-	-	134	16	3	3	18	1		5	4	4	3	8	130	12	4	
Total ...	154	16	9	14	11	2	142	4	11	20	14	2	3	11	5	24	8	4	144	19	4	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of December 1907 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	23 14 2	7 0 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	23 14 2	7 0 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 2 0	1 9 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	6 2 0	1 9 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	17 12 2	5 11 0					
9. Total	23 14 2	7 0 0					

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

Dated this ____ day of ____ 190

Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

There was no meeting

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 27 day of December 1907

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:— Nil

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District .. .. £_____

_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Michael Byrne Chm.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 3rd day of January 1908.

(*Signed*), D. O'Kelly
Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8,946. Present Net Annual Value, £ 36155 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of December 1907.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	88	96													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ..															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	1													
Fever Sheds															
Total	138	97													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	18	43	18	6	2	2	-	4	2	3	1	99
Admitted during the Week					1		1					14	2	-	18
Born - - - - - -															
Total,			-	18	44	18	4	2	2	-	4	16	5	1	117
Discharged during the Week												14	5	1	20
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died -												14	5	1	20
Remaining on the above date			-	18	44	18	4	2	2	-	4	2	-	-	94

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	25	In Separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	26	Total,	8

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 108

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of December 1907, 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
							Bt. forward						
No. I.	53	72	4	4	60	49	No. VI.						
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	68	84	4	4	75	94	TOTAL ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 3rd day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq J.P. Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. M. Fleming, Wm Reilly, R. Murphy, M. Byrne, C. Keen, P. Byrne, J. Moloham, Jos. Gahan, J. McEvoy, E. J. Byrne J.P., M. Donoghue, P. Boyle, W. Abraham, L. Fallon, J. McBrea, J.S. Coates, J. J. Hayden, J. Reilly, J. Stokes, P. Lynch, W. Keegan, John Byrne, E. Byrne J.P., P. J. Maguire & J.P. Gahan

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

That the Returns of persons relieved in-door and out-door have been duly prepared by the Master & Relieving officers in pursuance of the Poor Law Relief (House of Commons Return) order 1904.

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:—

35 lb. Butter
4 gals. Buttermilk
20 Doz. Eggs
100 lb. Beef
30 " Mutton
30 " Boneless Beef
110 gals Sweetmilk
200 4lb loaves
8 cwt Sugar

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

It was proposed by Mr. Fleming seconded by Mr. Maguire and passed unanimously:-

That the Board, acting on the recommendation of the visiting committee, do hereby appoint Thomas Donohoe (whose period of probation has now expired) as permanent tailor of the Workhouse at the Salary of 2/- per day.

The Board directed that a piece of Flannel & a piece of Lining Calico, supplied for use in Workhouse be returned to the Contractors as not being in accordance with samples selected.

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

"Beg to inform you that Mr. Kelly, local Govt. Board Inspector, visited and inspected the house this morning.

"On Christmas Eve Mr. F. Brooke, accompanied by his sons, Colonel Brooke, & Mr. H. Brooke, also Mr. Boyne and Captain Thomas, & three ladies, visited the different wards of the Workhouse and Infirmary & distributed an abundant and varied supply of fruits & toys to the children and tobacco & snuff to the other inmates."

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

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

No. 62.662 2nd July '08

The local Govt. Board wrote that they had before them the minutes of proceedings of the guardians on the 6th ultimo containing an entry of a report of the visiting committee appointed to consider Mr. Kelly's recent half-yearly Report on the Workhouse, & with regard to the question of the Workhouse water supply the L.G. Board stated that its liability to pollution had been brought under the notice of the guardians on different occasions, & the Board considered that the guardians were not acting in the interests of the inmates by postponing the question of obtaining a pure supply of water for dietetic purposes. The Board requested that the guardians would call upon their Engineer to furnish without further delay the specification and estimate which were ordered by them at their meeting on the 12th of July last, & that they would also obtain a report from the Engineer and from the Workhouse medical officer on the subject.

Order: The guardians understand that the owner of the spring suggested to be utilised is opposed to permit same to be taken, and as such goes dry for several months each year, they consider it would be futile to expend any money in obtaining same.

The Board resolved to pay the balance of Superannuation due the late Mr. Michael Bowyer to his nephew, Dr. John Bowyer, on receiving an indemnity from him therefor.

The Clerk submitted his Estimate of Rates to provide for the service of the Union for the financial year ending 31st March 1909 which showed the net sum required to be £3,550.

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On the notion of Mr. E. J. Byrne P.L. seconded by Mr. Fleming the Estimate, as prepared by the clerk, was adopted.

An inmate named Anne Kelly was ordered to be provided with an outfit of clothing for self and like for her child, on taking their discharge: also a pair of boots to another inmate named Thomas Kinsella

Relieving officer O'Toole submitted usual report on children at nurse for past month, together with three certificates of attendances from School Teachers.

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 55

Ditto disallowed ... ... -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was 4

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 45

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 10th day of January 1908.

(Signed) Dopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the ____ day of ____ 190 ____

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 in the month of ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of _____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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 _____ 19____

_____

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 3rd day of January 1908.

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

Indoor, from No. 3621 ..to No. 3645

Separate „ No. ..to No.

Out door „ No. ..to No.

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day December 1907, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	14	6	9	19	4	10	36	14	4	16	12	11	3	5	10	19	18	9	16	15	10	692
Necessaries	130	12	4	-	14	6	131	10	1	3	18	3		5	4	4	3	10	127	6	3	
Total ...	144	19	4	20	5	4	168	4	8	20	11	2	3	11	5	24	2	4	144	2	1	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of December 1907 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	14 12 2	5 11 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	10 0 0						
3. Total to be accounted for ..	24 12 2	5 11 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 2 0	1 9 0					
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..	6 10 4						
7. Total Relief given	12 12 4	1 9 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	14 19 10	4 2 0					
9. Total	24 12 2	5 11 0					

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 4 day of January 1908.

D Hopkins
Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 3rd day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq J.P. chm.

Other Guardians :— See folio :- 305

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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_____

_____

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

It was directed that Mr. Ramsay, Engineer, be requested, when next in the District, to interview the Guardians of Enniskerry Division, and report as to the best means of providing a Dispensary at the Doctors Residence in Enniskerry.

Michael Byrne, Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 10th day of January 1908.

(Signed), D. Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £36155 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of January 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	88	94													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ...															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2													
Fever Sheds															
Total	93	96													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return	-		18	44	18	4	2	2	-	4	2	-	-	94	
Admitted during the Week			1			1					22	2	6	32	
Born - - - - - -															
Total,	-		19	44	18	5	2	2	-	4	24	2	6	129	
Discharged during the Week			1	1							22	1	5	30	
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died -			1	1							22	1	5	30	
Remaining on the above date			18	43	18	8	2	2	-	4	2	1	1	99	

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	26	In Separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates	4
Total,	28	Total,	8

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 104

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4 day of January 1908 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
							Bt. forward						
No. I.	52	41	6	6	58	47	No. VI.						
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	67	56	6	6	73	92	Total ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10th day of January 1908.

Present: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq D.L. Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. P. J. Maguire, P. Byrne D.L.

M. Fleming, M. Byrne and P. J. Byrne D.L.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

35 lbs Butter
4 gals Buttermilk
20 Dozen Eggs
100 lbs Beef
30 " Mutton
30 " Boneless Beef
6 Barrels Potatoes
2 Doz. Bottles Porter
110 gals Sweetmilk
200 4 lb loaves
5 cwt Soap

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

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

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):—

Messrs. O'Neill & Nephew, Carnew, wrote to say they were sorry that the piece of linsey calico supplied by them was not considered up to sample, stated that the piece sent was from the same piece as sample was cut from. They had two contracts for calico one at 4½d and the other at 3d. The last was the one ordered and sent & they trusted that the former, viz 4½d. had not in error been compared with the 3d one. If the sample of 3d calico selected would be sent them they would supply a fresh piece.

Order:- That portion of the selected sample be forwarded to Mess. O'Neill & Nephew, contractors.

Relieving officer O'Toole submitted notice of an intended eviction served upon him in the case of Earl Fitzwilliam, Plaintiff: John Doyle, John Myers, Thomas Byrne & Wm Byrne of Ashtowle Lower, Defendants

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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 24

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... ... "

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 43

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 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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 17th day of January 1908.

(Signed) D. O'Reilly
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the 10 day of January 1908.

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 in the month of December 1907, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...			
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts ...	4	4	9
Loans received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above ...	4	4	9

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 December 1907, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	156	5	11
Clothing and Bedding	8	4	5
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	145	18	4
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	-	-	-
(d) Other Expenses	19	18	2
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	98	3	0
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances	20	8	3
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ...			
Expenses of Local Committees...			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ...	37	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 ...	449	18	1

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of December 1907

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	424	8	4			
Total sums received during the month	4	4	9			
Total	431	16	4			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	++	-	-			
Payments ordered during the month	111	4	3			
Total	111	4	3			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	320	12	1			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ...	360	1	8			
Outstanding Orders	39	9	4			
Net Balance as above due to the Union ...	320	12	1			

Dated this 11th January 1908.

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Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 10 day of January 1908

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

Indoor, from No. 3646 to No. 3699

Separate „ No. ... to No. ...

Out door „ No. ... to No. ...

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

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

1. The 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 January 1908 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	16 15 10	18 14 6	35 10 4	16 3 6	3 5 10	19 9 4	16 1 0	692
Necessaries ...	124 6 3	- - -	124 6 3	4 18 0	5 7	5 3 4	122 2 8	
Total ...	141 2 1	18 14 6	162 16 4	21 1 6	3 11 5	24 12 11	138 3 8	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of January 1908 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	14 19 10	4 2 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	#						
3. Total to be accounted for ..	14 19 10	4 2 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 2 0	1 9 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	6 2 0	1 9 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	8 17 10	2 13 0					
9. Total	14 19 10	4 2 0					

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 January 1908.

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Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10th day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq P.L. chm.

Other Guardians :— See pls - 321.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 14th day of January 1908.

(Signed), D. O'Reilly
Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36155. 15. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of January 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	881	105													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ...															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	931	104													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	18	43	18	8	2	2	-	4	2	1	1	99
Admitted during the Week					4							36			40
Born - - - - - -															
TOTAL,			-	18	47	18	8	2	2	-	4	38	1	1	139
Discharged during the Week					2		1					24	1	1	32
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died					2		1					24	1	1	32
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			-	18	45	18	7	2	2	-	4	11	-	-	107

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	29	In Separate Wards 4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates 4
TOTAL,	31	TOTAL, 8

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 100

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of January 1908, 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.	51	70	6	6	54	76	Bt. forward No. VI.						
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	66	85	6	6	72	91	TOTAL ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 17th day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Patrick Kenny V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Michael Flemming & Patrick J. Maguire.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

40 lb. Butter
8 gals. Buttermilk
20 Dozen Eggs
100 lb. Beef
40 - Mutton
30 - Boneless Beef
14 - Rice
110 gals. Sweetmilk
200. 4 lb Loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

I beg to state that Jane Drake of Rahenigraney was admitted to the infirmary this day suffering from chronic disease of stomach requiring operation, and being an urgent case I thought it necessary to send her at once to St. Vincents Hospital which I trust will meet with the approval of the Board.

The Board approved of the action taken by the Medical officer in this case.

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

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

No. 65,143 13 January 1908.

The Local Government Board wrote to acknowledge receipt of the minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 20th ultimo, when the Guardians had before them the Boards letter of the 17th ultimo enclosing a copy of a report of their Lady Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald-Kenney, as to the working of the Infant Life Protection Act 1897 in the Union. No order appeared to have been made by the Guardians on the subject and the Board requested that they might be informed of the steps the Guardians intended to take with a view to carrying out the Inspectors recommendations.

Order: That the consideration of this matter be deferred pending a larger meeting.

No. 65,143 16 January 08

With reference to the entry on the subject in the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 20th ultimo. the L.G. Board requested that they might be furnished with the usual particulars on Form A regarding the girl Mary Kenwin who was hired out from the Workhouse.

Order: That Relieving officer O'Toole furnish the required particulars.

The Board resolved to allow the Master. Mr. P. M. Kirwan. remuneration at the rate of £1:1:0 per week. for a period of four weeks. for acting as Clerk during the absence of that officer on sick leave in the months of September & October last.

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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 53

Ditto disallowed ... ... -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 42

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24th day of January 1908.

(Signed) D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 ____

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 in the month of _____ 190____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 190____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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_____ 19____

_____

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Meeting held the 14 day of January 1908.

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

Indoor, from No. 5400 to No. 5452

Separate „ No. 7 to No. 4

Out door „ No. 4 to No. 4

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 11 day January 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	16	1	0	20	5	6	36	6	6	14	1	11	3	5	10	20	4	9	15	18	9	702
Necessaries	122	2	8	4	4	0	126	6	8	4	12	5		5	4	4	18	0	121	8	8	
Total ...	138	3	8	24	9	6	162	13	2	21	14	4	3	11	5	25	5	9	134	7	5	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of January 1908 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole — District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne — District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer — District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer — District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer — District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer — District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	8 14 10	2 13 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	25 0 0	6 0 0					
3. Total to be accounted for ..	33 14 10	8 13 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 14 0	1 9 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	5 14 0	1 9 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	28 0 10	4 4 0					
9. Total	33 14 10	8 13 0					

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 14 day of January 1908.

D. O'Rourke
Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 14th day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Patrick Kenny V.C.

Other Guardians:— See folio: - 334.

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £ s. d.	Directions given by the Board
Coollattin	- 1 6	That the required Elastic Stocking be ordered.

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

_____

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_____

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

Michael Byrne Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday **the** 24th **day of** January **1908.**

(Signed), P Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946. Present Net Annual Value, £ 36155. 15. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of January 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	887	102													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ...															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	2													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	937	104													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	18	45	18	4	2	2	-	4	11	-	-	104
Admitted during the Week				1	2	1		1		1		26	3	4	39
Born - - - - - -															
TOTAL,			-	19	47	19	4	3	2	1	4	37	3	4	146
Discharged during the Week					4	1						30	3	4	42
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died					4	1						30	3	4	42
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			-	19	43	18	4	3	2	1	4	4	-	-	104

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		
	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	27	In Separate Wards 4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other Inmates 4
TOTAL,	29	TOTAL, 8

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 116

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of January 1908 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.	51	70	4	11	58	87	Bt. forward No. VI.						
No. II.	15	15	1	1	16	16	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	66	85	8	12	74	94	TOTAL ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24th day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq P.L. Chm

Other Guardians:— Messrs. P. Abraham, M. Byrne, P. Doyle.

J. McLoud, S. Travers, J.J. Hayden, J. Kavanagh, E. Byrne P.L., J. Byrne

W. Keegan, D. Maguire, P. Lynch, J. McEvoy, J. Moloban, J. Reilly, ~~J. Moloban~~

M. Donohue, Peter Foley, J. O'Keeffe and James Doyle

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

That the contracts for usual quarterly supplies to the Workhouse would expire on 14th proximo.

Order: That tenders be invited for consideration on 14th proximo.

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:—

35 lbs Butter
4 gals. Buttermilk
20 dozen Eggs
100 lbs Beef
30 . Mutton
60 . Boneless Beef
4 cwt oatmeal
4 lbs Snuff
170 gals. Sweetmilk
1 Roll Tobacco
200 4 lbs ~~Tobacco~~ Loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

The following entry appeared in the Medical Officer's Journal:-

"Beg to report that the present supply of Beef for beef tea is most unsatisfactory. None was supplied yesterday for serious cases in Fever Hospital, where there are several serious cases badly in need of beef-tea, and to-day on inspecting a piece sent by contractor I find it not fit for beef-tea being largely fat with some bone and not in any sense boneless beef without fat.

Order: That a copy of this report be forwarded to the contractor, with a request that he adhere strictly adhere to the terms of his contract in future.

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

"beg to inform you that an inmate of the Workhouse named Antrim absconded from the Workhouse on Saturday last taking two pairs of trousers the property of the guardians. I informed the Police and they arrested him and had him remanded to Kilmainham Jail until Petty Sessions.

"Several old men have contracted influenza and they have been transfered to Hospital. The House Contractor has been ill for some days. The cooking boiler in Kitchen is out of order. I would be glad if the House committee would inspect it."

Order: That the boiler be repaired by the contractor

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

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

No. 907 14 Janu. '08.

The Local Govt. Board wrote to state that they had sanctioned the permanent appointment of Thomas Donohoe as tailor in the Workhouse at a remuneration of 2/- a day.

No. 904 21 Janu. '08

From same with reference to the order made by the guardians on the Board's letter of 2nd instant, relative to the water supply of the Workhouse, to request that the guardians would be so good as to obtain from their Engineer and Medical Officer reports on the available means of obtaining a safe water supply which is shown to be so necessary.

Order: The guardians consider the existing supply of water sufficient. There being no available spring within less than about 2 miles of the Workhouse, the cost of conveying same in pipes would be so great that the guardians cannot see their way to incur such an expenditure.

Miss Hickey, Wardmaid in Fever Hospital, wrote tendering her resignation of the office within four weeks from to-day.

Order: That the resignation be accepted and a successor advertised for at £12 per annum rations; appointment to take place on 14th proximo.

The chairman submitted letter received by him from Henry Darcy, Esq., asking that the order requiring him to contribute 6/ per week towards the maintenance of his mother in the Workhouse be revoked as he had a wife and four

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five children to provide for.

The application was refused & the clerk directed to request immediate payment of the amount £1-12-6 now due.

Relieving Officer O'Toole submitted Form A report respecting Sarah Kenvin who had been turned out by the matron from the Workhouse, which was ordered to be forwarded to the R.L. Board.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 35

Ditto disallowed ... ... -

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

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 72

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 31st day of January 1908.

(Signed) D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 ____

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 in the month of _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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 _____ 19____

_____

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 22 day of January 190 8.

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

Indoor, from No. 3453 ..to No. 3484

Separate „ No. — ..to No. —

Out door „ No. — to No. —

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

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

1. The 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 18 day January 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	15	18	9	18	5	11	34	4	8	17	8	7	3	5	10	20	14	5	13	10	3	726
Necessaries	121	8	8	-	-	-	121	8	8	4	13	7		5	7	4	19	2	116	9	6	
Total ...	137	7	5	18	5	11	155	13	4	22	2	2	3	11	5	25	13	7	129	19	9	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	4	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of January 1908 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	28 0 10	4 4 0					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	28 0 10	4 4 0					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 18 0	1 9 0					
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	12 0	6 5					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..							
7. Total Relief given	6 10 0	1 15 5					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	21 10 10	5 8 7					
9. Total	28 0 10	4 4 0					

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 January 1908.

D Hopkins
Clerk of Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24 day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq DL chm.

Other Guardians:—

See folio :- 353

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Reports (Form P) containing the names of 42 Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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

That the usual notice be served upon the defaulters by the Relieving Officer.

Michael Byrne Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 31st day of January 1908.

(Signed), D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,155 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of January 1908

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	881	91													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	8													
Fever Sheds															
Total	931	99													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	19	43	18	4	3	2	1	4	4	-	-	104
Admitted during the Week					2	1						24	2		29
Born															
Total,			-	19	45	19	4	3	2	1	4	31	2	-	133
Discharged during the Week					2	1					1	27	2	-	33
Died					1										1
Total Discharged and Died			-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	24	2	-	34
Remaining on the above date			-	19	42	18	4	3	2	1	3	4	-	-	99

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 25	In Separate Wards 4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 8	In Wards with other Inmates -
Total, 33	Total, 4

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 102

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of January 1908, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	52	49	6	6	589	85	Bt. forward						
No. II.	15	15	-	-	15	15	No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	68	64	6	6	43	100	Total ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 31st day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq P.L. Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. P. Byrne P.L., P. J. Maguire, M. Fleming, M. Byrne and P. Kenny.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

45 lbs Butter
8 gallons Buttermilk
20 Dozen Eggs
80 lbs Beef
30 - mutton
100 - Boneless Beef
3 Dozen Porter
120 gals Sweetmilk
5 - Whiskey
225 ½ lb loaves
14 lbs Treacle

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

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

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

No. 3806 24 January '08

The Local Government Board wrote to state that they had sanctioned the payment of £4:4:0 to the Master of the Workhouse for his services as substitute for the clerk of the Union for a period of four weeks.

No. 5753 30 January '08

From same to transmit questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse Fever Hospital.

Order: That the election take place on 11th proximo.

The Infirmary Nurse applied for and was allowed two days leave of absence. Nurse Hogan to discharge her duties.

Relieving officers O'Toole and Dunne were granted exemption from duty on Friday next.

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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 19

Ditto disallowed ... ... "

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... ... "

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 12

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 4th day of February 1908.

(Signed) D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH

Union.

Finance Meeting, held the ____ day of ____ 190 ____

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 in the month of ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 ____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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_____ 19____

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Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 31st day of January 1908.

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

Indoor, from No. 3488 ..to No. 3806

Separate „ No. ....to No. .....

Out door „ No. .....to No. .....

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

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

1. The 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 January 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	13	10	3	19	3	5	32	13	8	18	12	10	3	5	10	21	18	8	10	15	0	415
Necessaries	116	9	6	-	14	6	114	4	0	4	15	4		5	4	5	0	11	112	6	1	
Total ...	129	19	9	20	0	11	150	0	8	23	8	2	3	11	5	26	19	4	123	1	1	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	5	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of January 1908 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	21 10 10	5 8 4					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	21 10 10	5 8 4					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 4 0	1 4 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	6 4 0	1 4 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	15 3 10	4 1 4					
9. Total	21 10 10	5 8 4					

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

Dated this 31st day of January 1908

D O'Rourke
Clerk of Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 31st day of January 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq DL Chm.

Other Guardians :— See folio :- 369

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District . . ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Reports (Form P) containing the names of 13 Children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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

That the usual notice be served upon the defaulters by the Relieving officers.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 7th day of February 1908.

(Signed), D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of February 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	88	93													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse	50	10													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
Total	138	103													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	19	42	18	4	3	2	1	3	4	-	-	99
Admitted during the Week							1					20	1		22
Born															
Total,			-	19	42	18	8	3	2	1	3	24	1	-	121
Discharged during the Week												14	1		18
Died															
Total Discharged and Died												14	1		18
Remaining on the above date			-	19	42	18	8	3	2	1	3	4	-	-	103

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	28	In Separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	6
Total,	38	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 103

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of February 1908 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	54	83	6	6	60	89
No. II.	14	14	-	-	14	14
No. III.						
No. IV.						
No. V.						
Car. forwd.	68	97	6	6	74	103

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
Bt. forward						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
No. X.						
Total						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, ~~at a Meeting~~ held on Friday the 7th day of February 1908. ~~there was no meeting~~ a quorum not being in attendance.

PRESENT: ~~In the Chair,~~

~~Other Guardians:~~ Mr. Joseph Doran. only.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

40 lb. Butter
8 pals. Buttermilk
14 lb. Corn flour
30 Dozen Eggs
80 lb. Beef
30 " Mutton
80 " Boneless Beef
12 Bottles Minerals
3 Doz. Porter
120 pals. Sweetmilk
200 ½ lb Loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

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

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 ... ...

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

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

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

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

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

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 14th day of February 1908.

(*Signed*) D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

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 in the month of _____ 190____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 190____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(*a.*) Salaries			
(*b.*) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(*c.*) Farm			
(*d*) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £ s. d.	Loans Account. £ 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_____ 19____

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Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

_____ SHILLELAGH _____ **Union.**

Meeting held the_____ day of _____ 190

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

Indoor, from No..... ....to No.....

Separate „ No..... ....to No..... .....

Out door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day February 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	10 15 0	22 9 4	35 4 4	20 18 4	3 5 10	22 4 5	10 19 11	406
Necessaries ...	112 6 1	3 1 6	115 7 7	6 2 2	5 7	6 7 9	108 19 10	
Total ...	123 1 1	24 10 10	150 11 11	27 0 9	3 11 5	30 12 2	119 19 9	

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

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2d day of February 1908 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	15 3 10	4 1 4					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	15 3 10	4 1 4					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 9 6	1 4 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	6 9 6	1 4 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	8 14 4	2 14 4					
9. Total	15 3 10	4 1 4					

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

Dated this ____ day of ____ 190

Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

There was no Meeting

~~MINUTES~~ of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, ~~at a~~ Meeting held on Friday the 7th day of February 1908.

a quorum not being in attendance.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Mr. Joseph Doran only.

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 14th day of February 1908.

(Signed), D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36155 : 15 : 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of February 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	88	91													
Temporary Buildings ...															
Additional Workhouse ...															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	10													
Fever Sheds															
Total	931	101													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	19	42	18	8	3	2	1	3	4	-	-	103
Admitted during the Week					1						1	34	4	11	54
Born - - - - - -															
Total,			-	19	43	18	8	3	2	1	4	44	4	11	160
Discharged during the Week					1		1					41	6	9	57
Died - - - - - -					1										1
Total Discharged and Died					2		1					41	6	9	59
Remaining on the above date			-	19	41	18	4	3	2	1	4	3	1	2	101

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	28	In Separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	10	In Wards with other Inmates	6
Total,	38	Total,	10

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No. at corresponding period last year, 116

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8 day of February 1908 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	52	83	5	5	60	89	Bt. forward No. VI.						
No. II.	14	14	-	-	14	14	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	68	97	5	5	74	103	Total ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 14 day of February 1908.

Present: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq DL chm.

Other Guardians:— Mess. M. Donoghue. P. Murphy. C. Mun. P. Foley. J. O'Keeffe. M. Byrne E. Xavier. N. Deegan. J. Kelleher. P. J. Magnire. J. O'Toole. J. Abraham. M. Fleming. J. McEvoy. J. Kavanagh. J. Reilly. J. McGrea. E. Byrne DL and James Doyle

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

40 lbs Butter
8 gallons Buttermilk
30 Dozen Eggs
120 lbs Beef
30 " Mutton
60 " Boneless Beef
1 Side Bacon
3 Dozen Porter
120 gals. Sweetmilk
1 chest Tea
270 4 lb loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

The Board in accordance with advertisement proceeded to consider tenders for supplying Provisions to the Workhouse for 3 months from 14th inst. when the following, being the lowest received, were accepted:—

Thomas Kenny	Best white bread	at -/5½	per 4 lb loaf.
Same	Eggs	-/9	per dozen
Same	Oatmeal (Irish)	13/-	per cwt.
Sarah Tomkins	Butter	1/1	per lb.
Mary Murphy	Beef	-/6½	"
Same	Boneless Beef	-/9	"
Same	Mutton	-/9	"
Same	Irish Bacon	58/	per cwt.
Boyle Quaile	Indian Meal	3/6	"
Patrick Maguire	Potatoes	12/-	per barrel of 24 stone

On the application of the Schoolmistress, Mrs. Gurlong, the Board granted her three days leave of absence

The Clerk submitted the Returns of persons relieved in-door and out-door as prepared by the Masters and Relieving officers.

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

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

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):—

No. 22/In/1908 — 4th February '08

Read circular letter from L.G. Board requesting to be furnished with Returns showing with respect to the inmates of the Workhouse on 31st Dec. last. (1) The name and description of each person of unsound mind, and (2) The number of persons not of unsound mind who were afflicted with epilepsy.

No. 5153 — 6th February '08

From same with reference to the minute of the guardians of the 24th ultimo relative to the water supply of the Workhouse to point out that the question at issue is not the sufficiency but the safety of the water supply. The Board considered that the guardians should refer the question of the water supply to their Engineer for report.

Order: That Mr. Ramsay, Engineer, be instructed to report on the subject giving an estimate of the cost of obtaining a supply.

No. 60,143 — 6th February '08.

From same with reference to the minute of the guardians of the 20th December last relating to the boy Thomas Dempsey, who is boarded out with Mrs Anne Graves the L.G. Board informed the guardians that they learned from their Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald-Kenney, that the boy complained of having been repeatedly and severely beaten, that he is locked up in the small scullery off the Kitchen when beaten so that he may not be heard crying by neighbours or people passing the house by the road in front. The boy complained of being underfed, & his ricketty appearance at the date of Miss Fitzgerald Kenneys inspection bears out this complaint. He is very unhappy in his present home & greatly afraid of his foster mother. Miss Fitzgerald Kenney was not satisfied with his sleeping accommodation, which is provided in a room

off

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off the Kitchen, & the bed covering was in a very dirty state. Mrs Anne Reeves pointed out one of the upstairs Rooms in her house as the place where the boy slept, but Miss Fitzgerald Kenney was satisfied that at the date of her inspection he did not occupy this room. The Inspector also informed the Board that the Relieving Officer had not paid regular monthly visits to James Mulligan who is at nurse with Mrs Eliza Bowes of Fowle, nor Kate Heffernan who is in charge of Mrs Jane Rourke. The Local Government Board requested that the child Tho. Dempsey might be withdrawn from Mrs Reeves and placed with a more suitable foster parent.

Order:- That Mrs Reeves be requested to attend before the meeting of the Guardians on 28th instant.

Relieving Officer O'Toole submitted usual Report on Children at nurse for past month, together with extracts of School attendances

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was ... ... "
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 4
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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

(*Signed*) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the 14 day of February 190 8

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 in the month of January 190 8, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	904	0	0
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 ...	904	0	0

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 190 8, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	54	14	2
Clothing and Bedding	18	14	2
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	4	3	4
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	2	11	9
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses	11	12	11
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	6	10	0
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	6	16	5
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	3	10	6
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ...			
Expenses of Local Committees...			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ...	36	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 ...	150	9	3

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Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of January 1908.

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	320	12	1			
Total sums received during the month	904	0	0			
Total	1224	12	1			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-			
Payments ordered during the month	479	18	1			
Total	479	18	1			
Net Balance due to the Union (being difference of above Totals)	744	14	0			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due by Treasurer ...	464	15	9			
Outstanding Orders	20	1	9			
Net Balance as above due to the Union ...	744	14	0			

Dated this 14th February 1908.

D Hopkins

Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 14 day of February 1908.

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

Indoor, from No. 3804 to No. 3904

Separate „ No. " to No. 4

Out door „ No. to No. "

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

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

1. The 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 February 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	10 19 11	28 15 8	39 15 7	19 18 1	3 5 10	23 3 11	16 11 8	433
Necessaries	108 19 10	- - -	108 19 10	5 18 8	5 7	6 4 3	102 15 7	
Total ...	119 19 9	28 15 8	148 15 5	25 16 9	3 11 5	29 8 2	119 7 3	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	5	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of February 1908 was submitted as follows :—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	8 14 4	2 14 4					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	- - -	- - -					
3. Total to be accounted for ..	8 14 4	2 14 4					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 9 6	1 4 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	6 9 6	1 4 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	2 4 10	1 4 4					
9. Total	8 14 4	2 14 4					

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

Dated this 15 day of February 1908.

D Hopkins

Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on the day of 190

PRESENT: In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District ... .. £_____

_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 58,468 6 February '08	To return the vouchers etc furnished in support of the claim for recoupment in respect of the cost of the medicines & medical & Surgical appliances obtained for use in the Union during the past half-year, Certificate 'C' on invoice No 2 had not been dated.	

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
14 Feby 08	D. Sexton Enniskerry	To state that the water supply to his residence had stopped.	That Mr Kearney, Engr., inspect & report thereon.

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

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

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

Michael Byrne Chm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

(*Signed*), _____
Clerk of the Union

Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin, Ltd. 8s—6226.

SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,155 = 15 = 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of February 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	887	90													
Temporary Buildings ..															
Additional Workhouse ...															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	8													
Fever Sheds															
Total	937	98													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			2	19	41	18	4	3	2	1	4	3	1	2	101
Admitted during the Week					2							45	2	1	50
Born - - - - - -															
Total,			2	19	43	18	4	3	2	1	4	48	3	3	151
Discharged during the Week					4	1						42	3	3	53
Died - - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Died -					4	1						42	3	3	53
Remaining on the above date			2	19	39	17	4	3	2	1	4	6	-	-	98

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS			
Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	27	In Separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other Inmates	6
Total,	35	Total	10

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 111

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 day of February 1908 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	54	83	5	5	59	88	Bt. forward No. VI.						
No. II.	14	14	-	-	14	14	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	68	97	5	5	73	102	Total ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 21st day of February 1908.

Present: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq J.P. Chm

Other Guardians:—

Mess P. J. Maguire. M. Fleming.

P. Byrne M.P. and John Byrne.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

That the months notice of her intention to resign, given by the Maidsmaid at Fever Hospital (Miss Hickey) would terminate that day & no application had been received for the position.

Order: That advertisements be re-issued inviting applications for the post at £12 a year & rations, for consideration on 6th proximo. Miss Hickey to be retained meanwhile at the remuneration of £5 per week & rations.

The clerk was granted exemption from attendance at office during next 3 or 4 days owing to illness in his family.

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:—

35 lbs Butter
8 gallons Buttermilk
30 Dozen Eggs
130 lbs Beef
30 " Mutton
40 " Boneless Beef
120 gals Sweetmilk
180 4 lb loaves
5 cwt Soap

also medicines & medical & Surgical appliances for use of Workhouse Hospital.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

"Your Committee having inspected the Workhouse this day beg to report that limewashing is urgently needed throughout the various wards in the body of the House. The Contractor should be required to repair the ceiling of the girls dormitory, and to clean the valley under tower on the female side, and stop any leakage as rain water appears to be coming through in upper dormitory. The wall at back of washing trough in Laundry needs cementing to a depth of 14" inches. A new top should be provided for the stove in drying room, and a new pipe with bend, for Laundry stove; also two new Tea Kettles for Infirmary and Kitchen, and two seats with back rests, for the Nursery. We also recommend that two racks be constructed of 5/8 boards in the old men's and women's wards with hooks for hanging up clothes in daily use. The dining table and seats ordered for Infirm women's ward have not yet been supplied."

The Board approved of the recommendations of the Committee & directed that the same be carried out, with the exception of providing seats with back rests, for Nursery. The Farm Steward to limewash with the aid of able-bodied male inmates & Halter to be allowed 1oz tobacco each per week, extra, while so engaged. It was also ordered that the House Contractor be required to put the Pumps at Fever Hospital into working order.

An inmate named Edward Byrne was directed to be provided with a coat on taking his discharge.

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

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

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):—

No. 8,038

20 February 1908.

The Local Government Board wrote to forward for the consideration of the Board of Guardians a copy of a report which they had received from their Inspector, Mr. Kelly relative to the arrangements for the supply of meat for use in the Workhouse.

The Inspectors report was read as follows:—

"Visited this Workhouse today. There are eight patients in the Fever Hospital. The Medical Officer had ordered for each ½lb of beef to make into beef tea. I was informed by the Master that he had ordered it from the Contractor yesterday. It had to be sent for after my arrival and was delivered at 2 o'clock p.m. The Fever Hospital Nurse said the patients should have got it at 1 o'clock p.m. It will be five o'clock p.m. before it is now prepared for them. She says this occurs frequently. I did not consider the beef the best. I tried to check the quantity of meat in the House with the quantity returned in the books, but the Provision check account was made up to only the 1st inst. and there has been no account kept of the quantity of meat received into the House since. as it would appear the Master does not weigh it when received, and takes it for granted he gets what is ordered. The order is given at beginning of week and is delivered in instalments of which no account is kept by any one in the Workhouse.

"There are three descriptions of meat contracted for at different prices and as far as I could find out when there is a shortage of 'beef tea' meat at 8d a lb. it is subsidised with coarse beef at 5d a lb. 9

Order: That an extract from foregoing report be

furnished to the meat contractor with a request that she would supply the meat in accordance with the terms of her contract.

Miss Deegan, Hon. Hospital nurse, submitted a return showing the hours at which the meat had been supplied to Hospital since the visit of the Inspector.

The Secretary to Wicklow County Council forwarded Estimates of Rates for the ordinary expenditure of the County for the coming year, as adopted by the Finance Committee

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 38

Ditto disallowed 4

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 43

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 4

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 28th day of February 1908.

(Signed) D. O'Rourke
Clerk of the Union.

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[Form 14.] **TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.**

(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 ____

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 in the month of _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

Table (a)	Dr. £	s	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officer			
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 ...			

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

_____ 190____

	Ordinary Account. £	s.	d.	Loans Account. £	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_____19____

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Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 21st day of February 1908.

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

Indoor, from No. 3908 ..to No. 3945

Separate „ No. ....to No. .....

Out door „ No. .....to No. .....

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

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

1. The 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 February 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £	s.	d.	Received during the week £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £	s.	d.	By Officers £	s.	d.	Total £	s.	d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £	s.	d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	16	11	8	19	10	10	36	2	6	18	8	4	3	5	10	21	14	2	14	8	4	693
~~102~~	~~15~~	~~4~~																				
Necessaries	102	15	4	-	-	-	102	15	4	5	18	8		5	4	6	4	3	96	11	4	
Total ...	119	4	3	19	10	10	138	18	1	24	4	0	3	11	5	27	18	5	110	19	8	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	5	: 6

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

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

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

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of February 1908 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer ____ District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer ____ District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer ____ District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer ____ District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	2 4 10	1 4 4					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	30 0 0	6 0 0					
3. Total to be accounted for ..	32 4 10	7 4 4					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 10 6	1 4 0					
In Kind ..							
5. ProvisionalRelief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility		3 0					
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ..							
7.Total Relief given	6 10 6	1 10 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	25 14 4	5 14 4					
9. Total	32 4 10	7 4 4					

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

Dated this 22 day of February 1908.

D Hopkins
Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 21st day of February 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq J.P. Chm.

Other Guardians:— See folio: 414

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No. 3121/Music/08 10 February '08	To forward prescribed list of medicines and prescribed list of medical and Surgical appliances for use during coming year.	That tenders be invited for consideration on 13th proximo.

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Michael Byrne Ch'm

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 28th day of February 1908.

(*Signed*), D O'Toole
Clerk of the Union.

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SHILLELAGH UNION.

Population in 1901— 8,946 Present Net Annual Value, £ 36155. 15. 0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of February 1908.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Casuals			Total
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Males	Females	Children	
Workhouse	88	90													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse	50	9													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds															
Total	931	99													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			-	19	39	14	4	3	2	1	4	6	-	-	98
Admitted during the Week					1	1						34	2	1	39
Born															
Total,			-	19	40	18	4	3	2	1	4	40	2	1	134
Discharged during the Week					1							34	2	1	38
Died															
Total Discharged and Died					1							34	2	1	38
Remaining on the above date			-	19	39	18	4	3	2	1	4	6	-	-	96

RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS

Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	28	In Separate Wards	4
Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other Inmates	6
Total,	34	Total,	10

OBSERVATIONS

No. at corresponding period last year, 115

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of February 1908 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.	56	85	5	5	62	91	Bt. forward No. VI.						
No. II.	14	14	-	-	14	14	No. VII.						
No. III.							No. VIII.						
No. IV.							No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	70	99	6	6	76	105	Total ..						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 28 day of February 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Byrne Esq D.P. Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. J. Fallan, Edward Byrne D.P., P. J. Maguire, Jo. Fallan, M. Flemming, Michael Byrne M. Fitzpatrick and Patrick Kenny.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

30 lbs. Butter
4 gallons Buttermilk
40 Dozen Eggs
120 lbs. Beef
30 - Mutton
50 - Boneless Beef
3 Dozen Porter
120 gallons Sweetmilk
200 4 lb. Loaves

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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

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

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):—

No. 10,908 24 February 08

The Local Government Board wrote that they had before them the minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 21st instant when the Guardians had under consideration the recent report of the Board's Inspector, relative to the supply of meat to the Workhouse.

The Board desired to point out that no order appeared to have been made by the Guardians with regard to the Master's neglect to keep an account of the quantity of meat received from the contractor, & he should be directed to comply with the requirements of article 64 (No. 22) of the Workhouse Rules in this respect.

Ordered accordingly.

No. 10,908. 24 February 08

From same to state that they had sanctioned the payment of remuneration of Six Shillings a week with rations, to Miss Hickey for her services while employed in a temporary capacity as Nursemaid in the Fever Hospital

No. 3,888 24 February 08

From same with reference to the minutes of the Guardians on the 14th ultimo to inquire whether the Guardians had since taken into consideration the Report of the Board's Inspector, Miss Fitzgerald Kenney, relative to the working of the Infant Life Protection act in the Union.

Order: That a negative reply be given.

No. 10,908 24 February 08

From same with regard to the proposed allowance of Tobacco to Workhouse inmates & call the Guardians attention to the provisions of article 1 of the Board's order of the 10th November, 1893.

Order: That the Medical officer be asked to report on the subject. An application from an inmate named

Mr

Wm Cleary to be allowed 1oz Tobacco. 2ozs. ~~Snuff~~ Tea and 1 lb. Sugar per week exted while engaged in Renewashing was granted subject to recommendation of Medical officer.

John Dempsey Farm Steward, wrote to ask the Board to allow him some remuneration for carting the milk from Railway Station to the Workhouse on Saturday nights after usual hours.

Ordd: That Dempsey be allowed 5/- per week for this extra duty. as from 1st October last.

Mrs Kehoe, Tombrae, applied to have a deserted child named Wm Healy boarded-out with her, which the Board agreed to subject to receiving a satisfactory report from the Relieving officer on Form A.

Mrs Anne Reeves, Ballynultagh, attended before the Board, as requested, in connection with the report of Miss Fitzgerald Kenney, L.G. Inspector, which contained allegations of harsh treatment of the orphan boy, Thomas Dempsey at present boarded-out with her.

After intervewing Mrs Reeves & the boy, who admitted that he made false statements to Miss Fitzgerald-Kenney, the Board decided to leave the boy in Mrs Reeves' charge.

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 49

Ditto disallowed ... ...

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

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

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 45

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, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 6th day of March 1908.

(Signed) D Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

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(Article 7.)

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

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 ____

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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 _____ 190 ____, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

Table (b)	Dr. £	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
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(d) Other Expenses			
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Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
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Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ...			
Expenses of Local Committees...			
Repayment of Loans			
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Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...			

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

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	Ordinary Account. £ s. d.	Loans Account. £ 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_____ 19____

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Clerk of Union.

[Form 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

SHILLELAGH Union.

Meeting held the 28 day of February 1908.

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

Indoor, from No. 3948 ..to No. 3994

Separate „ No. ..to No.

Out door „ No. ..to No.

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

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

1. The 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 February 1908, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week £ s. d.	Received during the week £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Consumed during the week: By Inmates £ s. d.	By Officers £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Stock in hand at close of this week £ s. d.	Collective No. of Days
Provisions ...	14 8 4	23 4 9	37 16 1	14 14 10	3 5 10	21 3 8	16 12 5	694
Necessaries	96 11 4	2 4 0	98 15 4	6 0 5	5 7	6 6 0	92 9 4	
Total ...	110 19 8	25 11 9	136 11 5	23 18 3	3 11 5	27 9 8	109 1 9	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 0
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	4	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	5	: 6

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
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4. ~~The Labour Book.~~
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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of February 1908 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer O'Toole District No. I. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer Dunne District No. II. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. III. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. IV £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. V. £ s. d.	Relieving Officer District No. VI. £ s. d.	TOTAL £ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ..	25 14 4	5 14 4					
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be accounted for ..	25 14 4	5 14 4					
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	6 16 6	1 4 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	6 16 6	1 4 0					
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	18 17 10	4 10 4					
9. Total	25 14 4	5 14 4					

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

Dated this 29 day of February 1908

D H Burns

Clerk of Union.

SHILLELAGH **Union.**

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 28th day of February 1908.

PRESENT: In the Chair— Michael Byrne Esq DL Chm.

Other Guardians:— See folio: 433

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 190 having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Medical Officer of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 190

_____ District ... ... £_____

_____ District ... ... £_____

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_____ District .. ... £_____

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

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

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

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

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

Michael Byrne Esqr

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 6th day of March 1908.

(Signed), D. H. O'Reilly
Clerk of the Union

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