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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of March 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that are accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 2 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	226															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	237															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			26	24	107	39	2	1	2	10	25	236	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	75	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			61	11	8	11	4	1	1	1	2	90	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other inmates	—	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 86	TOTAL, 3			
TOTAL			87	35	115	40	6	2	3	11	27	326	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			69	8	6	2	2	—	2	—	—	89	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	59	6	4	69
Total Discharged and Died			69	8	6	2	2	—	2	—	—	89	No. in Workhouse at date	9	3	3	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	27	109	38	4	2	1	11	27	237	No. at corresponding period last year, 263				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of March 1911 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.	65	103			65	103	Bt. forward						
No. II.	86	150			86	150	No. VI.						
No. III.	110	221			110	221	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	289	525			289	525	TOTAL						616

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 13th day of March 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. D. Condren Chm. afterward Mr. Short Vice Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Cargan D.V.C. Messrs. Hagan, Wolohan, Waldron, Kavanagh, Quinn, Lawler, Storey, Mr. Doyle, J. Cullen, Delahunt, Martin Doyle, Graham, J. J. Magrath, W. Byrne, Condell, Neill, Phelan, Yeates, Connolly, Brady, Joseph Byrne, James Byrne, J. Kelly, Higgins, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, Healy, J. J. Carey, Gernon and Mr. Ahail

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

900 lbs Bread

68 " Butter

450 " Meat

26 Sheep Heads

294 galls Newmilk

70 Doz Eggs

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

13th March 1911

In accordance with the directions of the Board the Master submits a list of the illegitimate children at present in the Workhouse with the names of the parties alleged by the mothers to be fathers of such children —

The Master directs the attention of the Guardians to a case of arrears due for maintenance on the Separate Register.

Nurse Byrne, of the Infirmary Staff, having on 23rd ult been called away to attend her sister, who I regret to say has since died, Nurse Morgan of Holles Street Hospital, Dublin, has been engaged to perform the duties of that Nurse since that date —

Report of Analyst on two samples of Newmilk from Workhouse supplies is herewith submitted —

		Solids	Fats
Sample N ^o 152	Supplied by M ^r Cullen contained	12.96	✓ 3.6
" " 153	" " Merrigan	12.02	✓ 3.0

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

Order — The Board agree to pay Nurse's substitute, subject to sanction of Local Government Board —

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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) —

Read letter dated 28th February 1911, from Local Government Board, acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Mr. Alexander Byrne as Relieving Officer in the Union, and stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £35 a year to Mr. Byrne for his services — The date upon which he ceases to act should be carefully recorded in the Guardians' minutes —

The Clerk of the Union reported to the Guardians the death of Mr. Garrett Byrne the recently elected Relieving Officer and Officer which took place since their last meeting —

Proposed by Mr. Waldron, Seconded by Mr. Martin Doyle
Resolved,

That the appointment be advertised for on the same terms as last, and that the person appointed reside in the District —

Amendment —

Proposed by Mr. Quinn, Seconded by Mr. Connolly

That the salary of Relieving Officer be fixed at £25 per year —

Amendment lost 13 voting for & 15 against —

✓ Order — Advertisement to be issued for this day fortnight at the old salary — D Condren — 13.3.11

Proposed by Mr. Patrick Short, Seconded by Mr. M. B. Shelan

Resolved,

That this Board of Guardians tender to the

friends and relatives of the late Garrett Byrne our sincere sympathy in their great bereavement - That copies of this resolution be sent to Mr John Byrne, County Committee of Wicklow, and Mr Byrne, Milltown, Rathnew -

Passed unanimously -

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Read Letter dated 4th March 1911, from Local Government Board, stating that the outfits for the Workhouse Porter and the Van Driver should be paid for by the Guardians and the money not handed over to the Officers in question -

Order - ~~Has~~ been complied with - O Condren 13.3.11

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Read Letter from same of same date stating that They have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of 15/- a week to Mr James Ellis, for his services as temporary substitute for the porter of the Workhouse -

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Read letter from same of same date, pointing out that the Guardians have no authority to pay expenses of the members attending the fair at Enniscorthy to purchase a horse for the Workhouse Ambulance -

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Read Letter dated 7th March 1911, from Mr J A Baker Local Government Auditor, stating that he will attend at the Boardroom of the Workhouse, on Wednesday the 15th of March at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Guardians -

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Read Circular letter dated 6th March 1911, from the Census Commissioners requesting the Chairman to use such influence as is at his command to procure a cordial reception and truthful return to this great social inquiry -

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Proposed by M^r. Byrne, Seconded by M^r. Doyle
Resolved,

That this Board of Guardians tender to Miss M^r. Byrne our sincere sympathy in her great bereavement, by the death of her sister - That copy of this resolution be sent to Miss Byrne -
Passed unanimously

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D^r. Taylor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse recommended that a patient named Roche be sent to Sir J. O'Connell's Hospital for surgical treatment -

Order - approved - D^r. Condren 13.3.1911

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Read Report dated 7th March 1911, from Sir C.A. Cameron, on the following drugs sent for analysis from the Workhouse -

Liniment of Belladonna — Alkaloids "low"
Liquid Extract of Ascaris Sagrada - Correct
Solution of Morphine Hydrochloride - Practically correct

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Read notice of the eviction of M^r. Dunne, Finahinch and Mess^{rs}. James Gernon and Edward M. Collins, Abbey Street, Wicklow —

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The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for the supply of Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances and requisites to the Workhouse and Dispensaries in the Union for twelve months ending 31 March 1912 -

The following tenders were received

Medicines

Hayes Conyngnam & Robinson Ltd.	proposed to allow an abatement of	25%
John Clarke & Co Ltd	"	28½%
R Sumner & Co Ltd	"	33¼%
Boileau & Boyd Ltd	"	35%

Medical and Surgical Appliances

Smith & Sheppard,	proposed to allow an abatement of	28%
Fannin & Co	"	35 "
R Sumner & Co	"	35½ "
John Clarke & Co	"	36½ "
Boileau & Boyd Ltd	"	36¾ "

The Guardians accepted the tenders of Mess^{rs} Fannin for Appliances and Mess^{rs} Boileau & Boyd for Drugs, if Drugs not received within one week the Doctor to purchase and charge to Contractors — @ Condren - 13.3.1911

The Guardians accepted the following tenders for the supply of Provisions to the Workhouse —
For Three Months

✓	M ^r John Doyle	-	Best Mutton	at	4½	per lb
✓	Miss E Cullen	-	" Beef	"	5½	" "
✓	Do	"	" boneless	"	8 ⁰	" "
	Do	"	" Sharp Heads	"	8 ⁰	" each
	M ^r J. Brennan	"	" Irish Bacon	"	8 ⁰	" lb
✓	M ^r Thomas Moody	"	" White Bread	"	5½	" 4 lbs
	John Sutton & Sons	"	" Irish Flake oatmeal	"	£14	" Ton
✓	M ^r Richard Murphy	"	" Potatoes	"	7/9	" barrel

For Six Months

✓	M ^r John Jellavanagh	Sugar Tate's twoos	at 1 ^p / ₄ per lb
	Do	Lisbon Shell Cocoa	. 12/- " cwt
	Do	Whiskey Powers 5 year old	. 19/- " gall
	Do	Oxo	" 4/- " lb
	Do	Brandy	. 59/- " doz
	Do	Treacle	" 12/- " cwt
	W Smith & Son	Porter Watkins & Co	. 10/3 " 1/4 brl
	Do	Port Wine, Sandemans	" 20/- " doz
	Do	Salt	" 1/7 " cwt
	M ^r Thomas Butler	Soda Water	. 1/3 " Doz
✓	M ^r Patrick Kinsella	Tobacco Irish	. 3/9 ¹ / ₂ " lb
	Do	Snuff (Gallaghers)	" 3/10 " "
	Do	Eggs	" 11 ^p / ₈ " Doz
	John Sutton & Sons	White pepper	" 8 ^p " lb
	Do	Indian Cornflour	" 4 ^p / ₄ " "

The Guardians appointed C^r J^r M^r Hugh & Co
to test samples of tea at usual fee £1:1:0 —

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Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out children at their meeting held on 13th March 1911 —

Read letter dated 4th March 1911, from Local Government Board requesting that Form A containing particulars in regard to M^{rs} Jane Byrne with whom it is proposed to board out Fred & Nicholas Evans may be forwarded to them as soon as practicable —

Order - Complied with - 13.3.11

Read letter dated 13th March 1911, from M^{rs} Mary Connor, Stump, Rathdrum, requesting the Guardians to Board out with her the boy Christy Evans at present in the Workhouse —

Order - Application granted - Doneen 13.3.11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 20th day of March 1911

(Signed)

J. Short
Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council; Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 13th day of March 1911

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

Indoor from No. 851 to No. 1040

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of March 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Provisions	78 12 11	37 8 5	116 1 4	47 - -	2 15 10	49 15 10	66 5 6	1633
Necessaries	100 13 10	- - -	100 13 10	7 1 -	1 1 2	8 2 2	92 11 8	
Total	179 6 9	37 8 5	216 15 2	54 1 -	3 17 -	57 18 -	158 17 2	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	4 7½
Average Cost in Infirmary	6 3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	6 8¼

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 14th day of March 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	3	18	9	8	19	3	1	13	4	12	15	6							27	6	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	20	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-							70	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	23	18	9	28	19	3	31	13	4	12	15	6							97	6	10
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	15	6	10	15	6	15	10	-	6	12	6							42	13	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	2	-
7. Total Relief given	9	15	6	10	17	6	15	10	-	6	12	6							42	15	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	14	3	3	18	1	9	16	3	4	6	3	-							54	11	4
9. TOTAL	23	18	9	28	19	3	31	13	4	12	15	6							97	6	10

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

Dated this 17 day of March 1911

J. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 13th day of March 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair— *Mr. O'Connell afterwards Mr. Short Vice Chm.*

Other Guardians:— W^{rs} Wargan D.V.C. Mess^{rs} Hagan, Wolohan, Waldron, Kavanagh, Quinn, Lawler, Storey, W J Doyle, P J Cullen, Delahunty, Martin Doyle, Graham, J J Magrath, W Byrne, Condell, Neill, Phelan, Yeates, Connolly, Brady, Joseph Byrne, James Byrne, J Kelly, Higgins, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, Healy, P J Carey, Gernon and W^c Phair —

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Anamoe	8	8	10	To be supplied
Newbridge	13	16	3	Do

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

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

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

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

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
N ^o 75,092 : 1910 28 th February 1911	With reference to minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 28 th November last, the Board request that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the several Dispensary Districts have complied with the law —	Referred to Medical Officers — D Condren 13.3.1911
N ^o 2340 : 1911 2 nd March 1911	Informing the Guardians that the remuneration of £4:4:0 proposed to be allowed to D O'Gorman for his services as temporary substitute for D ^r O'Keeffe in his capacity as Medical Officer and M.O.H. of the Newbridge District has received the sanction of the L.G. Board —	No order
N ^o 11,514 / 1911 8 th March 1911	Requesting that they may be informed by whom D ^r Cooke was employed to attend the midwifery case in Arklow Dispensary District referred to in the minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 27 th Ultimo —	Appointed by D ^r Hamilton who had instructions from the Board whilst he was employed with Fever cases that he might appoint a substitute. D ^r Condren 13.3.11

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
March 9 th 1911 -	D ^r O'Keeffe Medical Officer of Newbridge Dispensary District -	stating that as the present state of his health will prevent him from taking up duty for a couple of months, he encloses certificate from D ^r Dargan to that effect -	Leave granted D ^r Cooke's appoint- ment to be continued - D Condren 13.3.1911
6 th March 1911	W ^r Moore C.E.	stating re W ^r Lim's account of Arklow Dispensary, that he has not the faintest idea of what his claim is or what contract was.	No order /

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Anamoe — 6 Defaulters

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

Served — Q Condren — 13. 3. 11

Notices to be

*Proposed by Mr. Wolohan, Seconded by Mr. Hegan
Resolved,*

*That £50 be given as a Bonus to D. Hamilton
for his services during the recent outbreak of Fever in
Arklow —*

*Carried unanimously — Danl. Condren —
13. 3. 11*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Monday* the *20th*
day of *March* 1911

(Signed)

R. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of March 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	289	234													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	12													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	369	246													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	27	109	38	4	2	1	11	27	237	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 79	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week			62	8	9	1	2	2	1	2	3	90	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 12	In Wards with other inmates 1	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL 91	TOTAL 4	
TOTAL			80	35	118	39	6	4	2	13	30	327	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			61	9	2	1	2	—	—	1	4	80	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	No. Relieved during week 62	7	10
Total Discharged and Died			61	9	3	1	2	4	2	1	4	81	No. in Workhouse at date 15	4	8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	26	115	38	4	4	2	12	26	246	No. at corresponding period last year, 267		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of March 1911 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.	65	103			65	103	Bt. forward						
No. II.	86	150			86	150	No. VI.						
No. III.	111	224			111	225	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Qty. forw'd.	290	529			290	529	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 20th day of March 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
No Guardians being present.

J. Short
27/3/11

P. Manning

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 :—

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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Payments ordered during the month						
Total						
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals)						
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer						
Outstanding Orders						
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union						

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

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Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.		
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					£
Provisions																				}
Necessaries																				
Total																				

£ 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—

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19_____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union,

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

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1901— 26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735: 5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of March 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	218													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
Total	669	229													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	26	115	38	4	4	2	12	26	246	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 78	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week			57	10	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	69	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11	In Wards with other inmates —	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 89	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL,			76	36	115	39	4	4	2	13	26	315	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			57	11	4	2	2	2	—	3	3	84	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	2	No. Relieved during week 56	9	1
Total Discharged and Died			57	11	4	3	2	2	1	3	3	86	No. in Workhouse at date 12	2	1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	25	111	36	2	2	1	10	23	229	No. at corresponding period last year, 270		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of March 1911 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.	64	102			64	102	Bt. forward						
No. II.	88	156			88	156	No. VI.						
No. III.	112	222			112	222	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwarded.	292	531			292	531	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 27th day of March 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. Patrick Short Vice Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Wolohan, L. Magrath, C. Murray, Clarke, Quinn, G. Byrne, Joseph Cunniham, P. Doyle, Richardson, John Cunniham, Lawler, Storey, M. J. Doyle, J. Murphy, M. Doyle, Bergin, Graham, J. J. Magrath, W. Byrne, B. Kelly, Reilly, Travers, Condell, A. Halpin, Fenelon, Neill, Shelan, M. Carey, Burke, Somers Yeates, Connolly, Brady, B. Somers, M. Lloy, M. Keenan, M. Murphy, James Byrne, J. Kelly, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, J. Byrne, Healy, P. Byrne, Galvin, Brennan, Gernon, and Mr. Phail

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

Owing to the Election of Relieving Officer it was decided by a majority of the Members present to hold the meeting of the Guardians before the Council meeting —

M^r James Byrne of Ballinderry objected to the procedure —

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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:—

900 Loaves Bread
68 lbs Butter
450 " Meat
60 Doz Eggs
26 Sheep Heads
273 galls Newmilk

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

27th March 1911

The Master directs the attention of the Guardians to the necessity of having the external painting of the Workhouse carried out —

Order — Painting contractors to be advertised for —
J Short

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

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

Read letter dated 16th March 1911 from Local Government Board transmitting questions for answers respecting the temporary employment of Miss Morgan as Nurse in the Workhouse, and the person who may be elected Relieving Officer in the Union in place of M^r. G. Byrne, deceased —

Order — To be complied with — P. Short

Read letter from Same stating that they will raise no objection to the expenditure of a sum of £1:1:0 in connection with the testing of the samples submitted for the tea contract to the Workhouse —

Read letter from Same dated 21st March 1911, stating that as Miss Morgan does not appear to have previously ~~emp~~ been employed as Nurse in any Workhouse Hospital in Ireland, her original certificate of training should be forwarded to their Department for inspection —

Read letter from Same dated 24th March 1911, stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:5:0 a week with rations and travelling expenses to Miss Morgan for her services —

The date upon which she ceases to act should be recorded on the Guardians Minutes —

Read Letter ~~dated~~ from Same dated 23rd March 1911, forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his Audit of their accounts for the Half year ended the 30th September 1910, with attested abstracts of the accounts

Order - Bond has been registered and in possession of Board's Solicitor, will be handed to the Board immediately — J Short

Read Letter from Same dated 25th March 1911 stating that the Board observe from an entry in the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 13th instant, that the Guardians have accepted the tender of Mess^{rs} Fannin & Co for the contract for the supply of Medical and Surgical Appliances to the Union for the year commencing on the 1st proximo, at an abatement of 35%, although they had before them tenders from other Irish firms offering better terms; the L.G. Board state that the question of convenience does not arise in this case, and that in their opinion the Guardians should entrust the appliances contract to the firm which offered the best terms —

Order - On the Union Doctor's advice higher tender was accepted — J Short. 27.3.11

Read Letter dated 16th March 1911, from Mess^{rs} Boileau & Boyd, Medicine Contractors, assuring the Guardians that they will spare no effort to give satisfaction —

Read letter dated 26th March 1911, from Miss N. F. Byrne thanking the Guardians for their sympathy with her on the death of her sister —

Read letter dated 21st March 1911, from Mr. John Byrne, Wicklow, thanking the Guardians on behalf of himself and his relatives for their kind sympathy on the death of his brother —

Read letter dated 23rd March 1911, from Mr. Byrne, Milltown and family thanking the Guardians for the expression of their sympathy on the death of their Cousin the late Garrett Byrne —

Read letter dated 20th March 1911, from Mr. J. H. R. Craig, Solicitor, requesting that he may be informed whether the Guardians intend to print and publish in accordance with the statute a list of persons in the Rathdrum Union who have obtained out door relief, half yearly, this year —

Order — Guardians have not yet decided whether they will publish or not — I Short — 27.3.11

Dr. Taylor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse reported that he had to send two urgent cases, Thomas Doyle and Robert Kilfoyle to Dublin for special treatment, he asks the Guardians to confirm his action.

Order — Approved — I Short. 27.3.11

Read letter dated 18th March 1911, from Mess^{rs} C. J. W. Hugh & Co, stating that they have placed the three best samples of tea submitted in their order of merit —

Order - J. J. Kavanagh's N^o 12 Sample Selected -
Patrick Short

Read notice of the eviction of Patrick O'Neill, Ballintombay, served on Relieving Officer —

Read letter dated 24th March 1911, from Dublin Industrial Development Association stating that they are arranging for the holding of a conference in the City Hall Dublin, and requesting the Guardians to appoint three delegates to represent them —

Order - Mess^{rs} J. J. Magrath, J. Gernon and P. Short to act as deputation — P. Short

The Clerk read from the Ledger a surcharge made by the Auditor at the audit of the Guardians accounts —

The Guardians proceeded to elect a Relieving Officer for N^o 2 (Wicklow) District at a salary of £35 a year. There were four candidates who were polled for as follows.

	1 st Poll	2 nd Poll	3 rd Poll
Mr Alex ^r Byrne	18 votes	21 votes	27 votes
" W ^m Healy	12 "	15 "	22 "
" Law ^{ce} Kelly	11 "	13 "	
" G. Hyland	8 "		

Mr Byrne was accordingly declared elected —

P. Short.
10/4/11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 3rd
day of April 19 11
(Signed), G. McNamee
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 13th day of March 1911

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of February 1911 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	17	10	—
Loans received	—	—	—
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	17	10	—

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of March 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	150	15	11
Clothing and Bedding	3	17	2
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	7	6	6
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	—	—	—
(c.) Farm	—	—	—
(d.) Other Expenses	109	4	10
Workhouse Burials	2	3	9
District School Account	—	—	—
District Hospital Account	—	—	—
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	—	6	2
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	—	9	2
Medical Charities	20	3	5
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	—	—	—
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	—	—	—
Superannuation Allowances	—	—	—
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	—	—	—
Expenses of Local Committees	—	—	—
Repayment of Loans	134	14	9
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	140	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	—	—	—
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	—	—	—
Expenditure out of Loans	—	—	—
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	569	1	8

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

February 1911

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	388	18	10	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	17	10	-	-	-	-
Total	406	8	10	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	744	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	569	1	8	-	-	-
Total	569	1	8	744	2	-
Net Balance due <u>by</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	162	12	10	744	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	573	-	9	to 744	2	-
Outstanding Orders	735	13	7	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union	1162	12	10	744	2	-

Dated this 25th day of March 1911B Manning

Clerk of the Union.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 27th day of March 1911

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

Indoor from No. 1041 to No. 1181

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of March 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions	81	5	2	38	1	9	119	6	11	47	9	8	2	15	10	50	5	6	1611
Necessaries	84	11	7	-	-	-	84	11	7	7	7	6	1	1	2	8	8	8	
Total	165	16	9	38	1	9	203	18	6	54	17	2	3	17	-	58	14	2	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	...	: 4 : 9 ¹ / ₄
Average Cost in Infirmary	...	...	: 6 : 3 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	...	...	: 5 : 10 ³ / ₄

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 18th day of March 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	24 7 9	7 6 3	13 4	19 10 6			51 17 10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	- - -	20 - -	30 - -	- - -			50 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	24 7 9	27 6 3	30 13 4	19 10 6			101 17 10
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	9 17 6	11 2 6	15 12 6	6 17 6			43 10 -
In Kind ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	3 3 9	- - -	- - -	- - -			3 3 9
7. Total Relief given	13 1 3	11 2 6	15 12 6	6 17 6			46 13 9
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	11 6 6	16 3 9	15 - 10	12 13 -			55 4 1
9. TOTAL	24 7 9	27 6 3	30 13 4	19 10 6			101 17 10

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

Dated this 29th day of March 1911

P. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

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 Article 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

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
N ^o 12,896 : 1911 13 th March 1911	Forwarding copy of a letter which they have received from Mr. M. Maguire, relative to an account outstanding against the Guardians for coal supplied to Newbridge Dispensary, and requesting that they may be furnished with the observations of the Guardians thereon —	Explanation to accompany form. S Short 27.3.1911
N ^o 13,933 : 1911 24 th March 1911	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of a fee of £2:2:0 to Dr. Cooke for his services in attending a dispensary midwifery case in the Arklow Dispensary District in the circumstances set forth in the minutes of the 13 th inst —	No order
N ^o 13,933 : 1911 25 th March 1911	Stating that they have sanctioned the continued employment as proposed of Dr. Cooke as temporary substitute for Dr. O'Keefe Medical Officer of the Newbridge Dispensary District, during the absence of that Officer on sick leave —	No order

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 th March 1911	Hibernian Insurance Company Ltd	With reference to the Insurance of Dispensary Buildings, they request that the amounts may be divided, by placing portion on the Dispensary and Residence and the remainder on out offices - They also suggest the desirability of including an amount for the value of Medicines, furniture Medical and Surgical appliances contained in each Dispensary -	To be complied with - Agent to segregate the headings - P Short 27. 3. 1911
22 nd March 1911	M ^r Moore C.E.	With reference to the amount of surcharge made by the Auditor in connection with a payment for repairs to Qunganstown Dispensary buildings	Approved of Board are aware of verbal instructions to Engineer - Explanation to be sent to L y Board to get surcharge remitted. P Short

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read Report of Committee of Guardians for the Newbridge Dispensary District stating that after consulting with Mr. Moore C.E. they drew up a Specification for the necessary repairs to Newbridge Dispensary - The Committee instructed Mr. Martin Byrne to carry out the work in accordance with the Specification and to the satisfaction of the Committee and Mr. Moore for the sum of £9:17:6 -

Order - Report approved of - J Short 27.3.11

Read letter dated 27th March 1911, from Dr. Ryan Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District, requesting the Guardians to cancel a red ticket issued for his attendance on a girl named Fleming a servant in Glenmalur Hotel - On the 27th February he attended the girl in response to a telegram sent by Mr. Anderson of the Hotel, and on the 12th March with a letter from Mr. Fleming he received the ticket "as payment for ^{my} attendance to my daughter" -

The ticket was cancelled by the Guardians -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 3rd day of April 1911

Signed J Short
1911/11
Manning
Clerk of the Union

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of March 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that last be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	213													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	13													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	226													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	25	111	36	2	2	1	10	23	229	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	75	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates
Admitted during the Week			55	5	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	66	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	13	—
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 88	TOTAL, 3	—
TOTAL			74	30	114	38	2	3	1	10	23	295	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			53	3	10	2	—	—	—	1	—	69	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	54	4
Total Discharged and Died			53	3	10	2	—	—	—	1	—	69	No. in Work-house at date	14	3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			21	27	104	36	2	3	1	9	23	226	No. at corresponding period last year, 268		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of March 1911 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.	63	104			63	104	No. VI.						
No. II.	90	161			90	161	No. VII.						
No. III.	110	222			110	222	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Cas. forw.	291	538			291	538	TOTAL						

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

the 3rd day of April 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present

J. Manning
J. Thork
10/24/11

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)					Dr.		
					£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians							
Repayment of Relief							
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions																			}
Necessaries																			
Total																			

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost £ s. d.			Directions given by the Board
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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of April 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	212															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	14															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	226															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			21	27	104	36	2	3	1	9	23	226	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	76	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			47	9	12	2	1	1	1	1	1	73	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other inmates	—	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL	90	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			68	36	116	38	3	4	1	10	23	299	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			53	10	5	1	2	1	—	—	—	72	Males	Fe- males	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	No. Relieved during week	46	7	1	54
Total Discharged and Died			53	10	6	1	2	1	—	—	—	73	No. in Work-house at date	9	2	—	11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	26	110	37	1	3	1	10	23	226	No. at corresponding period last year, 253				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of April 1911 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	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.	60	101			60	101	No. VI.						
No. II.	93	172			93	172	No. VII.						
No. III.	110	222			110	222	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forw.	291	546			291	546	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 10th day of April 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Mr Patrick Short Kici Chm

Other Guardians:—

Messrs Storey, J. Cullen, W. Byrne, B. Kelly, James Byrne, Kearns, Barry, Thomas Byrne and J. Carey —

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:—

900 Loaves Bread
68 lbs Butter
450 - Meat
26 Sheep Heads
70 Doz Eggs
270 galls Newmilk
10 brls Potatoes

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

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

On the Report and recommendation of the Visiting Committee the following articles of cast clothing &c were ordered to be taken off the books and destroyed —

34 Sheets	40 coats	44 gowns & frocks
8 Rugs	51 Vests	26 Petticoats
20 Blankets	48 Trowsers	30 Shifts
6 Bed ticks	86 Shirts	126 Aprons
5 Pillows	55 Pr Boots	89 Pr Boots
40 Pillow Slips	60 Pr Stockings	65 Pr Stockings
5 Mattresses	58 Hats & Caps	10 Caps
1 Tablecloth	59 Handkerchiefs	11 wool wraps
13 Towels & Rollers	40 Pr Suspenders	1 Hospital Dress
	8 Drawers	
2 Black lead brushes	1 Table	62 Knives & forks
1 Hearth brush	8 Window Curtains	157 Rugs
10 Paint brushes	4 Fire Screens	148 Plates
22 Scrubbing "	4 Baths	1 Pot
47 Sweeping "	3 Feeding cups	9 quart tins
8 Whitewash "	1 Folding screen	8 Saucepans
2 Hand "	8 Foot jars	108 Spoons
1 Milk Measure	1 Basket	5 Teapots
2 Spades	26 Buckets	9 Trays
2 Shovels	2 Lanterns	23 Tin Cans
4 Chairs	27 Basins	11 Tumblers
21 Chamber pots	5 Bowls	8 Fire shovels
9 Candlesticks	25 Cups & Saucers	3 Ladders
1 Commode	2 Dishes	1 Slop can
4 Door mats	7 Egg cups	
1 Fender	2 Frying pans	
5 Lamps	6 Jugs	
9 Pictures	2 Kettles	

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

10th April 1911

Reports of Analyst on four samples of New Milk sent from Workhouse supplies are submitted —

sample N^o 154 supplied by M^r Cullen contained ^{Solids} 12.52 + ^{Fats} 3.5

" " 155 " M^r Merrigan " 11.0 + 2.3 it was deficient of 23% fats —

sample N^o 156 supplied by M^r Cullen contained ^{Solids} 12.8 + ^{Fats} 3.9

" " 157 " M^r Merrigan " 11.82 + 3.2

The Master asks directions of the Guardians as to the fare to be allowed the inmates at Easter —

Nurse Morgan who had been doing temporary duty for Nurse Byrne in the Infirmary, ^{left} on March 23rd, the latter nurse having resumed duty —

Order — Warm Contractor — Usual Easter fare to be provided — P Short —

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

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

Read Circular letter N^o 45 M 1911, dated 28th March 1911, from Local Government Board, drawing attention of the Guardians and their Officers to the importance of taking measures to insure the filling, with as much accuracy as possible, the returns required by the Census (Ireland) Act which provides for the taking of the census of Ireland on the night of Sunday, the 2nd prox —

Order — Fee of £2:10:0 to be paid to M^r Sheehan for trouble of filling return —

P Short - 10.4.11

Read Letter from same dated 3rd April 1911, with reference to the entry in Minutes of Proceedings of Guardians on the 27th ultimo relative to the proposal to assign the contract for the supply of medical and surgical appliances to the Union for the current year to Mess^{rs} Farrin & Co at an abatement of 35% off the prescribed prices although tenders had been received from other Irish firms offering better terms, the Board state that they do not see any reason why the lowest tender, namely that of Mess^{rs} Boyleau and Boyd at 36 $\frac{3}{4}$ % discount should be ignored by the Guardians —

The Board attach the utmost importance to the principle of accepting the lowest tender in disposing of these contracts, and they are not prepared to sanction a departure from it in
the

The present instance —

Order — In deference to L G Board Guardians accept Boileau & Boyd's tender for Appliances —
P.S.

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Read Circular letter from same dated 5th April 1911, transmitting forms for a return of the officers of the Union, and requesting that the return in duplicate may be forwarded to their office as soon as possible —

Order — To be complied with — P Short 10.4.11

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Read letter dated 3rd April 1911, from Wicklow County Council stating that they have placed to the credit of the Union the sum of £2900 — being 1st instalment of Demand —

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Read letter dated 10th April 1911, from Mr Thomas Byrne submitting Stock sheets for half-year ending March 31st which he hopes the Guardians will find correct —

Order — Fee of £3:10:0 to be paid Thomas Byrne —
P Short 11.4.10

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The Guardians accepted the proposal of Mr James McDonald to pay 10/6 for old rags in Workhouse and 8/6 for old mattress

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Read letter dated 10th April 1911, from M^{rs} Annie Conran tendering her resignation as attendant in Workhouse, she is unable to attend to the duties owing to ill health —

✓ Order - Appointment to be advertised for duties to be defined by Doctor and Master - Situation to be filled next meeting — P Short 10.4.11

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Read Notice of the eviction of William Byrne, Ball Alley, Wicklow —

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The following tenders were received for the painting of the Workhouse

M ^r W Long	proposed to do the work for	£134:10:0
M ^r L O'Foole	" " "	£128:10:0
M ^r P Egan	" " "	£105:0:0

Order — The Guardians consider tenders too high and believe work can be more cheaply done under supervision of the Master — We request sanction of L G Board to the Master getting work done —

P Short - 10.4.11

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The Medical Officer of the Workhouse applied for a supply of Medicine & Medical Appliances total cost £ 27.7.9 -

Order - To be supplied —

Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians of
Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out children
at their meeting held on 10th April 1911 -

Read letter dated 10th April 1911, from M^{rs}
Dargan S.L.G. requesting the Guardians to allow
a little girl Bride Byrne aged 10 years whose parents
are both dead to be boarded out with her grandparents
Peter Hagan and his wife who are willing to take care
of her and send her to school every day -

Order - Bridget Byrne to be boarded out with
M^{rs} Hagan - 25/- to be allowed for clothes on
filling of usual form - Short

J. Dargan

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

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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 24th
day of April 19 11
(Signed), J. Manning
Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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Sales of Offal, Old Stores and Other Receipts							
Loans received							
Total Amount of Lodgments as above							

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

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

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					£	s.	d.
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District School Account							
District Hospital Account							
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Emigration, Law and other Expenses							
Medical Charities							
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers							
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations							
Superannuation Allowances							
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers							
Expenses of Local Committees							
Repayment of Loans							
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief							
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts							
Unpaid Bills of last half-year							
Expenditure out of Loans							
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above							

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

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

Dated this 12 day of April 1911

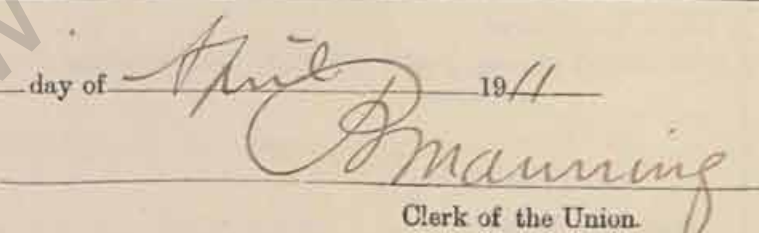

 Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 10th day of April 1911

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Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

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		£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.					
		By inmates			By Officers			Total																																									
		£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.			£			s.			d.					
Provisions	...	63	11	45	14	6	108	15	5	47	4	9	2	15	2	49	19	11	58	15	6																												
Necessaries		69	2	3	16	8	2	85	10	5	6	2	3	1	1	2	7	3	5	78	7	1																											
Total	...	132	3	2	62	2	8	194	5	10	53	7	1	3	16	4	57	3	4	137	2	6																											

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	4 : 9
Average Cost in Infirmary	6 : 3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	5 : 11

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
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	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	6	2	5	1	3	28	18	8	20	7	4							70	13	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							20	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	6	2	25	1	3	28	18	8	20	7	4							90	13	5
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	4	6	11	5	-	15	7	6	5	12	6							41	9	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	1	15	-	1	13	4	-	-	-	-	-	-							3	8	4
7. Total Relief given	10	19	6	12	18	4	15	7	6	5	12	6							44	17	10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5	6	8	12	2	11	13	11	2	14	14	10							45	15	7
9. TOTAL ...	16	6	2	25	1	3	28	18	8	20	7	4							90	13	5

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

Dated this 12th day of April 19 11

P. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

PRESENT—In the Chair—

W. Patrick Short Vice Chm.

Other Guardians:—

Other Guardians:— Messrs Storey, P J Cullen, W Byrne,
B Kelly, James Byrne, Kearn, Barry, Thomas Byrne
and H Storey —

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Dunganstown	4	6	2	To be supplied
Rathdrum	5	5	6	Do

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

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
N ^o 36 M/1911 31 March 1911	Requesting that they may be furnished immediately after the 31 st , in the enclosed forms with returns relating to the expenses of each dispensary district and the number of vaccinations in the Workhouse for the year ended on that date —	To be complied with — P Short 10.4.11
N ^o 13,933: 1911 31 March 1911	Informing the Guardians that they have approved of the payment of a bonus of £50 to D ^r Hamilton, Medical Officer in consideration of his special services in connection with the outbreak of Typhus Fever at Arklow	No order

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
5 th April 1911	Mr. Moore C8	Enclosing certificate for £9:17:6 for work done to Newbridge Dispensary — The order was made that it was to be done to the satisfaction of the Local Committee. The Hon Secretary has certified it as being satisfactory —	To be paid P Short 10.4.11
10 th April 1911	Dr. J. D. Ryan Rathdrum	Stating that he has been asked by Mr. Ryan's Trustees to say that in view of possible change they would be prepared to give the Guardians a lease of the Dispensary premises for a term of say 31 years —	Proposed by Mr. J. Byrne Seconded by Mr. Barry Resolved, That Lease of Dispensary be taken from Dr. Ryan - Lease for 31 years at £20 per year - Mr. McCarroll to prepare lease. Passed P Short 10.4.11

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Arklow 200 Defaulters

Cunganstown 9 Defaulters

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

Officers to notice — D. Short —

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Read letter dated 9th April 1911, from *D^r Harte* Medical Officer of *Anarroe* Dispensary District, requesting the Guardians to grant him his annual leave to be taken as the requirements of his District permit -

Order - *D^r Harte* to take vacation as it suits him. *D. Ryan* to act as Locum Tenens at £4:4:0 a week — *D. Short* -

11.4.11

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Read letter dated 8th April 1911, from *M^{rs} M Allen* Midwife of *Arklow* Dispensary District requesting the Guardians to increase her salary -

The following Notice of Motion was served -

10th April 1911

I hereby give Notice that at the meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on this day month I or some other Guardian for me will move that the salary of Nurse Allen be increased by £5 per year -

Received 10.4.11

D. Short

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

day of *April* 1911

(Signed),

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735; 5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of April 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	559	227														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11														
Fever Shields	—	—														
TOTAL	639	238														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			10	25	115	37	1	4	1	10	23	226	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 67	In separate Wards 3		
Admitted during the Week			55	10	5	2	3	1	1	2	—	79	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11	In Wards with other inmates —		
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 78	TOTAL, 3		
TOTAL			65	35	120	39	4	5	2	12	23	305	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			40	6	16	2	—	2	—	—	1	67	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week 55	7	2	64
Total Discharged and Died			40	6	16	2	—	2	—	—	1	67	No. in Work-house at date 19	4	1	24
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	29	104	37	4	3	2	12	22	238	No. at corresponding period last year, 260			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of April 1911 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.	60	101			60	101	No. VI.						
No. II.	92	167			92	167	No. VII.						
No. III.	109	221			109	221	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwarded	289	540			289	540	TOTAL						543

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 24th day of April 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. F. W. Phail, afterwards Mr. Dargan DVC
 subsequently Mr. P. Short Vice Chm.
 Other Guardians:— Messrs Hagan, Wolohan, Waldron, Kavanagh,
 Clarke, L. Murray, Quinn, G. Byrne, Joseph Cunneen,
 P. Doyle, Richardson, John Cunneen, Lawler, Storey,
 M. J. Doyle, J. Murphy, Delahunty, Martin Doyle, Bergin,
 Dawson, Keilly, Conell, Halpin, James Byrne, M. Carey,
 Burke, Yeates, Brady, Joseph Byrne, B. Somers, Molloy,
 M. Murphy, James Byrne, Kelly, Higgins, Kearns, Barry,
 Ellison, J. Byrne, J. O'Donnell and J. Brennan

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

800 loaves Bread

64 lbs Butter

450 " Meat

24 Sheep Heads

60 Doz Eggs

273 galls Newmilk

10 Bbls Potatoes

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

24th April 1911

The Master submits estimates from one local and two Dublin firms for supplying the materials required in the carrying out of the external painting of the Workhouse - The figures quoted by the local house would appear to be the lowest -

Order - The Local traders tender to be accepted -
P. Short

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

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

Read letter dated 10th April 1911, from Local Government Board acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Mr. Alexander Byrne as Relieving Officer in the Rathdrum Union and stating that the Board have approved of the appointment on the terms specified namely at a salary of £35 a year —

Read letter from same dated 11th April 1911 acknowledging the receipt, on the 8th instant of an application to them, from the persons aggrieved, against the surcharge of £4.8.0 made by the Auditor at the audit of the Accounts of the Union for the half-year ended the 30th September 1910 —

Read letter from same dated 13th April 1911 requesting that they may be furnished with a copy of Mr. G. J. Moore's letter of the 11th June 1910, which is referred to in his letter of the 22nd ultimo forwarded with the application against the surcharge —

Order - Complied with — J. Short - 24.4.11

Read letter from same of same date stating for the information of the Guardians that they have appointed Mr. J. More O'Ferrall Lly auditor, to audit the accounts of the Guardians for the period ended the 31st ultimo and until further notice —

Read letter from Same dated 20th April 1911 transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed as attendant in the Workhouse in place of Annie Conran, resigned -

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Read letter from Same dated 21st April 1911 with reference to the Minute of the Guardians on the 10th instant, proposing to have the work of painting the Workhouse carried out under the supervision of The Master, the Lg Board state that the Master should keep a labour book showing the hours worked by and the wages paid to the workmen employed and also a return showing the materials purchased and the cost thereof, for submission to the Auditor -

Subject to these conditions the Lg Board see no objection to the course proposed by the Guardians -

Order - To be complied with - J. Short.

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Read letter from Same of same date, stating that they have sanctioned the payment of a sum of £2:10:0 to the Master of the Workhouse for his services in connection with the Census Act 1910 -

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Read Circular letter from Same of same date stating that henceforward they will not require the Clerk to furnish them with a statement of the sums paid by the Guardians for medical and educational purposes, other than for medicines and medical and surgical appliances, in respect of the half-year ending the 31st of March for the

purpose of recoupment out of the Local Taxation (Ireland) account, pursuant to section 58(2)(a) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898 as amended by the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1902 —

As an alternative, the Board have recommended to His Excellency, the Lord Lieutenant, that, if the money available in the Account is sufficient for the purpose, an advance in respect of such expenditure for the period of twelve months ending the 30th of September each year may be made to the County Council on behalf of the Guardians to the extent of one-half the amount that was paid on their behalf in the local financial year ended the 31st of March 1902 —

Mr. C. J. McHugh applied for payment of £1:1:0 for testing teas for contract —

Order - To be paid — P Short

Dr. Taylor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse recommended that L Pierce be sent to the Eye and Ear Hospital - He will have to have one of his eyes removed. Also that a patient named Weir be sent to Sir P Duns Hospital for treatment —

Order - approved — P Short - 24.4.11

Read letter from an inmate of the Workhouse named James Toole requesting the Guardians to grant him a suit of clothes as he is leaving the house.

Order - 3/- allowed for clothes — P Short —

Order - Usual yearly contracts to be advertised for consideration next meeting -

J Short

Proposed by Mr F M Shail, Seconded by Mr J Carey
Resolved,

That a Committee consisting of Messrs Matthew Murphy, James Murphy, J Keilly, Andrew Halpin Whiterock, & Matthew J Doyle & Dr Taylor confer with the contractors with a view to an arrangement being arrived at by which the Board of Guardians would be compensated for portion of the expense incurred in cases of accident at the works being treated in Workhouse Hospital - Mr James Murphy to act as secretary -

Passed - J Short

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, Seconded by Mr John Barry
Resolved,

That this Board beg to express our great and unswerving confidence in their former Chaplain Very Rev John Canon Staples R.P. and to express our emphatic disapproval with the letter recently published in the Wicklow People -

Passed unanimously. 24th April 1911

Patrick Short

The Guardians proceeded to appoint an attendant in the Workhouse -

There were four applicants for the position. On their names being put to the meeting they were voted for as follows.

	1 st Poll	2 nd Poll
Miss Fogarty	15 votes	24 votes
Miss O'Toole	15 "	20 "
Miss Dunne	14 "	
Miss Lacey	- "	

Proposed by ~~W. George~~ Byrne, Seconded by W. James Byrne
Resolved

That Miss Ellen Fogarty be elected
attendant in the Workhouse at a salary of 16/- per
week in accordance with advertisement, in room
of W^o Conran resigned —

Passed by 24 votes to 20

Patrick Short

Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union
in relation to Boarded out children at their meeting
held on 24th April 1911 —

Read letter dated 20th April 1911, from Local
Government Board stating that Form A containing
particulars in regard to W^o Hagan with whom
it is proposed to board out a child named Bridget
Byrne has not yet been furnished, and requesting
that it may be forwarded as soon as practicable —

Order — To be complied with — 24.4.1911 P Short —

Read letter dated 14th April 1911, from W^o B
Murphy, Ballymerrigan, applying for the child
Michael Hollingsworth age 4 years to nurse and
keep outside —

Order — Child to be sent to W^o Murphy — R. O.
to see forms are filled up —

P. J. Barry P Short — 24.4.11
8-5-11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 1st
day of May 1911
(Signed), B. Manning

Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 10th day of April 19 11

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 March 19 11 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 April 19 11 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	269	19	8
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	1	13	-
(d.) Other Expenses	65	10	5
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	-	19	-
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	13	18	10
Medical Charities	457	8	4
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	-	-	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	-	-	-
Superannuation Allowances	24	19	3
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	-	-	-
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	-	-	-
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	120	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	171	1	7
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1125	8	1

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

*March*19 *11*

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	4	-	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	162	12	10	744	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	11125	8	1	-	-	-
Total	1288	-	11	744	2	-
Net Balance due <i>by</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1288	-	11	744	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>to</i> Treasurer	50	9	7	744	2	-
Outstanding Orders	11237	11	4	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> the Union	1288	-	11	744	2	-

Dated this *35th* day of*April*19 *11**Dommoning*
Clerk of the Union.

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Necessaries	70	9	8	1	8	-	71	17	8	6	6	11	1	1	2	78	1	64	
Total	279	6	1	53	9	8	332	15	9	52	9	8	3	12	11	56	2	7	

	£	s.	d.
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	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL					
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.				District No. VI.				
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
1. Balance in hand at close of pre- vious week ...	16	2	2	20	14	10	28	6	2	9	2	4							74	5	6
2. Money since ad- vanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
3. Total to be ac- counted for ...	16	2	2	20	14	10	28	6	2	9	2	4							74	5	6
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	12	6	10	18	6	15	14	-	5	12	6							41	17	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Re- lieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-							1	2	-
6. Orphans and De- serted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	-							1	5	-
7. Total Relief given	9	12	6	10	18	6	16	19	-	6	14	6							44	4	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	9	8	29	16	4	11	7	2	2	7	10							30	1	-
9. TOTAL	16	2	2	20	14	10	28	6	2	9	2	4							74	5	6

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

Dated this 25th day of April 1911.

G. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the Monday 24th day of 24th - April 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair—*Mr. F. McPhail afterwards Mr. Dargan D.C.
subsequently Mr. P. Short, vice-Chair*

Other Guardians:— Mess^{rs} Hagan, Wolohan, Waldron, Lavanagh,
Clarke, L. Murray, Quinn, G. Byrne, Joseph Cuniam, P. Doyle,
Richardson, John Cuniam Lawler, Storey, M. J. Doyle, J. Murphy,
Delahunt, Martin Doyle, Bergin, Dawson, O'Reilly, Condell,
Kilpin, James Byrne, M. Carey, Burke, Yeates, Brady, Joseph
Byrne, B. Lomers, Molloy, M. Murphy, James Byrne, Kelly,
Higgins, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, J. Byrne, P. J. Carey, and
Brennan—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Newcastle	11	8	5	To be supplied —

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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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Read Report dated 12th April 1911, from Sir C. A. Cameron on the following drugs sent for Analysis from Wicklow Disp^y

Hippo Wine	—	Practically correct
Compound Tincture of Camphor	—	Correct
Solution of Bismuth	—	Sulphide "high"

Read Report from same dated 22nd April 1911, on the following drugs sent for Analysis from Arklow Dispensary

Soap Liniment	—	Camphor "low"
Compound Tincture of Aloes	—	Correct
Cod liver oil	—	Correct

Read Report from same of same date on the following drugs sent for Analysis from Aughrim Disp^y

Tincture of Digitalis	—	Correct
Tincture of Buchu	—	Correct

These specimens were not forwarded for analysis according to the Local Government Board's Instructions as there was no name of dispensary written on bottles. There was no date on bottles stating when drugs were received from Contractor —
Order — Refer to Doctor — J. Short

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
N ^o 17,351 / 1911 10 th April 1911	acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the payment by the Guardians of the account of N ^o M Maguire for coal supplied to Newbridge Dispensary in May and September 1910, and stating that they have assented to an extension of the time within which the Guardians may pay a sum of £2:14:0 in settlement of this account to a period not later than the 31 st May 1911 -	No order
N ^o 19,390 : 1911 22 nd April 1911	Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of D ^r J. D. Ryan of Rathdrum as Medical Officer of the Anamoe Dispensary District during the proposed absence of D ^r Harte on vacation, and with reference thereto the Board point out that D ^r Ryan resides at a very long distance from the Anamoe District and request that the Guardians will consider whether they should not appoint a resident temporary Medical Officer instead of D ^r Ryan -	D ^r Ryan is the most conveniently situated Doctor to act as Locum tenens for D ^r Harte - P Short -

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
23 rd April 1911	M ^{rs} S. O'Brien Midwife of Anarnoe Dispensary District —	Applying for one weeks leave — Nurse Burke Newtown will look after the duty —	granted Nurse Burke to act as Locum Tenens at fee of £11:1:0 a week — P Short —
24 April 1911	M ^r A Byrne Relieving Officer	Stating that as D ^r Wyse is confined to bed with severe Sciatica and unable to do duty, he appointed D ^r Taylor Rathdrum as Locum tenens for Dunganstown District —	No order —
24 th April 1911	M ^r L. Murphy Relieving Officer	Reporting that D ^r Harte being called away to Quarter Sessions on Friday 21 st inst he had to call in D ^r Taylor to act as Locum Tenens in the Anarnoe District	No order —
7 th April 1911	M ^r J. Timmons Roundwood	Applying for payment of £8:6:6 for shelving presses &c supplied to Anarnoe Dispensary as per his estimate to the Guardians —	To be paid — P Short —

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read letter dated 23rd April 1911, from Dr Wyse Medical Officer of Dunganstown Dispensary District requesting the Guardians to allow him to take the usual annual holidays as from the 22nd inst owing to his being confined to bed suffering from very severe attack of sciatica - He nominated Dr Taylor as his substitute

✓ Order - Leave granted Dr Taylor to act as locum tenens at £4:4:0 a week - P Short - 24.4.11

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Read letter dated 12th of April 1911, from Messrs J. H. McCarroll & Co with reference to the resolution of the Guardians relative to the Dispensary in Rathdrum in which they decided to take a 31 year lease from Dr Ryan at £20 per year -
Order - await result of notice of motion handed in - P Short

The following Notice of motion was served -

24th April 1911
I hereby give notice that at the Meeting to be held on this day two weeks being the 8th day of May 1911 I will move or some other Guardian for me, that the resolution of 10th April proposing to take a lease of the dispensary room in Rathdrum from Dr Ryan at £20 per annum be rescinded, as it is contrary to the previous resolution taking the premises on a yearly tenancy, and might involve the Board in litigation when Dr Ryan ceased to act as Medical officer -
Signed William J Quinn

received 24.4.11
Patrick Short

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the _____ day of May 1911

(Signed),

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union
P. J. Carey

8-5-11

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130,735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of April 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	580	223													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	14													
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	660	237													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	29	104	37	4	3	2	12	22	238	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates
Admitted during the Week			49	6	13	2	1	—	1	—	—	72	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	14	—
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	TOTAL, 86	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL			74	35	117	39	5	3	3	12	23	311	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			48	12	8	1	1	1	—	1	1	73	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	No. Relieved during week	46	2
Total Discharged and Died			48	12	9	1	1	1	—	1	1	74	No. in Workhouse at date	17	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			26	23	108	38	4	2	3	11	22	237	No. at corresponding period last year, 260		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of April 1911 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.	60	107			60	107	Bk. forward						
No. II.	90	158			90	158	No. VI.						
No. III.	107	214			107	214	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	51			28	51	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
(Car. forwarded)	285	530			285	530	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 1st day of May 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present—

B. Manning
P. J. Carey

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed 8-5-11

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:—

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

TABLE (a)				Dr.		
				£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19_____

Clerk of the Union.

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

		Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.	
											£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions	...																			}
Necessaries																				
Total	...																			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d.

Average Cost in Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union,

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

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130 735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	389	223													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	13													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80														
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	669	236													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			26	23	108	38	4	2	3	11	22	237	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 76	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week			54	13	6	—	5	1	2	1	1	88	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 13	In Wards with other inmates —	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	TOTAL, 89	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL			85	36	114	38	9	3	5	12	25	327	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			69	9	6	2	3	1	—	—	1	91	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week 58	11	4
Total Discharged and Died			69	9	6	2	3	1	—	—	1	91	No. in Workhouse at date 9	4	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	27	108	36	6	2	5	12	24	236	No. at corresponding period last year, 248		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of April 1911 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.	60	107			60	107	Bt. forward						
No. II.	95	173			95	173	No. VI.						
No. III.	106	218			106	212	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	51			29	51	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	290	543			290	543	TOTAL						

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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 8th day of May 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—Mr. P. J. Carey, afterwards Mr. Dargan D.V.C. subsequently Mr. P. Short Vice Chm^r and finally Mr. Condren Chm^r
 Other Guardians:—Messrs. Molohan, Waldron, Ruskell, Amison, G. Byrne, Joseph Cunnam, John Cunnam, Lawler, Storey, M. J. Doyle, J. Murphy, Graham, W. Byrne, Dawson, Reilly, Travers, Condell, A. Halpin, Fendron, James Byrne, Yeates, Brady, M. Murphy, James Byrne, J. Kelly, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, Brennan and M. Phail.

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:—

800 Loaves Bread

64 lbs Butter

60 Doz Eggs

450 lbs Meat

270 galls Milk

10 cwt Potatoes

24 Sheep Heads

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

8th May 1911

The Master submits report of Analyst on samples of New milk and Butter sent from Workhouse stores,

Report of tea tester on his comparison of tea supplied by Contractor with sample selected for the contract is also submitted —

The tester stated that the samples taken from the Bulk are up to the original standard —

The sample of Butter was pure —

New milk sample N ^o 210	supplied by M ^r Merrigan	contained	^{Solids} 11.6	^{Fats} 2.7
" " " 211	" M ^r Cullen	"	12.6	3.9

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

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

Read letter dated 26th April 1911, from Local Government Board stating that they have approved of the acceptance by the Guardians of the tender of Mess^{rs} Boyleau & Boyd for the supply of Medical and Surgical appliances to the Union for the current year —

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Read letter from same dated 1st May 1911, acknowledging the receipt of Replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Ellen Fogarty as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse, and stating that the Board have approved of the appointment on the terms specified namely at a salary of 16^s a week —

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Read letter dated 8th May 1911 from D^r Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse recommending that a patient named Wilson be sent to Sir P. O'Donoghue's Hospital for Surgical treatment —

He draws attention to the case of a man named Kelly — He has been under treatment in Dublin for a growth in his neck — It cannot be removed by operation the only remedy likely to improve his condition is the repeated application of X Rays — To carry out this he would have to attend the hospital three days a week

This would entail him going from Wicklow where he lives when at home, on three days a week — D^r Taylor recommends that the Board order this for a definite period when he will consult with the Specialist and report —

Proposed

Proposed by M^r. M^r. Phail, Seconded by M^r. Dargan
Resolved,

That the man be sent to Dublin the Doctor
to arrange for his remaining in the city if necessary -

Passed O Condren

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Read letter dated 8th May 1911, from M^r. George
Grimes resigning his position as Wardsman in the
Workhouse from that date -

Order - Resignation accepted - O Condren 8.4.11

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Read letter from an inmate of the Workhouse
named Henry Colclough stating that he has been deaf
for 27 years, there is a Doctor in Dublin at present who
is curing everyone that goes to him, he requests the
Guardians to give him his travelling expenses to Dublin.

Order - Refer to D^r. Taylor for report - O Condren 8.4.11

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Read letter dated 8th May 1911, from M^r. M^r. Phail J. Lly
recommending that Thomas Lawless of Monkton Row, Wicklow be
allowed 2/6 per week he has a wife and family but is in
delicate health and unable to obtain constant work -

Order - Recommended on the production of Doctor's certificate -
O Condren

8.5.11

The Guardians adopted the resolution passed by the Gorey
Board of Guardians on the 8th of April relating to Old Age
Pensions for septuagenarian inmates of Workhouses -

Order - The L.G. Board is requested to sanction payment of a fee of £2:2:0 to D^r Ryan for assisting the Medical officer of the Workhouse at a surgical operation on 22nd of February as reported by the Master and entered in the Minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on 27th February 1911.

The Guardians accepted the proposal of Mess^{rs} Thomas Hecton & Co to supply Best Screened Wigan Coal at 18/8 per Ton — ^{Tons} 250 to be supplied —

The Guardians accepted the proposal of M^r Charles Cullen to supply $\frac{1}{3}$ of quantity of new milk required for twelve months at 7^½ per gallon and of M^r R. Merrigan to supply $\frac{2}{3}$ of quantity required at 7^½ per gallon —

They also accepted the tender of M^r Kearns to supply Butter at 11^½ per lb for twelve months —

Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathfrum Union in relation to Boarded out Children at their meeting held on 8th May 1911 —

Read letter dated 1st May 1911 from Local Government Board stating that they have had before them R O Edge's report for the month of March last respecting The Children boarded out in his district, and with reference to the case of the child Kate Kearns, the Board point out that as she was suffering from itch, it is apparent she was not kept properly by her foster parent, and some other home should accordingly be found for the child on her discharge from the Workhouse Hospital —

Order - Deserted child named Mary Murray to be boarded
out with M^{rs} Lawless, Ashford —

Stondren 8.5.11

R. Holt,

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

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

Ditto disallowed

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 15th
day of May 1911
(Signed), G. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)				Dr.		
				£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians						
Repayment of Relief						
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 8th day of May 19 11

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

Indoor from No. 1461 to No. 1642

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 19 11, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions	196	8	11	33	19	-	230	7	11	44	19	2	2	11	9	47	10	11	182
Necessaries	56	13	4	-	-	-	56	13	4	6	3	9	1	1	2	7	4	11	49
Total	253	2	3	33	19	-	287	1	3	51	2	11	3	12	11	54	15	10	232

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : 4³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 7¹/₄

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5 : 9¹/₂

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

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

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

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

the 29 day of April 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL					
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	13	7	2	18	17	10	25	13	8	11	1	8							69	-	4
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	13	7	2	18	17	10	25	13	8	11	1	8							69	-	4
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	4	-	11	14	6	15	13	-	6	11	-							43	2	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	1	13	4	1	5	-	-	-	-							2	18	4
7. Total Relief given	9	4	-	13	7	10	16	18	-	6	11	-							46	-	10
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	8	2	5	10	-	8	15	8	4	10	8							22	19	6
9. TOTAL	13	7	2	18	17	10	25	13	8	10	1	8							68	-	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 10th day of May 1911

J. Manning
Clerk of Union.

Rathdrum Union.

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

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the ^{8th} ~~Monday~~ day of May 1911PRESENT—In the Chair— Mr. P. J. Carey afterwards Mr. O'Connell subsequently
Mr. P. Short Vice Chm. & finally Mr. Condren Chm.Other Guardians:— Messrs. Molohan, Waldron, Puskell, Quinn,Ly. Byrne, Joseph Cunningham, J. Cunningham, Lawlor, Storey,
W. J. Doyle, J. Murphy, Martin Doyle, Graham, W. Byrne,
Dawson, Reilly, Travers, Condell, A. Halpin, Senelan, James
Byrne, Yeates, Brady, M. Murphy, James Byrne, J. Kelly,
Hearn, Barry, Ellison, Brennan and McPhail —

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

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

Proposed by Mr. Condren, Seconded by Mr. Ellison
Resolved,That the salary of Nurse Allen, Midwife
of Arklow Dispensary District be increased by
£5. per year — Passed — 8.5.11

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

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

Proposed by Mr. Quinn, Seconded by Mr. Ellison,
Resolved,That the resolution of the 10th of April proposing
to take a lease of the Dispensary room in Rathdrum
from O^r. Ryan at £20 per annum, be rescinded, as it is
contrary to the previous resolution taking the premises
on a yearly tenancy and might involve the Board in
litigation when O^r. Ryan ceases to act as Medical Officer.

Passed by a large majority — O.C. 8.5.11

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

~~Dispanary District~~

~~Goods ordered to be supplied~~

Relieving Officer Murphy reported that he had to call in O^r Taylor to act as locum Tenens for O^r Harte on May 1st - O^r Harte having to attend a Special Court in Newtown as a witness -

Ordered to be paid £1:1:0 subject to sanction -

O'Condren. 8.5.11

These were two tenders received for the fencing with wire fence of the Dispensary plot at Liladrumon which were not accepted -

Order - Clerk to advertise for tenders for a bank and ditch fence similar to those used in the Union, but being stone faced on outside - send estimates to Engineer —

[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 _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

[illegible]

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
<p>Read letter dated 8th May, 1911, from M^r J Byrne, enclosing £10. for corn at Killadreenan — Order — accepted — O'Condren - 8. 5. 11</p>		
<p>Read letter from D^r Lynch, Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District enclosing account from M^r John Hutchinson for putting new locks on Dispensary amount claimed 14/- D^r Lynch states that this work was done on his order as the matter was urgent —</p>		
<p>Order — The L.G. Board is requested to sanction this payment as owing to the keys being lost the expenditure could not be authorised by the Guardians before being incurred —</p>		
<p>Read letter dated 6th May 1911, from Rev M Putter P.P. Roundwood, stating that he deems it a duty to intimate to the Guardians that, in common with others in Roundwood he does not think that a Medical Officer resident in Rathdrum could properly or adequately discharge the duties of the Local Medical Officer during his absence on leave —</p>		
<p>Read letter dated 8th May 1911, from Relieving Officer Murphy stating that during D^r Bartes absence accidents are liable to occur at any moment, which if not attended at once may result in loss of life — Should such occur all he can do is telegraph for Medical aid and should the telegraph office be closed despatch a special car regardless of expense — Should help arrive too late he will hold himself free of all responsibility, after now pointing out the danger —</p>		

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
N ^o 3655 : 1911 24 th April 1911	Requesting that they may be informed whether the Medical Officer of the Wicklow Dispensary District has since replied to the Clerk's inquiry as to the date on which he received the supply of drugs referred to in letter of 19 th January last —	To be complied with — J Dargan 8.5.11
N ^o 20,212 : 1911 25 th April 1911	Stating that they will not raise any objection to the works of repair which the Guardians propose to have carried out at the Croca Dispensary in Newbridge Dispensary District	No order —
N ^o 2111 / 1911 27 th April 1911	Pointing out that it will be necessary for the usual particulars relating to Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances obtained by the Guardians during the half year ending the 31 st March to be furnished to their Department in the same manner as heretofore.	No order
N ^o 22,201 — 1911 29 th April 1911	Stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Dunganstown Dispensary District during the absence of that officer on vacation.	No order

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
N ^o 19,390 - 1911 3 rd May 1911	Local Government Board —	Stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Anamoe Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation and have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week to D ^r Ryan as his substitute	No order
N ^o 22,395: 1911 4 th May 1911	same	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of a sum of £11:1:0 to Nurse Burke as remuneration for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of the Anamoe Dispensary District —	No order
25 th April 1911	D ^r O'Keeffe Medical Officer of Newbridge Dispensary District	Applying to the Guardians for two months extension of leave until the 1 st of July, as he does not feel fit to take up duty at present — If the Guardians require a Doctors Certificate he will send one —	Agreed to give leave until 1 st July — D ^r Cooke to continue to do duty in mean- time — J Dargan 8.5.11

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Annamoe

13 Defaulters

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

Relieving Officer

to notice — J. Q. 8.5.11

Read letter dated 8th May 1911, from Mr. James Murphy Secretary of the Committee appointed to consider the question of the expenses of accident cases going into the Workhouse Hospital

The Committee unanimously decided that they could see no way to remedy or improve the present system — It was

Proposed by Mr. James Murphy, Seconded by Mr. A. Halpin and

Resolved — That we take this opportunity to draw the Boards attention to the grave responsibilities they are incurring in not adopting the L.G. Boards suggestion to appoint a resident Locum Tenens in the Annamoe Dispensary District during Dr. Harte's leave of absence — We wish to emphatically express the opinion, that owing to the exceptional circumstances now existing in this district the absence of a resident Medical Officer may lead to very serious consequences —

Passed unanimously —

The following Notice of Motion was served —

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I will move that the leave of absence granted to Dr. Harte be withdrawn and former resolution on this subject be rescinded pending Dr. Harte nominating a properly qualified Medical Officer who will be approved of by the L.G. Board and who will be willing to reside in the Annamoe Dispensary District during Dr. Harte's absence at the usual remuneration allowed by the Board £4.4.0 per week

Received O'Connell 8.5.11

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

day of May 19 11

(Signed) J. Manning
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	199													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	210													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	27	108	36	6	2	5	12	24	236	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 72	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week			64	7	4	2	1		4	1	2	85	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11	In Wards with other inmates	
Born													TOTAL, 83	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL,			80	34	112	38	6	3	9	13	26	321	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			63	14	11	2	2	2	5	3	7	109	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died				1								2	No. Relieved during week 62	6	5
Total Discharged and Died			63	15	11	2	2	2	5	4	7	111	No. in Work-house at date 10	1	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	19	101	36	4	1	4	9	19	210	No. at corresponding period last year, 244		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of May 1911 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.	60	107			60	107	Bt. forward						
No. II.	92	154			92	154	No. VI.						
No. III.	105	211			105	211	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	51			29	51	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward.	286	523			286	523	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 15th day of May 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present —

—
J. Short

—
G. Manning

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 :—

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 :—

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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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19_____

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates			By Officers			Total			£	s.	d.		
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
Provisions	...																						}
Necessaries																							
Total	...																						

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

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the _____ day of _____ 19 _____

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

[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 _____ 19.____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19.

[illegible]

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building as the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	529	230															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	11															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	609	241															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			17	19	101	36	4	1	4	9	19	210	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	75	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			71	16	7	3	5	2	12	8	9	133	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	11	In Wards with other inmates	—	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL	86	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			88	35	108	39	9	3	16	17	28	343	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			63	8	12	1	1	1	6	3	7	102		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	71	9	24	104
Total Discharged and Died			63	8	12	1	1	1	6	3	7	102	No. in Work-house at date	16	5	13	34
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	27	96	38	8	2	10	14	21	241	No. at corresponding period last year, 240				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of May 1911 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.	61	112			61	112	No. VI.						
No. II.	92	154			92	154	No. VII.						
No. III.	107	214			107	214	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	30	53			30	53	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	290	533			290	533	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 22nd day of May 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. Patrick Short

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Hagan, Mr. Wolohan, G. Byrne, J. Murphy, Martin Doyle, W. Byrne, Hally O'Reilly, James Byrne, M. Carey, Yeates, Somers, Molloy, M. Murphy, James Byrne, Barry, Ellison, J. Carey, Connolly, John Kelly, Kearns, Thomas Byrne and Mr. Shail

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:—

1500 lbs Bread

60 " Butter

60 Doz Eggs

440 lbs Meat

250 gals Newmilk

1 Case Mineral Water

18 Sheep Heads

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

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

22nd May 1911

This afternoon I inspected the Infirmary and General Wards of the Workhouse and found them in a very clean neatly kept condition, reflecting great credit on the nursing and general Staff - There are only two cases of Tuberculosis and these are properly confined to a small separate Ward with garden enclosure - One of the patients has provided himself with a tent to sleep in and it would be well if a similar tent were provided for the other patient, as he is not progressing as satisfactorily as the man sleeping out -

I recommend that the present obsolete brown earthenware wash basins in the men's quarters be replaced with white earthen basins of a larger size.

I must congratulate the Master and Matron on the high standard in which the house is maintained -

Frank McShail

Member of Visiting Committee

Order - Refer to House Committee on day of meeting for election of Chairmen - P.S.

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

22nd May 1911

The Master submits Analyst's report on two samples of New Milk sent from Workhouse supplies on 5th instant —

Specimen N ^o 212	Supplied by M ^r Merrigan,	contained	^{Solids} 12.44	^{Fats} 3.2
" " 213	" " M ^r Cullen	"	12.80	3.5

Acting on the requisition of the Medical Officer the Master on the 11th inst secured the services of Nurse Breen and Nurse Overend, two trained nurses from Dublin, for duty in the Fever Hospital —

Order — Approved — R Short — 22.5.11

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

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

Read letter dated 12th May 1911, from Local Government Board, transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed wardman in the Workhouse in place of George Grimes resigned, and requesting that when the questions shall have been answered and signed they may be returned to L.G. Board Office —

Order - To be complied with — I Short —

Read letter from Same dated 13th May 1911 stating that they have sanctioned the payment of a fee of £2:2:0 to D^r Ryan as remuneration for his services in assisting the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in the performance of a surgical operation —

Read letter from Same dated 16th May 1911 stating that they have had under consideration the application to them, from the persons aggrieved, against the surcharge of £4:8:0 made by the Auditor at the audit of the accounts of the Union for the half-year ended the 30th September, 1910, in respect of a payment in excess of the amount authorised by the Guardians to be expended for ~~the~~ repairs to Dunganstown Dispensary —

The Board have inquired into the lawfulness of the reasons stated by the Auditor for making the surcharge in question, and have found that the surcharge was lawfully made; but as it would appear from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 27 March last that the Engineer was verbally instructed to expend, if necessary

on these repairs a larger amount than that authorised on 28th February 1910, the Board have decided to remit the surcharge; and they have made an order accordingly -

With a view to safeguarding themselves from liability to similar surcharges, the Guardians should take steps to ensure that the Minutes contain a full and accurate record of all orders and directions given by them -

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Read Circular letter dated 18th May 1911, from same, forwarding a copy of an Order of the House of Lords for a return of the number and percentage of children maintained in Irish Workhouses as indicated by the headings thereof; and requesting that the Board may be furnished on the enclosed form with the required particulars in the case of the Workhouse in the Union -

Order - To be complied with - P Short

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Read letter dated 21st May 1911, from D^r Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse applying for his annual leave of four weeks, to be taken at intervals during the summer - D^r Ryan if appointed would do the duty -

Order - Leave granted - D^r Ryan to act as locum tenens at £4:4:0 per week - P Short

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Read letter dated 22nd May 1911, from M^r Cahalane Schoolmaster in the Workhouse asking for one day's leave.
Order - Granted - P Short 22.5.11

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Read letter from W^m McCarry, Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital requesting the Guardians to grant her Annual holidays - She is anxious to get away as one of her children has been ill and she wants to take her home for a change -

Order - One month granted - Doctor to arrange for substitute - I Short - 22.5.11

Read letter from the Medical Officer and Master of the Workhouse stating that Dr Smyth Local Government Board Inspector, has visited the Workhouse and has recommended a change in the Scale of Dietary, which has the advantages of having greater variety with a reduction of the cost - They would be glad to meet the House Committee to go into the matter -

Order - Refer to House Committee and Doctor - meeting to take place day of election of Chairman at two o'clock - I Short -

Read letter dated 21st May from Dr Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse sending, by direction of Dr Smyth, a list of rules for The Nurses of the Institution, for the Guardians approval - He suggests that the House Committee might consider

Order - Refer to House Committee on day of election of Chairman - I Short

Read letter from Same of same date, stating that he regrets to have to report that Nurse O'meara of the Fever Hospital contracted Diphtheria in the discharge of her duty - She is progressing favourably - He had to secure the services of two trained nurses to take charge of her and the other patients in the Fever Hospital -

Order - approved - 22.5.11 - P Short -

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The Guardians proceeded to elect a male attendant for the Workhouse

There were two applicants for the position viz George Grimes and John J Dunne

Proposed by Mr John Barry, Seconded by Mr Peter Kearns
Resolved,

That George Grimes be appointed male attendant in the Union, as advertised for -

Passed - Patrick Short -

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Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out Children at their meeting held on 22nd May 1911 -

Read Letter dated 8th May 1911, from Local Government Board, returning the Form A containing particulars respecting Mr B. Murphy with whom it is proposed to board out a child named Michael Hollingsworth from the Workhouse, and requesting that the reply to Query N^o 12 may be given in full and the document then re-transmitted to their Department -

Order - To be complied with - P Short

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Read letter dated 22nd May 1911, from Relieving Officer Edge, stating, with reference to his report of March as to the condition of the child Kate Kearns boarded out with M^{rs} Finn of Avondale, he never intended to convey that the child was not properly looked after and cared for -

The Foster parents could not do more for the child than they did -

Order - The Guardians are sending Kate Kearns back to M^{rs} Finn knowing personally the child could not be in a cleaner house or better treated.

P Short

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 29th
day of May 19 11
(Signed), B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 8th day of May 19 11

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 April 19 11 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	2900	-	-
Repayment of Relief	12	14	3
Rents of Dispensary Residences	-	-	-
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	-	-	-
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and Other Receipts	5	2 ¹ / ₂	-
Loans received	-	-	-
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	2917	16	3

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 May 19 11 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	366	3	7
Clothing and Bedding	13	16	9
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	6	14	-
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	31	15	6
(c.) Farm	3	3	10
(d.) Other Expenses	38	15	9
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	18	5	4
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	6	17	10
Medical Charities	111	9	11
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	-	-	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	12	18	9
Superannuation Allowances	-	-	-
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	-	-	-
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	-	-	-
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	250	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	860	1	3

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

*April*19*11*

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	2917	16	3	-	-	-
Total	2917	16	3	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1288	-	11	744	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	860	1	3	-	-	-
Total	2148	2	2	744	2	-
Net Balance due <i>to</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	769	14	1	<i>by</i> 744	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	1789	4	-	<i>to</i> 744	2	-
Outstanding Orders	1019	9	11	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <i>to</i> the Union	769	14	1	<i>by</i> 744	2	-

Dated this *25th* day of *May* 19*11**B. Manning*

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 22nd day of May 1911

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

Indoor from No. 1642 to No. 1818

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions	177	28		32	15	7	209	18	3	41	10	4	2	7	1	43	17	5	1522
Necessaries	43	13	8	3	4	1	46	17	9	5	5	3	1	-	2	6	5	5	
Total	220	16	4	35	19	8	256	16	-	46	15	7	3	7	3	50	2	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : £ 4 : 3¹/₂
Average Cost in Infirmary ... : £ 5 : 4³/₄
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : £ 5 : 5¹/₄

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

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

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

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

the 13th day of May 19 11, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	11	11	8	13	4	4	12	12	2	17	19	8				55	7	10
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-				30	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	11	11	8	13	4	4	42	12	2	17	19	8				85	7	10
EXPENDITURE.																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money ...	9	8	-	11	2	-	15	17	6	6	14	-				43	1	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	4	4				-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-				-	4	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-
7. Total Relief given	9	8	-	11	2	-	15	17	6	6	18	-				43	5	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	2	3	8	2	2	4	26	14	8	11	1	8				42	2	4
9. TOTAL	11	11	8	13	4	4	42	12	2	17	19	8				85	7	10

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

Dated this 25th day of May 19 11

B. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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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Read Report dated 10th May 1911 from Sir C. A. Cameron on the following drugs sent for analysis from Newbridge Dispensary

<i>Tincture of Hyoscyamus</i>	—	<i>Correct</i>
<i>Liniment of Chloroform</i>	—	<i>Correct</i>
<i>Solution of Morphine Hydrochloride</i>	—	<i>Practically correct</i>
—	—	—

Read Report from Same of same date on the following drugs sent for analysis from Anamoe Dispensary.

<i>Tincture of Opium</i>	—	<i>Correct</i>
<i>Compound Tincture of Rhubarb</i>	—	<i>Correct</i>
<i>Compound Tincture of Camphor</i>	—	<i>Correct</i>
—	—	—

Read Report from Same dated 15th May 1911 on the following drugs sent for analysis from Rathdrum Dispensary —

<i>Liniment of Belladonna</i>	—	<i>Practically correct</i>
<i>Liniment of Chloroform</i>	—	<i>Correct</i>
—	—	—

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
N ^o 25,622 - 1911 18 th May 1911	<p>Stating that the remuneration of £1:1:0 proposed to be allowed to Dr Taylor for his services as temporary substitute for Dr Harte in his capacity as Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health of the Anamoe Dispensary District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board.</p> <p>The Board have also approved of the continued employment of Dr Cooke as temporary substitute for Dr O'Keeffe in his capacity as Medical Officer and M O H of Newbridge Dispensary District on the terms already sanctioned —</p>	No order
N ^o 25,622 - 1911 19 th May 1911	<p>Requesting that they may be furnished with an account showing the number of locks supplied for the Newcastle Dispensary and the price of each, on the occasion referred to in the Minutes of 8th inst.</p>	<p>To be complied with - J Short 22.5.11</p>
N ^o 25,429 : 1911 20 May 1911	<p>Transmitting to be laid before the Guardians extracts from the Medical Officer's Return Form L relating to the Anamoe Disp^y District, and requesting that the Guardians will take the requisite action with regard to the matters referred to therein —</p>	<p>Refer to Relieving Officer - J Short 22.5.11</p>

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
20 th May 1911	D ^r Harte Medical Officer of Annamoe Dispensary District -	Stating that on the previous night he was obliged to call in D ^r Halpin of Wicklow to administer Chloroform in a bad confinement case (Ticket case) -	Fee of £2:2:0 to be paid to D ^r Halpin - P Short 22.5.11
22 nd May 1911	W ^r Woodburne Clash Rathdrum	Applying for payment of £2:10:0 for fuel supplied to Clash Dispensary during the past year -	To be paid - P Short 22.5.11
22 nd May 1911	W ^r L Murphy Relieving Officer	Reporting that a leakage of rain water comes down from base of Chimney in New Dispensary Annamoe. It is trifling at present but would increase if left unattended to - The sign board and the portion of the furniture and fittings ordered to be prepared for new Dispensary are now ready. It would be necessary before effecting the change from old Dispensary to the new to have the medicine room properly aired and the floors washed out - It would be necessary to employ some person under the Doctors supervision to have the Drugs &c properly moved -	W ^r Murphy to get roof repaired, hire person to move medicines wash floors &c as per report - P Short 22.5.11

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Proposed by Mr James Murphy, Seconded by Mr Nicholas Molloy
Resolved,

That Resolution appointing Dr Ryan to act as
Locum Tenens for Dr Harte during Vacation be rescinded -
And Dr Harte to nominate Locum Tenens to reside in Anamoe
or Roundwood during leave at Salary of £4:4:0 per week -
Passed Patrick Short -

The Guardians accepted subject to revision by Mr Moore
Mr J J Doyle's tender for fencing the land taken for Newcastle
Dispensary and Residence -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 29th
day of May 1911

(Signed),

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of May 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	529	196													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	80	10													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	609	206													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	27	96	38	8	2	10	14	21	241	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 74	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 3	
Admitted during the Week			29	9	8	2	3	2	4	3	2	62	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 10		
Born													TOTAL, 84	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL			54	36	104	40	11	4	14	17	23	303	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			39	15	10	4	6	3	7	4	9	97	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died													No. Relieved during week 29	5	11
Total Discharged and Died			39	15	10	4	6	3	7	4	9	97	No. in Workhouse at date 7	—	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	21	94	36	5	1	7	13	14	206	No. at corresponding period last year, 252		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of May 1911 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.	61	112			61	112	No. VI.						
No. II.	93	154			93	154	No. VII.						
No. III.	107	214			107	214	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	30	53			30	53	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forward.	291	533			291	533	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 29th day of May 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present—

—D. Manning

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:—

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 12th
day of June 19 11
(Signed), B. Manning

Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday.

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days		
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total										
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions	...															}
Necessaries																
Total	...															

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

[illegible]

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

[illegible]

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

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

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

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:—

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

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

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 13 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	500	193															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	8															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	600	201															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	21	94	36	5	1	7	13	14	206	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			25	7	7	2	1	1		1	1	45	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other inmates		
Born													TOTAL,	78	TOTAL,	3	
TOTAL			40	28	101	38	6	2	7	14	15	251	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			24	5	7	3	1		2	1	4	47		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died					3							3	No. Believed during week	24	4	2	30
Total Discharged and Died			24	5	10	3	1		2	1	4	50	No. in Workhouse at date	8	1		9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	23	91	35	5	2	5	13	11	201	No. at corresponding period last year, 259				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of May 1911 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.	59	110			59	110	Bt. forward						
No. II.	96	156			96	156	No. VI.						
No. III.	105	207			105	207	No. VII.						
No. IV.	30	53			30	53	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward.	290	526			290	526	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on ~~Monday~~ ^{Tuesday} the 6th day of June 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr Daniel Condren Ch^m

Other Guardians:—

Mess^{rs} E Condren, Clarke, L Murray, G Byrne, P Doyle, Barton, J Murphy, J Cullen, Delahunt, Graham Martin Doyle, W Byrne, M Healy, James Byrne, M Carey, M Somers, Yeates, Miley, Brady, Joseph Byrne, James Byrne, Kearns, Ellison, Thomas Byrne, P Healy and W Phail.

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 :—

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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) —

Proposed by Mr Ellison, Seconded by Mr Martin Doyle
Resolved,

That Mr Q Condren, Mr Short and
Mr Dargan be re-elected Chairman, Vice Chairman
and Deputy Vice Chairman of the Board of Guardians
respectively for the ensuing year —
Passed unanimously —

Mr Condren thanked the Guardians for
the honour done him in re-appointing him
to the position —

Proposed by Mr Ellison, Seconded by Mr J Byrne.
Resolved,

That the following Guardians be
appointed members of the Visiting Committee
Mr Dargan, Colonel Tottenham, Messrs J Carey
Q Condren, James Byrne, James Byrne, Ellison,
Barry, Shelan, Short, P Healy, Mr Phail, Barton,
William Byrne and Joseph Clarke —
Passed unanimously —

Proposed by Mr W Byrne, Seconded by Mr W Phail
Resolved,

That the Visiting Committee to the House
meet the fourth Monday of June, September, December
and March — Members to be notified of same
by Clerk —
Passed —

The Guardians revised the list of Wardens
for each of the eight Dispensary Districts of the
Union —

Patrick Shook.
6th June 1913 —

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 12th
day of June 1911
(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions																			}
Necessaries																			
Total																			

£ s. d.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary : ;

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : ;

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19_____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

[illegible]

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

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

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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735: 5: 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. inmates accommodated in each building	Total inmates 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 2 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	190													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	196													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	23	91	35	5	2	5	13	11	201	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates
Admitted during the Week			45	4	3	1	1	—	1	1	1	57	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	
Born													TOTAL	74	TOTAL
														3	
TOTAL			61	27	94	36	6	2	6	14	12	258	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			42	5	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	61	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died						1						1	No. Relieved during week	42	3
Total Discharged and Died			42	5	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	62	No. in Workhouse at date	11	2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			19	22	87	33	5	1	5	13	11	196	No. at corresponding period last year, 243		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1911 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.	60	111			60	111	Bt. forward						
No. II.	96	156			96	156	No. VI.						
No. III.	105	207			105	207	No. VII.						
No. IV.	30	53			30	53	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	291	527			291	527	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 12th day of June 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr Patrick Short Vice Ch^r afterwards
 Mr Edward Ellison
 Other Guardians:— Mess^{rs} E Condren, Wolohan, G Byrne,
 Joseph Cunnam, John Cunnam, Lawler, J Murphy,
 B Kelly, Dawson, O'Reilly, A O'Neill, Condell, A Halpin,
 M Healy, Phelan, M Carey, Yeates, B Somers, Molloy,
 James Byrne, Barry

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 :—

720 *loaves* Bread

62 lbs Butter

60 Doz Eggs

420 lbs Meat

240 galls Newmilk

18 Sheep Heads

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

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

June 6th 1911

The Visiting Committee met this day and visited the House and found everything in good order - The House, Infirmary &c perfectly neat and clean reflecting the greatest possible credit on all the Officials - We recommend that the old wooden beds be changed for Lawson Tate Beds, the latter to be provided by degrees and we suggest that 24 be procured as early as possible, to be placed in Male Infirmary Wards - We found the arrangements in the Laundry very primitive - The drying house not at all equal to the work required and we recommend the Master to make enquiries as to the probable cost of providing a suitable drying apparatus, and report same to the Board - We have carefully considered the proposed scale of diet recommended by Dr Smyth and we are of opinion that it is better to adhere to the existing scale of Diet for the present - We considered report re Nursing Staff and have approved of same -

Daniel Condren, Robert C Barton
James Byrne, Edward Ellison
Frank McShail -

Order - Report adopted and approved - To advertise for beds as existing pattern - E. E.

Rules for Nurses adopted and ordered to be printed - E. E. 12.6.11 -

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

12th June 1911

Having been requisitioned by the Medical Officer the Master on 9th inst secured the services of Nurse Whyte, the Nurses Home Ranelagh Road, Dublin, for the Fever Hospital —

Reports of the Analyst on samples of new milk sent from Workhouse supplies on 26th and 27th ultimo are herewith submitted.

Specimen N ^o 218	Supplied by M ^r Merrigan	contained	^{Solids} 12.5	✓	^{Fats} 3.9
" 219	" M ^r Cullen	"	13.82	✓	4.8

In connection with the building by the District Council of a labourers cottage at Ballygannon in close proximity to one of the principal sources of the Workhouse Water Supply the Master would suggest that the Engineer be asked to have such work carried out as would prevent possible interference with the supply —

The Master applies for three weeks leave of absence —

With the authority of the Guardians the Schoolmaster will perform the duties for that period —

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

Order - Granted - Schoolmaster to be appointed at previous rates —

Engineer to inspect and report on the matter of the Water supply to next meeting — E. E. —

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) —

Order - The Local Government Board is requested to sanction the appointment of George Grimes as male attendant —

J. S. 12. 6. 1911

Dr Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse recommended that Daniel Golden at present in the Hospital be sent to the Eye and Ear Hospital for surgical treatment —

Order - Approved — J Short - 12. 6. 11

Read Report dated 30th May 1911, from Sir Charles Cameron on the following Drugs sent for Analysis from the Workhouse —

Tincture of Senega = Correct

Compound Tincture of Camphor — Correct

Strong Solution of Lead Subacetate — Practically correct —

= P. J. Carry
26-6-11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 19th
day of June 19 11
(Signed), B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)				DE.		
				£	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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 12th day of June 19 11

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

Indoor from No. 1819 to No. 1994

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 19 11, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions	143	16	11	37	14	8	181	11	7	37	2	0	2	2	11	39	4	11	142	6	8
Necessaries	29	18	10	-	-	-	29	18	10	3	18	2	19	-	4	17	2	25	1	8	
Total	173	15	9	37	14	8	211	10	5	41	2	2	3	1	11	44	2	1	167	8	4

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	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	4 : 2 1/4
Average Cost in Infirmary	5 : 4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	5 : 1

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

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

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

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

the 3rd day of June 19 11, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.			£ s. d.		
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	18	6	8	17	12	2	24	1	8	13	2	-							73	2	6
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18	6	8	17	12	2	24	1	8	13	2	-							73	2	6
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	6	-	11	9	-	15	18	6	6	15	-							43	8	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7. Total Relief given	9	6	-	11	9	-	15	18	6	6	15	-							43	8	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	9	-	8	6	3	2	8	3	2	6	7	-							29	14	-
9. TOTAL	18	6	8	17	12	2	24	1	8	13	2	-							73	2	6

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

Dated this 13th day of June 19 11

J. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 12th day of June 1911

Other Guardians:— Messrs & Condren, Wolehan, & Byrne.

Joseph Curran, John Curran, Lawler, J. Murphy,
B. Kelly, Dawson, A. Lill, A. O'Neill, Condell, A. Halpin,
W. Healy, Phelan, W. Carey, Yeates, B. Gernero, Molloy,
James Byrne and Barry -

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

[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 _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

District	-	-	-	£.....
District	-	-	-	£.....
District	"	"	"	£.....
District	"	"	"	£.....
District	"	"	"	£.....
District	"	"	"	£.....

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

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

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

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
11 th June 1911	Dr. Harte Medical Officer of Annamoe Dispensary District -	Applying for one months leave and nominating Dr. James Stuart of Dublin as his locum. Dr. Harte states that he wishes to begin his leave on 3 rd July next - Dr. Stuart will reside in Roundwood	approved of £4:4:0 per week - S. S.
12 th June 1911	W. A. Byrne Relieving Officer -	Stating that as Nurse Weldon, Midwife in Wicklow Dispensary District is laid up with Pleurisy and unable to do duty he appointed Nurse Davis, Wicklow at £1:1:0 per week to take her place from the 30 th May -	Approved Nurse Davis to continue to do duty at £1:1:0 per week. P. Short

P. J. Barry
26-6-11

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 19th
day of June 1911

(Signed),

O. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of June 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 8 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	389	191															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	609	200															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	22	87	33	5	1	5	13	11	196	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates	3	
Admitted during the Week			43	6	10	1	4	—	2	1	3	70	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9			
Born													TOTAL	79	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			62	28	97	34	9	1	7	14	14	266	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			48	7	8	—	1	—	1	—	1	66		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died													No. Relieved during week	43	5	5	53
Total Discharged and Died			48	7	8	—	1	—	1	—	1	66	No. in Work-house at date	8	3	4	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	21	89	34	8	1	6	14	13	200	No. at corresponding period last year, 238				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of June 1911 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.	60	111			60	111	BL. forward						
No. II.	96	156			96	156	No. VI.						
No. III.	105	207			105	207	No. VII.						
No. IV.	30	53			30	53	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward.	291	527			291	527	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 19th day of June 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present—

P. J. Barry
26-6-11

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total					
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
Provisions	...									}	
Necessaries											
Total	...										

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

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union,

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	198													
Temporary Buildings ..	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	10													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80														
Fever Sheds	—														
TOTAL	669	208													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	21	89	34	8	1	6	14	13	200	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 62	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week			41	14	12	1	1	3	—	—	3	75	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 10	In Wards with other inmates —	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 72	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL			55	35	101	35	9	4	6	14	16	275	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			32	12	12	—	1	1	3	1	4	66	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	No. Relieved during week 40	13	5
Total Discharged and Died			32	12	13	—	1	1	3	1	4	67	No. in Workhouse at date 12	4	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			23	23	88	35	8	3	3	13	12	208	No. at corresponding period last year, 220		

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:—

720 Loaves Bread

62 lbs Butter

60 Doz Eggs

440 lbs Meat

240 galls Milk

4 ½ bbls Porter

24 Sheep Heads

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

26th June 1911

As directed the Master submits a return of the illegitimate children in the Workhouse with a list of the names of the persons who the mothers state are the fathers of such children —

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

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

Read Letter dated 29th May 1911, from Local Government Board stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration of £4:4:0 a week to Dr Ryan for his services as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of the Workhouse —

Read Letter from Same dated 7th June 1911 forwarding to be laid before the Guardians enclosures to a communication which they have received from the Commissioners of National Education relating to their district inspectors last report on the Workhouse School.

The following Notice of Motion was served —

26th June 1911

I hereby give notice that on this day fortnight I shall move that the usual Bonus be granted to the Workhouse School Teachers —

Signed James Byrne

P.J.C. 26.6.11

Read Letter dated 8th June 1911, from Local Government Board stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:5:0 a week, with rations and travelling and laundry expenses to Miss M.K. Martin as Nurse in the Workhouse

The date upon which she ceases to act should be carefully recorded on the Guardians' minutes —

Order — Miss Martin ceased to act on 30th May 1911.

Read letter from Same dated 16th June 1911, requesting that they may be informed whether the House Committee made any report in regard to the recommendations of Mr. F. W. Phail Pky as contained in the minutes of 22nd ultimo —

Order - The Committee did not consider it wise to adopt Mr. W. Phail's suggestions — J.F.C. 26.6.11

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Read letter from Same of same date transmitting questions for answers respecting the temporary employment of Miss Whyte as nurse in the Workhouse —

Order - To be complied with — J.F.C. 26.6.11

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Read letter from Same of same date stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:11:6 a week, with rations, to Miss Ellen Overend for her services as Nurse in the Workhouse — The date upon which she ceases to act should be carefully recorded on the Guardians' minutes.

Order - Miss Overend ceased to act as Nurse in Workhouse on 23rd May 1911 —

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Read letter from Same of same date stating that they have had before them the certificate of training of Miss Ellie M. J. Breaden, who was employed recently as temporary nurse in the Workhouse, and with reference thereto, the Board state that under the Nursing Order of the 5th July 1901, Miss Breaden cannot be regarded as a "qualified" Nurse

and consequently should not have been employed -

The Board consider that the Master, when requisitioning nurses for immediate duty, should, except as a last resource, not engage any person who has not been taught in a recognised institution for training nurses.

In the present circumstances, however, the Board sanction the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:11:6 a week, with rations, to Miss Breaden, as she has discharged the duty, but this is not to be regarded as a precedent should a similar case occur in future -

Read letter from Same dated 17th June 1911 stating that the Board have approved of the appointment of George Grimes as Wardsman in the Workhouse at a salary of £20 a year with rations -

Read letter from Same dated 20th June 1911. with reference to the entry on the subject in Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 12th instant, The Board request that before the Rules for nurses in the Workhouse are printed off a proof may be sent to them for approval -

Order - To be complied with - S.J.C. 26.6.11

Read letter dated 26th June 1911, from Miss McBurne, nurse in the Workhouse Hospital applying for a months holidays from the 27th inst -

Order - Leave granted - S.J.C. 26.6.1911

Read letter dated 24th June 1911, from M^{rs} M. McCarry resigning her position as Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital.

Order - Resignation accepted, and advertisements to be issued at same salary - S.J.C. 26-6-11

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Read letter dated 26th June 1911, from D^r Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse, stating that on Sunday last a man was admitted to hospital - He was suffering from acute Intestinal obstruction, his case was so urgent that he sent him to Dublin Hospital for treatment by next train - His case was so serious that he had to be operated on same night -

Order - Approved of - S.J.C.

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Read letter from a patient in the Infirmary stating that he is going out to live in his tent for 4 months he requests the Guardians to lend him a bed and grant him 3/6 per week out door relief as he is not able to do any work -

Order - Referred to the Master to give him bed & bed clothes as before - S.J.C. 26.6.11

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Read letter from the National League of the Blind of Great Britain and Ireland requesting the Guardians to send them the names of all the blind persons in their district -

Order - Referred to the Master & Relieving Officers - S.J.C. 26.6.11

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The Guardians accepted the following tenders for the supply of Provisions to the Workhouse for 3 months.

M ^r . John Doyle	Best Mutton	@ 4 ⁰ per lb
M ^r . James Brennan	" Beef	@ 5 ⁴ " "
same	" " boneless	@ 8 ⁰ " "
same	" Irish Bacon	@ 10 ⁰ " "
same	" Sheep Heads	@ 6 ⁴ - each
M ^r . Thomas Moody	" White Bread	@ 5 ⁴ " 4 lbs

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The Guardians accepted the tender of M^r. J. Kavanagh to supply Iron Beds as sample shown him for 15/6 each —

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The Guardians adopted the Resolution of Galway Board of Guardians protesting against any reduction being made by the Government in the recoupment under the Parliamentary Grant for Medical and Educational expenditure —

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Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out children at their meeting held on 26th June 1911 —

Read letter dated 30th May 1911, from Local Government Board requesting that Relieving Officer Byrne may be called on to furnish the school attendance certificates for the month of April in the cases of the nurse children in his District —

Order — Has been complied with — J.H. 26.6.11
Pete Kearney

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 3rd
day of July 1911
(Signed), B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 12th day of June 1911

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of May 1911 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	1	17	2
Rents of Dispensary Residences	-	-	-
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	-	-	-
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and Other Receipts	10	19	-
Loans received	-	-	-
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	12	16	2

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of June 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	172	8	2
Clothing and Bedding	2	18	-
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	4	-	-
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	-	-	-
(d.) Other Expenses	64	1	6
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	8	9	8
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	10	2
Medical Charities	35	6	10
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	-	-	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	-	-	-
Superannuation Allowances	-	-	-
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	-	-	-
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	-	-	-
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	180	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	469	14	4

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

May

1911

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	769	14	1	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	12	16	2	-	-	-
Total	782	10	3	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	744	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	469	14	4	-	-	-
Total	469	14	4	744	2	-
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	312	15	11	by 744	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1012	1	8	to 744	2	-
Outstanding Orders	699	5	9	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	312	15	11	by 744	2	-

Dated this

31

day of

June

1911

J. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 26th day of June 1911

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

Indoor from No. 1995 to No. 2126

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
Provisions	133	10	4	31	1	10	164	12	2	38	7	3	2	2	11	40	10	2	124	2	1397	
Necessaries	20	13	9	-	-	-	20	13	9	3	8	11	19	-	-	4	7	11	16	5		10
Total	154	4	1	31	1	10	185	5	11	41	16	2	3	1	11	44	18	1	140	7		10

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : 2⁴

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 3

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5 : 7

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 17th day of June 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	19	14	8	15	5	8	22	4	8	12	18	2							70	3	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							20	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	14	8	35	5	8	22	4	8	12	18	2							90	3	2
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	6	-	11	1	-	15	11	6	6	11	6							42	10	-
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	9	6	-	11	1	-	15	11	6	6	11	6							42	10	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10	8	8	24	4	8	6	13	2	6	6	8							47	13	2
9. TOTAL	19	14	8	35	5	8	22	4	8	12	18	2							90	3	2

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

Dated this 25th day of June 1911

J. Manning
Clerk of Union,

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 26th day of June 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair— *P. J. Carey Esq. J.P.*

Other Guardians:— Messrs. G. Condren, L. Wolohan, Quinn,
G. Byrne, Barton, Lenihan, Martin Doyle, Graham,
W. Byrne, M. Healy, Phelan, James Byrne, Burke,
Seates, Miley, James Byrne, Barry, Ellison, and
J. Byrne.

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

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

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

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in 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 Article 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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Read letter dated 26th June 1911, from Relieving Officer Murphy reporting that he had to employ D^r Lynch to act as locum tenens in Anamoe Dispensary District on Saturday 17th June, D^r Harte being absent at Wicklow Quarter Sessions as Witness —

Order - The Doctor to pay his substitute as he was paid by the Crown — J.C. —

Read letter dated 26th June 1911, from Relieving Officer Edge stating that he received a telegram from D^r O'Gorman on 17th inst, asking him to find locum tenens for Monday dispensary and Tuesday Clash as he was summoned to Court, he employed D^r Taylor to do duty for D^r O'Gorman

Order - D^r O'Gorman to be asked for an explanation as to the business he was absent on — J.C. 26.6.11

Read letter dated 13th June 1911, from the Surveyor of Taxes requesting the Guardians to pay £1:4:2 in respect of Income Tax charged on The Medical Officers residence at Arklow —

Order - The Guardians pay interest £52:3:0 on a loan of £10 50 in respect of the Doctors Residence in Arklow which exceeds the £20 rent deducted from the Doctor, so under the circumstances the Guardians are exempt from Income Tax —

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
N ^o 25,873 : 1911 26 th May 1911	With reference to the resolution of the Guardians of the 8 th of May proposing to increase the salary of the Midwife of the Arklow Dispensary District, the L.G. Board suggest as an alternative proposal that the Guardians should adopt a scale of graded salaries for their staff of Dispensary Midwives	The Guardians consider the increase in this case necessary, and will take up and consider the question of the graded scale at a future date - J.F.C. 26.6.11
N ^o 28,276 - 1911 29 th May 1911	Requesting that the Medical Officer of the Rathdunn Dispensary District may be called upon to explain why samples of Drugs delivered at the Dispensary on the 29 th January last did not reach the analyst until 20 th ultimo	Referred to Dr. Ryan. J.F.C. 26-6-11 X
N ^o 31,632 - 1911 19 th June 1911	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:1:0 a week to Nurse Davis for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of the Wicklow Dispensary District -	No order

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
29 th May 1911	W ^r . Moore C.E.	Stating re Kiladreenan fencing, that from W ^r Doyle's estimate he has made out an approximate cost of the whole contract, which will be £27:6:8 - This may be increased as when the work is proceeding it may be found advisable to put an extra stay or so, the estimate should be embodied in the contract -	Is he complied with - P.J.C. 26.6.11
24 th May 1911	W ^r . W. Carroll Solicitor	Stating re W ^r . Finlen's Contract at Annamoe that he forwarded to Mess ^{rs} Hevans & Son the Paying Order herein for £14:3:6 but they refused to accept same claiming that the sum of £14:3:6 was certified by W ^r . Moore as due in September 1910. W ^r . W. Carroll states that he has written to W ^r . Moore for an explanation of the discrepancy -	Clerk to explain. P.J.C. 26-6-11

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read letter dated 23rd June 1911, from Dr. Wyse, Medical Officer of Dungansstown Dispensary District, stating that he regrets to have to ask the Guardians for a few weeks sick leave owing to the Sciatica he has been suffering from for some time past becoming more acute and as he could not get about. he was obliged on the previous Sunday to notify the Relieving Officer to appoint substitute

Order - A fortnights leave granted - Dr. Taylor to be appointed to do locum tenens - J.F.C. 26. 6. 11

Read letter dated 26th June 1911, from Relieving Officer A. Byrne, stating that as Dr. Wyse was ill and unable to do duty he appointed Dr. Ryan as locum tenens in the Dungans-town District from Monday the 19th until the meeting of the Guardians at the usual terms

No order

Read letter from same of same date stating that Dr. Halpin has certified Nurse Weldon unable to resume duty for another week

Order - Leave granted - J.F.C. 26. 6. 11

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1911

Peter Heams
Dollard, Printinghouse, Dublin, Ltd. C-13192

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of June 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building in the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	190													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	11													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	—													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	201													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			23	23	88	35	8	3	3	13	12	208	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 69	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week			44	4	8	1	—	—	—	—	1	58	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 11	In Wards with other inmates —	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 80	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL			67	27	96	36	8	3	3	13	13	266	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			45	7	7	—	1	1	1	—	2	64	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	No. Relieved during week 44	2	—
Total Discharged and Died			45	7	8	—	1	1	1	—	2	65	No. in Workhouse at date 10	—	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	20	88	36	7	2	2	13	11	201	No. at corresponding period last year, 226		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of June 1911 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.	60	111			60	111	Bt. forward						
No. II.	98	168			98	168	No. VI.						
No. III.	104	205			104	205	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	48			29	48	No. VIII.						
No. V.					—	—	No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	291	532			291	532	TOTAL						616

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 3rd day of July 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present —
P. Hearn

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 :—

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 10th
day of July 19 11
(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19__, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates			By Officers			Total			£	s.	d.		
Provisions																							}
Necessaries																							
Total																							

£ 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—

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

PRESENT—In the Chair—

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

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

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

[illegible]

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

RATHDRUM UNION.

321

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1911

197

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 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	389	192															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	201															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	20	88	36	7	2	2	13	11	201	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	66	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			45	8	7	2	2	2	2	1	2	71	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other inmates	1	
Born											1	1	TOTAL	75	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			67	28	95	38	9	4	4	14	14	273	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			43	9	14	1		2			2	71	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died					1							1	No. Relieved during week	40	6	2	48
Total Discharged and Died			43	9	15	1		2			2	72	No. in Workhouse at date	10	2		12
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	19	80	37	9	2	4	14	12	201	No. at corresponding period last year, 220				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of July 1911 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 16 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 16 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.	60	111			60	111	By forward						
No. II.	97	166			97	166	No. VI.						
No. III.	103	201			103	201	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	48			29	48	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward	289	526			289	526	TOTAL						610

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

the 10th day of July 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. Peter Kearns

Other Guardians:—

Messrs E Condren, Wolohan, Quinn, G. Byrne, J. Doyle, A. Halpin, John Cummins, Martin Doyle, Graham, W. Byrne, Reilly, O'Neill, M. Healy, Phelan, James Byrne and Ellison

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 :—

840 loaves Bread

64 lbs Butter

450 . Meat

24 Sheep Heads

60 Doz Eggs

240 galls Newmilk

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

10th July 1911

The Master submits report of Analyst on two samples of New Milk sent from Workhouse supplies on 30th ult -
 Specimen N^o 220 supplied by M^r. Cullen contained ^{Solids} 12.56 & ^{Fats} 3.9
 " " 221 " " M^r. Hernigan " 12.26 & 3.3

At the request of the Medical Officer the Master on 27th ult secured the services of Nurse Keogh for temporary duty in the Workhouse Infirmary.

The Master was obliged to take out a summons against an able bodied inmate of the Workhouse named Patrick Cullen for insubordinate conduct on 1st instant —

The external painting of the Workhouse was commenced by the Master on 3rd inst - It will be necessary for the Guardians to advance a sum sufficient to meet the painters' wages until the next finance meeting of the Board —

Plans, Specifications and estimates for providing a new drying closet for the Workhouse Laundry are submitted from two ~~The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—~~

firms of Laundry engineers —

Order - House Committee to report on laundry estimate -
 £30. to be advanced for painting —

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

Read letter dated 4th July 1911, from Local Government Board stating that they have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:11:6 a week to Miss A L Moore for her services as Nurse in the Workhouse, with an allowance of 8/4 a week in lieu of rations — The date upon which she ceases to act should be carefully recorded on the Guardians' minutes —

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Read letter from Same dated 1st July 1911, requesting that they may be informed as to the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of Miss M OBeirne, Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital, during her absence on leave for a period of four weeks —

Order - Nurse Keogh has been employed as her substitute

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Read letter from Same of same date transmitting questions for answers respecting the person who may be appointed as Nurse in the Workhouse in place of M^{rs} M McCarry who has resigned —

Order - To be complied with — JH

Read letter dated 9th July 1911, from D. Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that since last Board Meeting he had to send a patient, named John Berry who had met

met with an accident to his eye, to the Eye Hospital, his case was urgent —

Order — Approved ——— P.K.

Read letter from same of same date recommending that a patient named Thomas McKnight be sent to Sir J. O'Connell's Hospital for operation — The operation is a very serious one and could not be carried out here —

Order — Granted ——— P.K.

Read letter dated 10th July 1911, from M^{rs} A. Kelly School Teacher in Workhouse applying for one month's leave of absence —

Order — Granted — The Matron to be appointed at the usual fee — P.K.

Read letter from Thomas Toole, Workhouse Porter applying for a month's leave of absence, and stating that James Ellis who did the duty the last time will do the work again —

Order — Granted ——— P. Kearns

The Medical Officer of the Workhouse applied for a supply of Medicines and Medical Appliances for use in the Workhouse, total cost £ 33. 6. 11.

Order — To be supplied ———

Read letter dated 7th July 1911, from Mess^{rs} McShail and Gernon Illys Wicklow, recommending that James Kelly of Ball Alley, Wicklow, Labourer, who has had his ear amputated and is suffering from diseased bone in the head, be allowed 12/- per week to pay his rail fare to and from Dublin, while undergoing X Rays treatment in Hospital —

Order - Granted - Relieving Officer to arrange with Station Master in Wicklow —

In accordance with notice the Guardians proceeded to elect a nurse for the Workhouse Hospitals in place M^{rs} McCarry resigned at £35 per year —

There was one applicant for the position Miss Bridget Keane, Mountmellick Fever Hospital, who was elected —

Proposed by M^r James Byrne, Seconded by M^r G. Byrne
Resolved

That the usual Bonus in lieu of Results Fees be granted to the Workhouse School Teachers —

Viz £7:16:0 to Schoolmaster & £6:4:9 to Schoolmistress —

Passed —

Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out children at their Meeting held 10th July 1911 —

Read letter dated 28th June 1911, from Local Government Board acknowledging the receipt of the Reports of the Relieving Officers for the month of May, on the children boarded out from the Workhouse, and with reference to the report of S.O. Murphy, the Board request that the foster parents of Michael Plunkett, Andrew Moran and William Reilly may be informed that they must not keep these children at home from school to work — A Report should be obtained from the Medical Officer respecting the boy Michael Higgins who was absent from school on 18 occasions during the month in question owing to illness —

Order — To be complied with — J.K.

Read letter dated 9th July 1911, from Relieving Officer Murphy stating that the school attendance of Andrew Moran and William Reilly for month of June was not quite satisfactory he recommends that the Clerk be instructed to give the foster parent a final caution —

Order — To be complied with — J.K.

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24/7/11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 17th
day of July 1911
(Signed), B Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19_____

Clerk of the Union.

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 10th day of July 1911

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

Indoor from No. 2127 to No. 2259

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of July 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.			
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
Provisions	112	11	4	34	19	2	147	10	6	39	12	5	2	11	7	42	4	-	105	6	6
Necessaries	11	18	1	49	3	5	61	1	6	3	10	2	1	1	1	4	11	3	56	10	3
Total	124	9	5	84	2	7	208	12	-	43	2	7	3	12	8	46	15	3	161	16	9

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 1st day of July 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.			District No. VI.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	19	4	10	15	6	19	16	2	19	12	8							67	3	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							20	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	19	4	30	15	6	19	16	2	19	12	8							87	3	8
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	6	-	11	3	-	15	10	-	6	14	-							42	13	-
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6							-	2	6
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6	-	-	-							-	2	6
7. Total Relief given	9	6	-	11	3	-	15	12	6	6	16	6							42	18	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	13	4	19	12	6	4	3	8	12	16	2							44	5	8
9. TOTAL	16	19	4	30	15	6	19	16	2	19	12	8							87	3	8

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

Dated this 12 day of July 1911

B. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 10th day of July 1911

Other Guardians:- Miss^{es} S Condren, Wolohan, Ann
G Byrne, J Doyle, A Halpin, John Cunningham,
Martin Doyle, Graham, W Byrne, Reilly, O'Neill,
W Healy, Phelan, James Byrne and Elison.

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

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

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

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An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

Read letter dated 8th July 1911, from O^r Hamilton Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District applying for four weeks leave of absence to be taken as the requirements of the district will permit — Dr. W. A. Cooke who has acted as locum tenens on many occasions is willing to act as substitute at the usual remuneration —

Order. Granted — Peter Kearns —

Read letter dated 26th June 1911, from Dr. Taylor applying for payment for attending at Roundwood Dispensary on 21st April, at Aughrim Dispensary on 19th June and Ballinaclesh Dispensary on 20th June per requisitions of Relieving Officers —

Order — To be paid £3:3:0 subject to sanction of Local Government Board — P. Kearns —

Read Report dated 6th July 1911, from Sir C. A. Cameron on the following drugs sent for analysis from Newcastle Dispensary —

Syrup of Ferrous Iodide —	Slightly high
Syrup of Kirgiam prune —	Correct
Aromatic Spirits of Ammonia —	Spilt in transit

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
N ^o 33618, 1911 28 th June 1911	Stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Anamoe Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation and have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week to Dr. J. Stuart as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and M.O. H.	No order
N ^o 34244: 1911 1 st July 1911	<p>With reference to Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 26th ultimo, the Board request that a copy of the Medicine Analyst's Report on the samples of drugs submitted to him for analysis from the Dunganstown Dispensary District may be forwarded to the Contractor for any explanation he may have to offer thereon relative to Lin. Belladonnæ, unfavourably reported on by the Analyst -</p> <p>The quantity of this drug in stock at the Dispensary should be returned to the Contractor and a fresh supply of standard quality obtained in lieu thereof.</p>	To be complied with - P.H.

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
N ^o 34,096 - 1911 3 rd July 1911	Local Government Board -	Stating that the remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week proposed to be allowed to Dr Taylor for his services as temporary substitute for Dr Wyse in his capacity as Medical Officer of Dungarstown District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board -	No order
N ^o 34,109 - 1911 4 th July 1911	same	Acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the employment of Dr James C. Ryan as temporary Medical Officer of the Dungarstown Dispensary District the Board may be informed whether the Guardians have approved of the payment of remuneration to Dr Ryan for his services	To be paid £4:4:0 - S Kearns
8 th July 1911	M ^{rs} Davis Midwife of Wicklow Disp ^y District -	Applying for her usual four weeks leave of absence - Nurse Stokes will do duty as on former occasions -	Two weeks leave granted - Nurse Stokes to be approved at £1. a week

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read Letter dated 5th July 1911, from Mess^{rs} J. H. McCarroll & Co re Kilen's Contract Annamoe Dispensary acknowledging receipt of a number of documents and stating that if the sum of £10 in connection with the compensation to Mr. Byrne has not been taken credit for as against the £14:3:6 then the Guardians are justified in paying £4:3:6 only - If Mr. Moore has not given a final Certificate no money is payable at all -

Read Letter dated 8th July 1911, from Dr. Wyse, Medical Officer of Punganstown Dispensary thanking the Guardians for granting him the last fortnight sick leave and stating that though he is considerably improved in health he would be grateful for a further two weeks by which time he hopes to be fully able to resume duty -

Order - Fortnight granted Dr. Taylor to be appointed -

Read Letter dated 8th July 1911, from Dr. Lynch applying for payment of £1:1:0 for doing one days temporary duty for Dr. Harte of Annamoe during his absence at Wicklow Assizes -

Order - £1:1:0 to be paid subject to sanction of Local Government Board -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 17th day of July 1911

(Signed) J. Manning
Clerk of the Union
24/7/11

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130 735 15 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1911

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 1911 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

the 17th day of July 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians :—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present -

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24/7/11

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19__, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates			By Officers			Total			£	s.	d.		
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
Provisions																							}
Necessaries																							
Total																							

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

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

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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	580	203															
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—															
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—															
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	6															
Fever Sheds	—	—															
TOTAL	680	209															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			19	21	82	37	8	3	4	15	13	202	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			51	12	11	6	.	.	1	1	2	84	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other inmates	.	
Born	TOTAL	76	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			70	33	93	43	8	3	5	16	15	286	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			45	13	8	4	*	1	.	2	3	76		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died	1	1	No. Relieved during week	50	7	2	59
Total Discharged and Died			45	13	8	5	.	1	.	2	3	77	No. in Work-house at date	13	2	.	15
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			25	20	85	38	8	2	5	14	12	209	No. at corresponding period last year, 210				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of July 1911 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.	60	111			60	111	Bt. forward						
No. II.	99	172			99	172	No. VI.						
No. III.	99	190			99	190	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	48			29	48	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw.	287	521			287	521	TOTAL						603

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

the 24th day of July 1911PRESENT—In the Chair:— M^r. Patrick Short Vice Ch^m.Other Guardians:— Mess^{rs}. J. Condren Wolohan L. Murray

Quinn G. Byrne, Anniam Lawler, P. J. Cullen, Lenihan,
 M. Doyle, Graham, P. O'Neill W. Byrne, Dawson,
 O'Reilly, A. O'Neill, Condell, A. Halpin, M. Kealy,
 Somers, Yeates, Miley, Brady, Joseph Byrne, James Byrne,
 Kearns, Barry, J. Byrne, Kealy, P. J. Carey & Galvin.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

840 Loaves Bread

64 lbs Butter

60 Doz Eggs

450 lbs Meat

264 gall Milk

1 Case Mineral Water

24 Sheep Heads

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

24th July 1911

Nurse Moore who had been doing temporary duty in the Fever Hospital left on 14th inst, her services not being further required —

On the admission of a fresh case of diphtheria on 19th inst the Master, on the requisition of Medical Officer, secured the services of Nurse Magee for the Fever Hospital —

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

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

Read letter dated 15th July 1911, from Local Government Board, with reference to the entry on the subject in Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 10th instant, requesting that they may be informed as to the rate of remuneration proposed to be allowed (1) to the Matron of the Workhouse for acting as substitute for the Schoolmistress for one month and (2) to James Ellis for discharging the Porter's duties for the same period —

Order — (1) at same rate as permanent officer £40 per ann.
(2) 15/- per week — J Short —

Read letter from same of same date stating that they have sanctioned payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:5:0 a week with allowance of 8/4 a week in lieu of rations and travelling and laundry expenses to Miss Agnes Keogh for her services as temporary nurse in the Workhouse —

The Board have also sanctioned the proposed allowance of sums of £7:16:0 and £6:4:9 respectively to the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress of the Workhouse as bonuses in lieu of results fees —

Read letter from same dated 22nd July 1911 with reference to the entry on the subject in Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 12th ultimo, The Board request that they may be informed whether the Engineer has reported on the question of possible interference with the Water supply to the Workhouse owing to the building of a labourer's cottage at Ballygannon —

order

Order - Engineer to protect water supply - The Engineer has not reported on the subject to the Guardians but did to the District Council -

Read letter dated 22nd July 1911, from Mr J. More O'Ferrall, Local Government Auditor stating that he will attend in the Boardroom of the Workhouse on Tuesday the 8th of August at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of Auditing the accounts of the Guardians -

Read letter dated 24th July 1911, from Miss M O'Meara, Nurse in the Fever Hospital applying for one months leave of absence -

Order - Leave granted - Doctor to arrange for substitute - J Short -

Read letter dated 24th July 1911, from Mr James Cahalane, Schoolmaster in the Workhouse applying for one months leave of absence - The Master will see after the boys in the meantime -

Order - Leave granted - J Short 24.7.11

Read letter dated 24th July 1911, from Thomas Kennedy, Ambulance Driver asking for one months leave, and stating that Patrick Fox who did the work on past occasions is again willing to act -

Order - Leave granted - Fox to act as locum tenens at wages of Kennedy (17/6 per week) J Short

Read letter dated 21st July 1911, from an inmate of the Workhouse named Mary Sullivan, requesting the Guardians to supply her with clothes as her own had to be destroyed when she came in to hospital —

Order - Master to expend 15/- for clothes — P Short 24.7.11

Read letter dated 22nd July 1911, signed by three Wicklow Guardians recommending that Jane Coyle age 61 years be granted out-door-relief —

Order - Not legal — P Short —

Read letter dated 22nd July 1911, from John Costello thanking the Guardians for granting him 2/- a week out door relief and asking that it may be increased to 3/6 per week the same as last year —

Order - Increase relief to 3/- per week — P Short

Read letter dated 24th July 1911, from R.O. Byrne stating that he was ordered to pay for railway tickets for James Kelly, Ball Alley, Wicklow, at the last meeting - He wishes to know is he to pay for the fortnight before the meeting —

Order - R.O. to pay train fare for fortnight previous to last meeting — P Short —

James Kelly

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

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

Ditto disallowed

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31st
day of July 19 11
(Signed), P. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 10th day of July 1911

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of June 1911 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 July 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	124	5	5
Clothing and Bedding	46	16	10
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	277	16	9
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	—	—	—
(c.) Farm	—	—	—
(d.) Other Expenses	69	8	1
Workhouse Burials	—	—	—
District School Account	—	—	—
District Hospital Account	—	—	—
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	4	18	6
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	9	18	11
Medical Charities	362	18	10
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	—	—	—
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	—	—	—
Superannuation Allowances	14	17	3
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	—	—	—
Expenses of Local Committees	—	—	—
Repayment of Loans	—	—	—
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	250	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	—	—	—
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	—	—	—
Expenditure out of Loans	—	—	—
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1161	—	7

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

June 1911

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	3 12	15	11	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	3 12	15	11	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	7 44	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	11 61	-	7	-	-	-
Total	11 61	-	7	7 44	2	-
Net Balance due <u>by</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	8 48	4	8	7 44	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	4 21	11	10	7 44	2	-
Outstanding Orders	12 69	16	6	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union	8 48	4	8	7 44	2	-

Dated this 26th day of July 1911J. S. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 24th day of July 19 11

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

Indoor from No. 2260 to No. 2420

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of July 19 11, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions	106	10	6	51	19	3	158	9	9	38	3	9	2	9	1	40	12	10	1403
Necessaries	88	19	10	-	-	-	88	19	10	3	6	9	1	1	1	4	7	10	
Total	195	10	4	51	19	3	247	9	7	41	10	6	3	10	2	45	-	8	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	...	4 : 1 $\frac{3}{4}$
Average Cost in Infirmary	...	...	5 : 3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	...	...	6 : 5

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 15th day of July 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	18 7 4	8 14 6	18 15 8	2 6 2			48 3 8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	- - -	20 - -	- - -	20 - -			40 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18 7 4	28 14 6	18 15 8	22 6 2			88 3 8
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	9 7 -	11 9 -	14 15 6	6 6 -			41 17 6
In Kind ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	8 15 -	- - -	- - -	- - -			8 15 -
7. Total Relief given	18 2 -	11 9 -	14 15 6	6 6 -			50 12 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	- 54	17 5 6	4 -	2 16 - 2			37 11 2
9. TOTAL ...	18 7 4	28 14 6	18 15 8	22 6 2			88 3 8

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

Dated this 26th day of July 1911

J. G. Manning
Clerk of Union.

Rathdrum Union.

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

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 24th day of July 19 11PRESENT—In the Chair— W. Patrick Short, Vice-Ch.

Other Guardians:— Mess^{rs} J. Condren, Wolohan, J. Murray, Quinn, G. Byrne, Conniam, Lawler, P. J. Cullen, Lenihan, M. Doyle, Graham, P. O'Neill, W. Byrne, Dawson, O'Reilly, A. O'Neill, Condell, A. Halpin, M. Healy, Somers, Yeates, Miley, Brady, Joseph Byrne, James Byrne, Kearns, Barry, J. Byrne, Healy, P. J. Carey and Galvin.

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
<u>Wicklow</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>To be supplied —</u>

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

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

The following Notice of Motion was served —

We beg to give notice that we or some other Guardian for us will move at the next meeting that Mr. Moore C.E. be instructed to prepare plans for erection of Doctors residence in Newtown Mt Kennedy at a cost of not exceeding £1000 —

Andrew Halpin
James Byrne

P Short
24.7.11

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

~~Dispensary District~~

~~Goods ordered to be supplied~~

Read letter dated 10th July 1911, from Dr Ryan, M. O. of Rathfriland
Dispt^l District stating in reply to letter from Guardians re
samples of Drugs, that he has to confess that matter was accidentally
overlooked by him —

Read letter dated 22nd July 1911, from D. Lynch ^{again} applying for payment of £11:1:0 for acting as temporary substitute for D. Harte during his absence at Assizes at request of Relieving Officer
Order - To be paid - J. Short -

Read letter dated 24th July 1911, from Relieving Officer
Byrne, stating that Dr Halpin, Medical Officer of Wicklow
District is ill - He appointed Dr Lyndon to do his duty
from Friday 14th until the Meeting of Guardians -

Order - approved - P Short - 24.7.11

[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 _____ 19____ having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 19____

[illegible]

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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
<p>Read letter dated 22nd July 1911, from Dr. Lynch Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District applying for four weeks leave to be taken as circumstances permit. he suggests Dr. Eccles of Delgany as his substitute —</p> <p>Order — Leave granted to Dr. Lynch —</p> <p>Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, Seconded by Mr. A. Galpin</p> <p>Resolved, That Dr. W. W. Cormack of Wicklow act as locum tenens for Dr. Lynch at fee of £4:4:0 a week —</p> <p>Passed — P. Short</p>		

Read letter dated 24th July 1911, from Dr. Ryan Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District applying for his annual months leave — He will take it at intervals —

Dr. Taylor will do locum tenens —

Order — Leave granted — Dr. Taylor to act as locum at £4:4:0 a week — P. Short —

Read letter dated 22nd July 1911, from Dr. Galpin Medical Officer of Wicklow Dispensary District reporting that he has been ill since the 14th inst — Dr. Lyndon has been locum tenens since that date, as he does not expect to resume duty for some time. he requests the Guardians to grant him one months leave from the 24th inst — And continue Dr. Lyndon as his Locum Tenens —

Order — Leave granted to Dr. Galpin —

Proposed by Mr. James Galvin, Seconded by Mr. John Barry.

Resolved, That Dr. W. W. Cormack act as Locum Tenens during Dr. Galpin's vacation at salary of £4:4:0 a week —

P. Short —

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
N ^o 34,244 : 1911 13 th July 1911	With reference to the Minute of the Board of Guardians of the 26 th ultimo on the question of the proposed increase of salary to the Midwife of the Arklow Dispensary District, and directed by the Board request that they may be informed how many cases were attended on ticket by the Midwife during each of the past three years —	To be complied with — J Short 24.7.11
N ^o 36,764 : 1911 15 th July 1911	Stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Arklow Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation and have sanctioned the payment of £4.4.0 a week to D ^r W. A. Cooke as his substitute	No order
N ^o 37,641 : 1911 21 st July 1911	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1. a week for a fortnight to M ^{rs} J. Stokes for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of Wicklow Dispensary District.	No order

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
N ^o 36,885 - 1911 22 nd July 1911	Local Government Board -	With reference to the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 10 th instant, the Board state that they observe that the Clerk has not noted on the Analyst's Certificate, forwarded therewith, the date upon which the Drugs to which it refers were delivered at the Dispensary Cathdm - This information should be supplied, and the Clerk should in future, be careful to make a note of the date of the supply on all certificates which he may forward —	To be complied with — Short 24. 7. 1911
N ^o 36,885 : 1911 22 July 1911	Same	Stating that the remuneration of £1:1:0 proposed to be allowed to D ^r Lynch for his services as temporary substitute for D ^r Harte as Medical Officer of the Anarnoe Dispensary District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board —	No order

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 1st 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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Read Report dated 18th July 1911 from Sir C. Cameron on the following drugs sent for analysis from Arklow Disp^y:

Compound Tincture of Rhubarb	Correct
Soap Liniment	Correct
Cod Liver Oil	Correct

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

Read Letter N^o 34,109 - 1911 dated 22nd July 1911, from Local Government Board stating that the remuneration of £4:4:0 proposed to be allowed to Dr. J. D. Ryan for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Wyse in his capacity as Medical Officer of the Dunganstown Dispensary District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board —

Read Letter N^o 36,885:1911, ^{dated} 22nd July 1911 from same stating that the remuneration of £3:3:0 proposed to be allowed to Dr. Taylor for his services in attending at the Roundwood Aughrim and Ballinaclesh Dispensaries on the occasions mentioned in minutes of 10th instant has received the sanction of the Local Government Board —

The Board have also approved of the continued employment of Dr. Taylor as temporary Medical Officer of the Dunganstown Dispensary District on the terms already sanctioned —

Read Letter dated 22nd July 1911, from Dr. Harte, Medical Officer of Anamoe Disp^y District requesting the Guardians to grant him an extension of leave for one week to 2nd August he will pay the locum tenens himself for extra week — Dr. Stuart is willing to do duty for the extra time — Order — Extra weeks leave granted Dr. Harte paying locum tenens £5

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1911

(Signed)

J. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

James Gorman

6th Aug 1911

RATHDRUM UNION.

381

Population in 1901 26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130,735 5 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1911

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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	380	214															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	660	223															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			25	20	85	38	8	2	5	14	12	209	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	75	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			47	12	7	2	4	3	4	2	3	84	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	9	In Wards with other inmates	7	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL	84	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			72	32	92	40	12	5	9	16	15	293	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			50	9	2	—	5	—	1	1	2	70		Males	Fe- males	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	46	5	2	53
Total Discharged and Died			50	9	2	—	5	—	1	1	2	70	No. in Work- house at date)	9	1	1	11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	23	90	40	7	5	8	15	13	223	No. at corresponding period last year, 208				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of July 1911 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.	59	103			59	103	Dist. forward						
No. II.	97	170			97	170	No. VI.						
No. III.	99	190			99	190	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	48			29	48	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward	284	511			284	511	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 31st day of July 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day, no Guardian being present.

P. Manning

Clerk

James Geruda Bks Recd 14.11

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.				
Provisions																	}		
Necessaries																			
Total																			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d.

Average Cost in Infirmary £ s. d.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ s. d.

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union,

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

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

[illegible]

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

401

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735:5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total from above	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	200													
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—													
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	24													
Fever Sheds	—	—													
TOTAL	669	224													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	21	91	40	6	5	11	14	14	220	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 68	In separate Wards in Workhouse with other inmates 3	
Admitted during the Week			47	11	10	4	3	2	2	3	3	85	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 24		
Born													TOTAL, 92	TOTAL, 3	
TOTAL,			65	32	101	44	9	7	13	17	17	305	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			47	10	8	5	2	3	1	1	4	81	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died													No. Believed during week 45	6	5
Total Discharged and Died			47	10	8	5	2	3	1	1	4	81	No. in Workhouse at date 7	1	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	22	93	39	7	4	12	16	13	224	No. at corresponding period last year, 200		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of August 1911 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.	57	93			57	93	Bt. forward						
No. II.	99	190			99	190	No. VI.						
No. III.	98	188			98	188	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	47			28	47	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward.	282	518			282	518	TOTAL						619

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 14th day of August 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr. James Gernon

Other Guardians:— Major Casement, Messrs Wolohan, Clarke, Joseph Annian, Storey, Dawson, Hall, Reilly, Condell, Phelan, B Somers, Molloy, M. Murphy, Kearns, Ellison, Michael Healy and M. Phail.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

900 loaves Bread
64 lbs Butter
60 Doz Eggs
2 " Lemons
450 lbs Meat
300 galls Newmilk
24 Sheep Heads

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

14th August 1911

The Master submits reports from Sir Charles Cameron on his analysis of two samples of Newmilk, two samples of Whiskey and one sample of Butter taken from Workhouse supplies. Sample of Newmilk No 222 supplied by M^{rs} Cullen contained ^{Solids} 12.06 + ^{Fats} 3.3
 " " " 223 " " M^{rs} Merrigan " 12.14 3.5
 " Butter " 224 " " M^{rs} Kearns was pure
 samples of Whiskey supplied by M^{rs} Karanagh were over 25% under proof

On 3rd inst the Master on the requisition of the Medical Officer obtained the services of Nurse M^{rs} J. Breaden, Dublin, for duty in Fever Hospital - The nurse left on 10th inst her services not being necessary further - Nurse Keane who was recently appointed nurse in Infirmary took up duty on 11th inst - Nurse E. H. Breaden who had been doing temporary duty in Infirmary left on 8th inst —

The Master submits report of a Veterinary Surgeon on the Workhouse horse - M^{rs} Malone states that the horse is suffering from Influenza and sore throat - He recommends ~~The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—~~ that when he recovers from this acute attack he get a few weeks rest on pasture —

It will be necessary for the Guardians to advance a sum to pay the wages of the men engaged at the exterior painting of the Workhouse for the next month —

Order - £20 to be advanced — James Gernon

Order - That a sum of 30/- be allowed for suit of clothes and boots for a boy named Bernard Murray at present an inmate of Workhouse and who is about leaving —

James Gernon
 Aug 14. 1911

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

Read Letter dated 25th July 1911, from Local Government Board acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the appointment of Miss Bridget Keane as Nurse in the Workhouse and stating that the Board have approved of the ^{appointment} on the terms specified —

Read Letter from Same dated 28th July 1911 transmitting questions for answers respecting the temporary employment of Miss Magee as Nurse in the Workhouse —

Read Letter from Same dated 4th August 1911, stating, with reference to the entry on the subject in Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on 24th ultimo, that they would be obliged by receiving a copy of the report furnished to the Rural District Council by the Engineer in regard to the question of possible interference with the water supply to the Workhouse owing to the building of a labourer's cottage at Ballygannon —

Read Letter from Same dated 12th August 1911 stating that they have had before them the report of the Engineer on the question of possible interference with the water supply to the Workhouse owing to the building of a labourer's cottage at Ballygannon and with reference thereto, the Board request that they may be informed whether the works suggested by the Engineer have been carried out —
 Order — Engineer to report what has been done —

Read letter from same of same date stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1 11s 6 a week to Miss Mc Gee for her services as Nurse in the Workhouse, with an allowance of 8/4 weekly in lieu of rations —

The date upon which she ceases to act should be carefully recorded on the Guardians' minutes —

Read letter from same of same date, stating that the Board have had before them a copy of the Rules for Nurses in the Workhouse adopted by the Guardians on the 12th June last, and with reference thereto, the Board would suggest that the rules should be amended —

Order — Refer to Visiting Committee and Medical Officer, to be summoned for 28th inst at 11 o'clock a.m.

Read letter from same dated 29th July 1911, stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £40 a year to the Matron of the Workhouse for her services as temporary substitute for the Schoolmistress; 15/- a week to J Ellis for his services as temporary substitute for the Porter, and 17/6 a week to Patrick Fox for his services as temporary substitute for the Ambulance Driver —

Read the following letter from Dr Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse —

14th August 1911

Dear Sir,

Owing to the great number of cases of Diphtheria

and Typhoid Fever admitted to the Fever Hospital I had to procure the services of extra nurses —

On July 27th I transferred Nurse Keogh who was doing holiday duty in the Infirmary, to the Fever Hospital to take Nurse Omeara's place who has gone on her holidays —

On August 3rd some of the patients were delirious and one nurse was not able to look after all the Wards at night — I procured the services of another nurse and owing to the improved condition of the patients I was able to dispense with her services in a week —

I regret to say that one patient died from Diphtheria but am glad to report that all the others are now doing well —

Hoping your Board will approve of my action —

Order — Approved — J. G. Aug 14. 1911

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Read letter dated 11th August 1911, from Dr Ryan, applying for payment of £2:2:0 for assisting Dr Taylor at an operation in the Workhouse Hospital (on 15th July) —

Order — £2:2:0 to be paid for Workhouse Consultation case subject to sanction of L G Board —

James Gernon

Aug 14. 11

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Read Letter dated 10th August 1911, from Mr J. H. R. Craig, Solicitor, with reference to his former correspondence in connection with the publication of the

the list of persons in receipt of out door relief in the Union.

He now asks for a definite reply as to whether this list will be published or not by the Guardians in accordance with the Statutory Obligation by them to do so —

He is further instructed by a Ratepayer in the Union to formally apply to the Guardians for a copy of the last two half yearly lists of persons in respect of out door relief in the Rathdrum Union —

Order - The Board adhere to their former answer given last year to Mr Craig — J.G. Aug 14 1911

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Read Magistrates Orders for payment of Fees of £1:1:0, & £2:0:0 to Dr Ryan, £2:0:0 to Dr Lynch and £1:2:0 to Dr Cooke for examining Dangerous Lunatics.

Order - To pay —

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Read Letter dated 12th August 1911, from Mess^{rs} McPhail and Gernon Pllys. Wicklow recommending the Guardians to grant 3/6 per week out-door relief to James Kelly who is unable to travel to Dublin for treatment any longer -

Order - Granted -

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Read Letter dated 22nd July 1911, from Mrs B Jenkinson, Knockree, Arklow, requesting the Guardians to grant her out door relief, although she has land she states that she is unable to make any use of it -

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Read Notices of the eviction of John, Charles and Ellen O'Neill, Brockagh, Andrew Finlayson, Main Street Wicklow and Sarah Doyle, Rathnew. served on the Relieving Officers —

The Guardians accepted the tender of Mr John Whelan, Ballee, proposing to supply six tons of First Crop Hay to the Workhouse for £4 per Ton —

Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out children at their Meeting held on 14th August 1911 —

Read letter dated 4th August 1911, from Local Government Board, stating that they have had before them Relieving Officer Hynes's report and the school attendance certificates for the month of June last respecting the children boarded out in his district —

With reference thereto, the Board desire to draw attention to the case of Anne Bolton who was absent on 14 out of 17 days on which the school was opened during the month, and to request that a report may be obtained from the Relieving Officer on the subject —

Order — Refer to Relieving Officer — JG 14.8.11

— R. Short
28/8/11

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 ...

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 24th
day of August 19 11
(Signed), B. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief			
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above			

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 14th day of August 1911

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

Indoor from No. 2421 to No. 2626
 Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓
 Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of August 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions	93	19	6	40	17	8	134	17	2	41	17	4	2	9	1	44	6	5	90	10	9
Necessaries	76	11	9	.	.	.	76	11	9	2	18	11	1	1	1	4	.	.	72	11	9
Total	170	11	3	40	17	8	211	8	11	44	16	3	3	10	2	48	6	5	163	2	6

1550

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : $\frac{1}{2}$
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 2

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 5th day of August 19 11, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	18 9 -	12 4 10	3 8 8	18 9 8			52 12 2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	- - -	- - -	30 - -	- - -			30 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	18 9 -	12 4 10	33 8 8	18 9 8			82 12 2
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	8 12 -	11 10 6	14 16 -	5 19 -			40 17 6
In Kind ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	3 - -			- 3 -
7. Total Relief given	8 12 -	11 10 6	14 16 -	6 2 -			41 - 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	9 17 -	- 14 4	18 12 8	12 7 8			41 11 8
9. TOTAL	18 9 -	12 4 10	33 8 8	18 9 8			82 12 2

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

Dated this 16th day of August 19 11

B. Manning
Clerk of Union,

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 14th day of August 19 11

Other Guardians:- Major Casement, Messrs Wolohan, Clarke, Joseph Cummins, Storey, Dawson, Hall, Reilly, Condell, Phelan, B Somers, Molloy, N. Murphy, Kearns, Ellison, Michael Healy and W^c Phail -

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Newbridge	11	17	9	To be supplied

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

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
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Read letter dated 13th August 1911, from Dr O'Keeffe Medical Officer of Newbridge Dispensary District, stating that he found it necessary to requisition the services of Dr Cooke in a very serious throat case — He requests the Guardians to pay Dr Cooke the usual remuneration.

Order — £2:2:0 to be paid — J.G. Aug 14. 11

Dr O'Gorman, MO Aughrim reported that the flow out pipe of basin in Dispensary is stopped — a plumber will be necessary without delay —

Order — DeCoursey to be employed — J.G. Aug 14. 11

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
N ^o 38,838 : 1911 29 th July 1911	Enclosing for the Guardians' information a copy of a letter dated 23 rd July which they have received from the Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District, respecting the delay on his part in submitting for analysis samples of drugs received for use in his District on the 29 th January last — A copy of the letter which the Board have addressed to the Medical Officer, on the subject, is also enclosed —	No order
N ^o 39,592 : 1911 31 st July 1911	Stating that the Board have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Rathdrum Dispensary District during the absence of that Officer on vacation and have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week to D ^r Taylor as his substitute —	No order
N ^o 39,593 : 1911 4 th August 1911	Stating that the remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week proposed to be allowed to D ^r Lyndon as temporary substitute for D ^r Halpin Medical Officer of Wicklow Disp ^y District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board	No order

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
N ^o 39,872 : 1911 4 th August 1911	Local Government Board -	<p>Stating that the remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week, proposed to be allowed to Dr. W. J. McCormack for his services as temporary substitute for Dr. Halpin, Medical Officer of the Wicklow Dispensary District has received the sanction of the Local Government Board -</p> <p>The Board draw attention to the fact that the Guardians did not appoint the medical practitioner nominated by the Medical Officer as his temporary substitute</p>	No order
25 th July 1911	Mess ^{rs} Thomas Gerrard & Co Solicitors	<p>stating re Henlen's General Estate that they expected a reply to their letter requesting payment of the £14 in this matter -</p>	<p>Refer to Engineer for report -</p> <p>J. G.</p> <p>Aug 14. 11</p>
12 th August 1911	Dr. Lyndon Wicklow	<p>Applying for payment of £15:15:0 for acting as temp^{ry} Medical Officer of Wicklow District for 3 weeks and 3 days -</p>	<p>To pay -</p> <p>J. Gernon</p> <p>CHⁿ 14. 8. 11</p>

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Anamoe District — 13 Defaulters
Newbridge " 96 "

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

Relieving Officers
to serve notice — J.G. Aug 14. 11

Relieving Officer Johnson applied for payment of £6, for serving notices on Vaccination Defaulters in Arklow and Ferrybank Districts —
Order - To pay — J.G. Aug 14. 11

Read Letter dated 1st August 1911, from Dr. C. Keefe Medical Officer of Newbridge Dispensary District stating that he was obliged to get Dr. Ryan, Rathfriland in consultation on a bad maternity case, he requests the Guardians to pay the usual fee - He has also asked the Relieving Officer to appoint Dr. Ryan to do any maternity cases for a few weeks, as he is attending a case of Septic Fever after confinement and thinks it would be dangerous that he should attend any other maternity case while attending this case -

Order - To pay £2:2:0 for consultation case — J.G. 14.8.11

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1911

(Signed),

B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

421

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735 5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of August 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	389	199														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	19														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	609	218														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	22	93	39	7	4	12	16	13	224	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	64	In separate Wards	3
Admitted during the Week			28	8	7	2	2	1	2	—	3	53	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	19	In Wards with other inmates	—
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL	83	TOTAL	3
TOTAL			46	30	100	41	9	5	14	16	16	277	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			25	9	9	3	2	2	4	—	2	56	Males		Females	
Died			—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	No. Relieved during week	27	5	3
Total Discharged and Died			25	9	11	4	2	2	4	—	2	59	No. in Workhouse at date	9	2	1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			21	21	89	37	7	3	10	16	14	218	No. at corresponding period last year, 209			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of August 1911 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.	57	93			57	93	Bl. forward						
No. II.	102	194			102	194	No. VI.						
No. III.	97	195			97	195	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	47			28	47	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forward.	284	529			284	529	No. X.						
							TOTAL						607

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 21st day of August 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no Meeting on this day
no Guardian being present —

J Short
28/8/11

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

1

3

11

4

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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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1
2

1
4

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1
3

1
4

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total			£	s.	d.		
Provisions ...																		}	
Necessaries																			
Total ...																			

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

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

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

Other Guardians:—

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

440

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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:—

800 Loaves Bread
68 lbs Butter
60 doz Eggs
420 lbs Meat
230 galls Newmilk
24 Sheep Heads

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

August 28th 1911

Patrick Fox, the man appointed as temporary Ambulance driver during the absence on leave of the permanent driver, not being available and the driver wishing to go on leave the Master engaged James Ellis to carry out the duties —

Order — approved — P Short

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

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

Read Letter dated 11th August 1911 from Local Government Board forwarding to be laid before the Guardians an enclosure giving the substance of a report which the Board have received from their Inspector M^r R. Kelly consequent on his recent inspection of the Workhouse —

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Read letter from Same dated 17th August 1911, forwarding for the information of the Guardians, a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his Audit of their accounts for the Half-year ended the 31st March 1911, with attested abstracts of the accounts —

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Read letter from Same dated 19th August 1911, transmitting questions for answers respecting the temporary employment of Miss Breen as Nurse in the Workhouse —

Order — Complied with — Short

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Read Circular letter dated 19th August 1911, from Local Government Board on the subject of the Representation of Boards of Guardians at Proceedings at Petty Sessions —

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Read Letter from Same dated 22nd August 1911, stating that they have sanctioned the payment of

of a fee of £2:2:0 to Dr Ryan as remuneration for his services in assisting the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in the performance of a surgical operation -

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Read Letter dated 24th August 1911, from Mr Moore C.E. stating re Water supply to Workhouse that no interference has yet taken place with the water works, by reason of the erection of the cottage at Ballygannon, nor is the cottage yet occupied -

It was considered wise at a previous meeting to have the concrete Reservoir enclosed, to avoid any possibility of the children from the cottage causing any trouble, at a cost not exceeding Nine Pounds -

Order - Mr Moore to get work done at once — P Short
28.8.11

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Read Letter dated 11th August 1911, from the Manager of National Bank, Wicklow, bringing under the notice of the Guardians their overdraft on their Loans account and when they will be in a position to make a lodgment to reduce the debt due to the Bank -

Order - Clerk to draw Pay order on revenue account to meet overdraft on Loan etc - Apply for balance of Loans due on outstanding atcs from Board of Works -

P Short

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Read Letter dated 28th August 1911, from Clerk of Union, requesting the Guardians to grant him a months holiday; his assistant will undertake to

perform the duties of the office during his absence on similar terms to what the Guardians grant in other cases of holiday leave —

Order - Leave granted - W. A. Manning to act as Clerk at rate of £100 per year -

P Short

Read letter dated 25th August 1911, from Miss M O'Meara, Fever Hospital Nurse requesting the Guardians to extend her leave for four weeks, as she has not recovered from the effects of Diphtheria which she had some short time ago - She enclosed certificate from Dr. O'Brien, Connell —

✓ Order - Leave granted, present arrangement for Locum Tenens to continue — P Short

Read letter dated 28th August 1911, from W. Thomas Byrne, Rathdrum, requesting the Guardians to appoint him to take stock in the Workhouse for half year ending 30 September 1911, at the usual remuneration viz £3:10:0 —

Order - Appointed - Q Short - 28.8.11

Read letter dated 22nd August 1911, from Dublin Skin, Cancer and Urinary Hospital stating that the Hospital is now open for the reception of

patients, those from Unions will be accepted on the same terms as formerly viz 10/- per patient per week for Finson Light and X ray treatment, and 12/- per week for Board -

Resolved,

That the sum of 30/- be allowed for clothes for Mary Eustace -

R Short

Order - House Committee to be summoned to meet on this day fortnight to consider the the question of Rules for Nurses and Drying Apparatus in Laundry -

Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathfriland Union in relation to Boarded out children at their meeting held on 28th August 1911 -

Read letter dated 28th August 1911, from Relieving Officer Byrne, stating in reply to the enquiry from the L.G. Board re the nurse child Anne Bolton, that it was a mistake of the Teacher who should have put 14 days attendance at school instead of 4 days -

Order - Satisfactory, R Short

Read letter from John Wilson, Courtfoyle requesting the Guardians to board out Michael Plunkett (recently boarded with M^{rs} Lovington) with him -

Order - John Wilson to get charge of Michael Plunkett 30/- allowed for clothes -

R Short. 28.8.10
Robert Barton 11.9.11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of September 19 11

(Signed),

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 14th day of August 1911

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of July 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	2750	-	-
Repayment of Relief	3	4	5
Rents of Dispensary Residences	-	-	-
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	-	-	-
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and Other Receipts	1	10	-
Loans received	-	-	-
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	2754	14	5

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of August 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	200	15	3
Clothing and Bedding	5	7	9
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	7	10	-
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	-	-	-
(d.) Other Expenses	98	15	8
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	10	12	5
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	8	2
Medical Charities	85	8	7
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	6	3	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	15	1	6
Superannuation Allowances	-	-	-
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	14	-	9
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	-	-	-
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	180	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	626	3	1

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

July 1911

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	2754	14	5	-	-	-
Total	2754	14	5	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	848	4	8	744	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	626	3	1	-	-	-
Total	1474	7	9	744	2	-
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1280	6	8	by 744	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	2115	1	4	to 744	2	-
Outstanding Orders	834	14	8	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	1280	6	8	by 744	2	-

Dated this 27th day of August 1911D. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 28th day of August 1911

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

Indoor from No. 2627 to No. 2742
Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓
Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of August 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.			
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
Provisions	81	16	9	33	19	4	115	16	1	39	2	11	2	9	1	41	12	74	4	1	
Necessaries	105	12	10	3	13	4	109	6	2	2	6	6	1	1	1	3	7	7	105	18	7
Total	187	9	7	37	12	8	225	2	3	41	9	5	3	10	2	44	19	7	180	2	8

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : - $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : - $\frac{3}{4}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 5 : 5

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

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

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

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

the 19th day of August 19 11, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	1 4 -	8 4 10	3 16 8	6 2 8			19 8 2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20 - -	20 - -	30 - -	20 - -			90 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	21 4 -	28 4 10	33 16 8	26 2 8			109 8 2
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	8 16 6	12 3 6	14 14 6	6 3 -			41 17 6
In Kind ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- - -	- - -	- 5 -	- - -			- 5 -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
7. Total Relief given	8 16 6	12 3 6	14 19 6	6 3 -			42 2 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	12 7 6	16 1 4	18 17 2	19 19 8			67 5 8
9. TOTAL ...	21 4 -	28 4 10	33 16 8	26 2 8			109 8 2

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

Dated this 29th day of August 19 11

De Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 28th day of August 1911

Other Guardians:- Messrs Condren, L Wolohan, G Byrne,
Joseph Anniam, Storey, J Murphy, Linnhan,
Martin Doyle, Graham, Travers, W Healy, Phelan, Wiley,
James Byrne, J Kelly, Ellison and J J Carey -

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Aughrim	5	7	2	To be supplied
Rathdrum	6	11	1	Do

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

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
N ^o 43,053 : 1911 18 th August 1911	Forwarding to be laid before the Guardians copy of a letter and enclosure which has been received from Mess ^{rs} Thomas Gerrard and Co Solicitors, relative to a certain account outstanding against the Guardians; the Board request that they may be furnished with the observations of the Guardians on the matter.	The Board of Guardians refuse to extend time for payment — P Short 28.8.11
N ^o 43,557 : 1911 24 th August 1911	Requesting that they may be furnished with a copy of the requisition for drugs submitted on the 14 th instant to the Guardians by the Medical Officer of the Newbridge Dispensary District —	Complied with — P Short 28.8.11

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
11 th August 1911	M ^r . Moore C. E.	<p>acknowledging the receipt of letter from Clerk dated 9th instant re Annarnoe Dispensary enclosing letter from M^r. M^cCarroll, which he returns— M^r. Moore states that he cannot recall his final certificate, it is made out strictly in accordance with the terms of the contract—</p> <p>The £10. given Byrne for compensation ought to have been deducted from one of the earlier certificates given to M^r. Kinkler, when he was being paid, but he had no power to deduct same in any his certificates—</p>	No order

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read letter dated 27th August 1911, from Dr O'Keeffe Medical Officer of Newbridge District, applying to the Guardians again for a Dispensary Residence — He requests The Guardians to allow him to live wherever he choose until a residence is built as where he stays is very damp and prejudicial to his health —

Order - Guardians are satisfied if Dr O'Keeffe live within two miles radius of Ovoca Station —

P. Short.

Read letter dated 28th August 1911, from Mrs B. McByrne, Midwife of Newbridge Dispensary District requesting the Guardians to grant her one months leave dating from the 11th September and taking it at intervals — Nurse Fogarty will do the duty with the Guardians permission —

Order - Two weeks leave granted - Nurse Fogarty to act as Locum Tenens at fee of £1:1:0 per week —

P. Short

= Robert Charlton

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th day of September 19 11

(Signed),

G. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901— 26689

Present Net Annual Value. £ 130735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of August 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 2 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	178															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	8															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	186															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	18	83	36	6	3	7	13	14	196	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	61	In separate Wards	2	
Admitted during the Week			46	6	7	2	4	1	7	3	1	70	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	8	In Wards with other inmates	—	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL,	69	TOTAL,	2	
TOTAL			62	24	90	38	10	4	7	16	15	266	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			46	7	4	4	3	2	2	5	4	77		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	3	No. Relieved during week	45	4	7	56
Total Discharged and Died			46	7	5	5	3	2	2	5	5	80	No. in Workhouse at date)	5	—	—	5
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	17	85	33	7	2	5	11	10	186	No. at corresponding period last year, 214				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of August 1911 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.	58	94			58	94	BT. forward						
No. II.	100	188			100	188	No. VI.						
No. III.	98	197			98	197	No. VII.						
No. IV.	28	47			28	47	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward.	284	526			284	526	TOTAL						600

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 14th day of September 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present—

Robert C. Barton

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday.

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Provisions								}
Necessaries								
Total								

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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 _____

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Clerk of Union,

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

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost £ s. d.			Directions given by the Board
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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

481

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £130735 : 5:4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS			
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date				
Workhouse	589	184																
Temporary Buildings ..	—																	
Additional Workhouse ..	—																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	6																
Fever Sheds	—																	
TOTAL	669	190																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	17	85	33	7	2	5	11	10	186	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	61	In separate Wards	2		
Admitted during the Week			43	5	7	3	—	—	—	—	—	58	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	6	In Wards with other inmates	—		
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL	67	TOTAL	2		
TOTAL			59	22	92	36	7	2	5	11	10	244	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS					
Discharged during the Week			41	5	4	2	1	—	1	—	—	54		Males	43	Females	3	
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			Children under 15	—	TOTAL	46
Total Discharged and Died			41	5	4	2	1	—	1	—	—	54	No. Relieved during week	—	—	—	—	—
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	17	88	34	6	2	4	11	10	190	No. in Workhouse at date	8	1	—	—	9
													No. at corresponding period last year, 215					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1911 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.	53	85			53	85	By forward						
No. II.	98	188			98	188	No. VI.						
No. III.	103	207			103	207	No. VII.						
No. IV.	29	47			29	47	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forward	283	527			283	527	TOTAL						606

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 11th day of September 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— W. R. C. Barton afterwards W. Short Vice Ch.

Other Guardians:— Messrs Clarke, G. Byrne, P. Doyle, Storey, Martin Doyle, W. Byrne, Phelan, M. Carey, Yeates, James Byrne, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, P. Healy and Galvin —

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

800 Loaves Bread
64 lbs Butter
60 Doz Eggs
440 lbs Meat
220 galls Milk
1 cwt oatmeal
24 Sheep Heads
1 Case Onions

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

11th September 1911

The Master submits reports of Analyst on samples of New Milk and Whiskey sent from Workhouse supplies—

Specimen N^o 226 of Newmilk supplied by M^r Merrigan contained ^{Solids} 14.44 + ^{Fats} 5.7

Specimen of Whiskey supplied by M^r J. J. Kavanagh was 8 degrees under proof - Sir C. Cameron states in quality it was fairly good and better than most specimens of whiskeys from Unions which he has examined —

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

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

Read letter dated 29th August 1911, from Local Government Board, returning the vouchers &c furnished with a view to recoupment in respect of the cost of the medicines and medical and surgical appliances obtained for use in the Union during the past half-year —

The Board point out that irregularities appear in the file, and request that care will be taken to guard against their recurrence —

Order - To be complied with in future - RC Baston
11. 9. 1911

Read letter from Same dated 31st August 1911 acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss Agnes Keogh, as Nurse in the Workhouse, and stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:11:6 a week with rations to Miss Keogh for her services - The date upon which she ceases to act should be carefully recorded on the Guardians minutes.

Read letter from Same dated 1st September 1911 stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of a sum of £3:10:0 to Mr Thomas Byrne as remuneration for his services in taking and valuing stock in the Workhouse, for the half-year ending the 30th instant —

Read letter from same dated 2nd September 1911 stating with reference to the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 28th ultimo that the Board have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £100 a year to M^r Manning for his services as temporary substitute for the Clerk of the Union; and the continuance of the arrangement already sanctioned for the temporary discharge of the duties of Miss Orneara, Fever Hospital Nurse -

The Board will raise no objection to the payment of 17/6 a week to James Ellis as substitute for the Ambulance Driver in place of Patrick Fox, whose remuneration for the duty was sanctioned by letter dated the 29th July last -

Read letter dated 28th August 1911 from M^r Craig Solicitor, stating that the Guardians are bound to publish a list of those in receipt of out-Door-Relief half yearly, and unless they are prepared to do this in such time as will enable it to be made use of during the current year, as intended by Statute, the parties whom he represents must take such proceedings as they may be advised against the Guardians to compel them to carry out their statutable duties -

Read letter from Miss Ellen Fogarty, attendant in the Workhouse, applying for one month's leave of absence, and stating that her sister will do the duty during that time -

Order - Request complied with sister to be paid at same rate as Ellen Fogarty during absence of latter -

R C Barton

11.9.1911

D^r Taylor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, recommended that Michael Hearn be sent to the Eye and Ear Hospital for surgical treatment -

Order - To be sent - AC Barton

Read Report dated 28th August 1911, from Sir C. A. Cameron on the following drugs sent for analysis from the Workhouse -

Compound Tincture of Camphor — Correct
Compound Mixture of Senna — Correct
Liniment of Soap — Practically correct -

Order -

Advertise for the usual Yearly, Half yearly and Quarterly Supplies of Provisions, tenders to be received this day fortnight - AC Barton 11.9.1911

Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathdrum Union in relation to Boarded out children at their meeting held 11th September 1911 -

Read letter dated 1st September 1911, from Local Government Board, stating that Form A containing particulars in regard to Mr John Wilson with whom it is proposed to board out a child named Michael Plunkett has not yet been furnished, and requesting that it may be forwarded as soon as practicable -

Order - To be complied with - AC Barton

25/9/11

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 18th
day of September 1911

(Signed),

A. Manning
acting Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
Repayment of Relief			
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 _____ 19__ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

19

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 11th day of September 1911

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

Indoor from No. 2743 to No. 2876
Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓
Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1911, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Provisions	77 1 6	32 6 1	109 7 7	37 5 11	2 9 1	39 15 -	69 12 7	1340
Necessaries	102 9 11	2 1 6	104 11 5	2 11 6	1 1 1	3 12 7	100 18 10	
Total	179 11 5	34 7 7	213 19 -	39 17 5	3 10 2	43 7 7	170 11 5	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : 1³/₄
Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 5 : 4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 7 : 3¹/₄

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 2nd day of September 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	19 7 8	21 17 2	2 12 8	13 14 8			57 12 2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	- - -	- - -	30 - -	- - -			30 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19 7 8	21 17 2	32 12 8	13 14 8			87 12 2
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	8 17 6	12 2 -	14 15 -	6 - -			41 14 6
In Kind ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	- - -	- - -	- - -	- 5 -			- 5 -
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	- - -	- - -	- - -	- - -			- - -
7. Total Relief given	8 17 6	12 2 -	14 15 -	6 5 -			41 19 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10 10 2	9 15 2	17 17 8	7 9 8			45 12 8
9. TOTAL ...	19 7 8	21 17 2	32 12 8	13 14 8			87 12 2

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

Dated this 12th day of September 1911

A. Manning
acting Clerk of Union

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

Meeting held on MONDAY, the 11th day of September 19 11

Other Guardians:— Messrs Clarke, G. Byrne, P. Doyle,
Martin Doyle, W. Byrne, Phelan, M. Carey,
James Byrne, Kearns, Barry, Ellison,
and Galvin.

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Arklow	14	4	1	To be supplied
Dunganstown	11	2	8	Do
Rathdrum	1	18	9	Do

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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 34 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 Notice of Motion was served

11th September 1911

I beg to give notice that at the meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 25th September

I will move that a Medical Officer's Residence be provided for the Newbridge Dispensary District, and that any Resolution on the books to the contrary be rescinded —

Signed Joseph Clarke

Received 11/9/11

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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
N ^o 45,560 : 1911 2 nd September 1911	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:1:0 a week to Nurse Fogarty for her services as temporary substitute for the Midwife of Newbridge Dispensary District —	No order

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
5 th September 1911	Commissioners of Public Works —	<p>Stating, in reply to the Guardians letter on the subject of the loans for Annamoe and Dunganstown Dispensaries, that if the Guardians forward their Architects Certificate showing that the works at Annamoe have been completed in accordance with the approved plans and Specification a final inspection will be authorised —</p> <p>As regards Dunganstown Dispensary, they refer to their letter of the 19th October 1908 on the subject of the Septic Tank installation, and state that until this matter has been settled the balance of the loan cannot be issued —</p>	<p>Refer to Mr Moore — P.S. 11.9.11</p>

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read letter dated 5th September 1911, from M^{rs} M Allen, Midwife of Arklow Dispensary District, stating in reply to inquiry as to the number of tickets cases attended by her, that in year 1909 she attended 14 cases, in 1910 12 cases and in 1911 15 cases —

She had to pay for eleven cars out of her salary this year —

Read letter dated 11th September 1911 signed by the eight Dispensary Midwives of the Union, asking the Guardians to increase their salaries on a graded scale, as their present salaries are not enough to enable them to live —

The following Notice of Motion was served —

11th September 1911

I beg to give Notice that for some Guardian for me will move on this day fortnight that the application of the Midwives of the several Dispensary Districts in the Union be taken into consideration, with a view to giving them some increase in their salaries —

Signed Martin Doyle

RCB 11.9.1911

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 18th day of September 1911

(Signed), A. Manning
acting Clerk of the Union

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735 15 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building at the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
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Additional Workhouse ..	—	—													
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TOTAL	660	200													
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Admitted during the Week			44	15	12	2	2	1	—	1	1	78	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In Wards with other inmates —	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL, 68	TOTAL, 2	
TOTAL			62	32	100	36	8	3	4	12	11	268	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			44	11	10	2	1	—	—	—	—	68	Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week 44	8	1
Total Discharged and Died			44	11	10	2	1	—	—	—	—	68	No. in Workhouse at date 8	2	1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	21	90	34	7	3	4	12	11	200	No. at corresponding period last year, 210		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September 1911 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 18th day of September 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present —

J. Short.
25/9/11

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...

Ditto disallowed ...

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 25th
day of September 19 11

(Signed),

A. Manning
acting Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

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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 _____ 19____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union.

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday.

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates			By Officers			Total				
				£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.
Provisions	...													}
Necessaries														
Total	...													

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union.

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of September 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. inmates 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 9 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 5 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	195															
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds	—																
TOTAL	669	196															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	21	90	34	7	3	4	12	11	200	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	69	In separate Wards	2	
Admitted during the Week			34	9	6	—	4	—	—	—	1	54	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates	—	
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	TOTAL,	70	TOTAL,	2	
TOTAL			52	30	96	34	11	3	4	12	13	255	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			37	10	5	—	2	1	1	1	2	59		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	34	5	3	42
Total Discharged and Died			37	10	5	—	2	1	1	1	2	59	No. in Workhouse at date)				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	20	91	34	9	2	3	11	11	196	No. at corresponding period last year, 207				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of September 1911 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.	53	85			53	85	No. VI.						
No. II.	95	166			95	166	No. VII.						
No. III.	102	200			102	200	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	33	53			33	53	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forw.	283	504			283	504	TOTAL						609

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 25th day of September 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Mr. Patrick Short Vice Ch.*

Other Guardians:—

Major Casement, Messrs J. Condren, Wolohan, Clarke, Lethmurray, Quinn, G. Byrne, Joseph Cunningham, Lawler, Storey, M. Doyle, Lenihan, Martin Doyle, Graham, Condell, Fenelon, M. Healy, Burke, M. Somers, Yeates, Niley, Brady, Joseph Byrne, M. Keenan, James Byrne, J. Kelly, Higgins, Kearns, Bally, Ellison, J. Byrne, Mary, Brennan, W. M. Byrne, M. Phail, and Phavanagh —

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

850 lbs Bread
68 " Butter
60 Doz Eggs
450 lbs Meat
240 galls Newmilk
10 cwt Oatmeal
4 $\frac{1}{4}$ brls Porter
10 brls Potatoes
24 Sheep Heads

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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:—

25th September 1911

The Master submits Analyst's report on Sample of New Milk sent from Workhouse supplies — Solids Fats
Specimen N^o 227 supplied by W^c Cullen, contained 12.02 and 3.5

Repeated complaints having been made of the absence from his duties of Hospital Attendant George Grimes the Master finding him absent on 16th instant suspended him pending a meeting of the Board —

Read following letter dated 25th September 1911, from George Grimes.
Gentlemen,

I am sorry that the Master has been compelled to have a report against me today for going out without his permission.

I had been up the night before minding a bad patient and I went out with the intention of only remaining a few minutes, but I stayed a good deal longer than I thought —

I am very sorry for this trouble and promise that it won't occur again —

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

Order — Reprimanded — Masters action approved.
Grimes to be reinstated on condition that same offence never occurs again — P Short — 25.9.11

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

Read letter from Local Government Board, dated 18th September 1911, transmitting a copy of their Annual Report for the year 1910-11 being the Thirty-ninth Report under the Local Government Board (Ireland) Act 1872, which they suggest should be bound for preservation and kept for reference —

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Proposed by Mr Michael Somers, Seconded by Mr J Ellison
Resolved,

That this Board tender to Mr M B Phelan and family our sincere sympathy on the death of Mr Phelan —

Copies be sent to Mr M B Phelan and family —

Passed — P Short

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Read letter dated 25th September 1911, from Mr Moore C.E. applying for a month's leave of absence from Thursday the 5th instant —

Order - Leave granted — P.S.

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Read letter dated 25th September 1911, from Dr Taylor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that on Friday 8th inst Nurse O'Brien got a telegram saying her sister was very ill. Under the exceptional circumstances he allowed her to go to see her, but since then he has had no communication from her — As the hospital is full he cannot

get on with the present staff and begs to ask permission to obtain temporary assistance until her return -

Hoping the Board will sanction his action in allowing her to leave -

Order - Approve of Doctor's action in giving leave -

Substitute to be provided at Nurse's expense -

P Short - 25.9.11

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Read Letter from Same of same date recommending that Thomas Toole, Porter in the Workhouse, get a fortnights leave, he is at present being treated by him for acute Dyspepsia and is not able to perform his duties -

Order - Leave granted - James Ellis to act as Locum Tenens at 15/- per week - P Short -

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Read Magistrates Order for payment of a fee of £1.1.0 to Dr. Lynch for examining a Dangerous Lunatic -

Order - To be paid - P Short - 25.9.11

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The Guardians appointed Mr James O'Hara 18 Coppe Street, Dublin, to test tea for the Workhouse Contract, at a fee of £1. per year -

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Order - Advertise for tenders for the supply of Tate's Sugar 20 to Workhouse for six months. Also for yearly supplies of Clothing, Establishment &c tenders to be received on 9th October -

The Guardians accepted the tenders of the following persons proposing to supply the Workhouse with provisions for periods named at prices shown.

For Three Months

✓	W. John Doyle	-	Best Mutton	@ 4 ^p per lb
	do	"	Beef	" 4 ^p " "
	do	"	" Boneless	" 3 ^p " "
✓	W. James Brennan	"	Sheep Heads	" 8 ^p each
✓	W. Thomas Moody	"	White Bread	" 6 ^p per 4 lbs
✓	W. Smith & Son	"	Flake Oatmeal	" £15:10:0 per Ton
	do	"	Irish Bacon	" 8 ^p per lb

For Six Months

✓	W. J. Kavanagh	-	Best Shell Cocoa	@ 12/- per cwt
	do	"	xx Porter (Watkins)	" 10/2 " 1/2 cask
	do	"	Lowry Whiskey	" 19/- " gallon
✓	W. Smith & Son	"	Port Wine	" 24/- " doz
	do	"	C & C Soda Water	" 1/2 " "
	do	"	White pepper	" 8 ^p " lb
	do	"	Tobacco (Irish)	" 3/9 1/2 " "
	do	"	Snuff	" 3/9 " "
	do	"	Salt	" 1/7 " cwt
	do	"	Tracle	" 17/- " "
	J. Sutton & Sons	"	Corn Flour	" 4 ^p " lb
✓	W. J. Rutter	"	Eggs	" 1/6 " doz
✓	W. J. Brady	"	Potatoes	" 7/6 " barrel

For Twelve months

✓	W. Smith & Son	-	Best Rice	@ 12/6 per cwt
	do	"	White Soap	" 16/- " "
	do	"	Brown	" 16/5 " "
	do	"	Rock Oil	" 5 ^p 1/2 " gallon
	do	"	Blue	" 3 ^p 1/2 " lb
✓	J. Sutton & Sons	"	Starch	" 25/- " cwt
	do	"	Washing Soda	" 3/8 " "
	do	"	Carbolic Soap	" 16/- " "
	do	"	Wax Candles	" 2/5 " per doz lbs

The Guardians adopted the resolution of the Omagh Board of Guardians with reference to the unsatisfactory manner, as regards evidence of age of Claimants for Old Age Pensions, in which the Old Age Pensions Act is being administered in Ireland —

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Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians of Rathfriland Union in relation to Boarded out children at their Meeting held 25th September 1911 —

Read letter dated 19th September 1911. from Local Government Board returning the Form A containing particulars respecting Mr. John Wilson of Courtfoyle, with whom it is proposed to board out a boy named Michael Plunkett, and requesting that the reply to Query No 12 may be given in full and the document then returned to their Department —

Order — To be complied with — Short 25.9.11

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Robert Barton

9/10/1911

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

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

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd
day of October 19 11
(Signed), E. Manning
Clerk of the Union

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

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, 11th day of September 1911

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of August 1911 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 September 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	148	19	8
Clothing and Bedding	11	2	9
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	7	11	6
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	-	-	-
(d.) Other Expenses	86	7	11
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	-	14	5
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	15	-
Medical Charities	414	12	11
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	-	-	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	-	-	-
Superannuation Allowances	-	-	-
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	-	-	-
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	137	19	9
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	160	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	970	3	11

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

August 1911

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1280	6	8	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	1280	6	8	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	744	2	-
Payments ordered during the month	970	3	11	-	-	-
Total	970	3	11	744	2	-
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	309 ¹⁰	16 ²	9	by 744	2	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1425	19	3	to 744	2	-
Outstanding Orders	1146	16	6	-	-	-
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	319	12	9	by 744	2	-

Dated this 28th day of September 1911B. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 25th day of September 19 11

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

Indoor from No. 2877 to No. 3099
Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓
Outdoor „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of September 19 11, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions	56	2	5	34	1	-	90	3	5	37	5	-	2	9	1	39	14	1	1359
Necessaries	97	7	2	-	16	6	98	3	8	2	19	8	1	1	1	4	-	9	
Total	153	9	7	34	17	6	188	7	1	40	4	8	3	10	2	43	14	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : £ 4 : 12³
Average Cost in Infirmary ... : £ 5 : 4¹
Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : £ 7 : 3³

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday.
the 16th day of September 1911, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			TOTAL £ s. d.			
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			District No. V.				District No. VI.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	19	10	2	17	17	2	3	2	8	1	4	8				41	14	8	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	20	-	-				50	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19	10	2	17	17	2	33	2	8	21	4	8				91	14	8	
EXPENDITURE.																			
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																			
In Money ...	8	17	6	12	13	-	14	10	6	6	7	6				42	8	6	
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-	
7. Total Relief given	8	17	6	12	13	-	14	10	6	6	7	6				42	8	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10	12	8	5	4	2	18	12	2	14	17	2				49	6	2	
9. TOTAL	19	10	2	17	17	2	33	2	8	21	4	8				91	14	8	

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

Dated this 28th day of Sept 1911

J. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

PRESENT—In the Chair—*W. Patrick Short Vice-Chm.*

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

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

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

Dispensary District	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists	Total Cost £ s. d.			Directions given by the Board
Newbridge	2 gallons of Carbolic Acid				To be supplied

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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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*Proposed by Mr. Joseph Clarke, Seconded by Mr. Lawrence Murray
Resolved,*

*That Doctor's Residence for Newbridge
Dispensary District be provided — Local Guardians
to select sites and report —*

Carried by 18 votes to 17 votes —

The following Notice of Motion was served —

25th September 1911

*I hereby give notice that I or some other
Guardian for me will move on this day fortnight,
That the resolution passed to build a Doctor's
Residence at Ovoca be rescinded —*

James Byrne

Received

Phort 25.9.11 —

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
N ^o 45,560 : 1911 13 th September 1911	Requesting that they may be informed whether the Guardians propose to take steps to provide a residence for the Medical Officer of the Newbridge Dispensary District —	Notice of motion to be considered today. P Short 25.9.11
N ^o 45,560 : 1911 18 th September 1911	Stating that they have issued an order extending the time within which the Guardians may pay to J. Kilen of Greystones or to Edward Kevans and David Frame, his assignees, a sum not exceeding £44.3.6 in respect of the erection of a Dispensary House at Annamoe, to a time not more than two years from the date at which the same became due —	No order
N ^o 43,557 : 1911 23 rd September 1911	With reference to minutes of proceedings of the Guardians on the 14 th ultimo, the Board request that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the Annamoe and Newbridge Dispensary Districts have complied with the Law —	Refer to Doctors P Short ✓ ✓

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
25 th September 1911	Dr. Lynch Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District -	Stating that he found it necessary in the case of a dispensary patient named White to requisition the assistance of Dr. Haman of Royal National Hospital - The case was very urgent, being a severe compound fracture of the leg.	Approved P Short 25.9.11
23 rd September 1911	Dr. C. D. Haman The Hospital Newcastle	Applying for payment of £2.2.0 for attending patient Peter White on Thursday 21 st inst in consultation with Dr. Lynch -	To be paid - P Short 25.9.11

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

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

Read Letter dated 25th September 1911, from D. Lynch Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District, stating that he has been in communication with D. McCormack of Wicklow re acting as his substitute during annual leave and he understands he intends declining to act - He therefore asks the Guardians to appoint D^r Eccles of Delgany who acted last year -

Read Telegram from D^r McCormack stating that he will not act -

Proposed by W. R. W. Condell, Seconded by W. John Barry
Resolved,

That D^r Eccles be appointed Locum Tenens for Newcastle District during vacation of D^r Lynch at fee of £4 4 0 per week -

Passed - Patrick Short - 25.9.11

Proposed by W. Martin Doyle, Seconded by W. George Byrne

That the application of the midwives of the several Dispensary Districts in the Union be taken into consideration, with a view to giving them some increase in their salaries

Defeated 5 voting for and 25 against

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd day of October 19 11

(Signed),

R. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Robert Barton Oct. 9. 1911

Population in 1901— 26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130735 : 5 : 4

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated by each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	589	210														
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—														
Additional Workhouse ..	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	669	212														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	20	91	34	9	2	3	11	11	196	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	3
Admitted during the Week			46	11	10	1	2	1	1	1	4	77	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	—
Born			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	TOTAL,	74	TOTAL,	3
TOTAL			61	31	101	35	11	3	4	12	16	274	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			40	9	7	1	3	1	—	—	1	62		Males	Females	Children under 15
Died			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	No. Relieved during week	44	8	6
Total Discharged and Died			40	9	7	1	3	1	—	—	1	62	No. in Workhouse at date	9	1	4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			21	22	94	34	8	2	4	12	15	212	No. at corresponding period last year, 209			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1911 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.	53	85			53	85	Rt. forward						
No. II.	94	170			94	170	No. VI.						
No. III.	102	200			102	200	No. VII.						
No. IV.	35	58			35	58	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	284	513			284	513	TOTAL						616

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 2nd day of October 1911

PRESENT—In the Chair:—

Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day
no Guardian being present —

For Manning
Clark

Robert C. Barton
Oct 9 1911

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Committee were 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 Acts, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union

(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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19__

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of August 1911 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 September 1911 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	<u>148</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>8</u>
Clothing and Bedding	<u>11</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	<u>9</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>6</u>
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	-	-	-
(d.) Other Expenses	<u>86</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>11</u>
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	-	<u>14</u>	<u>5</u>
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	<u>2</u>	<u>15</u>	-
Medical Charities	<u>414</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>11</u>
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	-	-	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	-	-	-
Superannuation Allowances	-	-	-
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	-	-	-
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	<u>137</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>9</u>
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	<u>160</u>	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	-	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	<u>970</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>

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

August 19 11

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19 _____

Clerk of the Union

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.)

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, _____ day of _____ 19____

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

Indoor from No. _____ to No. _____

Separate „ No. _____ to No. _____

Outdoor „ No. _____ to No. _____

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week									Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates			By Officers			Total			£	s.	d.		
										£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
Provisions																							}
Necessaries																							
Total																							

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d.

Average Cost in Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 19____, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19____

Clerk of Union,

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

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

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			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers, and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Article 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

[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 under-mentioned Dispensary Districts, viz. :-

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

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

(Signed), _____

Clerk of the Union.

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