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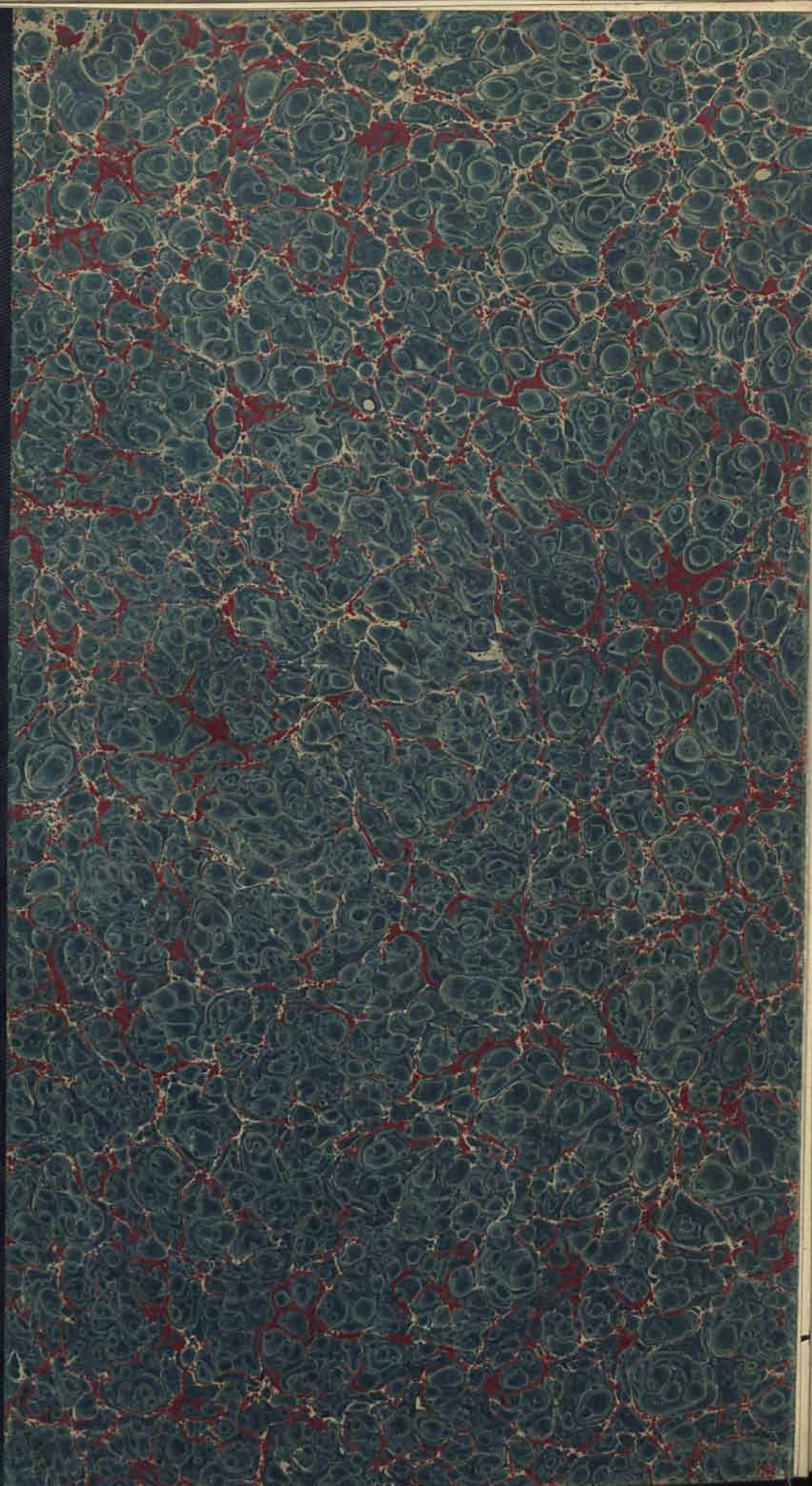
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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1901— 26689

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of May 1909

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	589	218														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	669	220														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	29	90	43	6	1	6	4	21	216	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	65	In separate Wards	3
Admitted during the Week			58	11	8	1	1	-	-	2	3	84	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	-
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL	67	TOTAL	3
TOTAL			74	40	98	44	7	1	6	6	24	300	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			57	11	6	-	-	-	-	3	3	80	No. Relieved during week	58	9	5
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. in Workhouse at date	6	-	-
Total Discharged and Died			57	11	6	-	-	-	-	3	3	80	No. at corresponding period last year, 236			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	29	92	44	7	1	6	3	21	220				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of May 1909 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.	87	121			87	121	Bt. forward						
No. II.	117	172			117	172	No. VI.						
No. III.	179	281			179	281	No. VII.						
No. IV.	56	73			56	73	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	439	647			439	647	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 8th day of June 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,— W. Peter Hearn
 Other Guardians:— W. George Byrne, Joseph Cummins, James Byrne, Barry, Ellison and Thomas Byrne

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

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

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

The Reports of the Visiting Comaittee 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:—

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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):—

Proposed by M^r. G. Byrne, Seconded by M^r. Ellison
Resolved -

That M^r. Peter Kearns take the Chair for
the Guardians' meeting -

Carried unanimously - P. Kearns

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Read letter dated 7th June 1909 from M^r. Patrick Short apologising for his absence from the annual meeting, and stating that he has been laid up for the past ten days with an attack of Pleurisy and the Doctor will not allow him out for a few days -

Proposed by M^r. George Byrne, Seconded by M^r. J. Ellison
Resolved -

That M^r. Daniel Condren be re-elected
Chairman, M^r. Patrick Short be re-elected
Vice-Chairman and M^r. Dorgan be re-elected
Deputy Vice-Chairman of the Board of Guardians
for the ensuing year -

Carried unanimously -

Peter Kearns, 8th June 1909

= James Higgins

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 14th day of June 1909
(Signed) B Manning
Clerk of the Union

Article 7.

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Rathdrum Union.

Finance Meeting, held the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

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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 _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries			
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries			
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses			
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers			
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
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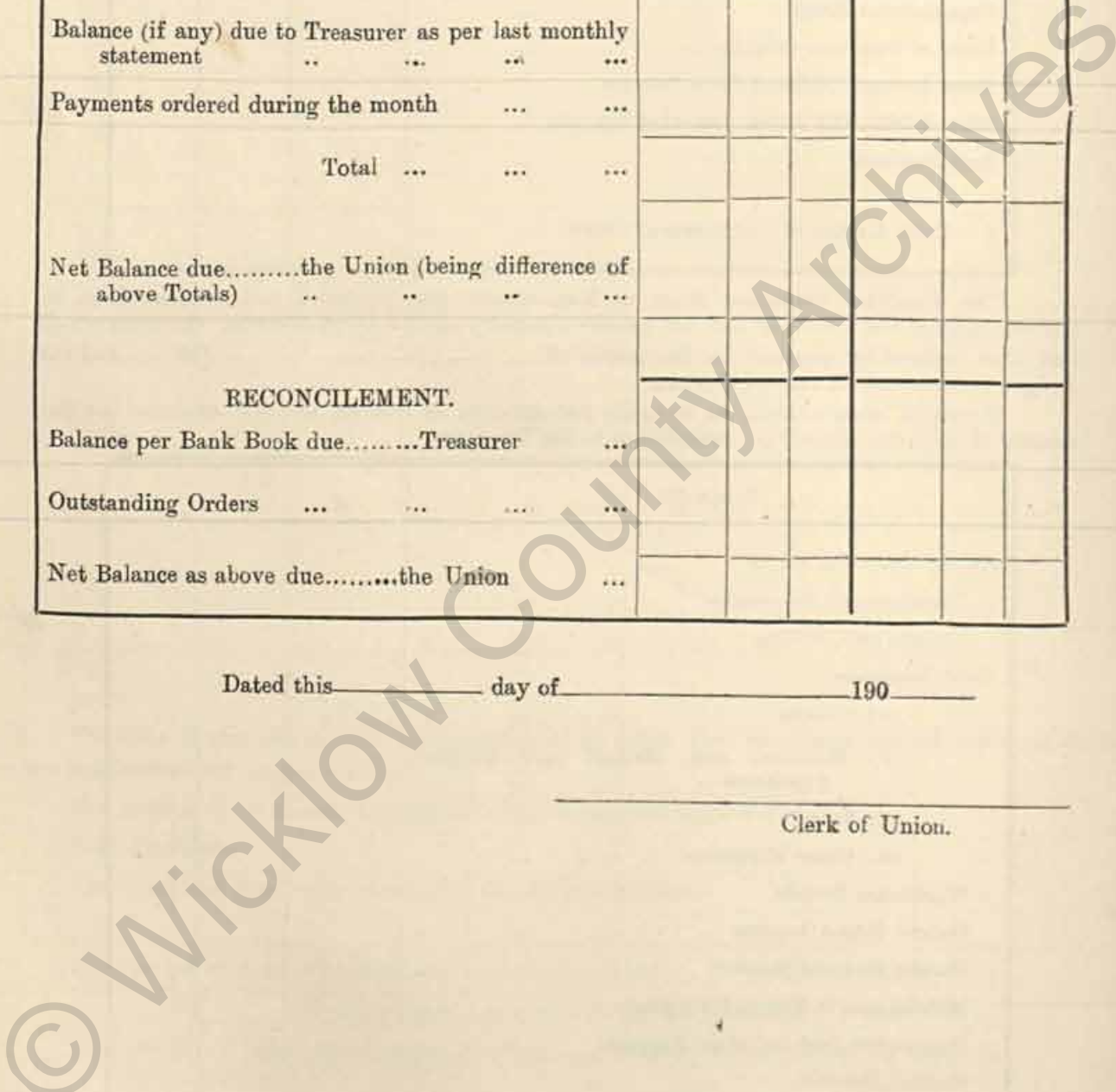
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement						
Total sums received during the month						
Total						
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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 _____ 190 _____

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190_____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190_____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	Total			Total			By Inmates			By Officers				Total		
	£	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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190____, 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 ...																						
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 in the Minutes.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

Clerk of Union.

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

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

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106:17:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of June 1909

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	221														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	2														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	669	223														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			17	29	92	44	7	1	6	3	21	220	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	66	In separate Wards	3
Admitted during the Week			57	9	6	1	2	2	2	1	2	82	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	-
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL, 68	TOTAL, 3		
TOTAL,			74	38	98	45	9	3	8	4	23	302	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			53	9	5	2	3	1	3	1	2	79	No. Relieved during week	57	8	7
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. in Workhouse at date	13	-	13
Total Discharged and Died			53	9	5	2	3	1	3	1	2	79	No. at corresponding period last year, 238			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			21	29	93	43	6	2	5	3	21	223				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of June 1909 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.	88	128			88	128	Bt. forward						
No. II.	116	168			116	168	No. VI.						
No. III.	181	275			181	275	No. VII.						
No. IV.	56	73			56	73	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	441	644			441	644	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 14th day of June 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,— *Mr. J. Higgins*, afterwards *Mr. D. Condren* Ch^m subsequently *Mr. Dargan* D.V.C.

Other Guardians:—

Mess^{rs} Dagan, Wolohan, Waldron, P. Kavanagh, Ruskell, Clarke, L. Murray, Quinn, G. Byrne, Joseph Cummins, J. Doyle, Richardson, A. Halpin, J. Keenan, John Cummins, Storey, M. J. Doyle, J. Gullen, Lenihan, Bergin, Douglas, Dawson, M. Byrne, Condell, A. Halpin, Fenelon, James Byrne, M. Carey, Burke, Yeates, Connolly, Brady, Joseph Byrne, Mason, Hollow, M. Murphy, James Byrne, Kelly, Keenan, Barry, Elson, Thomas Byrne, Healy, J. Byrne, P. Carey, Galvin, Brennan, W. H. Byrne, Gernon and W. Shail

The Minutes of 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, nameiy:—

900 loaves Bread
68 lbs Butter
450 " Meat
4 galls Buttermilk
264 " Newmilk
60 Doz Eggs
10 cwt oatmeal
45 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 June 1909

The Master submits Analyst's report on three samples of Newmilk and one of butter sent from the Workhouse supplies

	Solids	Fats
Sample N ^o 64 supplied by M ^r Short contained	12.2	and 3.2
" N ^o 65 " " M ^r Cullen "	11.3	" 2.5
" N ^o 66 " " M ^r Byrne "	12.0	" 3.7

N^o 65 was deficient 16 per cent of its fats -

The sample of Butter was pure -

Order - M^r Cullen to be asked for an explanation as he has been a very satisfactory contractor - DC

Order - 30/- to be allowed for clothes for boy Reid -

D. Condren

14.6.09

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 1909, from Local Government Board with reference to Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 24th May, the Board state that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration as specified in the Minutes to the Schoolmaster for his services as temporary substitute for the Master of the Workhouse —

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Read Letter dated 2nd June 1909, from the Royal Commission on the Poor Laws and Relief of Distress, enclosing a cheque for £4:16:0 as a gratuitous acknowledgment of services rendered in furnishing statistical information for the Commission — The Secretary states that it is left to the Guardians to decide whether any further payment should be made to the officers employed, or whether the amount forwarded by the Commission shall be credited to the funds of the Union —

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, Seconded by Mr Dargan
Resolved —

That the refund from the Royal Commission on the Poor Law &c be divided amongst the officers in same proportion as previous payment —

Passed unanimously — O'Condon

Read Letter dated 14th June 1909, from Dr Taylor Medical Officer of Workhouse applying for his annual holiday of four weeks to be taken at intervals during the Summer — Dr Ryan would do the duty if appointed by the Guardians —

Order — granted — J.D. 14.6.09

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Read letter dated 14th June 1909. from M^{rs} Kelly,
Schoolmistress in the Workhouse, applying for one month's
leave of absence —

Order — Leave granted Matron to look after the children.
D. Condren

Read letter dated 14th June 1909. from M^{rs} Laurence
Murphy, Relieving Officer submitting the name of
M^r Arthur Sutton of Rathdrum as one of his securities
in room of the late M^r John Sutton —

Order — Approved — J. D. 14.6.09

Proposed by M^r Carey, Seconded by M^r Quinn —
Resolved —

That Clerk write to L Corcoran, Tigronez
to come take his wife and child from the House and if
he does not come M^r M^r Carroll to take proceedings against
him for the maintenance of his wife and child —

Passed unanimously — Dant Condren

14th June 1909

Read Magistrates' Order for payment of a fee
of £1:2:0 to D^r Hamilton for examining a Dangerous
Lunatic —

Order — To be paid — D Condren 14.6.1909

Contracts

The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders from persons willing to supply the Workhouse with Provisions and necessaries for periods named from 1st July 1909, and at prices shewn —

For Three Months

Mr. John Doyle	Best Irish Mutton	at 3 ³ / ₄ per lb
Mr. James Brennan	" " Beef	" 5 " "
same	" Sheep Heads	" 3 each
Mr. Thomas Cullen	" Boneless Beef	" 7 ⁰ per lb
W. Smith & Son	" Irish Bacon	" 8 ⁰ " "
Mr. Thomas Moody	" White Bread	" 5 ⁰ / ₂ " "
John Sutton & Sons	" Irish Flake oatmeal	" 14/6 " cwt

Mr. M. Gowan 250 Tons screened Orrell Coal at 21¹/₃ per Ton

For Twelve Months

Mr. Margaret Kearns	Best Butter	at 13 per lb
same	" Buttermilk	" 3 per gall

Mess^{rs} Short, Charles Cullen and Thomas Cullen proposed to supply New milk at 9⁰ per gallon

Proposed by Mr. M. Shail, Seconded by Mr. James Byrne
That the 3 tenders at 9⁰ per gallon for milk be accepted
lost

Amendment Proposed by Mr. Ruskell, Seconded by Mr. Carey
Resolved -

That as we consider the tenders for milk too high the contract be postponed and readvertized -
Carried by 32 votes to 17 votes against

Proceedings at Meeting of Rathdrum Board of Guardians held on the 14th of June 1909, in relation to Boarded out Children -

Read Letter dated 5th June 1909, from M^{rs} Alicia M. Mahon, Glasnamullen, requesting that she may be informed do the Guardians intend to give the child Henry Lee out to Nurse -

Order - Child has gone out - O'Condon

Relieving Officer Johnson reported that he brought two children named Higgins who had been at Nurse in his district into the Workhouse on 1st of June

Read Letter dated 6th June 1909, from M^{rs} Doran Nine View, Ovoca stating she would be willing to take one of the Higgins children to Nurse

Read Letter dated 10th June 1909, from M^{rs} Levingston Ballyduff, Ashford requesting the Guardians to let her have one of the Higgins children to Nurse -

Order - To be considered at future meeting - O'Condon

Read Letter dated 14th June 1909, from M^{rs} Byrne Avondale, applying to the Guardians for a child named Higgins to be sent to her as a Nurse child -

Read letter dated 14th June 1909, from Miss Margaret Cooper, Ballinacarrig, Rathdrum, applying to the Guardians for two children a boy and girl named Higgins to take out to Nurse, she can be recommended by P.P. and R.D. and is known to Local Guardians —

Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, Seconded by Mr. Clarke
Resolved —

That Miss Cooper be asked to send back the Nurse child she has at present and take the two little Higgins instead so that they may be reared as brother and sister —

Passed unanimously - D Condren

Medical Charities Minutes cont^d from page 36 —

Read letter dated 13th June 1909, from Dr. Harte Medical Officer of Annamoe Dispensary District, requesting the Guardians to grant him his annual 4 weeks leave to be taken as the work permits —

Order — Leave granted to Dr. Harte - Dr. Lynch to act as locum Tenens or as may be mutually arranged between the two Doctors as to precedence — Dan^l Condren - 14.6.09

Read Telegram from Dr. Lynch Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District applying for four weeks leave Dr. Harte to act as usual —

Order — To be granted if he can arrange for Dr. Harte to give him precedence — D Condren 14/6/09

In accordance with notice of motion served by Mr. Wolahan, at last meeting the Guardians proceeded to consider the question of adopting a graded scale of salaries for the Medical Officers of the Union -

after considerable discussion it was -
Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, Seconded by Mr. Ellison
Resolved -

That a Committee of the following Guardians be appointed to consider the question of increasing the Medical Officers Salaries and report to meeting on this day four weeks -

Viz - The Chairman, Vice Chairman & Deputy Vice Chairman of the Guardians and Chairman and Vice Chairman of District Council
Messrs Galvin; Byrne, Wicklow; Clarke; Waldron; Byrne, Inniskilly; Doyle, Annamoe; and Ellison to be assisted by Clerk -

Carried - Dan Condron 14 June 1909

Read Resolution of Ennisceorthy Guardians with reference to amending Vaccination Law

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 21st day of June 1909

(Signed) B. Manning
Clerk of the Union
L. Short 20/6/09

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RECONCILEMENT.						
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Net Balance as above due.....the Union			

Dated this _____ day of _____ 190

Clerk of Union.

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[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the 14th day of June 1909

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

Indoor, from No. 14421 to No. 14687

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Out-door „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	140	11	9	33	11	8	174	3	5	41	10	10	2	9	2	44	-	-	130	3	5	1592
Necessaries	50	10	7	.	.	.	50	10	7	5	2	-	1	4	2	6	6	2	44	4	5	
Total.	191	2	4	33	11	8	224	14	-	46	12	10	3	13	4	50	6	2	174	7	10	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	: 4 : 1 $\frac{1}{4}$
Average Cost in Infirmary	: 5 : 10 $\frac{1}{4}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	: 6 : 8 $\frac{3}{4}$

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	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 ...	7	18	5	14	18	9	7	18	8	10	13	6				41	9	4			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	20	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-				70	-	-			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	27	18	5	34	18	9	37	18	8	10	13	6				111	9	4			
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	12	13	-	14	19	-	22	12	6	8	7	6				58	12	-			
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	-	4	-				-	10	6			
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-			
7. Total Relief given	12	13	-	14	19	-	22	19	-	8	11	6				59	2	6			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	15	5	5	19	19	9	14	19	8	2	2	-				52	6	10			
9. TOTAL ...	27	18	5	34	18	9	37	18	8	10	13	6				111	9	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 16th day of June 1909,

B. Manning
Clerk of Union.

[This is to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the triennial Election of Guardians and of 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 28th May 1909, from Mr. W. Carroll acknowledging receipt of Notice of Assignment of Debts by Mr. J. Kinlen dated 10th May 1909, and also letter of the 15th May from Mess^{rs}. Kevans & Son. Mr. W. Carroll states that if the Guardians or Council owe Mr. Kinlen any money it will be necessary to make the payment to the Trustees, Mess^{rs}. Kevans and Sons, 31 Dame Street, Dublin. In order to enable him to reply to Mess^{rs}. Kevans' letter he shall be obliged to know if the Guardians owe the £81. mentioned —</p> <p>Order - Information to be supplied when particulars received from Mr. Moore — D. Condren 14/6/09</p> <p>Read letter from same dated 2nd June 1909 stating that he notes that the Clerk has written to Mr. Moore for a statement as to the sum due to Mr. Kinlen by the Guardians —</p> <p>Read letter dated 1st June 1909, from Mr. Moore stating that it will certainly be two months before he can certify Anamoe Dispensary complete —</p> <p>Read letter from same dated 12th June 1909, stating that he is ready for advertising Newtownmt Kennedy Dispensary as soon as he receives instructions —</p> <p>Order - Clerk to advertise as soon as matters connected with same are fully cleared up — D. Condren</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 67,735: 1909 28 th May 1909	Transmitting for the consideration of the Guardians a copy of a letter which they have received from D ^r O'Gorman, Medical Officer, complaining of the condition of the Aughrim Dispensary Residence —	This matter has been already referred to the Engineer for report —
N ^o 64,435: 1909 29 th May 1909	Stating that in view of the facts set forth in their letter of the 7 th May, they regret that they are unable, in the interests of the sick poor, to sanction M ^{rs} Connolly's continuance in office as Midwife of the Newcastle Dispen ^{sary} District, and they request that the Guardians will be so good as to call upon her for her resignation —	Nurse Connolly to be called on to resign and the Local Government Board to be asked to allow the Board of Guardians to give her a small compensation on retiring — D Condren 14/6/09
N ^o 50,373: 1909 3 rd June 1909	Requesting that they may be informed whether the defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the Newbridge Dispensary District have complied with the law —	Referred to Medical Officer for report — J. D. 14.6.09
N ^o 64,435: 1909 4 th June 1909	Requesting that they may be furnished with the duplicate copy of the Requisition for medicines recently submitted by the Medical Officer of the Aughrim Dispensary District	Complied with — D Condren 14.6.09

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 64435 : 1909 5 th June 1909	Local Government Board -	Requesting that they may be informed of the estimated cost of the Special surgical boot and steel support proposed to be provided for a Dispensary patient in the Arklow Dispensary District -	Estimated cost 25/- D Condon 14. 6. 09
N ^o 64435 : 1909 5 th June 1909	same	Requesting that they may be furnished with the Analyst's report of the 24 th April last on samples of drugs from the Rathdrum Dispensary -	Has been done.
29 th May 1909	M ^r Moore C.E.	Stating that he has forwarded a Specification and estimate re Aughrim Dispensary Repairs to the Local Government Board, and enclosing a copy of same -	Referred to the local Guardians for consideration - ✓
31 st May 1909	M ^r John Murphy Insurance Agent	Enclosing reply he got from the Hibernian Insurance Co re insurance of Dispensaries - The Company state that they are willing to accept them at a rate of 1/6 per cent	Have the Insurance effected by the Guardians in future - D Condon 14. 6. 09

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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. —

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

Read letter dated 12th June 1909, from Commissioners of Public Works, stating that it will be necessary to furnish evidence on behalf of the Guardians that they have permission to place the septic tank (in connection with Annamoe Dispensary) in the opposite field — The Board desire that the Engineer's final certificate should be forwarded as soon as possible in order that the case may be closed —

Order — Referred to Mr. M. Carroll to furnish the required particulars
 Pay order to be drawn in favour of Mr. John Byrne of Annamoe to be handed to him by Mr. M. Carroll when he signs
 Conveyance — Dan. Condren — 14/6/09

Read letter dated 3rd June 1909, from Mr. M. Carroll, enclosing copy letter received from Dr. Harte re Medical Officer's residence at Annamoe, he requests the Guardians instructions —

Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, Seconded by Mr. George Byrne
 Resolved —

That Dr. Harte be requested to sign his agreement and go into occupation of the Doctor's Residence at Annamoe on or before the 28th June 1909 —

Passed unanimously — Dan. Condren 14.6.09

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 21st

day of June 1909

(Signed,)

P. Manning
 Clerk of the Union.

P. Short
 28/6/09

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of June 1909

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	589	238															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	3															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	669	241															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			21	29	93	43	6	2	5	3	21	223	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	66	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			69	9	5	2	1	-	2	3	1	92	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other inmates	-	
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL, 69	TOTAL, 3			
TOTAL			90	38	98	45	7	2	7	6	22	315	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			63	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	74	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. Relieved during week	69	7	6	82
Total Discharged and Died			63	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	74	No. in Workhouse at date	19	5	6	30
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			27	33	94	44	7	2	7	6	21	241	No. at corresponding period last year, 233				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of June 1909 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.	88	128			88	128	Bt. forward						
No. II.	115	161			115	161	No. VI.						
No. III.	182	276			182	276	No. VII.						
No. IV.	55	69			55	69	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	440	634			440	634	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 21st day of June 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians :—

There was no meeting on this day no Guardian being present

J. Short,
28/6/09
J. Manning
Clerk

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:—

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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):—

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

(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 the _____ day of _____ 190_____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190_____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	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 _____ 190_____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	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			

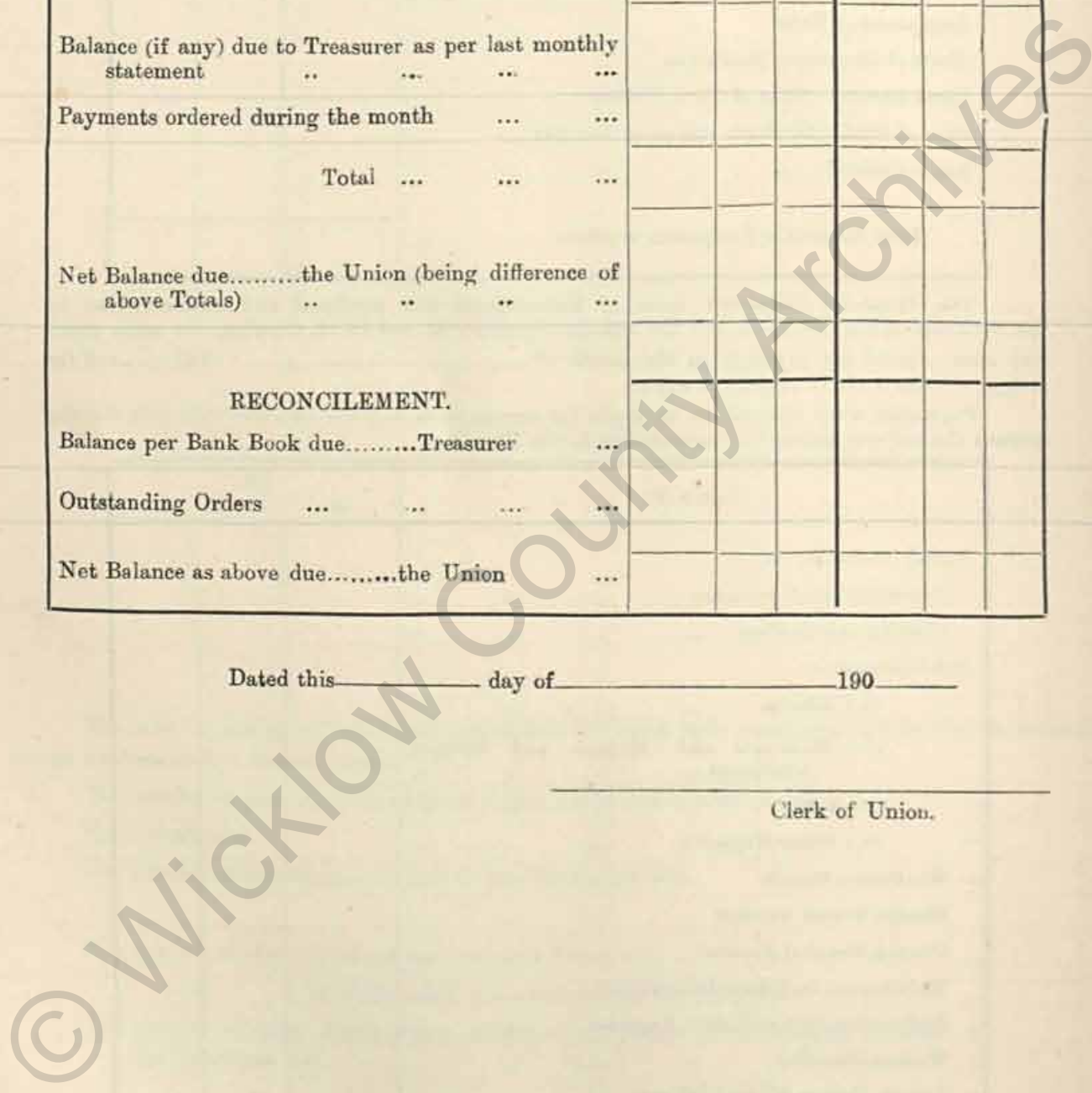
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190 _____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
										By Inmates		By Officers		Total					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions																			}
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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190____, 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 ...																								
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.

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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			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.	

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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. —

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of June 1909

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	589	212															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	669	213															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			27	33	94	44	7	2	7	6	21	241	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	63	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	3	
Admitted during the Week			63	11	6	1	2	-	4	3	4	94	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1			
Born													TOTAL	64	TOTAL	3	
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
TOTAL			90	44	100	45	9	2	11	9	25	335					
Discharged during the Week			72	17	8	3	6	-	6	5	4	121	No. Relieved during week	63	8	11	82
Died					1							1	No. in Workhouse at date	10			10
Total Discharged and Died			72	17	9	3	6	-	6	5	4	122					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	27	91	42	3	2	5	4	21	213					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 19th day of June 1909 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.	86	126			86	126	Bt. forward						
No. II.	113	151			113	151	No. VI.						
No. III.	184	286			184	286	No. VII.						
No. IV.	55	69			55	69	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	438	632			438	632	TOTAL						

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COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 28th day of June 1909

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

Other Guardians :— Mess^{rs} Wolohan, Waldron, Clarke, G. Bysne, Lenihan, Condell, Neill, James Bysne, Brady, James Bysne, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, Thomas Bysne, J. Carey, Brennan, W. M. Bysne 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:—

1 side Bacon

950 loaves Bread

6 galls Buttermilk

264 " Newmilk

68 lbs Butter

450 " Meat

45 Sheep Heads

60 Dry 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 -

28th June 1909

The Master submits report of Analyst on three samples of New Milk sent him from the Workhouse supplies on 8th instant

Sample N ^o 67 supplied by M ^r Short	contained	Solids 12.10	and	Fats 3.4
" " 68 " " M ^r Cullen	"	12.72	"	3.3
" " 69 " " M ^r Byrne	"	11.96	"	3.7

The supply of water to the Workhouse for the past couple of months has been very limited - The Master suggests the opening and cleaning of the mains -

Order - Refer to M^r Moore - P Short 28.6.09

Proposed by M^r Ellison, Seconded by M^r M^r Shail
Resolved -

That a committee consisting of Mess^{rs}

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

Ellison, J Byrne, Dullinderry, M^r Shail, Barry, The Workhouse Master and M^r Moore C.E. be formed and authorised to inspect Rathdrum Reservoir with a view to improve same; Committee to meet at 5 p.m. on Saturday next -

Passed Patrick Short 26.6.09

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 June 1909, from Mr. Moore C.S. requesting the Guardians to grant him the usual annual months leave of absence from Monday 5th July next, and stating that he will make arrangements to have the inspection work done by a qualified assistant —

Order — Leave granted —

Read letter dated 28th June 1909, from Mr. Johnson Relieving Officer applying for one weeks leave, and stating that his son will do work in his absence —

Order - Leave granted 3/- a week for substitute.

S. Short

28/6/09

The following Notice of Motion was served -
28th June 1909

We hereby give notice that it is our intention to move this day fortnight a Resolution increasing the amount of Out-Door-Relief given to all persons in the Union certified as over seventy years to Five Shillings a week until such time as they shall be qualified for the Old age Pension by the removal of the Poor Law disability —

Signed W.M. Byrne

Frank W. Phail

S Short -

28.6.09

Read Report dated 28th June 1909 from Sir C
A Cameron on the following drugs sent for Analysis from
the Workhouse -

Liniment of Belladonna	—	Correct
Soap Liniment	—	Correct
Compound Tincture of Cardamom	—	Correct

These specimens were not forwarded for analysis
according to the Local Government Board's Instructions as there
was no date on bottles stating when drugs were received
from Contractor -

Proposed by W. G. Byrne, Seconded by W. P. Kearns
Resolved -

That ~~W. G.~~ Carroll, Solicitor, proceed
against Laurence Corcoran for the maintenance of his
wife and child in the Workhouse the cost amounts
to £17. odd -

Passed unanimously -
Patrick Short

Mess^{rs} Thomas Cullen, Rathdrum, Charles Cullen, Rathdrum
and John Short, Ballinacarrig proposed to supply the
Workhouse with new milk for 12 months at 9^d per gallon
Mess^{rs} J. Merrigan, Moore's Hill and Martin Byrne, Ballinacilloge
proposed to supply $\frac{2}{3}$ & $\frac{1}{3}$ of Milk required respectively at 7^d
per gallon delivered at Rathdrum Railway Station -

The Guardians accepted the two latter tenders provided
Satisfactory arrangements are made for delivery at Workhouse

Proceedings at Meeting of Rathdrum Board of Guardians held on the 28th of June 1909, in relation to Boarded out children -

The Guardians took into consideration the letters read at last meeting requesting the Guardians to send The Higgins children out to nurse -

Order - Miss Cooper to get the boy Higgins, M^{rs} Byrne avondale to get the Higgins girl - P Short -

28 June 1909

The above order was made on proposition of M^r F. M^r Phail, seconded by M^r J. Barry -

An Amendment -

Proposed by M^r George Byrne, seconded by M^r O'Neill -
That Higgins child be sent to M^{rs} Livingstone -
was defeated on show of hands -

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Medical Charities Minutes cont^d from page 90

Read Letter dated 25th June 1909, from Mr. M. B. Shelan, Aughrim, stating that he summoned a meeting of the local Guardians for June 25th at the Aughrim Dispensary -

Mess^{rs} J. O'Neill, James Byrne and Shelan attended -

The meeting approves of the Engineer's Specification for repairs of the Doctor's residence and recommends that it be advertised for contract at next meeting -

Order - To be advertised for tenders at next meeting - P. Short

Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, seconded by Mr. G. Byrne

Resolved -

That tender for painting &c. for Doctor's Residence at Arklow be advertised for. Mr. Moore to prepare a specification -

Passed - P. Short.

Read letter dated 26th June 1909, from Dr. Harte, Medical Officer of Annamoe Dispensary District, acknowledging receipt of the Guardians' letter of 21st inst, and stating in reply that he is not hostile to the Guardians in the matter of Annamoe Dist^{ts} residence he is merely seeking fair treatment - He objects to live in the house as no shutters have been put on any of the windows -

Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, seconded by Mr. John Barry

Resolved -

The Board refuse to put shutters on house and call upon Dr. Harte to comply with order of last Board day -

Passed - P. Short 28/6/09

Read Report dated 23rd June 1909, from Sir C. A. Cameron, on the following drugs sent for analysis from Anghrim Dispensary —

Tincture of Digitalis ————— Correct
Compound Tincture of Cardamomis ————— Correct —

Order — The Guardians request the Local Government Board to issue to them, a Certificate under the Dispensary Houses Act, to enable application to be made to the Commissioners of Public Works for the Loan required for the purpose of building a Medical Officers Residence and Dispensary for the Newcastle Dispensary District —

Gardiner 22/7/09

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 5th
day of July 1909

(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 the 14th day of June 1909

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 1909 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	600	-	-
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	600	-	-

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 1909 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	180	9	10
Clothing and Bedding	21	11	4
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	9	-	-
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	2	8	6
(d.) Other Expenses	62	1	9
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	14	4	-
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	2	14	5
Medical Charities	19	-	-
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	270	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	10	12	6
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	592	2	4

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

May 1909

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1518	13	2	-	-	-
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-	600	-	-
Total	1518	13	2	600	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	1211	12	6
Payments ordered during the month	581	9	10	10	12	6
Total	581	9	10	1222	5	-
Net Balance due ^{to} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	937	3	4	622	5	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	1692	15	-	10412	5	-
Outstanding Orders	655	11	8	210	-	-
Net Balance as above due ^{to} the Union	937	3	4	622	5	-

Dated this 30th day of June 1909

J. Manning
Clerk of Union.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the 28th day of June 1909

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

Indoor, from No. 4688 to No. 4866

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Out-door „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of June 1909 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days						
				Total			By Inmates		By Officers		Total											
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	117	7	6	55	17	10	173	54	41	2	4	2	9	3	43	11	7	129	13	9	1574	
Necessaries	38	10	7	.	7	.	38	17	7	4	7	11	1	4	2	5	12	1	33	5		6
Total.	155	18	1	56	4	10	212	2	11	45	10	3	3	13	5	49	3	8	162	19		3

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	4 : - $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary	5 : 8 $\frac{3}{4}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	6 : 6 $\frac{1}{4}$

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

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

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

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

the 19th day of June 1909, 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 ...	2	12	5	4	18	7	22	2	13	11	6								43	2	8	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	20	-	-	30	-	-	-	-								70	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	22	12	5	24	18	7	52	2	13	11	6								113	2	8	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	12	17	6	14	12	6	23	11	6	8	16								58	17	6	
In Kind ...					3	-					7	6								10	6	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																						
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	2	2	1																	2	2	1
7. Total Relief given	14	9	7	14	15	6	23	1	6	9	3	6							61	10	1	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	8	2	10	10	3	1	29	18	8	4	8									51	12	7
9. TOTAL ...	22	12	5	24	18	7	52	2	13	11	6									113	2	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 in the Minutes.

Dated this 20th day of June 1909.

J. P. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		<p>Read letter dated 26th June 1909, from Dr O'Keefe Medical Officer of Newbridge Dispensary District applying for 4 weeks' leave of absence from the 12th July to 9th August to be taken as the requirements of the district will permit. Dr O'gorman, Aughrim, is willing to act as locum tenens at the usual remuneration —</p> <p>Order — Leave granted — Dr O'gorman to act as Locum Tenens at usual fee — J Short — 28.6.09</p>
		<p>Read letter dated 27th June 1909, from Dr Hamilton Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District, applying for the annual four weeks leave of absence, to be taken at his discretion, and as the requirements of the district will permit. Dr Wa Cooke who resides in Arklow, is willing to act as locum tenens at the usual remuneration —</p> <p>Order — Leave granted — Dr Cooke to act as locum Tenens at usual fee — J Short — 28.6.09</p>
		<p>Read letter dated 28th June 1909, from Mr Moore C.E. stating that in accordance with the Board's instructions, he has prepared a specification and estimate for the repairs necessary to Wicklow Dispensary. The cost will be about £35 —</p> <p>Order — Landlord to be asked to put place in repair — J Short —</p>

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

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

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

Read letter dated 26th June 1909, from M^{rs} M. J. Connolly Newtown, resigning her position of Midwife for the Newcastle Dispensary District -

Order - Resignation accepted - Nurse for Dispensary District to be advertised for, election to take place this day fortnight -

Proposed by M^r G. Byrne, Seconded by M^r M. Phail
Resolved -

That we grant Nurse Connolly, late midwife of Newcastle Dispensary District, a sum of £25, in recognition of her twelve years' service, subject to the approval of the Local Government Board -

June 28th 1909 - Passed - P. Short -

Proposed by M^r Barry, Seconded by M^r M. Phail
Resolved -

That Nurse Burke be appointed temporary Nurse pending appointment at £1:1:0 a week -

Passed by a majority on show of hands -

Amendment Proposed by M^r James Byrne, Seconded by M^r Kearns

That Nurse Weldon act as temporary nurse -

Defeated

see page 69

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 5th
day of July 1909

(Signed,)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

D. W. Gordon
12/7/09

Population in 1901— 26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of June 1909

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	589	217															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80																
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	669	217															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	27	91	42	3	2	5	4	21	213	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	60	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			57	15	3	1	2		5	6	6	95	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other inmates		
Born													TOTAL, 60	TOTAL, 3			
TOTAL			75	42	94	43	5	2	10	10	27	308	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			51	15	5	2	1		6	4	5	89	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died					1						1	2	No. Relieved during week	56	10	14	80
Total Discharged and Died			51	15	6	2	1		6	4	6	91	No. in Workhouse at date)	16			16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			24	27	88	41	4	2	4	6	21	217	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 26th day of June 1909 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.	86	126			86	126	Bt. forward						
No. II.	114	155			114	155	No. VI.						
No. III.	180	278			180	278	No. VII.						
No. IV.	58	75			58	75	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.	438	634			438	634	No. X.						
							TOTAL						716

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 5th day of July 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians :—

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

Dawson
12/7/09

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:—

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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):—

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 12th day of July 1909

(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 the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

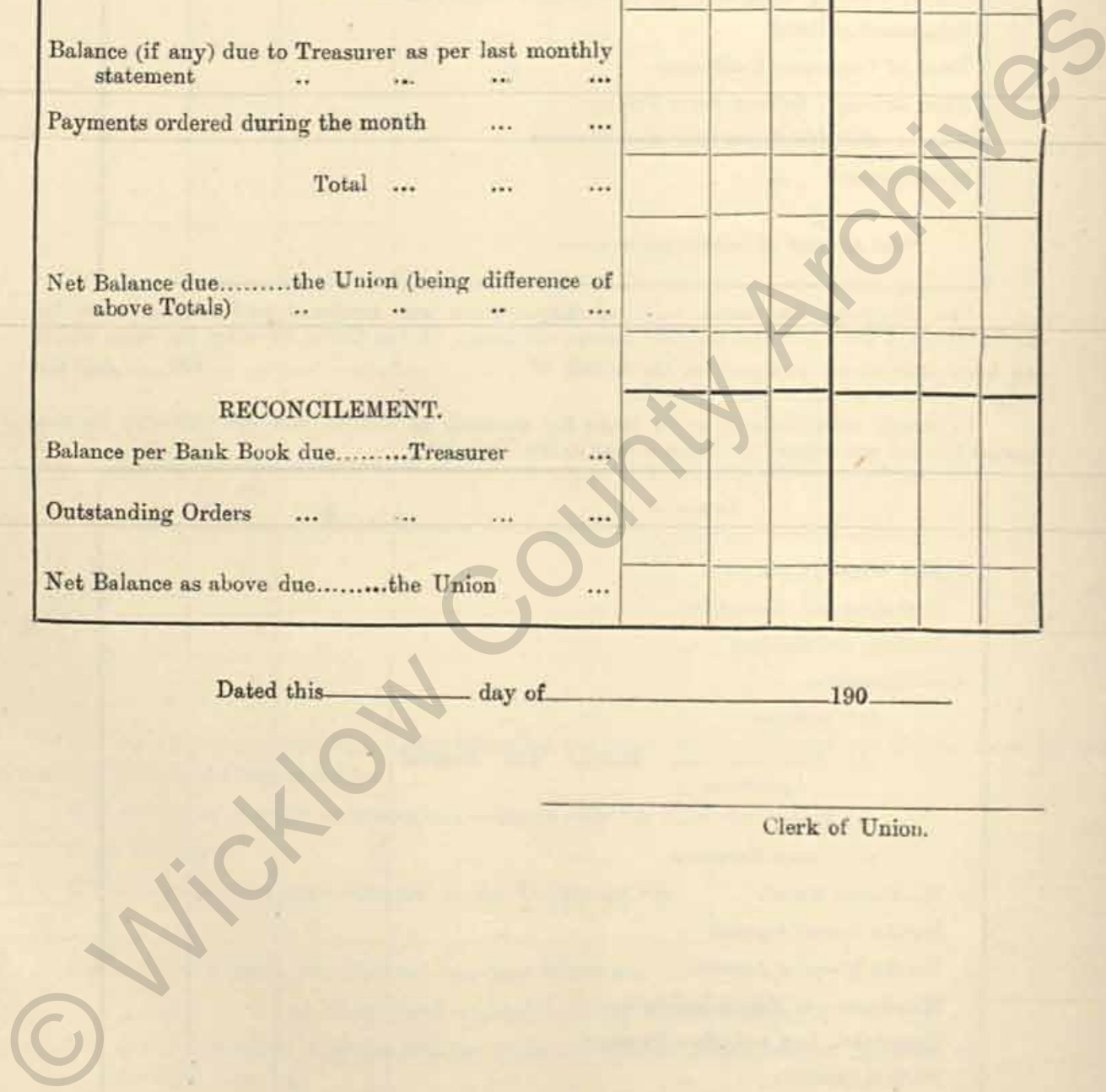
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190 _____

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190_____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190_____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
	Total						By Inmates		By Officers		Total					
	£	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 —

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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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190 _____, 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 ...																								
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.

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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			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.	

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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. :-

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of July 1909

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	589	216															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80																
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	669	216															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			24	27	88	41	4	2	4	6	21	217	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	62	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			39	6	5	3	2	-	1	2	2	60	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates	-	
Born													TOTAL	62	TOTAL	3	
TOTAL			63	33	93	44	6	2	5	8	23	277	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			43	6	5	1	2	-	-	1	3	61	No. Relieved during week	38	5	5	48
Died													No. in Workhouse at date	13	1	-	14
Total Discharged and Died			43	6	5	1	2	-	-	1	3	61	No. at corresponding period last year, 217				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			20	27	88	43	4	2	5	7	20	216					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of July 1909 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.	86	126			86	126	Bt. forward						
No. II.	116	165			116	165	No. VI.						
No. III.	178	272			178	272	No. VII.						
No. IV.	58	75			58	75	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.	438	638			438	638	No. X.						
							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 12th day of July 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Mr. D. Condren Ch^m
 Other Guardians:— Mr. Patrick Short Vice Ch^m
 Mess^{rs} Hagan, Wolahan, Waldron, L. Magrath, Kavanagh, C. Murray, Clarke, L. Murray, Quinn, G. Byrne, Joseph Anniam, P. Doyle, Richardson, A. Halpin, John Anniam, Storey, M. Doyle, J. Murphy, Lemhan, Bergin, Douglas, Kelly, M. Byrne, O'Heilly, Travers, Condell, Fenelon, Neill, Shelan, Yates, Connolly, Joseph Byrne, Mason, Mollon, M. Murphy, James Byrne, Kelly, Higgins, Kearns, Barry, Shanon, Thomas Byrne, Healy, J. Carey, Galvin, W. H. Byrne, Gernon and McPhail
 The Minutes of 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:—

910 Loaves Bread
70 lbs Butter
6 galls Buttermilk
273 - Newmilk
60 Dry Eggs
450 lbs Meat
50 Sheep Heads
10 galls Whiskey

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:—

*Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union
at their Meeting held on 12th July 1909 in relation to
Boarded out Children —*

*Read letter dated 3rd July 1909, from
Local Government Board stating that they have had
before them the order of the Guardians of the 28th ultimo
proposing that two children named Higgins should
be boarded out with different foster parents, and the
Board draw attention to the resolution adopted by the
Guardians on the 14th ultimo requesting "Miss Cooper
to send back the nurse child she has at present and to
take the two little Higginses instead so that they may be
reared as brother and sister," and state that they consider
the proposal not to separate the children as most proper.*

*The Board accordingly request the Guardians to
reconsider the matter with the view of procuring one home
for the two children —*

No order —

—

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

12th July 1909

The Master submits Analysts report on three samples of New milk sent from Workhouse supplies on 22nd ult

sample N ^o 71	Supplied by M ^r Byrne	contained	Solids 11.56	and	Fats 3.2
" - 72	" - M ^r Short	"	12.4	"	3.9
" - 70	" - M ^r Cullen	"	11.4	"	2.4 and

was deficient of 20% fats —

The Master asks the Guardians to give directions as to the times at which the new Milk shall be delivered at the Workhouse by the Contractors —

Order - The Master to arrange with the Contractors — O.C.

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 68,289, 1909 dated 30th June 1909, from Local Government Board stating that Contractors for the supply of Medicines to Poor Law Unions having become liable to the increased duties upon all preparations of the British Pharmacopoeia in the preparation of which spirit is used, are entitled to charge to the Unions the increased duty in proper proportion, in addition to the contract price of the preparations affected by the change —

The Board enclosed a copy of a schedule which they have prepared showing the amount per lb chargeable in addition to the contract price —

Read Circular letter N^o 58,809: 1909 dated 2nd July 1909 from Same enclosing a form of Register of Nurses and Infants which might with advantage be used by Boards of Guardians in recording the cases notified to them under the provisions of the Children's Act 1908 —

Order - To be complied with — Dundren 12.7.09

Read Letter from Same dated 10th July 1909, stating, in reply to the inquiry contained in the letter from the Clerk of the Union dated 3rd instant, that Section 3(2) of the Probate Duties (Scotland and Ireland) Act, 1888, enacts that all sums paid to the Board of Guardians of a Union pursuant to that Act, shall be applied in aid of the poor rate, and therefore, no portion of the Estate Duty Grant can be regarded as specially earmarked to recoup expenditure in respect of the salaries of Medical Officers - The only fund to which these salaries are chargeable is that created by Section

Section 58(1) of the Local Government (Ireland) Act 1898, and under sub section 2(a) (1) of that Section one-half such salaries are payable through the County Councils to the Boards of Guardians - A limitation to recoupment in respect of the Guardians' expenditure under all heads of sub section 2(a) was imposed, however, by Section 6(c) of the Local Government Act, 1902, and the provisions of this latter section are already operative in the case of Rathdrum Union -

Read Letter from Same dated 5th July 1909, transmitting questions for answers respecting Mr Johnson who has been employed temporarily as Relieving Officer in the Union, and requesting that when the questions shall have been answered and signed they may be returned to L.G. Board office -

Read letter from Relieving Officer S Johnson stating that he will not take the weeks leave that he was granted on the last Board day -

Order - agreed to. Dondren 12.7.09

Read letter dated 5th July 1909, from Wicklow County Council stating that they have placed to the credit of the Union the sum of £23 22 - being second instalment of Demand -

Read Letters dated 30th June 1909, from Mr McCarroll requesting that he may be furnished with further particulars

with reference to proceedings of Guardians v Corcoran

Read letter dated 5th July 1909, from Mess^{rs} M J O'Connor & Co, Solicitors, pointing out that Corcoran's wife left him without any cause whatever and took the child with her - He has offered to take her back and he now, through them repeats that offer -

Read letter dated 29th June 1909, from Laurence Corcoran, Tigroney stating that his wife will not stay with him and he has nothing to pay the Guardians for her keep so he is totally at a loss to know what to do in the matter -

Read letter dated 12th July 1909, from D^r Taylor Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that he sent an inmate named Tobias Kenny to the Victoria Eye Hospital on 19th June 1909 - The case was very urgent and he asks the Guardians to confirm ~~my~~ his action in the matter -

Order - Approved - D Condren -

Read letter dated 12th July 1909, from M^r Thomas Toole, Workhouse Porter, applying for two weeks leave of absence James Ellis who did his duty on a former occasion, will with the permission of the Guardians act similarly now -

Order - Leave granted, substitute to be paid 15/- per week -
D Condren 12.7.09

Read the following letter from Mr. Frank McShail P.L.S.
3rd July 1909

Gentlemen -

I beg to report having inspected the water supply to the Workhouse on this day, as arranged at last meeting & accompanied by the Workhouse master I visited the Reservoir in which there was good supply of water, some two feet over supply valve - From an inspection of the mains and levels it is certain that the pipes are more or less choked with sediment, and that if a small expenditure say £20 is made these pipes which run some 600 yards can be thoroughly cleaned and the supply restored to its old force

Where new turned and bored pipes are required these can be obtained at 5/6 for each 9 feet length plus carriage from Wicklow to Rathdrum - The reconstruction of or tampering with the reservoir would be an expensive and risky work -

Yours faithfully
Frank McShail

Order - The Master to look after the water supply of the House and to have the work done cost not to exceed £9:10:0 -

D Condren 12.7.09

Read Magistrates order for payment of £1:1:0 to Dr. Ryan for examining a Dangerous Lunatic -

Order - To be paid - DC

Read letter signed by Rev J P Byrne C.C. and Messrs Gernon McShail, W M Byrne P.L.S. and J M Collins recommending that Lizzie Roman of Wicklow be granted out Door Relief -

NO order as she is not qualified -

Read Notices of the eviction of Andrew Quinn, Patrick Quinn, Michael Byrne, Rathnew and Sarah M^cDonald, Dispensary Lane, Wicklow served on Relieving Officer -

The Medical Officer of the Workhouse applied for a supply of Medicines ~~and appliances~~ total cost £10:7:0
Order - To be supplied -

Read Report and recommendation of the Committee appointed by the Guardians on the application of the Medical Officers of the Union to have a graded scale of salaries fixed for them -

Members Present Mess^{rs} O'Carey, James Byrne, M Waldron Joseph Clarke, W M Byrne, and M^{rs} Dargan -

The Committee recommend that an immediate increase of £25 a year be granted to each Medical Officer who has five years service -

We do not recommend a retrospective scale -

Passed - O'Carey June 28th 1909 -

Proposed by M^r Short, Seconded by M^r Gernon

That the Medical Officers of the Union be granted a present increase of £10 each with increments of £10 every three years to a maximum of £200 - retrospective -

Amendment

Proposed by M^r O'Carey, Seconded by M^r Canniam
Resolved -

That Twenty Pounds of an increase be given to the Medical Officers of this Union who have over five years standing and to those under five years service an increase of Ten Pounds with a graded scale of £5 every three years from this date till it reaches the maximum of £180. This
increment

increment not to be retrospective -

Amendment carried by 36 votes to 12 votes against

On Mr. Carey's motion being put as a Substantive Resolution
The following amendment was

Proposed by Mr. Ellison, Seconded by Mr. James Byrne
That Mr. Carey's motion be altered to £7:10:0 instead
of £5. -

Defeated 20 voting for and 24 against -

Mr. Carey's motion was declared carried without a division -

The following Notice of Motion was served -

I beg to give notice that I or some Guardian for me will move
at next meeting that resolution passed today to increase
Doctors' salaries be rescinded - And that the Doctors salaries
be immediately increased by £25 a year with increases of £10,
triennially until maximum of £100 is reached - and that
retrospective increases be added at rate of £5 for every five
years service -

Patrick Short

Recd 12-7-09. DC. The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth
in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 19th
day of July 1909

(Signed)

Patrick 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 the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

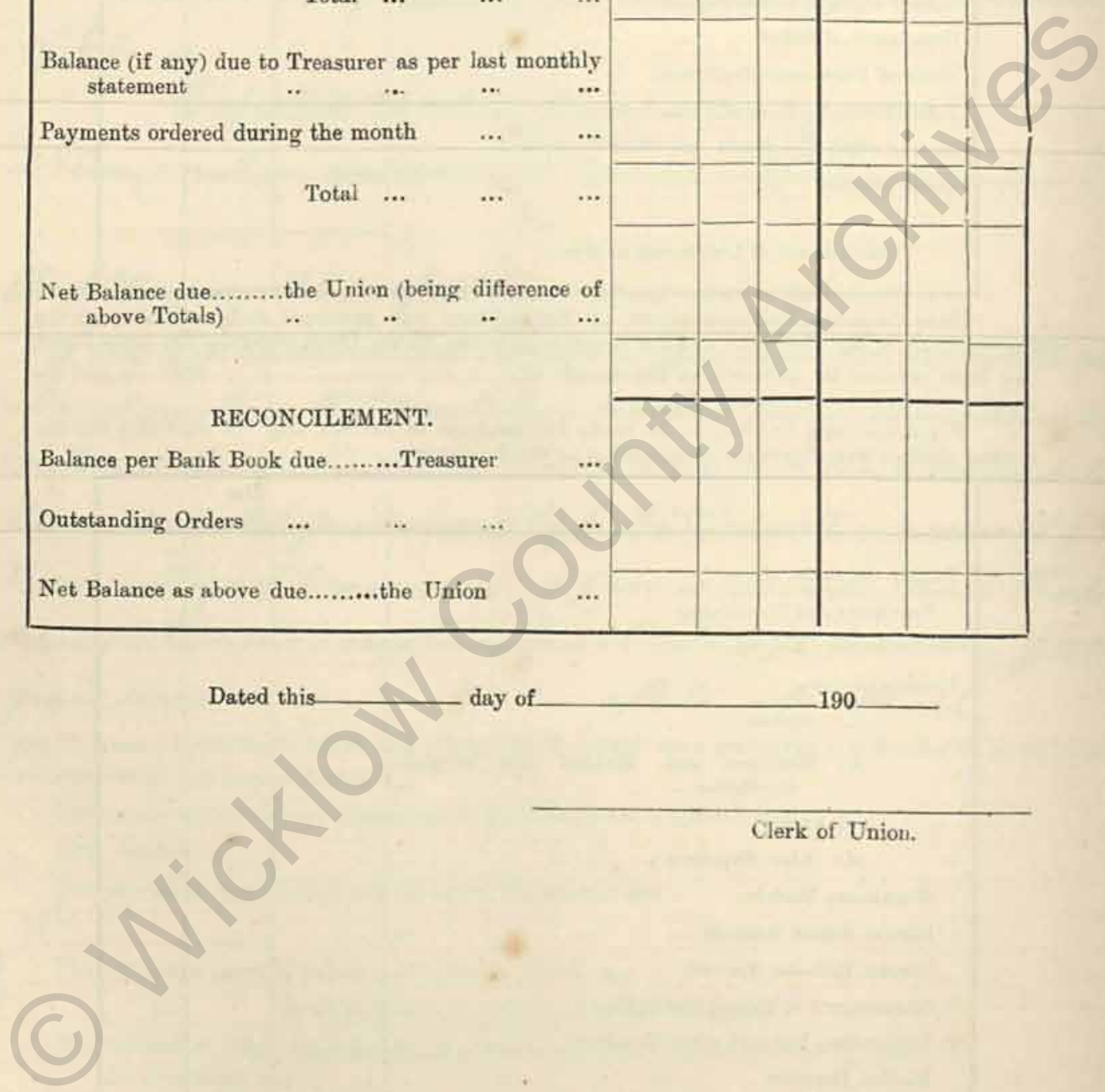
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the 12th day of July 1909

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

Indoor, from No. 4867 to No. 5000

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Out-door „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of July 1909 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days									
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Total			£	s.	d.										
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	121	54		42	14	7	163	19	11	40	15	11	2	9	2	43	51	120	14	10	} 1511	
Necessaries	29	11		-	-		29	11		3	15	7	1	4	2	4	19	9	24	1		4
Total.	150	65		42	14	7	193	1	-	44	11	6	3	13	4	48	4	10	144	16		2

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 4 : 1 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 6 : - $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : - : -

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

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|--|--|
| 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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of July 1909, 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 ...	11	-	2	13	17	7	5	13	10	12	5	4							42	16	11	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	20	-	-	30	-	-	20	-	-							90	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	31	-	2	33	17	7	35	13	10	32	5	4							132	16	11	
EXPENDITURE.																						
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																						
In Money ...	12	9	-	15	2	6	22	14	6	8	16	-							59	2	-	
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	2	6									12	6
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	12	9	-	15	12	6	22	14	6	8	18	6							59	14	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	18	11	2	18	5	1	12	19	4	23	6	10							73	2	5	
9. TOTAL ...	31	-	2	33	17	7	35	13	10	32	5	4							132	16	11	

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

Dated this 15th day of

July 1909,
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 12th day of July 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair—W. Daniel Condren Ch^m

Other Guardians:—W. Patrick Short Vice-Ch^m

Mess^{rs} Hagan, Wolohan, Waldron, J. Magrath, Kavanagh, C. Murray, Clarke, L. Murray, Quinn, G. Byrne, J. Cumiam, P. Doyle, Richardson, A. Halpin, John Cumiam, Storey, M. J. Doyle, J. Murphy, Lenihan, Bergin, Douglas, Kelly, Dawson, M. Byrne, O'Reilly, Travers, Condell, Fenelon, Neill, Phelan, Teates, Connolly, J. Byrne, Mason, Molloy, Murphy, James Byrne, Kelly, Higgins, Kearns, Barry, Ellison, Thomas Byrne, Healy, P. J. Casey, Galvin, W. M. Byrne, Gernon 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.	
<u>Newbridge</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>To be supplied</u>
<u>Wicklow</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>Do</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 Guardians accepted the proposals, of W. Denis Kavanagh to execute all repairs painting &c of the Medical Officer's Residence and Dispensary at Arklow for £42 — and of W. M. Cross to execute repairs, painting &c at Aughrim Dispensary and residence for £36 and an additional sum of £3 to cover any extra work required in accordance with specifications prepared by M. Moore. being the lowest tenders received —

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		<p>Read letter dated 9th July 1909, from M^{rs} A M Redmond Midwife of Dunganstown Dispensary District requesting the Guardians to grant her a sufficient increase of salary to make it equal to the salaries of the nurses in surrounding districts —</p> <p>The following Notices of Motion were served —</p> <p style="text-align: right;">12th July 1909</p> <p>I beg to give notice that at the next meeting I shall move that M^{rs} A M Redmond District Nurse in Dunganstown be allowed an increase of £5 bringing her salary up to the same level of other local Nurses —</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Timothy Linehan</p> <p>Dondren 12.7.09</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: right;">12th July 1909</p> <p>I beg to give notice that at next meeting I shall move that nurse Davis be allowed £5 per annum in lieu of car fares —</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Frank McPhail —</p> <p style="text-align: center;">=</p> <p>Read letter dated 11 July 1909, from P. O. Murphy stating that on Friday last Nurse Connolly gave him the key of the Dispensary premises in Newtown, he handed the key of the Dispensary room to D^r Lynch and the other keys to Miss Rooney. He purchased a lock and put it on the garden gate — He recommends that a proper lock with duplicate keys be put on the front door immediately</p> <p>Order - M^r Murphy to procure locks - Dondren 12.7.09</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 83,761 : 1909 2 nd July 1909	Stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Newbridge 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 O'Gorman as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and M.O. H —	No order
N ^o 85,340 : 1909 7 th July 1909	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 remuneration at the rate of £4:4:0 a week to D ^r W.A. Cooke as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health —	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 80,175 : 1909 10 th July 1909	Local Government Board —	<p>With reference to the Guardians letter of the 21st ultimo. relative to their proposal to grant D^r O'Keefe Medical Officer of the Newbridge Dispensary District, an allowance of £30 a year until a residence is provided for him under the Dispensary Houses Act — The Board point out that D^r O'Keefe's outlay in providing house accommodation is only £30 a year, and there does not appear therefore to be any sufficient reason why he should be granted an allowance of £30 a year for house rent —</p> <p>If the Guardians consider his present salary inadequate to enable him to pay house rent, they can deal with the matter in connection with the proposal to adopt a scale of graded salaries for the Medical Staff of The Union.</p>	<p>The Board unanimously renew their resolution granting £30 per year in lieu of House Rent as they could not see their way to give him an adequate increase of salary in lieu of Rent —</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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Relieving Officer Manley applied for payment of 17/- for noticing Vaccination Defaulters in the Runganston Dispensary District -
Order - To be paid -

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

In accordance with notice the Guardians proceeded to elect a Midwife for Newcastle Dispensary District in room of M^{rs} Connolly resigned, at a salary of £25 a year -

There were five applicants for the position, on their names being put to the meeting they were voted for as follows -
M^{rs} Burke 24 votes, Miss Weldon 14 votes, M^{rs} Franklin 2 votes, Miss Hoole and Miss Murphy did not receive any votes -

Proposed by M^r J. J. Keilly, Seconded by M^r Condell

Resolved

That M^{rs} Burke be appointed -

Passed D. Condren

Proposed by M^r Traverso, Seconded by M^r James Byrne

Resolved -

That Nurse Burke be accepted as tenant of Dispensary House in Newtown McKennedy at rent of 1/- per month whilst the Board have the use of the house themselves -

Passed - D. Condren 12/7/09

Read letter dated 30th June 1909, from Nurse Burke, stating that she will do the temporary duty until further notice -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 19th day of July 1909

(Signed,)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Patrick Short, 20/7/09

RATHDRUM UNION.

121

Population in 1901 - 26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of July 1909

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	589	220															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1															
Fever Sheds																	
Total	669	221															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	27	88	43	4	2	5	7	20	216	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			48	15	4	1	1	1	3	3	76	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates	2		
Born													TOTAL, 60	TOTAL, 3			
TOTAL			68	42	92	44	5	3	5	10	23	292	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Discharged during the Week			46	15	3	1				5	1	71	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died													No. Relieved during week	48	7	3	58
Total Discharged and Died			46	15	3	1				5	1	71	No. in Work-house at date	18	2	1	21
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			22	27	89	43	5	3	5	5	22	221	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 10th day of July 1909 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.	86	126			86	126	No. VI.						
No. II.	116	165			116	165	No. VII.						
No. III.	177	270			177	270	No. VIII.						
No. IV.	58	75			58	75	No. IX.						
No. V.							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	437	636			437	636	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 19th day of July 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians :—

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

Patrick Short

20/7/09

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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:—

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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:—

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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):—

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

(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 the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

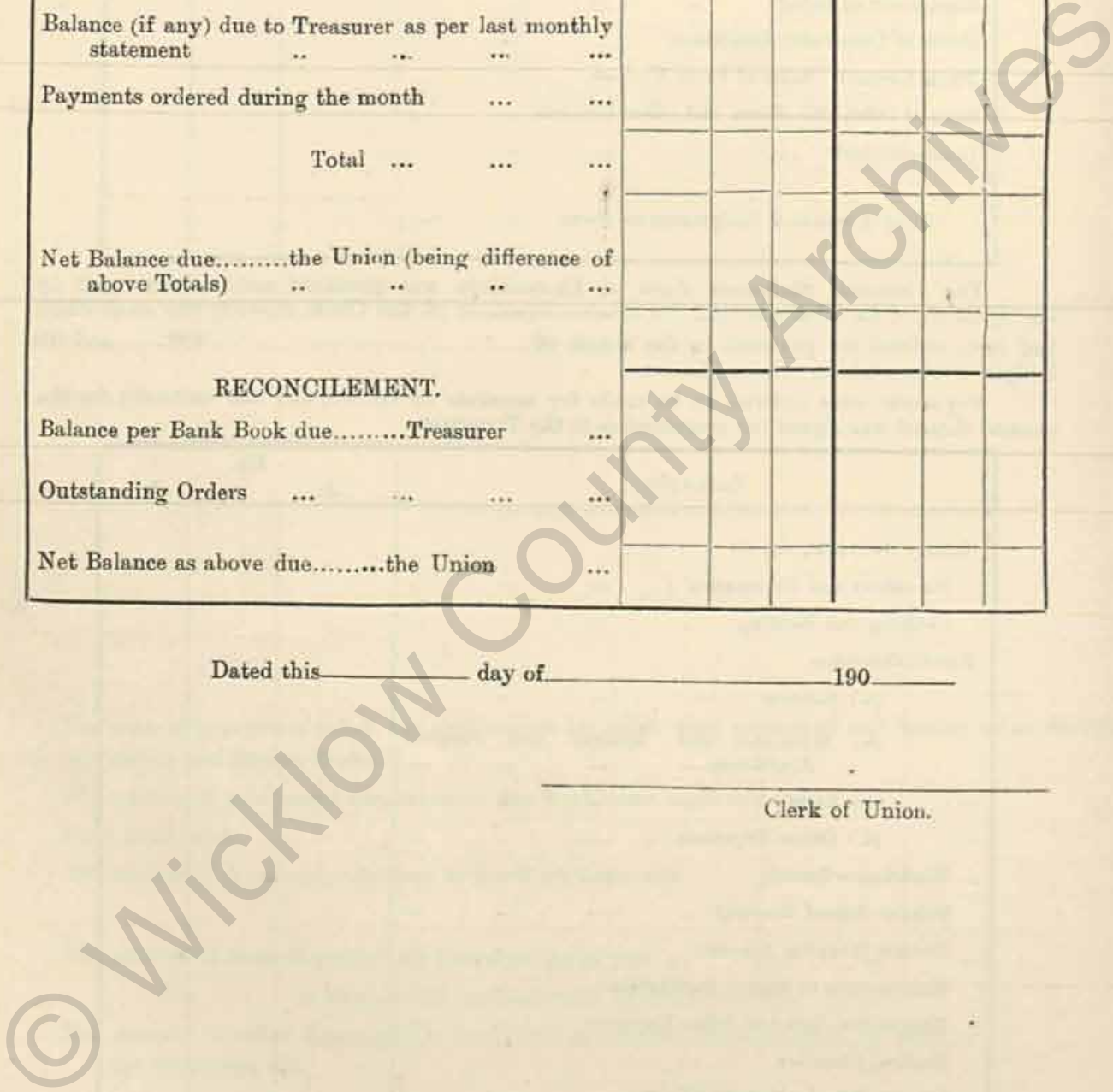
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190 _____

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190_____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190_____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	Total			By Inmates			By Officers			Total						
	£	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 —

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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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190 _____, 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 ...																		
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.

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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			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 Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts, the following
 supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied
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[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-years Accounts. The following are the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended.....19

.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....
.....District	-	-	-	£.....

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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. :-

Four horizontal lines for listing dispensary districts.

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of July 1909

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	589	214															
Temporary Buildings ..																	
Additional Workhouse ..																	
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL	669	214															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			22	27	89	43	5	3	5	5	22	221	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	65	In separate Wards	3	
Admitted during the Week			31	11	9	1	1	1	2	4	1	61	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates	-	
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	TOTAL, 65	TOTAL, 3			
TOTAL			53	38	98	44	6	4	7	9	24	283	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			39	11	7	1	3	2	2	2	2	69	No. Relieved during week	31	5	6	42
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. in Work-house at date	10	-	-	10
Total Discharged and Died			39	11	7	1	3	2	2	2	2	69	No. at corresponding period last year, 207				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			14	27	91	43	3	2	5	7	22	214					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of July 1909 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.	85	115			85	115	Bt. forward						
No. II.	115	163			115	163	No. VI.						
No. III.	176	269			176	269	No. VII.						
No. IV.	58	75			58	75	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	434	622			434	622	TOTAL						699

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 26th day of July 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,— Mr. Patrick Short Vice Ch^m

Other Guardians:— Colonel Tottenham, Mess^{rs} Ruskell, Clarke, Quinn
 G. Byrne, Joseph Cunnam, John Cunnam, Lawler, Lenihan,
 Travers, Condell, Fenelon, James Byrne, Burke, Yeates,
 Connolly, Brady, Joseph Byrne, Mason, Molloy, M. Keenan,
 M. Murphy, James Byrne, Kearns, J. Byrne, Healy, Galvin,
 J. Carey, Brennan, W. M. Byrne and Gernon

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, nameiy:—

960 Loaves Bread
70 lbs Butter
480 " Meat
48 Sheep Heads
50 Doz Eggs
6 galls Buttermilk
273 " 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 -

26th July 1909

The supply of new milk not having arrived from the Contractor as arranged the Master was obliged to purchase 5½ gallos from a local dealer on 12th inst -

The Master on 24th inst called in Dr. Wyse to assist the Medical Officer of the Workhouse in an operation in the Infirmary on a patient suffering from a very bad gunshot wound - Dr. Wyse had accompanied the patient in the Ambulance from the place where the injuries had been sustained -

Order - approved - 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 81,527:1909, dated 12th July 1909, from Local Government Board forwarding for the information of the Guardians, a copy of a Circular Letter issued by the Local Government Board, Whitehall, with reference to the proceedings consequent on the winding up of the affairs of Nelson & Co Ltd. a company which contemplated the provision of pensions for widows who were purchasers of the tea supplied by the Company—

Order - Refer to the Master - P Short

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Read Letter from same dated 16th July 1909, returning the vouchers &c furnished in support of the claim for recoupment in respect of the cost of medicines and medical and surgical appliances obtained for use in the Union during the past half-year, pointing out that irregularities appear therein and requesting that care will be taken to guard against their recurrence—

Order - To be complied with - P Short 26.7.09

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Read letter from same dated 20th July 1909 stating that they have ~~had before them~~ sanctioned the payment of remuneration 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 dated 23rd July 1909, from The Resident Medical Superintendent of Enniscorthy District Asylum requesting payment of the sum of £10. amount due to Committee of Management for the maintenance of Anne Fitzgerald in the Asylum from 24th January to 24th July 1909 -

Order - Refer to Solicitor - J Short - 26.7.09

Read letter dated 26th July 1909, from M^{rs} Thya Byrne Fair Green, Rathdrum, notifying that she has charge of a nurse child named Ellen Smith aged 4 years daughter of Ellen Smith Domestic servant

In accordance with notice it was -

Proposed by M^r Short, Seconded by M^r James Byrne

That the resolution passed on the 12th July 1909, to increase the Doctors' salaries be rescinded, and that the Doctors' salaries be immediately increased by £2.5 a year with increases of £10 triennially until the maximum of £200 is reached and that retrospective increase be added at the rate of £5 for every five years' service -

Proposed by M^r Joseph Cunningham, Seconded by M^r Quinn

That motion be rejected -

Amendment

Proposed by M^r Gernon, Seconded by M^r Travers

That Resolution at last meeting be adhered to with the addition of retrospective increases suggested by notice of motion and maximum be £180 -

Defeated 10 voting for and 21 voting against -

M^r Short's motion was defeated on show of hands only 6 Guardians voting in favour of it -

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union at their meeting held on the 26th July 1909, in relation to Boarded out and Hired out Children —

Read Letter dated 17th July 1909, from Local Government Board stating that they have had before them the entry contained in the Minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 12th instant, relative to the boarding out of the Higgins children, and with reference thereto, the Board request the Guardians again to take this case into consideration with the view of boarding out the children in one home —

Order - Clerk to advertise for Foster parent for two children boy and girl aged 9 years and 13 years to be boarded out advertisement to state terms —
P Short -

Read Letter from same dated 20th July 1909, stating that they have had before them the list of children boarded out by the Guardians on the 1st instant, and they request that they may also be furnished with a list of hired out children, if any, in the Union —

Order - No children are hired out by the Guardians.

Paulick Short

9/8/09

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 2nd
day of August 1909

(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 the 12th day of July 1909

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 1909 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	10	2	3
Loans received	-	-	-
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	10	2	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 July 1909 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	426	9	11
Clothing and Bedding	17	10	3
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	271	4	8
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	2	2	-
(d.) Other Expenses	39	10	2
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	-	12	2
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	8	16	-
Medical Charities	281	6	7
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	2	3	-
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	1314	12	-

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

June 1909

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	937	3	4	622	5	-
Total sums received during the month	10	2	3	-	-	-
Total	947	5	7	622	5	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	-	-	-	622	5	-
Payments ordered during the month	1314	12	-	-	-	-
Total	1314	12	-	622	5	-
Net Balance due ^{by} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	367	6	5	622	5	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	1068	6	5	412	5	-
Outstanding Orders	1535	12	10	210	-	-
Net Balance as above due ^{by} the Union	367	6	5	622	5	-

Dated this 28th day of July 1909P. Manning
Clerk of Union.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the 26th day of July 1909

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

Indoor, from No. 1 to No. 141

Separate „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

Out-door „ No. ✓ to No. ✓

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of July 1909 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days						
										By Inmates			By Officers				Total					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.			
Provisions	111	.	.	38	6	11	149	6	11	41	6	11	2	13	2	44	-	1	105	6	10	1474
Necessaries	290	16	2	.	.	.	290	16	2	3	16	1	1	4	2	5	-	3	285	15	11	
Total.	401	16	2	38	6	11	440	3	1	45	3	.	3	17	4	49	-	4	391	2	9	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 3½

Average Cost in Infirmary : 6 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 7 : 9½

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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the 17th day of July 1909, 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 ...	6	2	2	2	5	1	20	7	4	14	10	10				43	5	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	20	-	-	20	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-				70	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	26	2	2	22	5	1	50	7	4	14	10	10				113	5	5
EXPENDITURE.																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money ...	12	8	-	15	11	-	22	10	-	8	16	-				59	5	-
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	12	8	-	15	11	-	22	10	-	8	16	-				59	5	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	13	14	2	6	14	1	27	17	4	5	14	10				54	-	5
9. TOTAL ...	26	2	2	22	5	1	50	7	4	14	10	10				113	5	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 in the Minutes.

Dated this 28th day of July 1909

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 *26th* day of *July* 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair— *Mr. Patrick Short Vice-Chair*

Other Guardians:— *Colonel Tottenham, Messrs. Biskell, Clarke, Quinn G. Byrne, Joseph Cunniam, John Cunniam, Lawler, Lenthall, Travers, Condell, Fenelon, James Byrne, Burke, Yeates, Connolly, Brady, Joseph Byrne, Mason, Malloy, W. Keenan, W. Murphy, James Byrne, Kearns, J. Byrne, Healy, Galvin, P. Carey, Brennan, W. W. Byrne and Gernon*

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.	
<i>Newcastle</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>To be supplied</i>

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division						
<p>Proposed by Mr. Lenihan, Seconded by Mr. James Byrne That Mrs. Mrs. A. M. Redmond, District Nurse in Dunganstown be allowed an increase of £5, bringing her salary up to the same level as other local nurses — Defeated 7 voting for and 23 against —</p>								
<p>Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, Seconded by Mr. Condell That Nurse Davis be allowed £5 per annum in lieu of car fares — Defeated only 8 Guardians voting in favour —</p>								
<p>Read Report dated 20th July 1909, from Sir C. A. Cameron on the following drugs sent for analysis from Arklow Dispensary —</p> <table data-bbox="187 1796 1366 2005"> <tr> <td>Soap liniment —</td> <td>Correct</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Solution of Ferric Chloride —</td> <td>Iron low</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Dilute Hydrobromic Acid —</td> <td>Correct</td> </tr> </table> <p>Order — Refer to Contractor — J. Short</p>			Soap liniment —	Correct	Solution of Ferric Chloride —	Iron low	Dilute Hydrobromic Acid —	Correct
Soap liniment —	Correct							
Solution of Ferric Chloride —	Iron low							
Dilute Hydrobromic Acid —	Correct							

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 84525; 1909 17 th July 1909	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of One Pound one Shilling a week to M ^{rs} Christina Burke for her services as temporary midwife of the Newcastle Dispensary District of the Union —	No order
N ^o 83841; 1909 17 th July 1909	Stating that there is no provision of the law under which the Guardians could make a grant of a sum of £ 25 to Nurse Connolly as proposed in recognition of her services as late Midwife of the Newcastle 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
24 th July 1909	Mr. M. Carroll Solicitor	Requesting that the two conveyances of Booth and Byrne sealed by the Guardians may be forwarded to him so as to enable him to have same registered —	To be complied with — P Short 26.7.09
24 th July 1909	Nurse Burke Midwife of Newcastle Dispensary District —	Enclosing the form for the payment to Holles St Hospital for her temporary duty in the district —	No order
25 th July 1909	Nurse O'Brien Midwife of Anarnoe Dispensary District —	applying for two weeks leave to be taken in August, Nurse Burke Newtown will look after the duty with Guardians sanction.	Leave granted <i>locum tenens</i> to be paid one guinea a week — 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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. —

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

Proposed by Mr Gernon seconded by Mr Condell
That £30 a year be allowed to Dr Lynch in lieu of rent —

Amendment

Proposed by Mr Kearns seconded by Mr John Cummins
That Dr Lynch get £20 a year in lieu of rent pending the building of residence —

Defeated 10 voting for and 21 against

Proposed by Mr Quinn, seconded by Mr James Byrne
Resolved —

That no increase in lieu of rent be given Dr Lynch on account of increase of salary —
Passed —

Order — The Local Government Board is requested to issue their certificate under the Dispensary Houses Act so that the Guardians may apply to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan required for the purpose of building Newcastle Dispensary and Doctor's Residence.

Patrick Short - 26.7.09

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 2nd
day of August 1909

(Signed,)

G. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of July 1909

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	589	230														
Temporary Buildings ..																
Additional Workhouse ..																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	669	231														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			14	27	91	43	3	2	5	7	22	214	68	3		
Admitted during the Week			57	6	4	3			1	3	2	76	1			
Born																
TOTAL			71	33	95	46	3	2	6	10	24	290	69	3		
Discharged during the Week			53	4	1	1						59				
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			53	4	1	1						59				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			18	29	94	45	3	2	6	10	24	231				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Fe-males	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	57	6	4	67
												No. in Work-house at date	17	3	4	24
												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 24th day of July 1909 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.	85	115			85	115	Bt. forward						
No. II.	114	158			114	158	No. VI.						
No. III.	176	269			176	269	No. VII.						
No. IV.	58	75			58	75	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forw'd.	433	617			433	617	TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 2nd day of August 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians :—

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

J. Manning

J. Short.
9/8/09

The Minutes of 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:-

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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):—

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

(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 the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

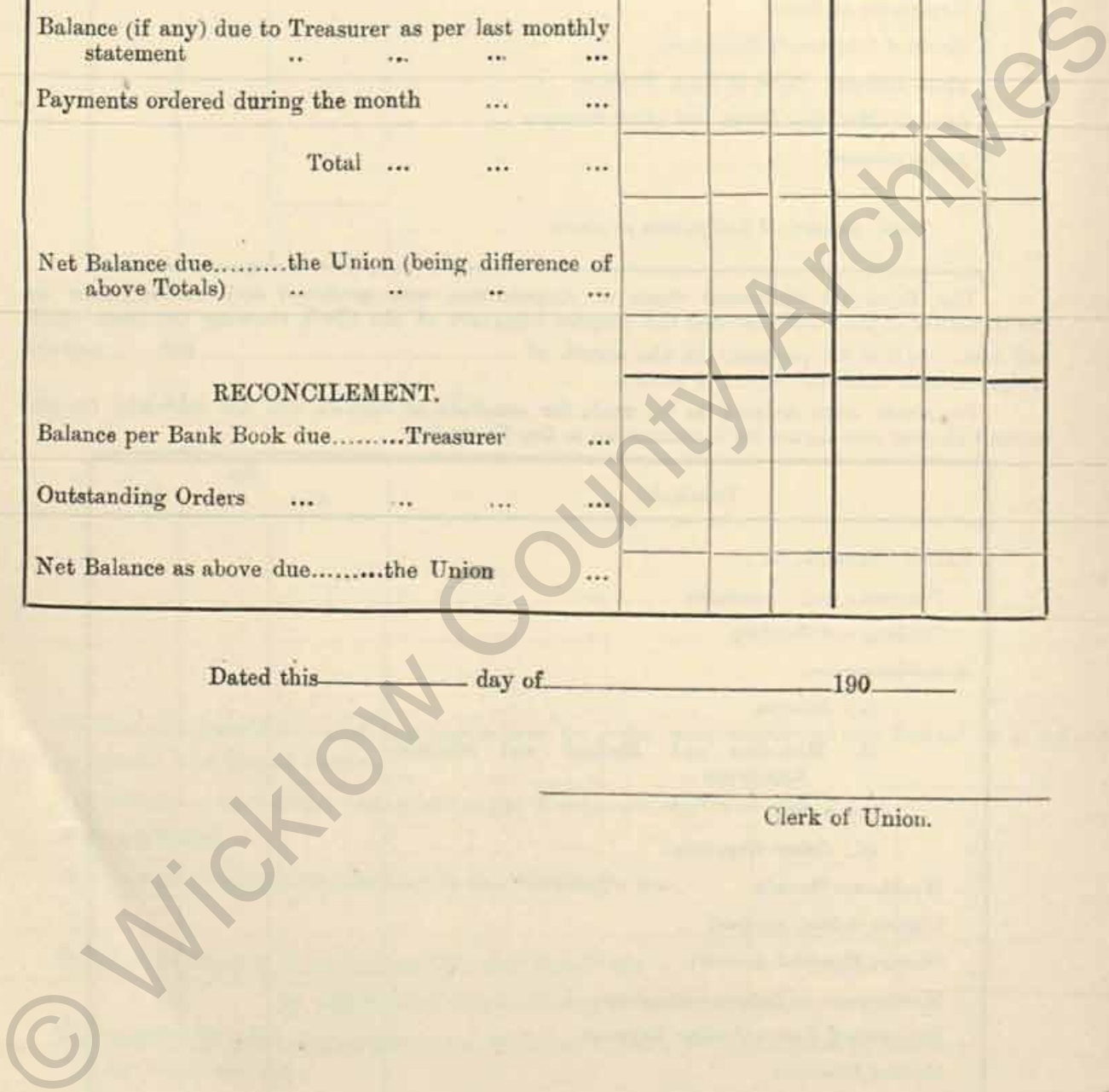
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190_____

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190_____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190_____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
				Total			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions							By Inmates	By Officers	Total				}
Necessaries							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190____, 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 ...																								
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 in the Minutes.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			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.	

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 undermentioned 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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 190_____

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901— 26689

Present Net Annual Value, £ 135 106 : 17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of July 1909

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	589	230												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80													
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	669	230												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			18	29	94	45	3	2	6	10	24	231	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 72	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates 3
Admitted during the Week			40	10	8	1	3		4	3	2	71	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	
Born											1	1	TOTAL, 72	TOTAL, 3
TOTAL,			58	39	102	46	6	2	10	13	27	303	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Discharged during the Week			41	12	3	1	2		7	3	4	73	No. Relieved during week	Males 39, Females 9, Children under 15 10, TOTAL 58
Died													No. in Workhouse at date	16, 1, - , 17
Total Discharged and Died			41	12	3	1	2		7	3	4	73	No. at corresponding period last year, 213	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			17	27	99	45	4	2	3	10	23	230		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of July 1909 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.	84	114			84	114	Bt. forward						
No. II.	114	158			114	158	No. VI.						
No. III.	176	269			176	269	No. VII.						
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No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forw'd.	432	616			432	616	No. X.						
							TOTAL						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 9th day of August 1909

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

Other Guardians:— Messrs Lawler, Storey, W. Byrne, Travers, Condell, James Byrne, Joseph Byrne, James Byrne, Kelly, Kearns, Ellison and 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:—

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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 -

9th August 1909

The Master submits report of Analyst on two samples of New Milk sent from Workhouse supplies on 19th ult

Sample N ^o 73	supplied by M ^r Merrigan	contained	Solids 12.44	and	Fats 3.4
" " 74	" " M ^r Byrne	"	12.20	"	3.6

M^{rs} Foley, female lunatic attendant has been ill for a couple of weeks past. Her duties have been discharged by her daughter since 28th ult -

The Master has had the water mains supplying the Workhouse re opened and cleaned up for a distance of 500 yards, a good supply of water being now available -

The Matron applies for a month's leave of absence her duties for that period to be discharged by the Schoolmistress -

Order - Leave granted Schoolmistress to act instead at same rate of salary as Matron -

Expenditure of additional £3.10.0 (cleaning pipes) approved -

M^{rs} Foley's daughter discharging her duties approved, to be paid

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

same wages - P Short 9.8.09

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 July 1909, from The Registrar General, requesting the Guardians to provide a new iron shutter for the Strong Closet window —

Order - Refer to W. Moore C.E. - P Short 9.8.09

Read letter dated 29th July 1909, from Mess^{rs} G. D. Fottrell & Sons, Solicitors, stating that they have been directed by W. Frank Brooke, Lord Fitzwilliam's agent, to communicate with the Guardians with reference to the sale of the following premises:— The Dispensary House held at a rent of £5 a year; the Workhouse premises held at £10:18:6 a year; the Fever Hospital held at £4:8:0 a year and the Burial Ground held at £3. a year - Lord Fitzwilliam is prepared to sell these premises at the price of 20 years purchase subject to the conditions on which the other tenants in Rathdrum have purchased - If the Guardians wish to purchase the house occupied by D. Ryan Lord Fitzwilliam will sell this house for £409 - They request an early reply -

Order - Adjourned - P Short - 9.8.09

Read letter dated 9th August 1909, from M. Cahalane Schoolmaster in Workhouse applying for one month's leave of absence - The Master will look after School boys in the meantime

Order - Leave granted - Master to be paid same rate as last year - P Short -

Read letter dated 9th August 1909, from M^{rs} Foley, Lunatic attendant &c in Workhouse applying for ~~one~~ months leave of absence and stating that she has been under medical treatment for the past two weeks.

Order - Granted - Daughter to act as locum Tenens at same wages - J Short -

D^r Taylor recommended that an inmate named Mary Clare be sent to Sir J. Dunis Hospital for Surgical treatment -

Order - To be sent - J Short -

Read Magistrates Order for payment of a fee of £1:2:0 to D^r Hamilton for examining a Dangerous Lunatic -

Order - To be paid - J Short - 9.8.09

Read Notice of the eviction of Jane Gallon, Mullinavigue served on Relieving Officer -

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union at their meeting held on the 26th July 1909. in relation to Boarded out children -

Read letter dated 29th July 1909. from Local Government Board, stating that they have had before them the Relieving Officer's reports for June on the children boarded out in the Union; and requesting that a certificate of school attendance may be furnished in the case of Bridget Connor boarded out with Marcella Plunkett - The Board draw attention to the report of Relieving Officer Edge to the effect that the house where the two children Frederick and Nicholas Evans are living is in very bad repair and has been condemned by the Sanitary Authorities, and that the child Nicholas Evans does not attend school regularly, the foster parents alleging that he will not go to school, while the boy himself states that he is not allowed to go to school - In the circumstances the Board would suggest these children should be removed and placed with other foster parents -

Order - Children to be brought into Workhouse - P Short

9.8.09

In accordance with notice the Guardians proceeded to consider proposals from persons willing to take out as Nurse Children Margaret and Michael Higgins -

There were ten applicants on their names being put to the meeting they were voted for as follows -

W^o Nolan. 4. W^o Murphy 2, W^o Carton 1, W^o Gahan 1,
W^o Giffney 1. W^o Ellis 1.

On second poll 8 Guardians voted for W^o Nolan and 2 for W^o Murphy -

P. J. Keenan

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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

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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 16th day of August 1909

(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 the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians			
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Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above			

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

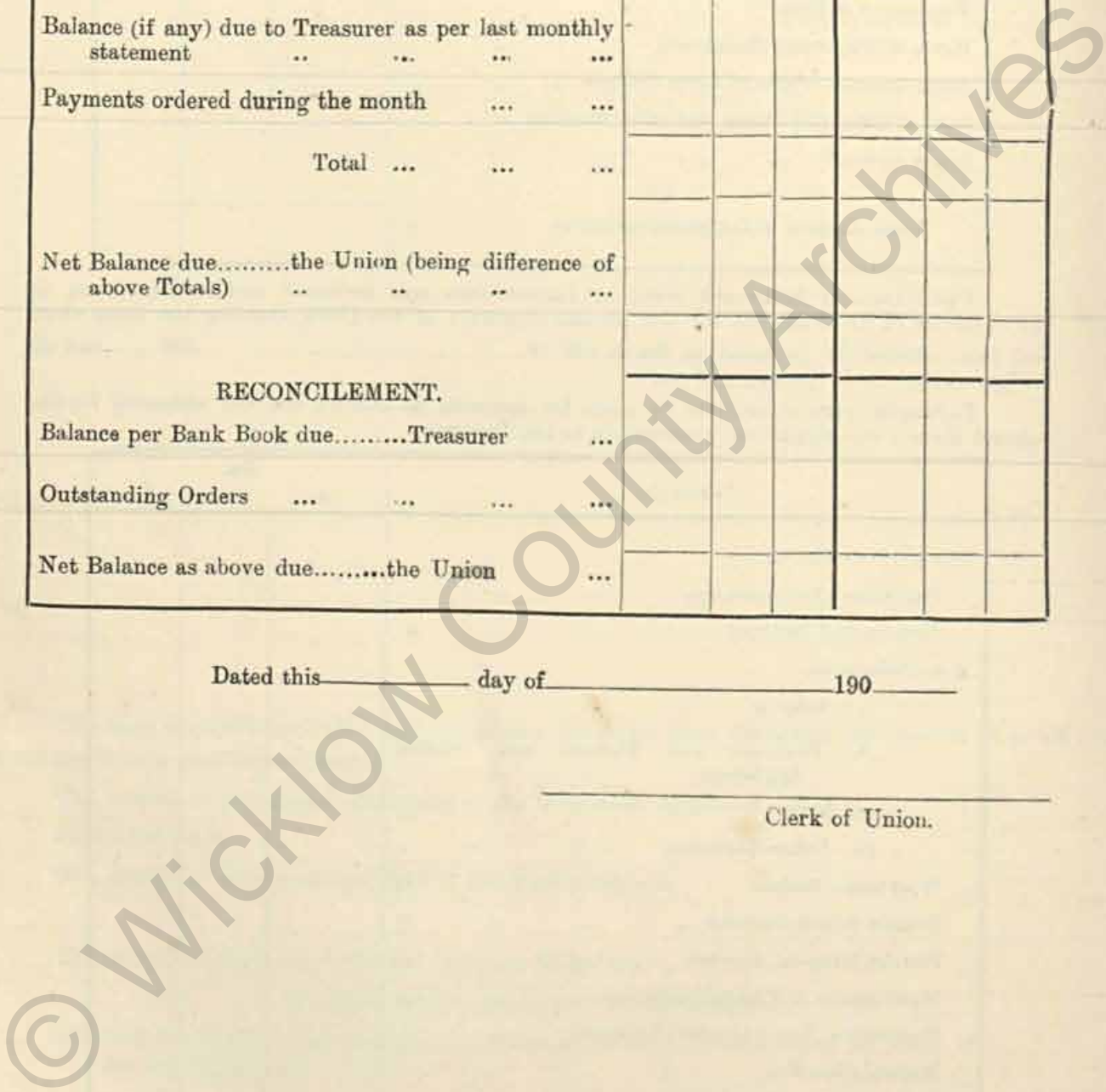
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190 _____

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the 9th day of August 1909

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

Indoor, from No.....1142.....to No.....298.....

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

Out-door „ No.....✓.....to No.....✓.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of July 1909 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Total	By Inmates		By Officers		Total	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	94	13	10	48	10	8	143	4	6	44	7	2	13	2	46	13	9	96	10	9	1586	
Necessaries	280	14	1	-	-	-	280	14	1	3	16	2	1	4	2	5	-	4	275	13		9
Total.	375	7	11	48	10	8	423	18	7	47	16	9	3	17	4	51	14	1	372	4		6

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	4 : 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average Cost in Infirmary	6 : 1 $\frac{3}{4}$
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	6 : 5 $\frac{1}{2}$

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book
7. The 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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the 31st day of July 1909, 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 ...	16	14	6	10	17	1	5	7	4	16	18	10							49	17	9
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	20	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-							50	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	16	14	6	30	17	1	35	7	4	16	18	10							99	17	9
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	12	1	6	15	5	-	22	10	-	8	16	-							58	12	6
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	6	-	-	-							-	5	6
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-							-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	8	4	2	10	-							4	3	4
7. Total Relief given	12	1	6	16	10	-	23	3	10	11	6	-							63	1	4
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	4	13	-	14	7	1	12	3	6	5	12	10							36	16	5
9. TOTAL ...	16	14	6	30	17	1	35	7	4	16	18	10							99	17	9

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

Dated this 11th day of August 1909

J. Manning
Clerk of Union.

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
		<p><i>W^o Hawkins, Anamoe applied for payment of £3, for caretaking Anamoe Dispensary House from 18th April to 21st July —</i></p> <p><i>Order - To be paid - P Short</i></p> <p><i>Order - D^o Harte to be charged rent from the 30th June 1909</i> <i>Patrick Short - 9 August 1909</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">=</p> <p><i>Relieving Officer Manley applied for payment of £3:1:0 for noticing Vaccination Defaulters —</i></p> <p><i>Order - To be paid - P Short -</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">=</p> <p><i>Relieving Officer Murphy applied for payment of 15/6 for noticing Vaccination Defaulters in Anamoe District —</i></p> <p><i>Order - To be paid - P Short</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">=</p> <p><i>Read Report dated 4th August 1909, from Sir C A Cameron on the following drugs sent for Analysis from Anamoe Dispensary —</i></p> <p><i>Liquid Extract of Cascara Sagrada — Correct</i></p> <p><i>Tincture of Nuc Kornica — Correct</i></p> <p><i>Tincture of Digitalis — Correct</i></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 89.272 : 1909 29 th July 1909	Stating that they have approved of the appointment of M ^{rs} Christina Burke as Midwife of the Newcastle Dispensary District at a salary of £25 a year -	No order
No 83841 : 1909 30 th July 1909	Sealed order directing the Guardians to appoint a midwife for the service of the Newcastle Dispensary District.	No order
N ^o 89.973 : 1909 31 st July 1909	Stating that they are unable to alter the decision conveyed in their letter of the 10 th instant, respecting the proposal to grant D ^r O'Keeffe Medical Officer of the Newbridge Dispensary District, an allowance of £30 a year for house rent -	No order
N ^o 94.023 : 1909 5 th August 1909	Stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:1:0 a week to nurse Burke for her services as temporary midwife of the Anamoe Dispensary District -	No order
N ^o 96.073 : 1909 7 th August 1909	Forwarding a Certificate under section 4 of the Dispensary Houses (Ireland) Act 1879, to enable the Guardians to apply to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan required for the erection of Medical Officer's Residence and Dispensary for the Newcastle Dispensary District - The Board approve of £25 a year being deducted for rent -	Refer to M ^r Moore C.E. J 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
29 th July 1909	W. McCarroll Solicitor	acknowledging receipt of conveyances of John Byrne and Eskine Booth duly sealed by the Guardians —	No order

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

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

Annamore - 23 Defaulters

were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:- Relieving officer to Notice - P Short

Read Letter dated 9th August 1909, from D^r O'Gorman Medical Officer of Anghrim Dispensary District requesting the Guardians to grant him a months leave of absence from August 11th - D^r O'Keeffe has promised to act as locum tenens -

Order - Leave granted - D^r O'Keeffe to act as Locum Tenens at usual fee - P Short

Read Letter dated 7th August 1909, from Mr. M^r Carroll, Solicitor, certifying for payment to R. Condell of Newtown Mt. Kennedy of the sum of £200, as compensation for the land proposed to be acquired for Newcastle Dispensary and Doctors Residence, and of the sum of £60 to The Irish Land Commission in redemption of the annuity to which said lands are subject, said paying orders being sent to him for purpose of having Deed of Transfer & Release duly executed -

Order - To be paid - P Short

Peter Heams

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 16th day of August 1909

(Signed,)

P. Manning
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135,106:17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of August 1909

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	589	228																		
Temporary Buildings ..																				
Additional Workhouse ..																				
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	1																		
Fever Sheds																				
TOTAL	669	229																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			17	27	99	45	4	2	3	10	23	230	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	67	In separate Wards	3				
Admitted during the Week			52	12	8	1	1	1	1	-	3	79	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other Inmates	-				
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL	68	TOTAL	3				
TOTAL			69	39	107	46	5	3	4	10	26	309	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS							
Discharged during the Week			53	11	9	-	2	-	-	2	3	80	Males		Fe-males		Children under 15		TOTAL	
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. Relieved during week	52	8	1	61			
Total Discharged and Died			53	11	9	-	2	-	-	2	3	80	No. in Work-house at date	15	2	1	18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	28	98	46	3	3	4	8	23	229	No. at corresponding period last year, 212							

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PRESENT—In the Chair,—
 Other Guardians:—

There was no meeting on this day no Guardian being present

P. Manning

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

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

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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			

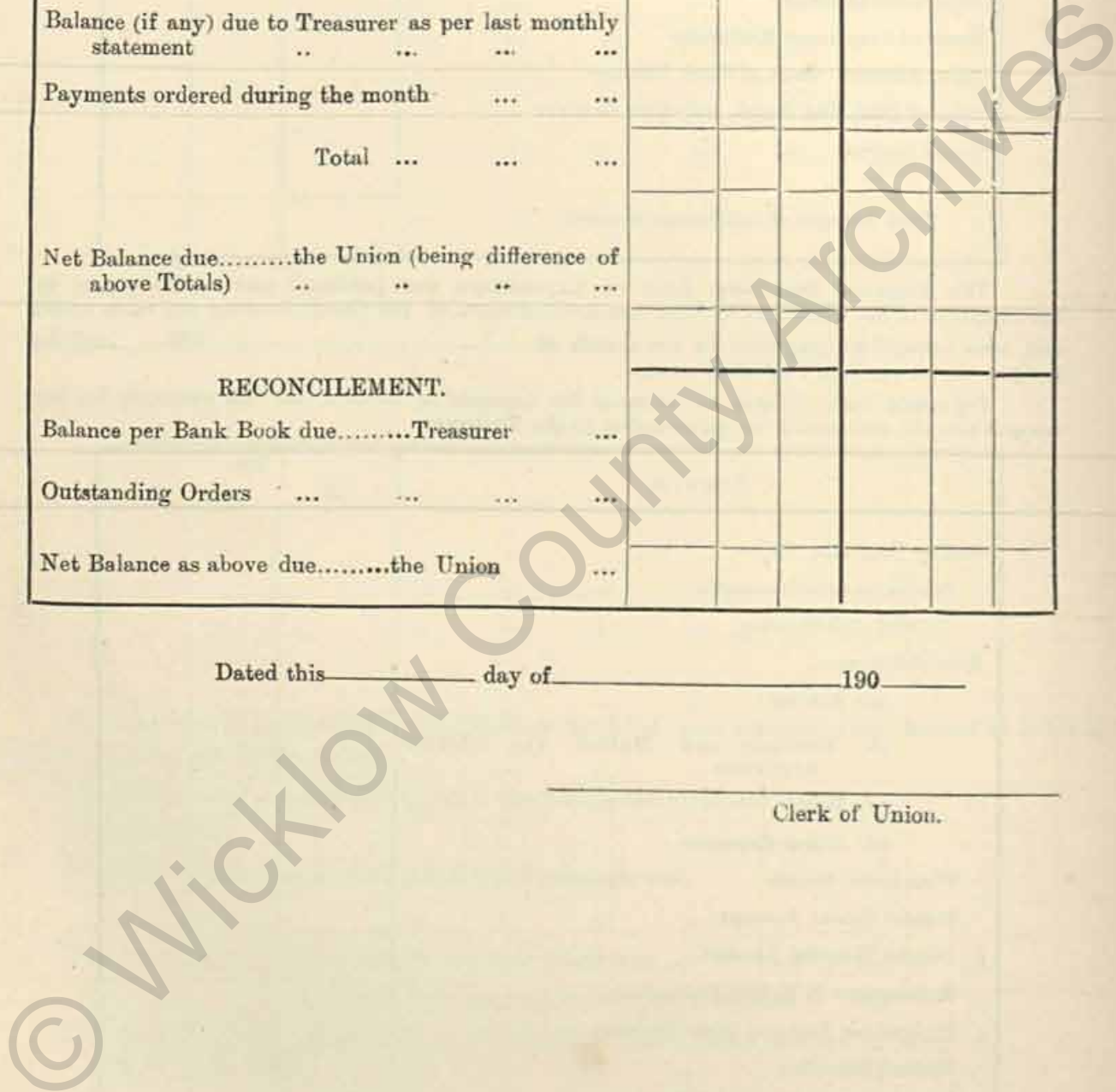
Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190_____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

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

the _____ day of _____ 190_____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Total			£	s.	d.				
							By Inmates	By Officers	Total							
	£	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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190 _____, 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 ...																								
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 in the Minutes.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 19

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 _____ the _____ day of _____ 190

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			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.	

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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. :-

Four horizontal lines for reporting dispensary districts.

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106:17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of August 1909

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	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	217												
Temporary Buildings ..														
Additional Workhouse ..														
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL	669	217												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			16	28	98	46	3	3	4	8	23	229	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards 65	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates 3
Admitted during the Week			59	13	6	1	-	-	2	3	2	86	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL, 65	TOTAL, 3
TOTAL			75	41	104	47	3	3	6	11	25	315	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Discharged during the Week			60	15	9	3	-	1	3	3	3	97	No. Relieved during week	58
Died			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	No. in Workhouse at date	13
Total Discharged and Died			60	15	9	4	-	1	3	3	3	98	No. at corresponding period last year, 202	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			15	26	95	43	3	2	3	8	22	217		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of August 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	83	112			83	112	Bt. forward						
No. II.	116	169			116	169	No. VI.						
No. III.	178	274			178	274	No. VII.						
No. IV.	56	70			56	70	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forw.	433	625			433	625	No. X.						
							TOTAL						678

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 23rd day of August 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair.—M^r Peter Kearns —

Other Guardians:— Mess^{rs} Hegan, Wolohan, Clarke, L Murray, G Byrne, Storey, M J Doyle, Lenihan, Martin Doyle, Douglas, Reilly, E Cullen, Condell, A Galpin, Somers Prady, Joseph Byrne, M Keenan, M Murphy, Higgins, Barry 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:—

900 Loaves Bread
70 lbs Butter
6 galls Buttermilk
280 " Newmilk
60 Doz Eggs
480 lbs Meat
50 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 —

23 August 1909

The Master submits report of Analyst on two samples of Newmilk and one sample of Butter sent from Workhouse supplies

The Butter proved to be pure

		Solids	Fats
N ^o 75	sample of milk supplied by M ^r Byrne	contained 12.36	+ 3.4
N ^o 76	" " " " M ^r Merrigan	16.82	+ 8.2

The Guardians might advertise for the supply of hay required —

Order - To be advertised — P Kearns — 23.8.09

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 14th August 1909, from Local Government Board, stating that they have sanctioned the payment of remuneration at the rate of Thirty five Pounds a year to the Schoolmistress, whilst discharging the duties of the Matron, and at the rate of £1. a week to the Master for his services in taking charge of the school boys during the absence of the schoolmaster on leave.

Read letter from same of same date, transmitting questions for answers respecting Miss Foley who has been temporarily employed as attendant in the Female Lunatic Department of the Workhouse —

Read letter from same of same date, 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 inspector's last report on the Workhouse school.

The following notice of Motion was served —

23rd August 1909

I hereby give notice that on this day three weeks or someone for me will move that the usual Bonus in lieu of Results Fees be allowed to the Teachers in the Workhouse schools —

Edward Ellison

Peter Kearns
Aug 23rd 1909

Read Letter dated 18th August 1909, from Local Government Board stating that they have had before them the minutes of Proceedings of the Guardians on the 12th and 26th ultimos, when the Guardians had under consideration the question of adopting a scale of graded salaries for the Medical Staff of the Union, and that they have sanctioned the Guardians' proposal to grant an immediate increase of salary of £20 to each Medical Officer in the Union having over five years' service, and of £10 each to the Medical Officers who have not five years' service, and to increase the salary of each Medical Officer in future by increments of £5 after each triennial period of approved good service to a maximum salary of £180. a year -

Read Letter from same dated 21st August 1909, acknowledging the receipt of replies to their inquiries respecting the temporary employment of Miss Elizabeth Gregory as Wardmaid in the Workhouse, and stating that the Board have sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1:1:0 a week to Miss Gregory for her services for six weeks -

Read Letters dated 11th and 17th of August 1909 from Mr. M. Carroll, with reference to the payment of the Superannuation allowance granted to Mr. Anne Fitzgerald, to the Committee of Management of Enniscorthy District Asylum for her maintenance therein - Mr. M. Carroll states that in his opinion, the Guardians have no power to pay over the Superannuation allowance or any part of it unless an order under section 16 of the Lunatic Asylum

(Ireland) Act 1875, has been obtained by the Committee of Management -

Read Letter dated 23rd August 1909, from Dr Taylor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse stating that he sent a patient named Michael Brien to the Eye and Ear Hospital for treatment - The case was one of extreme urgency. He requests the Guardians to confirm his action in the matter -

Order - approved - P.K. 23.8.09

Read letter dated 23rd August 1909, from Rev R. W. Guinness stating that with the Guardians permission he will be glad to present some broad benches with backs for the old mens day room and garden as they have nothing but plain forms at present -

Order - accepted with thanks - P.K. 23.8.09

Read letter from M^{rs} A. Bradshaw, Willow Grove informing the Guardians in compliance with the Infant Life Protection Act that she has got an infant to nurse -

Read Notices of the eviction of John Woolahan, Michael Greene and Catherine Sinnott, Ferrybank served on Relieving Officer -

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union at their meeting held on the 23rd August 1909, in relation to Boarded out children —

Read letter dated 21st August 1909, from Local Government Board, acknowledging the receipt of the Relieving Officers' Reports for the month of July, on the children boarded out in the Union, and pointing out that no certificate of school attendance was forwarded for Joseph Sulger, and that Form A should be furnished in the case of Henry Lee's new foster parent —

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Read letter dated 21st August 1909, from M^{rs} M Carey P^{ly} stating that M^{rs} Richardson complains of two nurse children being about to be taken from her as the house is bad. M^{rs} Carey states the house is no worse than when she got them, and a new cottage is going to be built for them —

No order

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Read Letter dated 22nd August 1909. from Dr. Harte, Medical Officer of Anamoe Dispensary District acknowledging receipt of Cheque for £8:6:8. which he accepts only as a part payment of his salary for month of July - He requests that he may be paid the balance £1:13:4 and his salary in full for the future.

Since receiving cheque he had a letter from the Guardians Solicitor demanding his signature to the Agreement -

Dr. Harte states that he is agreeable to take up possession of Anamoe House when it is provided with proper reasonable means of protection -

Order - The matter to be referred to Mr. McCarroll and Dr. Harte to be informed he will have to pay the wages of caretaker - P Kearns 23.8.09

Read Letter dated 19th August 1909. from Mr. Moore, enclosing plans, specification, estimate and ordnance sheet to be sent to the Board of Works with the Guardians application for loan required to build Newcastle Dispensary -

Read Letter dated 19th August 1909. from Mr. McCarroll, enclosing Deed of Transfer dated 12th of August 1909 from Mr. Condell to Guardians of site for Newcastle Dispensary Residence, he states that he requires it back for the purpose of having the Land Commission Release endorsed thereon -

J. W. H. Jones

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was

Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 30th day of August 1909

(Signed) A. Manning
for 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 the 9th day of August 1909

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 1909 and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	2322	-	-
Repayment of Relief	-	12	-
Rents of Dispensary Residences	-	-	-
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	-	-	-
Sales of Offal, Old Stores and other Receipts	-	5	-
Loans received	-	-	-
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	2322	17	-

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

TABLE (b)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz.:—			
Provisions and Necessaries	166	2	-
Clothing and Bedding	41	12	8
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	7	4	-
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	-	-	-
(c.) Farm	-	-	-
(d.) Other Expenses	47	18	6
Workhouse Burials	-	-	-
District School Account	-	-	-
District Hospital Account	-	-	-
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	-	7	8
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	32	16	-
Medical Charities	45	9	2
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	2	-
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	15	7	-
Superaunuation Allowances	-	-	-
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	-	-	-
Expenses of Local Committees	-	-	-
Repayment of Loans	-	-	-
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	280	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	-	-	-
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	-	-	-
Expenditure out of Loans	69	-	-
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	697	19	-

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

July 1909

	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	2322	17	-	-	-	-
Total	2322	17	-	-	-	-
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	367	6	5	622	5	-
Payments ordered during the month	637	19	-	60	-	-
Total	1005	5	5	682	5	-
Net Balance due <i>to</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1317	11	7	682	5	-
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	2143	3	4	412	5	-
Outstanding Orders	825	11	9	270	-	-
Net Balance as above due <i>to</i> the Union	1317	11	7	682	5	-

Dated this 25th day of August 1909

A. Manning
for Clerk of Union.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the 23rd day of August 1909

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

Indoor, from No.....299.....to No.....445.....

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

Out-door „ No..........to No..........

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of August 1909 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 Day.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.							
Provisions	85	19	4	38	2	-	124	1	4	43	5	-	2	13	2	45	18	2	78	3	2	1547
Necessaries	270	4	9	-	-	-	270	4	9	4	4	11	1	3	11	5	8	10	264	15	11	
Total.	356	4	1	38	2	-	394	6	1	47	9	11	3	17	1	51	7	-	342	19	1	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 3 ¹/₂

Average Cost in Infirmary : 6 : 2 ¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 5 : 5 ¹/₂

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book
7. The 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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of August 1909, 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 ...	12	12	-	18	13	1	19	8	-	15	17	2				66	10	3
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-				30	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12	12	-	18	13	1	49	8	-	15	17	2				96	10	3
EXPENDITURE.																		
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																		
In Money ...	11	14	-	15	9	-	22	9	6	8	10	6				58	3	-
In Kind ...	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	-				-	7	-
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-
7. Total Relief given	11	14	-	15	13	-	22	9	6	8	13	6				58	10	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	-	18	-	3	-	1	26	18	6	7	3	8				38	-	3
9. TOTAL	12	12	-	18	13	1	49	8	-	15	17	2				96	10	3

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

Dated this 25th day of August 1909

A. Manning
for 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 23rd day of August 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr. Peter Kearns

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Hegan, Holohan, Clarke, L. Murray, G. Byrne, Storey, W. J. Doyle, Terihan, Martin Doyle, Douglas, Reilly, E. Cullen, Condell, A. Galpin, Somers, Brady, Joseph Byrne, M. Keenan, W. Murphy, Higgins, Barry and Ellison —

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

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

Name of Dispensary District	Electoral Divisions	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division
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Read following Report of Committee appointed to select a site for Doctor's Residence for Newbridge Dispensary District -

A meeting of the Ovoca Dispensary Committee met on Wednesday the 18th inst to consider the selection of a suitable site for a Doctor's Residence - Mr Dargan presiding also present Mess^{rs} James Higgins J.P. Joseph Clarke, Joseph Byrne, and Peter Kearns - The Committee had for consideration four sites -

Proposed by Mr Joseph Clarke, Seconded by Mr James Higgins J.P.

Resolved -

That the site on Kilqueeny on the land of James Hood be selected as the most suitable one for a Doctor's Residence and Dispensary as it is in a most central position and convenient to all districts -

The motion was carried by 4 votes to 1 -

The cost of the land will be £125 for two acres including landlord and tenants interests -

Signed Joseph Clarke Hon Sec

Order - Report of Committee adopted - The matter to be put into Mr McCarroll's hands and he to correspond with Mr Clarke - S.K Aug 23. 09

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 64.435 : 1909 10 th August 1909	calling attention to their letter of the 5 th June last, and requesting that they may be furnished with the Analyst's report on the samples of drugs delivered for use in the Rathfrum Disp ^y District —	Complied with
N ^o 89.973 : 1909 14 th August 1909	Requesting that they may be furnished with a copy of the Specification of the work proposed to be carried out at the Arklow Dispensary and Medical Officers Residence —	W ^o Moore to comply P.H. 23 Aug 09 ✓
N ^o 99783 : 1909 16 th August 1909	stating that they have approved of the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of the Medical Officer of the Aughrim 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 O'Keefe as his substitute in the capacity of Medical Officer and Medical Officer of Health —	No order
N ^o 99.068 : 1909 19 th August 1909	Requesting that they may be furnished with particulars as to the midwifery bags requisitioned by the Medical Officer of Wicklow District, and informed of the probable cost —	Referred to D ^r Halpin 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
17 th August 1909	Commissioners, of Public Works -	<p>^{stating} With reference to the Guardians application for a loan for the purpose of building a Dispensary and Dispensary Residence for the Newcastle Dispensary District, that it is necessary that the applicants should give an undertaking that the instalments in repayment of the loan, if made, as well as of any existing loans, will be paid at the dates at which they become due. They forward a form of Memorial which it will be necessary to fill up and return to their office, with Plans, Specification, and Estimate, the Certificate of the L G Board under Section 4 of the Act, the Title Deed and an Ordnance Map showing the site - On receipt of these documents the Board will make the necessary investigation and inform the Guardians of the result -</p>	<p>The Chairman and two Guardians and the Clerk signed a Memorial applying for a loan of £1400 to be repaid in 40 years with interest at 3$\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.</p> <p>The Chairman also signed an undertaking that the instalments will be repaid when they become due -</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 undermentioned Dispensary Districts. viz. :-

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

Read letter dated 23rd August 1909. from Relieving Officer Manley reporting that D^r Wyse (Medical Officer of Ounganstown Dispensary District) has been ill for the last eight days and D^r Taylor has been doing his duty during that time at £4:4:0 weekly -

Order - approved - P. K. 23 August 1909 -

Read letter dated 23rd August 1909. from D^r Wyse stating that as he does not feel very strong he begs to apply for his annual 4 weeks holiday to be taken at intervals -

He nominates D^r Taylor as locum who is at present acting during his illness -

D^r Taylor certified that D^r Wyse has been suffering from intestinal obstruction he is better but will not be able to resume duties for a few days -

Order - Four weeks granted at intervals. D^r Taylor to act as substitute - P. K.

James Higgins

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 30th day of August 1909

(Signed,) A. Manning
for Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1901—26689

Present Net Annual Value, £135106:17/-

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of August 1909

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS						
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date							
Workhouse	589	229																		
Temporary Buildings ..																				
Additional Workhouse ..																				
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	-																		
Fever Sheds																				
TOTAL	669	229																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			15	26	95	43	3	2	3	8	22	217	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	66	In separate Wards	3				
Admitted during the Week			46	7	4	3	4	-	2	1	1	68	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates	-				
Born			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL, 66	TOTAL, 3						
TOTAL			61	33	99	46	7	2	5	9	23	285	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS							
Discharged during the Week			45	5	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	56	Males	46	Females	4	Children under 15	-	TOTAL	50
Died			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. Relieved during week	46	4	-	-	50		
Total Discharged and Died			45	5	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	56	No. in Workhouse at date	14	1	-	-	15		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			16	28	95	45	7	2	5	8	23	229	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 21st day of August 1909 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	83	112			83	112	Bl. forward						
No. II.	116	175			116	175	No. VI.						
No. III.	176	267			176	267	No. VII.						
No. IV.	56	70			56	70	No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	431	624			431	624	TOTAL						688

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 30th day of August 1909

PRESENT—In the Chair,—

Other Guardians :—

There was no meeting on this day no Guardian being present

— J. Manning

James Higgins

The Minutes of 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 Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

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

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

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 the _____ day of _____ 190 _____

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of _____ 190 _____ and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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

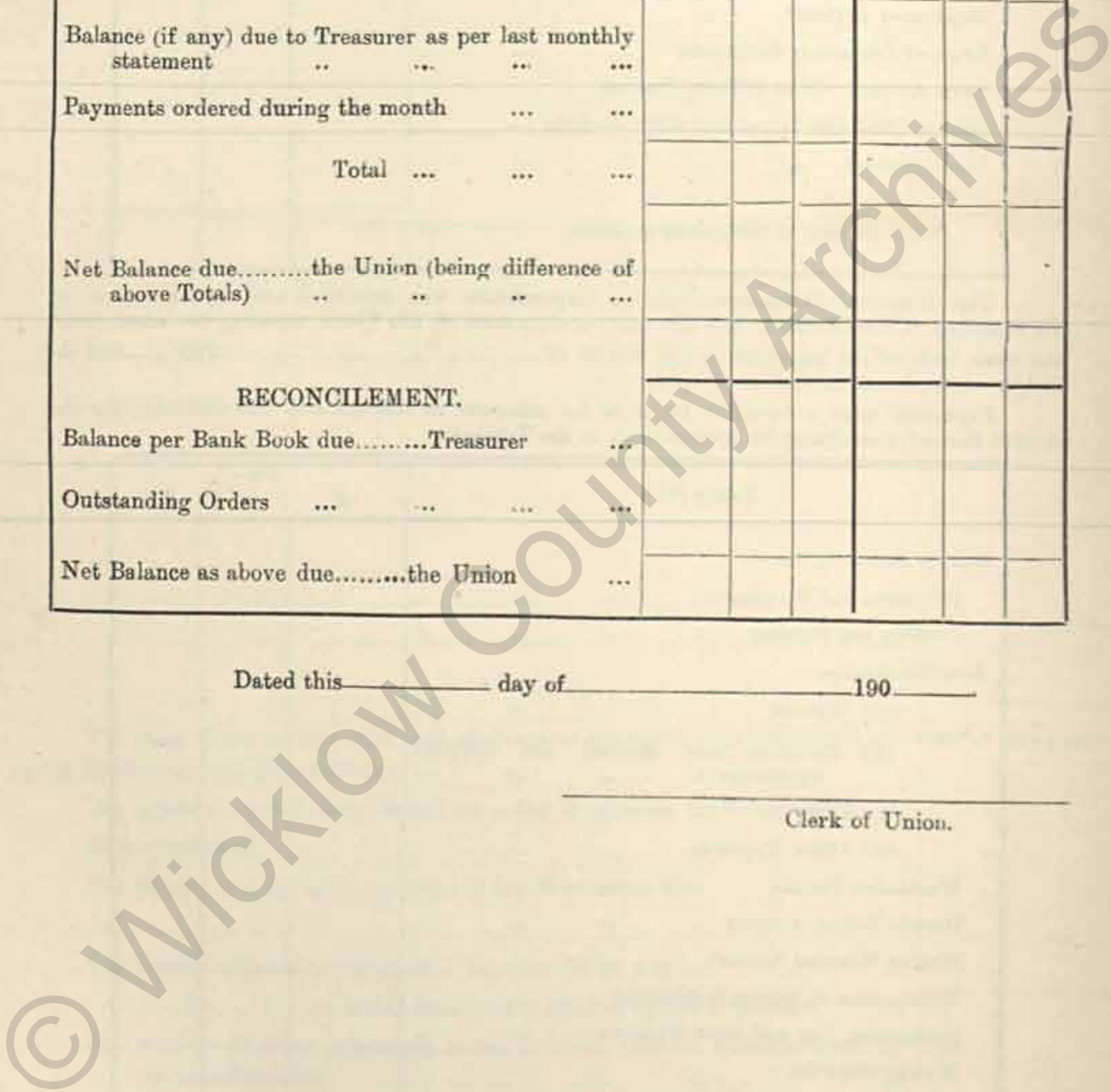
Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

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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 _____ 190 _____

Clerk of Union.



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held the _____ day of _____ 190_____

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 190_____ was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days
				Total			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 —

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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 Receipts and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature

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

the _____ day of _____ 190 _____, 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 ...																						
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.