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MINUTE BOOK
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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 123,804:1:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of December 19120.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse		169														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hosptl.																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		169														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			42	46	13	29	8	7	3	13	12	173	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards	8
Admitted during the Week			12	7	2	1	3	1	2	1		29	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates	8
Born												-	TOTAL	70	TOTAL	8
TOTAL			54	53	15	30	11	8	5	14	12	202	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			13	8	3	4	4		1	1		23				
Died												-	No. Relieved during week	12	7	8
Total Discharged and Died			13	8	3	4	4		1	1		23	No. in Workhouse at date	5	4	4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			42	45	12	26	7	6	4	13	12	169	No. at corresponding period last year } 150.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of December 19120 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	32	53			32	53
A. Byrne	No. II.	12	175			12	175
T. Butler	No. III.	100	168			100	168
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	79			38	79
	TOTAL	253	475			253	475

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 3rd day of January 19121.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

3rd day of January 19121.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

RATHFRUM UNION.

Present Net Annual Value £ 370,581.10

Valuation in 1811—26,912

This is the Report of the Trustees for the Week ending Saturday the 23rd day of January 1881.

Description	Brought Forward		Total	To Balance	By Balance	By Receipts	By Disbursements	By Balance	Total	Balance
	£	s								
Balance at 1st Jan 1880	100	0	100						100	0
By Receipts										
By Disbursements										
Balance at 23rd Jan 1881										

The Trustees have pleasure in reporting that the Union has been managed in accordance with the provisions of the Act, and that the accounts are correct and true.

Name	Rate	Amount	Total
J. Murphy	10	10	10
T. Burke	10	10	10
A. Lyons	10	10	10
E. Kelly	10	10	10
Total			40

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians for Meeting on Monday the 23rd day of January 1881.

There was no business of the Board this day, no resolution being presented.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,805:1:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of January 1921.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse		174															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouses																	
Permanent Fever Hosptl.																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		174															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			42	45	12	26	7	8	4	13	12	169	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	73	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			19	8	5	1	5	1	4			43	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other Inmates		
Born													TOTAL	73	TOTAL		
TOTAL			61	53	17	27	12	9	8	13	12	212	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			18	7	5		3	1	4			38					
Died												-	No. Relieved during week	19	8	9	38
Total Discharged and Died			18	7	5		3	1	4			38	No. in Workhouse at date	6	3	4	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	46	12	27	8	8	4	13	12	174	No. at corresponding period last year 172				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of January 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Believing Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	32	53			32	53
A. Byrne	No. II.	82	173			82	173
T. Butler	No. III.	99	164			99	164
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	250	467			250	467

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting on MONDAY, the 10th day of January 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr L. Redmond, D.V.C., afterwards Mr James Byrne, Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Mrs Butler, Messrs. James Byrne, Ballinderry; Turner, Gaffney, Louth, Gregory, C. M. Byrne, Felix Kavanagh, Clarke, McDonald, Everett, Gaule, James O'Brien.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

The Clerk reports on the accounts of Orders previously made by the Board and sent to the following effect:-

The consideration of the application of the Board
attendant in the workhouse infirmary for the purpose of salary,
and of the application of Miss M. A. Gannon, the Infirmary,
for increased wages, was adjusted for six months.

The Medical Officer of the workhouse reports as
regarding the medical supplies for the workhouse hospital,
total cost of the supplies for the year 1881-82,
being £100 10s 0d.

The Clerk of the Board reports that Messrs. J. B.
Stewart and Peter Kennedy, the members of the Board, had been
absent from meetings for a period of three months.
ORDER :- Resolved that the Board do

The Mayor's Bill of Fare and Expenses for the year 1881 was
examined, and Orders were made thereon in the usual manner.

1,200 lbs. Bread
50 lbs. Butter
110 lbs. Potatoes
100 lbs. Bacon
20 doz. Eggs
100 lbs. New Milk
4 doz. Apples
2 dozens Coal
2 dozens Candles
20 lbs. Starch

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

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

Read letter dated 22nd December, 1920, from Relieving Officer Laurence Murphy, who, writing from R. I. C. Barracks, Bray, stated he presumed the Clerk had heard of his sudden departure for, as yet, an unknown destination. He was getting his relief books sent to Miss Byrne, Relieving Officer, whom he nominated to do the duty with the permission of the Board.

Read further letter dated 8th January, 1921, from same, writing from Kilmainham Jail, Dublin, as follows:—

Have received your acknowledgment of my notification to you of my arrest and detention and note that Miss Byrne is doing the duty. I wrote her all the detailed instructions necessary to carry on with. I would ask the Board and Council to make provisions for my further absence as no charge has yet been preferred against me, nor no time intimated to me when there may be. Regretting my unavoidable absence from duty.

ORDER:— Miss Byrne to continue doing the work at £2 per week.

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Read letter dated 5th January, 1921, from the General Secretary, Automobile Drivers' Union, Dublin, calling attention to the delay in dealing with the application of the driver of the Workhouse motor ambulance, made through the Union, for the standard Trades Union salary and conditions of service. The matter had gone so far that the Committee instructed him to state that should the Board not grant the application at the meeting on 10th instant, made retrospective as from the date of the application, 25th September last, there would be no other alternative but to withdraw the services of the driver to enforce the granting of the application.

In accordance with notice, it was
Proposed by Mr James Turner, seconded by Mr Chas. Gaule:—
That Mr J. O'Reilly, driver of the Workhouse motor ambulance, be granted an increase of ten shillings per week in his salary, to cover all duties whenever performed by him.

Passed.

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The Clerk's Report of Proceedings was read (this on the first meeting in every month)

The Report of the Finance Committee was read and Orders were made thereon as follows:-

Resolved that a letter be sent to the Board of Directors, Dublin, from the Secretary, dated 12th January, 1902, in relation to the proposed alterations to the bye-laws, and that the Secretary be authorized to attend the meeting of the Board on the 15th inst. to discuss the same.

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Resolved.

The records of the Hospital and other offices were found and taken care thereof as follows:-

January 1871, 1872
The Hospital reports that on the 21st instant there were 100 inmates in the Hospital, including patients in the infirmary, but there are no patients in the lower Hospital at present, in the body of the House there were 50 men, 20 women and 20 children. For the corresponding year last year the number in the House was 175.
The Hospital, at present, forwarded for the purpose of the Worcester children a certain sum, some have been appropriated.
The House is now well as in former years.

Read report of the Hospital Committee on the analysis of drugs sent from the Hospital, as follows:-

Good Liniment
Aromatic Spirit of Ammonia
Spiritus Menthae

The following Order of the Local Government Board for the Hospital was found and taken care thereof as follows:-
In accordance with section 11 of the Act proposed by Mr. James Smith, Treasurer, forwarded by Mr. G. M. Dine :-
That the question of granting salaries to officers of the Union in future be again taken into consideration with a view to ascertaining what are the best means of accomplishing the same.
For the year.
Passed.

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 No. 1859, dated 11th December, 1920, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of letter of Clerk of the Union of 3rd instant, and stating that the following matters had been formally sanctioned by the Department:—

Appointment of Mrs Margaret Murphy as wardsmaid to the Female Lunatic Ward at a salary of £52 per annum, with 7s 6d weekly war bonus.

Fee of two guineas to Dr Garland for professional assistance to Workhouse Medical Officer.

Appointment of Relieving Officer Byrne at £2 a week during absence on leave of Relieving Officer Murphy.

Continued employment of Nurse Holton as substitute for Nurse O'Beirne of the Infirmary.

The proposed employment of Miss Lizzie Driver, appointed as Cook in the Workhouse Infirmary at a salary of £40 a year with rations and apartment.

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Read letter No. 1395, dated 20th December, 1920, from same, referring to minutes of 8th November last, and sanctioning (1) remuneration of two guineas to Dr Garland in connection with his services at an operation on John Byrne, (2) remuneration to the Matron for performing the duties of the Master at a rate of £95 per annum, (3) remuneration at the rate of £2 a week to temporary Relieving Officer.

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Read letter No. 2138/20, dated 8th January, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 22nd November last, and stating that, if the proposed allowance to the driver of the Workhouse ambulance was customary, the Ministry of Local Government would not raise any objection to the payment. In the exceptional circumstances the Ministry approved of the proposal to refund to

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others, were sent by the Clerk and directed to be answered in the following order (in order of date on them respectively, as follows):—

Head letter No. 1289, dated 11th December, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, recommending the receipt of letter of Clerk of the Union of the Union, and stating that the following matters had been formerly mentioned by the Department:—

Appointment of Mrs. Margaret Murphy as midwife to the Female Prison with a salary of £62 per annum, with 7s 6d weekly retainer.
For Clerk of the Union to be retained for professional assistance in connection with medical officer.
Appointment of Mr. James Murphy as a week during absence on leave of Mr. James Murphy.
Continued employment of Mrs. James Murphy as substitute for Mrs. Murphy of the Union.
The proposed appointment of Miss Elvira, appointed as Cook in the Workhouse District of 1921, with a year with travel and apartment.

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Head letter No. 1289, dated 11th December, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, recommending (1) remuneration of the Clerk to be retained in connection with his services as an officer of the Union, (2) remuneration to the Clerk for performing the duties of the Clerk at a rate of £62 per annum, (3) remuneration at the rate of £2 a week to temporary relieving officer.

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Head letter No. 1289, dated 11th December, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, recommending the proposed appointment of Mrs. James Murphy as a week during absence on leave of Mr. James Murphy, and stating that, if the proposed appointment of Mrs. James Murphy as a substitute for Mrs. Murphy of the Union, the Ministry of Local Government would not raise any objection to the payment, in the exceptional circumstances the Ministry approved of the proposal to retain the

Dr O'Connor, Medical Officer of the Wicklow Dispensary District, the motor expenses incurred by him in sending a patient from Wicklow to the Workhouse Infirmary. In regard to the Guardians' resolution on the question of boarding out certain children from the workhouse, the Ministry desired to state that their recommendation was that all Workhouse children should be boarded out if possible. It should be quite easy to deal with any of the difficulties referred to by the Guardians should they subsequently arise in individual cases. The Department asked to be furnished with replies to the usual queries in regard to the proposed appointment of Mrs Margaret Murphy as Female Lunatic Attendant.

ORDER :- Allowance to Ambulance driver customary; the question of boarding out children in Workhouse to be put on agenda for next meeting; four children in the Workhouse who are orphan or deserted to be boarded out forthwith; query sheet re appointment of Attendant furnished.

The following notice was served :-

10th January, 1921.

I hereby give notice that at the meeting to be held on the 24th day of January, 1921, I will move :- That the question of boarding out the children in the Workhouse be taken into consideration.

CHARLES GAULIE.

James Byrne, Chairman.

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Read letter dated 6th December, 1921, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor, referring to previous correspondence and stating that he had now heard from Messrs. Martin Ltd., contractors, Roundwood, that both inmates of the Infirmary named John Byrne were in receipt of 35s 0d per week compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

ORDER :-The patient at present in Infirmary to be brought before the Board.

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Read letter dated 18th December, 1920, from Major

Tottenham

Dr. O'Connor, Medical Officer of the Prison Dispensary
 District, the letter appended herewith is in regard to
 patient from whom to the verminous infestation. In regard to
 the Commission's investigation of the question of housing and
 certain matters from the Commission, the Ministry desired to
 state that their recommendation was that all verminous inmates
 should be removed out of prisons. It should be left to
 the local authorities to deal with the infestation referred to by the

Commission. The Commission has accordingly advised the local
 authorities to be prepared with a view to the removal
 of the inmates from the verminous infestation of the prisons.
 The Commission has also advised the local authorities to be
 prepared to deal with the infestation.

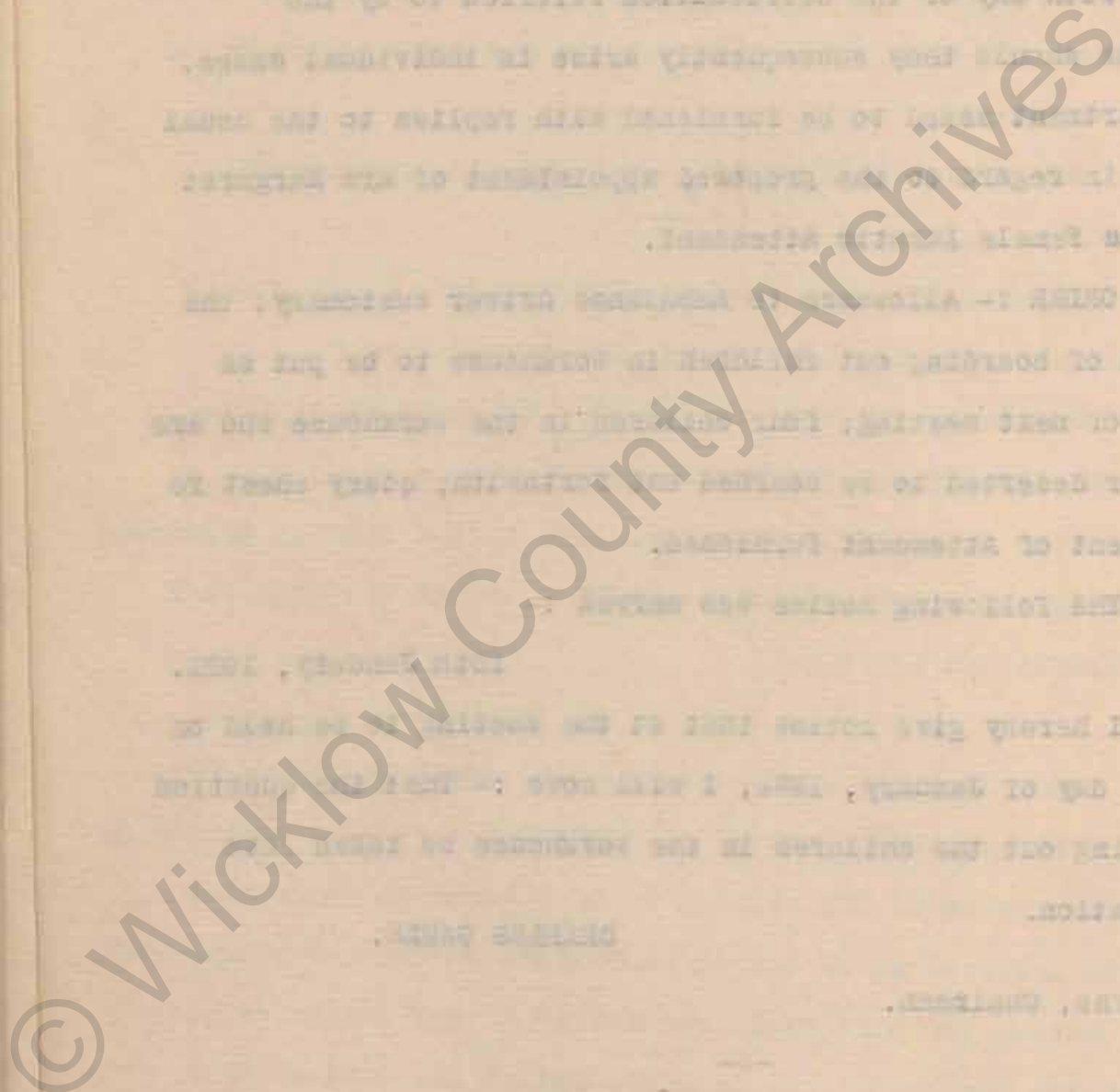
ORDER - All local authorities are directed to be
 prepared to deal with the infestation of the prisons to be put
 under the control of the local authorities in the verminous and
 to be removed out of the prisons as soon as possible. It
 is the duty of the local authorities to be prepared to deal
 with the infestation of the prisons.

The following names are given as being
 inmates of the prisons who are suffering from
 the infestation of the prisons. I hereby give notice that
 the local authorities are to be prepared to deal with the
 infestation of the prisons in the verminous and to be
 removed out of the prisons as soon as possible.

Prisons, Dublin.
 Prisons, Galway.
 Prisons, Limerick.
 Prisons, Wick.

Prisons, Drogheda.
 Prisons, Carrickfergus.
 Prisons, Downpatrick.
 Prisons, Newry.
 Prisons, Banbridge.
 Prisons, Rathfriland.
 Prisons, Carrickmacross.
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Tottenham, Woodstock, stating he should like to give the usual Christmas treat to the workhouse children, and asking that same be arranged and that he should be advised as to the cost.

ORDER :- Vote of thanks to Major Tottenham passed unanimously. -

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Read letter from Mr M. Murtagh, Secretary, Co. Wicklow Farmers' Association, requesting the Board to receive, on a day to be appointed by the Board, a deputation from the Executive of the Association to confer on the subject of the rates to be levied for the coming financial year. The Executive considered that much good might arise and harmony be promoted as a result of such conference.

ORDER :- Approved; deputation to be received at the meeting on 24th January.

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Read letter dated 7th January, 1921, from the Secretary, Wicklow County Council, stating in reply to letter of the Clerk of the Union, that he regretted he was not in position to state when the County Council would be in a position to pay the balance of the instalment due on the Union demand, or the instalment due to the Rural District Council. The rate collectors had not been working as satisfactorily as was anticipated some time ago.

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Read letter from Dr Harte, Annamoe Dispensary District, stating he had a mental case of temporary mental trouble, following childbirth, in Roundwood. The woman was quiet but needed change of surroundings to restore her mental faculties. Her husband was a labouring man and could not afford to pay for Hospital treatment. He would be glad to know could she be accommodated in the Union Infirmary for a short period. As an alternative, could he be authorised to send her to Dublin as an Union charge. Did the Board's minute re mental cases apply. The patient was at present quiet but she might get violent at

at any time.

ORDER :- Patient to be admitted to Infirmary.

Letter No. 170/1920, dated 28th January, 1921, from

the Local Government Board, was submitted but not taken

Head letter from James McDonald, Hamilton, stating no

understanding there was order also made in the workhouse left

provision to his contract, and stating he was willing to take

leave at the same price per day as those for which he had

been engaged.

ORDER :- Approved.

Head letter dated 11th December, 1920, from Mr Thomas

James, Hamilton, forwarding a letter and valuation sheets for

the half year ended 30th September, 1920, which he stated

would be found satisfactory.

Head letter dated January 2nd, 1921, from Mr McDonald

stating the position of Assistant in the workhouse in

view of the workhouse, as she had secured the position of District

nurse. She asked to be relieved of her duties as she had to

take up her new position at once.

ORDER :- No objection suggested; approved for Assistant

at salary of £25 a year and 10 shillings per annum; appointment

to be made at meeting of the Board on 28th January, 1921.

Head report of Committee appointed to enquire into the

Union estimates and demands, as follows :-

The Committee appointed to review the estimates and

demands of the Board of Guardians for the year ending 31st March,

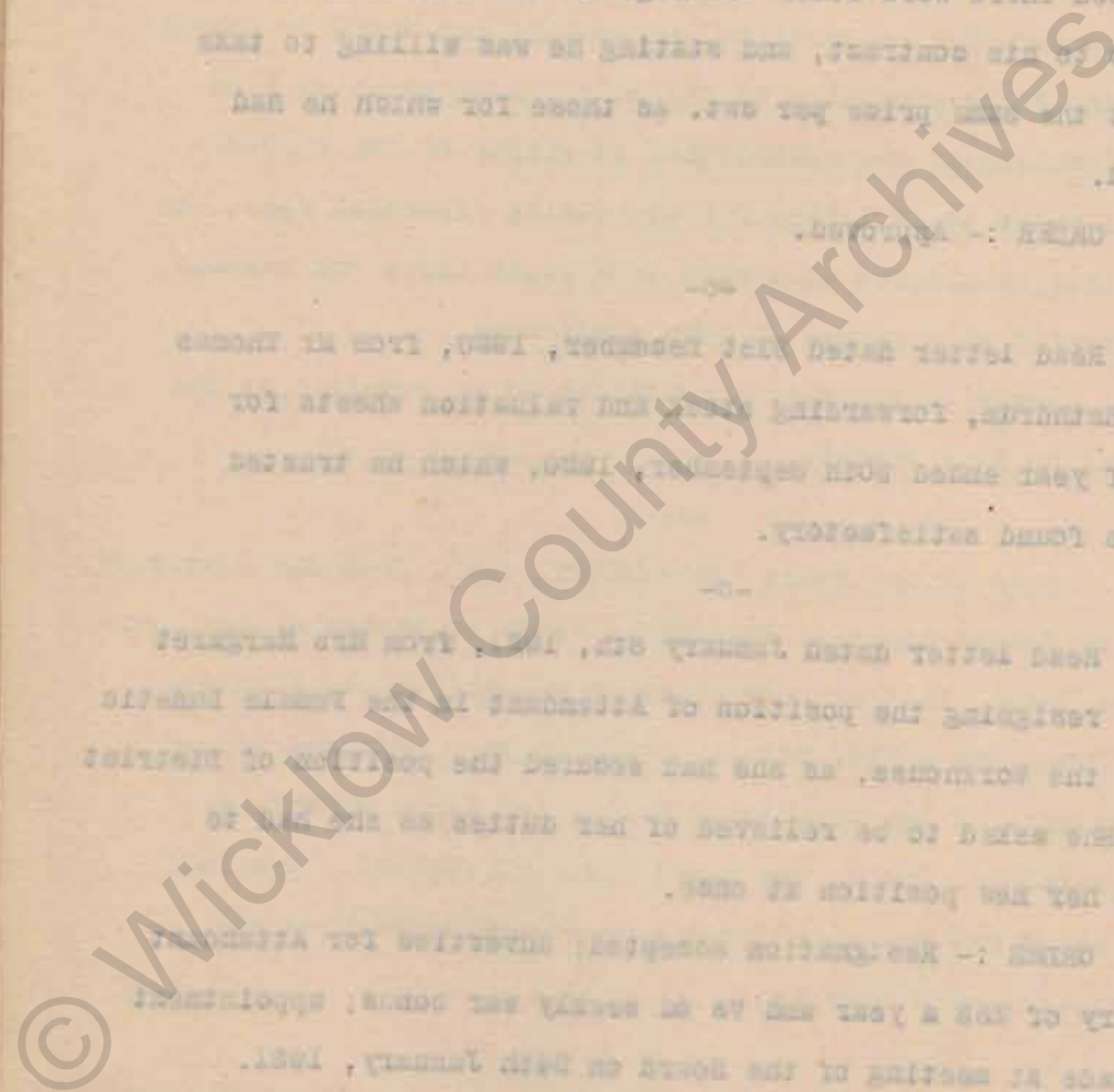
1921, met on 20th December, 1920. Having gone through the

figures we decided on making the following reductions in the

demands. Some reductions, we must point out, are very justified

by the nature of a policy of the efficient economy and

maintained by the Guardians and its consistent maintenance.



during the coming year.

Under the heading of In Maintenance and Clothing a sum of £5,600 is set down in the estimate, which is only some £20 in excess of the actual sum expended on feeding and clothing the inmates during the last twelve months. As the inmates are fed according to a scale and practically all supplies are delivered under contract we think no material reduction could be usefully made under the heading of maintenance; but with regard to Clothing, which cost £875 during the past twelve months, we think by utilising the stock at present on hands and refusing to order any addition thereto except where absolute necessity for such was clearly shown the Guardians, a saving of £400 might be effected during the year and we accordingly reduce the estimated figure by that amount.

For Establishment Charges a sum of £4,050 is set down in the estimate. We suggest that for next year payment of substitutes for officers on holidays, which is chargeable under this heading, be discontinued. We further think that for the coming year no expenditure should be incurred either on repairs to the Workhouse buildings or the equipment of the institution except what cannot possibly be avoided. Having gone into the figures of last year's expenditure, and also those of the previous year, we think a saving of £1,050 might possibly be effected under this head, and we reduced the estimated amount by that figure.

Medical Charities services are estimated in the demand to require £4,284, the actual cost last twelve months being £3,834. The increase over last year's figure is largely made up of the provision for the cost of putting into repair the buildings acquired in Rathdrum as a Dispensary and Medical Officer's Residence for that District. We think this work need not be proceeded with this year and we have accordingly struck out the provision made for it. Some other small economies could be effected in these services, and we accordingly reduce the figure demanded in respect of same to £3,784.

For Outdoor Relief the estimate as submitted made

During the coming year.

Under the heading of maintenance and clothing a sum

of \$5,000 is set down in the estimate, which is only some \$100

in excess of the actual amount expended on clothing and clothing

materials during the last twelve months. As the number of

men according to a table and practically all supplies are

delivered under contract we think no material reduction could

be readily made under the heading of maintenance; but with

regard to clothing, which cost more during the past twelve

months, we think by utilizing the stock of present on hand

and reducing the cost of clothing materials there would be

possibility for saving a fairly good sum for clothing, a saving

of \$400 might be effected during the year and we accordingly

reduce the estimate to \$4,600.

For establishment charges a sum of \$2,000 is set down in

the estimate. It is suggested that next year payment of mortgages

for officers on holidays, which is a considerable amount this year,

be discontinued. We further think that the coming year no

dependence should be placed on interest on the business

building or the equipment of the installation except what cannot

possibly be avoided. Having provided for the year's

operating expenses, and also those of the previous year, we have

remaining of \$1,000 which we estimate would be available

to reduce the estimated amount by that figure.

Medical division services are estimated in the estimate

at \$2,000. The actual cost last year was \$1,800.

The increase over last year's figure is largely made up of the

increase for the cost of putting into repair the building

located in Baltimore as a headquarters for medical officers

assigned for that district. We think this work need not be

associated with this year and we have accordingly struck out the

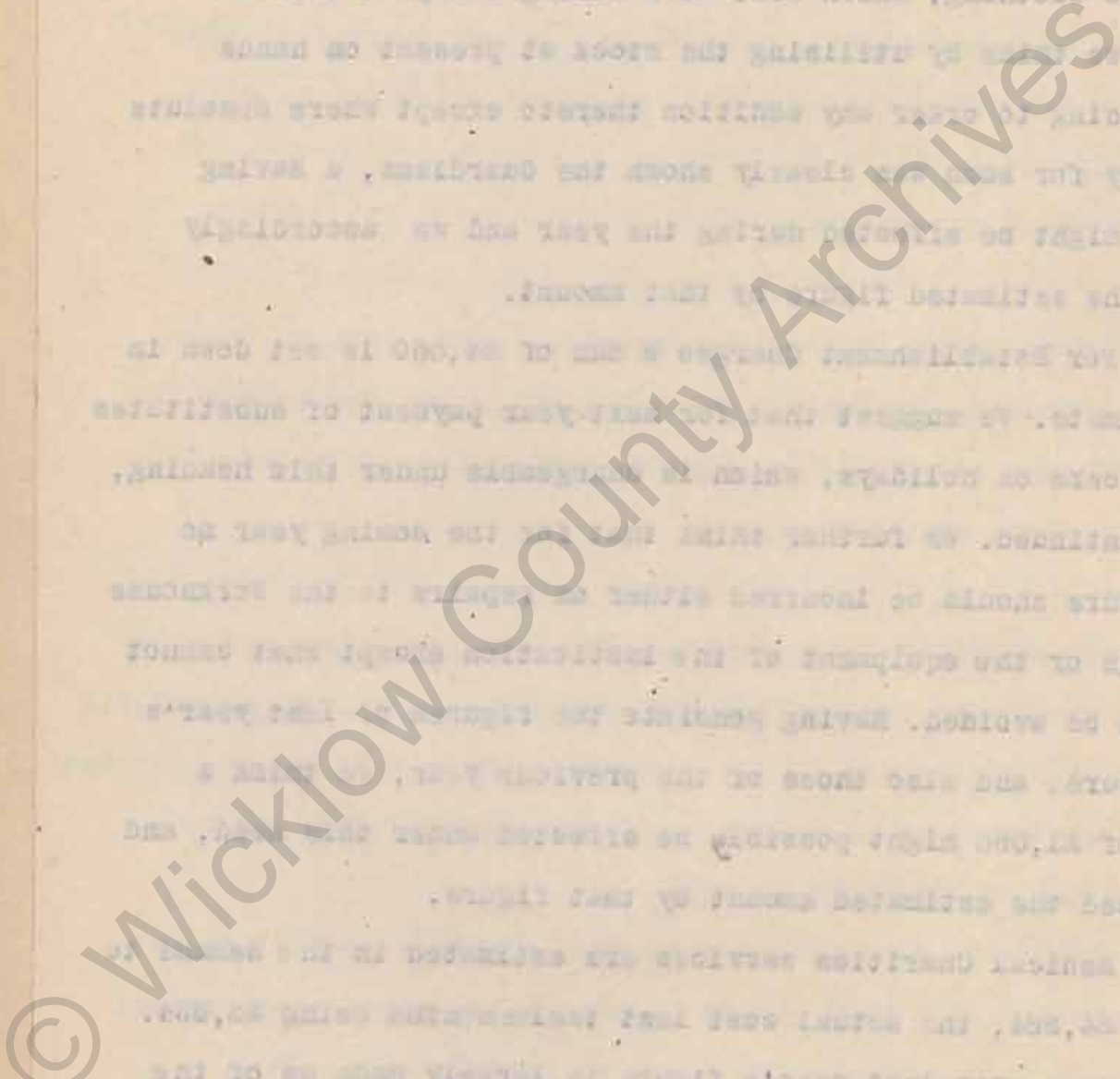
provision made for it. Some other small economies could be

effected in these services, and we accordingly reduce the figure

to \$1,800.

The amount which we estimate an available sum

of \$1,200.



a demand for £4,800. The total expenditure on outdoor relief for the last twelve months was £4,340. We think by a careful revision of the cases in receipt of relief the amount disbursed under this heading could be reduced to a figure representing a fifteen per cent reduction on last year's expenditure, or £3,890, and we have amended the estimate accordingly.

The sum of £222 for repayment of loans received from the Board of works for the provision of Dispensary Residences need not under the circumstances, in our opinion, be included in the estimate, and we have accordingly struck same out.

The estimated debit balance at the end of the current financial year is £4,550, but we think by the exercise of strict economy during the next three months this could be reduced to £4,000.

The total reductions we have made in the estimate bring the gross total of the demand to £20,148, as compared with £17,800 last year. We have made these reductions only on the understanding that the most rigid economy will be practised in future and that no expenditure will be incurred during the coming financial year which can be safely left over for that year.

Signed,

JAMES BYRNE, Tinnakilly.
C. M. BYRNE.

The Board adopted the report of the Committee with the exception of the recommendation re Outdoor Relief.

Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr John McDonald :-

That the Wicklow County Council be requested to increase the amount of the Demand sent in on behalf of the Rathdrum Board of Guardians as revised by the Committee, by the sum of £650:0s:0d, as we now decide that it is not possible to reduce the amount of expenditure on outdoor relief to a lower amount than last year.

Passed.

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to
Boarded Out Children.

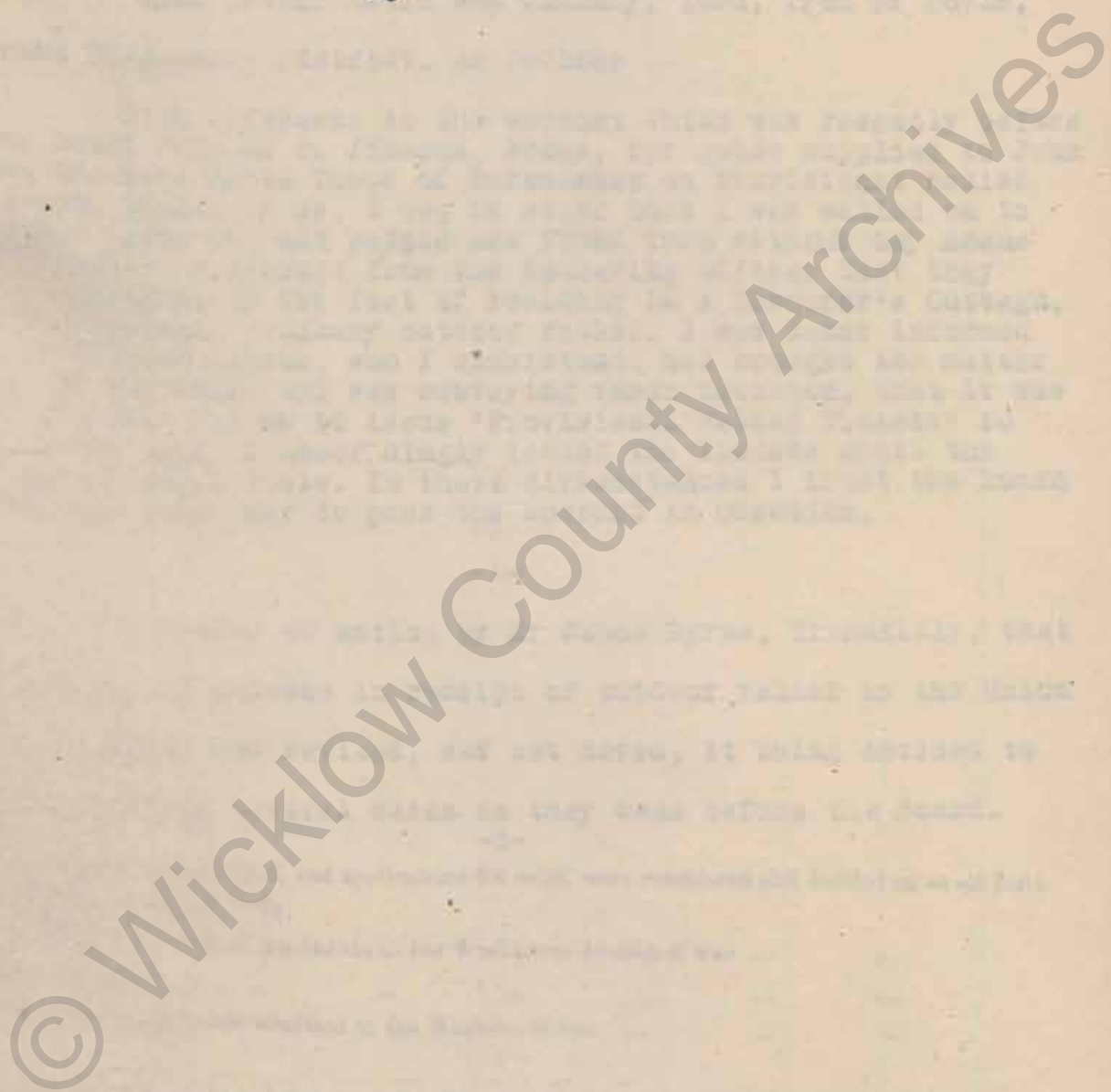
Proposed by Mr Charles Gaule, seconded by Mr Redmond:-

That Thomas Rossiter and Alfred Rogers be boarded out
from the Workhouse with Thomas Kennedy, Aughrim, and Mrs
Redmond, Rednagh, respectively.

Passed.

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of which is to be held in relation to

and the latter.

Proposed by Mr. Charles Smith, seconded by Mr. [Name]

That Thomas [Name] and [Name] be [Action]

and [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

and [Name] [Name] [Name]

Passed.

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In accordance with notice, it was

Proposed by Mr Clarke, seconded by Mr Louth :-

That the amount of provisional relief given to John Toole, of Parknashaw, on the recommendation of Dr W. F. Doyle, be paid for, the case to be placed on Relieving Officer's books and paid through him.

Passed.

Read letter dated 9th January, 1921, from Dr Doyle, Avoca Dispensary District, as follows :-

With reference to the account which was recently before the Board from Mr S. Johnson, Avoca, for goods supplied to John and the late Maria Toole of Parknashaw on Provisional Relief Tickets issued by me, I beg to state that I was called on to attend these two old people and found them without any means of support. I learned from the Relieving Officer that they were debarred by the fact of residing in a Labourer's Cottage, from receiving ordinary outdoor relief. I was later informed by Mr Joseph Clarke, who I understand, had brought the matter before the Board and was conveying their decision, that it was permissible for me to issue "Provisional Relief Tickets" to meet the case. I accordingly issued the tickets until the death of Maria Toole. In these circumstances I trust the Board will see their way to pass the account in question.

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A notice of motion by Mr James Byrne, Tinnakilly, that all lists of persons in receipt of outdoor relief in the Union be submitted and revised, was not moved, it being decided to deal with the several cases as they came before the Board.

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 17th day of January 19 21.

(Signed)

J. W. Shahan

Clerk of the Union.

In accordance with notice, it was
 proposed by Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Douth :-
 That the amount of provisional relief given to John
 Clark, of Birmingham, on the recommendation of Mr. W. E. Davis,
 be paid for, the case to be placed on the list of cases to be
 paid through him.

Resolved.
 That Mr. Clark be paid the sum of £100, from Mr. Davis,
 the sum to be paid by Mr. Clark, as follows :-
 With reference to the account which was recently before
 the Board for Mr. W. E. Davis, for goods supplied to John
 Clark, of Birmingham, on the recommendation of Mr. W. E. Davis,
 it was found that I had to state that I was called on to
 attend to the case of Mr. Clark and John Clark without any notice
 of support. I learned from the Hon. Mr. Justice that they
 were departed by the Hon. Mr. Justice in a Labourer's Coach,
 from receiving orders from the Hon. Mr. Justice. I was later informed
 by Mr. Joseph Clark, who understood, had provided the matter
 before the Board and was satisfied with their decision, that it was
 necessary for me to know the Hon. Mr. Justice's decision in
 the case. I accordingly attended the Hon. Mr. Justice and the
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 in the case.

A notice of motion by Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Douth, that
 the name of persons in receipt of outdoor relief in the Union
 be admitted and revised, was not moved, it being decided to
 deal with the several cases as they came before the Board.

The cases of provisional relief and applications for relief were considered and decided as follows :-

Application and Report Book	The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse	Admitted	The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse	The number of cases of provisional Outdoor Relief was	The number of cases continued by the Guardians	The number of other Applicants in the following Offices, being referred by order of the Guardians was	The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not refused was
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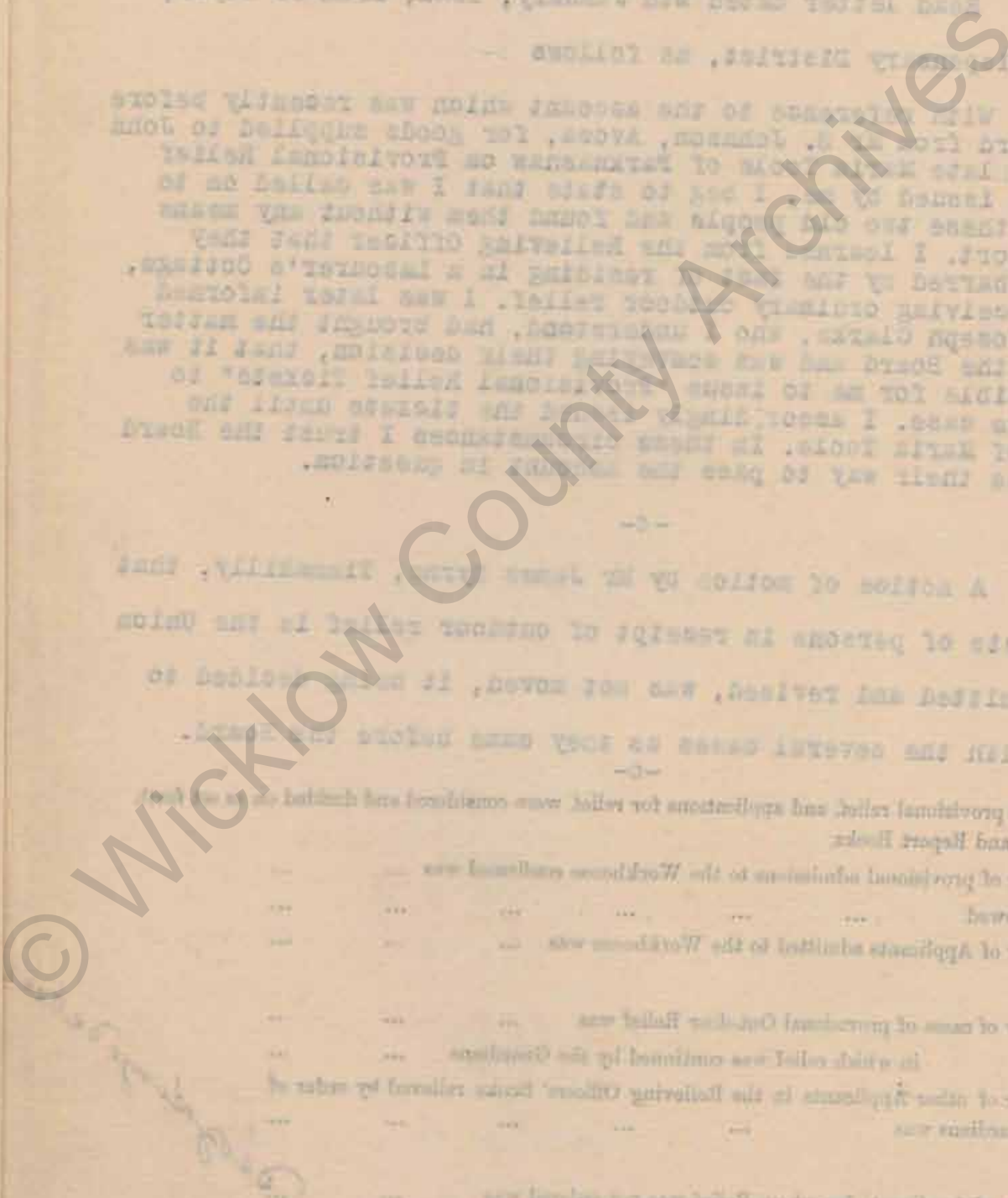
The Board and other committees in force were held during the Quarter by the Clerk together with
 the following :- this on the second meeting after the Annual Meeting in every year.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 12th

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W. E. Davis

Chairman of the Union



[FORM 14.]

(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Finance Meeting, held on MONDAY, the 10th day of January 19 21.

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

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1000	-	-
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	1000	-	-

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

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TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES

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

TABLE (b)				Dr.		
				£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—						
Provisions and Necessaries	..	..	..	414	9	10
Clothing and Bedding	..	..	..	142	-	8
Establishment—						
(a.) Salaries	..	..	..	349	9	2
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	..	..	..
(c.) Farm	..	..	..
(d.) Other Expenses	..	..	..	143	4	1
Workhouse Burials	..	..	..	21	-	-
District School Account	..	..	..
District Hospital Account						
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	..	..	..	12	10	-
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	..	..	..	18	9	-
Medical Charities	..	..	..	580	2	10
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers				2	2	-
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	..	..	..
Superannuation Allowances	..	..	..	68	13	4
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers						
Expenses of Local Committees	..	..	..
Repayment of Loans	..	..	..
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	..	..	..	420	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	..	..	..
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	..	..	..
Expenditure out of Loans	..	..	..
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	..	..	..	2152	-	11

These are the names of the persons who have been appointed to the various offices of the County Council for the year 1900.

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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
December 1920.

	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 ..	1000	-	-			
Total	1000	-	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1835	14	9			
Payments ordered during the month ..	1213	5	9			
Total	2849	-	6			
Net Balance due ^{by} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1849	-	6			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{to} Treasurer	888	16	11			
Outstanding Orders	1160	3	7			
Net Balance as above due ^{by} the Union ..	1849	-	6			

Dated this 10th day of January 1921.

D. W. Sheehan
 Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 10th day of January 19 21.

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

Indoor from No. 1117 to No. 1252

Separate „ No. - to No. -

Outdoor „ No. 3776 to No. 3781

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of January 1921 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	73	16	2	61	17	1	135	13	3	78	16	10	4	-	8	82	17	6	52	15	9	1178
Necessaries	87	9	3	26	12	7	94	1	11	16	2	6	4	1	2	20	3	8	73	16	2	
Total	141	5	5	88	9	8	229	15	1	95	1	4	8	1	10	103	1	2	126	13	11	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 11: 3 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average Cost in Infirmary 11: 11

Average Cost in Fever Hospital - : -

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

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

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Office with his reports from the General Minutes of each Meeting.)

Wicklow County Council

Meeting held on Monday, 19th July 1911

The following Minute Books were produced, examined, and recommended by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk:

Minutes from 20th	1114
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Minutes from 27th	1116
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The Minute Books were produced by the Clerk, and the same were examined and recommended by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk.

- 1. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 19th July 1911.
- 2. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 26th July 1911.
- 3. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 2nd August 1911.

The Weekly Minutes of the Council of Wicklow County Council for the week ending Friday, 1st July 1911, were submitted to the Council in a summary:

Date	Time	Attendance		Business		Total
		Present	Absent	Resolved	Other	
19th July	7.30	11	1	1	1	13
26th July	7.30	11	1	1	1	13
2nd August	7.30	11	1	1	1	13

The General Average Cost of an hour for the work was ...
Average Cost to ...
Average Cost to ...

The following Minute Books were also produced by the Clerk, and were examined and recommended by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk:

- 1. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 19th July 1911.
- 2. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 26th July 1911.
- 3. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 2nd August 1911.
- 4. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 9th August 1911.
- 5. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 16th August 1911.
- 6. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 23rd August 1911.
- 7. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 30th August 1911.
- 8. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 6th September 1911.
- 9. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 13th September 1911.
- 10. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 20th September 1911.
- 11. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 27th September 1911.
- 12. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 4th October 1911.
- 13. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 11th October 1911.
- 14. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 18th October 1911.
- 15. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 25th October 1911.
- 16. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 1st November 1911.
- 17. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 8th November 1911.
- 18. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 15th November 1911.
- 19. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 22nd November 1911.
- 20. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 29th November 1911.
- 21. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 6th December 1911.
- 22. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 13th December 1911.
- 23. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 20th December 1911.
- 24. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 27th December 1911.
- 25. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 3rd January 1912.
- 26. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 10th January 1912.
- 27. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 17th January 1912.
- 28. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 24th January 1912.
- 29. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 31st January 1912.
- 30. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 7th February 1912.
- 31. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 14th February 1912.
- 32. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 21st February 1912.
- 33. The Minutes of the Meeting held on Monday, 28th February 1912.

The Council Minute Books are kept by the Clerk, and the same are examined and recommended by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1st ~~10th~~ day of January 1921, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I			District No. II			District No. III			District No. IV					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	25	17	4	28	14	4	25	5	6	17	18	-	97	15	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							30	-	-	60	-	-	30	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	25	17	4	28	14	4	25	5	6	77	18	-	157	15	2
<i>Ependiture.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	9	15	6	27	13	6	25	7	-	11	-	6	73	16	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility				1	-	-							1	-	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...															
7. Total Relief given	9	15	6	27	13	6	25	7	-	11	-	6	73	16	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	16	1	10	1	10		29	18	6	66	17	6	112	19	8
9. TOTAL ...	25	17	4	28	14	4	55	5	6	77	17	6	187	15	2

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

Dated this 10th day of January 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1894.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....

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

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

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

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

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

Read letter No. 1859, dated 11th December, 1920, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of letter of the Clerk of the Union of 3rd idem and stating that the following matters had been formally sanctioned by the Department:—

Remuneration at the rate of £1-10s. a week to Miss Julia Fogarty as temporary Midwife of the Avoca Dispensary District.

Employment of Dr MacDermot for a period of three months at a salary of £125 a year as Dispensary Medical Officer for Rathdrum District and £25 a year as Medical Officer of Health.

Remuneration at the rate of seven guineas a week to Dr Wm. F. Doyle as temporary Medical Officer for Dunganstown Dispensary District.

Remuneration at the rate of seven guineas per week to Dr Wm. J. McCormack as temporary Medical Officer for Wicklow Dispensary District.

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Approved,

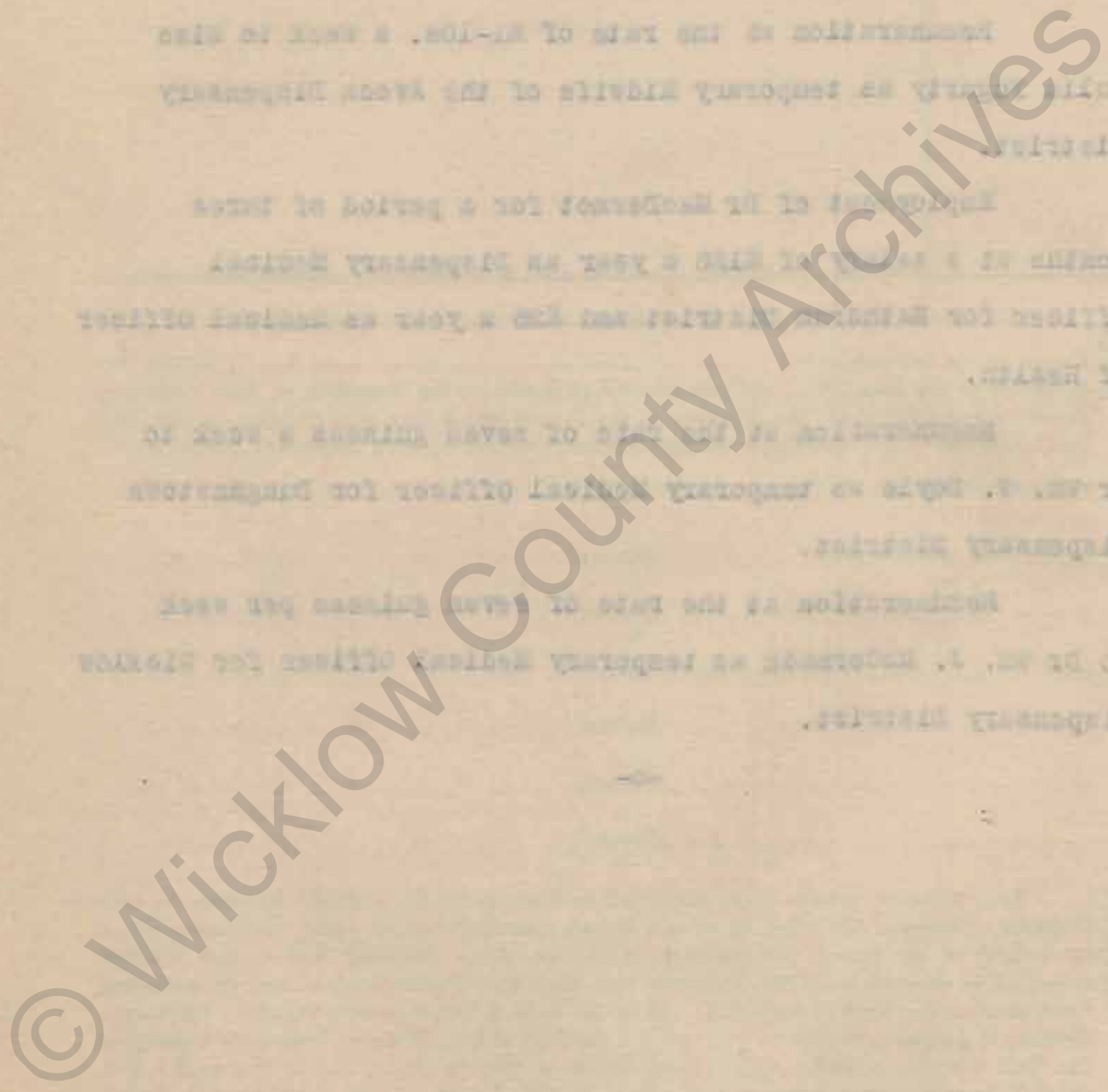
Read report from Mr Loney, engineer to the Board, stating that he had drawn enlarged plans on which the plans had been prepared of Medical Officer's Residence, Rathdrum, and had returned the documents to Mr E. McHugh, solicitor for the Board.

Read letter dated 11th December, 1920, from Miss Kathleen, Secretary, Irish Nurses Union, Dublin, acknowledging letter of the Clerk of the Board relative to the Arbitration Committee dealing with the question of the District Midwives' salaries. She stated that she was satisfied with the decision of the Committee, and that she would not further discuss the matter.

The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Clinician Act were laid before the Board and discussed as follows:-

Local Justice No. 1800, dated 11th December, 1900,
 from the Department of Local Government, Ballinacorney,
 regarding the transfer of the office of the Clerk of the Union of
 the said Union and stating that the following officers had been
 formally appointed by the Department:-

Commissioner of the rate of 1s-10d, a year in the
 County of Wick as temporary holder of the said office
 District
 Registrar of the said County for a period of three
 months of a year in temporary office
 Officer for the said County and for a year as District Officer
 of Wick.
 Registrar of the said County of Wick for a year as
 District Officer for the said County of Wick
 District Officer
 Registrar of the said County of Wick for a year as
 District Officer for the said County of Wick
 District Officer



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

Read letter dated 10th January, 1921, from Mr Martin Kelly, Rathdrum, stating that as the Dispensary House at Rathdrum was vacant, he applied for same temporarily. He would be prepared to give up possession at any time at week's notice.

ORDER:— To be let under agreement at £20 per annum.

Read letter dated 28th December, 1920, from Mrs Davis, District Midwife, Wicklow, acknowledging receipt of cheque for £9 for temporary duty for Nurse Delahunt. This only covered six weeks duty and she had done eight weeks, as the Relieving Officer could testify. She asked that the additional two weeks be paid for.

ORDER:— Cannot pay.

Read letter dated 10th January, 1921, from Relieving Officer Byrne reporting that Dr Harte, Annamoe Dispensary District, had reported that he would be away from his District for two days, 30th and 31st December, she had appointed Dr Finnegan, Newtown, to do the duty during Dr Harte's absence.

ORDER:— Approved.

Read report from Mr Lowey, engineer to the Board, stating that he had drawn enlarged maps on both the lease and counterpart of Medical Officer's Residence, Rathdrum, and had returned the documents to Mr B. McHugh, solicitor for the lessor.

Read letter dated 11th December, 1920, from Miss Mortished, Secretary, Irish Nurses Union, Dublin, acknowledging letter of the Clerk of the Union relative to the Arbitration Committee dealing with the question of the District Midwives salaries. The writer pointed out that considering the constitution of the Committee, the Union could not consider itself bound

The following letters and other communications were read by the Clerk and Orders were made on them respectively as follows:-

Read letter dated 12th January, 1900, from Mr. Martin Kelly, Registrar, stating that as the Registrar's Office at Ballinacorney was vacant, he applied for some temporary help and requested to give up possession of any time at week's notice.

ORDER:- To be left under attachment at 2nd day session.

Read letter dated 12th December, 1900, from Mr. Davis, District Justice, stating, recommending receipt of money for the temporary help for some time. This help covered the time that the said help was absent and as the balance of the said money was paid for.

ORDER:- Approved.

Read letter dated 10th January, 1901, from Mr. O'Brien, District Justice, stating that he would be away from his District for two days, 10th and 11th December, and requesting that the duties of his office be performed by Mr. O'Brien, District Justice, on the day during his absence.

ORDER:- Approved.

Read report from Mr. O'Brien, District Justice, to the Board of Directors of the National Union, stating that he had given a copy of the report on the National Union of District Justices to Mr. O'Brien, District Justice, and had returned the documents to Mr. O'Brien, District Justice for the Board.

Read letter dated 11th December, 1900, from Mr. O'Brien, District Justice, stating that he had given a copy of the report on the National Union of District Justices to Mr. O'Brien, District Justice, and had returned the documents to Mr. O'Brien, District Justice for the Board.

to accept the Committee's decision. She noted that her representations for a differently constituted Committee would be submitted to the next meeting of the Guardians.

The agenda of this meeting contained an entry to the effect that the report of the Arbitration Committee on applications for increased salaries from the District Midwives, would, if available, be considered.

No report was submitted from the Committee.

ORDER :- Consideration of the question held over for six months.

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Read report of Sir Charles Cameron on his analysis of samples of drugs sent from Arklow Dispensary, as follows :-

Compound Decoction of Aloes	Correct.
Soap Liniment	do.
Castor Oil	do.

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No tenders were received for repairing the and refitting the premises proposed to be acquired at Kilcool as a Dispensary.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1904.

By order of the Guardians, the Chairman

(Signed) R. B. ...
Chairman

to accept the Committee's decision. The fact that the representatives
for a differently constituted committee would be admitted to the
next meeting of the Committee.

The agenda of this meeting contained an entry to the
effect that the report of the Arbitration Committee on applications
for increased salaries from the District Highway, Water, &
available, be considered.
The report was submitted from the Committee.

At the meeting of the Committee held on the 14th
the agenda.

Head report of the District Council on the analysis of
samples of bricks used for the new dispensary, as follows :-

Compound	100.00
Water	100.00
Gravel	100.00

The premises proposed to be acquired at ...
No further work required for ...

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RATHFRUM UNION.

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

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

Table with columns for Dispensary District, Name, Sex, Age, and Vaccinated. Includes a section for 'Total' and 'During the Week'.

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

Table with columns for 'Total' and 'During the Week' across various categories, including 'Total' and 'During the Week'.

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Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on Monday, 17th day of January, 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardians being present.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 17th day of January 19 21.

(Signed) *P. W. Phelan*
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,804:1:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of January 1911.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouses		165													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hosptl.															
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL		165													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	46	12	27	9	8	4	13	12	174	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 76	In separate Wards } -	
Admitted during the Week			14	2	1	6		1	1	1		28	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } -	In Wards with other inmates } 8	
Born										1		1	TOTAL, 76	TOTAL, 8	
TOTAL			57	48	13	33	9	9	5	14	13	201	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			20	3	3	1	3	1	3			34			
Died					1							2	No. Relieved during week } 14	2	2
Total Discharged and Died			20	3	4	1	3	1	3			36	No. in Workhouse at date } 1		1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			37	45	9	32	6	8	2	14	12	165	No. at corresponding period last year } 174.		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of January 1911 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	32	53			32	53
A. Byrne	No. II.	81	172			81	172
T. Butler	No. III.	99	164			99	164
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	249	466			249	466

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 17th day of January 1911.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

17th day of January 1911.

P. W. Phelan
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,805:1:0.

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse		174														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		174														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			37	45	9	32	6	8	2	14	12	165	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	78	In separate Wards	—
Admitted during the Week			9	9	6	2	2	1	6			35	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	—	In Wards with other inmates	8
Born												—	TOTAL	78	TOTAL	8
TOTAL			46	54	15	34	8	9	8	14	12	200	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			4	7	7	3	2		2	1		26	No. Relieved during week	9	Females	9
Died					1							1	No. in Workhouse at date	6	Children under 13	6
Total Discharged and Died			4	7	8	3	2		2	1		27		1	TOTAL	9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			42	47	7	31	8	9	6	13	12	173	No. at corresponding period last year			178.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of January 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	33	54			33	54
A. Byrne	No. II.	82	174			82	174
T. Butler	No. III.	101	167			101	167
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	253	472			253	472

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting on MONDAY, the 24th day of January 1911.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Miss Dulcibella Barton, Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Mrs. Butler, Messrs. James Byrne, Ballinderry;

P. J. Cullen, Condell, Burner, Bernard Kelly, C. M. Byrne,

James Byrne, Tinnakilly; MacDonal, L. Redmond, Louth, Felix

Kavanagh.

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

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

At a meeting of the Board held on the 14th day of January 1900, a deputation from the Executive of the County Wicklow Farmers' Union on the question of the rates to be struck in the Union area for the coming financial year.

The meeting was addressed by Messrs. J. Wilson, D. Mackin and G. J. Manning, members of the deputation.

Proposed by Mr James Turner, seconded by Mr. J. J. O'Connell:

That it be recommended that a further meeting of the Committee of representatives of all public bodies in the County Wicklow be called as an early date for the purpose of considering the question of the amalgamation of the rates and other local rates and to advise in local administration, and that representatives of Farmers and Labour Unions be invited to attend this meeting.

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

1,200 lbs. Bread
70 lbs. Butter
120 lbs. Beef
120 lbs. Mutton
20 doz. Eggs
350 qts. New Milk
2 cwt. Oatmeal
5 st. Cabbage
1 lb. Snuff
5 tons Firewood.

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

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

By appointment, the Board received a deputation from the Executive of the County Wicklow Farmers' Union on the question of the rates to be struck in the Union area for the coming financial year.

The meeting was addressed by Messrs. R. Wilson, D.H. Haskins and G. P. Manning, members of the deputation.

Proposed by Mr James Turner, seconded by Mrs Julia Butler :—

That we recommend that a further meeting of the Conference of representatives of all public bodies in the County Wicklow be called at an early date for the purpose of considering the question of the amalgamation of Workhouses and other possible economies in local administration; and that representatives of Farmers and Labour Unions be invited to attend this conference and help with their advice and co-operation.

Passed unanimously.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was sent this on the 1st instant in every month.
Number of vaccinated cases -

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

By appointment, the Board received a representation from

the Executive of the County Vaccination Society, which on the

question of the rates to be levied in the Union when for the

yearly vaccination fees.

It was resolved that the Committee be directed to report on the

subject to the Board at their next meeting.

Resolved that the Board be directed to consider the

subject :-

That in view of the fact that a further meeting of the Committee

of representatives of all parishes in the County should

be called as in early date as possible for the purpose of considering the

question of the vaccination of children and other persons

and also in local administration of the vaccination

of children and other persons in the County and to report thereon

and also to report on the progress of the vaccination

of children.

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

January 24th, 1921.

The Master reports that on the 22nd instant there were 170 inmates in the Workhouse, including 88 patients in the Infirmary, but there are no patients in the Fever Hospital at present.

In the body of the House there were 38 men, 30 women and 34 children. For the corresponding week last year the number in the Workhouse was 184.

The wardmistress, Nurse Murphy, ceased duty on the 12th instant, and on the requisition of the Medical Officer the Master employed Mrs Kate Driver to do the duty. Mrs Driver took up duty on the same date.

The Master desires permission to order some tweed, as it is required very badly.

The Master, on the requisition of the Medical Officer, called in Dr Stokes to assist at an operation on the 20th instant.

The child, George Brien, is now able to leave and go to his foster parent.

ORDER :- Appointment of Mrs Driver approved at fixed rate of salary for the position, pending permanent appointment. The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—
being made; thirty yards of tweed to be ordered.

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 No. 2677/20, dated 12th January, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of replies to inquiries respecting the proposed appointment of Mrs Margaret Murphy in the ^{female} lunatic ward of the Workhouse, and stating that the Ministry of Local Government had sanctioned the appointment at a salary of £52 per year with 7/8 per week war bonus.

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Read letter No. 341/21, dated 20th January, 1921, from same, stating that the Ministry for Local Government observed from the minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 13th ultimo that the Guardians received letters from the English Local Government Board, and stating that all communications received from that Department should be forwarded to the office of the Ministry, periodically.

ORDER :- Copies of letters to be sent.

Read letter No. 341/21, dated 19th January, 1921, from same, stating that the Ministry observed from minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 13th ultimo that the Guardians had given instructions to their solicitor to institute legal proceedings in the County Court against a man named Byrne to recover a debt due by him in respect of the cost of his maintenance in the Workhouse. The Ministry would be glad to be informed of the amount due by this man, and they desired to state that it was highly objectionable for a Republican local authority to appear in an English court either as plaintiff or defendant. A case of this kind should be brought before the local Republican Court, if there was one functioning in the District, and whether the defendant appeared or not, it was possible to get an order in a Republican Court addressed to the Local Brigade Commandant of the I. R. A. for the recovery of the debt due. It was hardly necessary to add that every effort should be made to secure payment from a debtor before

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others were sent by the Chief and Assistant Clerks to various departments, to the following effect:—

Head Office No. 2077, dated 21st January, 1911.
From the Department of Local Government, Dublin.
Acknowledging receipt of copies of replies to inquiries regarding the proposed appointment of Mr. [Name] as a member of the Board of the [Name], and stating that the Board of Local Government had sanctioned the appointment as a matter of course.

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Head Office No. 2078, dated 21st January, 1911.
From the Department of Local Government, Dublin.
From the minutes of proceedings of the Board of [Name] on [Date] it is stated that the [Name] received letters from the [Name] local government, and stating that all communications received from that department should be forwarded to the office of the Ministry, particularly [Name].
NOTE:—Copies of letters to be sent.

Head Office No. 2079, dated 21st January, 1911.
From the Department of Local Government, Dublin.
In view of the fact that the Ministry received communications from the Board of [Name] on [Date] and that the [Name] had given instructions to their [Name] to refer proceedings in the County Court against [Name] to refer a debt due by him in respect of the [Name] to maintenance in the [Name]. The Ministry were to be informed of the amount due by [Name], and that [Name] to state that it was highly objectionable for a [Name] local authority to spend in an [Name] court against a [Name] or defendant. A case of this kind should be referred before the local [Name] court, if there was one [Name] in the District, and whether the defendant appeared or not, it was possible to get an order in a [Name] court [Name] to the local [Name] Government of the [Name] for [Name] recovery of the [Name]. It was highly necessary to and that every effort should be made to [Name] from a [Name] [Name]

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before bringing him into Court.

ORDER :- It is not intended now to proceed any further with this case, the man having left. That the Master be asked to caution future patients that they will be required to pay.

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Read letter dated 12th January, 1921, from the Secretary, Wicklow County Council, enclosing cheque for \$500, being a further instalment in respect of the Union demand.

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Read letter dated 12th January, 1921, from Messrs. Boileau & Boyd, Ltd., Dublin, contractors for medical supplies to the Workhouse, as follows :-

We beg to draw the attention of your Board to amount of our accounts furnished to end of September last, amounting to \$318-18s-4d. Since that date we have supplied additional goods amounting to about \$100. Before supplying further requisitions we are anxious to know when we are likely to receive payment. Owing to the present money stringency we are obliged to look after those matters closely and feel sure you will understand our position. We shall be glad to have your reply at an early date.

ORDER :- To be paid as soon as possible.

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Read letter dated 22nd January, 1921, from Relieving Officer Laurence Murphy, writing from Kilmainham Jail, as follows :-

I am still in residence here. As no charges are yet made, I would respectfully ask the Guardians and the Council to grant me an extended leave until I am at liberty to return. Miss Byrne R.O. knows my district well and has worked the system I adopt several times and I am sure can do so now for some time. I am writing her to-day on some points connected with the district. With thanks to the Guardians and Council for past courtesies.

ORDER :- Leave granted.

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Read letter from Mr Peter Kavanagh, P.L.G., Arklow, stating that

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that his non-attendance at meetings of the Board for a period of six months was due to the fact that he had been ill all the time and confined to his room. He feared he would not be able to give the necessary attendance for some time, but if the Guardians excused him he would do his best to make amends in future.

ORDER :- Explanation accepted.

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Read letter dated January 21st, 1921, from Mr A. B. Brennan P.L.G., Arklow, stating that he had found it absolutely impossible to attend the meetings of the Board during the past six months, although he made many efforts to do so. He regretted he would be unable to attend regularly in future and give the attention he would like to matters connected with the Board. Consequently he felt he was only debarring a member who would have more leisure time at his disposal, and be of greater service to the Board.

ORDER :- Vacancy to be declared.

The following notice was served:-

24th January, 1921.

We hereby give notice that a vacancy exists on this Board of Guardians caused by the non-attendance of Mr A. B. Brennan for a period of six months. And we further give notice that at the meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 14th February, 1921, we will move that the vacancy be filled by co-option.

Signed,

JOHN McDONALD	Three members
L. REDMOND	of the Board
J. TURNER	of Guardians.

Countersigned,

P. W. SHEEHAN,
Clerk of the Union.

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Read letter dated 23rd January, 1921, from William Byrne, Ballinalea, stating that he was claiming as next of kin a small amount in Post Office due to Rose Byrne, or deposited by her. He asked that enclosed leaf reply be filled in if any claim on deposit was made by the Guardians.

ORDER :- Claim in full.

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that the non-attendance of meetings of the Board for a period
of six months was due to the fact that he had been ill all the time
and declined to attend. He stated he would not be able to give
the necessary attention for some time, but if the conditions
permitted him he would do his best to make himself in a position
ORDER 1 - Resolutions accepted.

Read letter dated January 18th, 1911, from A. J.
Stewart, Esq., stating that he had been ill for some
time and was unable to attend the meetings of the Board during the past
six months, but that he was now well and would be able to attend
in future and give the attention he would give to his duties connected with the Board.
Consequently he felt it was only desirable to remove his name
from the list of absentees, and he of greater service
to the Board.

ORDER 2 - Resolutions accepted.
The following notice was received:
We hereby give notice that a meeting of the
Board of Guardians of the Poor will be held on the 15th day
of the month of January, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon
at the meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 15th day
of January, 1911, we will have the pleasure of calling on
co-opted.

W. J. WATSON
J. WATSON
of the Board
of Guardians

Read letter dated 18th January, 1911, from William James
McIntosh, stating that he was obliged to leave on the 15th
of the month for the purpose of attending to his business in
London and that he would be unable to attend the meeting of the
Board on the 15th day of January, 1911, but that he would
be able to attend in future and give the attention he would
give to his duties connected with the Board.
ORDER 3 - Resolutions accepted.

Read letter dated 10th January, 1931, from the Inspector of Taxes, Dublin, as follows :-

Accounts for half year to 31st March, 1931. I shall be obliged in order to close the question of Income Tax for 1930 - 1931 you will forward above accounts.

ORDER :- Not to be sent.

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Applications for outfits of clothing were received from inmates of the Workhouse named Lizzie Vickers, Lizzie Farrell and Mary Gaffney.

ORDER :- £3 granted in case of Vickers; applications of Farrell and Gaffney not granted.

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Read letter dated 23rd January, 1931, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor to the Board, stating that owing to Quarter Sessions that day in Wicklow he was unable to attend meeting of the Guardians.

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Relieving Officer Butler submitted in connection with an application for outdoor relief from a woman named Mary Anne Kinsella, Arklow, a letter from the Inspector, Wexford Branch of the National Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, stating that he would not be justified in getting the woman's husband, now resident in England, arrested, as it was evident he was unable to send any money and would probably enter the Union there and be sent to Rathdrum. He enclosed report from the Society's Inspector in Middlesborough, stating he had interviewed Kinsella, who stated he was in bad health, out of work, and half starved, and that he would welcome being arrested on a warrant as he desired to get back to Ireland. He was obviously in a bad state of health and the Inspector had advised him to go into the Union Infirmary.

ORDER :- Temporary relief of ten shillings a week for four weeks granted.

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to Boarded Out Children. In the month of January 1921, the Board of Guardians was informed by a salary of £30 a year, with 10 sh. a week for board.

Read letter dated 23rd January, 1921, from Michael Sutton, New St., Wicklow, proposing to take out to nurse two children from Wicklow, named Sutton, at present in the Workhouse. He would comply with any orders or regulations the Guardians might make.

ORDER :- Granted.

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A notice of motion in the name of Mr Charles Gaule P.L.G. proposing to take into consideration the question of boarding out the children remaining in the Workhouse was not moved. The Board decided to postpone dealing with the question until after the conference had met and reported on the question of Workhouse amalgamation.

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The names of persons called and applications for relief were read and decided as follows:

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to
boarded out children.

Read letter dated 18th January, 1861, from Miss
Gibson, Mrs H. Gibson, proposing to take out to nurse
two children from Wicklow, named Susan, as present in the
workhouse. He would comply with any orders or regulations the
Guardians might make.
Resolved: - Granted.

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A notice of motion in the name of Mr Charles Smith
E. G. proposing to take into consideration the question of
boarding out the children remaining in the workhouse was not
moved. The Board declined to discuss dealing with the question
until after the conference had been reported on the question
of workhouse re-organization.

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[Form 19.]
(Article 7.)

In accordance with advertisement the Board proceeded to appoint an Attendant in the Female Lunatic Ward of the Workhouse at a salary of £52 a year, with 7s 6d a week war bonus.

Applications were read from :- Margaret Rochford, Rathdrum; Mary E. Whitney, Liverpool; Nurse Kavanagh, Aughrim; Annie Arthur, Ballinabarney; Susan O'Byrne, Dunleary; Nurse May Lizotte, Liverpool; Mary Magee, Ballinderry.

The Guardians appointed Miss Mary Magee to the position.

Letter from the ... 1888 - 0 - 1889

L. Redmond

Expense ...

Current ...

The Order was produced by the Clerk, passed up to date, with the proper ...

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

1. The Relief Book
2. The Provision Book
3. The Provision Receipt Book

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of the ... for the Week ending ...

18th of January 1889

The ... of which the following is a Summary:-

Provision		Relief		Out-door		Other	
No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
...

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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31st

day of January 19 21.

(Signed)

D. W. Phelan

Clerk of the Union.

It accordingly with advertisement the board proceeded to
 appoint an Assistant in the same manner as of the previous
 at a salary of £100 a year, with 20 of a week per annum.
 Applications were made from the following persons, Messrs
 Wm. H. Keating, Liverpool; James Keating, Dublin; James
 Arthur, Galway; James O'Connell, Dublin; James
 Keating, Liverpool; Wm. Keating, Galway.
 The Committee appointed Wm. Keating to the position.

Wm. Keating

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The number of persons who were employed and the amount of
 in the application and report books
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The funds and other accounts in this report have been
 the report thereon as follows: (this is the annual report of the Board for the year)

Next Meeting of the Committee to be held on Tuesday, the
 day of January 1887

Done, this 10th day of January 1887.
 J. Keating, Secretary

[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 24th day of January 1921.

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

Indoor from No. 1252 to No. 1315
Separate „ No. - to No. -
Outdoor „ No. - to No. -

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of January 1921 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	58	3	1	94	15	10	152	18	11	75	16	7	4	-	11	79	17	6	73	1	5	1180
Necessaries	53	16	8	123	14	1	177	10	9	24	9	-	4	1	2	24	9	-	133	1	9	
Total	111	19	9	218	9	11	330	9	8	97	4	5	8	2	1	104	6	6	226	3	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 11: 4 $\frac{3}{4}$
Average Cost in Infirmary : 12: -
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : -: -

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

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

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

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

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

Wicklow Union

Meeting held on Monday, 1st day of January, 1881

The following Resolutions were proposed, seconded, and unanimously adopted by the signatures of the Chairman and the counter-signatures of the Clerk:

- Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to purchase from No. 1 to No. 1000
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The Ledger was examined by the Clerk, and found to be correct up to date, with the proper Debits and Credits. The following Books were submitted by the Clerk, he having had previously the consent of the Board made therein by the Board of the Wicklow Union and authorized the same by the following:-

- 1. The General Ledger
- 2. The Petty Cash Book
- 3. The Disbursements and Receipts Account

The Weekly Abstract of the Accounts of the Wicklow Union for the week ending Saturday, 1st day of January, 1881, was submitted to the Board and the following is a summary:-

Particulars	1880		1881		Total
	£	s	£	s	
Balance forward	100	0	100	0	200
To Receipts	100	0	100	0	200
By Disbursements	100	0	100	0	200
Balance in hand	100	0	100	0	200

The General Average Cost of the Wicklow Union for the week ending Saturday, 1st day of January, 1881, was found to be £100 0s 0d. The Average Cost in January was £100 0s 0d. The Average Cost in February was £100 0s 0d.

The following Resolutions were also proposed by the Clerk, and were unanimously adopted by the Board:-

- 1. The Disbursements and Receipts Account
- 2. The Disbursements and Receipts Account
- 3. The Disbursements and Receipts Account
- 4. The Disbursements and Receipts Account

The Disbursements and Receipts Account for the week ending Saturday, 1st day of January, 1881, is herewith submitted to the Board, and the same is authorized by the Board to be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with his reports from the General Minutes of each Meeting.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th
 day of January 1921, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I			District No. II			District No. III			District No. IV					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	36	6	4	1	12	4	4	11	6	55	17	-	98	7	2
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...				30	-	-	30	-	-				60	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	36	6	4	31	12	4	34	11	6	55	17	-	158	7	2
<i>Expenditure.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	10	3	6	27	13	6	26	8	-	11	-	6	75	3	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	4	6	8										4	6	6
7. Total Relief given ...	14	10	-	27	13	6	26	8	-	11	-	6	79	10	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	21	16	4	3	18	10	8	5	6	44	16	6	78	17	2
9. TOTAL ...	36	6	4	31	12	4	34	11	6	55	17	-	158	7	2

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

Dated this 24th day of January 1921.

D. G. Sheehan
 Clerk of the Union.

Rathdrum Union.

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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, under the above-mentioned Acts, at
a Meeting held on MONDAY, the 24th day of January 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Miss Dulcibella Barton, Chairman.

Other Guardians:—

Mrs Butler, Messrs. James Byrne, Ballinderry;
P. J. Cullen, Condell, Turner, Bernard Kelly, C. M. Byrne,
James Byrne, Timnakilly; McDonald, L. Redmond, Louth, Felix
Kavanagh.

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost			Directions given by the Board
	£	s.	d.	
Newcastle	18	18	2	To be supplied.

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

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

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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....

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

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

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

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

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

Read letter No. 1398, dated 12th January, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries in the cases of Dr Doyle, Dr McCormack and Mrs Margaret Murphy. Remuneration at the rate of seven guineas per week to Dr Doyle was sanctioned on the condition that the Medical Officer had not already exhausted his annual ^{vacation}/leave. A similar condition applied to Dr McCormack. Remuneration at the rate of £1-10s. per week to Mrs Margaret Murphy was sanctioned.

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Read letter No. 346/21, dated 17th January, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the employment of Dr E. C. MacDermot as temporary Medical Officer of the Rathdrum Dispensary District, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £7-7s-0d per week to Dr MacDermot for this service.

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The Board, upon being apprised of the situation of the Board as to the amount of cost to be made for several dispensaries in the year 1921.

It was decided to be reduced by one half in the year 1921.

Read application from the Customs & Excise Office, Dublin, applying for payment of 100 guineas in respect of 100 guineas, Income Tax on Antrim Dispensary Fund.

ORDER:— Paid.

Read return form H. from Dr MacDermot, Rathdrum Dispensary District, certifying that he had successfully vaccinated nine persons during the year 1921.

Dr MacDermot, Rathdrum Dispensary District, certified that he had vaccinated every person during the year 1921.

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

Order in Council, dated 12th January, 1901, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, concerning the receipt of replies to queries in the case of Dr. Joyce, in connection with the Hospital Supply, in connection with the seven guinea per week to Dr. Joyce was considered on the condition that the Medical Officer had not already extended his annual leave. A similar condition applied to Dr. Henderson, in connection with the rate of £1-10s per week to the Hospital Supply was considered.

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Order in Council, dated 17th January, 1901, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, concerning the receipt of replies to queries in connection with the Hospital Supply, in connection with the seven guinea per week to Dr. Joyce was considered on the condition that the Medical Officer had not already extended his annual leave. A similar condition applied to Dr. Henderson, in connection with the rate of £1-10s per week to the Hospital Supply was considered.

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

Read letter dated 12th January, 1921, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor, enclosing draft agreement for letting of Dispensary house at Rathdrum to Mr Martin Kelly. If the draft were approved by the Guardians it should be returned to him for endorsement.

ORDER :- Draft approved.

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Read letter from Mr R. Stein, Bank of Ireland, Arklow, stating that Dr Ryan had informed him that the Guardians were now responsible for the fire insurance of the Dispensary at Rathdrum to the extent of £2,000. Up to now the policy had been with the Company he represented, the Guardian, and if the Guardians wished he could have a new policy effected.

ORDER :- To be insured with the Hibernian Company through Mr John Murphy, Mullinaveigue.

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The Clerk of the Union asked the directions of the Board as to the allowances of coal to be made the several Dispensaries in the Union for the year 1921.

ORDER :- Quantities allowed to be reduced by one half in each case for 1921.

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Read application from the Customs & Excise Office, Dublin, applying for payment of two sums of amounting to £1-4s-0d, Income Tax on Arklow Dispensary rent.

ORDER :- Read.

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Read return Form H. from Dr Pinnegan, Newcastle Dispensary District, certifying that he had successfully vaccinated nine persons during quarter ending 31st December last.

Dr O'Connor, Wicklow Dispensary District, certified having vaccinated seven persons during same period.

The following letters and other communications were read by the Clerk and Orders were made on them respectively, as follows:-

Read letter dated 21st February, 1921, from Mr. J. H. McGarrett, solicitor, enclosing draft order for issuing of dispensary licence at Rathfriland to Mr. Martin Kelly. It was duly approved by the Board and is hereby approved.

ORDER :- Duly approved.

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Read letter from Mr. A. O'Connell, Bank of Ireland, Dublin, stating that he had informed his agent the Dublin City Council that he was the licensee of the Dispensary at Rathfriland to the extent of £2,000, up to now the policy had been with the Company he mentioned, the Council, and if the Council wished to continue a new policy should be issued.

ORDER :- To be issued to the Dispensary Company.

Approved by the Board, 21st February, 1921.

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The Clerk of the Board read the minutes of the Board on the 15th day of February 1921 and on the 15th day of March 1921 in the year for the year 1921.

ORDER :- Minutes agreed to be read and the Bill

in each case the year.

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Read application from the Dublin & Wicklow Dispensary, Dublin, applying for payment of £200 sum of money to be paid to the Dispensary for the year 1921.

ORDER :- Paid.

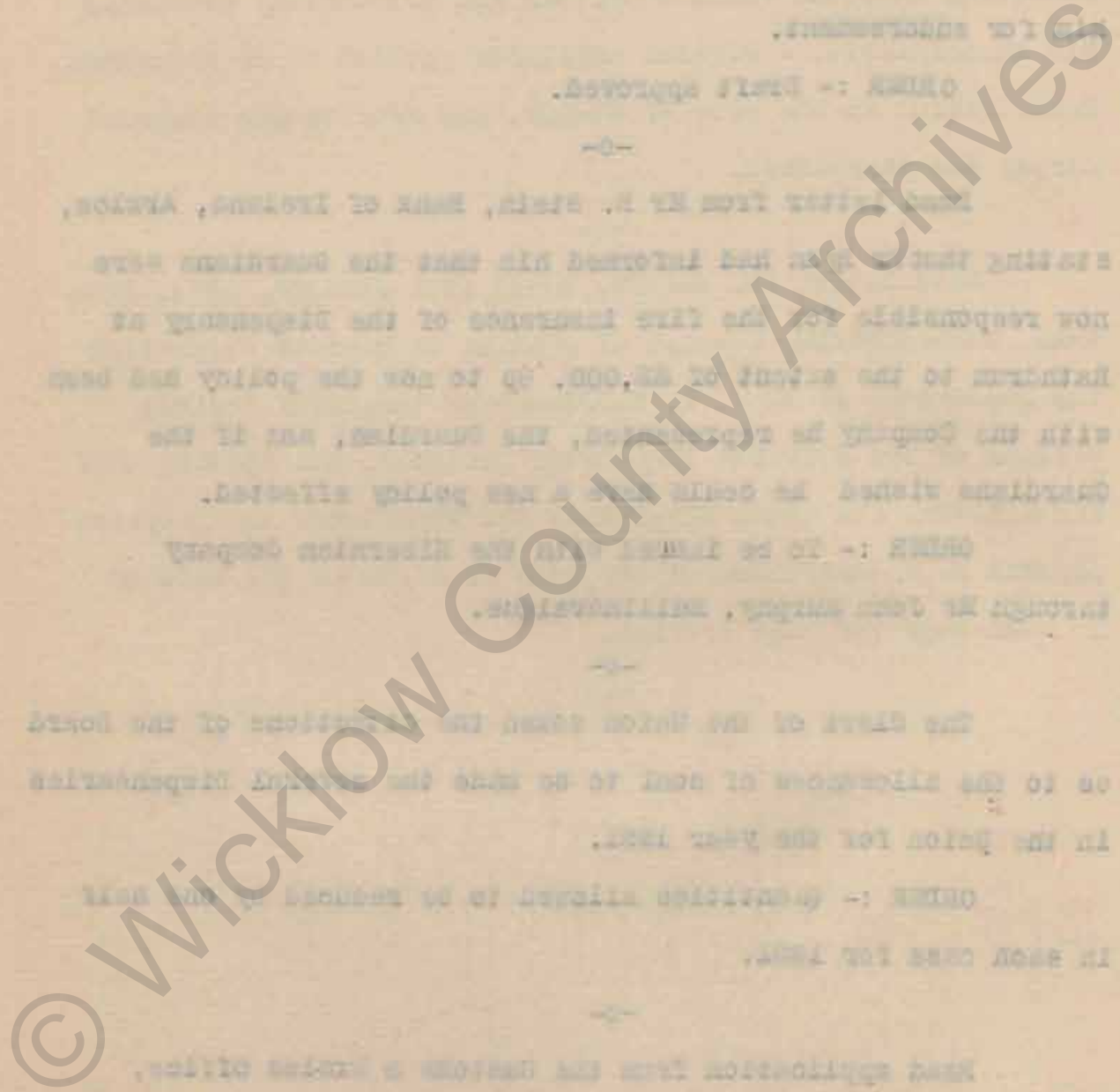
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By O'Connell, Clerk of the Board, Dublin, 21st February, 1921.

Having read the minutes of the Board for the year 1921.



BATHURST UNION.

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

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

Dispensary District	Male	Female	Total
Total			

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

Total					

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on Monday, the 31st day of January 1921.

R. Redmond

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 31st

day of January 19 21.

(Signed) *D. W. Sheehan*
Clerk of the Union.

The names of the members of the Board of Directors who are now in office are as follows: [illegible]

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the _____ day of _____ 19____.
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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,804:1:0.

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

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse		170														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hosptl.																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		170														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			42	47	7	31	6	9	8	13	12	173	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards	
Admitted during the Week			7	5	2	1	2		2			19	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other inmates	8
Born														TOTAL	TOTAL	8
TOTAL			49	52	9	32	8	9	8	13	12	192	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			9	3	1	4		1	1		1	20	Males	7	Females	5
Died					1	1						2	Children under 15	2	TOTAL	14
Total Discharged and Died			9	3	2	5		1	1		1	22	No. in Workhouse at date	5		11
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			40	49	7	27	8	8	7	13	11	170	No. at corresponding period last year	178.		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of January 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	38	54			38	54
A. Byrne	No. II.	82	174			82	174
T. Butler	No. III.	101	167			101	167
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	253	472			253	472

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 31st day of January 1911.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

A. R. Redmond

31st day of January 1911.

D. W. Shubert
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,804:1:0.

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

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse		188															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hosptl.																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		188															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			40	49	7	27	8	8	7	13	11	170	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	65	In separate Wards	-	
Admitted during the Week			14	7	3	3	2		2			31	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates	8	
Born											1	1	TOTAL, 65	TOTAL, 8			
TOTAL			54	56	10	30	10	8	9	13	12	202	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			14	9	4	3	3		6			36	Males	Females	Children under 12	TOTAL	
Died												-	No. Believed during week	14	7	4	25
Total Discharged and Died			14	9	4		3		6			36	No. in Workhouse at date	4	2		6
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			40	47	8	30	7	8	3	13	12	188	No. at corresponding period last year	183.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of January 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	33	54			33	54
A. Byrne	No. II.	82	174			82	174
T. Butler	No. III.	104	174			104	174
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	256	479			256	479

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY,

the 7th day of February 1911.

Chair— At Lawrence Redmond, Deputy Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians—

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Patrick O'Sullivan, Elizabeth O'Sullivan, James Byrne, John Gregory, John McDonald, James Gaffney, James O'Sullivan.

R. Redmond

7th day of February 1911.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,804-1-0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of February 1911.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS				
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date					
Workhouse		163																	
Temporary Buildings																			
Additional Workhouse		2																	
Permanent Fever Hospitl.																			
Fever Sheds																			
TOTAL		165																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			40	47	8	30	7	8	3	13	13	166	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	68	In separate Wards				
Admitted during the Week			9	2	4		1		2			18	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	8			
Born												-	TOTAL	70	TOTAL	8			
TOTAL			49	49	10	30	8	8	5	13	12	184	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS						
Discharged during the Week			12	1	4	1						18	Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL
Died											1	1	No. Relieved during week	8	2	2	12		
Total Discharged and Died			12	1	4	1					1	19	No. in Work-house at date	1	2	2	5		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			37	48	6	29	8	8	5	13	11	165	No. at corresponding period last year	173.					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of February 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	33	54			33	54
A. Byrne	No. II.	78	183			78	183
T. Butler	No. III.	104	174			104	174
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	252	488			252	488

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting on MONDAY, the 14th day of February 1911.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr Laurence Redmond, Deputy Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Mrs Butler, Messrs. Wm. Murphy, Wm. Redmond, Patrick O'Neill, Killacoran; James Byrne, Ballinderry; John Gregory, John McDonald, James Gaffney, John Louth, James O'Brien.

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

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

Read report of Dr E. C. MacDermot, Medical Officer
of the Workhouse, as follows :—

I beg to report that since your last meeting two cases
have been admitted to the Fever Hospital; one, a girl named
Murphy, suffering from typhoid fever; she is a member of a
wandering pedlar family and has no fixed abode. The other
is a man named Brady from Roundwood District; he suffers from
diphtheria. Both are doing well. On the 22nd January last
the Master at my request requisitioned the services of Dr
Stokes, Rathdrum, to administer chloroform to a boy named
Keogh, from Brewery Lane, Rathdrum, whose finger I found it
necessary to amputate.

ORDER :— Fee of two guineas to be paid Dr Stokes.

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Read letter dated 4th February, 1921, from Mr
Matthew Murtagh, Wicklow, asking the Board to accept his
resignation of the position of Poor Law Guardian for the
Urban District of Wicklow. He expressed his grateful appreciation
of the courtesy and toleration he had received from every
member of the Board since his election. He wished to assure
the members that his resignation arose from no action of theirs,
but from the duties of his position which had first claim
on his services.

ORDER :— Held over.

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

February 14th, 1921.

The Master reports that on the 13th instant there were 173 inmates in the Workhouse, including 71 patients in the Infirmary and 2 patients in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 41 men, 30 women and 29 children. For the corresponding week last year the number in the House was 177.

It was necessary to get the following repairs done to Ambulance - To take down differential and put in new parts required, crown wheel and sprocket, 8 truss plates, rubber connection and clasps; two hubs and fittings for same; also to repair radiator. The Corballis Motor Works did the duty on the 10th and 11th instant.

The Master desires permission to procure suitable scrubbing and sweeping brushes, as the ones tendered for are no use.

ORDER :- Repairs to ambulance approved; purchase of brushes approved.

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

The reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Order with thereon as follows:-

The Master reports that on the 22nd instant there
 were 273 inmates in the workhouse, including 72 patients
 in the infirmary and 2 patients in the Fever Hospital. In the
 body of the House there were 21 men, 20 women and 20
 children. For the corresponding week last year the number
 in the House was 277.

It was necessary to get the following repairs done to
 the House to take down differential and put in new parts
 together with new and repaired, 2 brass pipes, raised
 occupation of the House, the men and fittings for same, and
 to repair the boiler. The following were done in the week
 of the 10th and 11th instant.

The Master desires permission to procure outside
 for the House and to keep the same in the year 1892 and
 no more.

Order:- That the Master be and he is hereby authorized
 to purchase the same.

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The following Order of the Local Government Board is hereby made and the Board and Director are directed to give effect to the same:-

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 No. 34, dated 30th January, 1921, from the Local Government Department, Dail Eireann, asking to be furnished with a statement showing the salaries and wages at present being paid to all officials and employees of the Board. It should be stated in the return whether the remuneration had been duly paid up to date, and if in any case salary or wages were in arrears, the reason for this and the extent of the arrears should be stated.

The Clerk of the Union submitted return showing that a total sum of £1,436-9s-10d was due the officers of the Union to that date. The reason why salaries had not been paid up to 31st December last was that no funds were available.

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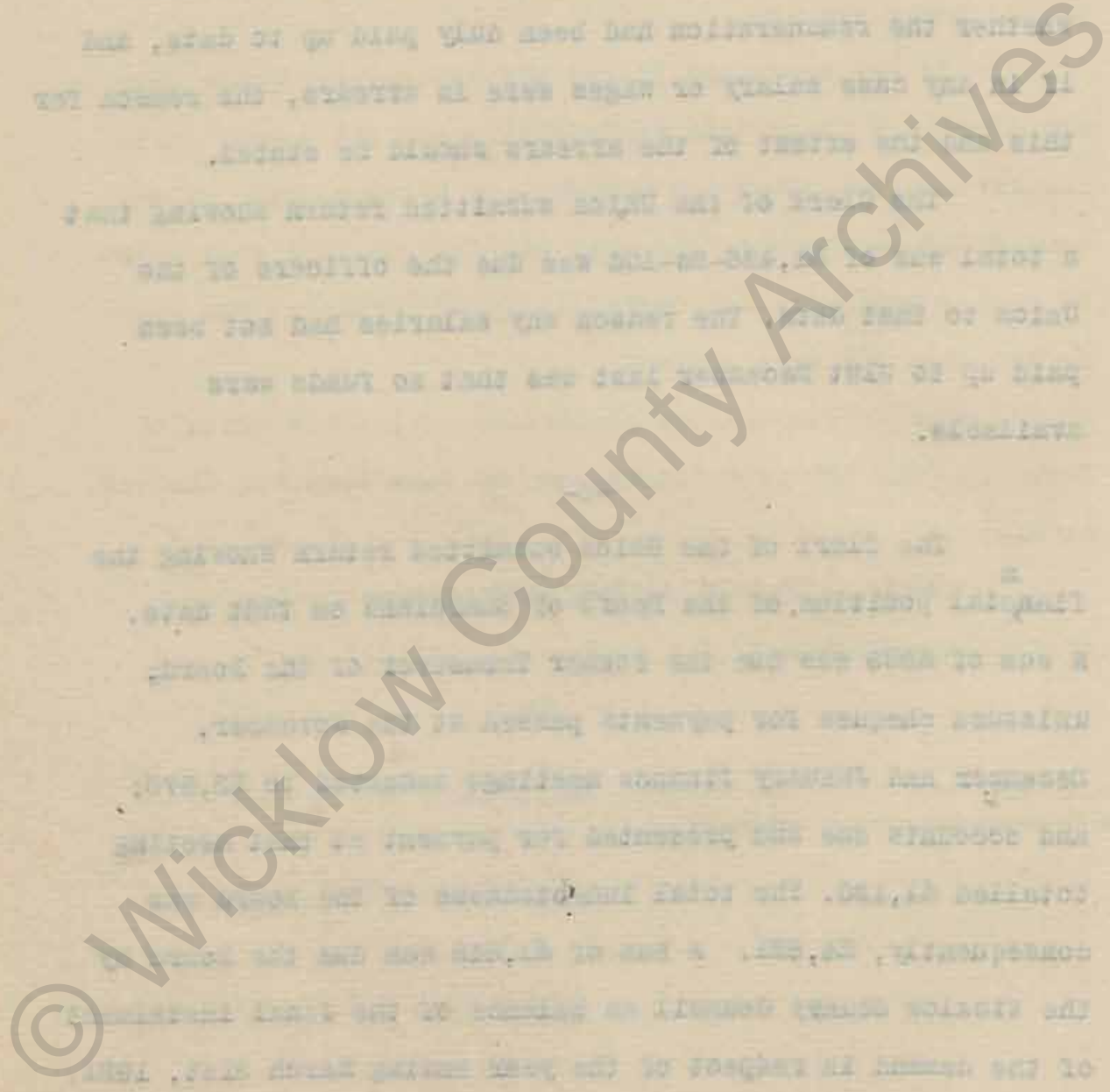
The Clerk of the Union submitted return showing the financial position of the Board of Guardians on that date. A sum of £323 was due the former Treasurer of the Board; unissued cheques for payments passed at the November, December and January finance meetings amounted to £2,578; and accounts due and presented for payment at that meeting totalled £1,120. The total indebtedness of the Board was consequently, £4,621. A sum of £1,842 was due the Board by the Wicklow County Council as balance of the final instalment of the demand in respect of the year ending March 31st, 1921.

Read letter dated 11th February, 1921, from Mr C. M. Byrne P.L.G. stating that it was imperative on him to attend the Quarterly Meeting of the County Council that day, and so would be unable to attend the meeting of the Council or Guardians. He was confident that his colleagues would take their stand with the rest of Ireland, and therefore there was no need for him to point out that Mr Grubb should not be allowed to audit their books. As they would be in a position after

The following letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, and others were sent by the Clerk and themselves to answer their requests, in the following order (or rather name on them respectively, as follows):—

Head Circular Letter No. 24, dated 20th January, 1881, from the Local Government Department, Dublin, relating to the treatment of the prisoners in the gaols, and copies of the same. It should be stated in the report that the information had been duly paid up to date, and in the case of any arrears of wages were in arrears, the amount for which the arrears of the wages should be stated.

The Clerk of the Local Government Board, Dublin, in his letter of the 10th of January, 1881, in reply to the letter of the 2nd of January, 1881, from the Local Government Board, Dublin, in relation to the treatment of the prisoners in the gaols, and copies of the same. It should be stated in the report that the information had been duly paid up to date, and in the case of any arrears of wages were in arrears, the amount for which the arrears of the wages should be stated.



after Monday's meeting of the County Council to know what the Guardians might expect from the Co. Council there would be no need to discuss the financial position of the Board, but, if the Guardians thought it necessary, it would be discussed in Committee. But no matter how generous the Co. Council might deal with ^{it,} the Guardians would still be in debt, and he considered a special meeting of the Board should be convened at an early date to go into the whole financial position.

Proposed by Mr Louth, seconded by Mr James Byrne :-

That a special meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next, at two o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of considering the present financial position of the Union and the means to be adopted to improve same.

Passed.

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Read notification from Mr Richard Grubb, Local Government Auditor, of his intention to open the audit of the accounts of the Union accounts for the half year ended 30th September last on Tuesday, 15th February, 1921.

Read letter dated 12th February, 1921, from Miss Barton, Chairman of the Board, stating she was sorry she could not attend the meetings on Monday as she was going to see her brother. The communication from the L.G.B. would, of course, be treated as the others are.

Proposed by Mr John McDonald, seconded by Mr Patrick O'Neill :-

That we refuse to allow our accounts to be submitted to or audited by Mr Grubb, Auditor of the British Local Government Board; and that it be a direction to the officers not to produce any books to Mr Grubb.

Passed, Mr James Byrne, Ballinderry, dissenting.

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Read circular letter/^{No. 35,} dated 30th January, 1921, from the Local Government Department, Dail Eireann, dealing with the question of the finances of Irish public boards and

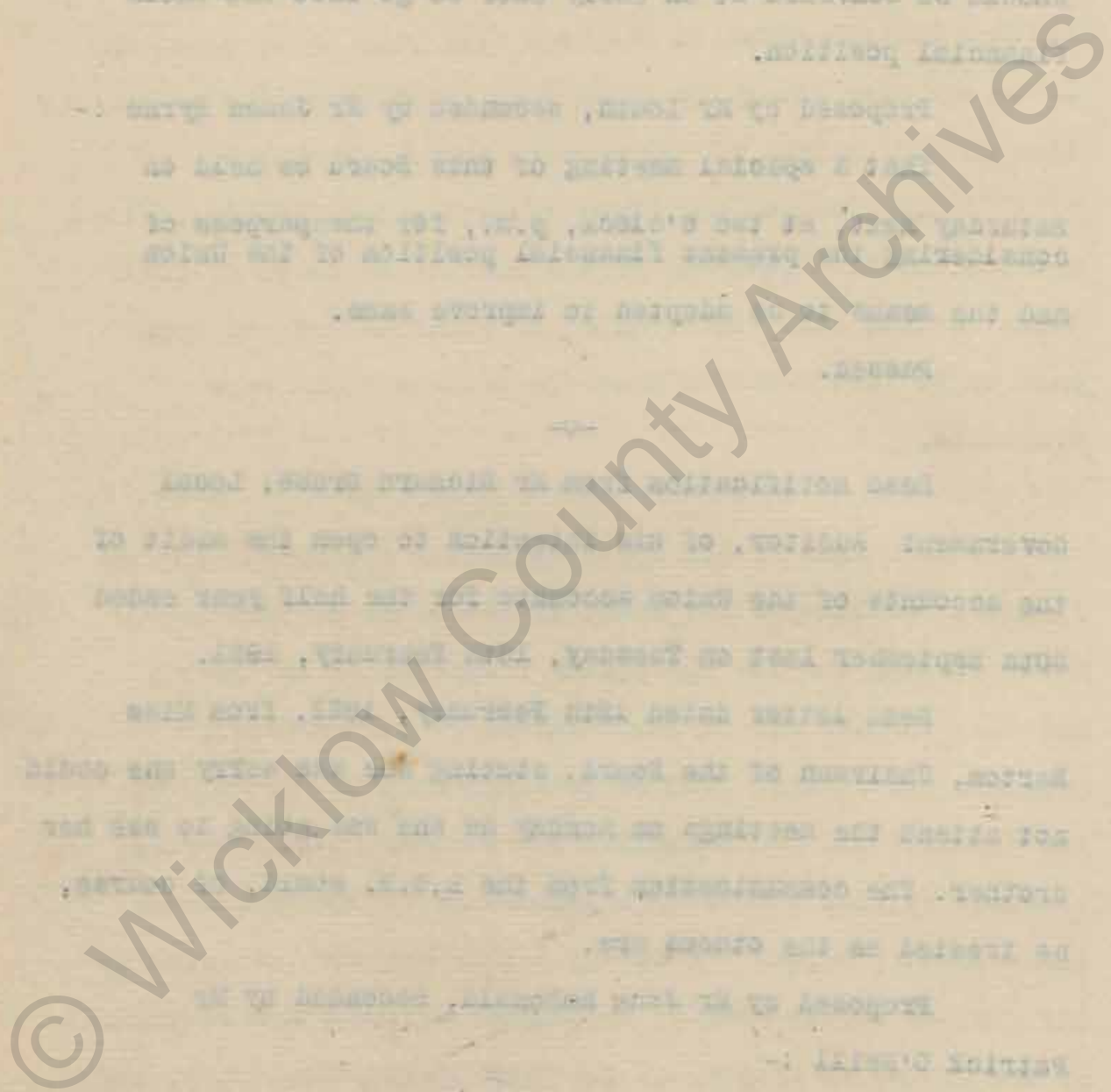
After the meeting of the County Council to meet that
 the questions might expect from the Co. Council there
 would be no need to discuss the financial position of the
 Board, but, if the Board should think it necessary, it would
 be discussed in Committee. But no matter how questions the Co.
 Council might feel with the Committee would still be in
 fact, and as Committee a special meeting of the Board
 should be convened at an early date to go into the main

financial position.
 Proposed by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Lewis, that
 a special meeting of the Board be held on
 Monday, 10th of the month, 9.15, for the purpose of
 considering the financial position of the Board
 and the amount to be repaid to the Board.

That the Board should be asked to consider the
 financial position of the Board, and to report thereon
 to the Council at its next meeting, and to take such
 steps as may be necessary to meet the requirements of
 the Council in that behalf.

Proposed by Mr. Lewis, seconded by Mr. Lewis, that
 the Board should be asked to consider the
 financial position of the Board, and to report thereon
 to the Council at its next meeting, and to take such
 steps as may be necessary to meet the requirements of
 the Council in that behalf.

Resolved, that the Board should be asked to consider the
 financial position of the Board, and to report thereon
 to the Council at its next meeting, and to take such
 steps as may be necessary to meet the requirements of
 the Council in that behalf.



and giving directions as to the policy to be pursued by rate striking bodies in making rates for the year 1921-1922.

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Read letter No. 1105/21, dated 7th February, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 24th ultimo, and requesting to be furnished with replies to the usual queries in regard to the employment of Mrs Driver as temporary wardmistress in the Workhouse.

ORDER :- To be supplied.

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Read letter No. 1099/21, dated 8th February, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 10th ultimo, and requesting to be furnished with the usual queries in regard to the temporary employment of Miss Byrne as Relieving Officer, and also with particulars on the usual form regarding the proposal to board-out Thomas Rossiter and Alfred Rogers from the Workhouse. In reference to the proposal to grant an increase of wages to the driver of the Workhouse Ambulance, they asked to be informed as to the salary paid this man hitherto, his length of service, and an indication of the duties he is called upon to perform. In regard to the Guardians' resolution proposing to discontinue holidays to the Union officials for one year, the Ministry for Local Government pointed out that the Dispensary Medical Officers were entitled to holidays according to the Regulations, and that it had been the custom for the Poor Law Service to grant a reasonable holiday to the officials. The Ministry trusted that the Guardians would reconsider their decision in this matter before the holiday season came round.

ORDER :- Queries and information asked for to be supplied.

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Read letter No. 1111/21, dated 7th February, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries in regard to the proposed appointment of Miss Mary Magee as Wardsmaid in the Workhouse, and stating that in view

and giving directions as to the policy to be pursued by
this standing committee in making plans for the year 1921-1922.

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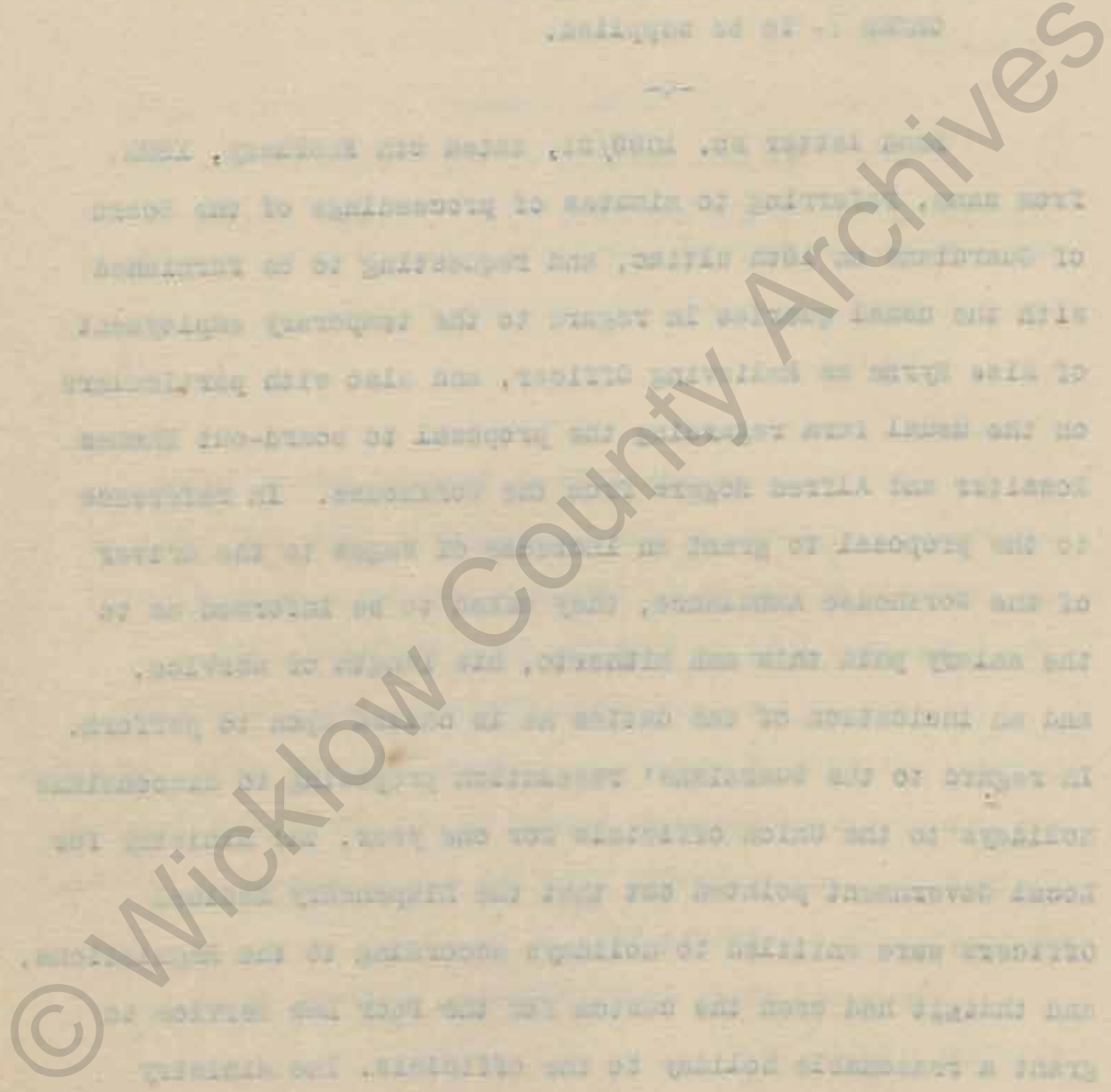
and letter no. 1105, 11, March 17th, 1921,
from same, relating to minutes of proceedings of the Board
of Guardians on 24th March, and requesting to be furnished with
copies to the usual committee in regard to the appointment of
the driver as temporary superintendent in the workhouse.
Case - to be supplied.

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and letter no. 1106, 11, March 17th, 1921,
from same, relating to minutes of proceedings of the Board
of Guardians on 24th March, and requesting to be furnished
with the usual committee in regard to the temporary appointment
of a driver as acting driver, and also with particulars
on the usual form regarding the proposal to board-out horses
to the workhouse in the workhouse. In reference
to the proposal to grant an increase of wages to the driver
of the workhouse, that case to be referred to the
the usual committee and minutes, and to be referred to the
and an increase of the wages to be referred to the
in regard to the committee's recommendation that the
holiday to the Union Committee for one year. The
Local Government proposed that the temporary
Officers were entitled to holiday according to the
and that it had been the custom for the last few years to
grant a temporary holiday to the officials. The
proposed that the committee should recommend that holiday in
this matter before the usual committee.
Case - to be supplied.

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and letter no. 1111, 11, March 17th, 1921,
from same, recommending the appointment of a driver
in regard to the proposed appointment of a driver
as permanent in the workhouse, and stating that the



of the contemplated schemes of amalgamation of Unions for the County Wicklow, the Ministry for Local Government would defer for the present the question of giving their sanction to the appointment; but in the meantime they approved of the employment of Miss Magee in a temporary capacity at a salary of \$52 per year with a war bonus of 7s 6d per week.

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Read letters from Mr Thomas Carr, Kilmurry, and Mr Timothy Linehan, Ballard, recommending the continuance of outdoor relief in the case of Mrs Brien, Bonagrew, in which case relief had recently been discontinued.

ORDER :- Ten shillings weekly allowed.

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Read letter dated 14th February, 1921, from Nurse Kathleen Slattery, the Infirmary, as follows :-

I wish to bring before your notice that a dispute has arisen between Miss O'Beirne and myself as regards duty and responsibility. I would feel obliged if you would allow me the privilege of an interview at your Board meeting today.

Nurse Slattery came before the Board and addressed the Guardians on the question of the duties and responsibilities of the Infirmary Nurses, asking for clearer definitions on some matters.

Proposed by Mr Murphy, seconded by Mr McDonald :-

That the Clerk inform the Nurses in the Workhouse Hospital that the keys are to be handed by the Charge Nurse when going off duty to the Nurse who is taking over the duties. The Medical Officer to draw up amended rules for the performance of their duties by the Nurses of the Workhouse and submit same to next meeting of the Guardians.

Passed.

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Read letter dated 4th February, 1921, from Relieving Officer Laurence Murphy, writing from Kilmainham Jail, as follows :-

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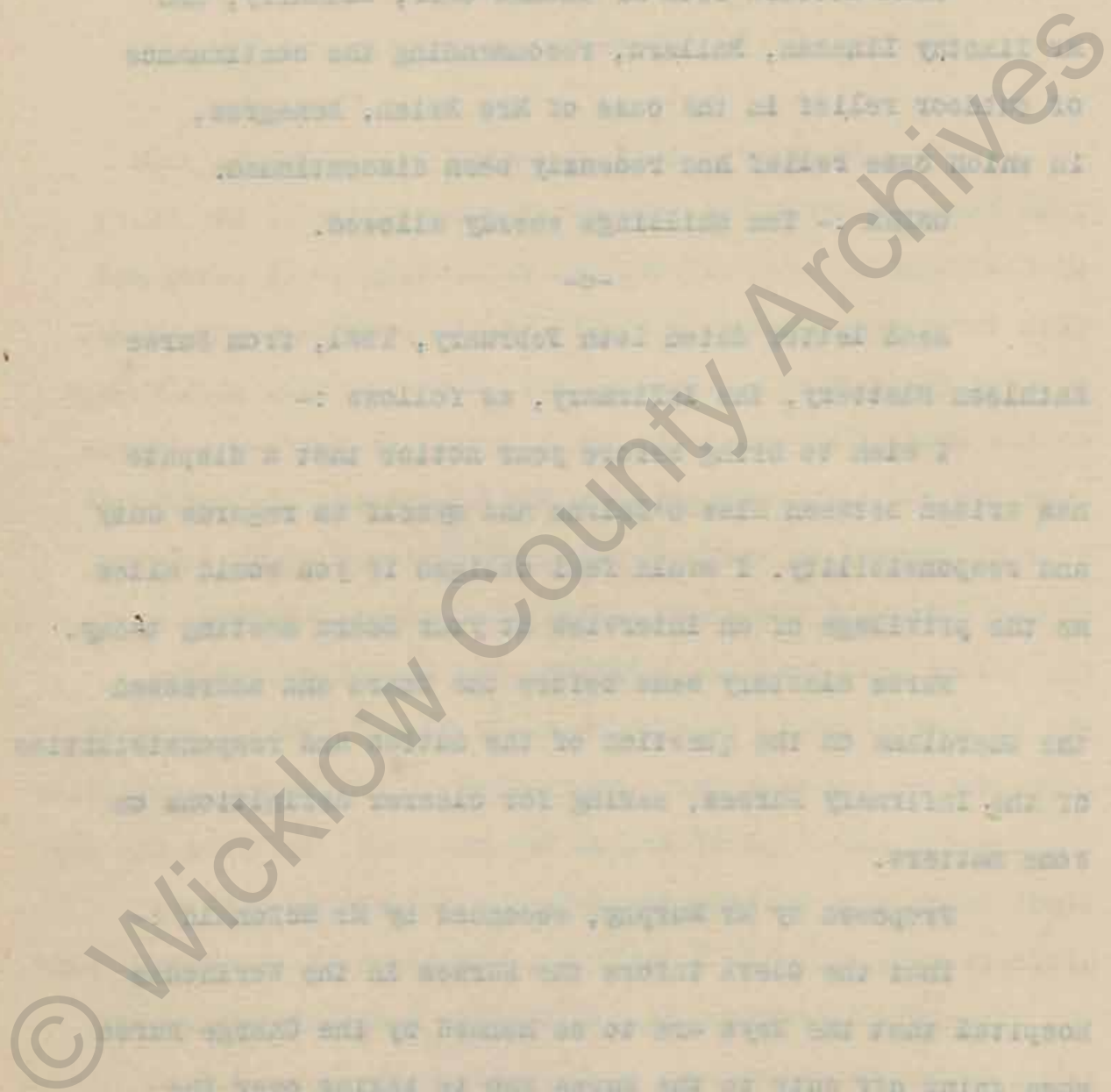
... the Ministry for Social Development... in which case... the Ministry...

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As you may have observed by Press I am sentenced to a term of imprisonment. I beg for the present to ask the Council and Guardians for an extended leave as my absence from duty is not voluntary, nor through any fault or error of mine.

Proposed by Mrs Butler, seconded by Mr James Byrne :-
That Mr Laurence Murphy R.O. be granted leave of absence for the period of the term of his imprisonment; and that Miss A. M. Byrne, Relieving Officer, be appointed to perform the duties of his office up to the 31st March, 1921, at a remuneration of £2 per week.

Passed.

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The Guardians postponed to the next meeting dealing with notice declaring a vacancy through the disqualification by non-attendance of Mr A. B. Brennan, Arklow, and proposing to fill said vacancy by co-option.

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st

day of February 1921.

(Signed) P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

As you may have observed by these I am confined to a form of imprisonment. I see for the present to ask the Council and Committee for an extended leave as my absence from duty is not voluntary, nor through any fault of mine.

Proposed by Sir Arthur, seconded by Mr James Spence :-

That Mr Lawrence M.P. be granted leave of absence for the period of the term of his imprisonment; and that Miss A. M. Spence, believing Officer, be appointed to perform the duties of his office up to the first March, 1881, at a remuneration of £50 per week.

The Chairman proposed to the next meeting dealing with the subject of a vacancy between the resignation of Mr. E. Swannan, Assessor, and proposing to fill said vacancy by Mr. ...

The number of provisional votes and applications for relief were considered and decided on as follows :-

The number of provisional votes in the Wicklow counties was ...

The number of applications admitted to the Wicklow counties was ...

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

The number of other applications in the Wicklow counties, decided by order of the Council was ...

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

The House and other members in turn were left before the Council for the time together with the Report thereon as follows :- This was the result of the Annual Election in every county.

Next Meeting of the Council to be held on Monday, the ...

Wicklow County Council

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(Form 14.) Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation
to Boarded Out Children.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

Read letter dated 14th February, 1921, from Mr. D. Keenan, Three Wells, Aughrim, proposing to take out from the workhouse two boys to nurse.

ORDER :- William Bowen and Andrew Dowdall to be boarded out with applicant.

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Finance Meeting, held on Monday, the 14th day of February 1921.

ORDER :- That the seal of the Board of Guardians be affixed to agreement with Elizabeth Kennedy for the care of Thomas Rossiter, and to agreement with Mary Redmond for the care of Alfred Rogers. and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:-

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TABLE (4)

County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	500	-	-
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Old Iron, and other Receipts			
Money received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above	500	-	-

George Deane
28/2/21

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 items which had been ordered for payment in the month of January, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

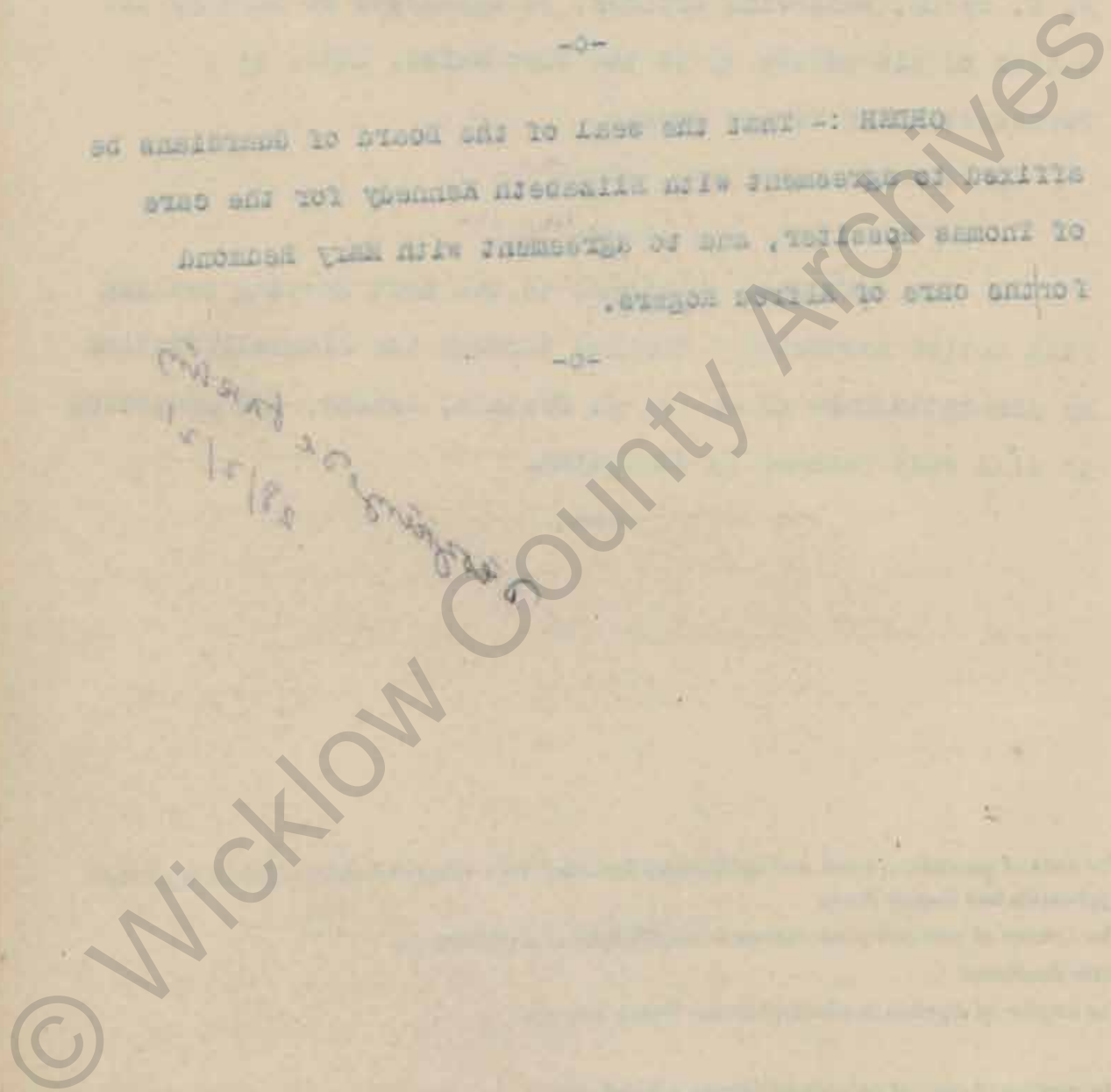
Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation
 to boarded out children.
 Board letter dated 14th February, 1931, from Mr
 D. Keenan, three weeks, Augustin, proposing to take out
 from the workhouse two boys to nurse.
 ORDER: - William Bowen and Andrew Dowdall to be
 boarded out with applicant.

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ORDER: - That the seal of the Board of Guardians be
 affixed to agreement with Elizabeth Kennedy for the care
 of Thomas Kennedy, and to agreement with Mary Keenan
 for the care of William Keenan.

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 12/2/31



[FORM 14.]

(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Finance Meeting, held on MONDAY, the 14th day of February 1921.

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

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	500	-	-
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	500	-	-

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

TABLE IN TWENTY-NINE MINUTES

The following table shows the results of the various experiments conducted during the year 1900.

RATHDRUM UNION

Year of Birth of ...

The following table shows the results of the various experiments conducted during the year 1900.

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The following table shows the results of the various experiments conducted during the year 1900.

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

TABLE (b)				Dr.		
				£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—						
Provisions and Necessaries	..	..	..	579	6	10
Clothing and Bedding	..	..	..	<u>14</u>		
Establishment—						
(a.) Salaries	..	..	..	14	11	11
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	..	..	..
(c.) Farm	..	..	..	2	—	—
(d.) Other Expenses	..	..	..	88	10	4
Workhouse Burials	..	..	..
District School Account	..	..	..
District Hospital Account	..	..	..
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	..	..	..
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	..	..	..	4	10	—
Medical Charities	..	..	..	61	4	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	..	..	..
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	..	..	..	12	11	11
Superannuation Allowances	..	..	..
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	..	..	..
Expenses of Local Committees	..	..	..
Repayment of Loans	..	..	..
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	..	..	..	360	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	..	..	..
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	..	..	..
Expenditure out of Loans	..	..	..
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1120	15	6

Account of the ... of the ...

No.	Date	Particulars	Amount
1	1811
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90	1900
91	1901
92	1902
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94	1904
95	1905
96	1906
97	1907
98	1908
99	1909
100	1910

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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
January 1921.

	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 ..	500	-	-			
Total	500	-	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1849	-	6			
Payments ordered during the month ..	2162	-	11			
Total	4001	1	5			
Net Balance due ^{by} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	3501	1	5			
RECONCILEMENT:						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{to} Treasurer	715	16	11			
Outstanding Orders	2785	4	0			
Net Balance as above due ^{by} the Union ..	3501	1	5			

Dated this 14th day of February 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
 Clerk of the Union.

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Year	Month	Day	Event
1870	Jan	1	...
1870	Jan	2	...
1870	Jan	3	...
1870	Jan	4	...
1870	Jan	5	...
1870	Jan	6	...
1870	Jan	7	...
1870	Jan	8	...
1870	Jan	9	...
1870	Jan	10	...
1870	Jan	11	...
1870	Jan	12	...
1870	Jan	13	...
1870	Jan	14	...
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1870	Jan	28	...
1870	Jan	29	...
1870	Jan	30	...
1870	Jan	31	...

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[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 14th day of February 19 21.

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

Indoor from No. 1315 to No. 1384.
Separate „ No. - to No. -
Outdoor „ No. - to No. -

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of February 21, 1921, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	62	14	11	103	4	11	165	19	10	79	1	3	4	-	11	83	2	2	82	17	8	1161
Necessaries	121	12	5				121	13	5	20	16	7	4	1	2	24	17	9	96	14	8	
Total	184	7	4	103	4	11	287	13	3	99	17	10	8	2	1	107	19	11	79	12	4	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 12 : -
Average Cost in Infirmary : 12 : 10
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 14 : 8

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

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

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

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(To be kept by the Clerk who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board along with the reports from the General Director of each District.)

Statistical Minutes

Meeting held on Monday 18th day of January 1884

The following Resolutions were proposed, amended, and adopted by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk.

- 1. To resolve that the Clerk be empowered to purchase...
- 2. To resolve that the Clerk be empowered to purchase...
- 3. To resolve that the Clerk be empowered to purchase...

The following Resolutions were proposed by the Clerk, but were not adopted on account of the necessity of the meeting being held by the Board of the Workhouse, and authorized the same by his signature:—

- 1. The Clerk be empowered to purchase...
- 2. The Clerk be empowered to purchase...
- 3. The Clerk be empowered to purchase...

The Clerk advised of the Accounts of the Workhouse and of the Workhouse for the year ending on the 31st day of December 1883, and authorized the following to be adopted:—

Particulars	1883		1882		Total
	£	s	£	s	
Salaries	100	0	95	0	195
Wages	200	0	180	0	380
Expenses	50	0	45	0	95
Income	10	0	15	0	25
Balance	10	0	10	0	20
Total	370	0	335	0	705

The General Average Cost of the Workhouse for the year was £370.0.0. Average Cost in January £10.0.0. Average Cost in June 1883 £15.0.0.

The following Resolutions were also proposed by the Clerk, but were not adopted on account of the necessity of the meeting being held by the Board of the Workhouse, and authorized the same by his signature:—

- 1. The Clerk be empowered to purchase...
- 2. The Clerk be empowered to purchase...
- 3. The Clerk be empowered to purchase...

The Clerk advised of the Accounts of the Workhouse and of the Workhouse for the year ending on the 31st day of December 1883, and authorized the following to be adopted:—

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th

Day of February 1912, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	19	1	10	29	11	10	14	14	6	17	11	6	80	19	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	30	-	-				30	-	-	30	-	-	90	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	49	1	10	29	11	10	44	14	6	47	11	6	170	19	8
<i>Expenditure.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	10	3	6	26	1	6	27	5	-	11	-	6	74	10	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility					10	-				7	-			17	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	11	-	-		10	-							11	10	-
7. Total Relief given ...	21	3	6	27	1	6	27	5	-	11	7	6	86	17	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	27	18	4	2	10	4	17	9	6	36	4	-	84	2	2
9. TOTAL ...	49	1	10	29	11	10	44	14	6	47	11	6	170	19	8

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

Dated this 14th day of February 1912.

P. W. Shuhart
Clerk of the Union.

Wicklow County

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic, cap. 83, &c.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Act at

a Meeting held on Monday the 14th day of February 1844

Present—In the Chair, Mr. Lawrence Parsons, Mayor Wicklow.

Other Guardians:—

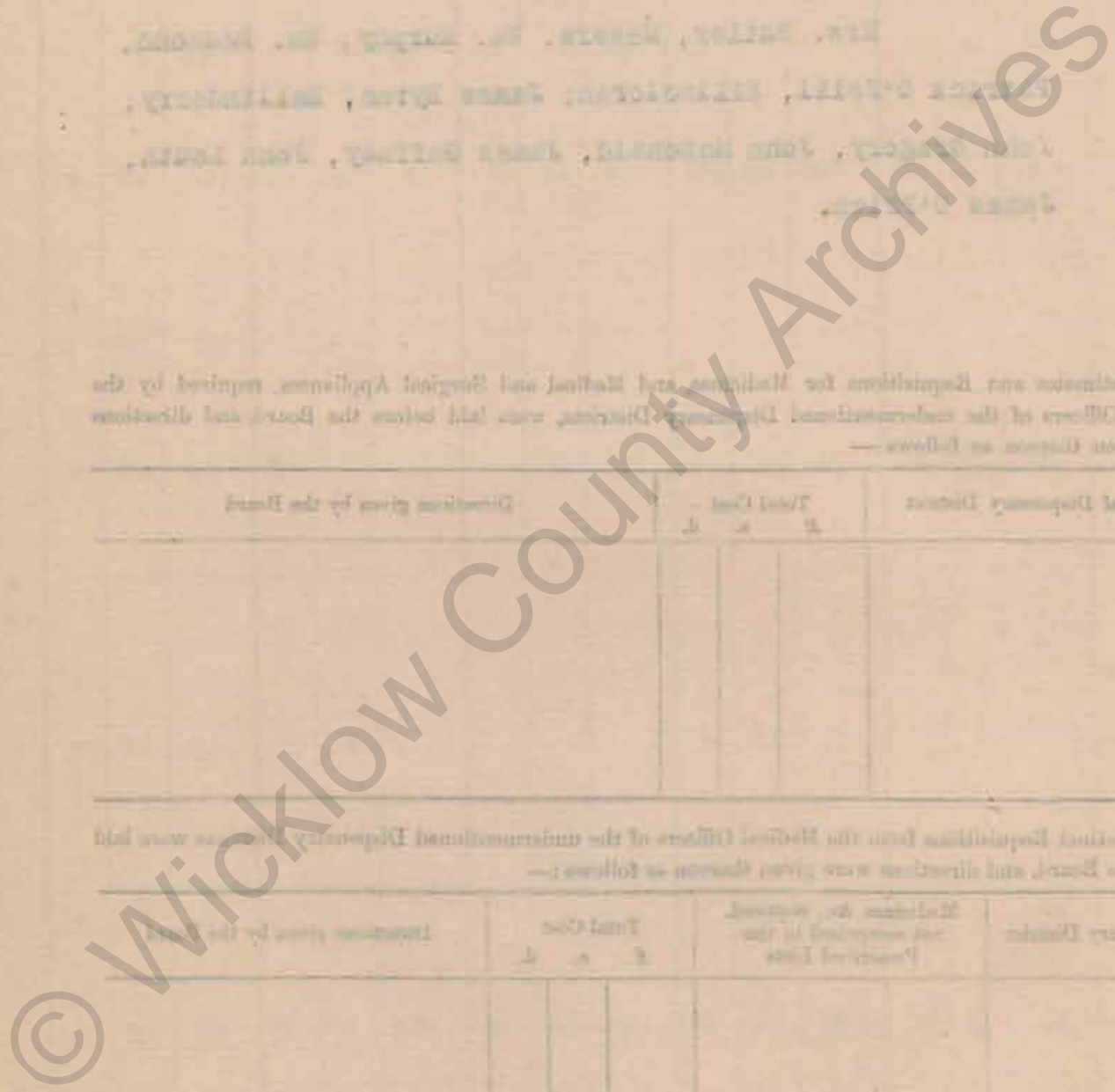
- Mr. Barry, Mayor, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry,
- Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry,
- Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry,
- Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry, Mr. Barry,

Resolutions and Regulations for the Medical Charities for the Poor and Sick, approved by the Medical Officers of the Wicklow County, were laid before the Board and discussed and given effect as follows:—

Name of Dependent District	Total Cost		Amount given by the Board
	£	s.	

Resolutions proposed from the Medical Officers of the Wicklow County, were laid before the Board, and discussed and given effect as follows:—

Dependent District	Resolutions proposed and discussed by the Medical Officers	Total Cost		Amount given by the Board
		£	s.	



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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 29th Feb-
 ruary, 1893.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended 30th September 1892, having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended 30th September 1892.

<u>Annamoe</u>	District	-	-	-	£	<u>223</u>	:	<u>5</u>	:	<u>8</u>
<u>Arklow</u>	District	-	-	-	£	<u>226</u>	:	<u>13</u>	:	<u>6</u>
<u>Aughrim</u>	District	-	-	-	£	<u>293</u>	:	<u>5</u>	:	<u>4</u>
<u>Avoca</u>		-	-	-	£	<u>183</u>	:	<u>8</u>	:	<u>1</u>
<u>Dunganstown</u>	District	-	-	-	£	<u>203</u>	:	<u>16</u>	:	<u>1</u>
<u>Newcastle</u>		-	-	-	£	<u>208</u>	:	<u>19</u>	:	<u>6</u>
<u>Rathdrum</u>	District	-	-	-	£	<u>205</u>	:	<u>3</u>	:	<u>5</u>
<u>Wicklow</u>	District	-	-	-	£	<u>241</u>	:	<u>14</u>	:	<u>0</u>

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

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

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

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

Read letter dated 8th February, 1921, from Dr Garland, Dunganstown Dispensary District, reporting that he had found it necessary to call Dr MacDermot into consultation on Monday, 7th instant, in a maternity case.

ORDER :- Fee of two guineas to be paid Dr MacDermot.

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Read letter dated 10th February, 1921, from Mr Joseph Keane, auctioneer, Newtown Mt. Kennedy, reporting that he had relet the Dispensary field at Killadreenan under stamped agreement for the Board of Guardians at same rent, £7, for a future term of eleven months to the same tenant, Patrick Cullen.

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Read letter dated 13th February, 1921, from James Breslin, Killadreenan, asking whether he was to be supplied with the artificial limb he asked from the Board, and for which he had been measured twice.

ORDER :- Clerk directed to write Messrs. Smith & Shepard.

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Read letter dated 26th January, 1920, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor, enclosing bill of costs of the lessors' solicitors in the case, Ryan to Rathdrum Guardians. He had a letter that day from Mr McHugh agreeing to accept £30 in full discharge, if paid now, and undertaking to have the bill taxed if required to do so. The bill would tax to more than £30, and in addition the taxation items would be added, and this would increase the bill by another £1-10s-0d.

ORDER :- Bill to be taxed.

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Read letter dated 28th January, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of letter of Clerk of the Union returning draft agreement approved, Guardians with Martin Kelly. He now enclosed two engrossments thereof, which should

should be sealed by the Guardians and signed by Mr Kelly.

ORDER :- That the seal of the Board of Guardians be affixed to the letting agreement in duplicate with Mr Martin Kelly, now submitted.

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Read letter dated 1st February, 1921, from Mrs Sheedy, wife of Dr Sheedy, Aughrim Dispensary District, stating that owing to the state of the water supply the fire could not be lighted in the kitchen range without danger of its being blown up. There was practically no water supply to the Dispensary house, and the caretaker had to go out frequently for water on Dispensary days. Under the circumstances they did not know what to do, and asked that the matter be remedied.

Mr Loway, engineer to the Board, reported that he was arranging to have the water mains in Aughrim cleaned and a better supply of water to the village would then be available.

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The Board had been summoned to consider the question of making arrangements for the discharge of the duties of the position of Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District, the period for which Dr MacDermot had been appointed temporarily having expired.

The following notice was served :-

14th February, 1921.

I hereby give notice that at the Meeting to be held on the 28th day of February, 1921, I will move :- That Dr MacDermot be appointed Permanent Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District at a salary of £125 per annum, and £25 per annum as Medical Officer of Health.

JOHN McDONALD.

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28/2/21

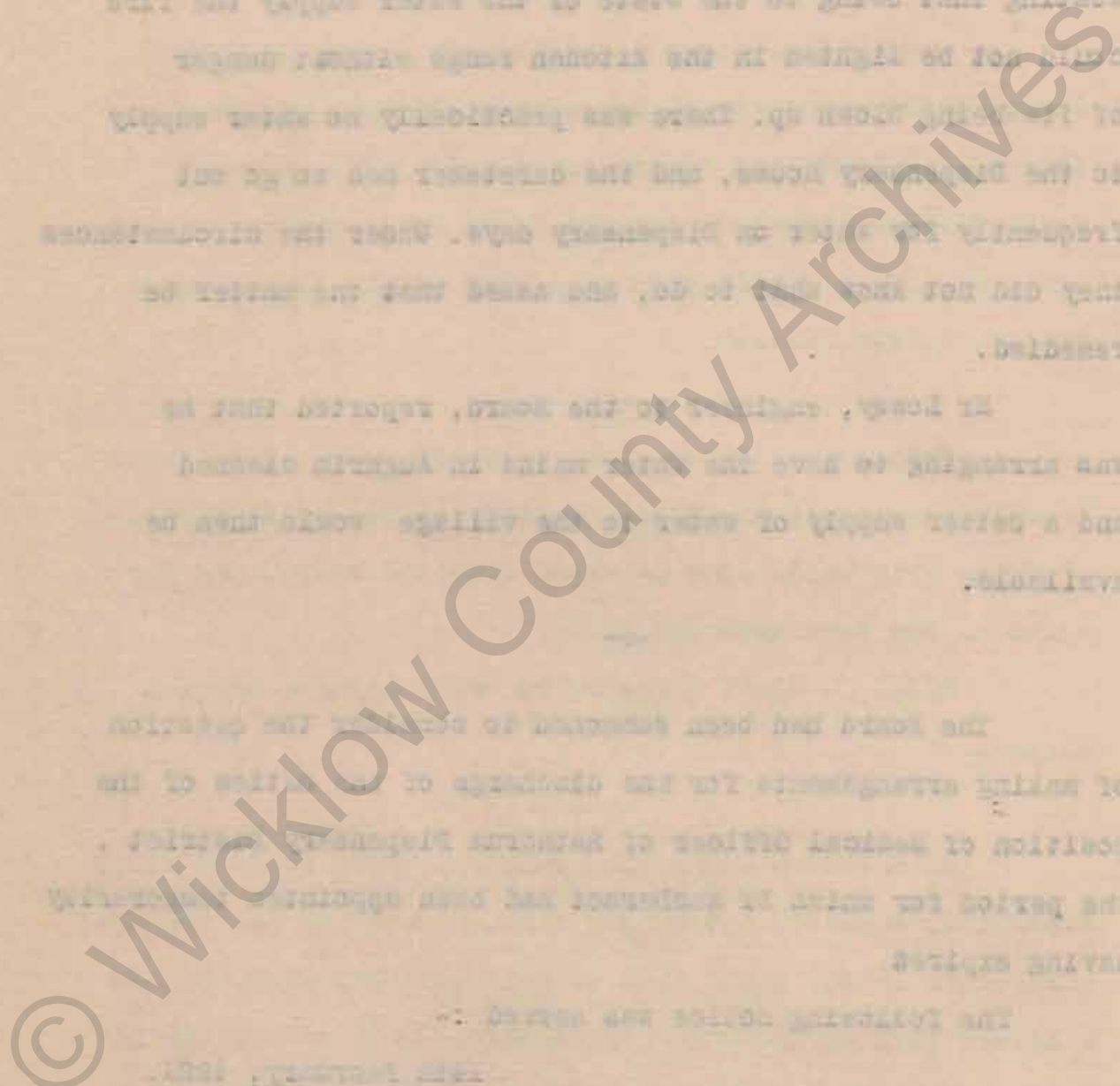
should be noted by the conditions and signed by the family.
CHILD - that the case of the death of the patient
be referred to the attending physician in duplicate with the
Martin family, now admitted.

Good letter dated 1st February, 1911, from Mrs.
Annie, wife of Mr. Anney, Augustin Highways, District,
stating that owing to the state of the water supply the fire
could not be lighted in the kitchen range unless under
of it being taken up. There was provisionally no water supply
to the Highways house, and the doctor had to go out
frequently for a hot or displacement cure. Great for inconvenience
they did not know how to do, and asked that the matter be
remedied.

At Highways, called to the house, reported that he
was arranging to have the water laid in Augustin District
and a better supply of water to the village would then be
available.

The house had been reported to be in the condition
of making arrangements for the discharge of the case of the
patient of medical officer of Augustin District.
The period for which it continued had been reported as
having expired.

The following notice was issued:-
This notice, 1911.
I hereby give notice that as the matter is to be laid
on the 28th day of February, 1911, I will have to that the
Medicines be supplied to the patient by the District of the
Highways District at a supply of this for number, and the
per annum as Medical officer of Health.



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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st

day of February 1921.

(Signed) *P. W. Sheehan*
Clerk of the Union.

Reports (Form F) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age, and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensaries are:—

was laid before the Board, and discussed and passed, as follows:—

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

Chairman of the Board

1.

The Meeting was held, presided over by direction
of the following resolutions adopted by the Board at the
Meeting of 18th February, 1921.

That a special meeting of this Board was held
on Saturday 19th February, 1921, for the purpose of
considering the present financial position of the Union
and the steps to be adopted to improve same.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians
at Special Meeting on Saturday, 19th February, 1921.

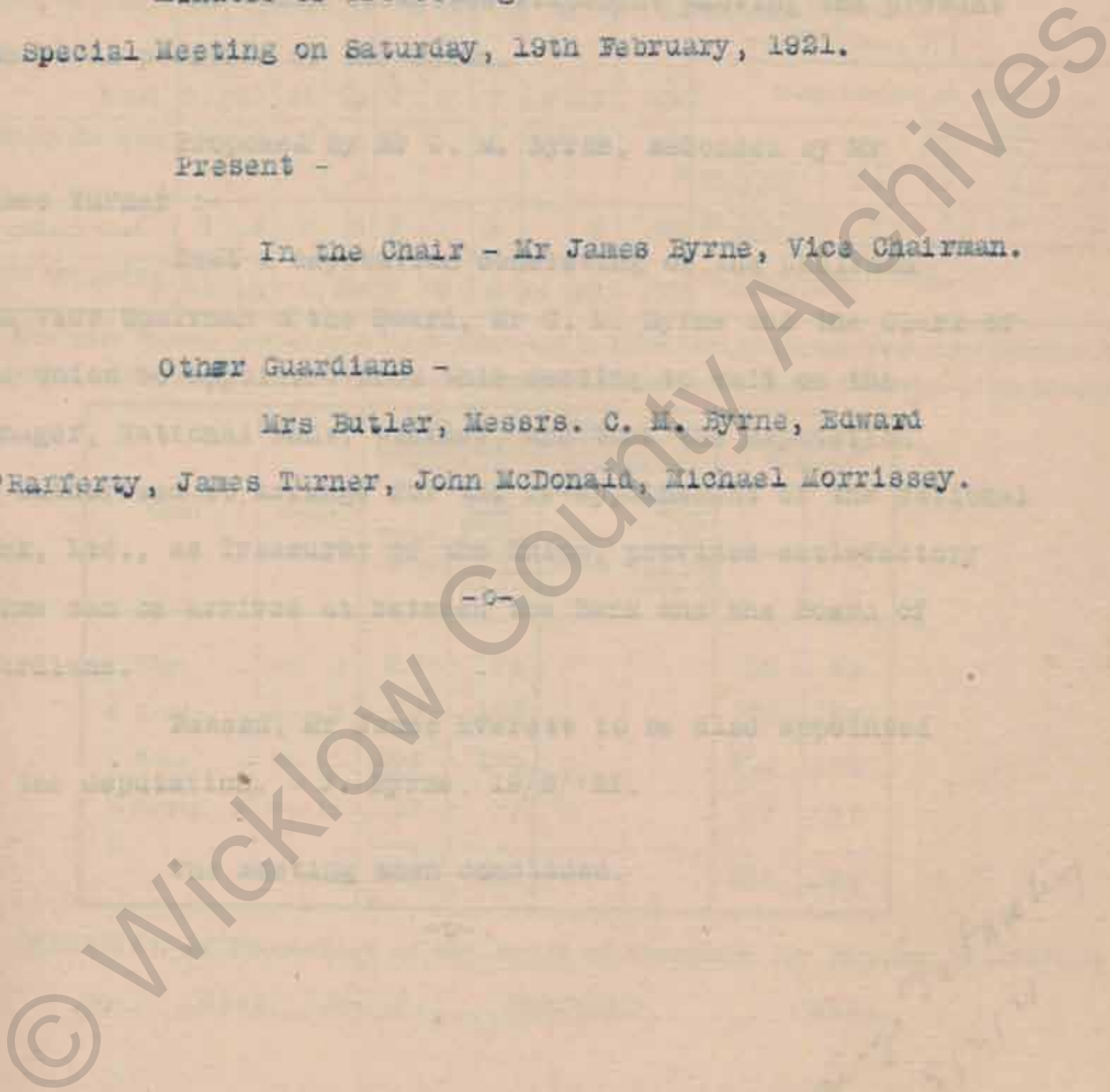
Present -

In the Chair - Mr James Byrne, Vice Chairman.

Other Guardians -

Mrs Butler, Messrs. C. M. Byrne, Edward
O'Rafferty, James Turner, John McDonald, Michael Morrissey.

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MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE COUNTY OF WICKLOW
AT A SPECIAL MEETING HELD ON MONDAY, 17TH JUNE, 1901.

PRESENT: MR. JAMES LYONS, Vice Chairman.
MR. JAMES LYONS, Chairman.
MR. JAMES LYONS, Secretary.
MR. JAMES LYONS, Treasurer.

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RATHFRUM UNION

The Meeting had been specially called by direction of the following resolution adopted by the Board at the meeting on 14th February, 1921 :-

That a special meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next, at two o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of considering the present financial position of the Union and the means to be adopted to improve same.

The Clerk submitted statement showing the present financial position of the Union.

Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr James Turner :-

That a deputation consisting of the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Board, Mr C. M. Byrne and the Clerk of the Union be appointed from this meeting to wait on the

Manager, National Bank, Wicklow, and that the deputation be authorised to arrange for the re-appointment of the National Bank, Ltd., as Treasurer of the Union, provided satisfactory terms can be arrived at between the Bank and the Board of Guardians.

Passed; Mr James Everett to be also appointed on the deputation. - J. Byrne. 19/2/'21.

The meeting then concluded.

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board of Guardians being present.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians on

Monday, 21st February, 1921.

P. W. Shubert

Clerk of the Union.

D. J. Byrne Deputation 28/2/21

The meeting had been specially called by direction of the following resolution adopted by the Board at the meeting on 14th February, 1931 :-

That a special meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next, at two o'clock, P.M., for the purpose of considering the present financial position of the Union and the means to be adopted to improve same.

The Clerk submitted a statement showing the present financial position of the Union.

Proposed by Mr. C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr. James Tarry :-

That a committee consisting of the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Board, Mr. C. M. Byrne and the Clerk of the Union be appointed to wait on the Manager, National Bank, Wicklow, and that the department be authorized to arrange for the re-appointment of the National Bank, Ltd., as Treasurer of the Union, provided satisfactory terms can be arrived at between the Bank and the Board of Guardians.

Resolved; Mr. James Tarry to be also appointed on the department. - J. Byrne. 19/2 '31.

The meeting then concluded.

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Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians on

Monday, 21st February, 1931.

J. W. Byrne
 Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,804:1:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of February 1911

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse		196														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital		3														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		199														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			37	48	6	29	8	8	5	13	11	165	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 39	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates } 7		
Admitted during the Week			14	3	5	4	1		2	1	1	31	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 3			
Born																
TOTAL			51	51	11	33	9	8	7	14	12	198	TOTAL } 72	TOTAL } 7		
Discharged during the Week			8	3	3	3	2		1		2	22				
Died						1						1	No. Relieved during week } 14			
Total Discharged and Died			8	3	3	4	2		1		2	23	No. in Workhouse at date } 8			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	48	8	29	7	8	8	14	10	173	No. at corresponding period last year } 174.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of February 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Believing Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	33	54			33	54
A. Byrne	No. II.	78	183			78	183
T. Butler	No. III.	104	174			104	174
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77			37	77
	TOTAL	252	488			252	488

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 21st day of February 1911.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

21st day of February 1911.

P. W. Sherburn
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

Present Not Annual Value £ 138,804:1:0

Population in 1911—28,912

STATUS of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of FEBRUARY 1911

OBSERVATIONS	SEX AND LOCATION		Total	Age under 16	Age 16-21	Age 21-30	Age 30-40	Age 40-50	Age 50-60	Age 60-70	Age 70+	Total	Males	Females
	Males	Females												
REMAINS ON PROVISIONS	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
REMAINS ON THE ADULT	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
REMAINS ON THE ADULT	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
REMAINS ON THE ADULT	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
	At Home	At Home	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

STATUS of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of FEBRUARY 1911

Name	Age	Sex	Status	REMAINS ON PROVISIONS		REMAINS ON THE ADULT	
				Males	Females	Males	Females
Mr. Edge	55	M	At Home	100	100	100	100
Mr. Ryan	75	M	At Home	100	100	100	100
Mr. Hill	45	M	At Home	100	100	100	100
Mr. Murphy	55	M	At Home	100	100	100	100
Total	200			400	400	400	400

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians for Meeting on Monday, the 12th day of FEBRUARY 1911.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardians being present.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,804:1:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of February 1911.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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		184												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hosptl.		3												
Fever Sheds														
TOTAL		187												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			48	48	8	29	7	8	8	14	10	173	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 89	In separate Wards } -
Admitted during the Week			18	4	1	3	2	2	1			29	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 3	In Wards } 7
Born												-	TOTAL, } 72	TOTAL, } 7
TOTAL			58	52	9	32	9	10	9	14	10	202	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Discharged during the Week			17	5	5	3	2	1	1		1	35	No. Relieved during week } 18	Males } 4
Died												-	No. in Workhouse at date } 8	Females } 2
Total Discharged and Died			17	5	5	3	2	1	1		1	35	No. at corresponding period last year } 186.	Children under 15 } 2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			42	47	4	29	7	8	8	14	9	187		TOTAL } 10

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of February 1911, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	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
D. Edge	No. I.	33	54			33	54
A. Byrne	No. II.	84	184			84	184
T. Butler	No. III.	101	171			101	171
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	82			38	82
	TOTAL	256	491			256	491

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting on MONDAY, the 28th day of February 1911.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Miss Dulcibella Barton, Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. M. Morrissey, John McDonald, Wm.

Redmond, C. M. Byrne, Jas. Turner, James Byrne, Ballinderry;

James Byrne, Timnakilly; Charles Gaule.

BATHURUM UNION.

Present Not Annual Value £ 200,000.00

Population in 1811—28,812

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday the 18th day of February 1841

WEEKLY STATE	RECEIPTS BY		TOTAL	PAID FOR	BALANCE	REMARKS
	WAGES	SALES				
1841	10	10	20	10	10	
19 </td <td>10</td> <td>10</td> <td>20</td> <td>10</td> <td>10</td> <td></td>	10	10	20	10	10	
20	10	10	20	10	10	
21	10	10	20	10	10	
22	10	10	20	10	10	
23	10	10	20	10	10	
24	10	10	20	10	10	
25	10	10	20	10	10	
26	10	10	20	10	10	
27	10	10	20	10	10	
28	10	10	20	10	10	
29	10	10	20	10	10	
30	10	10	20	10	10	
TOTAL	300	300	600	300	300	

THIS is to certify that the above is a true and correct statement of the receipts and payments of the Bathurum Union for the week ending Saturday the 18th day of February 1841.

NAME	AGE	SEX	RELATION	REMARKS
John Smith	45	M	Head	
Mary Smith	40	F	Wife	
James Smith	15	M	Son	
Elizabeth Smith	12	F	Daughter	
Thomas Smith	10	M	Son	
Ann Smith	8	F	Daughter	
William Smith	6	M	Son	
Isabella Smith	4	F	Daughter	
George Smith	3	M	Son	
Charlotte Smith	2	F	Daughter	
Edward Smith	1	M	Son	
Maria Smith	1	F	Daughter	

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting on Monday the 18th day of February 1841.

Present—In the Chair—
 Other Guardians—
 James Smith, Thomas Smith, William Smith, Elizabeth Smith, George Smith, Charlotte Smith, Edward Smith, Maria Smith.

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

February 23th, 1921.

The Clerk reports that Mr Grubb, Local Government Auditor, attended at the Boardroom, Workhouse, on 15th instant. The Clerk informed him that in accordance with the resolution of the Guardians on 14th instant he was unable to submit the Union accounts for audit.

Mr Delaney, Local Government Inspector, attended on the same date, stating he desired to inspect the Workhouse. On being shown the resolution of the Guardians of 11th October, 1920, he left.

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

1,200 lbs. Bread
 80 lbs. Butter
 130 lbs. Beef
 140 lbs. Mutton
 2 sides Bacon
 20 doz. Eggs
 140 gal. New Milk
 56 lbs. Cabbage
 2 cwt. Sugar
 5 lbs. Tea
 56 lbs. Onions.

The Clerk reports on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board and that in the following order:-

February 20th, 1901.

The Clerk reports that Mr. James, Board of Health, has been appointed as the Medical Officer of the Board, and that Mr. James has accepted the appointment. The Clerk also reports that Mr. James has been appointed as the Medical Officer of the Board, and that Mr. James has accepted the appointment. The Clerk also reports that Mr. James has been appointed as the Medical Officer of the Board, and that Mr. James has accepted the appointment.

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The Board's orders in relation to the execution of Orders previously made by the Board and that in the following order:-

- 1,000 lbs. Bread
- 50 lbs. Butter
- 100 lbs. Meat
- 100 lbs. Milk
- 200 lbs. Sugar
- 20 lbs. Tea
- 100 lbs. Rice
- 50 lbs. Beans
- 200 lbs. Flour
- 50 lbs. Oil
- 100 lbs. Soap
- 50 lbs. Paper

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

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

28th February, 1921.

We, having examined the Cast Clothing in store this day, recommend that the articles set out in Column 17 in Stocktaker's Sheet be struck off the books :—

14 blankets; ; 88 pillow slips; 12 rugs; 114 sheets;
4 table cloths; 12 towels & rollers; 25 men's caps; 12 coats;
18 drawers; 25 shirts; 58 shoes; 45 socks; 28 suspenders;
28 trousers; 20 waistcoats; 53 aprons; 80 gowns; 3 night
caps; 45 petticoats; 45 shifts; 78 shoes; 30 stockings; 2
shawls; 5 hospital dresses.

Signed, C. M. BYRNE
JAMES BYRNE
JOHN McDONALD

The Committee further recommended that the following articles set out on Inventory Book be condemned and cancelled:—

1 bass broom; 2 black lead brushes; 28 scrubbing do.; 40
sweeping do.; 1 sweep's set; 1 salt cellar; 1 milk measure;
1 spade; 1 shovel; 1 scythe; 2 chairs; 3 chambers; 1 candlestick;
1 commode; 1 fender; 4 lamps; 2 pictures; 6 curtains; 1 fire
screen; 4 baths; 3 feeding cups; 28 foot jars; 1 hearth rug;
8 ~~xxxx~~ nurses' tins; 1 basket; 10 buckets; 1 corkscrew; ; 2 basins;
8 bowls; 2 boilers; 12 cups & saucers; 5 dishes; 5 egg cups; 1
frying pan; 7 jugs; 20 knives and forks; 96 mugs; 128 plates; 3
qt. tins; 1 saucepan; 20 spoons; 6 teapots; 2 trays; 4 tumblers;
6 fire shovels; 1 coal barrow.

The reports of the Committee were adopted by the Board.

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In accordance with the resolution of the Board at the meeting of the Guardians on 14th instant, the Medical Officer submitted set of rules setting out the duties of the several Nurses engaged in the Workhouse Hospital.

The rules as submitted were approved of by the Board.

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

February 28th, 1921.

The Master reports that the Workhouse was raided by military and police on the 18th inst.

On 28th instant there were 173 inmates in the Workhouse, including 78 patients in the Infirmary and 3 patients in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 35 men, 30 women and 29 children. For the corresponding week last year the number in the House was 187.

The newly appointed Ward Attendant, Miss Magee, took up duty on the 15th instant, and Mrs Kate Driver, who was doing temporary duty, left on the same date.

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

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The Board of the State and other Officers were told (this was the first time) —

February 18th, 1881

The Board reported that the following was received by

the Board on the 18th inst.

On this subject there were 173 letters in the following

including 70 patients in the hospital and 3 patients in the

State Hospital. In the copy of the report sent to the Board

some of the following, for the corresponding year last year

the number of the Board was 124.

The Board reported that the following was received by

the Board on the 18th inst., and the same day, and was held

on the 18th inst., 1881.

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The following Order of the Board of Directors is hereby given for the Board, and directors give their assent to the same —

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

Read letter dated 28th February, 1921, from Thomas Miller & Co., coal merchants, Bray, stating they had a cargo ^{best} of coal coming into Wicklow for discharge next week and they could offer same f.o.r. Wicklow at 82s 6d per ton. At this special price it was extremely good value. They had also a cargo of very good Ayrshire coal coming in for which they could quote 57s 6d f.o.r. Wicklow. They thought a stock of coal should be got in now as prices were likely to advance. There could be no doubt that when the de-control came off at the end of the month if the collieries were to keep working they would have to increase their prices.

ORDER :- Not needed at present.

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Read post card dated 24th February, 1921, from Messrs. Boileau & Boyd, Ltd., Dublin, acknowledging receipt of letter of the Clerk of the Union with enclosed cheque. They would use their best endeavours to get the orders from the Union for medical supplies away that week. As a matter of fact they had put them in hands on Monday.

Read report dated 25th February, 1921, from Dr H. C. MacDermot, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, as follows :-

I beg to inform you that the stock of dressings in the Hospital is completely exhausted. The substitutes that are now being obtained from the Matron and disinfected (as far as possible) are most unsuitable. This is a very important matter, and I would ask you to try to arrange with the contractors to supply at least some dressings. The Ratharum Dispensary is also very short of dressings and drugs.

ORDER :- Being supplied.

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Read letter from the acting Chairman, Wicklow County Council, requesting that enclosed set of queries be considered at a full meeting of the Board at an early date and returned
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with the answers to each query duly filled in.

Answers to the several queries on the sheet were filled in by the Chairman of the Board.

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Read letter dated 28th February, 1921, from Miss O'Beirne, Nurse of the Workhouse, stating she was in receipt of copy of resolution passed at the meeting of the Board on 14th instant, and in reply she desired to state that she had always handed over the keys of the surgery when going off duty to the Nurse coming on. The charge brought against her by Nurse Slattery was, consequently, untrue. The bandages, etc., which she stated were locked up, would (if there had been any in stock) be in the surgery, and she wished to remind the Board that order for same had been in the contractors' hands for a considerable period.

Read letter dated 28th February, 1921, ~~dated~~ from Nurse Kathleen Slattery, the Infirmary, as follows :-

I wish to resign my position as General and Midwifery Nurse in the Infirmary, as I find I cannot get on with Nurse O'Beirne. Since my report at the last Board meeting she has done everything in her power to make things uncomfortable for me here. I would be obliged if you would ^{let me} have a full sworn inquiry into it before I go.

ORDER :- Resignation accepted; advertise for Nurse at £50 a year, with rations allowance of 18s. a week; appointment to be made at the meeting of the Guardians on 14th March, 1921.

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Read application from an inmate of the Workhouse named Lizzie Vickers, for an outfit of clothing to enable her to leave the institution.

ORDER :- Outfit to cost £2 allowed.

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Read letter dated 13th February, 1921, from Mr Edward Condren, Curranstown, Arklow, recommending an increase in the outdoor relief allowance made a woman named Gregory, residing
at

with the answers to each query only filled in.

Answers to the several queries on the report were filled

in by the Chairman of the Board.

Lead letter dated 20th February, 1911, from Miss O'Sullivan, of the Foresters, stating she was in receipt of copy of transaction passed at the meeting of the Board on 15th January, and in reply she desired to state that she had always intended that copy of the report was going off day to day to the coming of the Board report against her by some clerical error. She stated that the Foresters, etc., which she stated was looked up, would be there had been any in stock as in the report, and she desired to state the Board had order for copy had been in the Foresters' name for a considerable period.

Lead letter dated 20th February, 1911, from Miss O'Sullivan

stating she was in receipt of copy of report as follows :-

I am in receipt of copy of report as printed and signed in the Foresters, and I am sorry to hear that you have some things in your report of the last meeting and that you will be obliged if you would have a copy of the report sent to me.

With a request to be published in the Foresters' report and a copy of the report of the Foresters to be made at the meeting of the Board on 15th January, 1911.

Lead application from the Foresters' name for a copy of report for an entry of account to be made in the Foresters' report.

Lead letter dated 15th February, 1911, from Miss O'Sullivan, of the Foresters, stating she was in receipt of copy of report as printed and signed in the Foresters' report and that she was sorry to hear that you have some things in your report of the last meeting and that you will be obliged if you would have a copy of the report sent to me.

at Ballycooge.

ORDER :- To be raised to 6s weekly.

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Read circular from Messrs. MacDonagh and Boland, Ltd., insurance brokers, Dublin, asking to be intrusted with the insurances effected by the Board.

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Read letter dated 19th February, 1921, from the Secretary, Wicklow County Council, stating that he had submitted to a recent meeting of the County Council the letter of the Clerk of the Union of 26th ultimo, enclosing a resolution passed by the Guardians recommending a further meeting of the conference of representatives of all public bodies in the county for the purpose of considering the question of amalgamation of workhouses, etc. It appeared to the meeting of the County Council that this was a question more directly affecting Boards of Guardians, and that the conference should be called under the direction of one or other of these bodies situated in the county.

ORDER :- To be postponed for three months.

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Read letter dated 17th February, 1921, from Mr Wm. Murphy P.L.G., stating he would be unable to attend the special meeting of the Board on 19th instant. He suggested that a saving of £1,000 could be effected in the public expenditure in the county in the coming year by placing by-roads and mountain roads in charge of one man to a stated number of miles, this man to be under the supervision of the local Councillors and Engineer. These roads only required attention in regard to water tables and gulleys, and needed remetalling so seldom that even the loss of one year's close attention would not affect them as much as the main roads to which he did not refer.

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Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr James Byrne, Pinnakilly:-
That Mr Matthew Murtagh be asked to reconsider his decision to resign his office of Poor Law Guardian, as he has proved himself

himself a very useful member since his election.

Passed. TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

The Clerk reported that Messrs. Felix O'Rafferty and Frank O'Reilly, members of the Board, had been absent from meetings of the Guardians for a period of six months in each case.

ORDER :- Mr O'Rafferty to be asked for explanation; Mr O'Reilly, has left district, vacancy to be declared.

The question of the co-option of a member to fill the vacancy on the Board caused by the disqualification for non-attendance of Mr A. B. Brennan was postponed to next meeting.

Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr James Byrne, Ballinderry :-

That the Clerk be instructed to convey the deep sympathy of the members of this Board with Mr Laurence Byrne, Wicklow, a former esteemed member of the Board, in his bereavement by the death of his son.

Passed unanimously.

Letter No. 3953/1921, dated 19th February, 1921, from the Local Government Board, Custom House, Dublin, was submitted, but not read.

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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 7th day of March 19 21.

(Signed)

C. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

...and a very small number since his election.

...and

The first reported case occurred, John O'Reilly and

John O'Reilly, members of the Board, had been absent from meetings

of the committee for a period of six weeks in 1904.

ORDER: - Mr. O'Reilly to be asked for explanation; Mr. O'Reilly

and left without, possibly to be decided.

The question of the co-opting of a member to fill the vacancy

on the 10th caused by the disqualification for non-attendance of

Mr. A. J. ... was postponed to next meeting.

Proposed by ... seconded by Mr. ...

... and

That the Clerk be authorized to convey the same

of the members of the Board with Mr. ...

... in his statement of the

... of his own.

Passed unanimously.

... and

... and

... and

The case of provisional relief and applications for relief was considered and the following

at the application and relief books

The number of provisional applications to the Workhouse ...

... ..

The number of applications admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional relief ...

... ..

The number of other applications in the following ...

... ..

The number of applications for relief ...

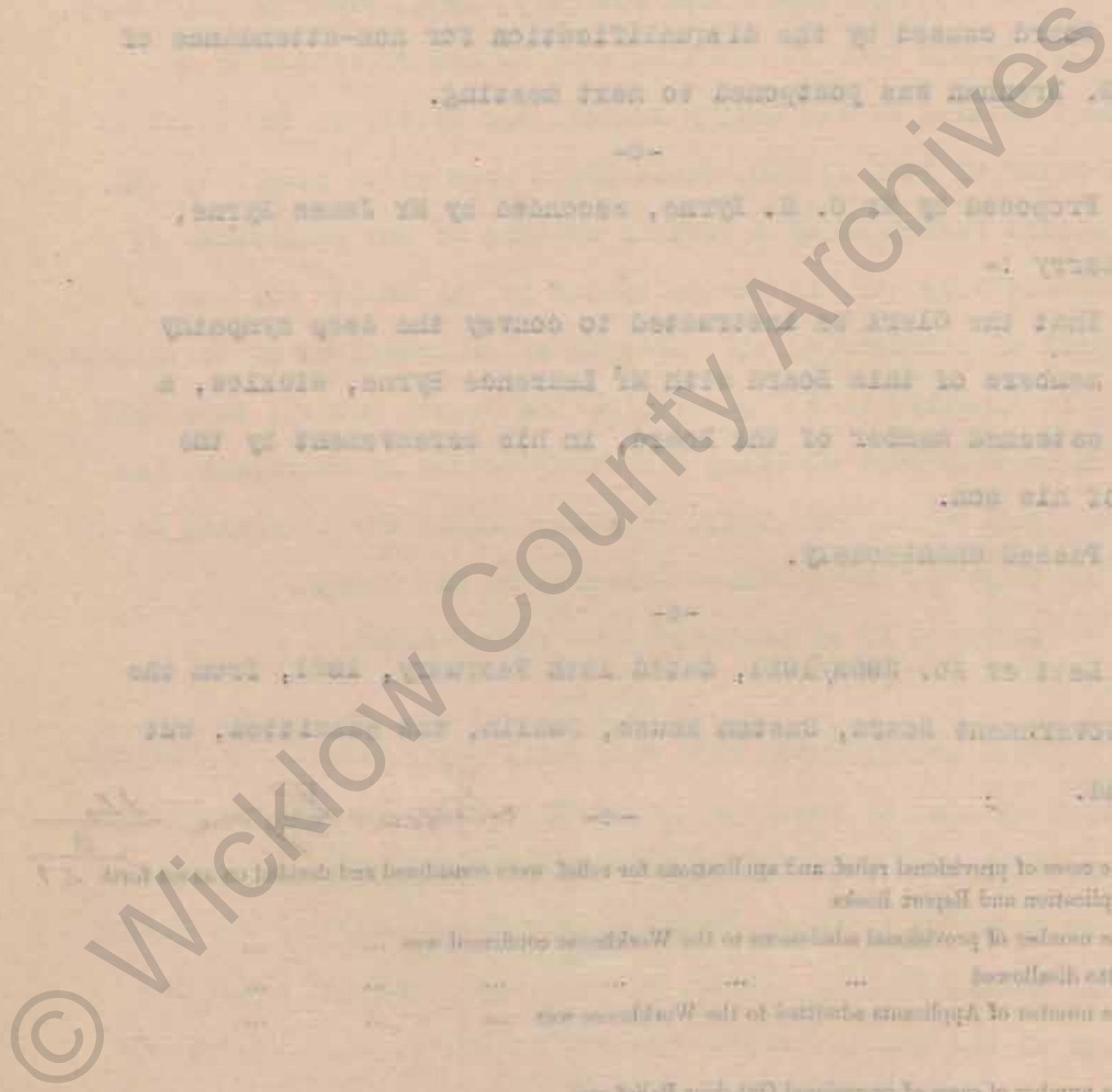
The Board and other committees to be held in the future in the Clerk's office with

the report of the following ...

Next Meeting of the Committee to be held on ...

... ..

... ..



[FORM 14.]
(Article 7.)

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

Rathdrum Union.

Meeting held on MONDAY, 28th day of February 19 21.

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

Indoor from No. 1384 to No. 1444
Separate „ No. - to No. -
Outdoor „ No. 3771 to No. 3791

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 February 1921, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	73	16	6	73	16	6	147	12	11	77	18	1	4	15	2	82	13	3	64	19	8	1148
Necessaries	72	7	9	189	13	1	262	1	8	22	5	9	4	1	2	24	6	11	237	14	9	
Total	146	4	3	263	10	4	409	14	7	100	3	10	8	16	4	107	-	2	302	14	5	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	11	11	½
Average Cost in Infirmary	12	10	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	13	-	

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

(To be kept by the Clerk, who is to forward a copy to the Local Government Board, which will forward them to the General Council of the County Council.)

Wicklow County Council

Meeting held on Monday, 10th January 1900

The following Budget Estimates were prepared, examined, and submitted by the Clerk to the Chairman and the members of the Council.

General	1900	to	1901
Police	1900	to	1901
Public Works	1900	to	1901

The Budget was prepared by the Clerk, based up to date with the proper Dates and Details. The following books were submitted to the Clerk, for having been examined by the members of the Council, and approved by the Chairman and the members of the Council.

1. The Public Works Book.
2. The Police Book.
3. The General Estimate and Budget Book.

The Clerk's Report of the Council of Wicklow was read and approved for the year ending 31st December 1900. It was submitted to the Council and approved by the Chairman and the members of the Council.

Particulars	1900	1901	Total
General	1000	1100	2100
Police	500	550	1050
Public Works	300	350	650
Total	1800	2000	3800

The General Average Cost of an inmate for the year was £117 11s 6d. Average Cost in January £121 2s 6d. Average Cost in Poor Hospital £121 2s 6d. The following books were also prepared by the Clerk, and submitted to the Chairman and the members of the Council for their examination and approval.

1. The Clothing Book.
2. The Poor Book.
3. The Public Works Book.
4. The Police Book.
5. The General Estimate and Budget Book.
6. The Public Works Book.

The Clerk's Report of the Council of Wicklow was read and approved for the year ending 31st December 1900. It was submitted to the Council and approved by the Chairman and the members of the Council.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th

of February 1911 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	17	14	10	5	8	10	20	4	6	25	3	6	68	11	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...				30	-	-	30	-	-				60	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	17	14	10	35	8	10	50	4	6	25	3	6	128	11	8
<i>Expenditure.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	10	3	6	28	14	-	26	16	6	11	10	6	77	4	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...					7	9								7	9
7. Total Relief given ...	10	3	6	28	1	9	26	16	6	11	10	6	77	12	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	7	11	4	6	7	1	23	8	-	13	13	-	50	19	5
9. TOTAL ...	17	14	10	35	8	10	50	4	6	25	3	6	128	11	8

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

Dated this 28th day of February 1911.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

The statement of the Accounts of the several Bishops of the last Year ending Saturday, the 15th of June 1751, is as follows:—

YEAR	BISHOP OF DUBLIN			BISHOP OF CORK			BISHOP OF WATERLOO			BISHOP OF DOWN			REMARKS
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
1750	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1751	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1752	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
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1758	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1759	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1760	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1761	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1762	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1763	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1764	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1765	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1766	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1767	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1768	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1769	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1770	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1771	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
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1775	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1776	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1777	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1778	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1779	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1780	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1781	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1782	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1783	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1784	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1785	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1786	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1787	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1788	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1789	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1790	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1791	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1792	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
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1796	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1797	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1798	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1799	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	
1800	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	

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The year 1751, day of the month of June, 1751. Signed by the Bishop of Dublin, [Signature]

Wicklow County Council

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 63, &c.)

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

a Meeting held on Monday the _____ day of _____ 19__.

Present—In the Chair, _____

Other Guardians:—

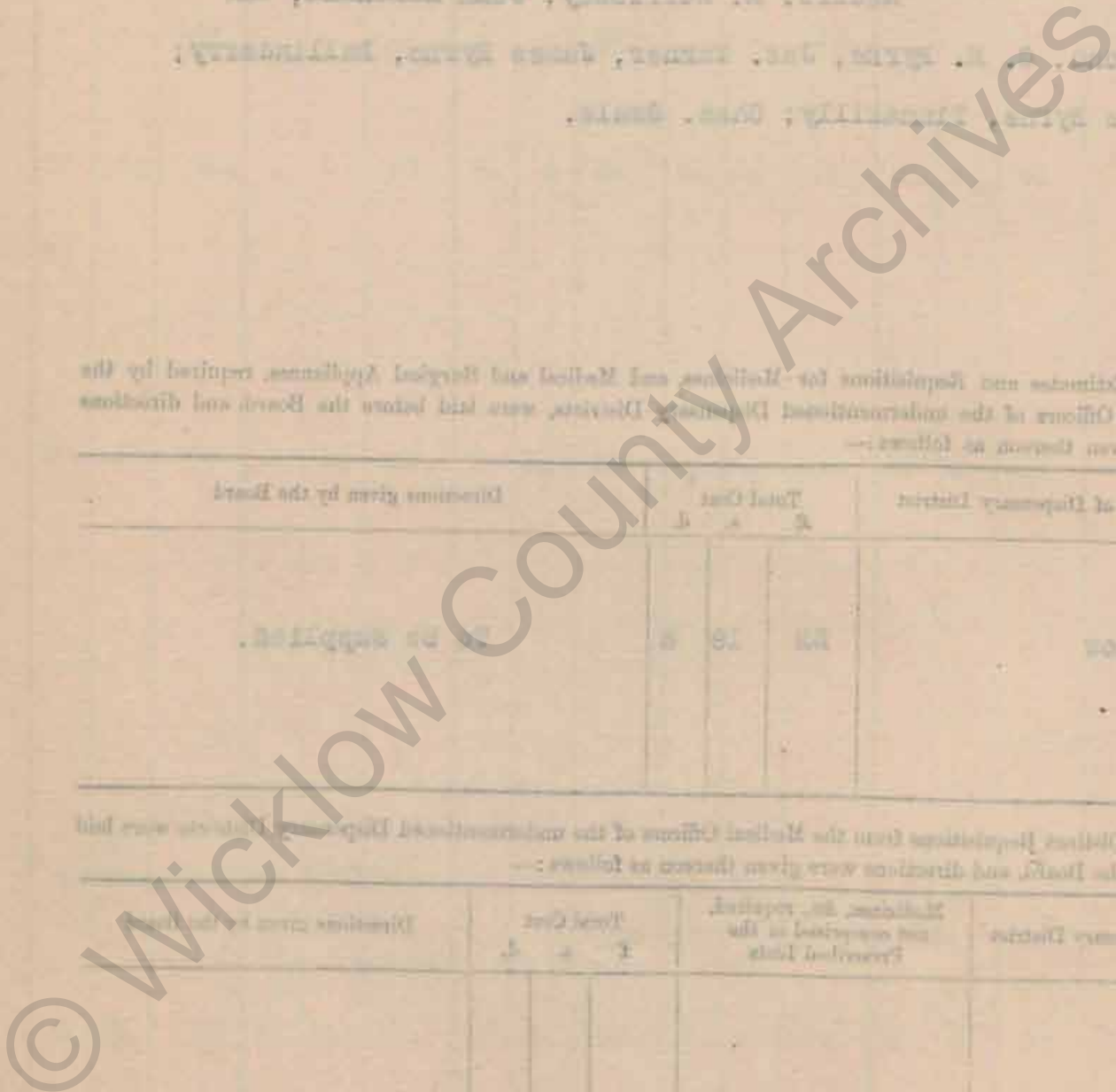
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Estimates and applications for Medical and Hospital Appliances required by the Medical Officers of the undersigned Districts were laid before the Board and discussions were given thereon as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost		Discussions given by the Board
	£	s.	
_____	25	10	_____

Discussions proposed from the Medical Officers of the undersigned Districts were laid before the Board and discussions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medical Appliances proposed to be purchased in the District	Total Cost		Discussions given by the Board
		£	s.	



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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary Disrtrict in the
 Union, for the half-year ended.....1....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....1.....

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

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

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

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

The following letters and other communications were sent by the Clerk and Order were made on them respectively as follows:-

Hand letter dated 20th February, 1901, as follows:-
I beg to say on Jan. 12 I sent to the Dispensary at

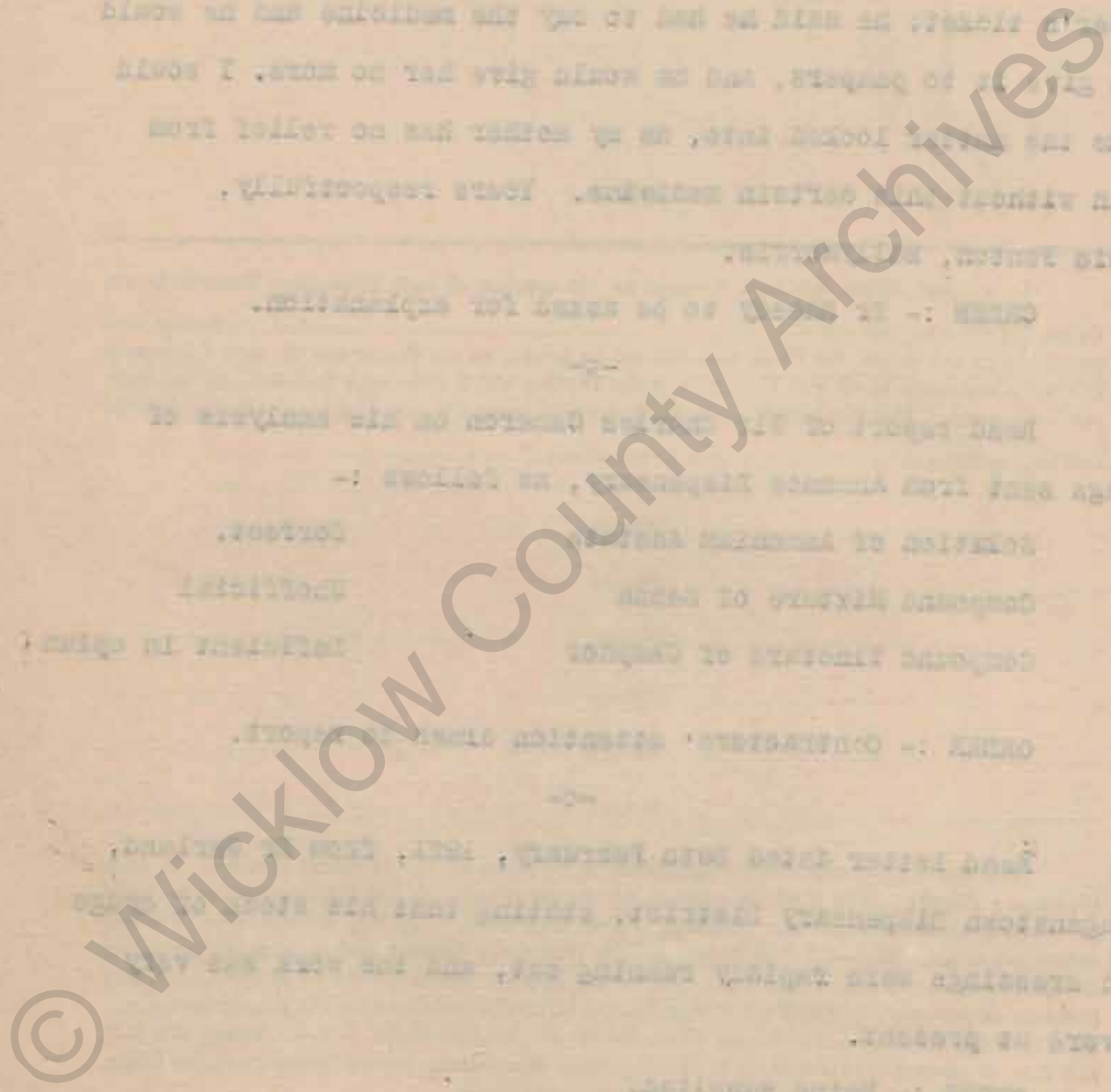
Amherst for medicine for my invalid mother, but was refused in a most excessive language by the Dr., and ordered out of Dispensary. He said the thing I presented to him was a paper ticket; he said he had to pay the medicine and he would not give it to papers, and he would give her no more. I could see she was looking pale, as my mother has no relief from pain without the certain medicine. Yours respectfully,

ANNIE JENKIN, 10, ...
ORDER :- It is hereby so ordered for explanation.

Hand report of ...
ORDER :- Contrary to ...
ORDER :- Being supplied.

Hand letter dated 20th February, 1901, from ...
ORDER :- Being supplied.

Hand letter dated 10th January, 1901, from ...
ORDER :- Being supplied.



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

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

Annamore	9 unvaccinated children.

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

No order.

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The Board had been specially summoned to consider notice by Mr John McDonald P.L.G. proposing to appoint Dr MacDermot as permanent Medical Officer of the Rathdrum Dispensary District.

Proposed by Mr John McDonald, seconded by Mr C. M. Byrne :-

That Dr E. C. MacDermot be appointed Permanent Medical Officer of Rathdrum Dispensary District at a salary of £125 per annum, and £25 per annum as Medical Officer of Health.

Passed.

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Read report from Relieving Officer Byrne stating that the septic tank at the Annamore Dispensary Residence was found out of order and had to be opened for examination. It was found that a syphon trap between the house and tank had become choked with leaves; this was cleared and the trouble ended. To find this out the pipe connecting the house drains with the tank had to be exposed, an excavation of about 5 ft. being necessary; work done at cost of 12s 6d.

ORDER :- Approved.

-0- James Byrne $\frac{14}{5}$

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 7th March

day of March 19 21.

(Signed) P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

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

District	Name of Medical Officer

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

By Order.

The Board has been specially summoned to consider a report by Mr. J. J. [Name] M.B.B., proposing to appoint Dr. [Name] as District Medical Officer of the [District] District.

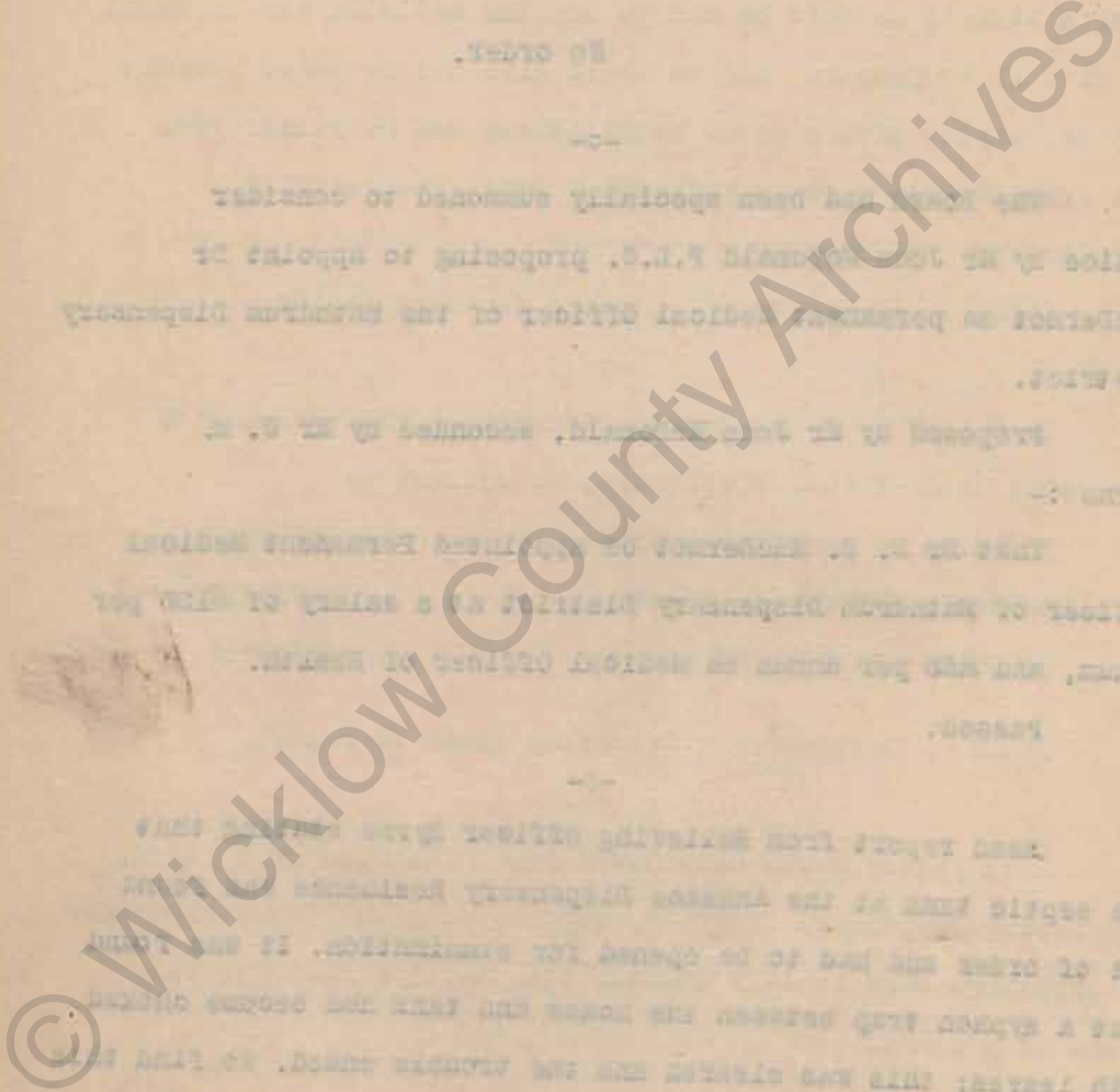
Resolved by the Board, sanctioned by Mr. [Name] M.B.B., that Dr. [Name] be appointed as District Medical Officer of the [District] District, with a salary of [Amount] per annum, and that he be sworn as a Medical Officer of Health.

And report from the District Officer [Name] that the public health of the [District] District is such that it is expedient to be opened for examination. It is further resolved that a report be prepared by the District Officer [Name] and that the [Name] be appointed as District Medical Officer of the [District] District, with a salary of [Amount] per annum, and that he be sworn as a Medical Officer of Health.

ORDER: - APPROVED.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Monday, the [Date] day of [Month] 19[Year].

[Signature] (Secretary) Clerk of the Union.



RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of February 1921.

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 8 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 3 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		170																	
Temporary Buildings																			
Additional Workhouse																			
Permanent Fever Hospital		3																	
Fever Beds																			
TOTAL		173																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			42	47	4	29	7	9	6	14	9	167	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	76	In separate Wards				
Admitted during the Week			14	8	7	1	2		2		±	34	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other Inmates	7			
Born											1	1	TOTAL	79	TOTAL	7			
TOTAL			56	55	11	30	9	9	8	14	10	202	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS						
Discharged during the Week			15	6	3		2	1	2			29	Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL
Died												-	No. Relieved during week	14	8	4	26		
Total Discharged and Died			15	6	3		2	1	2			29	No. in Workhouse at date	6	4	2	12		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			41	49	8	30	7	8	6	14	10	173	No. at corresponding period last year, 167.						

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of February 1921 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. s. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	32	53
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	84	184
T. Butler	No. III.	101	171
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	82
TOTAL		255	490

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 7th day of March 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day,
no Guardian being present.

James Byrne

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7th day of March 1921.

D. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse		177															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital		3															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		180															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			41	49	8	30	7	8	8	14	10	173	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	78	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			27	8	4	3	7	4	7	3		83	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	3	In Wards with other inmates	7	
Born											2	2	TOTAL	81	TOTAL	7	
TOTAL			68	57	12	33	14	12	13	17	12	228	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			24	8	5	2	5	3	9		1	57	Males Fem. Children under 13 TOTAL				
Died						1						1	No. Believed during week	27	7	15	49
Total Discharged and Died			24	8	5	3	5	3	9		1	58	No. in Work-house at date	8	3	5	16
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			44	49	7	30	9	9	4	17	11	180	No. at corresponding period last year, 165.				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of March 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	32	53
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	82	175
T. Butler	No. III.	102	176
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	81
TOTAL		253	485

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 14th day of March 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr James Byrne, Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. John Gregory; H. W. Condell, James Byrne, Ballinderry; James Turner, C. M. Byrne, Michael Morrissey, James O'Brien, Matthew Murtagh, L. Redmond.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Clerk reported the death of Sir Charles Cameron, for many years Analyst to the Union.

ORDER :— Advertise for Analyst at salary of £10 per year; appointment to be made at the meeting of the Board of Guardians on 11th April, 1921.

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Read letter dated 8th March, 1921, from Mr E. G. Fagan, City Laboratory, Dublin, stating that he was prepared to act temporarily as Analyst for the Union on the same terms as the late Sir Charles Cameron, if the Board so desired.

ORDER :— Temporarily appointed on same terms pending permanent appointment being made.

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

1,200 lbs. Bread
 80 lbs. Butter
 100 lbs. Beef
 100 lbs. Mutton
 2 sides Bacon
 25 doz. Eggs
 150 gal. New Milk
 28 lbs. Syrup
 5 st. Cabbage
 2 cwt. Sugar
 1 chest Tea
 112 lbs. Onions
 2 bots. Whiskey
 1 roll Tobacco
 1 lb. Snuff
 7 lbs. Cornflour.

Read report of the Master of the Workhouse, as follows :-

March 14th, 1921.

The Master reports that on the 13th instant there were 174 inmates in the Workhouse, including 78 patients in the Infirmary and 3 patients in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 36 men, 31 women and 28 children. For the corresponding week last year the inmates in the House were 173.

Some of the drinking troughs in connection with the Workhouse water supply are out of order, and it will be necessary to employ a plumber to repair them, and also taps and ball-cock in Infirmary kitchen.

There are two range bottoms required for the big kitchen range.

The Master desires instructions regarding Workhouse farm.

ORDER :- Plumber to be employed; range bottoms to be procured; mow the lands this season.

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

Proposed by Mr James O'Brien, seconded by Mr

C. M. Byrne :-

That we have heard with horror of the murder of six of our fellowcountrymen in Dublin by the English Government, and we beg to tender our sincere sympathy with the relatives of those martyrs who are the victims of a foreign government and who hope by terrorism to crush the national spirit of our people and to intimidate them to compromise our national rights; and that this Board adjourns after transacting the really essential business, as a mark of respect to their memory.

Passed unanimously.

Read telegram dated 14th March, 1921, from Miss Barton, Chairman of the Board, suggesting that the meeting of the Board be adjourned after adoption of resolution of sympathy with relatives of Ireland's martyrs.

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

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, Tinnakilly, seconded by Mr L. Redmond :-

That this Board of Guardians, representing the Rathuram Union District, hereby expresses its abhorrence of the foul murders of prominent men of Limerick, and their deep sympathy with the citizens and relatives, especially the heroic wives of two of the victims. That a copy be sent to the Deputy Lord Mayor of the City of Limerick.

Passed unanimously.

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

Read letter No. 1998/21, dated 1st March, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the employment of Mrs Kate Driver as temporary Wardsmaid in the Workhouse, and stating that the Ministry of Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £1-7s-8d per week to Mrs Driver for her services.

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Read letter No. 1991/21, dated 1st March, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 14th ultimo, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of a fee of £2-2s-0d to Dr Stokes for professional assistance rendered by him to the Medical Officer of the Workhouse.

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Read letter No. 1999/21, dated 2nd March, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the proposed employment of Miss A. M. Byrne as temporary substitute for Relieving Officer Murphy, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £2 per week to Miss Byrne for her services.

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Read letter dated 11th March, 1921, from Mr Felix O'Rafferty, P.L.G., Arklow, acknowledging receipt of letter of Clerk of the Union, and stating that he regretted very much that owing to his wife's illness, resulting from an accident, he had been prevented from attending the meetings of the Board. Should the members see their way to excuse his non-attendance in the past he would promise to be with them as often as possible in future meetings.

ORDER :- Explanation accepted.

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Read letter dated 14th March, 1921, from Miss Kathleen Slattery, nurse in Workhouse Infirmary, as follows :-

I wish to bring before your notice that Miss O'Beirne has made a false statement in her letter of 5th instant as regards handing over the keys when going off duty. I beg to contradict that statement. The surgery keys were handed over, not the key of the accident press or the other keys. I have witnesses to prove the key of the accident press was removed on the 9th February when I had occasion to look for it. This key has been repeatedly removed up to that time by Miss O'Beirne, and as yet she has not adhered to the rules, although she has been notified by the Clerk that the keys were to be handed over to the Nurse in charge of the Hospital for the time being when going off duty. On reading Miss O'Beirne's letter she evidently wants to make a liar of me in the eyes of the Guardians. I would be obliged if you would get her to withdraw that statement, or furnish me with her authority for making it, as I want to clear my name before I leave here.

ORDER C- Read.

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Read letter dated 14th March, 1921, ~~applying~~ from Mr Thomas Byrne, Rathdrum, applying to be appointed to make the usual stocktaking in the Workhouse at the close of the half year. In consequence of the extra work in enumerating and preparing the stock sheets he proposed to do the work at £5, being £1 over the fee previously allowed him for the work.

ORDER :- To be appointed at £4.

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Read letter dated 4th March, 1921, from Mrs D. Cullen, P.L.G., stating that it was not now possible for her to attend the meetings of the Board, and she thought it better resign her membership. She should have sent in her resignation long ago and was sorry for the delay.

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Read letter dated 7th March, 1921, from Mr Matthew Murtagh P.L.G., Wicklow, thanking the Guardians for their kind resolution on the matter of his proposed resignation. It would be ungrateful of him not to accede to the request to reconsider same, and he therefore assured the members that it would be a pleasure to continue, so far as his business engagements would allow, to attend and act on the Board, and co-operate in administering to the wants of the deserving poor, while at the same time guard as far as possible the interests of the ratepayers.

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Read application from Mrs Mary Barlow, Wicklow, for renewal of outdoor relief recently discontinued her.

ORDER :- R. O. to see applicant.

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Read letter dated 14th March, 1921, from Mr Patrick Turner, Attendant in Workhouse Hospital, stating he would be grateful if the Board saw their way to grant him his salary, now due since October, 1920, as he was in need of same,

ORDER :- Held over.

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Read letter dated 3rd March, 1921, from the Manager, National Bank, Wicklow, as follows :-

Adverting to my conversation with you and Messrs. Jas. Byrne, C. M. Byrne and Jas. Everett, when you made application for an advance of £4,278 on behalf of Rathdrum Union, I placed all particulars before my Directors and asked them if possible to grant the loan. I now have an answer from the Directors saying they deeply regret they are unable at present time to make the advance under present circumstances.

The Clerk reported that on receipt of this letter he consulted a member of the deputation and acting on his advice wrote the Bank Manager to ascertain if his Directors would make an advance to the Board of a lesser sum than that named in foregoing letter. He received reply, dated 12th March, 1921,

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1921, as follows :-

In reply to your favour of 9th instant applying on behalf of your Board for a temporary loan of £2,000 in addition to present overdraft, I put your application before my Directors and have a reply to-day saying they deeply regret they are unable to entertain the Guardians' proposal.

ORDER :- Clerk to write the National Bank Directors fully.

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The Clerk submitted statement showing the financial position of the Board of Guardians. At the end of February there was an adverse balance of £2,787-18-3, and payments passed that day amounted to £1,001-16s-0d, making the total amount due by the Board, £3,789-14s-8d. Of this amount a sum of £923-9s-7d was due the National Bank, Ltd., and the balance, £2,846-5s-1d, due other creditors.

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The following notices were served :-

14th March, 1921.

We hereby give notice that a vacancy exists on the Rathuram Board of Guardians caused by the non-attendance of Mr Frank O'Reilly for a period of six months; and we further give notice that at the meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 11th day of April, 1921, we will move that the vacancy be filled by co-option.

Signed,

Seumas O Broin Three members
Matthew Murtagh of the Board
of Guardians.

J. Gregory

Countersigned -

P. W. Sheehan, Clerk of the Union.

14th March, 1921.

I hereby give notice that at the meeting to be held on the 11th April, 1921, I will move :- That in future all candidates seeking positions with the Board of Guardians be required to attend personally on the day of election.

L. EDMOND.

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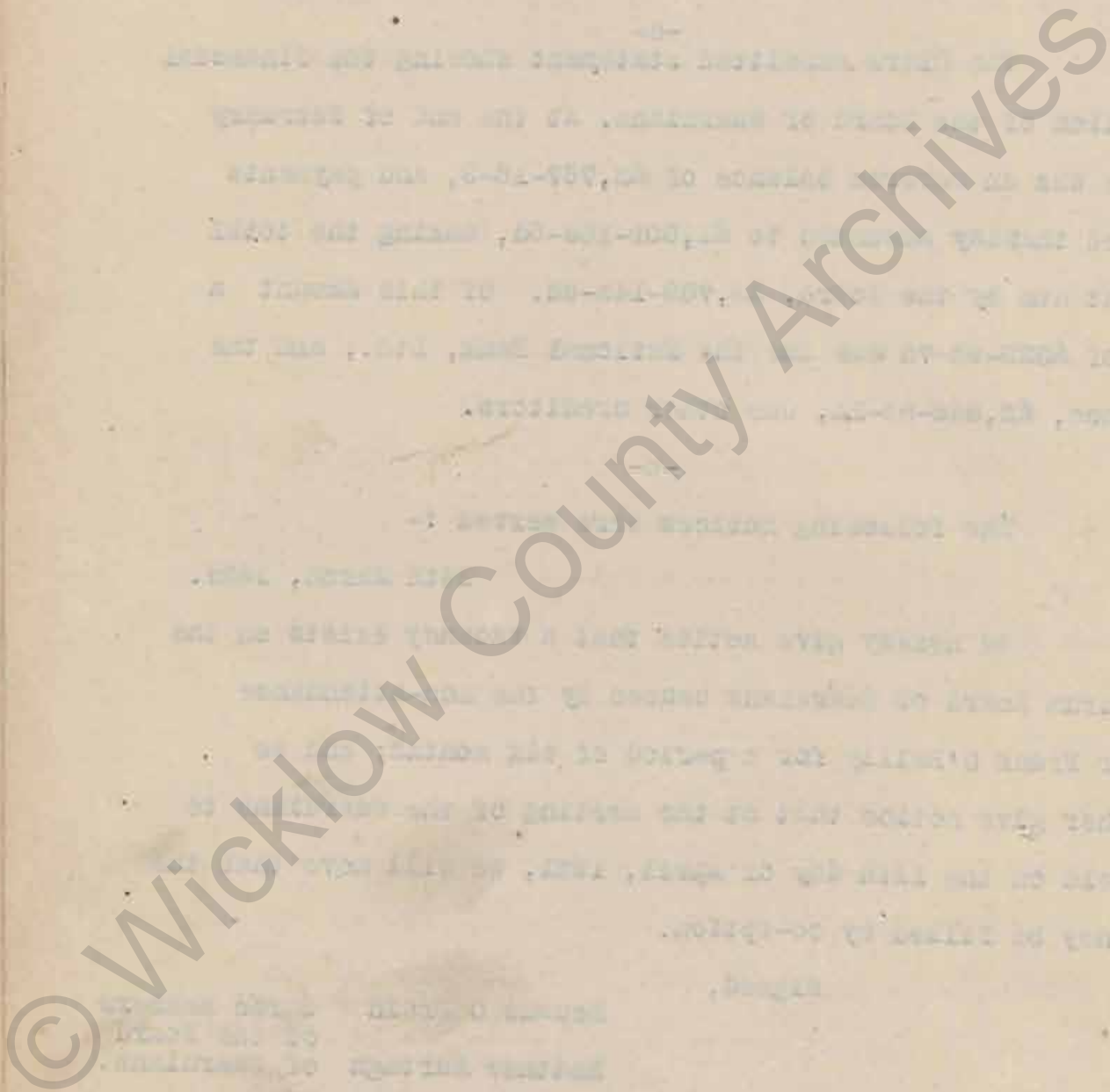
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In reply to your letter of the 10th inst. regarding the ...
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The Board proceeded to consider tenders for supplies to the Workhouse and accepted those of the under-mentioned for the period named, at the prices set out :-
For Three Months.

John Doyle	Mutton at 1s 3d per lb.
same	Beef @ 10½d per lb.
same	Boneless do. @ 1s 4d per do.
James Neary	Bread @ 11d per 4lbs.
Michael Byrne	Potatoes @ 30s. per brl.

No tenders were received for the six months items.

ORDER :- Master to purchase eggs at market price, prices in tenders submitted being considered too high; re-advertise six months' items.

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Circular letters dated 10th March, 1921, and 4th March, 1921, from Local Government Board, Custom House, Dublin, were submitted, but not read.

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The Guardians had been summoned for the appointment of a qualified Nurse with Maternity Training in the Workhouse Infirmary, at £50 a year, with allowance of 18s. weekly for rations.

The only application received was from Nurse L. Kavanagh, Aughrim, who stated that she did not possess a certificate for General Nursing but she had letters from a Dr Doyle and the Matron of a large Nursing Home in Dublin where she had done general nursing for a long time. She forwarded copy of certificate from National Maternity Hospital, Dublin, and testimonials from Dr Doyle, Westland Row, Dublin; the Matron, Private Nursing Home, Dr. Bagott St., Dublin, and Dr White, Merrion Square, Dublin.

The Guardians unanimously appointed Nurse Kavanagh to the position.

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to Boarded Out Children.

Read letter No. 1926/21, dated 2nd March, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of particulars on Form A in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to board-out a boy named Albert Rogers with Mrs Mary Redmond, Balleeshall, Aughrim, and Thomas Rossiter with Mrs Elizabeth Kennedy, Aughrim, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government would not raise any objection to the proposal.

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ORDER :- That agreement with Michael Sutton, New Street, Wicklow, for the care of the children, Thomas Sutton and John Sutton; and agreement with Daniel Keenan, Three Wells, for care of Andrew Dowdall, now submitted, be sealed.

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Read letter dated March 11th, 1921, from the Secretary, Irish Nurses and Midwives Union, Dublin, requesting the Board of Guardians to see that the person appointed as Midwife in the Union Workhouse was a member of that Trade Union, which was the only Trade Union for nurses and midwives in Ireland.

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The Guardians adjourned to the meeting on 11th April, 1921, the question of filling the vacancy on the Board caused by the disqualification through non-attendance of Mr A. B. Brennan, Arklow.

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RATHFRUM UNION

ORDER :- That no meeting of the Board be held on Monday, 28th March, 1921, (Easter Monday).

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of March 1921.

(Signed) P. W. Phelan
Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14.]

(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Finance Meeting, held on MONDAY, the 14th day of March 1921.

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	1842	10	—
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences	8	18	4
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts	2	15	4
Loans received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above	1853	18	8

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

TABLE (B) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

The following table shows the financial position of the Wicklow County Council at the end of the financial year 1952-53.

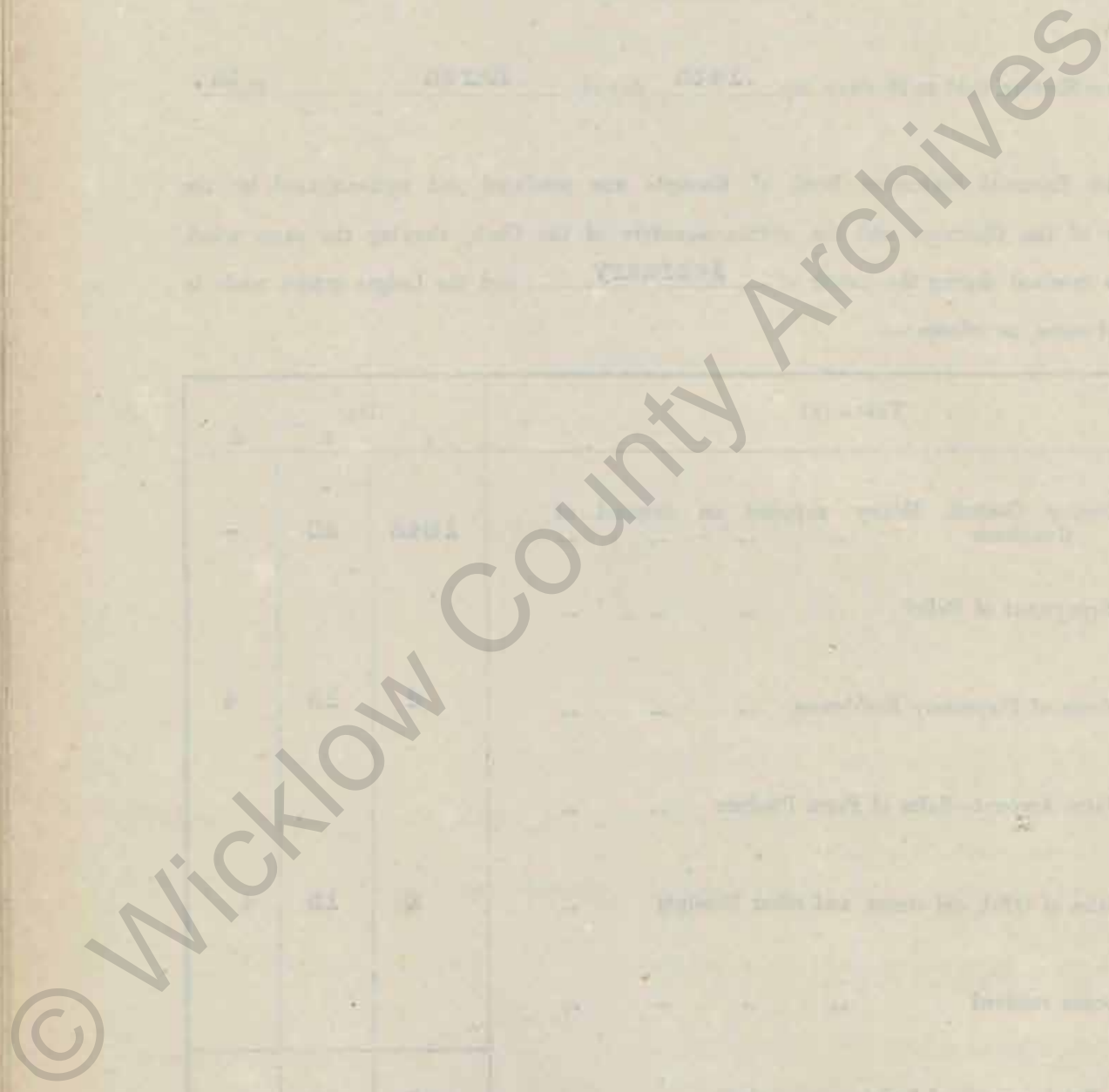
RATHFRUM UNION.

Balance at start of year 1952-53 £ 100.00

The following table shows the financial position of the Wicklow County Council at the end of the financial year 1952-53.

Particulars	1952-53	1951-52
Balance at start of year	100.00	100.00
Income from rates	100.00	100.00
Income from other sources	100.00	100.00
Expenditure on rates	100.00	100.00
Expenditure on other services	100.00	100.00
Balance at end of year	100.00	100.00

The following table shows the financial position of the Wicklow County Council at the end of the financial year 1952-53.



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	499	5	7
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	15	17	7
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses	53	14	5
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	4	10	—
Medical Charities	5	7	10
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	3	1	—
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	420	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1001	16	5

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No.	Date	Description
1	1852	...
2	1853	...
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

FEBRUARY 19 21.

	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 ..	1853	18	8			
Total	1853	18	8			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	3501	1	5			
Payments ordered during the month ..	1120	15	8			
Total	4621	16	11			
Net Balance due ^{by} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	2767	18	3			
RECONCILEMENT:						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{by} Treasurer	65 61	1 18	4 6			
Outstanding Orders	2532	19	7			
Net Balance as above due ^{by} the Union ..	2767	18	3			

Dated this 14th day of March 19 21.

P. W. Shubert

Clerk of the 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 on **MONDAY**, 14th day of March 1921.

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

Indoor from No. 1444 to No. 1544

Separate „ No. to No.

Outdoor „ No. 3791 to No. 3798

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 1921, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	53	9	3	80	18	9	134	8	-	79	13	9	4	-	7	83	13	4	50	14	8	1216.
Necessaries	321	10	4				221	10	4	21	19	3	3	13	2	25	12	5	195	17	11	
Total	374	19	7	80	18	9	335	18	4	101	12	-	7	13	9	108	5	9	246	12	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 11 : 8½
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 12 : 8
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 13 : -

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 5th of March 1921 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	13	3	4	28	13	1	28	11	8	26	10	-	94	17	11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	30	-	-				30	-	-				60	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	43	3	4	28	13	1	58	11	8	26	10	-	154	17	11
<i>Expenditure.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	9	15	6	28	2	6	27	12	6	11	6	6	78	17	-
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility					5	-								5	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...															
7. Total Relief given ...	9	15	6	28	7	6	27	12	6	11	6	6	77	2	-
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	33	7	10		5	7	28	19	-	15	3	6	77	15	11
9. TOTAL ...	43	3	4	28	13	1	58	11	8	26	10	-	154	17	11

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

Dated this 14th day of March 1921.

J. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

The Account of the Accounts of the several Collecting Offices for the last Year ending 31st Dec 1875

1875-76 was submitted as follows

NAME	REVENUE			EXPENDITURE			BALANCE			REMARKS
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	
	11	7	11	0	11	0	11	0	0	
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Wicklow County

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 83, &c.)

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

a Meeting held on Monday, the 14th day of 1844

Present—in the Chair, Mr. James Smith, Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. John Smith, Mr. W. Conroy, Mr. James

Mr. William Smith, Mr. James Smith, Mr. James Smith

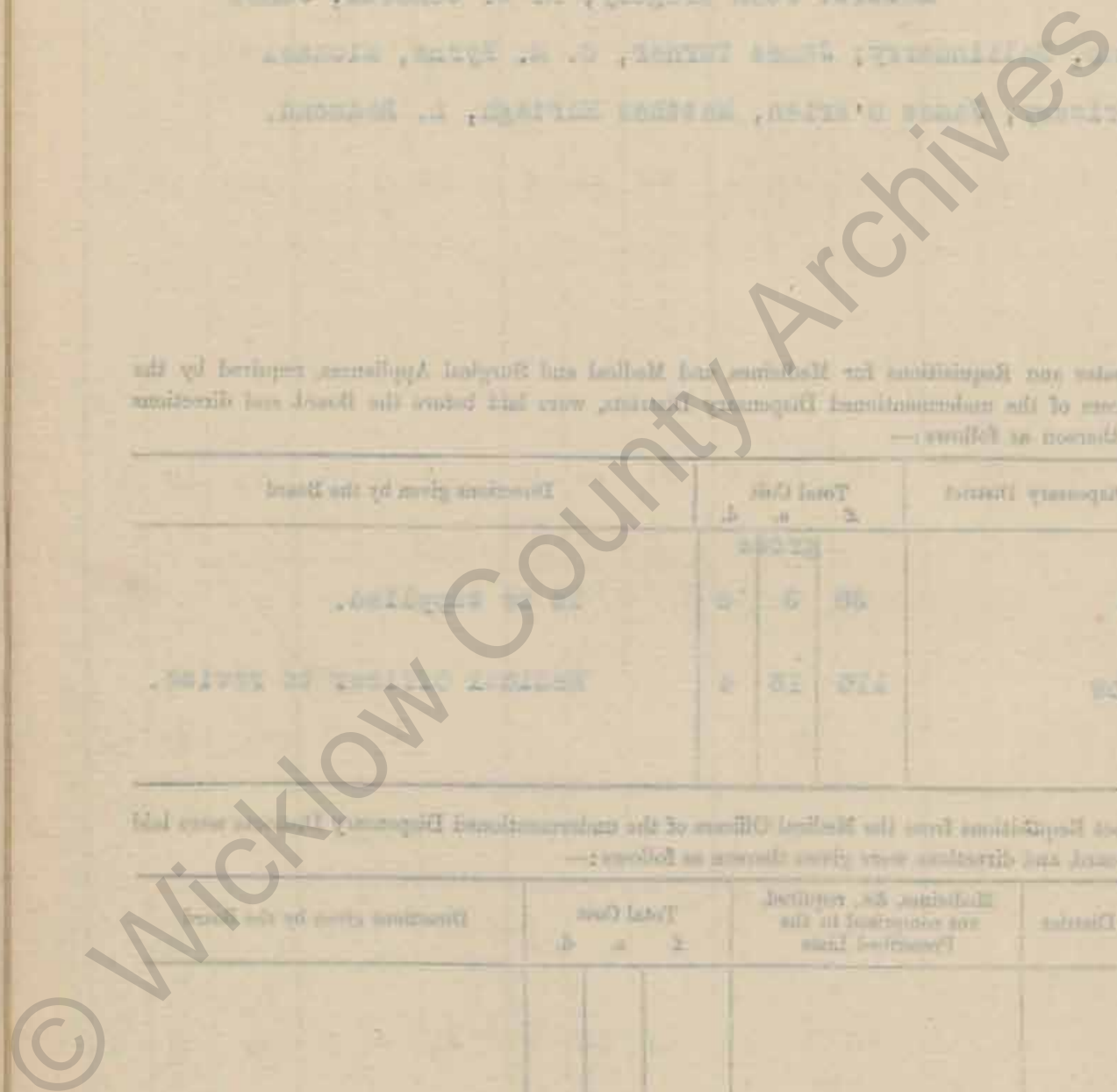
Mr. James Smith, Mr. James Smith, Mr. James Smith

Estimates and Applications for Advances and Medical and Surgical Appliances required by the Medical Officers of the various Dispensaries, &c., were laid before the Board and discussed and were given sanction as follows:—

Name of Dispensary District	Total Value	Proposed Value	Reserve Value
STONEY	£ 50 0 0	£ 30 0 0	£ 20 0 0
WICKLOW	£ 100 0 0	£ 60 0 0	£ 40 0 0

Direct Applications from the Medical Officers of the various Dispensaries, &c., were laid before the Board and discussed and were given sanction as follows:—

Dispensary District	Proposed Value	Value not sanctioned in this Year	Total Value



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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....

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

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

Dept.

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:—

Read letter No. 1992/21, dated 1st March, 1931,
from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann,
referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians
on 14th ultimo, and stating that the Ministry for Local
Government would be glad to be informed how long the position
of Medical Officer of the Ratharum Dispensary District was
vacant, and how the vacancy occurred. A permanent appointment
to the position should be made in the usual manner after
advertising.

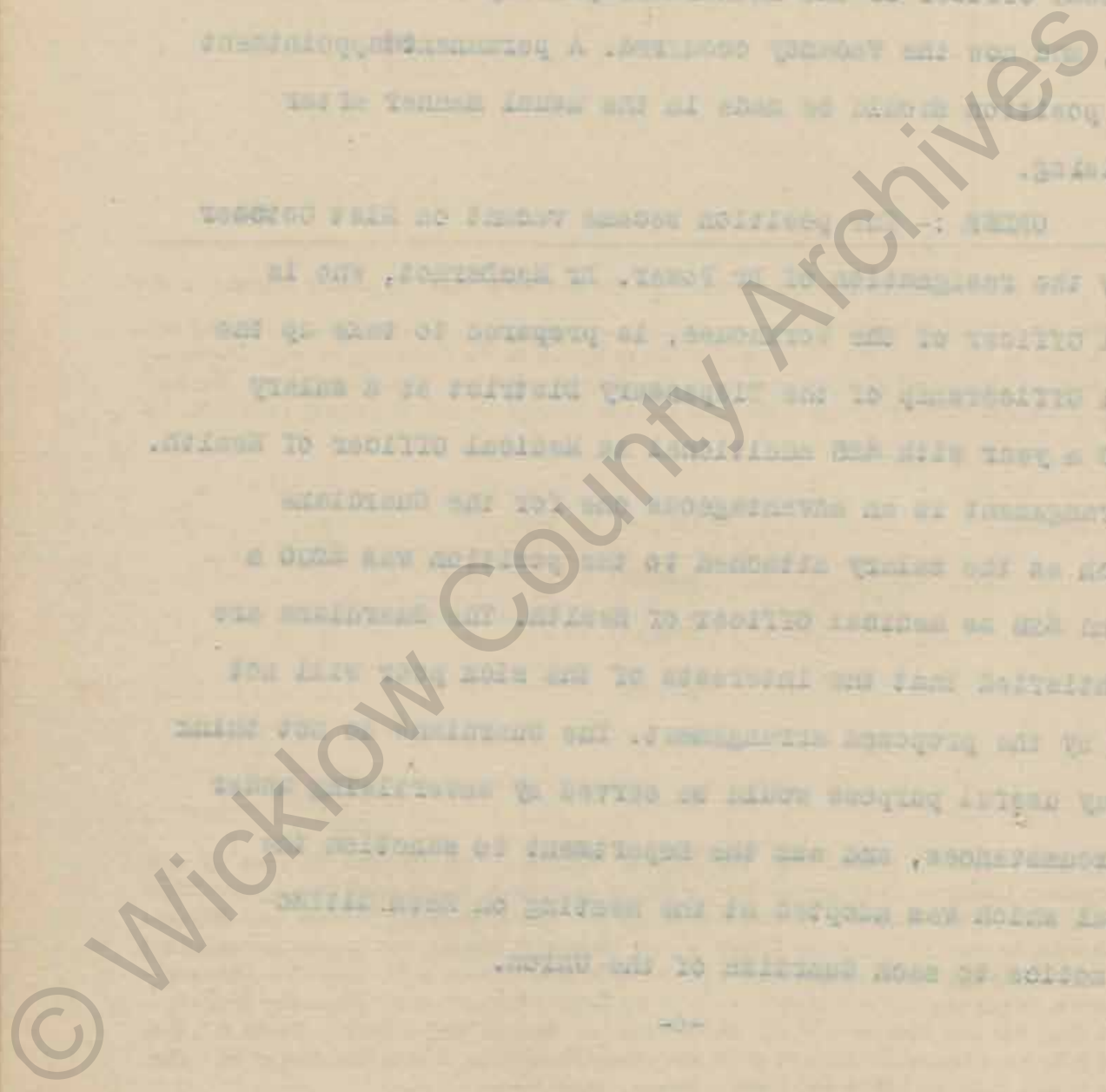
ORDER :- The position became vacant on 21st October
last by the resignation of Dr Power. Dr MacDermot, who is
Medical Officer of the Workhouse, is prepared to take up the
Medical Officership of the Dispensary District at a salary
of £125 a year with £25 additional as Medical Officer of Health.
The arrangement is an advantageous one for the Guardians
inasmuch as the salary attached to the position was £200 a
year and £25 as Medical Officer of Health. The Guardians are
also satisfied that the interests of the sick poor will not
suffer by the proposed arrangement. The Guardians do not think
that any useful purpose would be served by advertising under
the circumstances, and ask the Department to sanction the
proposal which was adopted at the meeting on 28th ultimo
after notice to each Guardian of the Union.

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The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and discussed given therein as follows:-

That letters be issued to the Local Government Board, Dublin, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, relating to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 14th June, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government would be glad to be informed how long the position of Medical Officer of the Board of Guardians District No. 1, Dublin, and the County Council, a permanent appointment to the position should be made in the usual manner of the Board.

QUESTIONS: The position should be made in the usual manner of the Board by the resignation of the Medical Officer, who is Medical Officer of the County, is prepared to take up the Medical Officer of the County District of a salary of £100 a year with the usual Medical Officer of Health. The arrangement is an arrangement for the Board of Guardians as the salary attached to the position was £200 a year and the Medical Officer of Health, the Board of Guardians also stated that the interests of the Board will not be affected by the proposed arrangement. The Board of Guardians that any other purpose would be served by such an arrangement, and the Department is prepared to consider the proposal which was made at the meeting of 14th June. They desire to see a copy of the Order of the Board.



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

Read letter dated 11th March, 1921, from Dr Sheedy, Aughrim Dispensary District, as follows:—

In reply to your communication re the case of Mrs Fenton, of Ballymorris, I beg to say for the information of your Board, the facts are as follows. This old lady, Mrs O'Neill, age, between 80 and 90 years, had contracted the morphine habit long before my advent in Aughrim, and moreover she had a refined and costly taste as to the preparation of this drug, with which I kept her supplied weekly, often at my own expense, for now nigh on twelve months, which I can prove if necessary. Of course you know that the prescribed list of drugs supply a much cheaper preparation of morphia, such as laudanum, liquor morphia, or pil. morphia, which would answer the purpose just as well in this case, but she absolutely refused to take either of these preparations on the day in question, with impertinence of the grossest type and also threatened me with writing to L.G.B. I may now mention that the drug she demanded was "tincture of chloroform et morphinae 60", which I was out of at the time, and which is 18s. a lb. retail. I need not tell you that she did not acquire a taste for this expensive medicine at my suggestion.

Proposed by Mr L. Redmond, seconded by Mr C. M.

Byrne:—

That Dr Sheedy, Medical Officer of Aughrim Dispensary District, and Mrs Fenton, of Ballymorris, be asked to attend the next meeting of the Guardians with reference to the complaint of the latter read at the last meeting. Both parties to bring any witnesses who were present on the occasion, that they wish the Guardians to hear, as the Guardians consider the letters received are in direct opposition to each other.

Passed unanimously.

The following letters and other communications were read by the Clerk, and their contents made known to the members as follows:-

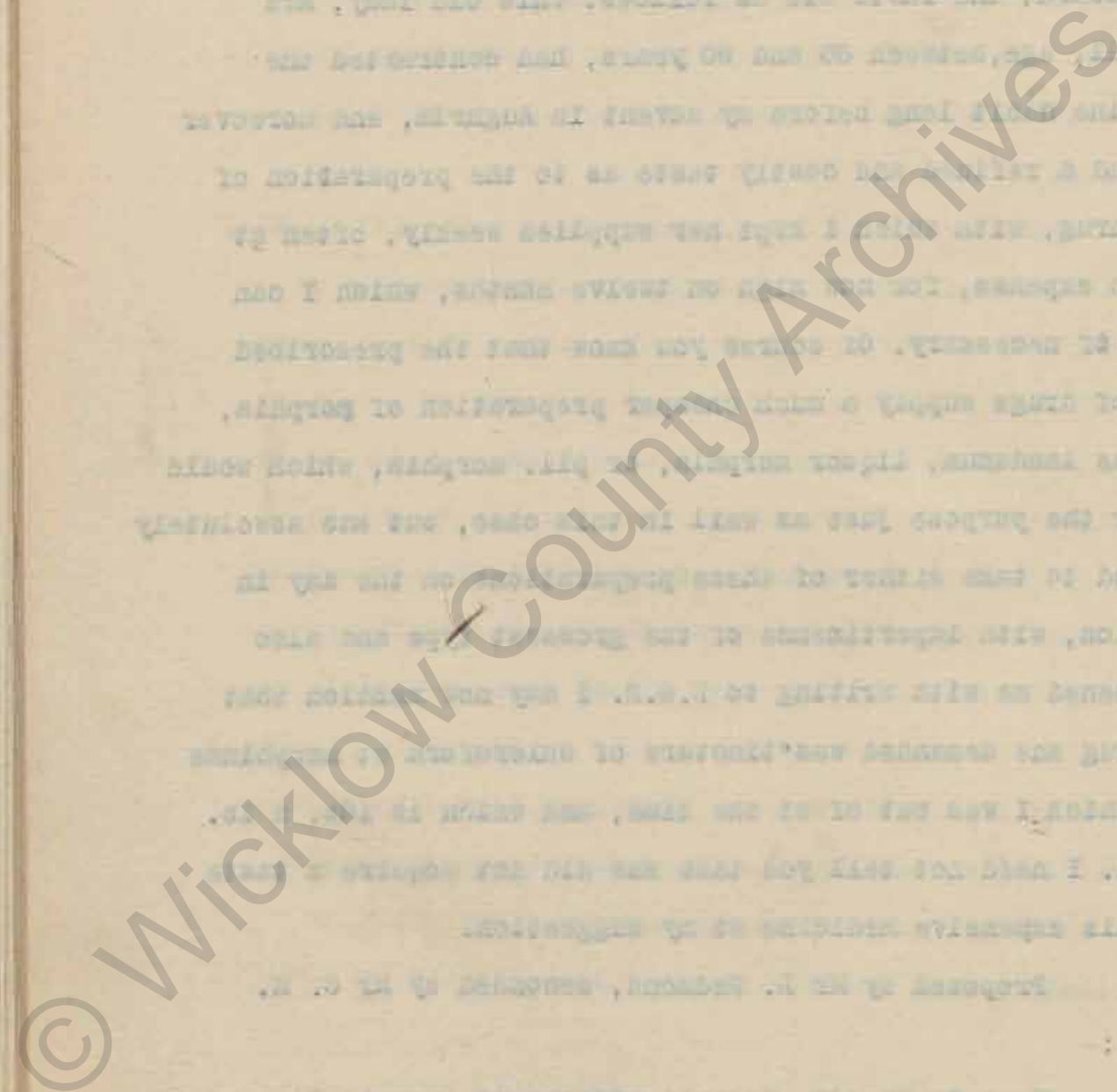
Letter dated 11th March, 1921, from the Secretary, Agricultural Department, Dublin, as follows:-

In reply to your communication of the 2nd inst. in relation to the proposed extension of the Agricultural Department, I beg to say for the information of your Board, the facts are as follows. This is the first time that the Department has been asked to consider the extension of its area of operations. It is a matter of some importance, and one which will affect the Department's work in a very important manner. I am sure that you will be able to appreciate the importance of this matter, and that you will be able to give the Department the assistance which it requires in this connection. I am sure that you will be able to give the Department the assistance which it requires in this connection. I am sure that you will be able to give the Department the assistance which it requires in this connection.

Proposed by Mr. J. Keenan, Secretary of the Department, as follows:-

That in regard to the proposed extension of the Agricultural Department, the Department should be asked to consider the extension of its area of operations. It is a matter of some importance, and one which will affect the Department's work in a very important manner. I am sure that you will be able to appreciate the importance of this matter, and that you will be able to give the Department the assistance which it requires in this connection. I am sure that you will be able to give the Department the assistance which it requires in this connection.

Respectfully,
The Secretary



Read letter dated 8th March, 1921, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor, enclosing requisition to tax lessor's costs, Dr Ryan to Rathdurum Guardians, which he asked to have sealed with the seal of the Guardians.

ORDER :- That requisition to tax lessor's costs in the matter, Dr Ryan to Rathdurum Guardians, be sealed.

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Read letter dated February 18th, 1921, from Messrs. W. O. McCormick & Co., Ltd., Kingstown, stating that they had applied some time ago for payment of £ 2-18s-0d for coal supplied Aughrim Dispensary in April, 1918, giving full particulars. Their agent at Aughrim, Mr Sharpe, gave same and the Dispensary caretaker admitted having received same. The Doctor in place of Dr O'Brien said he would get an official order for it.

ORDER :- Referred to Dr MacDermot for report.

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Read letter dated March 10th, 1921, from Dr O'Connor, Wicklow Dispensary District, replying to letter of the Clerk of the Union re cost of medical supplies requisitioned by him, and stating that he had ordered medicines both for Wicklow Dispensary and Ashford Dispensary. He thought it better to send the one requisition for both places. He was afraid it was a large amount, but it was a big Dispensary District also. He had cut down everything as much as he possibly could.

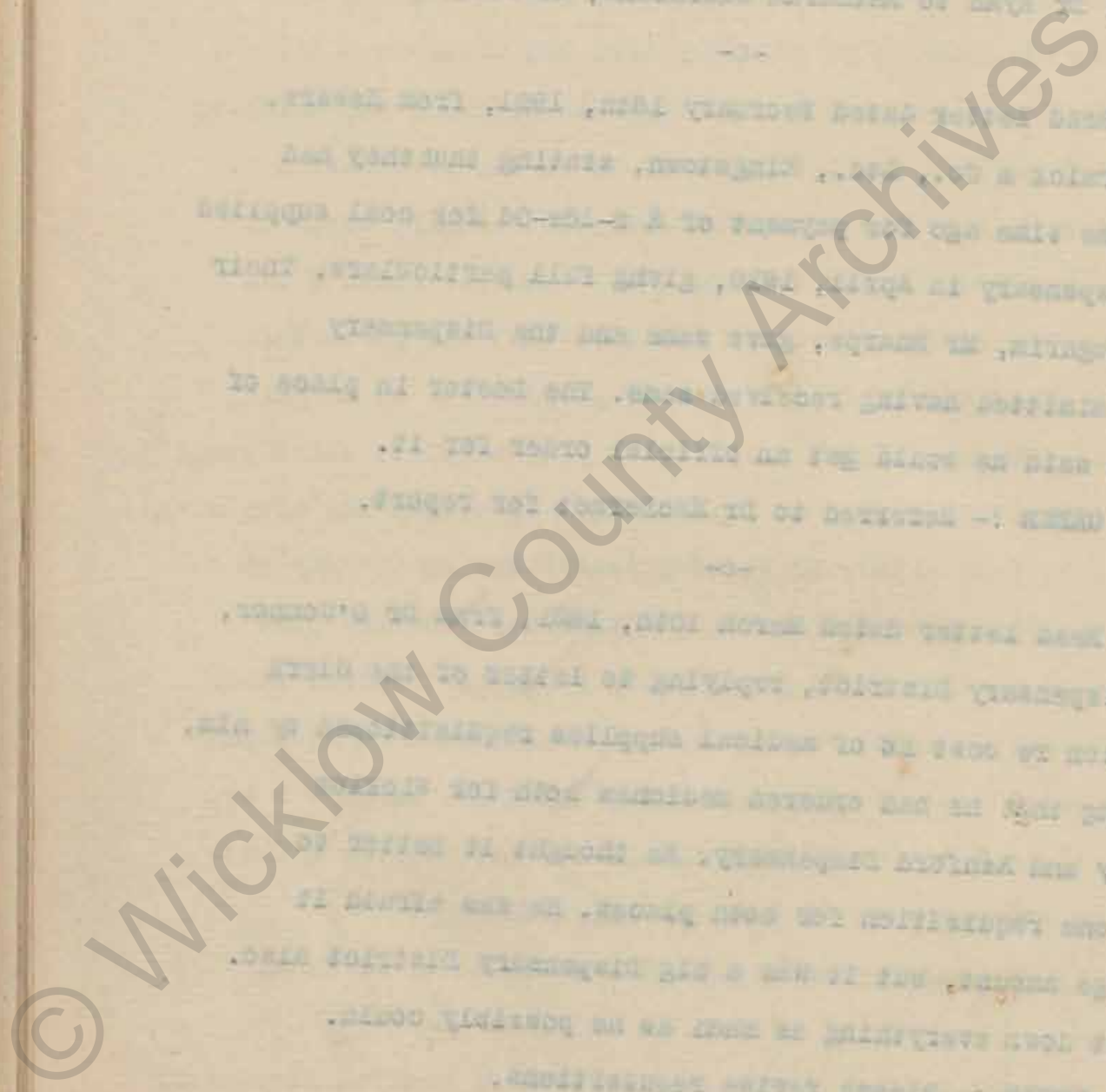
ORDER :- Please revise requisitions.

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These letters dated 18th March, 1891, from Mr. J. B. ...

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

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

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

Read letter dated 8th March, 1921, from Dr Finnegan, Newcastle Dispensary District, writing from Private Hospital, 84 Eccles St, Dublin, stating that owing to the condition of his health he had been ordered a complete rest by surgeon Blayney. He enclosed certificate. When leaving Newtown Dr Eccles was doing duty for him.

Read certificate dated 4th March, 1921, from Surgeon Blayney, 15 Merrion Square, Dublin, stating that Dr Finnegan had consulted him regarding his health. He had some trouble in connection with his spine, and it was necessary for him to have complete rest for at least two months.

Read letter dated 12th March, 1921, from Dr Kennedy, Glenair, Belgary, applying to be appointed as locum tenens for Dr Finnegan. He was within three miles of Newtown, was on the telephone and had his own motor car. He could easily work the District, and would be pleased if his application were considered.

ORDER :— Two months leave granted Dr Finnegan; Dr Kennedy to be appointed locum tenens for two months from this day at seven guineas a week; Dr Eccles to be paid at same rate from date he took up duty to this date.

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Signed Dr Kennedy
11/4/21

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of March 19 21.

(Signed)

P. W. Pughan

Clerk of the Union.

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

was held before the Board, and the minutes given therein are as follows:-

At a meeting of the Board of Health, held on the 14th day of March, 1911, the following business was transacted:-

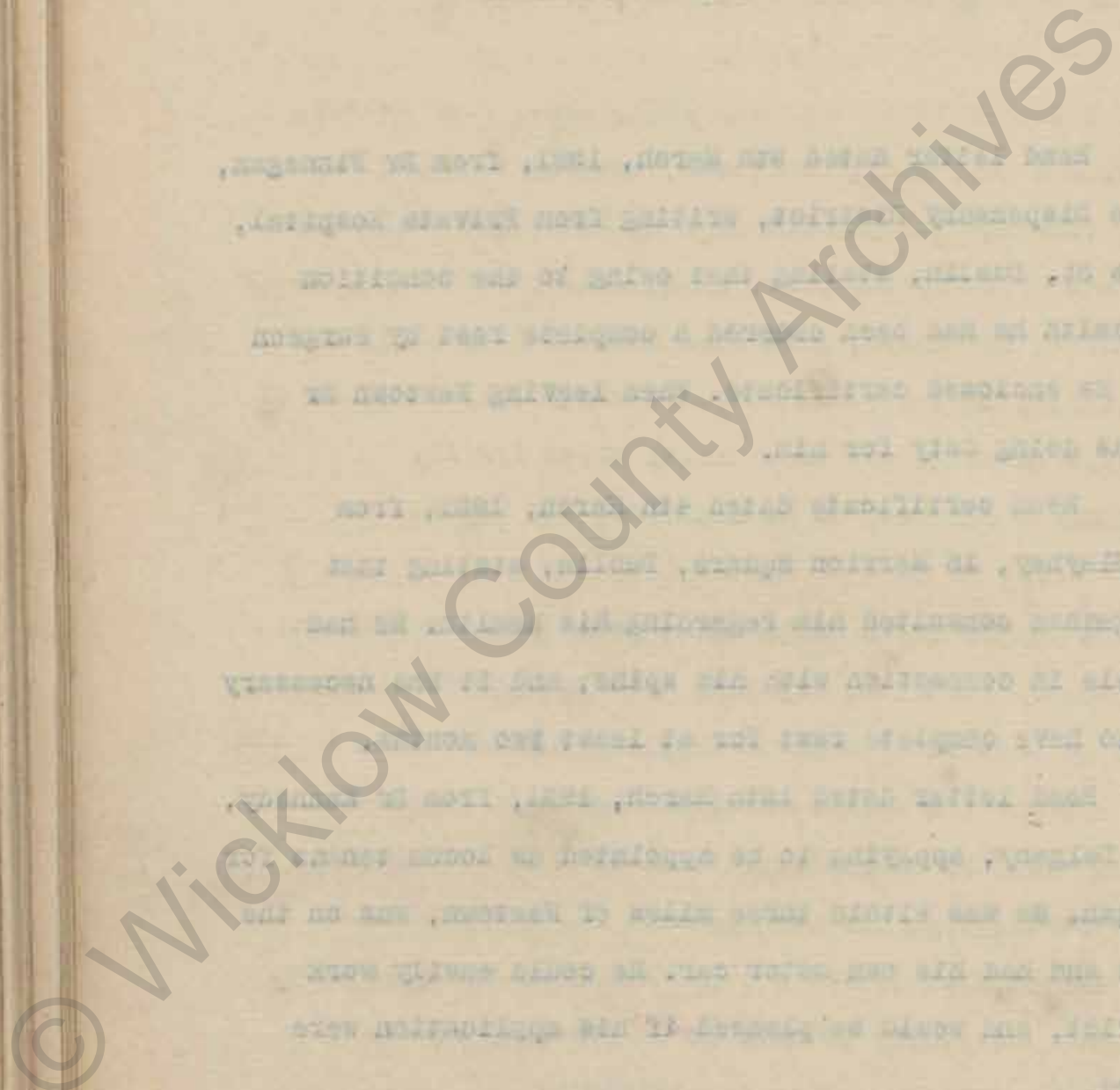
The minutes of the meeting held on the 14th day of March, 1911, were read and approved.

It was reported by the Medical Officer of Health that the number of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated is as follows:-

Male 100
Female 120
Total 220

Resolved that the Medical Officer of Health be and he do cause to be held on Monday, the 17th day of March, 1911, a meeting of the Board of Health to be held on Monday, the 17th day of March, 1911, at 7 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of considering the above report.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Board of Health, this 14th day of March, 1911.



Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of March 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in such 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		171														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse		3														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		174														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			44	49	7	30	9	9	4	17	11	180	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 78	In separate Wards } --		
Admitted during the Week			24	9	3	2	4		4			48	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 3	In Wards with other inmates } 3		
Born																
TOTAL			68	58	10	32	13	9	8	17	11	228	TOTAL } 79	TOTAL } 3		
Discharged during the Week			24	8	2	1	5	1	6		1	48				
Died					2	1						4				
Total Discharged and Died			24	8	4	2	5	1	6		2	52				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			44	50	6	30	8	8	2	17	9	174				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	24	9	8	41
												No. in Workhouse at date	7	5	2	14
												No. at corresponding period last year, 173.				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of March 1921 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.
D. Edge	No. I.	32	53
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	82	175
T. Butler	No. III.	102	176
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	81
TOTAL		253	485

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 21st day of March 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Deputy Clerk of the Union
11/4/21

21st day of March 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,801:8:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of March 19 21

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse		159														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital		2														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		161														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			44	50	6	30	8	8	2	17	3	174	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	72	In separate Wards	—
Admitted during the Week			12	4	3	3	4		1			28	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	2	In Wards with other inmates	8
Born														74	TOTAL	8
TOTAL			56	54	9	33	12	8	3	17	10	202	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			18	7	5	3	5		2	1		41	Males	12	Females	4
Died													Children under 15	5	TOTAL	21
Total Discharged and Died			18	7	5	3	5		2	1		41	No. in Workhouse at date	1		2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			38	47	4	30	7	8	1	18	10	161	No. at corresponding period last year, 159.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of March 19 21 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 18 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	49
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	83	176
T. Butler	No. III.	101	175
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	81
	TOTAL	252	481

Tuesday

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 29th day of March 19 21

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Seozaige Charities
11/4/21

29th day of March 19 21.

P. W. Shuhaw
Clerk of the Union.

No.	Name	Age	1911		1912		1913		1914		1915	
			Jan	Feb	Jan	Feb	Jan	Feb	Jan	Feb	Jan	Feb
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Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:5:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of March 1921.

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		177														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital		3														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		179														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			38	47	4	30	7	8	1	18	10	181	79	In separate Wards -		
Admitted during the Week			22	14	5	2	3	1	4			51	2	In Wards with other Inmates } 8		
Born										1		1				
TOTAL			60	61	9	32	10	9	5	18	11	213	81	TOTAL, 8		
Discharged during the Week			15	10		1	2	2	3			33				
Died						1						1				
Total Discharged and Died			15	10		2	2	2	3			34				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			45	51	9	30	8	7	2	18	11	179				
												NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
												No. Relieved during week	22	14	7	43
												No. in Workhouse at date	10	6	2	18
												No. at corresponding period last year, 157.				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of March 1921 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 21, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	49
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	83	178
T. Butler	No. III.	101	175
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	81
TOTAL		252	481

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 4th day of April 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Wicklow County Council
11/4/21

4th day of April 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
 Clerk of the Union.

Report of the annual value of the land in the parish of Bathurst Exton

Year 1811-1812

The Bathurst Exton Vestry for the year ending at the 25th day of March 1812

Parish	No. of Acres	No. of Roods	No. of Poles	Value		Total Value
				1811	1812	
1	100	0	0	100	100	100
2	200	0	0	200	200	200
3	300	0	0	300	300	300
4	400	0	0	400	400	400
5	500	0	0	500	500	500
6	600	0	0	600	600	600
7	700	0	0	700	700	700
8	800	0	0	800	800	800
9	900	0	0	900	900	900
10	1000	0	0	1000	1000	1000

The Bathurst Exton Vestry for the year ending at the 25th day of March 1812

Parish	Value	Value
1	100	100
2	200	200
3	300	300
4	400	400
5	500	500
6	600	600
7	700	700
8	800	800
9	900	900
10	1000	1000

The Bathurst Exton Vestry for the year ending at the 25th day of March 1812

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Clerk of the Vestry

The Bathurst Exton Vestry for the year ending at the 25th day of March 1812

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Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of April 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above class	Able-bodied				Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 8 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 8 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 5 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date							
Workhouse		156															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital		1															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		157															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			45	51	9	30	8	7	2	18	11	179	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 80	In separate Wards } -			
Admitted during the Week			15	3	3	1	12	2	2			27	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1	In Wards with other inmates } 8			
Born											1	1	TOTAL } 21	TOTAL } 8			
TOTAL			80	54	12	31	9	9	4	18	12	207	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			20	10	4	34	48	14	3	2	1	48	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Died					2							2	No. Relieved during week } 15		3	4	22
Total Discharged and Died			20	10	6	3	4	1	3	2	1	50	No. in Workhouse at date } 2				2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			40	44	6	28	5	8	1	14	11	157	No. at corresponding period last year, 157.				

RETURN OF DESITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of April 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	46
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	84	179
T. Butler	No. III.	99	188
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77
TOTAL		251	488

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 11th day of April 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Miss Dulcibella Barton, Chairman.

Other Guardians— Mrs Butler, Messrs. Michael Morrissey, L. Redmond, Patrick O'Neill, Killacoran; John McDonald, James Turner, C. M. Byrne, Morgan Travers, E. O'Rafferty, James Everett, John Louth, Felix Kavanagh, James Byrne, Tinnakilly; Felix O'Rafferty, Charles Gaule.

Wicklow County Council, Wicklow, Ireland

No.	Name	Address		Occupation	Age	Sex	Religion	Marital Status	Date of Birth	Date of Arrival	Date of Departure	Remarks
		Street	Town/Village									
1	John Smith	123 Main St	Wicklow	Farmer	45	M	Roman Catholic	Married	1850	1880	1885	
2	Mary Jones	456 High St	Wicklow	Shopkeeper	35	F	Roman Catholic	Single	1855	1880	1885	
3	James O'Brien	789 Church St	Wicklow	Blacksmith	50	M	Roman Catholic	Married	1835	1880	1885	
4	Elizabeth Kelly	101 Market St	Wicklow	Widow	60	F	Roman Catholic	Widowed	1825	1880	1885	
5	Thomas Murphy	234 School St	Wicklow	Teacher	30	M	Roman Catholic	Single	1855	1880	1885	

Wicklow County Council, Wicklow, Ireland

No.	Name	Address	Occupation	Age	Sex	Religion	Marital Status	Date of Birth	Date of Arrival	Date of Departure	Remarks
6	William Dwyer	567 Castle St	Merchant	40	M	Roman Catholic	Married	1845	1880	1885	
7	Ann O'Connell	890 Park St	Domestic	25	F	Roman Catholic	Single	1860	1880	1885	
8	Robert Kelly	1122 Bridge St	Blacksmith	55	M	Roman Catholic	Married	1830	1880	1885	
9	Michael O'Sullivan	1345 Market St	Farmer	48	M	Roman Catholic	Married	1837	1880	1885	

Wicklow County Council, Wicklow, Ireland

In the County of Wicklow, Ireland, at the Court of the County Council, held at Wicklow, on the 10th day of June, 1885.

Present: Mr. Michael Kelly, Mayor; Mr. William Dwyer, Mr. Robert Kelly, Mr. Thomas Murphy, Mr. James O'Brien, Mr. John Smith, Mr. Michael O'Sullivan, Mr. William Dwyer, Mr. Robert Kelly, Mr. Thomas Murphy, Mr. James O'Brien, Mr. John Smith, Mr. Michael O'Sullivan.

Resolved, That the following be the names of the persons who have been elected to the office of Councillors for the County of Wicklow, for the year 1885, to-wit:

Mr. Michael Kelly, Mr. William Dwyer, Mr. Robert Kelly, Mr. Thomas Murphy, Mr. James O'Brien, Mr. John Smith, Mr. Michael O'Sullivan.

Witness my hand and seal, this 10th day of June, 1885.

The Clerk of the County Council.

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.

1,200 lbs. Bread
 80 lbs. Butter
 110 lbs. Beef
 130 lbs. Mutton
 1 side Bacon
 300 Eggs
 145 gal. New Milk
 5 st. Cabbage
 1 cwt. Sugar
 1 chest Tea
 1 cwt. Onions

Read report of the Master of the Workhouse as follows :-

The Master reports that on 9th instant there were 158 inmates in the Workhouse, including 80 patients in the Infirmary and 1 patient in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 29 men, 23 women and 25 children. For the corresponding week last year the number was 160.

The Master gave the inmates the usual Master fare.

ORDER :- Approved.

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Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr Jas

Turner :-

That the members of the Rathdrum Board of Guardians and Rural District Council hereby express their deep regret at the death of the Most Rev. Dr Walsh, Archbishop of Dublin; and that we desire to place on record our sincere appreciation of the great services rendered by the illustrious Archbishop to his Church and his country during his long and honoured life.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mr Chas. Gaule, seconded by Mr James

Byrne :-

That the sympathy of the members of this Board of Guardians be extended to the widow and family of the late Mr Peter Kavanagh, Arklow, who was for many years a most respected member of this Board and whose death his colleagues have heard of with the deepest regret.

Passed unanimously.

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Messrs. C. M. Byrne, James Everett and the Clerk of the Union were appointed as a deputation to represent the Board of Guardians at the funeral of Archbishop Walsh.

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

Proposed by Mr Gaule, seconded by Mrs Butler :-

That Miss Maria Curran, Arklow, be co-opted a member of the Board of Guardians to fill the vacancy caused by the disqualification through non-attendance of Mr A. B. Brennan.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mr Felix O'Rafferty, seconded by Mr Gaule :-

That Mrs Mary Hoyne, Arklow, be co-opted a member of the Board of Guardians to fill the vacancy caused by the disqualification through non-attendance of Mr Frank O'Reilly.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mr L. Redmond, seconded by Mr Everett :-

That in future all candidates seeking positions with the Board of Guardians be required to attend personally on the day of election.

Passed unanimously.

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

Read letter dated 21st March, 1921, from Mr Thomas Byrne, Rathdrum, agreeing to carry out the stocktaking in the Workhouse for this term at the fee fixed by the Guardians, namely £4.

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Dept.

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 No. 39, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, enclosing forms upon which Boards of Guardians can invite tenders for the supply of medicines and medical and surgical appliances to the Union for the year commencing on 1st April. Should contractors write for tender forms a supply of lists could be procured from the printers as in former years, and the printed covers should be replaced by the typewritten ones enclosed. To ensure publication no mention of that Department should be made in the advertisement, which should merely specify that tenders were being invited by the Guardians and that forms could be had on application to the Clerk of the Union.

Read letter dated 5th April, 1921, from the General Council of County Councils, Dublin, stating that it was understood the Board had invited tenders for the supply of Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances for the year 1921-1922, and stating that the Council had entered into an arrangement with a trading concern which had undertaken to supply both medicines and appliances at a discount of 20 % off the prices in the current lists. The Board would probably hear further on the subject in the course of the next week, and in the meantime consideration of tenders received should be deferred. In case tenders had been accepted the execution of the prescribed form of contract and bond should be postponed.

ORDER :— Approved; tenders not to be opened.

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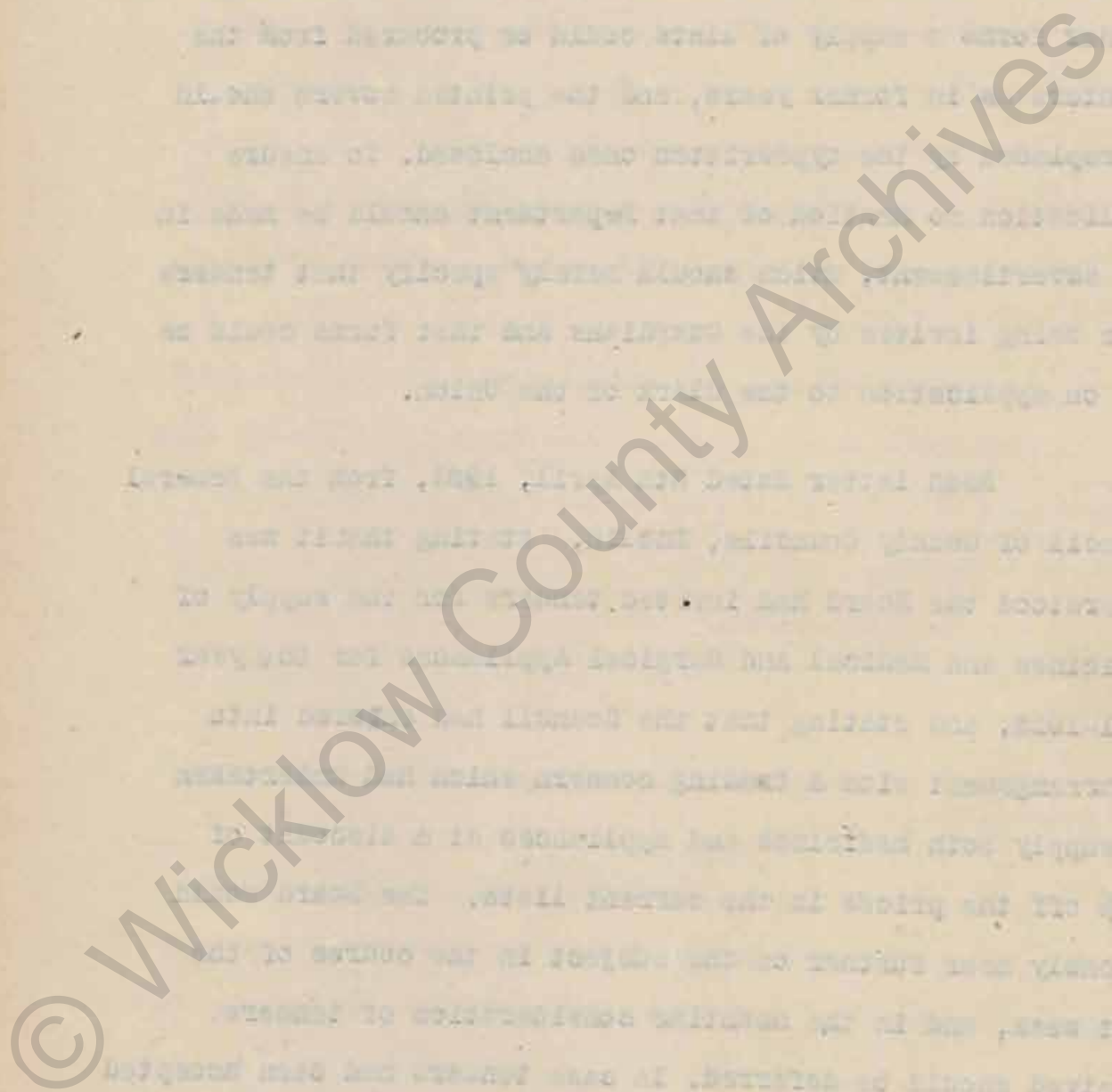
Read letter No. 1981/21, dated 4th March, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to previous correspondence and to letter of the Clerk of the Union of 18th ultimo in regard to the proposal to

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to grant an increase of remuneration to the Workhouse Ambulance driver, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government wished to say that in view of present financial difficulties they had felt compelled to defer the consideration of all increases of salary to local officials until matters improve in the next financial year.

ORDER :- To be asked to re-consider.

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Read letter dated 21st March, 1921, from the Secretary, National Bank, Limited, Dublin, acknowledging receipt of letter of the Clerk of the Union of 15th idám on the subject of an advance by the Bank to the Board of Guardians, which was engaging the Board's attention.

Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr Michael Morrissey :-

That in consideration of the National Bank, Ltd., granting this Board of Guardians an overdraft of £2,000, we hereby re-appoint the Wicklow Branch of the National Bank, Treasurer of the Rathdrum Union; and that all resolutions to the contrary be and are hereby rescinded.

Passed unanimously.

A representative of the National Bank, Ltd., who was present at the meeting submitted a form of personal guarantee for the repayment of overdraft of £2,000 with interest at one half per cent under the Irish bank rate. The guarantee was signed by all the members of the Board present at the meeting.

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, seconded by Mr Felix Kavanagh :-

That the members of the Board of Guardians absent from this meeting be written to by the Clerk asking them to sign the guarantee for repayment of the overdraft of £2,000 to be allowed by the National Bank to the Board of Guardians.

Passed unanimously.

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Read letter dated 11th April, 1921, from Nurse Carroll, the Infirmary, reminding the Board that owing to her salary being so small they had agreed to increase her rations allowance to £1 per week. She had not yet received the amount and would be glad if the Board gave the matter their kind consideration.

ORDER :- Notice to be served.

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The following notice was served :-

11th April, 1921.

I hereby give notice that at the meeting to be held on the 25th day of April, 1921, I will move :- That the salary of Nurse Carroll, Assistant Nurse in the Workhouse Hospital, be increased by £10 per annum to make it equal to amount paid to other Nurse.

JAMES BYRNE, Tinnakilly.

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Read Circular letter No. 40, dated 11th March, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, enclosing circular from the Minister of Home Affairs. Copies must be made out locally and one copy was to be handed to each member of the indoor staff. It was highly important that every official of Local Authorities should be aware of the subject matter of this circular in view of the serious action that was contemplated against any official found to be holding communication with the enemy Local Government Department.

ORDER :- Copies to be sent to each member of staff.

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Read letter dated 11th April, 1921, from Mr A. Manning, Assistant Clerk of the Union, stating that one of his sureties had died. He submitted the name of Mr Henry Johnson, Ballymoate, Glensaly, as his second surety.

ORDER :- Accepted.

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Read letter dated 2nd April, 1921, from Mr Chas. Mayhew, Inspector N. S. P. C. C., Middlesbrough, stating in reply to letter of Clerk of the Union, that the man John Kinsella had not been able to work since last November, as he was suffering from chronic bronchitis. At the present he was living on the charity of his mates, but as there was so much unemployment this could not last. He had seen Kinsella that day, and he said if he did not get better he would seek admission to the Union Infirmary there.

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Read circular from Castlecomer Collieries, Ltd., giving prices of coal f.o.r. Castlecomer.

ORDER :- Clerk to inquire as to railway freights.

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Read letter from Mary A. Gaffney, Chapel, Redcross, applying for outdoor relief for herself and three children.

ORDER :- Relieving Officer to make inquiries.

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The following notice was served :-

11th April, 1921.

We hereby give notice that a vacancy exists on the Board of Guardians caused by the death of Mr Peter Kavanagh, Arklow; and we further give notice that on this day fortnight we will move to have the vacancy filled by co-option.

Signed,

JOHN LOUTH Three members of
JAMES EVERETT the Board of
EDWARD O'RAFFERTY Guardians.

Countersigned,
P. W. SHEEHAN,
Clerk of the Union.

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Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr Morgan

Travers :-
That Miss A. M. Byrne, Relieving Officer, continue to act as temporary Relieving Officer of No. 4 District during the absence of Mr L. Murphy, at a salary of £3 per week.

Passed unanimously.

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In accordance with advertisement the Guardians proceeded to appoint a Medicines Analyst for the Union.

Applications for the position were received from Mr B. G. Fagan, City Laboratory, Chatham Row, Dublin, Mr Walter Thorpe, Poolbeg St., Dublin, and Dr W. D. O'Kelly, Upper Mount St., Dublin.

The Guardians appointed Mr B. G. Fagan to the position at a remuneration of six shillings per sample analysed.

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The Board accepted the following tender for supplies to the Workhouse for the period ending 30th September next:-

Bell & Curran	Tea @ 2s 6d per lb.
same	Whiskey @ 16s 6d per 5 nag. bot.
same	Dripping @ 1s 6d per lb.
same	White Pepper @ 2s 6d per lb.
same	Tobacco, Irish, @ 10s 8d ,,
same	Snuff @ 10s 8d ,,
same	Port Wine @ 90s. per doz. 5 nag. bots.

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 18th

day of April 1921.

(Signed)

P. W. Phelan

Clerk of the Union

In accordance with the provisions of the said Act, the following persons have been appointed as members of the Board of Directors of the said Corporation:

George, William, Esq., Mayor, and J. J. Kelly, Esq., Deputy Mayor.

The Board of Directors appointed on the 1st day of January, 1901, consisted of the following members:

Name	Residence	Term
George, William, Esq.	City of Wicklow	1901-1902
J. J. Kelly, Esq.	City of Wicklow	1901-1902
...

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The Board of Directors of the said Corporation, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, have caused to be prepared and printed a copy of the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1901, which Report is hereby published for general information.

The number of copies of the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1901, is as follows:

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The number of copies of the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ending on the 31st day of December, 1901, is as follows:

Part 14
1921-22

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation
TABLE (D) FINANCIAL MINUTES.
to Boarded Out Children.

As laid by the Clerk, and to be forwarded a copy to the Local Government Board along with
the accounts for the Boarded Out Children for the year ending 31st March 1922.

Read letter dated 8th April, 1921, from Mrs Susan
Gregan, Upper Aughrim, applying to take out a nurse child from
the Workhouse. She had a comfortable home and would devote
every care and attention to the child's welfare.

ORDER :- William Bowen to be sent.

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The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was prepared and submitted to the
Chairman and the receipt-signatures of the Clerk, and the same were
checked during the month of April 1921, and the balance carried to
credit of account, is as follows:-

Table (a)

	1921	1922	Total
Balance carried forward from 1920-21			
Receipts of Boarded Out Children	10	0	10
Receipts of Depository Fund	1	10	11
Receipts from Boarded Out Children	2	10	12
Receipts from other sources	1	10	11
Unpaid			
Total amount of Receipts to date	14	20	34

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Chairman and the receipt-signatures of the Clerk, and the same were
checked during the month of April 1921, and the balance carried to
credit of account, is as follows:-

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[FORM 14.]

(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Finance Meeting, held on MONDAY, the 11th day of April 1921.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of March, 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	20	8	—
Rents of Dispensary Residences	1	13	4
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	2	13	—
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts	42	4	9
Loans received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above	68	18	1

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of March, 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	..	..	..	388	5	1
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	..	..	..
(c.) Farm	..	..	..	4	10	—
(d.) Other Expenses	..	..	..	150	4	7
Workhouse Burials	..	..	..
District School Account	..	..	..
District Hospital Account	..	..	..
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	..	..	..
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	..	..	..	17	14	—
Medical Charities	..	..	..	607	12	3
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	..	..	..	1	1	—
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	..	..	..
Superannuation Allowances	..	..	..	73	13	4
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers	..	..	..
Expenses of Local Committees	..	..	..
Repayment of Loans	..	..	..
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	..	..	..	380	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	..	..	..
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	..	..	..	342	9	4
Expenditure out of Loans	..	..	..
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1928	9	7

Account of the ...

No.	Date	Particulars
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

March 21.
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	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	8	8	-			
<i>Cancelled pay order</i>						
Total sums received during the month	68	16	1			
Total	73	3	1			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	2787	18	8			
Payments ordered during the month	1001	16	5			
Total	3788	14	8			
Net Balance due <i>by</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	3698	12	⁷ ₅			
<i>Add Bank charges</i>	3	17	2			
	3700	9	9			
RECONCILEMENT:						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>to</i> Treasurer	895	13	8			
	281	10	4			
Outstanding Orders	3004	16	6			
Net Balance as above due <i>by</i> the Union	3700	9	9			

Dated this 11th day of April 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Meeting held the 11th day of April 19 21.

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

Indoor, from No. 1544 to No. 1898
 Out door „ No. - to No. -
 Separate „ No. - to No. -

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of April 19 21 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :-

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	75	18	8	87	8	11	143	7	5	82	12	5	3	19	7	86	12	-	58	15	5	1148
Necessaries	123						123	2	10	21	17	2	3	8	11	25	4	1	103	18	9	
Total	205	1	4	87	8	11	272	10	3	104	9	7	7	6	6	111	16	1	160	14	2	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		12	8 ¹ / ₂
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 In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

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

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

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the 2nd day of April 1921 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <u>Edge</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Byrne</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Butler</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Murphy</u>			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total		
	District No. I. £ s. d.			District No. II. £ s. d.			District No. III. £ s. d.			District No. IV. £ s. d.			District No. V. £ s. d.			District No. VI. £ s. d.			£ s. d.		
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	49	17	7	142	18	10	57	11	8	65	11	8							315	19	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...																					
3. Total to be accounted for ...	49	17	7	142	18	10	57	11	8	65	11	8							315	19	5
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	4	8	28	7	8	28	15	8	11	6	8							75	14	-
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility						7			6												7
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	5	10	-																5	10	-
7. Total Relief given	14	14	6	28	15	-	28	15	8	11	6	8							81	11	8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	35	3	1	114	3	10	30	16	-	54	5	-							234	7	11
9. Total	49	17	7	142	18	10	57	11	8	65	11	8							315	19	5

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

Dated this 11th day of April 19 21.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of Union.

Bathurst Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 63, &c.)

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

a meeting held on Monday the 22nd day of April 18 44.

Present—In the Chair, Miss Elizabeth Forster, Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Mrs. Smith, Messrs. Mottley, J. Sedgwick,

Wentworth, G. M. 1844, Twinn, G. M. 1844,

Travers, G. M. 1844, Burrell, John, Miss Kawaraga, James

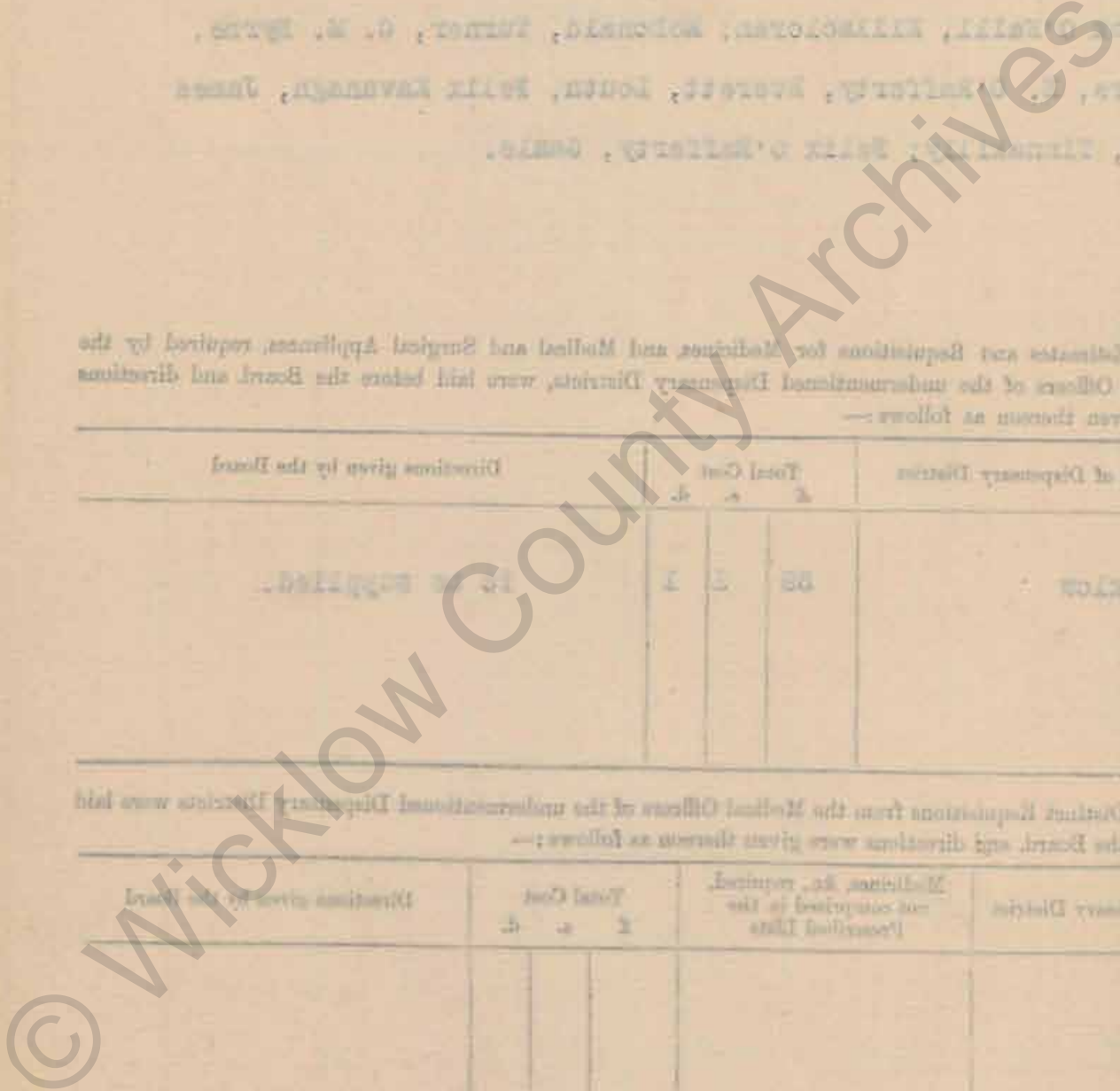
Wentworth, G. M. 1844, G. M. 1844.

Resolutions and Reports for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances required by the Medical Officers of the undersigned 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	
Wentworth	58	3	1	As required.

Resolutions and Reports from the Medical Officers of the undersigned Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and directions were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicines &c. required as contained in the Resolutions laid	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 being 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
Newcastle	1 bar soap; 3 lbs. Carbolic Soap; 1 bot. Jeyes' Fluid; 1 jar Brunswick Black; 2 gals. Paraffin; 6 boxes matches; 1 packet candles.

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1899.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....

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

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

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

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

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

Read letter dated 6th April, 1921, from Mr P. P. Doyle, collector of Poor Rate, applying for payment of £2-10-3, one year's rates on Rathdrum Dispensary; and £2-6s-5d, half year's rates on Aughrim Dispensary Residence.

ORDER :- To be paid.

Read letter dated 9th April, 1921, from Mr Martin Kelly, tenant of the Rathdrum Dispensary Residence, stating that he had spent a sum of £2-10s-0d on the roof of the building which he asked the Guardians to allow him. He stated that the rate collector had called on him to pay one year's rates on the House, which he considered unfair, as he had been in occupation only since 20th January. He was willing to pay from that date.

ORDER :- Two pounds ten shillings to be paid for roof repairs.

Read letter dated April 8th, 1921, from the Secretary, Irish Nurses Union, Dublin, stating that she had been informed that the Guardians had decided to adjourn for six months consideration of the claim sent in by the Dispensary Nurses for increased salaries, on account of the present financial position of the Union. The part of the claim for holidays therefore was also presumably adjourned. As the holiday season was approaching she would be glad if the Guardians decided this portion of the claim, which was for at least thirty one holidays in each calendar year, with substitute paid by the Guardians, and without loss of salary; substitute to be paid at the rate of at least two guineas per week.

ORDER :- Guardians decided not to pay holiday substitutes this year.

The following letters and other communications were sent by the Clerk and Order were made on them respectively as follows:-

Order dated 20th April, 1921, from Mr. P. V.

Order, collector of poor rates, applying for payment of 25-10-0, one year's rates on National Dispensary; and 25-10-0, half year's rates on National Dispensary Buildings.

Order - to be paid.

Order dated 20th April, 1921, from Mr. P. V.

Order, collector of the National Dispensary Buildings, stating that he had spent 25-10-0 on the roof of the building and that he was unable to pay the same. He stated that the collector had asked him to pay the year's rates on the house, which he had refused to do, as he had done in connection with the house, he was unwilling to pay that he had spent on the house, he was unwilling to pay that he had spent on the house, he was unwilling to pay that he had spent on the house.

Order - two pounds and sixpence to be paid for poor rates.

Order.

Order dated 20th April, 1921, from Mr. P. V.

Order, stating that the National Dispensary Buildings had decided to adjust the rates for the year 1920-21. The order was sent to the collector of the National Dispensary Buildings, as a result of the order of the Council of the National Dispensary Buildings, the part of the order for the year 1920-21 was also amended. An order was also made regarding the order to be paid for the year 1920-21, which was to be paid for the year 1920-21, with arrears paid by the National Dispensary Buildings, and without loss of arrears; arrears to be paid at the rate of 25-10-0 per annum for the year 1920-21.

Order - arrears to be paid for the year 1920-21.

Order dated 20th April, 1921.

Read report of Analyst on samples of drugs sent from Dunganstown Dispensary, as follows :-

Soap Liniment	Correct
Dilute Phosphoric Acid	do.
Dilute Nitro Hydrochloric Acid.	do.

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Read report dated 9th April, 1921, from Mr T. B. Lowry, engineer, submitting estimate for making and fixing, in accordance with specification, the fittings for Kilcoole Dispensary which were absolutely essential to enable the Medical Officer to properly discharge his duties; the Doctor had informed him on more than one occasion that he had found it almost impossible to do so under existing conditions. He had gone carefully over the items and considered the estimate reasonable, and recommended its acceptance.

Read estimate from Mr A. W. Garrett, Kilcoole, for the work at Kilcoole Dispensary, at £37.

ORDER :- Accepted.

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Read letter dated 1st April, 1921, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, enclosing requisition to tax costs, Guardians to McHugh, sealed with the seal of the Guardians. It would be necessary to have same signed by the Chairman of the meeting and the Clerk of the Union.

The requisition was signed by the Chairman and the Clerk of the Union.

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Read letter dated March 20th, 1921, from Dr O'Connor, Wicklow Dispensary District, enclosing new requisition forms completed. He had cut down everything as much as possible; he could do no more.

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That report dated 21st April, 1951, from Dr. J. ...

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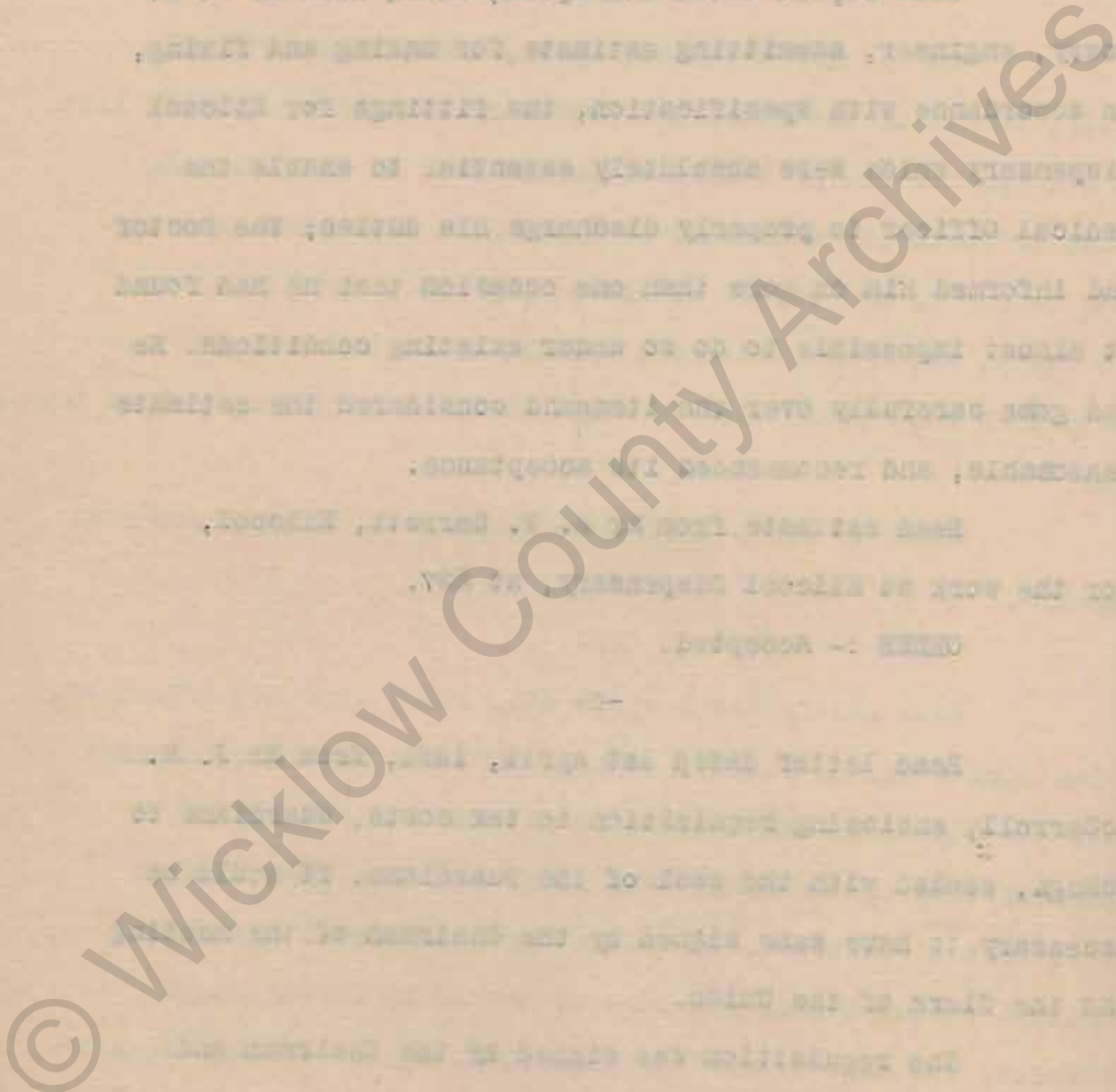
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Relieving Officer Byrne reported that the cages for jackdaws ordered by the Board some time ago for the chimneys of the Dispensary Residence at Annamoe had been fixed by William Rochford, Annamoe, at a cost of £1-5s.

ORDER :- Approved.

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was laid before the Board and discussed upon the same as follows:-

That a letter dated 5th April, 1881, from the Hon. Mr. Justice Fitzgerald, Dublin, as follows:-

In reply to your invitation, I appear before you of course as a witness, with respect to the case of Mrs. Barton, a young widow, residing at No. 11, St. John's Lane, Dublin, who is claiming the cost of attending to her late husband's funeral, and who has been ordered to pay the same by the County Court, Dublin, on the 11th inst. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd inst. and to inform you that I have no objection to the order of the County Court being set aside, and that I will be glad to attend before you on the 11th inst. to give evidence in support of the order of the County Court, and to answer any questions you may put to me on the subject.

That a letter dated 11th April, 1881, from the Hon. Mr. Justice Fitzgerald, Dublin, as follows:-

A statement in support of the order of the County Court, Dublin, in the case of Mrs. Barton, was read and approved by the Board.

That in consequence of the order of the County Court, Dublin, being set aside, the order of the County Court, Dublin, in the case of Mrs. Barton, is hereby set aside.

Approved by the Board on the 11th inst.

Existing records were reported that the cases
 for measles occurred in the month of May for the
 majority of the district residents of Annapolis and were
 traced to William Woodford, Annapolis, at a cost of \$1-00.
 (1911 - 1912)

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

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

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

Read letter dated 8th April, 1921, from Dr Sneydy, Aughrim Dispensary District, as follows :-

In reply to your invitation to appear before your Board of Guardians on Monday, 11th instant, I beg to say, since my last communication to you I have learned for a fact that Mrs Fenton's husband can earn much more money a week if he is not too idle than I can at my profession. His calling is that of dressing blocks for the Dublin Tramway; besides he has only Mrs Fenton, a young active woman, perfectly healthy, to keep, and this old lady who is living principally on dope, otherwise morphia. I wish your Board would advise me if her case and similar cases are fit subjects for Dispensary treatment. She has only presented me with one ticket/ ^{during} the whole time, which is, of course, contrary to the Dispensary Rules. From the nature of this case you could not expect me to produce witnesses, as I see my patients separately. I have nothing more to say.

Read telegram dated 11th April, 1921, from same, as follows :- Dispensary day; can't leave. - Sneydy.

A statement in support of her complaint against Dr Sneydy was made to the Board by Mrs Fenton. Proposed by Mr Everett, seconded by Mr Gaulle :-

That Dr Sneydy be directed to attend the meeting of the Board at two o'clock p.m. on 25th April, 1921, so that a decision may be arrived at in connection with Mrs Fenton's complaint, and failing his attendance he be called upon to resign. Passed unanimously. 18th

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

day of April 19 21.

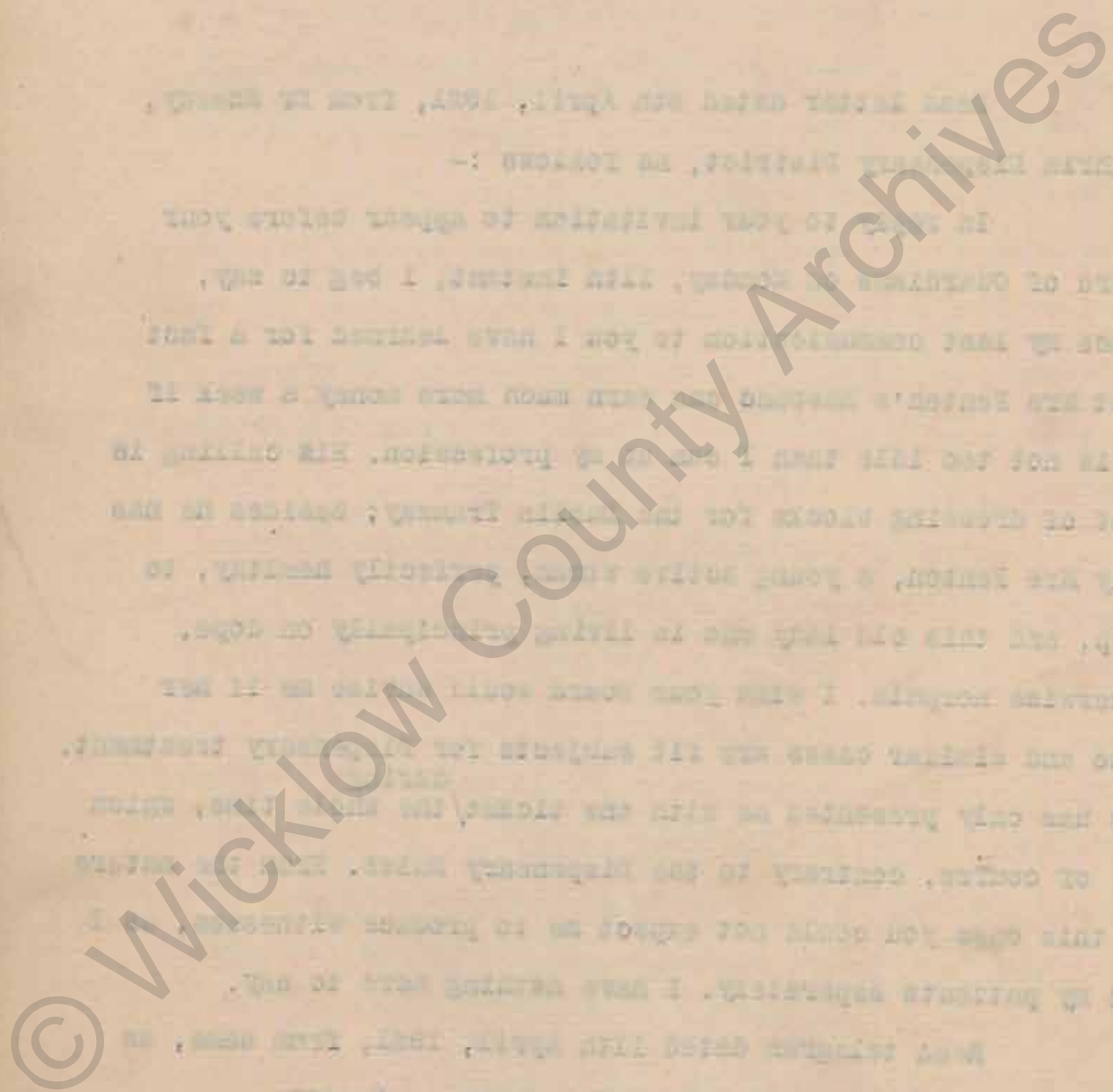
(Signed)

P. W. Shubert
Clerk of the Union.

Reports (Form B) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age, and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officer of the following Districts:

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

RESOLVED THAT the Medical Officer of the District be and he is hereby directed to cause to be prepared and submitted to the Board of Health, as soon as possible, a list of the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age, and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officer of the following Districts:—



A statement in support of the complaint against the Board of Health was made to the Board by the Medical Officer of the District, and the Board resolved that the Medical Officer be and he is hereby directed to cause to be prepared and submitted to the Board of Health, as soon as possible, a list of the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age, and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officer of the following Districts:—

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,961:8:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of April 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS				
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date					
Workhouse		157																	
Temporary Buildings																			
Additional Workhouse																			
Permanent Fever Hospital		1																	
Fever Sheds																			
TOTAL		158																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			40	44	6	28	5	8	1	14	11	157	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	80	In separate Wards	—			
Admitted during the Week			20	3	3	3	1		1			30	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates	8			
Born												—	TOTAL	81	TOTAL	8			
TOTAL			60	47	9	30	6	8	2	14	11	187	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS						
Discharged during the Week			17	4	4	1	2		1			29	Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL
Died												—	No. Believed during week	20	3	2		25	
Total Discharged and Died			17	4	4	1	2		1			29	No. in Workhouse at date	5				5	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	43	5	29	4	8	1	14	11	158	No. at corresponding period last year, 160.						

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of April 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	48
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	84	181
T. Butler	No. III.	99	188
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77
	TOTAL	251	470

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 18th day of April 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Deputy Chairman
25/4/21

E. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

18th day of April 1921.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £138,801:8:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of April 1921

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 3 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		158														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital		1														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		159														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	43	5	29	4	8	1	14	11	158	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 78	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week			15	7	2	3	4		3	1		35	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1	In Wards with other inmates } 8		
Born													TOTAL, 79	TOTAL, 8		
TOTAL			58	50	7	32	8	8	4	15	11	193	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			15	5	3	1	3	1	3	1		32	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died					1	1						2	No. Believed during week } 15	2	6	28
Total Discharged and Died			15	5	4	2	3	1	3	1		34	No. in Work-house at date } 3	2	2	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	45	3	30	5	7	1	14	11	159	No. at corresponding period last year, 155.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of April 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. & 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	40
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	88	189
T. Butler	No. III.	90	160
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77
	TOTAL	255	478

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 25th day of April 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Miss Dulcibella Barton, Chairman.
 Other Guardians— Mrs. Butler, Messrs. Michael Morrissey, Jas. Haughton, Felix Kavanagh, James Byrne, Ballinderry; Joseph Clarke, P. J. Cullen, Wm. Redmond, John McDonald, C. M. Byrne, James Everett, L. Redmond, James Byrne, Tinnakilly; Chas. Gaule, James O'Brien, Patrick O'Neill, Killacloran; Joseph Keane.

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.

1,700 lbs. Bread	2 bts. Whiskey
70 lbs. Butter	1 roll Tobacco
130 lbs. Beef	1 lb. Snuff
130 lbs. Mutton	2 wagons Coal
1 side Bacon	28 lbs. Blue
25 doz. Eggs	2 brls. Paraffin Oil
145 gal. New Milk	2 tons Firewood.
7 lbs. Syrup	
2 tons Potatoes	
4 st. Cabbage	
1 cwt. Sugar	
1 chest Tea	
28 lbs. Dripping	
56 lbs. Onions	
1 pt. Brandy	

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Read report of the Master, as follows :-

April 25th, 1921.

The Master reports that on 23rd instant there were 149 inmates in the Workhouse, including 76 patients in the Infirmary and 1 patient in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 28 men, 21 women and 23 children. For the corresponding week last year the number in the House was 185.

It is necessary to have a new windscreen and frame put in the Motor Ambulance.

The Wardmistress, Miss Mary Magee, ceased duty on the 12th instant in consequence of the serious illness of her mother, and on the requisition of the Medical Officer the Master secured the services of Mrs Driver, who took up duty on the same date.

ORDER :- New glass and frame to be supplied and fitted; Miss Magee to pay substitute.

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Read letter dated April 16th, 1921, from Mrs Elizabeth, St. Mary's Terrace, Arklow, conveying to the members of the Board of Guardians her heartfelt gratitude for their kind expression of sympathy with her in her bereavement by the death of her husband, Mr Peter Kavanagh, for many years a member of the Board.

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Read letter dated 25th April, 1921, from Nurse O'Heara, the Fever Hospital, stating she would be grateful if the Board allowed her a daily allowance of milk.

ORDER :- Not to be supplied.

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The Clerk asked the directions of the Board as to the payment of the salary in the case of Mr Laurence Murphy, Relieving Officer of No. 4 Relief District, at present undergoing a term of imprisonment.

ORDER :- To be paid.

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

Read report of Analyst on samples of drugs sent
from the Workhouse, as follows :-

Liquid Extract of Cascara Sagrada	Correct.
Compound Mixture of Senna	do.
Solution of Cresol with Soap	do.

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Read letter dated 11th April, 1921, from Mr Michael Duffy, Porter of the Workhouse, applying for the allowance for clothing made him annually, and which was now due.

By the terms of his appointment Mr Duffy is to be supplied each year with an outfit of clothing to cost £5.

ORDER :- Clothes to be supplied.

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Read letter dated April 18th, 1921, from the Castlecomer Collieries, Ltd., acknowledging receipt of letter of the Clerk of the Union, and stating they were inquiring as to freights on rail for coal from Castlecomer to Rathdrum.

Read post card dated ~~20th~~ 20th April, 1921, from

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

same, stating that they had ascertained that the freight on coal from their sidings to Rathdrum was 15s 6d per ton, in lots of not less than six tons.

ORDER :- Wolfhill Collieries also to be written to.

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

Read letter dated 6th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, asking that there be filled up and forwarded to that Department, in duplicate, the usual returns showing the Councillors or Guardians comprising the local authority, and the names and salaries of the officers employed by that authority on 1st April, 1921. They understood that forms for this purpose had already been dispatched.

ORDER :- To be supplied.

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Read letter No. 3340/21, dated 11th April, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the proposed appointment of Miss Elizabeth Mary Kavanagh, as Nurse in the Workhouse. The Department observed that Miss Kavanagh had only qualified as a Maternity Nurse and they would be glad to be informed what duties she will be called on to perform in the Workhouse. If she had to discharge ordinary hospital duties she would require to possess more than midwifery qualifications.

ORDER :- Medical Officer to report as to Miss Kavanagh's suitability for position.

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Read letter No. 3382/21, dated 12th April, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 28th ultimo, and asking to be furnished with a copy of the resolution adopted by the Guardians setting out the duties of Nurses employed in the Workhouse. It was observed that an inspector from the English Local Government Board recently called at the Workhouse and was shown a copy of the Guardians' resolution prohibiting visits of officials of that Department. The Minister for Local Government desired to point out that books and records should not be shown to

to officers of the L.G.B.

ORDER :- Copy of rules to be sent.

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Read letter No. 3389/21, dated 14th April, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 14th ultimo, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of a sum of £4 to Mr Thomas Byrne for his services in taking and valuing stock in the Workhouse. The Department asked to be furnished with replies to the usual queries in regard to the proposed appointment of Nurse L. Kavanagh to the Workhouse Infirmary.

ORDER :- Supplied.

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Read letter dated 18th April, 1921, from Mr B. G. Fagan, City Laboratory, Chatham Row, Dublin, thanking the Board of Guardians for appointing him Medicines Analyst to the Union.

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Read letter dated 11th April, 1921, from the acting Manager, National Bank, Wicklow, stating that he was instructed by the Manager to inform the Clerk of the Union not to draw any Paying Orders against the proposed advance for the present. Owing to the absence of certain solvent names from the guarantee he could not possibly see his way to grant the advance on the names then signed. He suggested that Messrs. Keane, Cullen, Condell, Kelly and Clarke be written to that before the advance could be given their names would be required.

Read letter dated 16th April, 1921, from the Manager, National Bank, Wicklow, stating that since Monday Mr Bernard Kelly and Mrs McCormack had signed, and Mr Joseph Keane had written to say he would sign. The signatures of Mr P. J. Cullen, Joseph Clarke and Peter Kavanagh were still required.

Read letter of same date, from same, acknowledging receipt

to attorney of the U.S.A.
Case :- copy of case to be sent.

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Read letter No. 202 of 11, dated 11th April, 1921.
The case, relating to charges of proceedings of the Board
of Directors in 1920-21, and relating to the Ministry
of Public Health and Sanitation, the proposed payment of
£5000 to Mr. Thomas Jones for his services in taking and
conducting the case, the Department asked to be
informed of the result of the case in regard to the
proposed payment of £5000 to Mr. Thomas Jones.

Following:

Case :- 202/11.

Read letter dated 11th April, 1921, from Mr. J. E.
Jones, M.P., Secretary, Ministry of Public Health and
Sanitation, for the purpose of the proposed payment to
the said Mr. Thomas Jones.

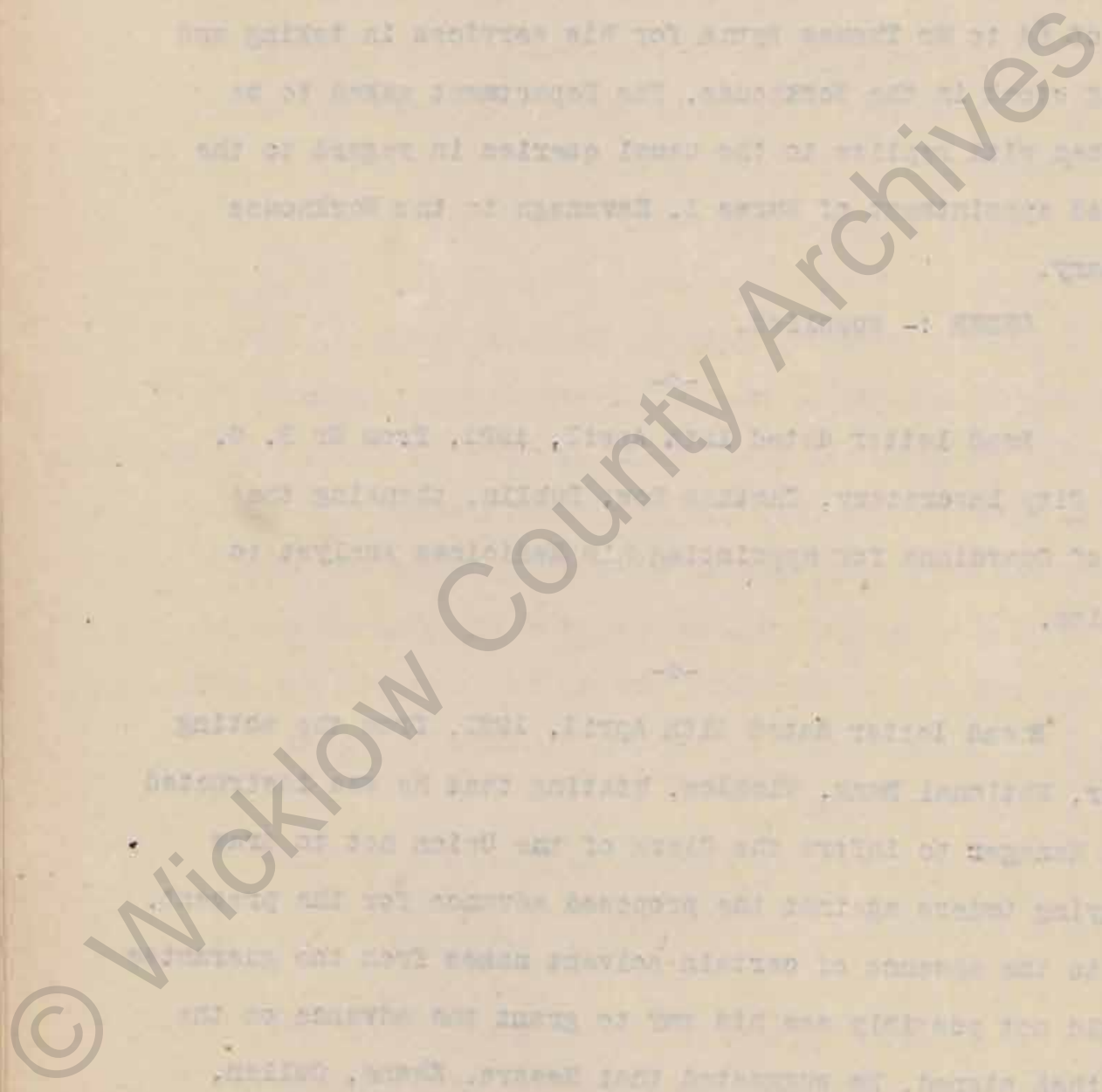
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said Mr. Thomas Jones is £5000. The proposed payment
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Read letter of case date, 11th April, 1921.



receipt of letter from the Clerk of the Union forwarding copies of resolutions adopted by the Guardians and Council. He desired to thank both bodies for the confidence they still placed in the National Bank. In the future, as in the past, it would give him great pleasure to do whatever lay in his power for them.

Read letter dated 19th April, 1921, from same, stating that the Guardians could, of course, lodge a sum of £500 and draw against it. He asked that the gentlemen he had named, Messrs. Cullen, Clarke, and P. Kavanagh, attend to sign the guarantee.

The Clerk reported that he had written Mr Bradshaw stating that Mr Peter Kavanagh had died recently.

Messrs. Joseph Clarke and P. J. Cullen, who were present at the meeting, stated they would arrange to sign the guarantee during the week.

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to Boarded Out Children.

Read letter No. 3385/21, dated 12th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of particulars in usual form in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to board-out Thomas and John Sutton with Mr Michael Sutton, Wicklow, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government would not raise any objection in view of the fact that Mr Sutton was an uncle of the children, but they considered that it would be much better in all such cases to endeavour to secure homes in Rural Districts for these children.

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Read letter No. 3393/21, dated 12th April, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of particulars on Form A. in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to board out Andrew Dowdall with Mr Daniel Keenan, of Aughrim, and intimating that the Ministry for Local Government would not raise any objection to this proposal.

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Two copies of the report of the Board of Directors in relation

to the Board of Directors.

That letter no. 2000, dated 12th April, 1921,

from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, Ireland,

acknowledging receipt of the report of the Board of Directors in relation to the

to the proposal of the Board of Directors to amend the

Act of 1919, and the Board of Directors, Dublin, Ireland,

and the Board of Directors, Dublin, Ireland, would

be pleased to receive a copy of the report of the Board of Directors in

relation to the proposal, but they considered that it would

be more better in relation to the Board of Directors to receive

copies in local relation for their attention.

That letter no. 2000, dated 12th April, 1921,

from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, Ireland, on 12th April,

in relation to the proposal of the Board of Directors to

amend the Act of 1919, and the Board of Directors, Dublin, Ireland,

and the Board of Directors, Dublin, Ireland, would

be pleased to receive a copy of the report of the Board of Directors in

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TABLE OF STATISTICAL MINUTES

In accordance with notice, it was

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, Tinnakilly, seconded by Mr L. Redmond :-

That Nurse Carroll, Workhouse Infirmary, be granted an increase of salary of Ten Pounds, so as to bring her salary up to that of the recently appointed Nurse.

Passed unanimously.

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The Board postponed for a fortnight consideration of a motion declaring a vacancy on the Board through the death of Mr Peter Kavanagh, Arklow, and proposing to fill said vacancy by co-option.

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James Byrne
9-5-21

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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd

day of May 19 21.

(Signed) P. W. Phelan
Clerk of the Union

In accordance with the provisions of the Act, the following is a list of the names of the persons who have been appointed to the office of Justice of the Peace for the County of Wicklow, and who have taken the oaths of office and qualification, and are ready to enter upon their duties.

The names of the persons who have been appointed to the office of Justice of the Peace for the County of Wicklow, and who have taken the oaths of office and qualification, and are ready to enter upon their duties, are as follows:

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The names of the persons who have been appointed to the office of Justice of the Peace for the County of Wicklow, and who have taken the oaths of office and qualification, and are ready to enter upon their duties, are as follows:

This list of the names of the persons who have been appointed to the office of Justice of the Peace for the County of Wicklow, and who have taken the oaths of office and qualification, and are ready to enter upon their duties, is published for the information of the public.

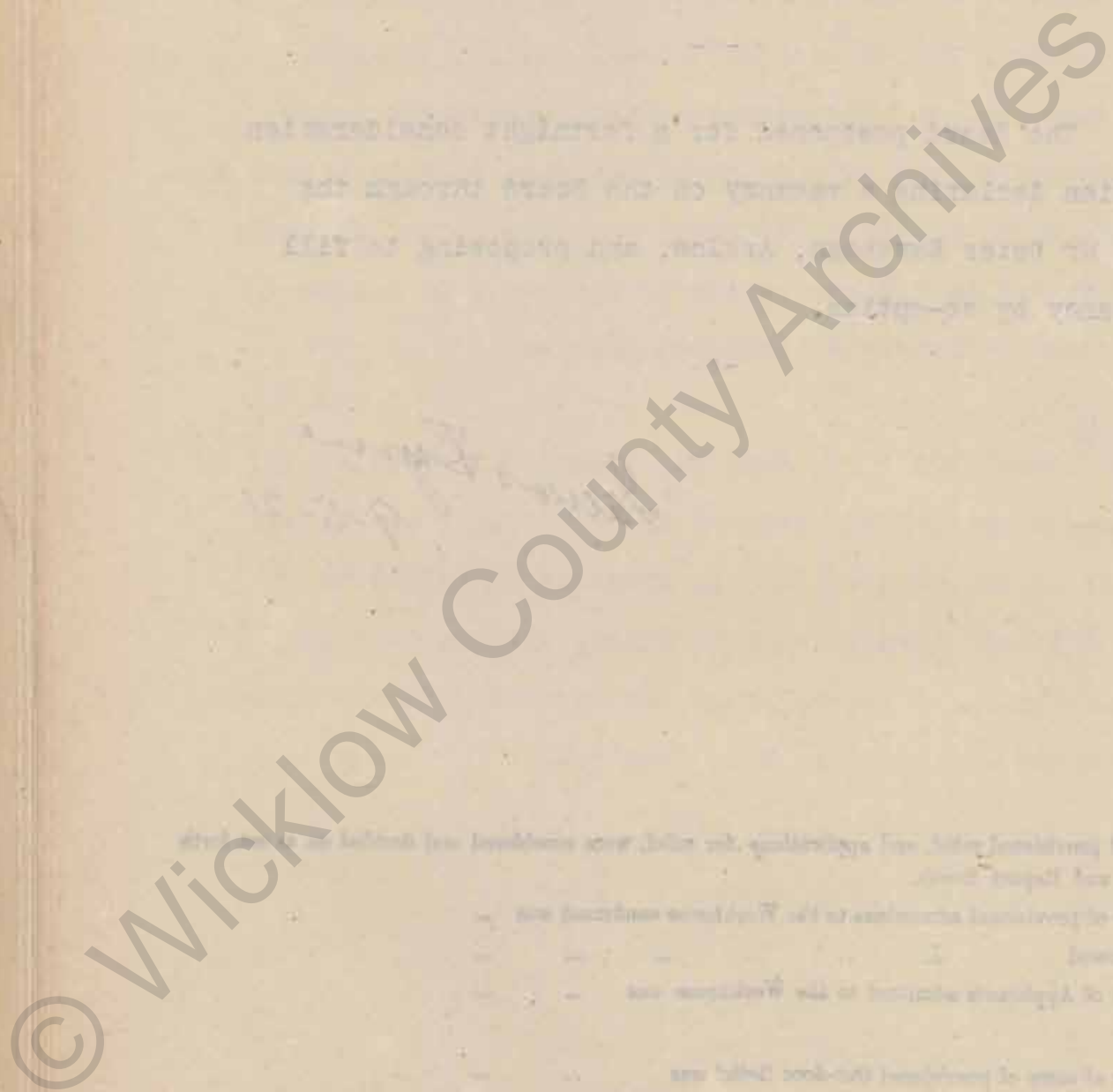


TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

(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 25th day of April 19 21.

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

Indoor, from No. 1696 to No. 1763

Out door „ No. 3796 to No. 3802

Separate „ No. - to No. -

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of April 19 21 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week			Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Provisions	47 8 7	83 9 5	130 18 -	70 17 2	3 17 3	74 14 5	56 3 7	1107.
Necessaries	98 19 5		98 19 5	21 5 11	3 13 4	24 19 3	74 - 3	
Total	146 8 -	83 9 5	229 17 5	92 3 1	7 10 7	99 13 8	130 3 9	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	: 11	: 7 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary	... ..	: 12	: 8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	... ..	: 21	: 4

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

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

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

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

the 16th day of April 1921 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total			
	<u>Edge</u>			<u>Byrne</u>			<u>Butler</u>			<u>Murphy</u>									
	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 ...	25	18	7	85	7	-	4	-	6	42	11	10				157	17	11	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..							30	-	-							30	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for ...	25	18	7	85	7	-	34	-	6	42	11	10				187	17	11	
EXPENDITURE.																			
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																			
In Money ...	9	4	6	29	17	6	28	14	-	11	6	8				79	2	6	
In Kind ...																			
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	5	10	-													5	10	-	
7. Total Relief given	14	14	6	29	17	6	28	14	-	11	6	8				84	12	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	11	4	1	55	9	6	5	6	6	31	5	4				103	5	5	
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 25th day of April 1921.
P. W. Sheehan
 Clerk of Union.

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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended..... 1....., having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended..... 1.....

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

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the biennial 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

Department

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:--

Read letter No. 3391/21, dated 13th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the temporary employment of Dr G. Eccles as temporary Medical Officer of the Newcastle Dispensary District, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £7-7s. per week to Dr Eccles for his services.

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Read letter No. 3392/21, dated 13th April, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the employment of Dr F. O'B' Kennedy as temporary Medical Officer of the Newcastle Dispensary District, and intimating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £7-7s. a week to Dr Kennedy for his services.

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Read letter No. 3342/21, dated 13th April, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the proposed appointment of Dr E. C. MacDermot as Medical Officer of the Rathdrum Dispensary District, and stating that in view of the exceptional circumstances mentioned by the Guardians the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the appointment at a salary of £125 per year as Dispensary Medical Officer and £25 a year as Medical Officer of Health.

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

Local Letter No. 2821/12, dated 12th April, 1911.

From the Department of Local Government, Dublin, Ireland.

Authorizing receipt of copies of reports to be submitted

to the temporary appointment of Dr. G. H. Jones as temporary

Medical Officer of the Yarnham Dispensary District, and

stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned

the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £2-7s.

per week to Dr. Jones for his services.

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Local Letter No. 2822/12, dated 12th April, 1911.

From the Department of Local Government, Dublin, Ireland.

Authorizing the receipt of copies of reports to be submitted

to the temporary appointment of Dr. G. H. Jones as temporary

Medical Officer of the Yarnham Dispensary District, and

stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned

the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate

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Local Letter No. 2823/12, dated 12th April, 1911.

From the Department of Local Government, Dublin, Ireland.

Authorizing the proposed appointment of Dr. G. H. Jones as

Medical Officer of the Yarnham Dispensary District, and

stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned

the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £2-7s.

per week to Dr. Jones for his services.

Approved: Medical Officer and the Local Government Board.

1911.

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

Read letter dated 18th April, 1921, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor, Wicklow, acknowledging receipt of letter of the Clerk of the Union enclosing requisition to tax Mr McHugh's costs, Dr Ryan to Rathdrum Guardians.

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The Clerk asked for the directions of the Board as to the payment of salary to Dr Finnegan, Newcastle Dispensary District, while absent on sick leave.

ORDER :- To be paid.

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Read certificate Form H. from Dr Hamilton, Arklow Dispensary District, to the effect that he had successfully vaccinated nine persons during quarter ending 31st March, 1921.

Read report of Analyst on samples of drugs sent from Arklow Dispensary, as follows :-

Solution of Ferric Chloride	Low in Iron.
Syrup of Ferrous Phosphate	Correct
Cod Liver Oil	do.

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Read letter dated 25th April, 1921, from Dr F. G. MacDermot, Rathdrum, as follows :-

With reference to bill sent by Messrs. McCormick for a ton of coal delivered to Aughrim Dispensary, I beg to state that the ton of coal was delivered while I was doing temporary duty. No official order was given at the time, and it was not strictly regular. However, the coal was very badly needed, and I apparently forgot to bring the matter before the Board.

ORDER :- Account of Messrs. McCormick for £2-18s. for ton of coal delivered to Aughrim Dispensary in April 1921, to be paid.

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

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

Dunganstown

26 unvaccinated children.

The Medical Officer reported :— No special measures necessary; nearly all these cases will be done in May.

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

No order.

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Read letter dated 5th April, 1921, from Dr Garland, Dunganstown Dispensary District, stating he had now been half a year without salary, and inquiring whether he could count on receiving same at some date in the near future. The information was of vital importance to him, as in the event of the outlook being unfavourable he would have to take drastic steps to retrench. He need scarcely point out that a man like himself with a large family who had never been in debt could not contemplate his affairs with anything but the gravest anxiety.

It was stated that payment would be made in this and similar cases would be made immediately the Board was in a position to do so, and it was hoped this would be the case quite shortly.

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Dr Sheedy, Medical Officer of Aughrim Dispensary District, attended the meeting of the Board and made a statement regarding a complaint made by Mrs Fenton, Ballymorris, re her application to him for medicine for a Dispensary patient.

Proposed by Mr Patrick O'Neill, seconded by Mrs Butler:— That the explanation of Dr Sheedy as to his reason for not supplying Mrs Fenton with the drug which she was in the habit of receiving for her mother, be accepted as satisfactory. Dr Sheedy states that he had not any of the drug in stock at the time, but always gave to Mrs Fenton, and will in future, give her the drug when in stock. He never made any reference to the financial position of the Board of Guardians.

Passed unanimously.

James Byrne 9.5.21

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 2nd

day of May 1921.

(Signed)

P. W. Sheehy
Clerk of the Union.

Report (Form 1) 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 in the following Districts:—

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THE MEDICAL OFFICER DISTRICT: - TO SPECIAL PROCEDURE
Nominations: Nominations all should appear with an entry in the

was laid before the Board, and discussion given thereon, as follows:—

In order,

It was stated that payment would be made in this and similar cases would be made immediately the Board was in a position to do so, and it was hoped this would be the case in the future. It was also stated that the Board would be kept advised of the progress of the case and that the Board would be kept advised of the progress of the case and that the Board would be kept advised of the progress of the case.

It was stated that payment would be made in this and similar cases would be made immediately the Board was in a position to do so, and it was hoped this would be the case in the future. It was also stated that the Board would be kept advised of the progress of the case and that the Board would be kept advised of the progress of the case.

Dr. Shady, Medical Officer of Health, District, presented the case of the Board and made a statement regarding the case. The Board discussed the case and decided to grant the application. The Board also decided to grant the application.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 10th of May 1901.
Clerk of the Union

RATHDRUM UNION.

146

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1921.

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				TOTAL	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse		148														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital		1														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		149														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	45	3	30	5	7	1	14	11	159	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 78	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week			18	5	2	1	2		1			27	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1	In Wards with other inmates } 3		
Born												-	TOTAL, 77	TOTAL, 8		
TOTAL			59	50	5	31	7	7	2	14	11	186	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			18	9	3	2	4		2		1	37	Males	Females	Children under 17	TOTAL
Died												-	No. Relieved during week } 18	5	3	24
Total Discharged and Died			18	9	3	2	4		2		1	37	No. in Workhouse at date } 2			2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	41	2	29	3	7		14	10	149	No. at corresponding period last year, 185.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 19 Vic., c. 21, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	46
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	88	189
T. Butler	No. III.	104	181
L. Murphy	No. IV.	37	77
	Total	260	493

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 2nd day of May 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

James Byrne
9-5-21

2nd day of May 1921.

P. W. Phelan
Clerk of the Union.

Twelve Year Annual Value £ 100,000

Year 1871-1872

At a meeting of the Board of Guardians held at the Hatfield Union on the 10th day of January 1872

Parishes	Rateable Value		Rate	Amount	Total	Rate per £100	Total	Rate per £100	Total
	1871-72	1870-71							
St. Andrew's	1000	950	1/6	160	160	16	160	16	160
St. James's	1200	1150	1/6	192	192	16	192	16	192
St. John's	1500	1450	1/6	240	240	16	240	16	240
St. Mary's	1800	1750	1/6	288	288	16	288	16	288
St. Peter's	2000	1950	1/6	320	320	16	320	16	320
St. Paul's	2200	2150	1/6	352	352	16	352	16	352
St. Stephen's	2500	2450	1/6	400	400	16	400	16	400
St. Thomas's	2800	2750	1/6	448	448	16	448	16	448
St. George's	3000	2950	1/6	480	480	16	480	16	480
St. Michael's	3200	3150	1/6	512	512	16	512	16	512
St. Nicholas's	3500	3450	1/6	560	560	16	560	16	560
St. Martin's	3800	3750	1/6	608	608	16	608	16	608
St. Elizabeth's	4000	3950	1/6	640	640	16	640	16	640
St. Anne's	4200	4150	1/6	672	672	16	672	16	672
St. Agnes's	4500	4450	1/6	720	720	16	720	16	720
St. Ursula's	4800	4750	1/6	768	768	16	768	16	768
St. Blaise's	5000	4950	1/6	800	800	16	800	16	800
St. Gallus's	5200	5150	1/6	832	832	16	832	16	832
St. Vitus's	5500	5450	1/6	880	880	16	880	16	880
St. Modestus's	5800	5750	1/6	928	928	16	928	16	928
St. Eustachius's	6000	5950	1/6	960	960	16	960	16	960
St. Symeon's	6200	6150	1/6	992	992	16	992	16	992
St. Ives's	6500	6450	1/6	1040	1040	16	1040	16	1040
St. Margareta's	6800	6750	1/6	1088	1088	16	1088	16	1088
St. Juliana's	7000	6950	1/6	1120	1120	16	1120	16	1120
St. Ursula's	7200	7150	1/6	1152	1152	16	1152	16	1152
St. Agatha's	7500	7450	1/6	1200	1200	16	1200	16	1200
St. Katerina's	7800	7750	1/6	1248	1248	16	1248	16	1248
St. Barbara's	8000	7950	1/6	1280	1280	16	1280	16	1280
St. Ursula's	8200	8150	1/6	1312	1312	16	1312	16	1312
St. Agatha's	8500	8450	1/6	1360	1360	16	1360	16	1360
St. Katerina's	8800	8750	1/6	1408	1408	16	1408	16	1408
St. Barbara's	9000	8950	1/6	1440	1440	16	1440	16	1440
St. Ursula's	9200	9150	1/6	1472	1472	16	1472	16	1472
St. Agatha's	9500	9450	1/6	1520	1520	16	1520	16	1520
St. Katerina's	9800	9750	1/6	1568	1568	16	1568	16	1568
St. Barbara's	10000	9950	1/6	1600	1600	16	1600	16	1600
Total	100000	99000	1/6	16000	16000	16	16000	16	16000

Resolved that the above be the rate for the year 1871-72 and that the same be levied on the several parishes and places within the Hatfield Union in proportion to the value of the property therein.

Parish	Rateable Value	Rate	Amount
St. Andrew's	1000	1/6	160
St. James's	1200	1/6	192
St. John's	1500	1/6	240
St. Mary's	1800	1/6	288
St. Peter's	2000	1/6	320
St. Paul's	2200	1/6	352
St. Stephen's	2500	1/6	400
St. Thomas's	2800	1/6	448
St. George's	3000	1/6	480
St. Michael's	3200	1/6	512
St. Nicholas's	3500	1/6	560
St. Martin's	3800	1/6	608
St. Elizabeth's	4000	1/6	640
St. Anne's	4200	1/6	672
St. Agnes's	4500	1/6	720
St. Ursula's	4800	1/6	768
St. Blaise's	5000	1/6	800
St. Gallus's	5200	1/6	832
St. Vitus's	5500	1/6	880
St. Modestus's	5800	1/6	928
St. Eustachius's	6000	1/6	960
St. Symeon's	6200	1/6	992
St. Ives's	6500	1/6	1040
St. Margareta's	6800	1/6	1088
St. Juliana's	7000	1/6	1120
St. Ursula's	7200	1/6	1152
St. Agatha's	7500	1/6	1200
St. Katerina's	7800	1/6	1248
St. Barbara's	8000	1/6	1280
St. Ursula's	8200	1/6	1312
St. Agatha's	8500	1/6	1360
St. Katerina's	8800	1/6	1408
St. Barbara's	9000	1/6	1440
St. Ursula's	9200	1/6	1472
St. Agatha's	9500	1/6	1520
St. Katerina's	9800	1/6	1568
St. Barbara's	10000	1/6	1600
Total	100000	1/6	16000

Resolved that the above be the rate for the year 1871-72 and that the same be levied on the several parishes and places within the Hatfield Union in proportion to the value of the property therein.

There was no objection to the above and the same was carried.

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of January 1872.

 Chairman of the Board of Guardians

 Clerk

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £133,901:8:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of April 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS					
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date						
Workhouse		153																		
Temporary Buildings																				
Additional Workhouses																				
Permanent Fever Hospital		1																		
Fever Sheds																				
TOTAL		154																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	41	3	23	3	7		14	10	149	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	75	In separate Wards	-				
Admitted during the Week			14	17	5	3	4	2	3	1		39	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates	8				
Born												-	TOTAL	76	TOTAL	8				
TOTAL			57	48	7	33	7	9	3	15	10	188	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS							
Discharged during the Week			14	6	8	3	2		2			33	Males		Females		Children under 15		TOTAL	
Died						1						1	No. Relieved during week	14	7	6	27			
Total Discharged and Died			14	6	8	4	2		2			34	No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	2	6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			43	42	1	28	5	9	1	15	10	154	No. at corresponding period last year, 172.							

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of April 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. & 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependant on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	46
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	194
T. Butler	No. III.	104	181
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	78
	TOTAL	262	499

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 2th day of May 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr James Byrne, Tinnakilly, Vice-Chairman; afterwards Mr C. M. Byrne.
Other Guardians—

Messrs. C. M. Byrne, James Byrne, Ballinderry;

James Turner, William Redmond, Michael Morrissey.

1881-1882

General Report of the Board of Trustees of the Rathfrilion Union for the year ending 31st Dec 1881

Particulars	1881-1882		1880-1881		Total	Balance
	Income	Expenditure	Income	Expenditure		
Grants	1000	800	900	700	1900	1000
Donations	500	400	450	350	950	500
Interest	100	50	120	80	220	100
Other Income	200	150	180	130	380	200
Total Income	1800	1400	1650	1260	3450	1800
Salaries	1000	1000	900	900	1900	1000
Expenses	800	800	700	700	1500	800
Other Expenditure	600	600	550	550	1150	600
Total Expenditure	1400	1400	1150	1150	2550	1400
Surplus	400	0	500	110	900	400

Particulars	1881-1882	1880-1881
Grants	1000	900
Donations	500	450
Interest	100	120
Other Income	200	180
Total	1800	1650

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

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

1,100 lbs. Bread
 70 lbs. Butter
 100 lbs. Beef
 140 lbs. Mutton
 25 doz. Eggs
 145 gal. New Milk
 1 chest Tea
 1 ton Potatoes
 4 st. Cabbage
 1 cwt. Sugar
 1 gal. Whiskey
 1 roll Tobacco
 1 lb. Snuff
 14 lbs. Cornflour
 14 lbs. Oxo

3 cwt. Soap
 250 brl. Paraffin Oil.

Read report of the Master of the Workhouse, as follows :-

May 9th, 1921.

The Master reports that on 7th instant there were 168 inmates in the Workhouse, including 70 patients in the Infirmary and 1 in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 32 men, 33 women and 31 children. For the corresponding week last year the number in the House was 166.

The Wardmistress, Miss Magee, resumed duty on April 26th, and Mrs Kate Driver, who was doing temporary duty for her, left on same date.

Nurse Kavanagh became ill on April 30th, and on the requisition of the Medical Officer the Master secured the services of Nurse Dalton for one week commencing on same date.

The sewer pipe in the women's casual ward yard is stopped and it is necessary to have it opened and cleaned.

The Master finds it impossible to get a plumber to look after the drinking troughs, etc.

The ^kbrakes of the motor ambulance require lining.

ORDER :- Substitute for Nurse Kavanagh to be paid by the Guardians; Master to have sewer opened and matter put right; Master to get ambulance brakes done.

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Read report dated May 9th, 1921, from Dr E. C. MacDermot, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, as follows :-

With regard to report asked for in connection with the recent appointment of Miss Kavanagh as Nurse in the Union Hospital, which so far has not been sanctioned, I beg to state that she is a trained Maternity Nurse, but has no certificates of Medical or Surgical Training. She has, however, given every satisfaction since taking up duty. No doubt without having the qualifications she has had a fair experience in general nursing. She will have to perform her share of the general Nursing; also to act as Night Nurse in her turn. However she has already done sole Night Nurse with satisfaction while bad cases were in the House.

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

The Visiting Committee, consisting of Messrs. C. M. Byrne, Morrissey and Jas. Byrne, Ballinderry, reported recommending that the following articles of clothing enumerated by the stocktaker be written off the Books :—

10 blankets; 68 pillow slips; 12 rugs; 110 sheets; 14 towels & rollers; 10 mattresses.

Men's Clothing - 18 caps; 20 coats; 15 drawers; 86 shirts; 60 prs. shoes; 45 do. socks; 25 do. suspenders; 20 trousers; 15 vests.

Boys' Clothing - 10 caps; 20 shirts; 22 prs. shoes; 15 prs. socks; 12 prs. suspenders; 10 trousers; 6 vests.

Womens Clothing - 40 aprons; 55 gowns & frocks; 1 cap; 10 petticoats; 20 shifts; 65 prs. shoes; 3 shawls.

Girls' Clothing - 25 frocks; 15 night dresses; 35 shifts; 26 prs. shoes; 30 bibs.

ORDER :- Adopted.

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):—

Read letter No. 3886/21, dated 28th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 11th idem, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of £2 to Miss A. M. Byrne for her services as temporary substitute for Mr L. Murphy, Relieving Officer. The Department had also sanctioned the proposed payment of a fee of Six shillings a sample to Mr B. G. Fagan for his services in analysing samples of drugs from the Union.

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Read Circular Letter No. 48, dated 28th April, 1921, from same, forwarding five copies of a report from the Commissioners appointed by the Cork Board of Guardians to examine into the affairs of that Union with a view to effecting economies and remedying certain abuses that had crept in during the regime of their predecessors in office. The report was worthy of very serious study by all members of Boards of Guardians in Ireland. It was not suggested that in the case of the smaller Unions it would be an economic proposition to appoint paid temporary Commissioners as had been done in Cork, but in this interim report there would be found clearly set out a statement of abuses that were likely to creep into any such institution, and of the steps best calculated to remedy them. The Department held very strongly that it should be the aim of those entrusted with the responsibility of local administration in each county to work towards the complete abolition of these institutions as at present administered through amalgamation on a large scale, and that the care of the very poor and infirm should ultimately be administered under the direct supervision of the County Councils in Central Homes and County Hospitals.

Proposed

Proposed by Mr James Turner, seconded by Mr James Byrne, Ballinderry :-

That a Committee consisting of Miss Barton, Mrs Butler, Messrs. James Byrne, Tinnakilly; C. M. Byrne, Jas. Everett, Jas. Byrne, Ballinderry; Michael Morrissey and James Turner, be appointed to inquire into the affairs of the Union with a view to effecting economies and remedying any abuses that may exist; and that the Committee report the result of their inquiry to the Board of Guardians. The Committee to meet at the Boardroom on Saturday, 21st May, 1921, at Two O'Clock p.m.
Passed unanimously.

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Read letter dated 21st April, 1921, from Mrs A. B. E. Geannt, Secretary, County Councils' General Council, Dublin, stating that as there had been some delay in connection with the final arrangements with the Company about to supply drugs and surgical and medical appliances, and as the Guardians were in urgent need of some articles, it would be better to purchase anything that was absolutely necessary, but to enter into no contract or bond until after the 1st of May when the Council would be in a position to communicate further with them on the matter.

ORDER :- Approved.

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Read card dated 23rd April, 1921, from Mrs K. O'Callaghan, Limerick, thanking the Guardians for their resolution of sympathy with her. It was a comfort to know that her ^{late} husband's work for his City and his Country was so well appreciated.

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Read letter dated May 9th, 1921, from Miss Lizzie Driver, Cook in the Workhouse Infirmary, asking that her ration allowance of sugar be increased from 6 ounces weekly to 12 ounces weekly. All the other officers on rations were receiving 12 ounces weekly.

ORDER :- Granted.

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Read letter dated 30th April, 1921, from Mr Thomas Byrne, Rathdrum, submitting stock and valuation sheets for half year ending March 31st last. He wished respectfully to state that the fee allowed was now inadequate for the work done. The system entailed double the time to complete which it formerly took.

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Read letter dated 27th April, 1921, from Mr H. R. Bradshaw, Manager, National Bank, Wicklow, stating he would bring form of guarantee to Rathdrum the following day and would be obliged if Mr Clarke, Mr Peter Kavanagh and Mr James Byrne, Ballinderry, would sign same. Mr P. J. Cullen had already signed and he fancied it would not be necessary for all three above mentioned to sign. Cheques up to £2,000 might now be issued.

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Read application from the Inspector of Taxes, Dublin, for return of employes of the Board and wages, etc., paid.

ORDER :- Not to be supplied.

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Read application from an inmate of the Workhouse ^m near Anne Toomey, for an outfit of clothing to enable her to leave the House to take up a situation. She proposed taking her mother out with her.

ORDER :- Fifty shillings granted.

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Read circular dated 23rd April, 1921, from Mr Darrell Figgis, enclosing list of Reports completed, about to be completed, and projected, of the Commission of Inquiry into the Resources of Ireland, and pointing out that it would be of the greatest service, in the general welfare, if public bodies were in possession of these documents. He suggested that an order for the publications be given by the Board.

ORDER :- To be purchased.

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Read report dated 9th May, 1921, from Mr T. B. Lowey,

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engineer to the Board, stating that the Master of the Workhouse had reported to him that the ^{main} sewer in the Female Probationary Ward yard was stopped up. He had made an inspection of same and reported that about 15 yards of same required to be opened and cleaned. The approximate cost of having this done would be about £10. As the matter was urgent he would be glad of an order to have it done at once.

ORDER :- Master directed to get work done.

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The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders for the supply of new milk and butter to the Workhouse for the twelve months commencing 1st July, 1921.

Tenders for new milk were received as follows :-

John Short, Ballinacarrig, half the quantity, at two shillings per gallon; Charles Cullen, Rathdrum, half the quantity, at two shillings per gallon.

Proposed by Mr C. M. Byrne, seconded by Mr James Byrne, Tinnakilly :-

That as we consider prices in tenders for new milk now received too high, tenders be re-advertised for.

On a poll the proposal was carried by four votes to two votes.

For the supply of butter three tenders were received, as follows :-

Charles Cullen, Rathdrum, at One Shilling and Fivepence per lb.; D. O'Riordan, Ballyguile, at Two Shillings and Eight Pence per lb.; Catherine Kearns, Tigroney, at Two shillings and Nine Pence per lb.

The Board accepted Mr Cullen's tender.

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The Guardians accepted the tender of James McDonald, Rathdrum, proposing to pay Four Shillings per cwt. for the rags in the Workhouse.

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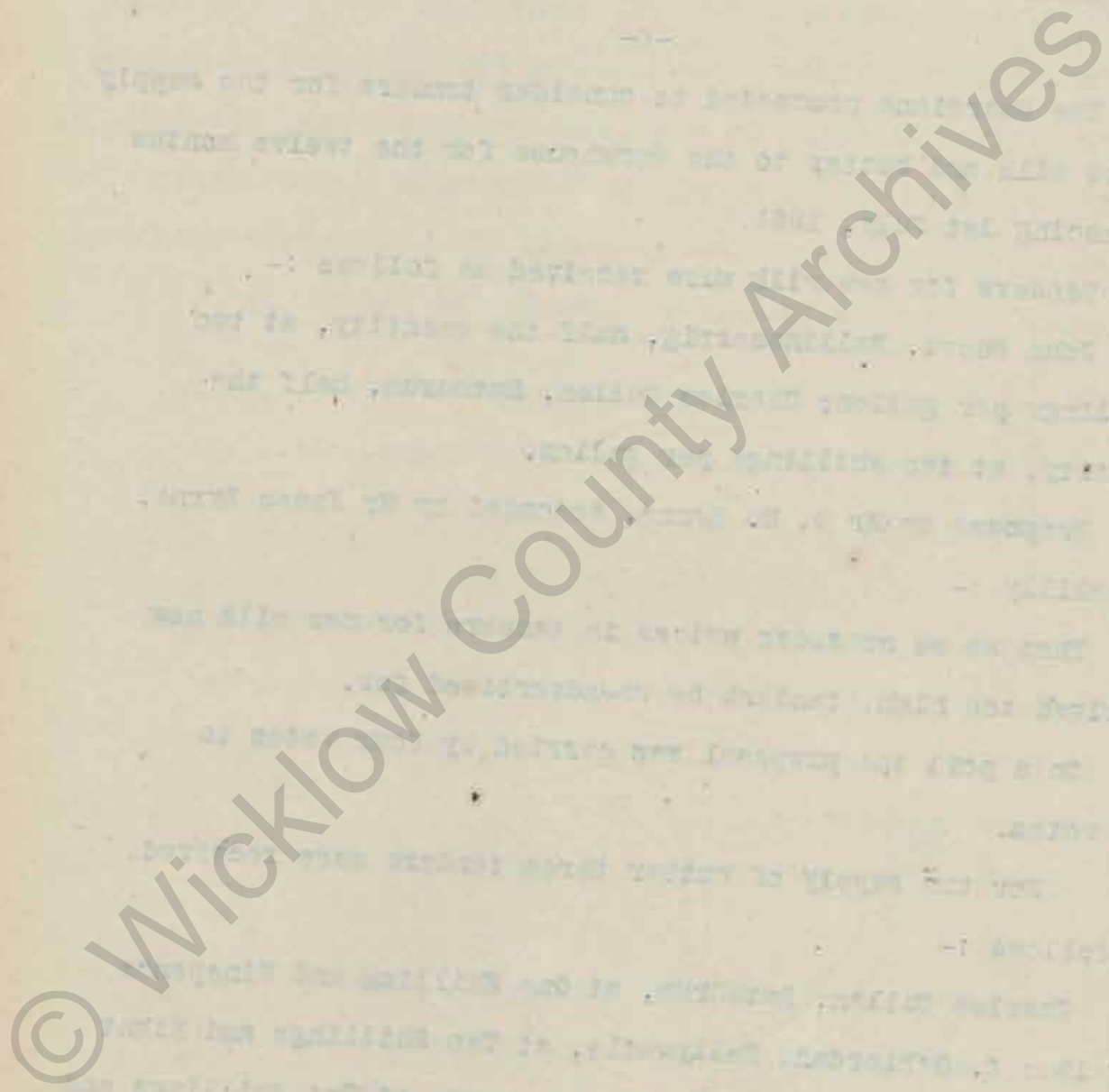
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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to
Boarded Out Children.

The Master of the Workhouse reported :-

Miss Byrne R.O. sent in three Nurse Children to House
on April 2th. Their names are - Josie Staunton, 13 yrs.;
Thomas King, 11 yrs.; John King, 10 yrs.

Miss Byrne R. O. reported that the foster mother of
these children, Mrs Curley, Broomhall, had died recently and
it was necessary to take in the children temporarily. A
daughter in law of the late Mrs Curley, who was going to reside
in the same house, desired to be given charge of the child
Josie Staunton.

ORDER :- Josie Staunton to be boarded out with Mrs Annie
Curley, Broomhall; the two King children to be boarded out
with Mrs Patrick Kavanagh, Ballard.

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Read letter No. 3866/21, dated 2th April, 1921, from the
Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, asking to be
furnished with particulars on Form A. in regard to the proposal
of the Guardians to board-out a boy named William Bowen with
Mrs Susan Grogan, of Upper Aughrim,

ORDER :- Supplied.

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Read report from Relieving Officer Edge stating that Mrs
DeLaney, Aughrim, had two children boarded out with her. One of
the children had got a rash on its body and the child's uncle
took it away to cure it and to prevent its being sent into the
Workhouse. The child was now cured but the foster parent, who was
also the child's aunt, refused to take it back. As two children
were already boarded out with the uncle he asked for the
directions of the Board. The uncle would rather keep the child
for nothing than to let it come into the Union.

ORDER :- Child to be retained by Uncle.

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ORDER :- That the orphan children, Bridget Doyle, aged 3 years, and Andrew Doyle, aged 5 years, be boarded out with Mrs Annie Holt, Killadfeenan, who is their aunt.

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ORDER :- That agreement with Mrs Susan Grogan, Upper Aughrim, for the care of the boarded out child, William Bowen, now submitted, be sealed with the seal of the Guardians.

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In accordance with notice the Board proceeded to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr Peter Kavanagh, Arklow.

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, Ballinderry, seconded by Mr C. M. Byrne :-

That Mr Laurence Murray, Avoca, be co-opted to fill the vacancy on the Board of Guardians caused by the death of Mr Peter Kavanagh.

Passed unanimously.

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The Medical Officer of the Workhouse submitted requisitions for medical supplies; total cost of same, \$58-12s-8d.

ORDER :- To be supplied.

Sedmund O'Connell

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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 16th

day of May 19 21.

(Signed)

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14.]

(Article 7.)

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Finance Meeting, held on MONDAY, the 9th day of May 1921.

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

TABLE (a)	Dr.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	500	-	-
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	500	-	-

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of April, 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	382	14	7
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	16	3	4
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses	65	3	5
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	1	15	—
Medical Charities	27	8	8
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	—
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	12	18	6
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	420	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	927	7	8

Account of the ... of the ...

No.	Date	Particulars	Amount
1	1791
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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of

April

1921.

	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	500	-	-			
Total	500	-	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	3700	9	9			
Payments ordered during the month	1928	9	7			
Total	5628	19	4			
Net Balance due... <u>by</u> ...the Union (being difference of above Totals)	5128	19	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due... <u>to</u> ...Treasurer	896	7	2			
Outstanding Orders	4432	12	2			
Net Balance as above due... <u>by</u> ...the Union	5128	19	4			

Dated this 9th day of May 19 21.

P. W. Shubow
Clerk of the Union.

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[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).

BATHURST Union.

Meeting held the 9th day of May 1921.

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

Indoor, from No. 1793 to No. 1829

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 20th day of April 1921 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	61	1	4	65	17	2	126	18	6	65	3	8	3	17	3	69	-	9	57	17	9	1058
Necessaries	80	13	7				80	13	7	22	10	11	3	14	4	26	5	3	54	8	4	
Total	141	14	11	65	17	2	207	12	1	87	14	5	7	10	7	95	8	-	112	6	1	

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

the 30th day of April 1921, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <u>Edge</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Byrne</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Butler</u>			Relieving Officer <u>Murphy</u>			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total		
	District No. I. £ s. d.			District No. II. £ s. d.			District No. III. £ s. d.			District No. IV. £ s. d.			District No. V. £ s. d.			District No. VI. £ s. d.					
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	1	19	7	25	4	6	8	12	8	19	18	10							53	15	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	30	-	-	30	-	-	30	-	-										90	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for ...	31	19	7	55	4	6	38	12	8	19	18	10							143	15	5
EXPENDITURE.																					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																					
In Money ...	9	4	6	30	7	6	28	14	-	11	11	6							79	17	6
In Kind ...																					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility										5	-								5	-	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	16	6	3	11	5	-							5	12	6				33	3	9
7. Total Relief given	25	10	9	41	12	6	28	14	-	17	9	-							113	6	3
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	6	8	10	13	12	-	7	18	6	2	9	10							30	9	2
9. Total	31	19	7	55	4	6	38	12	8	19	18	10							143	15	5

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

Dated this 9th day of May 19 21.

P. W. Shuban

Clerk of Union.

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No.	Name	Age	Sex	Occupation	Religion	Marital Status	Education	Income	Assets	Debts	Notes
1	John Smith	45	M	Farmer	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	
2	Mary Jones	35	F	Wife	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	
3	James Brown	25	M	Labourer	Roman Catholic	Single	Primary	£50	£100	£50	
4	Elizabeth White	60	F	Wife	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	
5	Robert Black	55	M	Farmer	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	
6	Anna Green	40	F	Wife	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	
7	William Grey	30	M	Labourer	Roman Catholic	Single	Primary	£50	£100	£50	
8	Elizabeth Black	20	F	Wife	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	
9	Thomas White	15	M	Labourer	Roman Catholic	Single	Primary	£50	£100	£50	
10	Margaret Green	10	F	Wife	Roman Catholic	Married	Primary	£100	£500	£200	

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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 9th day of May 1921

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr James Byrne, Vice-Chairman; afterwards Mr C. M. Byrne.

Other Guardians :—

Messrs. James Byrne, Ballinderry; Jas. Turner, Wm. Redmond, Michael Morrissey.

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.	

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Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic., cap. 83, &c.)

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

a Meeting held on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1851

Present—in the Chair, Mr. James Byrne, Vice-President; afterwards by G. M. Byrne, Esq.

Other Guardians:—

Mr. James Byrne, Vice-President; Mr. James Byrne, Esq.

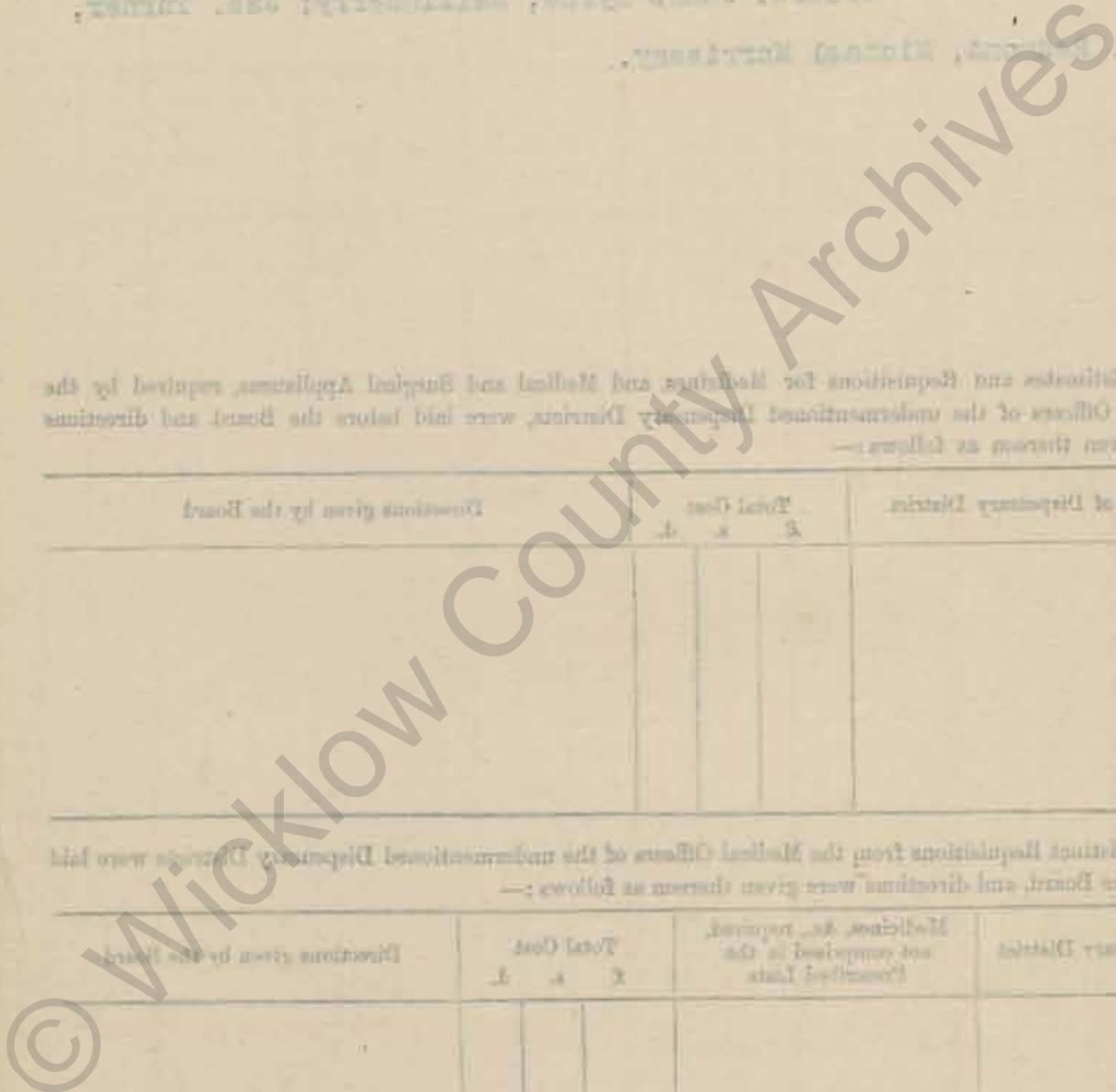
Mr. James Byrne, Esq.

Estimates and Applications for Medicine and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the unimpaired Dispensary Districts, were laid before the Board and discussion were given thereon as follows:—

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

Medical Applications from the Medical Officers of the unimpaired Dispensary Districts were laid before the Board, and discussion were given thereon as follows:—

Dispensary District	Medicine as required in the unimpaired District	Total Cost		Questions given by the Board
		£	s.	



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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 23
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1870.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....

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

[This to be entered on
 the occasion of every
 appointment of a new
 Committee, after the
 biennial 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

Department

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:—

Read letter No. 3867/21, dated ~~26th~~ 26th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 11th instant, and asking to be informed whether the repairs carried out to the Rathdrum Dispensary Residence had been done at the direction of the Guardians or their Engineer. The Ministry also asked to be furnished with copy of the specification and estimate of repairs to be carried out at Kilcool Dispensary.

ORDER :- Repairs at Rathdrum Dispensary Residence not done by direction of the Board but necessary; specification of work at Kilcool Dispensary supplied.

Read report dated 3th May, 1921, from Mr T. B. Lowey, engineer to the Board, as follows :-

With reference to the temporary repairs carried out at the Rathdrum Dispensary I have to say that the work was absolutely necessary, and that it has been done in a satisfactory manner and at a very reasonable cost.

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Read letter dated 26th April, 1921, from Dr Finnegan, Medical Officer, Newcastle Dispensary District, stating that his term of sick leave expired on 30th April, and he desired to state that he would be unable to resume duty for another five weeks. He would feel very grateful if the Guardians granted him further leave for that period.

Read further letter dated 8th May, 1921, from same, enclosing medical certificate in case such were needed in connection with his application for leave. He hoped to be able to resume duty soon again.

Read certificate dated 3rd May, 1921, from Surgeon Blayney, Dublin, stating that Dr Finnegan had been under his care for the past eight weeks. During that time he had

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Reports (Form B) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensaries

Four horizontal lines for reporting data.

are laid before the Board, and Questions given thereon, as follows:-

John Macdonald

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the _____ 18__

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Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of May 1921.

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	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	
			Able-bodied		Males		Fem.		Boys		Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	TOTAL	TOTAL								
Workhouse		165																
Temporary Buildings																		
Additional Workhouse																		
Permanent Fever Hospital		1																
Fever Sheds																		
TOTAL		166																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			43	42	1	28	5	9	1	15	10	154	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards In Wards with other inmates	8		
Admitted during the Week			34	8	6	4	3	3	5				60	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1			
Born												1	1	TOTAL	71	TOTAL	8	
TOTAL			77	50	7	32	8	9	6	15	11	215	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS					
Discharged during the Week			25	7	6	2	3		3				46	No. Relieved during week	34	8	6	48
Died					1	2						3		No. in Workhouse at date	11	1	12	
Total Discharged and Died			25	7	7	4	3		3			49		No. at corresponding period last year, 168.				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			52	43	-	28	5	9	3	15	11	166						

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of May 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	46
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	194
T. Butler	No. III.	104	181
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	78
TOTAL		262	499

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on Monday, the 16th day of May 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Felix Thawanagh

16th day of May 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ **133,901:6:0.**

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the **14th** day of **May** 19**21.**

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		186													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hospital		1													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL		187													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			52	43		28	5	9	3	15	11	186	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 69 Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1 TOTAL, 70	In separate Wards } - In Wards with other inmates } 8 TOTAL, 8	
Admitted during the Week			13	2	2		1	4	3	2		27			
Born											1	1			
TOTAL			65	45	2	28	6	13	6	17	12	194	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS		
Discharged during the Week			19	1	2	3					2	27	Males } 13 Females } 2 TOTAL, 15		
Died													No. in Workhouse at date } 8 Males } 1 Females } 1 TOTAL, 9		
Total Discharged and Died			19	1	2	3					2	27			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			46	44		25	6	13	6	15	12	167	No. at corresponding period last year, 183.		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the **14th** day of **May** 19**21**, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 19 Vic., c. 21, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependant on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	46
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	194
T. Butler	No. III.	104	181
L. Murphy	No. IV.	39	71
TOTAL		263	492

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the **23rd** day of **May** 19**21**.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— **Mr Felix Kavanagh.**

Other Guardians—

Messrs. Morrissey, Haughton, Louth, McDonald, Ballinderry, James Byrne, Tinnakill, Charles Gaule.

The County Board on the 10th day of March 1884 resolved that the Board should...

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- 1,200 lbs. Bread
- 70 lbs. Butter
- 100 lbs. Beef
- 140 lbs. Mutton
- 30 doz. Eggs
- 100 gal. New Milk
- 1 cwt. Oatmeal
- 1 ton Potatoes
- 200 lbs. Cabbage
- 20 lbs. Triping
- 1 doz. Whiskey
- 1 roll Tobacco
- 1 lb. Snuff
- 5 tons Coal
- 15 tons Firewood

Read report of the Master of the Workhouse, as follows :-

May 23rd, 1921.

The Master reports that there were 162 inmates in the Workhouse on 21st instant, including 70 patients in the Infirmary and 1 patient in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 30 men, 24 women and 37 children. For the corresponding week last year the number was 174.

On the 10th instant there were eight orphan children named Quinn brought into the Workhouse from Kiltimon. One of them, a boy aged 12 years, has since run away when sent out to school, and the Master has been informed he is at Mr Traynor's, Courtfoyle.

There are two dozen mattresses urgently required for the Infirmary; also thirty beds requiring new wires.

There is a new battery required for the motor ambulance.

The coal supply being run out, the Master ordered 15 tons of blocks from Mr Deans at 35s. per ton.

As there are a lot of boys at present in the Workhouse, the Master asks permission to order 50 yards tweed for making clothes; also 25 lbs. woollen yarn.

ORDER :- The boy Quinn to be brought into Workhouse; battery for motor ambulance to be ordered; purchase of mattresses to be held over; tweed and yarn to be ordered.

Has report of the Master of the Workhouse, as follows :-

May 23rd, 1881.

The Master reports that there were 123 inmates in the workhouse on this instant, including 70 patients in the Infirmary and 1 patient in the Fever Hospital. In the body of the House there were 30 men, 22 women and 27 children. For the corresponding week last year the number was 174.

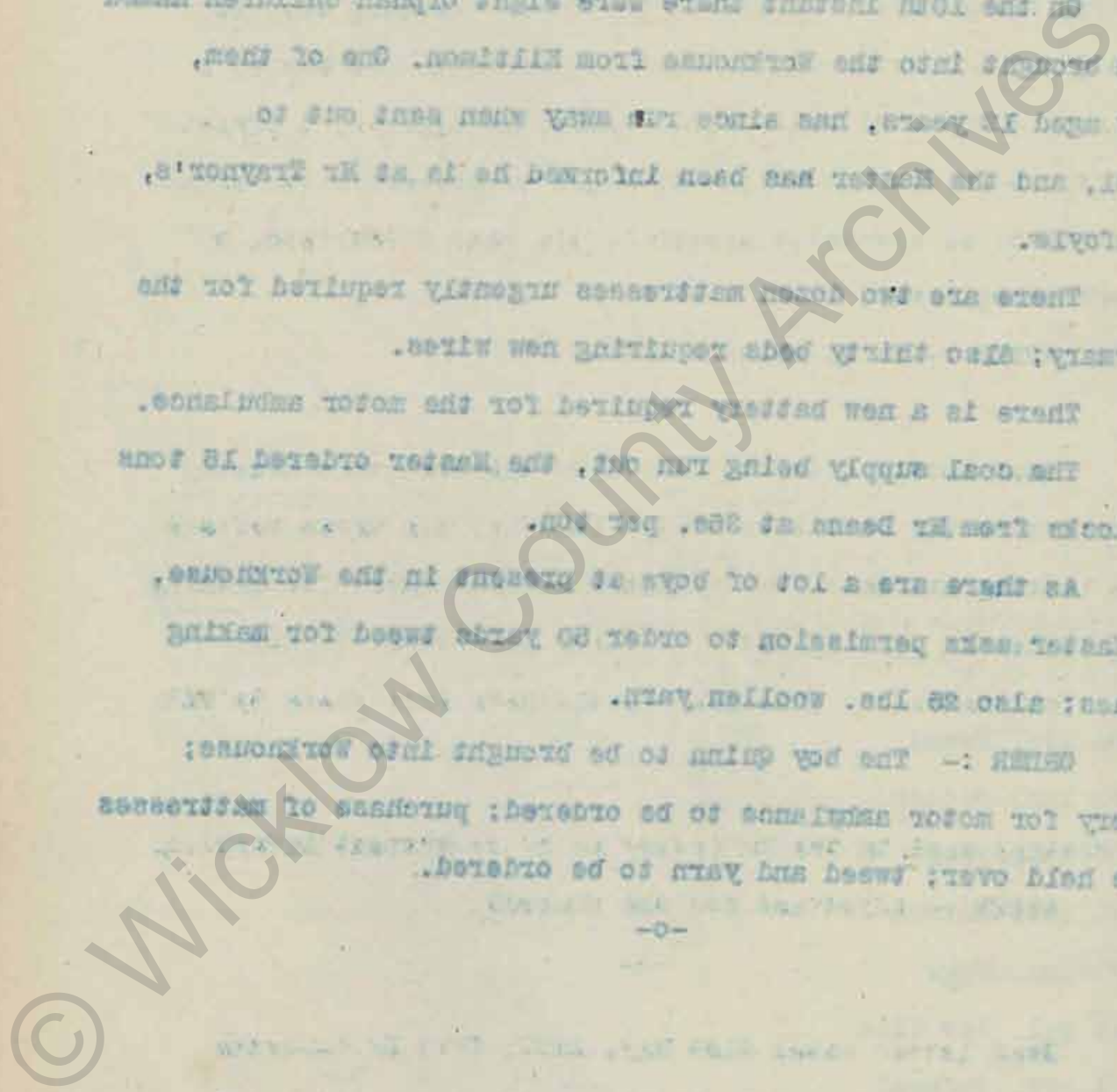
On the 10th instant there were eight orphan children named John, Robert, James, William, Thomas, George, and one of them, a boy aged 12 years, has since been sent out to school, and the Master has been informed he is at Mr. Trencher's, Galloway.

There are two women mattresses urgently required for the Infirmary; also thirty beds requiring new wires.

There is a new battery required for the motor ambulance. The coal supply being low, the Master ordered 15 tons of blocks from Mr. Deane at 25s. per ton.

As there are a lot of boys at present in the Workhouse, the Master asks permission to order 50 lbs. tweed for making clothes; also 25 lbs. woolen yarn.

ORDER :- The boy Quinn to be brought into workhouse; battery for motor ambulance to be ordered; purchase of mattresses to be held over; tweed and yarn to be ordered.



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

The Visiting Committee consisting of Messrs. Morrissey and James Byrne, reported recommending that the following articles set out on Inventory Book be written off as condemned :—

8 bass brooms; 1 paint brush; 26 scrubbing brushes; 9 sweeping brushes; 3 whitewash do.; 1 salt cellar; 1 boot brush; 1 hatchet; 1 milk measure; 1 spade; 2 shovels; 1 billhook; 2 chairs; 5 chambers; 7 lamps; 1 picture; 1 feeding cup; 10 foot jars; 1 hearth rug; 10 buckets; 4 basins; 10 bowls, 2 boilers; 8 cups and saucers; 3 dishes; 12 eggcups; 1 frypan; 3 jugs; 12 knives and forks; 40 mugs; 37 plates; 4 qt. tins; 1 saucepan; 30 spoons; 1 teapot; 1 tin can; 2 tumblers; 4 fireshovels; 1 map.

ORDER :— To be written off.

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Read letter from the Matron of the Workhouse drawing attention to the condition of the laundry. The three boilers were leaking and there was no place to heat water for washing the clothes or ^{for} heating water to clean the house. It was absolutely necessary that they should have some place to boil

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

the clothes used in the Infirmary so as to prevent infection.

ORDER :— Adjourned for the present.

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Read letter dated 21st May, 1921, from Mr Laurence Murray, Avoca, thanking the Guardians for co-opting him a member of the Board. He regretted that owing to a serious accident he met with some time ago he was much in arrear with his own business and would not be able to attend the Board meetings as he should wish to.

ORDER :— To be asked to reconsider.

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The Visiting Committee consisting of Messrs. Morrissey

and James Byrne reported recommending that the following

- articles set out on Inventory Book be written off as condemned :-
- 3 brass brooms; 1 paint brush; 26 scrubbing brushes; 2
- sweeping brushes; 3 whitewash do.; 1 salt cellar; 1 brass brush;
- 1 basket; 1 milk measure; 1 spade; 2 shovels; 1 bilboes; 2
- chairs; 2 stamper; 7 lamps; 1 picture; 1 feeding cup; 10
- foot stools; 1 hairbrush; 19 brushes; 4 basins; 10 bowls; 2
- boilers; 6 cups and saucers; 2 dinner; 12 egg-cups; 1 typewriter;
- 3 tins; 12 knives and forks; 40 cups; 25 plates; 4 pt. tins;
- 1 washpan; 30 spoons; 1 teapot; 1 tin can; 2 tumbler; 4
- lithographs; 1 map.

ORDER :- To be written off.

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Read letter from the Mayor of the Workhouse drawing attention to the condition of the laundry. The three boilers were leaking and there was no place to heat water for washing the clothes or heating water to clean the house. It was absolutely necessary that they should have some place to boil

the clothes used in the laundry so as to prevent infection.

ORDER :- Adjourned for the present.

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Read letter dated 21st May, 1921, from Mr. Lawrence Murray, Avoca, thanking the Guardians for co-opting him a member of the Board. He regretted that owing to a serious accident he met with some time ago he was much in arrears with his own business and would not be able to attend the

Board meetings as he should wish to.

ORDER :- To be asked to reconsider.

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Department

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 No. 3880/21, dated 29th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Direann, referring to letter of the Clerk of the Union of 18th idem, in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to grant an increase of remuneration to the Workhouse Ambulance Driver, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government would be glad to be furnished with full details showing the present condition of the Guardians' finances.

ORDER :- Supplied.

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Read letter No. 3861/21, dated 29th April, 1921, from same, referring to previous correspondence and to the letter of the Clerk of the Union of 18th idem, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £2-2s. per week, with 18s. a week in lieu of rations and also travelling and laundry expenses to Miss Mary J. Keogh for her services as temporary Nurse in the Workhouse.

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Read letter No. 4415/21, dated 7th May, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 25th ultimo, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed purchase of an outfit for the Porter of the Workhouse at a cost not exceeding £5. In regard to the proposal to grant an increase of salary to Nurse Carroll, who is employed in the Workhouse Infirmary, the Ministry would be glad to be furnished with a statement showing the total number of Nurses employed in the institution, and the salary paid to each. They would also like to have information as to the present condition of the Guardians' finances.

ORDER :- Supplied.

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The following information is being furnished to you for your information and for the information of the Board of Guardians.

Head letter No. 3883/21, dated 28th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Balli District, referring to letter of the Clerk of the Union of 18th April, in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to grant an increase of remuneration to the workhouse attendants and stating that the Ministry for Local Government would be glad to be furnished with full details showing the present condition of the Guardians' finances.

ORDER :- supplied.

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Head letter No. 3883/21, dated 28th April, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Balli District, referring to previous correspondence and to the letter of the Clerk of the Union of 18th April, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payments of remuneration at the rate of Rs. 25/- per week, with a week in lieu of rations and also travelling and laundry expenses to Miss Mary J. Heugh for her services as temporary nurse in the workhouse.

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Head letter No. 4415/21, dated 7th May, 1921, from the Board of Guardians on 28th April, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed purchase of an outfit for the Porter of the workhouse at a cost not exceeding Rs. 10/-. In regard to the proposal to grant an increase of salary to Nurse Cartoll, who is employed in the workhouse infirmary, the Ministry would be glad to be furnished with a statement showing the total number of nurses employed in the institution and the salary paid to each. They would also like to have information as to the present condition of the Guardians' finances.

ORDER :- supplied.

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Read order dated May 5th, 1921, from the Trade Department, Dail Eireann, declaring that on and after May 28th, 1921, the importation and sale of British-Made Margarine was prohibited.

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Read letter dated 9th May, 1921, from Mr Charles Cullen, Rathdrum, as follows :-

I have been informed that I got contract at 1s 9d for Butter for the twelve months. I was sure I had tendered at 2s 9d, and this is what I meant to do. In the hurry filling up tender I must have made this mistake. I could not think of supplying it any less than 2s 9d for the twelve months. Under these circumstances I will not complete bond.

Proposed by Mr James Byrne, Ballinderry, seconded by Mr Michael Morrissey :-

That Mr Charles Cullen be not asked to complete contract for the supply of butter for twelve months at 1s 9d per lb., as we are satisfied that an error was made in filling his tender, his intention being to tender at 2s 9d; and that advertisements be issued inviting tenders for the supply of butter for three months.

Passed.

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Read letter dated 20th May, 1921, from the Secretary, Irish County Councils' General Council, Dublin, stating that they regretted that the arrangements for a pool contract for supply of drugs had temporarily broken down and Boards of Guardians were advised to make their own contracts. If it were found difficult or impossible for them to do so the General Council would endeavour to facilitate them in the matter.

ORDER :- Tenders to be opened.

The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders received for supplying for year ending March 31st, 1922, medicines and medical and surgical appliances to the Workhouse and Dispensaries in the Union.

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Read order dated 20th May 1931, from the
Department, Dublin, stating that on 15th
May 1931, the information was given of British
supplies was prohibited.

Read letter dated 20th May, 1931, from Mr. Charles
Gallen, Registrar, as follows :-

I have been informed that I got contract at 1s 6d for
butter for the twelve months. I was sure I had tendered at
1s 6d, and this is what I meant to do. In the hurry filling up
tender I must have made this mistake. I could not think of
supplying it any less than 1s 6d for the twelve months. Under
these circumstances I will not complete bond.

Proposed by Mr. James Byrne, Ballyhenry, seconded by
Mr. Michael Morrissey :-

That Mr. Charles Gallen be not asked to complete contract
for the supply of butter for twelve months at 1s 6d per lb.,
as he has intimated that an error was made in filling his
tender, his intention being to tender at 1s 6d and that advantage
might be taken inviting tenders for the supply of butter for three
months.

Passed.

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Read letter dated 20th May, 1931, from the Registrar,
Dublin, stating that
they requested that the arrangements for a pool contract for
supply of drugs had temporarily broken down and Boards of
Guardians were advised to make their own contracts. It is
found difficult or impossible for them to do so the General
Council would endeavour to facilitate them in the matter.

ORDER :- Tenders to be opened.

The Guardians proceeded to consider tenders received
for supplying for year ending March 31st, 1932, medicines
and medical and surgical appliances to the workhouse and

dispensaries in the Union.

The following tenders were received :-

Medicines.

Boileau & Boyd., Ltd. at 15½ per cent abatement on list prices.

Fine Chemicals Ltd., Dublin, at 5 per cent abatement; with monthly payments.

The tender of Messrs. Boileau & Boyd, Ltd., was accepted.

Appliances.

Fielding's Pharmacy, Cork, at 8 per cent abatement.

Boileau & Boyd, Ltd., Dublin, at 15½ per cent abatement.

Fannin & Co., Ltd., do., at 17½ per cent abatement, provided that payment was made within 3 months of the date of the supply of goods.

The Board accepted the tender of Messrs. Fannin & Co., Ltd.

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Read letter from an inmate of the Workhouse named Mary Copeland applying to be supplied with an artificial limb. Her leg had been ~~amp~~ amputated eighteen months ago and she had no crutches; she had to be carried about by the women in the House.

ORDER :- A pair of crutches to be supplied.

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Read letter from Mrs E. G. Byrne, matron of the Workhouse, applying for one month's leave of absence. If given permission, Mrs Chance, who had acted for her before, would do duty for her.

ORDER :- Leave granted; Matron to pay substitute.

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Read letter dated 21st May, 1921, from the Surveyor of Taxes, Dublin, pointing out that the return under the Income Tax Acts of names and addresses of the officers of the Board and payments made them, of Guardians had not yet been received. Immediate attention to the matter was requested.

ORDER :- Not to be supplied.

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The following tenders were received :-

Medicines.

Holman & Boyd, Ltd., Dublin, at 15 1/2 per cent abatement on 11/11/21

Prices.

The Chemicals Ltd., Dublin, at 8 per cent abatement; with

monthly payments.

The tender of Messrs. Holman & Boyd, Ltd., was accepted.

Appliances.

Flaherty's Pharmacy, Cork, at 8 per cent abatement.

Holman & Boyd, Ltd., Dublin, at 15 1/2 per cent abatement.

Yannin & Co., Ltd., do., at 17 1/2 per cent abatement, provided

that payment was made within 8 months of the date of the supply

of goods.

The Board accepted the tender of Messrs. Yannin & Co., Ltd.

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Taxes, Dublin, pointing out that the return under the Income

Tax Act of names and addresses of the officers of the Board

of Guardians had not been received. Immediate attention

to the matter was requested.

ORDER :- Not to be supplied.

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Proposed by Mr John McDonald, seconded by Mr Morrissey :-

That we, the members of the Rathdrum Board of Guardians and Rural District Council, offer our heartiest congratulations to Messrs. R. C. Barton, C. M. Byrne, Erskine Childers, Donal Buckley and Art O'Connor on their unanimous return as representatives of Kildare and Wicklow. We feel proud of the fact that the worthy Chairman of the Rural District Council, Mr C. M. Byrne, and Mr R. C. Barton are members of this Board and Council.

Passed unanimously.

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Read letter dated 12th May, 1921, from Mr J. H. McCarroll, solicitor, stating that in consequence of the Master of the Workhouse informing him that Patrick Murphy, Wicklow, recently deceased, owed the Guardians for support and maintenance while in the Infirmary he had applied to the solicitor for the administrator and enclosed copy of his reply.

In his reply Mr P. Kennedy, solicitor, stated that William Murphy was the administrator of Patrick Murphy, deceased, and he would get into communication with him on his return from New York, which he expected this month. Administration had been taken out and Statutory Notice to Creditors duly published.

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The Board proceeded to consider tenders for supplying New Milk to the Workhouse for the twelve months commencing 1st July, 1921.

The following tenders were received :-

A. M. Byrne, Ballykeane, whole quantity, at 1s 9d per gallon.

Charles Cullen, Rathdrum, at 1s 9d per gallon, half quantity.

John Short, Ballinacarrig, half quantity, at 1s 9d per gallon.

The Board accepted the tenders of Charles Cullen and John Short for half the required quantity in each case.

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purchase only what is absolutely necessary for

Read following report :-

The increase under the heading Medical Charities is due to the Committee appointed by the Board of Guardians to go into the question of Union administration met on 21st May, 1921.

Present - Messrs. James Turner, in the chair, M. Morrissey, James Byrne, Ballinderry, and Mrs Bitler.

The Committee had before them the report on the administration of the Cork Workhouse, recently published, and also returns showing the expenditure of the Rathdrum Guardians under the different headings for the year ended March 31st, 1921, and the corresponding figures for the year ended March, 1920.

The Committee recommend that the Visiting Committee be asked to visit the Workhouse and Infirmary and report as to whether any adjustment of the dietary scale would be possible which would render the diets more acceptable to the inmates, and while preventing the possibility of any wastage arising. Information as to the contract prices of the several articles consumed in the Workhouse should be furnished the Committee. The Committee recommend that the Guardians might, as occasion arises, consider the question of reducing the periods for which some of the contracts are taken.

With regard to the expenditure on Clothing and Bedding, the Committee consider that the present stock in the Workhouse should be sufficient for the use of the inmates for the present and they recommend that an order be made that no further purchases be made for a period of at least six months from this date.

In connection with the Establishment charges the Committee observe that, as in the case of Clothing, the expenditure has been considerably curtailed since the report on the Committee on the Union Estimates last December. They are of opinion that further economies are possible and they recommend that directions be given that orders be given to

purchase only what is absolutely necessary for

the present.

The increase under the heading Medical Charities

is due to the increased salary scales for medical officers

and dispensary midwives which have come into operation. The

Committee recommend that no expenditure be incurred in the

repair of dispensary residences and dispensaries for a

period of twelve months.

Outdoor Relief expenditure is largely increased

but the Guardians are aware of this and have accordingly

consequently increased in some of the more populous portions of

the Union and the Committee recommend that the several

Relieving Officers be required to report fully all the

circumstances of each case applicant for relief and that

they report periodically to the Board whether any circumstances

have arisen that would require a revision of the grant of

relief proper and necessary.

The Committee recommend that all inmates of the workhouse

or infirmary who are in receipt of wages should

be required to contribute at the rate of one shilling per day

towards the cost of their maintenance in the institution. Further,

the Master should be directed to require from each patient

in the Hospital who is in a position to do so, a contribution

of the whole or part of the cost of maintenance.

The Committee did not go into the question of the

suggested amalgamation of Unions, regarding it as one that should

be dealt with by the whole Board.

The Committee decided to hold a further meeting on

Saturday, 2nd June, 1911.

Signed,

Michael Mortimer

Chairman

Report adopted. Signed for the Board

Michael Mortimer, Chairman, and the year

stockings; Messrs. Haughton and Kavanagh to be added to
Committee.

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Read letter from an inmate of the Workhouse named Mary
Byrne applying for an outfit of clothing to enable her to
go out to service.

ORDER :- Refused.

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James Byrne

13-6-21

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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 30th

day of May 19 21.

(Signed) P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

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The Board and other members to have been elected by the Board together with
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Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Monday, the _____ 19____

 Clerk of the Board

TABLE 17. STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to
Boarded out Children.

Read letter No. 4723/21, dated 10th May, 1921, from the
Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging
receipt of particulars on Form A. regarding the proposal of the
Board of Guardians to board out William Bowen with Mrs Susan Gegan,
of Aughrim, and intimating that the Ministry of Local Government
would not raise any objection to this proposal.

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Read letter dated 23rd May, 1921, from Mrs Mernagh,
Avondale, proposing to take out to nurse two children named
Quinn at present in the Workhouse.

ORDER :- Annie Quinn and Kate Quinn to be sent to nurse
with Mrs Mernagh.

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Relieving Officer Edge reported that Mrs Patrick Kavanagh,
Ballard, with whom the Guardians proposed to board out two
children named King, stated she desired to have the care of only
one child. She could not undertake the care of two children.

ORDER :- Advertise for foster parent for the two King
children; also for foster parents for any children in Workhouse
eligible for boarding out.

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ORDER :- That agreement with Mrs Annie Holt, Killadreenan,
for care of the children, Bridget and Andrew Doyle; and agreement
with Mrs Kate Kennedy, Rednagh, for care of the child Julia
Kennedy, now submitted, be sealed.

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Meeting held the 23rd day of May 1921.

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

Indoor, from No. 1829 to No. 1918

Out door „ No. 3802 to No. 3815

Separate „ 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 May 1921, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total			Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates		By Officers		Total		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	78	15	1	78	17	7	157	12	8	89	4	7	3	17	3	73	1	10	84	10	1150	
Necessaries	28	-	4	7	-	-	35	-	4	10	8	-	3	13	4	14	1	4	20	19		-
Total	106	15	5	85	17	7	192	13	-	79	12	7	7	10	7	87	3	2	105	9		10

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	9	8½
Average Cost in Infirmary	...	10	8
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	...	21	4

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

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

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

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

the 14th day of May 19 21, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Edge			Relieving Officer Byrne			Relieving Officer Butler			Relieving Officer Murphy			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total					
	District No. I £ s. d.			District No. II £ s. d.			District No. III £ s. d.			District No. IV £ s. d.			District No. V £ s. d.			District No. VI £ s. d.			£ s. d.					
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	16	2	4	29	4	6	9	4	6	20	18	4							75	9	8			
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	30	-	-	30	-	-	30	-	-										90	-	-			
3. Total to be accounted for ...	46	2	4	59	4	6	39	4	6	20	18	4							165	9	8			
EXPENDITURE.																								
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—																								
In Money ...	9	4	6	30	7	6	28	14	-	10	19	6							79	5	6			
In Kind ...																								
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own Responsibility																								
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...				11	-	-																11	-	-
7. Total Relief given	9	4	6	41	7	6	28	14	-	10	19	6							90	5	6			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	36	17	10	17	17	-	10	10	6	9	18	10							75	4	2			
9. Total	46	2	4	59	4	6	39	4	6	20	18	4							165	9	8			

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

Dated this 23rd day of May 19 21.

P. W. Phelan
Clerk of Union.

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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 May 19 21.

PRESENT—In the Chair, Mr Felix Kavanagh.

Other Guardians :—

Messrs. Morrissey, James Byrne, Ballinderry; Louth, Haughton, McDonald, Gaule.

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.	

Bathurum Union.

Medical Charities Act (14 & 15 Vic, cap. 63, &c.)

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

a Meeting held on Monday, the 23rd day of May 1851.

Present—In the Chair, Mr. John Kavanagh.

Other Guardians:—

Messrs. Morrissey, James Ryan, & Ballinacorney;

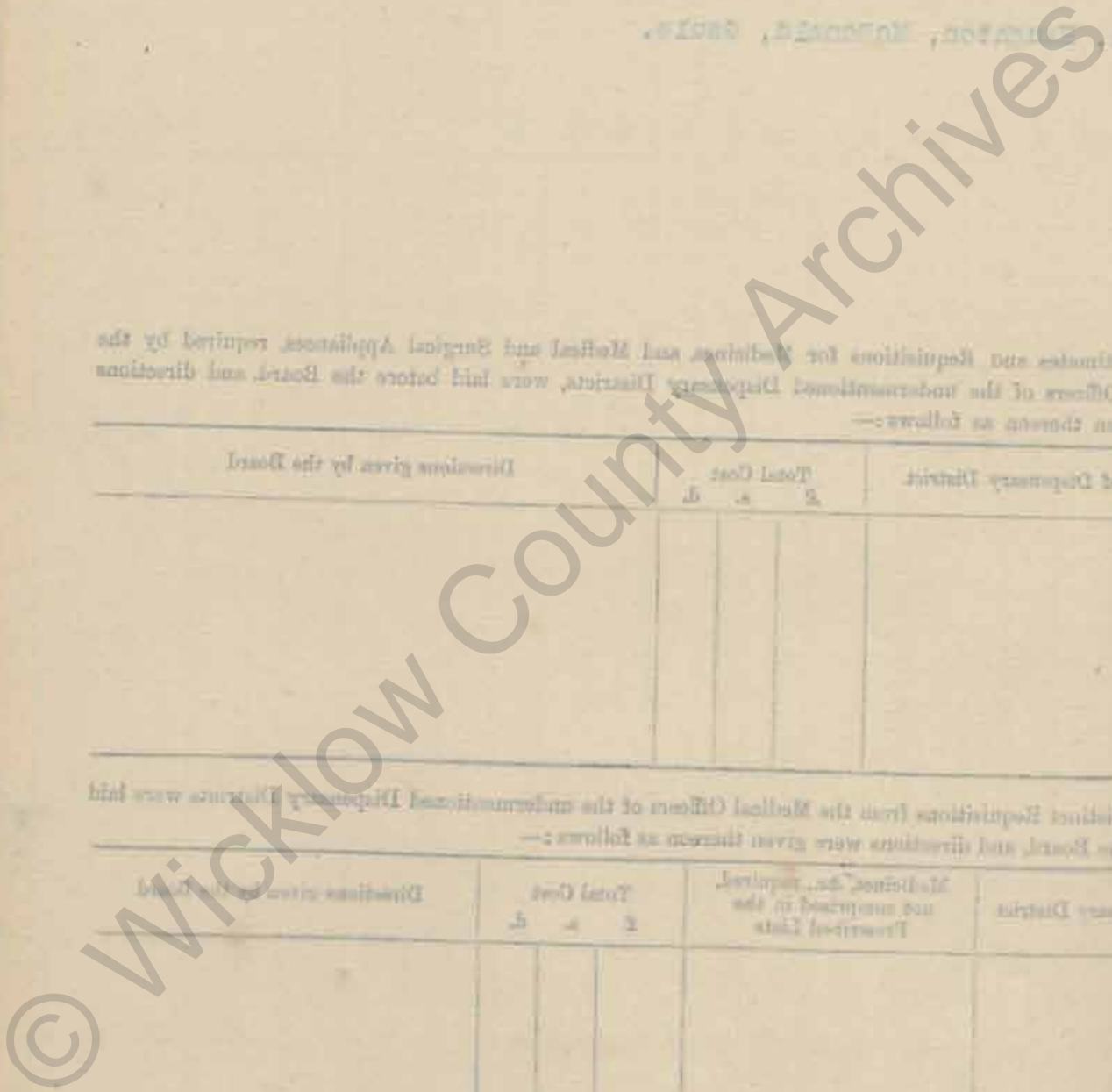
Messrs.

Estimates and resolutions for
Medical Officers of the
were given

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

Discussions
before the Board, and resolutions were given

Dispensary District	Medical Officers, as reported, not mentioned in the	Total Cost		Discussions given by the Board
		£	s.	



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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of
 each half-year, in pur-
 suance of Article 33
 of the General Rules
 for Dispensary Dis-
 tricts, dated 24th Feb-
 ruary, 1890.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union, for the half-year ended....., having been
 submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-
 year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half-year ended.....

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

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

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

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

Department

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:—

Read letter No. 4418/31, dated 13th May, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 25th ultimo, and requesting to be informed how long Dr Finnegan, Medical Officer, Newcastle Dispensary District, had been absent on sick leave. In reference to the claim submitted by Messrs. McCormick for coal delivered at the Aughrim Dispensary in 1918, the Ministry pointed out that this claim was now statute barred and could not legally be paid by the Guardians.

ORDER :- Information regarding period of Dr Finnegan's absence on sick leave supplied.

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ORDER :- Leave granted; three weeks to pay for

expenses.

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

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

Table with columns for Dispensary Districts and names of children. The table is mostly blank with some faint lines.

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

Summary table with columns for Total, and various sub-totals. The data is mostly illegible due to fading.

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Table with columns for names and other details, possibly a list of children or medical records. The text is very faint.

James Byrne
13.6.21

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 30th

day of May 19 21.

(Signed) P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

Reports (Form B) containing the names of children born in the District who are over three months of age, and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Parishes—

Parishes
District
Date
1881

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

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James [unclear]
1881

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the _____ day of _____ 1881

(Signed) _____
Chair of the Union

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £133,901:8:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of May 19 21.

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		151														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital		1														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		152														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			46	44		35	8	13	6	15	12	187	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	70	In separate Wards	-
Admitted during the Week			12	3	3	3						26	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	1	In Wards with other inmates	8
Born																
TOTAL			85	44	3	28	8	13	6	16	12	193	TOTAL	71	TOTAL	8
Discharged during the Week			20	3	2	1	1		2	1		30	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Died					1							1	Males	19	Fe. males	
Total Discharged and Died			20	3	3	1	1		2	1		31	No. Relieved during week	19		19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			45	41		27	5	13	4	15	12	182	No. in Workhouse at date	5		5
													No. at corresponding period last year, 174.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of May 19 21 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 19 Vic. c. 21, s. 1)	
		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	31	46
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	88	193
T. Butler	No. III.	101	178
L. Murphy	No. IV.	39	72
	TOTAL	359	489

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 30th day of May 19 21.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

James Byrne
13-6-21
J. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

30th day of May 19 21.

The Board of Health of the County of Wicklow, Ireland, do hereby certify that the following is a list of the persons who have been vaccinated with the vaccine virus of the varioloid virus, and who have received the second dose of the vaccine virus, on the 10th day of the month of August, 1901.

No. of the Vaccination	Name of the Person	Age	Sex	Religion	Profession	Address	Date of Vaccination	
							First Dose	Second Dose
1	John Smith	25	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	10, Main Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
2	Mary Jones	30	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	15, High Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
3	James Brown	20	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	20, Market Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
4	Elizabeth White	28	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	25, Church Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
5	William Black	35	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	30, Bridge Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
6	Ann Green	22	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	35, Mill Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
7	Robert Grey	18	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	40, Park Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
8	Elizabeth King	32	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	45, School Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
9	Thomas Lee	27	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	50, Station Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
10	Margaret Hall	24	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	55, Market Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
11	John King	31	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	60, Church Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
12	Elizabeth King	29	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	65, Mill Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
13	William King	26	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	70, Park Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
14	Ann King	23	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	75, School Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
15	Robert King	19	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	80, Station Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
16	Elizabeth King	33	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	85, Market Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
17	Thomas King	28	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	90, Church Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
18	Margaret King	25	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	95, Mill Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
19	John King	34	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	100, Park Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01
20	Elizabeth King	30	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	105, School Street, Wicklow	10/8/01	10/10/01

The above is a true and correct copy of the original list of the persons who have been vaccinated with the vaccine virus of the varioloid virus, and who have received the second dose of the vaccine virus, on the 10th day of the month of August, 1901.

No. of the Vaccination	Name of the Person	Age	Sex	Religion	Profession	Address
21	John King	36	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	110, Station Street, Wicklow
22	Margaret King	31	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	115, Market Street, Wicklow
23	William King	27	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	120, Church Street, Wicklow
24	Ann King	24	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	125, Mill Street, Wicklow
25	Robert King	19	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	130, Park Street, Wicklow
26	Elizabeth King	32	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	135, School Street, Wicklow
27	Thomas King	28	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	140, Station Street, Wicklow
28	Margaret King	25	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	145, Market Street, Wicklow
29	John King	35	M	Roman Catholic	Labourer	150, Church Street, Wicklow
30	Elizabeth King	30	F	Roman Catholic	Housewife	155, Mill Street, Wicklow

The above is a true and correct copy of the original list of the persons who have been vaccinated with the vaccine virus of the varioloid virus, and who have received the second dose of the vaccine virus, on the 10th day of the month of August, 1901.

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of August, 1901.

 Medical Officer of Health

 Registrar

 Clerk of the Board

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of May 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each building	Total No. in such building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse		158												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Government Fever Hospital														
Beer Sheds														
TOTAL		158												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			45	41		27	5	13	4	15	12	162	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 86	In separate Wards } -
Admitted during the Week			11	1	4	1			1			18	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } -	In Wards with other inmates } 8
Born												-	TOTAL, 86	TOTAL, 8
TOTAL			56	42	4	28	5	13	5	15	12	180	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS	
Discharged during the Week			15	2	2	3			1		1	24	Males Females Children under 15 TOTAL	
Died												-	No. Relieved during week } 1 1 1 12	
Total Discharged and Died			15	2	2	3			1		1	24	No. in Work-house at date } 4 1 5	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			41	40	2	25	5	13	4	15	11	156	No. at corresponding period last year, 178.	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of May 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 40 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	33	48
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	193
T. Butler	No. III.	102	179
L. Murphy	No. IV.	39	72
TOTAL		263	492

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 8th day of June 1921.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

James Byrne

13-6-21

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

8th day of June 1921.

Minutes of the Board of Directors of the Wicklow County Council for the year 1911

No.	Name	Age		Sex	Religion	Profession	Education	Marital Status	Place of Birth	Date of Birth
		Years	Months							
1	Mr. J. J. ...	45	6	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1865
2	Mr. J. ...	38	12	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1872
3	Mr. J. ...	52	3	M	Roman Catholic	Retired	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1858
4	Mr. J. ...	41	9	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1869
5	Mr. J. ...	35	11	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1875
6	Mr. J. ...	48	7	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1862
7	Mr. J. ...	32	10	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1878
8	Mr. J. ...	55	4	M	Roman Catholic	Retired	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1855
9	Mr. J. ...	43	8	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1867
10	Mr. J. ...	37	11	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1873

There was no meeting of the Board on this day.

No.	Name	Age	Sex	Religion	Profession	Education	Marital Status	Place of Birth	Date of Birth
11	Mr. J. ...	40	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1870
12	Mr. J. ...	33	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1877
13	Mr. J. ...	50	M	Roman Catholic	Retired	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1860
14	Mr. J. ...	44	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1866
15	Mr. J. ...	36	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1874
16	Mr. J. ...	53	M	Roman Catholic	Retired	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1857
17	Mr. J. ...	42	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1868
18	Mr. J. ...	34	M	Roman Catholic	Shopkeeper	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1876
19	Mr. J. ...	51	M	Roman Catholic	Retired	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1859
20	Mr. J. ...	46	M	Roman Catholic	Farmer	Primary	Married	Wicklow	1864

There was no meeting of the Board on this day.

There was no meeting of the Board on this day.

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 Clerk of the Council

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Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 19

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse																	
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return														Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	In separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week														Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In Wards with other inmates		
Born														TOTAL	TOTAL		
TOTAL														NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week														Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died														No. Relieved during week			
Total Discharged and Died														No. in Workhouse at date			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE														No. at corresponding period last year,			

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

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 18 Vic., c. 21, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases Relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.		
A. M. Byrne	No. II.		
T. Butler	No. III.		
L. Murphy	No. IV.		
	TOTAL		

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Annual Meeting on Saturday the 11th day of June 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr James Byrne, outgoing Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians—
Mrs Butler, Messrs Matthew Murtagh, Wm.

Murphy.

Annual
The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

No. of the Survey	Name of the Land		Area	Description of the Land	Date of Survey	Name of the Surveyor	Remarks
	Plot No.	Section No.					
1							
2							
3							
4							
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No.	Name	Area	Description
1			
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MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Land Commissioners, Wicklow County, Ireland, for the year 1877.

At a meeting of the Board of Land Commissioners, held at the County Office, Wicklow, on the 11th day of June 1877.

Present: Mr. James Byrne, Chairman; Mr. Robert MacDonnell, Vice-Chairman; Mr. Robert MacDonnell, Secretary; Mr. Robert MacDonnell, Members.



The Guardians proceeded to elect Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Deputy Vice-Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Proposed by Mrs Butler, seconded by Mr Murphy :-

That Miss Dulcibella Barton be elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously.

Proposed by Mr Murphy, seconded by Mrs Butler :-

That Mr James Byrne, Tinnakilly, be elected Vice-Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously.

Mr Byrne returned thanks for his election.

Proposed by Mr Murtagh, seconded by Mrs Butler :-

That Mr Laurence Redmond be appointed Deputy Vice-Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mr Murtagh, seconded by Mr Murphy :-

That a ^{Finance} Visiting Committee be formed to consist of the following Guardians :- Miss Barton, Jas. Byrne, Tinnakilly; Joseph Clarke, Felix Kavanagh, C. M. Byrne, M. Murtagh, M. Morrissey, and James Everett.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mrs Butler, seconded by Mr Murphy :-

That a Visiting Committee be formed to consist of the following Guardians :- Miss Barton, Jas. Byrne, Tinnakilly; Felix Kavanagh, M. Murtagh, M. Morrissey, Jas. Haughton. C. M. Byrne, Jas. Everett, Jas. Turner, L. Redmond and Jas. Byrne, Ballinderry.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mr Murtagh, seconded by Mrs Butler :-

That the best thanks of the Board of Guardians are due and hereby tendered to the officials of the Union,
and

The Chairman proceeded to elect Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Deputy Vice-Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

Proposed by Mrs Butler, seconded by Mr Murphy :-
That Miss Michaela Barton be elected Chairman of

the Board for the ensuing year.
Passed unanimously.

Proposed by Mr Murphy, seconded by Mrs Butler :-
That Mr James Evans, financially, be elected Vice-

Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.
Passed unanimously.

Mr Evans thanked them for his election.

Proposed by Mr Murphy, seconded by Mrs Butler :-
That Mr Lawrence Barton be appointed Deputy Vice-

Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.
Passed unanimously.

Proposed by Mr Murphy, seconded by Mr Murphy :-
That a visiting committee be formed to consist of

the following gentlemen :- Miss Barton, Mrs Butler, Miss
Joseph Clarke, Felix Kavanagh, O. M. Evans, M. Murphy, M.

McCarthy, and James Barrett.
Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mrs Butler, seconded by Mr Murphy :-
That a visiting committee be formed to consist of the

following gentlemen :- Miss Barton, Mrs Butler, Miss
Felix Kavanagh, M. Murphy, M. Kavanagh, Mrs. Kavanagh, O.

M. Evans, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. Turner, L. Hanson and Mrs.
Evans, Ballinacree.

Passed unanimously.

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Proposed by Mr Murphy, seconded by Mrs Butler :-
That the best terms of the Board of Guardians be

and all hereby referred to the officials of the Union.

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and particularly to the Clerk of the Union, for the efficient manner in which the work of the Board has been carried out during the past year.

Passed unanimously.

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Description of Work	Number of Persons								Total	Percentage	
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8			
...	41	40	2	50	6	13	4	25	11	180	80
...	15	6	1	1	3	2				20	10
Total	56	46	3	51	9	15	4	25	11	200	100
...	14	6	1	1	3	2				20	10
...	17	5	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	26	13
...	34	40	3	55	11	17	4	25	10	207	103.5

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Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians on Monday,

13th June, 1921.

Signed,

D. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

and particularly to the Clerk of the Union, for the attention
of the Board in which the work of the Board has been carried out
during the past year.

Passed unanimously.

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Next meeting of the Board of Guardians on Monday,

18th June, 1881. Signed, Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:8:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of June 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	On 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		147															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		147															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			41	40	2	25	5	13	4	15	11	158	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	59	In separate Wards	-	
Admitted during the Week			15	5	1	1	2	2				28	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	-	In Wards with other inmates	7	
Born												-	TOTAL	59	TOTAL	7	
TOTAL			56	45	3	26	7	15	4	15	11	182	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Discharged during the Week			14	5	1	1	3	4	2			30	Males Females Children under 15 TOTAL				
Died			3							1	1	5	No. Relieved during week	15	5	4	24
Total Discharged and Died			17	5	1	1	3	4	2	1	1	35	No. in Work-house at date	2	1		3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			39	40	2	25	4	11	2	14	10	147	No. at corresponding period last year, 177.				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of June 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 19 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	33	48
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	193
T. Butler	No. III.	103	179
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	71
TOTAL		263	491

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 13th day of June 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr James Byrne, Vice-Chairman.

Other Guardians—

Messrs. Jas. Everett, James Haughton, John

Louth, John Gregory, Bernard Kelly, Jas. Byrne, Ballinderry;

M. Morrissey, John McDonald, C. M. Byrne, Wm. Redmond, Joseph

Clarke, Laurence Redmond, James O'Brien, Felix Kavanagh.

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.

1,100 lbs. Bread
70 lbs. Butter
100 lbs. Beef
130 lbs. Mutton
20 doz. Eggs
138 gal. New Milk
58 lbs. Cabbage
58 lbs. Onions
1 roll Tobacco
12 tons Firewood

The Clerk's Report on the accounts of the Board of Health for the year 1891

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The Board of Health of Wicklow County, in pursuance of the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Public Health Act, 1890, have the honor to report to the County Council the following particulars of the accounts of the Board for the year 1891:

1,100 lbs. Bread
70 lbs. Butter
100 lbs. Beer
120 lbs. Mutton
50 doz. Eggs
100 gal. Raw Milk
50 lbs. Cabbage
50 lbs. Onions
1 doz. Tobacco
12 doz. Potatoes

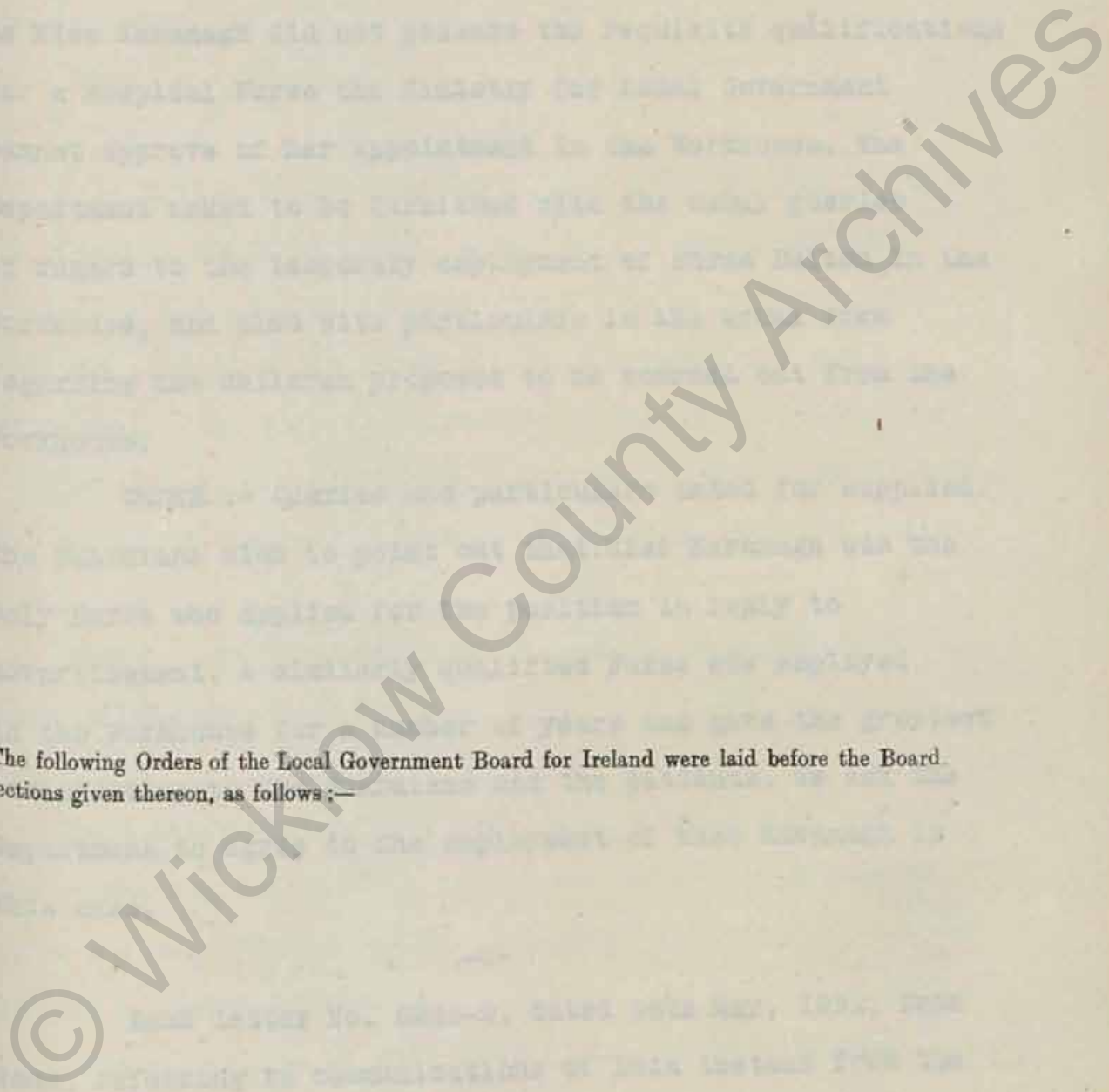
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read and Orders were made thereon, as follows:—

Local letter No. 1071/24, dated 20th May, 1924, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, referring to entry in minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians in 1914 in regard to the employment of Miss M. J. ...

Local letter No. 1071/24, dated 20th May, 1924, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, referring to entry in minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians in 1914 in regard to the employment of Miss M. J. ...

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

Local letter No. 1071/24, dated 20th May, 1924, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, referring to entry in minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians in 1914 in regard to the employment of Miss M. J. ...



The Report of the Special Committee was read and Order was made thereon as follows:-

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The following Order of the Local Government Board for Ireland was laid before the Council:-

The Council are requested to resolve:-

Dept.

The following Letters from the Local Government ~~Board~~^{XXXX} 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 No. 5271/21, dated 25th May, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to entry in minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 9th instant in regard to the employment of Miss E. M. Kavanagh as Night Nurse in the Workhouse, and stating that as Miss Kavanagh did not possess the requisite qualifications for a Hospital Nurse the Ministry for Local Government cannot approve of her appointment in the Workhouse. The Department asked to be furnished with the usual queries in regard to the temporary employment of Nurse Dalton in the Workhouse, and also with particulars in the usual Form regarding the children proposed to be boarded out from the Workhouse.

ORDER :- Queries and particulars asked for supplied. The Guardians wish to point out that Miss Kavanagh was the only Nurse who applied for the position in reply to advertisement. A similarly qualified Nurse was employed in the Workhouse for a number of years and gave the greatest satisfaction to the Guardians and the patients. We ask the Department to agree to the employment of Miss Kavanagh in this case.

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Read letter No. 5288-9, dated 25th May, 1921, from same, referring to communications of 14th instant from the Clerk of the Union in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to grant increases of remuneration to the Ambulance Driver and to Nurse Carroll, who is employed in the Workhouse Infirmary; the Ministry for Local Government desired to state that in view of the present condition of the Guardians' finances they felt compelled to defer still further the consideration of these matters.

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The following is a list of the names of the persons who were employed in the following order...

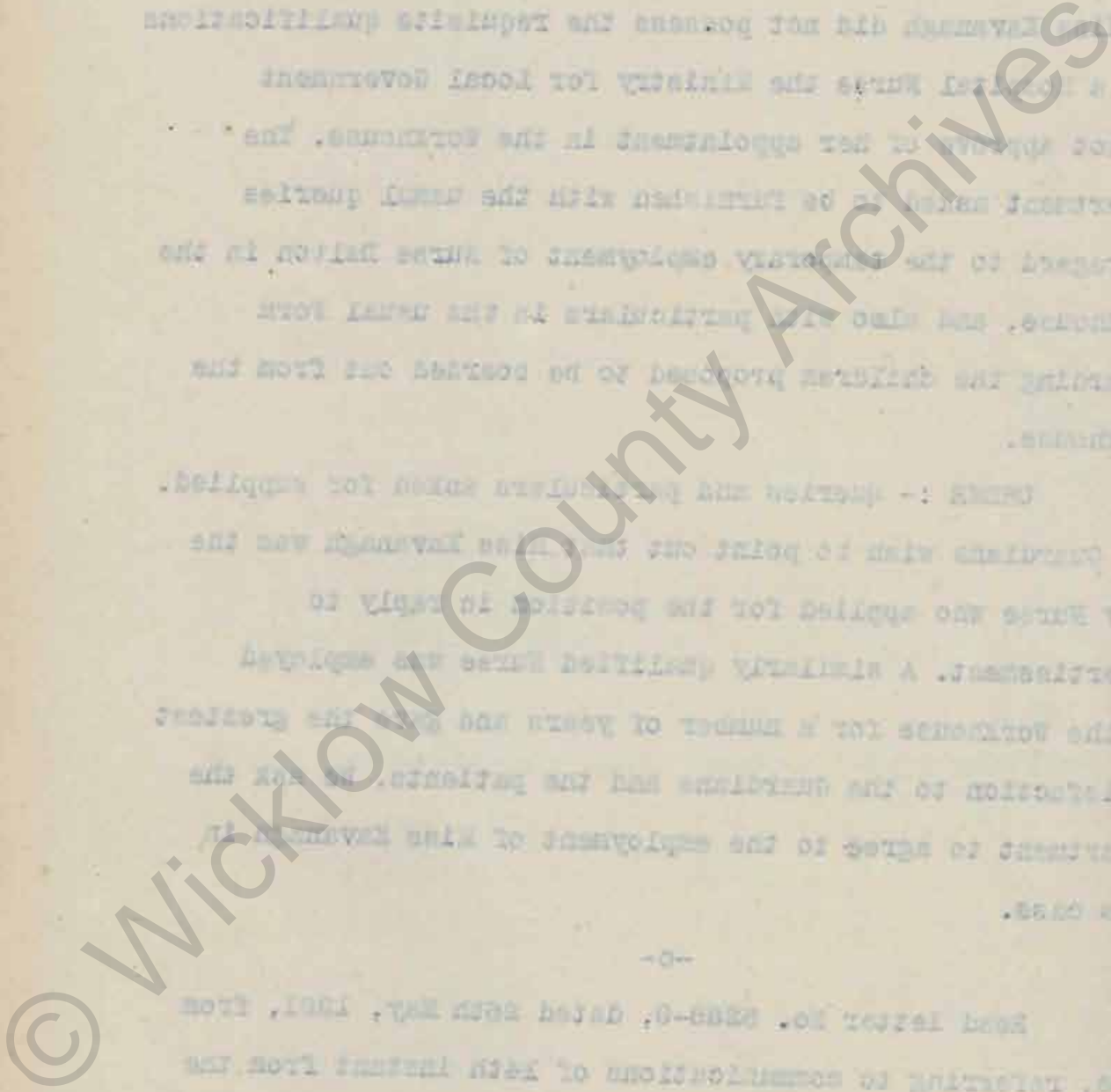
Read letter no. 2271-21, dated 28th May, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Ballisnanny, referring to entry in minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians in 1921 in regard to the employment of Miss M. M. ...

It is stated that the Board of Guardians in the ... The Board of Guardians wish to point out that the ...

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Read letter no. 2283-21, dated 28th May, 1921, from ... The Board of Guardians in the ...

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Read letter dated 9th June, 1921, from same, forwarding circular issued by the Director of Fisheries, Dail Eireann, asking for public support to the effort now being made to organise the sale of fish caught by Irish fishermen by the reorganisation of existing fish markets and the establishment of new markets in Irish towns. Irish public bodies were asked to encourage in every possible way the fostering of the Irish fishing industry.

ORDER :- Approved.

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Read letter dated 25th May, 1921, from the New Irish Mining Company, Wolfhill, Atay, thanking the Guardians for their inquiry and stating in reply that they regretted they were not in a position to enter orders for household coal at the moment. They were very anxious to supply all those who were interested in procuring their coal and with a view to doing so they hoped in the near future to materially increase their output.

ORDER :- Two wagons of Irish coal to be ordered at once by the Master as a trial.

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Read letter dated 29th May, 1921, from Mrs Mary Keddy, Kilcool, applying for outdoor relief for seven grandchildren whom she was maintaining and who had been left orphans recently by the death of the father.

ORDER :- R. O. to give provisional relief pending arrangements for boarding out.

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Read letter from the General Agencies Company, Dublin, asking to be supplied with the names of the Medical Officers attached to the Union, and asking for the support of the Guardians in relation to the use of the Irish made disinfectants registered under the title of "Bacilikil".

ORDER :- Information to be supplied.

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Read letter dated 13th June, 1921, from Patrick Turner, Attendant in the Infirmary, applying for an increase in his salary of £35 a year. He was now four years there and had got no increase or bonus.

ORDERB- Notice to be served.

The following notice was served :-

13th June, 1921.

I hereby give notice that at the meeting to be held on 27th June, 1921, I, or some other member for me, will move that Patrick Turner, Hospital Attendant, be granted an increase of £5 (Five Pounds) per annum on his present salary of £35 and rations.

JOHN LOUTH.

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Read application from Patrick Waters, Newtown Mt. Kennedy, for outdoor relief.

ORDER :- Ten Shillings a week granted for one month.

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An order dated 31st May, 1921, was submitted from the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle, intimating the withholding of payment to the Board of sums which would otherwise be payable to them out of the Local Taxation (Ireland) Account or any Parliamentary grant or fund administered by any Government Department or public body.

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The Board proceeded to consider tenders for supplies to the Workhouse for quarter beginning 1st July, 1921, and accepted those of the undermentioned at the prices set out, viz :-

James Neary	Bread @ 11d per 4 lbs.
Butter Mrs C. Kearns	Butter @ 1s 7½d per lb.
Beef Thomas Cullen	Beef @ 10d per lb.
same	Mutton @ 10s One Shilling per lb.

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Hand letter dated 12th June, 1931, from Patrick Turner, Assistant in the Ministry, applying for an increase in his salary of one year. He was now four years there and had not an increase of pay.

ORDER: - Notice to be served.

The following notice was served :-

12th June, 1931.

I hereby give notice that as the Minister in this regard on 12th June, 1931, I, or some other member of the House of Commons, have written to the Minister, requesting that he should be allowed an increase of one year (five pounds) per annum on his present salary of £1,000.

JAMES DOUGLAS

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Hand application from Patrick Turner, Newton

St. Mary's, for notice to be served. ORDER: - See Billings, 12th June, 1931.

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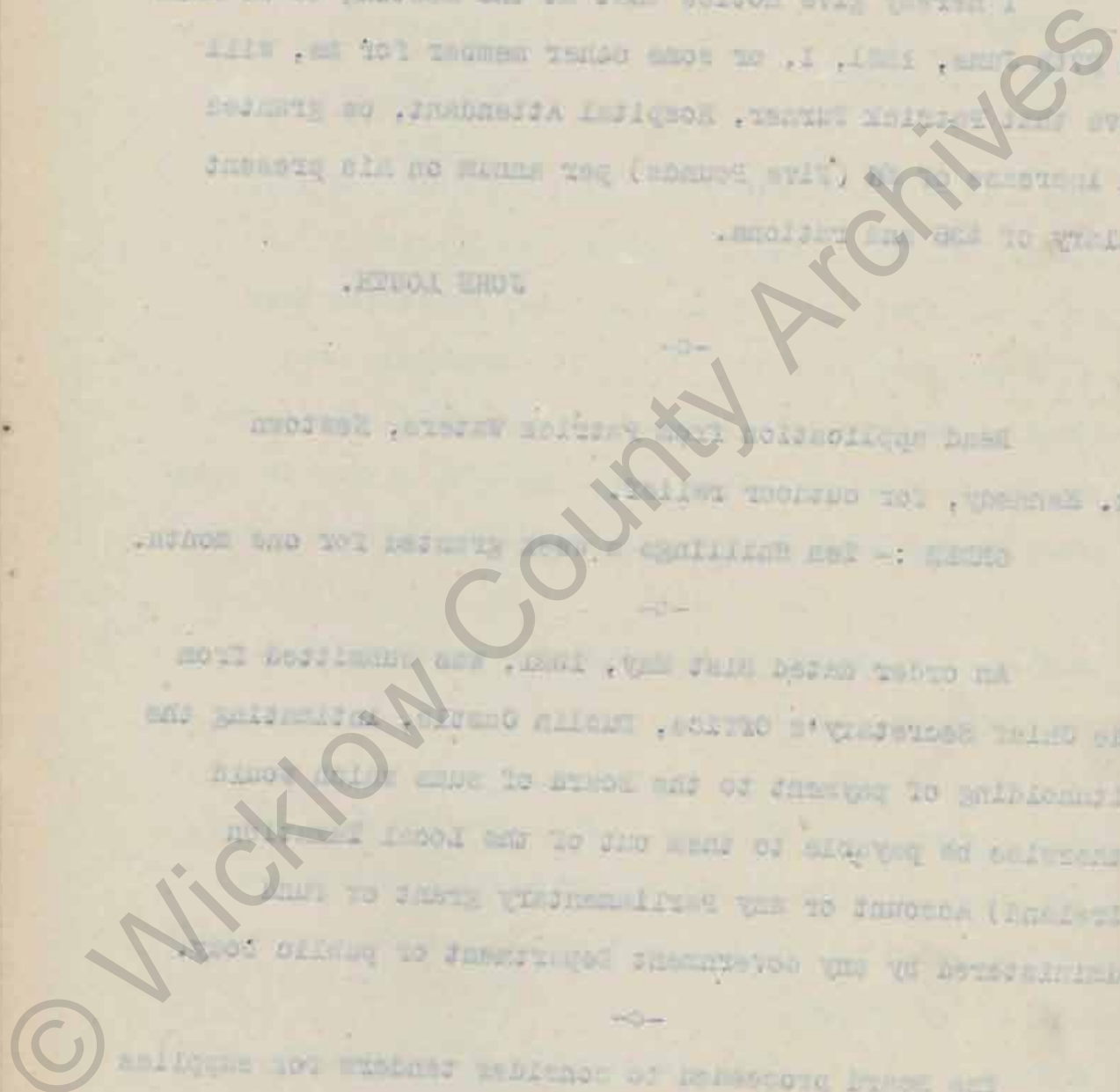
An order dated 12th June, 1931, was received from the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin, regarding the withholding of payment to the House of Commons of any amount payable to any member of the House of Commons (Ireland) account of any parliamentary grant or fund administered by any Government Department or public body.

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The Board proposed to consider certain proposals for the purchase of quarters beginning 1st July, 1931, and to the workhouse for quarters beginning 1st July, 1931, and accepted those of the recommendations at the prison and

12th June, 1931.

James Douglas
-James Douglas, Esq., Secretary
-James Douglas, Esq., Secretary
12th June, 1931.
12th June, 1931.
12th June, 1931.
12th June, 1931.



Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation
to Boarded Out Children.

The Board proceeded to consider applications from
persons proposing to take out to nurse seven children in
the Workhouse. The Guardians decided to board out the
children as follows :-

Name of Child	Age yrs.	To be Boarded Out with
Mary Quinn	13	Mary Crean, Rosannagh.
Joseph Quinn	13	Nellie Traynor, Kilballyowen
Martha Quinn	8	Catherine Lematy, Ballycurry
Lillie Quinn	7	John Doran, Kilcool
Nellie Quinn	6	same
Thomas King	11	Annie Fenton, Ballymorris
John King	10	same

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ORDER :- That agreement with Mrs Annie Curley for
care of Josie Staunton, and agreement with Eliza Mernagh for
care of Annie Quinn and Kate Quinn, now submitted, be sealed.

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RATHDRUM UNION

The Annual Report of the Guardians of the Union for the year ending on the 31st day of December 1881, is hereby presented to the Board of Guardians for their consideration and approval.

Number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse	76
Number of Disallowed Admissions	12
Number of Applicants Admitted to the Workhouse	
Number of Cases of Provisional Out-door Relief	
Number of Cases in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	
Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians	
Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	

Joseph Keane

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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 20th day of June 1921.

(Signed) P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

[FORM 14.]

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

(Article 7.)

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

RATHDRUM UNION.Finance Meeting, held the 13th day of June 1921.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of May 1921, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

TABLE (a)	DR.		
	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money supplied on demand of Guardians	2099	15	—
Repayment of Relief			
Rents of Dispensary Residences	1	18	4
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, old stores, and other Receipts			
Loans received			
Total amount of Lodgments as above	2101	8	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of May 1921, 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	418	5	9
Clothing and Bedding	3	9	10
Establishment—			
(a.) Salaries	9	3	4
(b.) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	113	2	6
(c.) Farm			
(d.) Other Expenses	43n	2	9
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration Law and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	312	17	8
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	—
Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages, and of Vaccinations			
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	420	—	—
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1319	2	10

The financial statement of the Union is prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Act of 1917, and the figures shown are subject to audit by the Comptroller General of the United States.

RATHDRUM UNION

Financial Statement for the year ending June 30, 1922

The financial statement of the Union is prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Act of 1917, and the figures shown are subject to audit by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Item	1922	1921
Assets	1000	1000
Liabilities	1000	1000
Total	2000	2000

The financial statement of the Union is prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Act of 1917, and the figures shown are subject to audit by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Item	1922	1921
Assets	1000	1000
Liabilities	1000	1000
Total	2000	2000

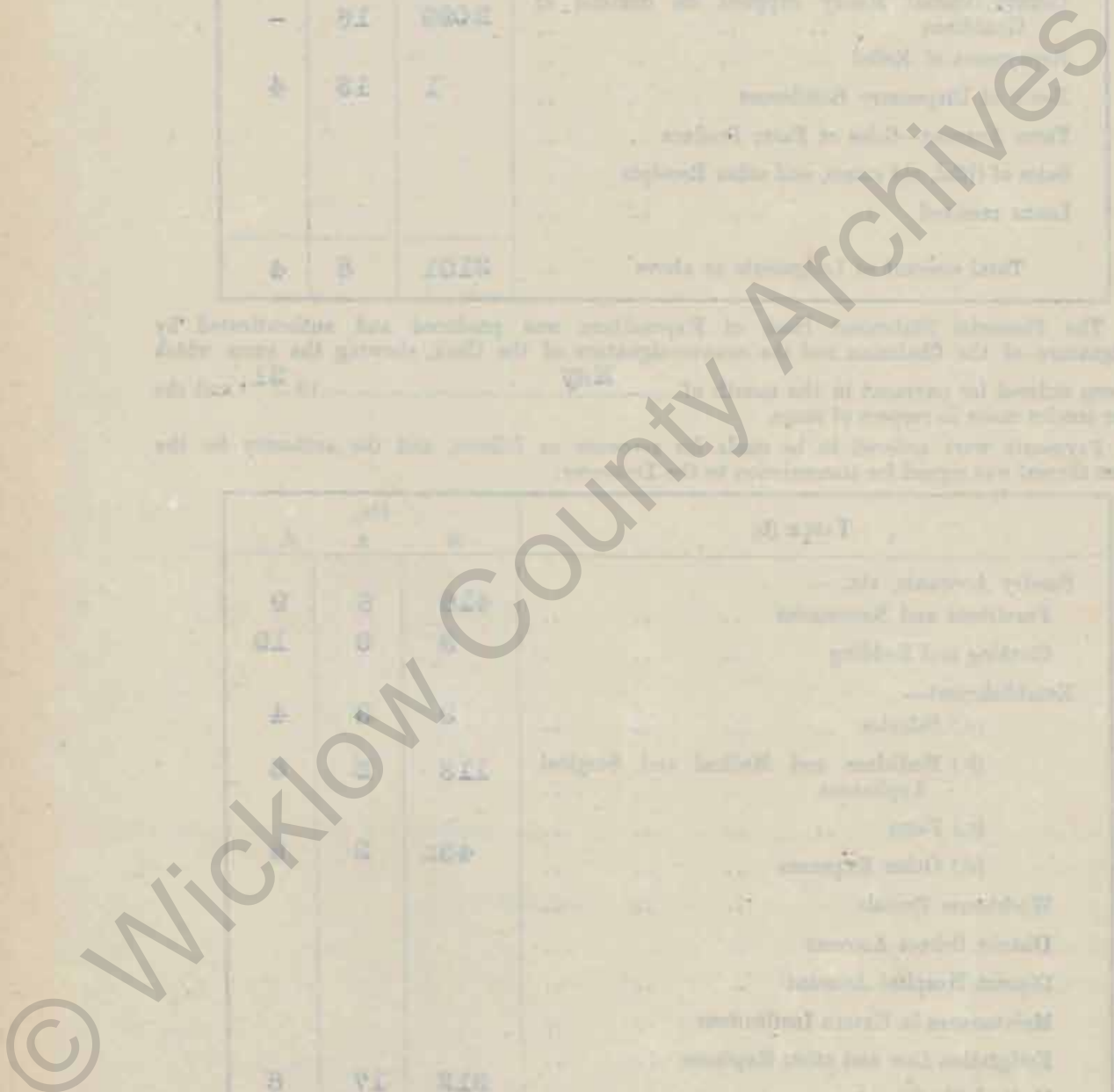


TABLE OF STATISTICAL MINUTES

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of
May 1921.

	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	2101	8	4			
Total	2101	8	4			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	5128	19	4			
Payments ordered during the month	927	7	8			
Total	6056	6	10			
Net Balance due <u>by</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	3954	18	8			
RECONCILEMENT:						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>to</u> Treasurer	2509	14	8			
Outstanding Orders	144	5	3			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union	3954	18	8			

Dated this 13th day of June 1921.

P. W. Sheehan

Clerk of the Union.

County and Borough of Wicklow, Ireland, for the month ending the 31st day of

1881

Borough of Wicklow		County of Wicklow	
No.	Name	No.	Name
1	...	1	...
2	...	2	...
3	...	3	...
4	...	4	...
5	...	5	...
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28	...	28	...
29	...	29	...
30	...	30	...
31	...	31	...

Donegal the 31st day of 1881

[Signature]
Clerk of the Peace

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TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Meeting held the 13th day of June 1921.

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

Indoor from No. 1918 to No. 1988
 Separate „ No. - to No. -
 Outdoor „ No. 3815 to No. 3822

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of June 1921, 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	80	9	4	63	6	7	143	15	11	62	11	3	3	16	-	68	7	3	77	8	8	1054
Necessaries	30	9	11				30	9	11	10	8	5	2	10	4	12	18	9	17	11	2	
Total	110	19	3	63	6	7	174	5	10	72	19	8	6	6	4	79	8	-	94	19	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 19 8½
 Average Cost in Infirmary £ 10 6
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ - -

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

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

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

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

The following tables were prepared and published by the Registrar of the County Council of Wicklow.

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Year	Population	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
1888	10,183	5,178	5,005	10,183	5,178	5,005	10,183
1889	10,183	5,178	5,005	10,183	5,178	5,005	10,183

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The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of June, 1921, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I			District No. II			District No. III			District No. IV					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	30	18	4	5	5	-	14	2	-	10	17	4	61	2	8
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...				30	-	-	30	-	-	30	-	-	90	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	30	18	4	35	5	-	44	2	-	40	17	4	151	2	8
<i>Expenditure.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	9	17	6	30	4	6	28	9	6	10	18	-	79	7	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	11	-	-	5	-	-	19	-	-	10	-	-	11	15	-
7. Total Relief given ...	20	17	6	30	9	6	28	9	6	11	6	-	91	2	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	10	-	10	4	15	6	15	12	6	29	11	4	60	-	2
9. TOTAL ...	30	18	4	35	5	-	44	2	-	40	17	4	151	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 on the minutes.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

Statement of the accounts of the several Holdings Office for the last Week ending February 23rd 1874

JANUARY	RECEIPTS			PAYMENTS			BALANCE			
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
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-	-	00	-	-	00	-	-	00	-	-
5	5	181	4 14 4	20	14 4	01	-	3	14 3	-
8	13	0 30	-	10	10	0 0	0 0	4 0 0	0 30	0 30
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1874 Feb 23rd

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 being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be), to the Medical Officer of the District,
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th February, 1893.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended March 31st 1891, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended March 31st 1891.

<u>Annance</u> District	£ 218 : 1 : 10
<u>Arklow</u> District	£ 219 : 7 : 7
<u>Aughrim</u> District	£ 245 : 5 : 2
<u>Avoca</u> District	£ 223 : 11 : 10
<u>Dunganstown</u> District	£ 198 : 7 : 2
<u>Newcastle</u> District	£ 205 : 4 : 9
<u>Rathdrum</u> District	£ 220 : 11 : 8
<u>Wicklow</u> District	£ 192 : 13 : 0

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

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

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

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

Read letter dated 25th May, 1921, No. 5272/21, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 9th instant and stating that the ~~repairs~~ proposed payment for repairs carried out to the Rathdrum Dispensary Residence at the direction of the tenant would be most irregular as the tenant had not power to get repairs carried out without the authority of the Guardians. In regard to the illness of the Medical Officer of the Newcastle Dispensary District the Department asked to be informed what prospect there was that the Medical Officer would be able to resume duty at the end of the period of sick leave now granted to him.

ORDER :- In future the Guardians will see that orders are issued before any work of this character is done. The Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary/^{District} resumed duty on 8th instant.

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Read letter No. 4418/21, dated 26th May, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 25th ultimo and requesting to be informed whether the Guardians had since paid the salary due to the Medical Officer of the Dunganstown Dispensary District.

ORDER :- Paid.

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The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government...
The following Orders and Letters of the Local Government...
Orders are issued below the Board and directions given thereon as follows:-

Read letter dated 18th May, 1931, No. 1831/21,
from the Department of Local Government, Delhi
referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of
Guardians on 8th August and stating that the
proposed payment for repairs carried out to the
Banyan House as the direction of the tenant would
be not irregular as the tenant had not power to let
repairs carried out without the authority of the Guardians.
In regard to the illness of the Medical Officer of the
Newcastle Dispensary District the Department asked to be
informed what progress there was that the Medical Officer
would be able to resume duty at the end of the period of
sick leave now granted to him.

ORDER :- In future the Guardians will see that
orders are issued before any work of this character is done.
The Medical Officer of Newcastle Dispensary District
on an interim.

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Read letter No. 4418/21, dated 24th May, 1931,
from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the
Board of Guardians on 28th April and requesting to be
informed whether the Guardians had since paid the salary
due to the Medical Officer of the Dispensary District.
District.

ORDER :- Paid.

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

Read letter dated June 4th, 1921, from Dr Finnegan, Medical Officer, Newcastle Dispensary District, stating that he would resume duty in the District on Monday, June 6th.

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Read letter dated 13th June, 1921, from Dr Doyle, Medical Officer, Avoca Dispensary District, reporting that on the night of June 9th he had to call in Dr Hamilton, Arklow, in a very serious maternity case. In order to get Dr Hamilton he had to hire a motor car from the Vale View Hotel and enclosed bill for £2-10s. for same. As the case was so serious it was absolutely necessary to adopt this procedure.

Read letter dated 11th June, 1921, from Dr Hamilton, Arklow, stating he had been called in consultation by Dr Doyle on 9th instant, at midnight, to Mrs Byrne, Tigroney. Her case, a maternity one, was of a very rare and difficult nature, and after a serious operation they were successful in saving her life. He asked for the maximum fee in the case.

ORDER :- Fee of £2-2s-0d to be paid Dr Hamilton; Vale View Hotel account for £2-10s. motorhire to be paid.

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Read letter dated 11th June, 1921, from Mrs Davis, District Midwife, Wicklow Dispensary District, applying for two weeks leave of absence. Nurse Delahunt, District Midwife, Ashford, would do duty for her.

ORDER :- Leave granted; Nurse Davis to pay her substitute.

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The following letters and other communications were read by the Clerk and Order was made on them respectively, as follows: -

Read letter dated June 4th, 1881, from Dr. Egan, Medical Officer, Newcastle Dispensary District, stating that he would resume duty in the District on Monday, June 6th.

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Read letter dated 13th June, 1881, from Dr. Doyle, Medical Officer, Avoca Dispensary District, reporting that on the night of June 5th he had to call in Dr. Hamilton, at Avoca, in a very serious maternal case. In order to get Dr. Hamilton he had to hire a motor car from the Vale View Hotel and enclosed bill for £2-10s. for same. As the case was so serious it was absolutely necessary to adopt this procedure.

Read letter dated 13th June, 1881, from Dr. Hamilton, Avoca, stating he had been called in consultation by Dr. Doyle on 5th instant, at midnight, in a very serious maternal case, a maternal case, and after a serious operation they were successful in saving her life. He asked for the maximum fee in the case. ORDER: - fee of £2-2s-0d to be paid Dr. Hamilton; Vale View Hotel account for £2-10s. maximum to be paid.

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Read letter dated 13th June, 1881, from Mrs. Davis, District Midwife, Wicklow Dispensary District, applying for two weeks leave of absence. ORDER: - leave granted; Mrs. Davis to pay her substitute, £10, would do duty for her.

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

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

Annamore	8 unvaccinated children

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

Read.

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Read reports of the Analyst on samples of drugs sent from the undermentioned Dispensaries, as follows :-

DUNGAESTOWN.

Tincture of Squills	Correct
Liniment of Turpentine	do.
Solution of Bismuth	do.

NEWCASTLE.

Ammonium Bromide	Correct
Sodium Bromide	do.
Sodium Salicylate	do.
Potassium Bromide	do.

WICKLOW.

Tincture of Nux Vomica	Correct
Tincture of Belladonna	do.
Syrup of Tolu	do.

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Ernest Keave

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

day of June 19 21.

(Signed)

P. W. Sheehan

Clerk of the Union.

RATHDRUM UNION.

210

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of June 19 21.

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	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
			Able-bodied		Males		Fem.							Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse		152														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		152														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	40	2	25	4	11	2	14	10	147	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards } 65	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week			18	7	5	1	2			3		36	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } -	In Wards with other Inmates } 8		
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TOTAL			57	47	7	26	6	11	5	14	11	184	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			18	7	3		1	2	1			32	Males Females Children under 15 TOTAL			
Died													No. Relieved during week } 18	7	1	26
Total Discharged and Died			18	7	3		1	2	1			32	No. in Workhouse at date } 6	1		7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			39	40	4	26	5	9	4	14	11	152	No. at corresponding period last year, 177.			

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of June 19 21, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 15 Vic., c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	33	48
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	193
T. Butler	No. III.	101	174
L. Murphy	No. IV.	38	71
	TOTAL	261	486

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 20th day of June 19 21.

There was no meeting of the Board this day, no Guardian being present.

Joseph Keane

20th day of June 19 21.

P. K. Shanahan
Clerk of the Union.

Minutes of the Board of Directors of the Rathfrum Union for the year ending 1911

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Resolved that the accounts be audited by the Board of Directors on the 15th day of January 1912.

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Resolved that the accounts be audited by the Board of Directors on the 15th day of January 1912.

There was no meeting of the Board on the 15th day of January 1912.

Minutes being correct.

Joseph Brown

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Chairman of the Board

RATHDRUM UNION.

211

Population in 1911—26,912.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 133,901:6:0.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of June 1921.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse		134															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever Hospital																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		134															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			39	40	4	28	5	9	4	14	11	152	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	88	In separate Wards with other inmates	6	
Admitted during the Week			13	4	3	1	1	2	2			24	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital				
Born																	
TOTAL			52	44	7	29	6	9	6	14	11	178					
Discharged during the Week			19	5	2	2	4	2	5	2		41	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died					1							1	Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Died			19	5	3	2	4	2	5	2		42	No. Relieved during week	13	4	2	19
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			33	39	4	25	2	7	1	12	11	134	No. in Workhouse at date	2		2	
													No. at corresponding period last year, 177.				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of June 1921, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relieving Officers	Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)	
		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her
D. Edge	No. I.	34	51
A. M. Byrne	No. II.	89	193
T. Butler	No. III.	105	184
E. Murphy	No. IV.	38	68
	TOTAL	266	496

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, for Meeting on MONDAY, the 27th day of June 1921.

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr Joseph Keane.

Other Guardians—
Messrs. Jas. Haughton, M. Morrissey, C. M.

Byrne, James Byrne, Ballinderry; John McDonald, Felix Kavanagh.

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.

1,000 lbs. Bread
 56 lbs. Butter
 60 lbs. Beef
 60 lbs. Mutton
 25 doz. Eggs
 135 gal. New Milk
 1 ton Potatoes
 5 lbs. Cocoa
 28 lbs. Dripping
 1 roll Tobacco
 1 brl. Oil.

The (1857) Report on the condition of the County of Wicklow, made by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Wicklow.

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1857	1858	1859	1860	1861	1862	1863	1864	1865	1866	1867	1868	1869	1870	1871	1872	1873	1874	1875	1876	1877	1878	1879	1880	1881	1882	1883	1884	1885	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900
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Read report of the Master of the Workhouse, as follows :-

27th June, 1921.

The Master reports that he sent the ambulance on two occasions for the boy Joseph Quinn, whom the Guardians had given as a nurse child to Miss Traynor, Kilballyowen. The boy could not be found by the Ambulance Driver and the Master desires instructions in the matter.

ORDER :- Master to try again to get the boy in.

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

That letter No. 2007/11, dated 10th June, 1931, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, regarding receipt of replies to queries respecting the temporary arrangements of the Local Government for the year 1931-32, and stating that the Minister for Local Government had indicated the proposed amount of contribution at the rate of 10/6 per acre, with 12s. per acre as limit of charges, and also the Counciling of County Councils, to that effect for the year 1931-32.

That letter No. 2007/11, dated 10th June, 1931, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, regarding receipt of replies to queries respecting the temporary arrangements of the Local Government for the year 1931-32, and stating that the Minister for Local Government had indicated the proposed amount of contribution at the rate of 10/6 per acre, with 12s. per acre as limit of charges, and also the Counciling of County Councils, to that effect for the year 1931-32.

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

That the Local Government Board for Ireland be and they are hereby directed to consider the proposals of the Local Government Board for Ireland in regard to the contribution to be made by the County Councils for the year 1931-32, and to report thereon to the Board as soon as possible.

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The House of the Holy Trinity was built in 1170 and was destroyed in 1540.

The church was built in 1170 and was destroyed in 1540. It was rebuilt in 1545 and was again destroyed in 1580.

The church was built in 1170 and was destroyed in 1540. It was rebuilt in 1545 and was again destroyed in 1580.

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

Read letter No. 8852/21, dated 18th June, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of replies to queries respecting the temporary employment of Miss Nora Mary Dalton as Nurse in the Workhouse, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had sanctioned the proposed payment of remuneration at the rate of £2-12s-6d per week, with 18s. per week in lieu of rations, and also travelling and laundry expenses, to Miss Dalton for her services.

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Read letter No 8840/21, dated 20th June, 1921, from same, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 23rd ultimo and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had learned that the firm of Messrs. Boileau & Boyd had been placed on the Black List for persistent trading with Belfast. The Guardians should communicate with them stating that they are unwilling to run the risk of having the poor left without medicines and that the Guardians would, therefore, defer the purchase of supplies from that firm until such time as they satisfy the authorities and get their name removed from the Black List. The Department asked to be furnished with replies to the usual queries in regard to the substitute employed for the Matron of the Workhouse, and with particulars on the usual Form in regard to the boarding out of two children with Mrs Mernagh, of Avondale.

ORDER :- Copy of this letter to be sent the contractors; query sheet re matron's substitute to be sent; particulars as to nursechildren already supplied.

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Read letter dated 23rd June, 1921, from the Secretary, Wicklow County Council, forwarding cheque for £200 payable

to

The following information was received from the Department of Health and Social Security on 12th June 1963 and is being forwarded to you for your information.

Head letter No. 688/21, dated 12th June, 1963, from the Department of Health and Social Security, Tall Street, Dublin, regarding receipt of replies to queries regarding the temporary employment of Miss Mary Kelly as nurse in the workhouse, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had mentioned the proposed payment of wages at the rate of £4-15s-6d per week, plus 10s. per week in lieu of ration, and also travelling and laundry expenses, to Miss Kelly for her services.

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Head letter No. 1440/21, dated 20th June, 1963, from same, referring a minute of proceedings of the Board of Guardians on 12th June and stating that the Ministry for Local Government had advised that the list for permanent trading with England, the Guardians should communicate with their trading partners and they are unwilling to run the risk of having the post left at their premises and that the Guardians would, therefore, before the purchase of supplies from that list until such time as the list is authorised and that their name removed from the list. The Department asked to be furnished with replies to the queries in regard to the substitute employee for the nurse of the workhouse, and with particulars of the award given in regard to the awarding out of two children with the names of Avonbeg.

NOTE: - Copy of this letter to be sent to the concerned party about the workhouse substitute to be sent; particulars to be immediately given supplied.

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Head letter dated 23rd June, 1963, from the Secretary, Wicklow County Council, forwarding cheque for £200 payable

to the Paymaster of the Union.

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Read letter dated 27th June, 1921, from Relieving Officer Byrne, as follows:-

I beg to report that a statement made by Mr Keane at the last meeting about a man named Michael Byrne, on the relief list in Mr Murphy's district, was wrong. Michael Byrne, who was in receipt of 4s. a week Outdoor Relief, lives at a farm place called Newfarm, at the top of Bolinass. He is 69½ years of age, totally unfit for any kind of work as he is crippled with rheumatism, and he is absolutely destitute. Mr Dowling, the owner of the farm, keeps him out of pure charity, his small allowance of relief going a short way towards supporting him. I relieved him provisionally, otherwise he should have gone into the Workhouse. I wish to assure the Guardians or any other person interested that there are no fictitious cases on the relief lists in either of the Districts in my charge. As a proof of this assurance, and in justice to my reputation, I request that you make an arrangement to have every case thoroughly investigated and to have the result of that investigation published.

The Chairman changed on the Relieving Officer's Application and Report Book the name of the place of residence of Michael Byrne from Bolinass to Tomcoyle Upper.

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Read letter dated 18th June, 1921, from Dr Garland, Dunganstown Dispensary District, recommending the grant of outdoor relief to the wife and children of Mark Hughes, Oughill, who had gone into the Hospital for tuberculosis and who had been practically dependent on charity for some time. His insurance cards had not been stamped up for some years and he was not entitled to sick benefit or domiciliary treatment.

ORDER :- 10s. a week for two weeks granted.

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to the Treasurer of the Union.

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has been dated 21st June, 1911, from Belfast
District Office, as follows:-

I beg to report that a statement made by Mr James
at the last meeting about a man named Michael Byrne, on

the subject of the man's name, was wrong. Michael

Byrne who was in receipt of 6s. 6d. per week, being given

at a meeting called yesterday, at the top of Robinson, he

in Belfast, was, I believe, for my kind of work

as he is not a man of any special merit, and is absolutely

deserted. Mr Byrne, the owner of the farm, keeps his cow

at home, and his only source of relief being a short

way across the water, I relieved him provisionally,

and will be unable to do so again. I wish to

draw the attention of the Board to the fact that there

are no suitable cases on the list in view of the

distress in the district. As a result of this, and in

justice to my reputation, I request that you will

arrange to have every case thoroughly investigated and to

have the result of that investigation published.

The Chairman changed on the following day.

Application was made for the name of the place of residence

of Michael Byrne from Belfast to Temple Street.

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has been dated 21st June, 1911, from Dr Byrne,

Downpatrick Dispensary District, recommending the grant of

aid to the wife and children of Mark Byrne,

Downpatrick, who had been in the hospital for tuberculosis

and who had been practically dependent on charity for some time.

His income was not more than 10s. per week for some years

and he was not entitled to any benefit or relief.

Yours faithfully,

JOHN J. JOE, M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.C.P., F.R.C.S.D.

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Read application for outdoor relief from Patrick Fox, Fairgreen, Rathdrum, who stated he was in delicate health and unable to earn a penny.

ORDER :- Eight shillings a week granted.

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The Board had been summoned to consider notice by Mr John Louth proposing to grant an increase of salary of £5 a year to Patrick Turner, Attendant in the Infirmary.

The proposal was not moved.

ORDER :- Held over.

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Some application for certain relief from certain
 You, Mr. [Name], [Name], who stated he was in distress
 health and unable to work a penny.
 ORDER :- Sicut scribitur a vestro curatore.

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The Court had been advised to consider notice by
 Mr. [Name] proposing to grant an order of relief of
 as a way to certain relief, Applicant in the [Name].
 The proposal was not moved.
 ORDER :- Sicut scribitur a vestro curatore.

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Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to Boarded Out Children.

Read letter No. 6644/21, dated 18th June, 1921, from the Department of Local Government, Dail Eireann, acknowledging receipt of particulars on Form A. in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to board-out a child named Josie Staunton with Mrs Annie Curley, of Rathnew, and stating that the Ministry for Local Government would not raise any objection to this proposal.

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Read letter No. 6645/21, dated 20th June, 1921, from same, acknowledging receipt of particulars on Form A. in regard to the proposal of the Board of Guardians to board out two children named Doyle with Mrs Annie Holt, and asking to be informed of the age of the other occupant of the sleeping apartment proposed to be assigned to the two children.

ORDER :- Information to be supplied.

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ORDER :- That agreement, now submitted, with Annie Fenton, Ballymerris, for the care of the boarded out children Thomas King and John King be sealed.

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Joseph Keane

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians in relation to the Board of Guardians.

Read letter no. 1854/21, dated 10th June, 1881, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, in relation to the proposed receipt of contributions to the proposed Board of Guardians to be formed in the parish of St. Ann's, Dublin, and stating that the Minister for Local Government would not raise any objection to this proposal.

Read letter no. 1854/21, dated 10th June, 1881, from the Department of Local Government, Dublin, in relation to the proposed receipt of contributions to the proposed Board of Guardians to be formed in the parish of St. Ann's, Dublin, and stating that the Minister for Local Government would not raise any objection to this proposal.

ORDER :- Information to be supplied.

ORDER :- That agreement, now submitted, with a view to the formation of the Board of Guardians for the parish of St. Ann's, Dublin, be approved, and that the same be sealed.

George Thomas

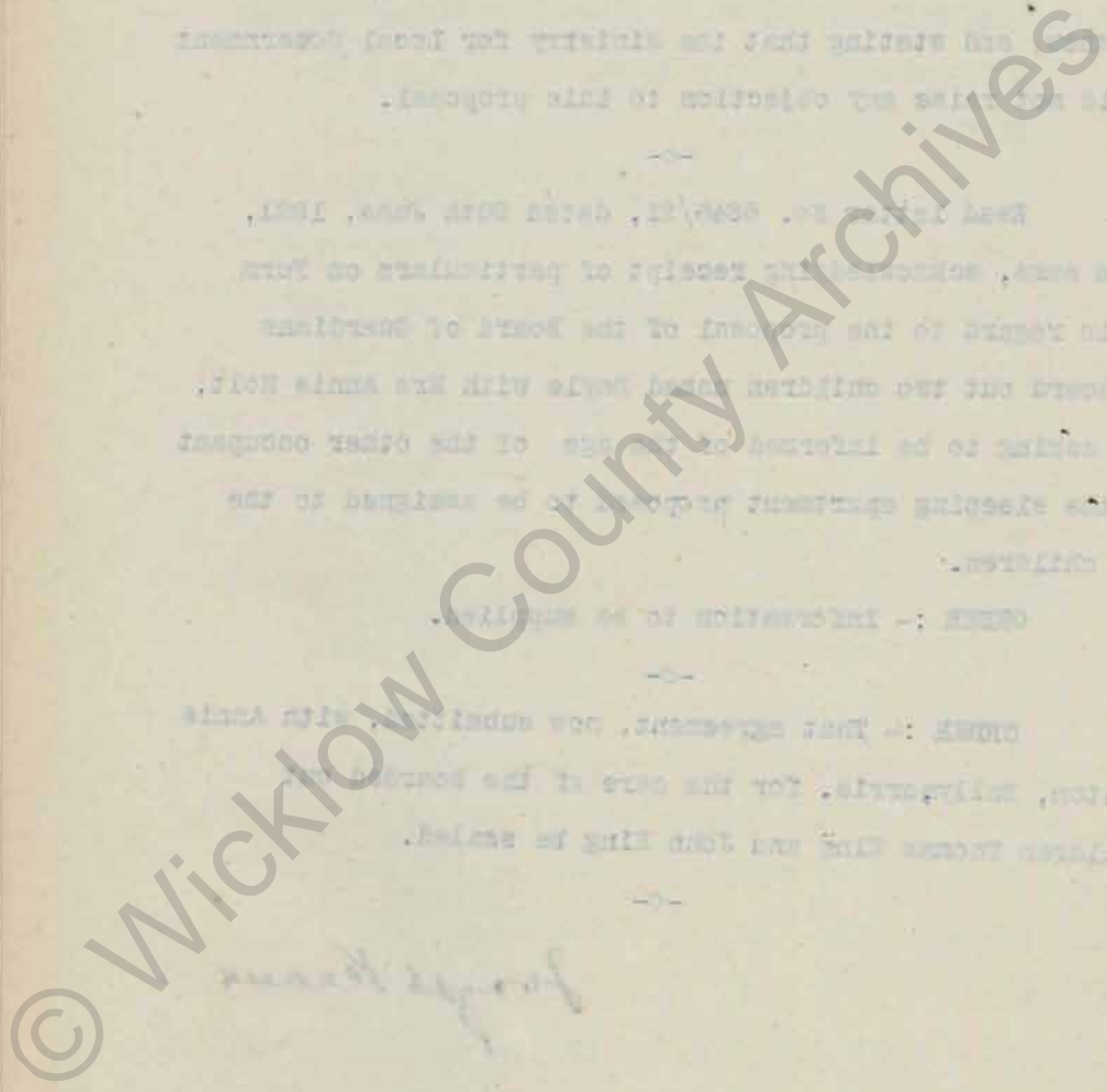


TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES

RATHFRINK UNION

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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).

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on MONDAY, the 4th

day of July 19 21.

(Signed) P. W. Sheehan
Clerk of the Union.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

RATHDRUM UNION.

Meeting held the 27th day of June 1921.

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

Indoor from No. 1988 to No. 1949

Separate „ No. - to No. -

Outdoor „ No. 3822 to No. 3835

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of June 1921, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week			Received during the week			Total	Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week			Collective No. of Days					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	By Inmates	By Officers	Total	£	s.	d.						
Provisions	73	3	9	59	19	2	132	2	11	56	19	8	3	16	-	60	15	8	72	7	3	} 995
Necessaries	16	11	5	20	19	7	37	11	-	6	19	10	2	12	1	9	11	11	27	19	1	
Total	89	15	2	80	18	9	170	13	11	63	19	6	6	8	1	70	7	71	00	6	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	£	s.	d.
Average Cost in Infirmary	9	1	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	9	9	3
	-	-	-

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the...18th...
 of...June...1921... was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer EDGE			Relieving Officer BYRNE			Relieving Officer BUTLER			Relieving Officer MURPHY			TOTAL		
	District No. I			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	24	13	1	4	6	-	17	15	-	18	15	4	65	9	5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...				30	-	-	30	-	-	30	-	-	90	-	-
3. Total to be accounted for	24	13	1	34	6	-	47	15	-	48	15	4	155	9	5
<i>Expenditure.</i>															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board ...															
In Money ...	9	18	6	30	4	6	29	2	6	11	7	-	80	12	6
In Kind ...															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility					5	-				1	14	-	1	19	-
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...															
7. Total Relief given ...	9	18	6	30	9	6	29	2	6	13	1	-	82	11	6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	14	14	7	3	16	6	18 47	12 15	6	35	14	4	72	17	11
9. TOTAL ...	24	13	1	34	6	-	47	15	-	48	15	4	155	9	5

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

Dated this 27th day of June 1921.

P. W. Sheehan
 Clerk of the Union.

At Justice of Medicine forwarded by the Government for the
 necessary District in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
 the 17th day of June 1851 and the District before the Board and was directed to forward the
 same to the Board for the use of the District. It is requested that he had forwarded the same as the same may be to the Medical Officer of the District
 a copy of the Report for the use of the District.

On the application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary Districts the following
 of Medical Officers, Nurses or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

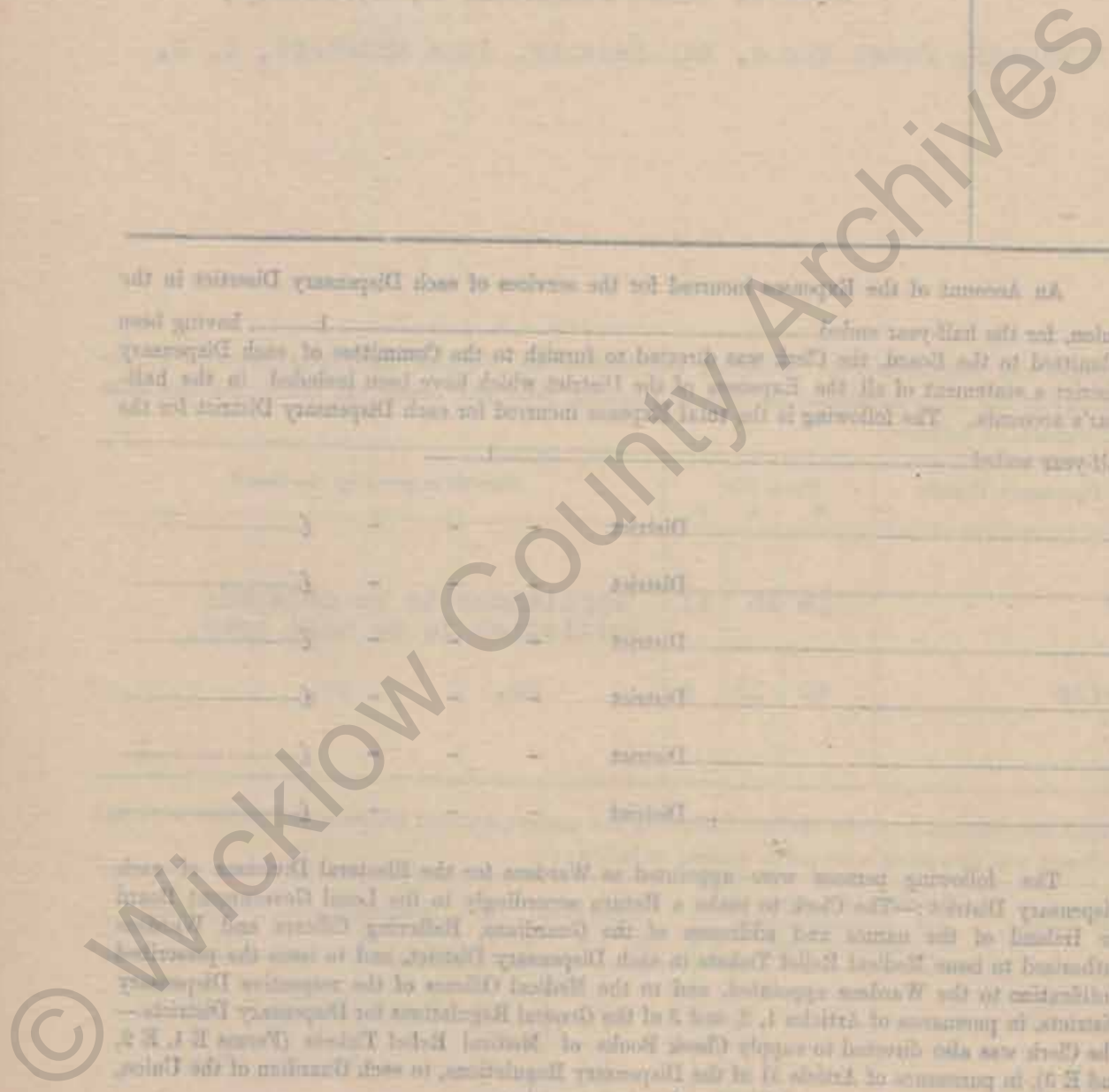
Dispensary District	Goods ordered to be supplied

An Account of the Disbursements for the services of each Dispensary District in the
 Union for the half year ending
 submitted to the Board. The same was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary
 District a statement of all the Disbursements which have been incurred in the half
 year's account. The following is the total amount incurred for each Dispensary District for the
 half year ending

Dispensary District	Amount
District	£ - -
District	£ - -
District	£ - -
District	£ - -
District	£ - -
District	£ - -

The following persons were appointed as Nurses for the Districts
 Dispensary Districts:—The Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Board
 in Ireland of the names and addresses of the Government Dispensary Nurses and
 submitted to him Medical Officers (or each Dispensary District) and to send the
 Nominations to the Board appointed, and in the Medical Officer of the respective Districts
 Minutes in pursuance of Article 4, 5 and 6 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts—
 The Clerk was also directed to supply blank books of Medical Officers (Forms B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z) in pursuance of Article 11 of the General Regulations, to each Guardian of the Union
 and to each Voluntary Officer and Working Member accordingly:—

Name and Address of Nurses appointed for each Dispensary District	Medical Officers	of Dispensary District



Dept.

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:—

Read letter No. 6880/21, dated 23rd June, 1921, from the Department for Local Government, Dail Eireann, referring to minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians of Rathdrum Union on 13th instant, and asking to be informed of the scale of fees in force in the Union for professional assistance in Dispensary cases. The Department also asked to be furnished with the usual replies to queries in regard to the temporary midwife employed in the Wicklow Dispensary District.

ORDER :- To be supplied.

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