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Four horizontal lines for reporting names of children.

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DONEGAL UNION.

Population in 1911—

Present Net Annual Value, £36,505-10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of December 1916

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	575															
Temporary Buildings ...		113														
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hosp.	66															
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	631	43														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	4	16	14	2	1	2	2	1	43	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, } 25	In separate Wards } -		
Admitted during the Week			4	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	9	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, } 1	In Wards with other inmates } -		
Born													TOTAL, } 26	Total } -		
TOTAL,			5	6	18	14	3	1	2	2	1	52				
Discharged during the Week			4	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	9				
Died																
Total Discharged and Died			4	3		1						9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	3	18	13	3	1	2	2	-	43				
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
													Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
													No. Relieved during week }			
													No. in Work-house at date }			
													No. at corresponding period last year }		56	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2 day of December 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	13	14	-	-	13	14	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.	13	14			13	14	No. X.						
							TOTAL,						

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

the 9 day of December 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Daniel Connolly JP subsequently Mr E. Melly late Mr Haughlan JP
 Other Guardians:— Messrs J. Diver, J. Haugh, A. Gallagher
 V. McCreedy, M. Dunneon JP, James Martin
 C. Bonaghan, B. M. Goldrick, Hugh Kelly
 M. Gallagher, J. Gorman JP, P. Sillence
 C. Thomas, H. Campbell J. Timmany
 E. A. Mc Nulty, H.annon JP, P. Byrne

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's Report of Vaccinations was read (this on the first Meeting of every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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:—

Bacon	12 lbs.	Sugar	cwts.
Barley	"	Sweet Milk	qts.
Bones	"	Tea	chests
Bread	3 12 "	Tobacco	2 lbs.
Butter	12 "	Snuff	lbs.
<i>mar</i> Cocoa	5 "	Vegetables	cwts.
<i>Syrup</i> Cornflour	4 "	Onions	stones
Eggs	10 dozen	Whiskey	gallons
Gin	bottles	Wine	bottles
Indian Meal	cwt.	Candles	lbs.
Oatmeal	"	Coal	tons
Meat	65 lbs.	Oil	gallons
Pepper	"	Soap	cwts.
Potatoes	2 cwt.	Washing Soda	"
Rice	lbs.	Ball Blue	lbs.
Salt	cwt.	Starch	"

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

Masters Report

I beg to report that the cold water pipe leading to the cistern in the Infirmary, got stopped since the Board last met. I had to employ M Smyth to unscrew & clean them lest the water boiler might get damaged

Minute Approved.

Catherine McLoskey an inmate admitted on the Medical Officers certificate on Monday last became so violent after admission and next day that on the recommendation of the Medical Officer I had her sent to Letterkenny Lunatic Asylum on Tuesday *Minute Approved*

A cow was sold at £24 and one purchased in the fair yesterday at £27-10 *Approved*

I purchased 3 qts of Sweetmilk at 3½ per qt since the Board last met, I also purchased 53 stone of Potatoes @ 10 per stone *Minute Approved*

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

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

No 56,547/1916 Letter from the Local Government
25th Nov. 1916 Board. enclosing copy of the
Report of the Auditor on his Audit of the
Accounts for the Half-year ended the
30th September 1916 with attested abstracts
of the accounts
Minute 50 Copies to be printed

No 124/M Letter from the Local Government
5th December 1916 Board. forwarding a copy
of their Annual Report for the year
1915-16 being the Forty-fourth report
under the Local Government (Ireland)
Act 1872

No 56 722/1916 Letter from the Local
28th Nov. 1916 Government Board.
stating that they have approved of the
appointment of Sister Mary Agatha Purcell
as a nurse in the Workhouse on the
terms specified viz at a salary of £30 a year
with pot rations to the estimated value
of 2/7 a week and 5/ a week in lieu of
other rations

No 56,314/1916 Letter from the Local Government
25th Nov. 1916 Board. re. sugar supply
Minute Read

In pursuance to notice of motion & notice to each member
to rescind resolution granting an increase of salary
of £4.8 to Nurse Brande on 11th Nov. 1916
Minute On a vote being taken 5 members
voted where resolution rescinded and 13. against

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Clerk reported that according to decision of Register of Friendly Societies re. deposit of the late Francis Gellespie formerly an inmate Donegal Union he got permission to draw from Donegal Post Office the sum of £15-2-8. ^S/_{3/7} will here be paid to Asst Register of Births Deaths & Marriages for Certificate of Death

Minute Asst Register Births Deaths and Marriages he paid the sum of ^S/_{3/7} It was decided to strike off the sum of £2-4 in the case Michael M. Pettigan for the maintenance of his daughter while in the Infirmary

Clerk reported that he had a sum of money that belonged to an inmate that died lately in the institution named Ellen Kyle. but some funeral expenses & other expenses had to be paid also her maintenance, while here.

Minute ^S/_{10/6} he charged per week as maintenance and other expenses etc to be paid. Clerk to report the amount on hand.

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -

Ditto disallowed, - - - - -

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the ¹⁶..... day of..... December..... 191 ⁶.....

(Signed)..... George Dunneon..... Clerk of the Union.

Donegal Union.

Proceedings under the Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898-1902, Infant Life Protection Act, 1897, [Prevention of Cruelty to Children Act, 1904, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the.....day of.....191

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Clerk of 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.)

DONEGAL UNION.

Finance Meeting, held on Saturday, the 9 day of December 1916

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 November 1916, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same, as follows:—

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced, and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of November 1916, 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	53	16	0
Clothing and Bedding			
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries	2	17	8
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	20	12	0
(d) Other Expenses	7	11	8
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	1	15	0
Medical Charities	16	18	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	0
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	9	3	6
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	34	9	10
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief	10	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	158	52	

SUMMARY AND RECONCILEMENT of Treasurer's Account for the month ending

the last day of November 1916

	Ordinary Account			Loans Account		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last monthly statement	1154	15	6			
Total sums received during the month	-	-	-			
Total	1154	15	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly statement	158	5	2			
Payments ordered during the month	158	5	2			
Total	158	5	2			
Net Balance due the Union (being difference of above Totals)	996	10	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	1050	4	0			
Outstanding Orders	53	13	8			
Net Balance as above due <i>to</i> the Union'	996	10	4			

Dated this 9 day of December 1916

George Dunneion
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).

DONEGAL UNION.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 9 day of December 1916

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. 941 to No. 950
 Separate „ No. 390 to No. 390
 Out-door „ No. 153 to No. 153

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 2 day of December 1916, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary :—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.	Consumed during the week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.	Collective No. of Days.						
						By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.										
	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			£	s.	d.			
Provisions ...	78	13	5	12	16	2	91	9	7	12	3	10	4	0	3	16	4	1	75	5	6	
Necessaries ...	122	2	10	-	-	122	2	10	3	12	11	1	16	0	5	8	11	116	13	11		307
Total ...	200	16	3	12	16	2	213	12	5	15	16	9	5	16	3	21	13	0	191	19	5	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 7 : 2 ³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 7 : 10 ¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 9 : 8 ¹/₂

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The 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 2 day of December 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	2164						
2 Money since advanced by Guardians ...	1000						
3. Total to be accounted for ...	12164						
<i>Ependiture.</i>							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	1170						
In Kind ...	- - -						
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	100						
7. Total Relief given	2170						
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	9194						
9. TOTAL ...	12164						

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 9 day of December 1916.

George Dunston

Clerk of Union.

Donegal 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 SATURDAY, the.....9. day of.....December.....1916

PRESENT: In the Chair—*Honnolly* subsequently *Mr. E. McElroy* late *P. M. Laughlin*
 Other Guardians:— *Please see General minutes*

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

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

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

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

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

The following persons were appointed as Wardens for the Electoral Divisions of each Dispensary District:—The Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland of the names and addresses of the Guardians, Relieving Officers and Wardens authorized to issue Medical Relief Tickets in each Dispensary District, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Wardens appointed, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of 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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Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
123/M/1916 29 Nov 1916	<p>Letter from the Local Government Board.</p> <p>requesting to be furnished with a summary of the Invoices of the Medicines and Medical Surgical Appliances delivered during the half year ended the 30th September 1916</p>	<p>Already forwarded.</p>

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
29-11-16	Dr. J. W. Dickson Petite	Letter to R. O. stating that he is laid up with a severe cold and had arranged himself with Dr. Kelly Bellevue. To do duty he hopes to be well alright in a day or so	No order.

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

Dr. H. W. Wainock Donegal & C. F. O'Sullivan
 Came before the Board and asked the Guardians to appoint a Committee to go into question of fixing a graded scale of salaries for the Medical Officers of the Union.
 Minute That notice be sent by post to each member to consider question of graded scale of salaries of the Medical Officers Donegal Union, question to be considered on 23 inst.

E. Melly

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

16 day of December 1916

(Signed) George Dunne
 Clerk of the Union

DONEGAL UNION.

433

Population in 1911—

Present Net Annual Value, £36,505-10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of December 1916

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 16 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
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Temporary Buildings ...															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hosp.	66														
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	631	48													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	3	18	13	3	1	2	2	-	43			
Admitted during the Week			5	4	2	6	-	1	-	2	2	22			
Born															
TOTAL,			6	7	20	19	3	2	2	4	2	65			
Discharged during the Week			5	4	2	1	-	1	-	2	2	17			
Died															
Total Discharged and Died			5	4	2	1	-	1	-	2	2	17			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	3	18	18	3	1	2	2	-	48			

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
	Males	Fe-males	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	5	4	5	14
No. in Work-house at date				
No. at corresponding period last year				57

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	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons
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No. II.							No. VI.	13	14			13	14
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.	13	14	-	-	13	14	No. X.						
							TOTAL,	13	14	-	-	13	14

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

the 16 day of December 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— Mr Edward Kelly
 Other Guardians:— Messrs M'Dunnion JP
Hannon JP.

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's Report of Vaccinations was read (this on the first Meeting of every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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:—

Bacon	13 lbs.	Sugar	— cwts.
Barley	— "	Sweet Milk	— qts.
Bones	— "	Tea	— chests
Bread	322 "	Tobacco	2 lbs.
Butter	13 "	Snuff	— lbs.
<i>mar</i> Cocoa	5 "	Vegetables	— cwts.
<i>suprah</i> Cornflour	4 "	Onions	2 stones
Eggs	10 dozen	Whiskey	— gallons
Gin	— bottles	Wine	— bottles
Indian Meal	— cwt.	Candles	— lbs.
Oatmeal	— "	Coal	— tons
Meat	66 lbs.	Oil	— gallons
Pepper	2 "	Soap	— cwts.
Potatoes	— cwt.	Washing Soda	— "
Rice	— lbs.	Ball Blue	— lbs.
Salt	3 cwt.	Starch	— "

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

Masters Report

I beg to report that a young calf was sold during the week @ £3 = 12 = 9 net cash.

Minute Approved

Monday week been Christmas day I request the Board will kindly allow the usual extras for the inmates

Minute Approved

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

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

No 60,545/1916 Letter from the Local Government
15th Dec 1916 Board stating that they have sanctioned the increase of £4-8 per annum. to the salary of Nurse Brand nurse in the workhouse

No 59,140/1916 Letter from the Local
12th Dec 1916 Government Board requesting to be furnished with Miss Dives interim certificate as temporary nurse in the workhouse

14th Dec 1916 Letter from Miss Dives in reply to a letter requesting her to get interim certificate in which she stated that it is most unusual for the Local Government Board to require certificates of training from Matron nurses, and stating she is sorry she cannot see her way to see to the matter

Clerk stated that he again communicated with Miss Dives requesting her to get certificate as requested

Minute Clerk's action approved of.

It was unanimously decided to grant 2/- each extra 12mas. week. to outdoor relief persons.

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

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day of.....December.....1916.....

(Signed).....George Dunnon.....
Clerk of the Union.

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TABLE (2)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

DONEGAL UNION.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 16 day of December 1916

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. 950 to No. 972
 Separate „ No. 390 to No. 390
 Out-door „ No. 153 to No. 153

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 9 day of December 1916, 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	5	6	20	16	9	96	2	3	13	10	1	4	0	3	17	10	4	78	11	11	
Necessaries	116	13	11	11	8		117	5	7	3	12	8	1	15	11	5	8	7	111	17	0	341
Total	191	19	5	21	8	5	213	7	10	17	2	9	5	16	2	22	18	11	190	8	11	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 7 : 0 ¹/₂

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 7 : 8 ¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 9 : 9

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and 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 9 day of December, 1916 was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this 16 day of December, 1916

George Sumner

Clerk of Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Date	From whom	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon

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

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

Four horizontal lines for listing Dispensary Districts.

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the 23 day of December 1916

(Signed) *George D. Dunne*
Clerk of the Union.

DONEGAL UNION.

451

Population in 1911—

Present Net Annual Value, £ ~~36,505~~ 10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Dec 1916

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	675														
Temporary Buildings ...															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hosp.	66														
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	631														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	3	18	18	3	1	2	2	-	48	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards, 32	In separate Wards } -	
Admitted during the Week			2	2	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	10	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates } -	
Born															
TOTAL,			3	5	20	21	3	1	2	2	1	58	TOTAL, 34	Total -	
Discharged during the Week			2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	6			
Died															
Total Discharged and Died			2	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	4	17	21	3	1	2	2	1	52		No. at corresponding period last year } 57	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of Dec 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 21, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICTS	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 21, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	13	14	-	-	13	14	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.							No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
Car. forwd.	13	14	-	-	13	14	No. X.						
							TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on SATURDAY, the 23 day of December 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Mr Hugh Kelly subsequently Mr Laughlin JP.*
 Other Guardians:— *Messrs J. Davis, M. Dinnion JP.*
Peter Cannon, G. Conaghan, J. Devine
J. Gorman JP, J. Hellewell, H. Campbell
H. Cannon JP.

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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's Report of Vaccinations was read (this on the first Meeting of every month). Number of successful cases:—

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

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:—

Bacon	lbs.	18	Sugar	cwts.	/
Barley	"	/	Sweet Milk	qts.	/
Bones	"	/	Tea	chests.	/
Bread	"	360	Tobacco	lbs.	/
Butter	"	24	Snuff	lbs.	/
Cocoa	"	/	Vegetables	cwts.	/
Cornflour	"	/	Onions	stones	/
Eggs	dozen	/	Whiskey	gallons	/
Gin	bottles	/	Wine	bottles	/
Indian Meal	cwt.	/	Candles	lbs.	/
Oatmeal	"	/	Coal	tons	/
Meat	lbs.	90	Oil	gallons	/
Pepper	"	/	Soap	cwts.	/
Potatoes	cwt.	5	Washing Soda	"	/
Rice	lbs.	/	Ball Blue	lbs.	/
Salt	cwt.	/	Starch	"	/

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

Masters Report

*I beg to report that I purchased 72 stone
of potatoes today @ 11^d per stone*

Minute approved

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

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

21st Dec. 1916 Letter from Nurse Diver
stating Male Hospital will furnish her
certificate on 23rd inst.
Minute Forwarded to the
Local Government Board
on the 23rd inst.

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Provisions	78	11	11	17	18	0	96	9	11	14	23	4	0	3	18	26	78	7	5	355	
Necessaries	111	17	0	-	-	-	111	17	0	3	19	6	1	16	10	5	16	4	106		-
Total	190	8	11	17	18	0	208	6	11	18	19	5	17	1	23	18	10	184	8	1	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... : 7 : 1½

Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 7 : 9½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 9 : 1

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The 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 16 day of December 1916 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	8 2 4						
2 Money since advanced by Guardians ...	— — —						
3. Total to be accounted for ...	8 2 4						
<i>Ependiture.</i>							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ...	1 17 0						
In Kind ...	— — —						
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility ...	— — —						
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...	8 6						
7. Total Relief given	2 5 6						
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ...	5 16 10						
9. TOTAL ...	8 2 4						

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

Dated this 23 day of December 1916
George Dunne
 Clerk of Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

In pursuance of notice to each member, to consider application of Dispensary Medical Officers Donegal Union for an increase in salary or to adopt a graded scale of salaries Dr. H. J. Hancock & T. Sullivan and W^m O'Donnell appeared before the Board. explained to the members their application
 W. J. M. Laughlin J.P. handed in the following notice of motion to be considered on 13th Jan. 1917 viz. I will move at meeting to be held on 13th Jan 1917 that a graded scale of salaries be adopted for the Dispensary Medical Officers of Donegal Union as suggested or applied for, eg. that their salaries be increased by triennial increments of £15 until a maximum of £200, to be applied retrospectively.

Patrick Gilligan

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

30 day of December 1916

(Signed)

George Dunmore

Clerk of the Union.

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