

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Orders of the Board thereon
No 15301:1916 31-3-16	Every effort should be made by the Guardians to secure compliance with the Vaccination Acts throughout the Union	Relieving Officers to have notices served as usual. and The houses of Miss Kerrigan Bundoran and Mr F Donaghy, Cashelard to be used as Vaccination depots at £1 yearly each.

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.
1-4-16	Relieving Officer Gryson - Belleek	During to the illness of Dr Kelly Disp. M.D. he had to requisition the services of Dr McMullen on 23rd inst for 1 day	Approved. Dr M ^c Mullen to be allowed £1-1-0.
1-4-16	Relieving Officer McSherry, Kenlough	During to the illness of Dr Walsh Disp. M.D. he had to requisition the services of Dr. Flood to do duty from 22nd to 27th March inclusive	Approved. Dr Flood to be allowed £4-4-0
(a medical Certificate of the Doctors' illness in each case was produced.)			
<p style="text-align: center;"> <i>W. W. W. W. W.</i> <i>Chairman B/4/16</i> </p>			

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 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 Board of Guardians to be held on SATURDAY,

the 8th day of April 1916

(Signed) C. W. Gowans

Clerk of the Union

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value, £53,301 18s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of April 1916

No. 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 9 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		115															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever H'ptal		12															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		127															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			1	0	50	49	5	-	9	7	6	127					
Admitted during the Week			4	1	4	-	-	1				10					
Born																	
Total			5	1	54	49	5	1	9	7	6	137					
Discharged during the Week			5	1	1	1			1			9					
Died												1					
Total Discharged and Died			5	1	1	1			1			10					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			-	-	53	47	5	1	8	7	6	127					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													Males	F'males	Child'n under 15	Total	
													No. relieved during week	4	1		5
													No. in Workhouse at date		1		1
													No. at corresponding period last year	116			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of April 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	62	1	1	41	63
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	6	13	1	1	7	14
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	53	87	2	2	55	89

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

SATURDAY, the 8th day of April 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair— Thomas Corman Jr Esq JP

Other Guardians— Messrs:— Joan, J M Cafferky
P. Flanagan

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Master reported that Nurse Harte (Fever Hospital nurse) left on 7th inst. owing to the serious illness of her mother. By direction of the Medical Officer he procured the services of a trained nurse to temporarily discharge her duties. He procured some turnips also 5 doz herring during the week. There being no contract for herring; and the person who tendered for turnips having none in stock.

Minute:— "Approved: Nurse Harte granted one weeks leave"

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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 18/M/ 1916
1st April 1916.

Read circular from Local Govt. Board enclosing forms on which to furnish

them with summary of Invoices of Medicines and Medical and Surgical appliances showing the sums charged to the Guardians in respect of the half-year ended 31st March 1916.

Minute:— "To be furnished"

No 13019:1916
27th. March 1916

Read letter from Local Govt. Board enclosing copy of Section 10 of the

Finance Act, 1901. from which they state it will be observed this sanction is not required to any payments made thereunder. They

point out that they consider the contractor for sugar is only entitled to the extra duty which he can prove he paid on the sugar supplied to the Workhouse since 22nd Sept last

They point out that the Increase in duty at 22nd Sept 1915 was $\frac{7}{6}$ per Cwt. The full amount of this was not immediately effective as the price fixed by the Sugar Commission practically reduced it to about $\frac{4}{9}$. On 2nd January last the effective duty became $\frac{7}{3}$ and early in March to the full amount viz $\frac{7}{6}$.

Mr George Whyte contractor for supply of sugar wrote, date 5th inst. stating that any sugar supplied to him from that date will be subject to $\frac{7}{6}$ per lb additional duty, put on by the Government on 4th inst

He points out that his tender in Sept last for ~~that his tender~~ ^{Sugar} was at 3³/₄d per lb. together with any additional duty that might be put on and in no way subject to market fluctuations: whether Sugar Commission raised or lowered price

Minute:- "To be paid the extra duty paid on Sugar"

Mr. McEwan, Warden date 8th April 1916 stating that without some allowance his present salary would not provide him with shirts, drawers, boots, tobacco, eggs and other things he is obliged to buy to enable him carry out his duties as Warden

Minute:- "Left over"

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 15th day of April 1916

(Signed)

C. L. Cowan

Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the *8th* day of *April* 191*6*

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* 191*6*, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	D.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...			
Repayment of Relief	...	<i>46</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>1</i>
Rents of Dispensary Residences	...			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	...	<i>58</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	...			
Loans Received	...			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above	...	<i>104</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>4</i>

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).						£	s.	D.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—								
Provisions and Necessaries	...	...	...	...	...
Clothing and Bedding	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	-
ESTABLISHMENT—								
(a) Salaries	...	...	...	...	...
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	...	...	...	...
(c) Farm	...	...	...	...	...	14	12	6
(d) Other Expenses	...	...	...	...	...	19	13	9
Workhouse Burials	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	-
District School Account	...	...	...	...	...
District Hospital Account	...	...	...	...	...
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	...	...	...	...
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...	...	...	...	...	8	13	11
Medical Charities	...	...	...	...	...	10	10	0
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	...	...	...	...	...	5	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	...	...	...	...	...	29	-	-
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...	...	...	...	...
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	...	...	...	...
Expenditure out of Loans	...	...	...	...	...
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above						90	4	2

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of March 1916.

	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	104	12	4			
Total	104	12	4			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	387	11	6			
Payments ordered during the month	90	4	2			
Total	477	15	8			
Net Balance due <u>by</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	373	3	4			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>to</u> Treasurer	371	1	4			
Outstanding Orders	2	2	-			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union	373	3	4			

Dated this 8th day of April 1916

C. W. Rowan
Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 8th day of April 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 394 to No. 495
Separate ,, No. 826 to No. 826
Out-door ,, No. 922 to No. 922

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of April 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	12	9	9	36	0	8	48	10	5	36	12	8	2	12	9	38	15	5	10	15	-	} 896
Necessaries	97	15	-	-	-	6	97	15	6	5	4	5	1	10	0	6	14	5	91	1	1	
Total	110	4	9	36	1	2	146	5	11	41	17	1	3	12	9	45	9	10	101	16	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 7 s. 6
Average Cost in Infirmary : 10 s. 0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 10 s. 0

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

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

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

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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of April 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.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	19 4 1	3 6 4	2 12 6				25 2 11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	19 4 1	3 6 4	2 12 6				25 2 11
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 11 0	1 1 6	16 -				7 8 6
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given	5 11 0	1 1 6	16				7 8 6
8 Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	13 13 1	2 4 10	1 16 6				17 14 5
9. Total ...	19 4 1	3 6 4	2 12 6				25 2 11

Dated this 1st day of April 1916

C. Rowan Clerk of Union.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 and 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 9th day of April 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair— Thomas Lorman Esq JP
 Other Guardians— Please see General Minutes

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

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

The following 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.
1-4-16	R F Blake Analyst Belfast	Report on analysis of Drugs forwarded from Kunlough Dispensary The drugs are of standard quality	Copy to be sent to L.G. Board.
3-14-16	James Gordon Medical Officer Bellshannon Dispensary	Form 2 for half- year ended 31st March 1916.	
1-4-16	Stannorsons Newry	Bond for supply of medical surgical Appliances completed.	

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.:-

Kinlough showing 13 defaulters.

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

Relieving Officer to serve notices on defaulters

James Gavigan
15/4/16/

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

the 15th day of April 1916

(Signed)

C. W. Gowen

Clerk of the Union.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value. £53,301 18s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of April 1916

No. 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 H'ptal																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL																	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			-	-	53	47	5	1	8	7	6	127					
Admitted during the Week			7	2	4	7	2	2	1			25					
Born																	
Total			7	2	57	54	7	3	9	7	6	152					
Discharged during the Week			4	1	3	5	2	1	4	2	1	23					
Died					1							1					
Total Discharged and Died			4	1	4	5	2	1	4	2	1	24					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			3	1	53	49	5	2	5	5	5	128					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
													No. relieved during week	Males	F'males	Childr'n under 18	Total
													No. in Workhouse at date	7	2	6	15
													No. at corresponding period last year	3	1	..	4

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of April 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	62	1	1	41	63
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	6	13	1	1	7	14
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	53	87	2	2	55	89

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

SATURDAY, the 15th day of April 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair—James Gavigan Esq

Other Guardians—Messrs:—W. Ward J. Hoan,

E. Mulhern, J. Monaghan

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

On the master's application the usual Easter extras were allowed to the inmates

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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. 17,731 : 1916
14th April 1916

Read letter from
Local Govt. Board
enclosing questions
for answers respecting the person temporarily
employed as nurse in the Workhouse
Minute: - "To be furnished"

Victoria Barracks
Belfast 13th April 1916.

Read letter from
Military Authorities
stating that the
War Office have approved of the increased
rate of 3/- per diem per patient for the
maintenance and treatment of ^{military} patients
in the Ballyshannon Union Infirmary.
Minute "Approved. Sanction of Local
Government Board requested for the
arrangement as fixed by Guardians
on 18th March 1916."

Read letter from Nurse Harte, Rosses Point,
Co Sligo, date 13th inst. stating that her
mother was still very ill and that she would
be unable to return for some time longer, she
requested the Guardians to grant her a further
extension of leave.

Minute: - "Granted another week's leave"

Relieving Officer Higgins reported that the child
John O'Brien boarded-out in his district is very
well cared for. School attendance good.

Read letter from Mr John Kelly ardlongfield
Ballyshannon requesting the Guardians to have
a child named James Wilson boarded-out with
him.

To be boarded-out

Sanction of Local Government Board is requested
for boarding-out of Matthew Ryan as proposed on
the 11th March 1916.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 22nd day of April 1916

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the.....day of.....191

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.....191 .., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 191.....

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 15th day of April 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 405 to No. 457
Separate „ No. 826 to No. 826
Out-door „ No. 922 to No. 922

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 8th day of April 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	10	15	0	28	13	2	39	8	2	25	1	1	2	5	0	27	6	1	12	2	1	892
Necessaries	9	1	1	2	2	10	9	3	11	5	8	10	1	10	0	6	18	10	8	6	5		1
Total	10	16	1	30	16	0	132	12	1	30	9	11	3	15	0	34	4	11	9	8	7	2

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

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

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

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

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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending
Saturday, the 8th day of April 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.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	13 13 1	2 4 10 3 6 4	1 16 2 12 6				17 14 5 19 11 11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	13 13 1	2 4 10 1 16	1 16 2 12 6				17 14 5
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 11 0	1 1 6	16 -				7 8 6
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...			1 " "				1 " "
7. Total Relief given	5 11 0	1 1 6	1 16 0				8 8 6
8 Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	8 2 1	1 3 4	6				9 5 11
9. Total ...	13 13 1	2 4 10	1 16 6				17 14 5

Dated this 15th day of April 1916

C. M. Rowan Clerk of Union.

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Orders of the Board thereon
No. 16658 : 1916 11 th April 1916	Sanctioning payment of £4. 4. 0 to Doctor Flood for acting as temporary substitute for Doctor Walsh Kinlough for one week.	
No. 16658 : 1916 11 th April 1916	Sanctioning payment of one pound one shilling to Doctor McMullin for acting as temporary substitute for Doctor Kelly Bellake for one day.	

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.
Truskillen 13 th April 1916	F. P. Townsend	Requesting payment of £3.3.0 for preparing report and specifications of proposed repairs to Belleek Dispensary Residence.	"To be paid"
15 th April 1916	Doctor Leo Kelly Belleek	Read letter from Doctor Kelly enclosing a ticket-form 2.2 in the case of Mrs Gallagher Sutton, and requesting the Guardians to have it cancelled as she is willing to pay him	"Ticket to be cancelled"
14. 4. 1916	J. Boyce Medical Officer Ballintra	Form K. for half-year ended 31 st March 1916.	
14. 4. 1916	do	Form H. Showing five successful vaccinations.	

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:—

Ballintra	Showing	7	Defaulters
Belleek	"	81	do

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

Relieving officers to serve notices on defaulters.

Thomas John Mc Cafferty
22/4/16.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on SATURDAY,
the 22nd day of April 1916

(Signed)

C. J. Mc Cafferty

Clerk of the Union

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value, £53,301 18s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of April 1916

No. 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	109	109														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital	24	24														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	133	133														
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			3	1	53	49	5	2	5	5	5	128				
Admitted during the Week			11	3	3	3	9	6	4			39	43	In Separate Wards		
Born													24	In Wards with other Inmates	4	
Total			14	4	56	52	14	8	9	5	5	157	67	TOTAL	4	
Discharged during the Week			11				14	8				33				
Died						1						1				
Total Discharged and Died			11			1	14	8				34				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			3	4	56	51			9	5	5	133				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of April 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	62	1	1	41	63
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	6	13	1	1	7	14
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	53	87	2	2	55	89

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

SATURDAY, the 22nd day of April 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair—

Mr J. J. McCafferty.

Other Guardians—

Messrs J. Keow, J. McSarron,

J. Egan,

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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. 16126 : 1916

14th April 1916

Read circular letter

from Local Government

Board forwarding copy

of a further notice which has been issued by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury in pursuance of the Public Works Loans Act, 1897 (60 & 61 Vict, c, 517).

Read letter from Miss M. Harbo Jones Hospital Nurse date the 19th inst., applying for a further week's leave as her mother was still very ill.

Minute:—"Granted".

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 29th day of April 1916

(Signed)

Carl Gowan
Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the.....day of.....191

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.....191 .., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 191.....

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2.)—**STATISTICAL MINUTES.**

Meeting held on Saturday, the 22 day of April 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 451 to No. 470
 Separate „ No. 826 to No. 832
 Out-door „ No. 922 to No. 922

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 April 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	12	2	1	32	9	3	44	11	4	24	17	8	2	5	0	27	2	8	17	8	8	910
Necessaries	86	5	1	1	7	5	87	12	6	5	9	6	1	10	0	6	19	6	80	13	0	
Total	98	7	2	33	16	8	132	3	10	30	7	2	3	15	0	34	2	2	98	1	8	

	£	s.	d.
The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	:	4	: 10
Average Cost in Infirmary	:	6	: 6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	:	8	: 6

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

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

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

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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of April 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.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	8 2 1	1 3 4	6				9 5 11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	15 - -	6 - -	5 - -				26 - -
3. Total to be accounted for ...	23 2 1	7 3 4	5 - 6				35 5 11
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 9 ..	1 1 6	16 ..				7 6 6
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given	5 9 ..	1 1 6	16 -				7 6 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	17 13 1	6 1 10	4 4 6				27 19 5
9. Total ...	23 2 1	7 3 4	5 0 6				35 5 11

Dated this 15th day of April 1916
Clu Rowan Clerk of Union.

Hely's Pen Duplicate Minute Book,
 Dame Street, Dublin.

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.
¹⁸ 20. 4. 16	Doctor J. G. Whellan Ballyshannon	Certifying that Dr. P. D. Walsh Kilnough Dispensary District is suffering from acute Traumatic Synovitis - due to a slip on mountainside while on duty.	
17. 4. 16	Dr. P. D. Walsh Kilnough Dispensary District	Form L. for half-year ended 31 st March 1916.	
J. G. Flanagan			29/4/16

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.:—

20.4.16

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

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

the 29th day of April 1916

(Signed) C. Rowan

Clerk of the Union

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value. £53,301 18s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of April 1916

No. 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 H'ptal																	
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL																	
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			3	4	56	51			9	5	5	133					
Admitted during the Week			7	2	6	2	2	4	2	2	2	29					
Born																	
Total			10	6	62	53	2	4	11	7	7	162					
Discharged during the Week			4	1	2	2	2	4	1			15					
Died					1							1					
Total Discharged and Died			4	1	3	2	2	4	1			16					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			6	5	59	51	-	-	10	7	7	145					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
														Males	F'males	Childr'n under 15	Total
													No. relieved during week	7	2	12	21
													No. in Workhouse at date	6	5	-	11
													No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of April 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	62	1	1	41	63
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	6	13	1	1	7	14
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	53	87	2	2	55	89

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

SATURDAY, the 29th day of April 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair— Mr P. Flanagan.

Other Guardians— Messrs J. Loan, D. McGowan,
J. Connolly, J. Monaghan, E. Mulhern.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Master reported that Miss Davis temporary nurse left off duty on 28th inst. Nurse Harte having returned on same date.

He also reported that he lodged a sum of £34.15.6 to the credit of the Union on 29th inst. being repayment of relief.

"Approved"

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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):—

Miss Dr. Clarke Fever Hospital Nurse wrote date the 28th inst. asking the Guardians to be good enough to allow her the usual allowance of six shillings^{a week} in lieu of rations while on leave.

Minute:— "Granted. Sanction of Local Government-Board requested."

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 6th day of May 1916

(Signed) _____

C. W. Gowan
Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the.....day of.....191

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.....191 .., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

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

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....191.....

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191 _____

Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 29th day of April 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 470 to No. 501
 Separate ,, No. 832 to No. 832
 Out-door ,, No. 922 to No. 922

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 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	17	8	8	35	10		52	9	8	27	8	3	2	5	0	29	13	3	22	16	5	} 955
Necessaries	80	13	0	1	11	4	82	4	4	4	15	8	1	0	0	6	5	8	75	18	8	
Total	98	1	8	36	12	4	134	14	0	32	3	11	3	15	0	35	18	11	98	15	1	

£ s. d.

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 4 : 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary : 6 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 8 : 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 Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
- 8—The In-door Admission and Discharge Book.

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

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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of April 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.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	17 13 0	6 1 10	4 4 6				27 19 5
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	17 13 1	6 1 10	4 4 6				27 19 5
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 5 0	1 1 6	16 0				7 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 ...							
7. Total Relief given	5 5 0	1 1 6	16 -				7 2 6
8. Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	12 8 1	5 0 4	3 8 6				20 16 11
9. Total ...	17 13 1	6 1 10	4 4 6				27 19 5

Dated this 29th day of April 1916

C. J. Rowan Clerk of Union.

Hely's Pen Duplicate Minute Book, Dame Street, Dublin.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 and 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 29th day of April 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair— Mr P Flanagan
 Other Guardians— Please see General Minutes

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

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

The following 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. 4. 16	Andrew McSherry Relieving Officer	That owing to the illness of Dr Walsh M.O. Kintyre Dispensary District, he was obliged to requisition the services of Dr Mullin Workhouse Medical Officer to act as temporary substitute during his illness.	Approved. Doctor Mullin to be allowed £4-4-0 a week
		James Gavigan 6/5/16	

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 Board of Guardians to be held on SATURDAY,

the 6th day of May 1916

(Signed) Cuegan

Clerk of the Union

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value. £53,301 18s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 1916

No. 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		104													
Temporary Buildings															
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever H'ptal															
Fever Sheds		24													
TOTAL		128													
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			6	5	59	51	-	-	10	7	7	145			
Admitted during the Week			9	6	3	1	5	4	3	6	1	38			
Born															
Total			15	11	62	52	5	4	13	13	8	173			
Discharged during the Week			13	7	4	6	5	4	5	6	2	52			
Died					2	1						3			
Total Discharged and Died			13	7	6	7	5	4	5	6	2	55			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			2	4	56	45	-	-	8	7	6	118			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	40	62	1	1	41	13
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	6	13	1	1	7	14
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	53	87	2	2	55	89

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

SATURDAY, the 6th day of May 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair— James Ganigan Esq J.P.
Other Guardians— Messrs J. Loon, O.M. Power

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Master reported having employed a temporary washerwoman during the week.

Minute:— approved

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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):—

Mr Patrick McGowan Wardenman, applied for & was granted a month's leave of absence

The Stocktake's return for the half year ended ~~31st Feb~~ March 31st 1916 was submitted when it was ordered that the following articles as recommended by the stocktake be placed in the east store as unfit for further use. and that the master dispose of them to the best advantage

Bedding & House Linen:- 44 Bolster covers,
35 pillow slips, 7 table cloths, 4 towels

Men's Clothing:- 6 waistcoats, 15 Handkerchiefs,
7 hats, 47 shirts, 16 pr Shoes, 13 Socks,

Women's Clothing:- 12 aprons, 31 shifts,
20 pr. Shoes, 13 prs Stockings, 7 Skirts.

Boys Clothing:- 4 Coats & Jackets, 3 Collars,
10 Caps, 6 prs Shoes.

Girls Clothing:- 1 Apron, 17 dresses,
2 hats, 8 pr. Shoes, 8 prs. Stockings

Miscellaneous:- 7 Broom brooms, 13 boot brushes
2 grate brushes, 4 paint brushes, 17 Scrubs,
32 Sweeping brushes, 2 Clocks, 2 Cradles,
15 Chairs, 9 forms, 1 hearth rug, 10 lamps,
6 mats, 33 wire mattresses, 9 shovels,
2 basins, 1 basket, 12 blacklead brushes,
1 bowl, 8 broom handles, 13 buckets,
3 Candlesticks, 12 Combs, 13 Cups & Saucers.

2 Egg cups, 6 feeding bottles, 2 feeding cups,
18 forks, 5 hot water jars, 6 jugs, 2 kettles,
49 knives, 3 metal hats, 2 mirrors, 4 mugs,
3 pans, 2 picture frames, 4 measures,
26 plates, 2 Razors, 4 Saucepans,
16 spoons, 34 tin dishes, 1 teapot,
7 thermals.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 13th day of May 1916

(Signed)

C. J. Gowan

Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the.....day of.....191

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.....191 .., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 191.....

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2.)—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 6th day of May 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 501 to No. 555
 Separate ,, No. 832 to No. 835
 Out-door ,, No. 922 to No. 922

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of April 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	22	16	5	27	11	1	50	7	6	36	14	3	2	5	0	38	19	3	11	8	3	} 922	
Necessaries	45	18	8	-	-	-	45	18	8	4	14	8	1	10	0	6	4	8	6	9	14		0
Total	98	15	1	27	11	1	126	6	2	41	8	11	3	15	0	45	3	11	81	2	3		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 6 : 3½
 Average Cost in Infirmary : 7 : 9
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 8 : 11

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

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

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

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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending
Saturday, the 29th day of April 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.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	12 8 1	50 4	38 6				20 16 11
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...	12 0 0	- - -	2 9 4				14 9 4
3. Total to be accounted for ...	24 8 1	50 4	5 17 10				35 6 3
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 9 -	1 1 6	16 0				7 6 6
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...							
7. Total Relief given	5 9 0	1 1 6	16 0				7 6 6
8 Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	18 19 1	3 18 10	5 1 10				27 19 9
9. Total ...	24 8 1	50 4	5 17 10				35 6 3

Dated this 6th day of May 1916

C. W. Cowan Clerk of Union.

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

Date	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon.
4 May 1916	R F Blake Analyst	Reports on results of analysis of samples of drugs forwarded from the Belleek and Ballyphannon Dispensaries. The drugs were of standard quality	Copy to be sent to the Board
5 May 1916	Dr Kelly Belleek Dispensary	Half yearly return Form 2 for half- year ended 31st March 1916	James Gavigan 13/5/16/

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 Board of Guardians to be held on SATURDAY,

the 13th day of May 1916

(Signed)

C. Gowan

Clerk of the Union

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value, £53,301 18s. 0d.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 1916

No. 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 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 3 and under 9 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		102															
Temporary Buildings																	
Additional Workhouse																	
Permanent Fever H'ptal		22															
Fever Sheds																	
TOTAL		124															
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			2	4	56	45	-	-	8	7	6	128	Under Medical Treatment in Infirmary Wards	40	In Separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			7	5	1	4	6	4	6	3	3	39	Under Medical Treatment in Fever Hospital	22	In Wards with other Inmates	4	
Born																	
Total			9	9	57	49	6	4	14	10	9	167	TOTAL	62	TOTAL	4	
Discharged during the Week			7	6	1	1	6	4	5	6	6	42	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS				
Died						1						1	No. relieved during week	7	5	18	30
Total Discharged and Died			7	6	2	1	6	4	5	6	6	43	No. in Workhouse at date	-	-	-	-
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			2	3	55	48	-	-	9	4	3	124	No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of May 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	38	57	1	1	39	58
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	5	12	1	1	6	12
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	50	80	2	2	52	82

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

SATURDAY, the 13th day of May 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair— Mr James Savigan J.P.

Other Guardians— Messrs: P. McNulty, J. Keon.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Master reported that by direction of the Medical Officer he procured the services of a temporary night nurse for Fever Hospital on 9th inst. The other temporary night nurse having left on that date.

Minute:— "Approved"

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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. 19, 153 : 1916

12th May 1916

boy Matthew Ryan with Mr Bernard Gough

Read letter from Local
Govt Board consenting
to boarding out of

The report of Relieving Officer McSharry on boarded out child for month of March was submitted which showed, the child is clean & healthy and attends school regularly.

The Resolution of the Kanturk Board of Guardians at their meeting on 4th inst asking recommending the Government, Capitalists & Public Bodies to give preferential treatment (when a vacancy occurs) to Irish Ladies who have risked their ^{lives} ~~duty~~ doing nursing duty at the front, was marked read

Resolution

Proposed by Mr P W Mulhy

Seconded by Mr J Ken and unanimously resolved :-

That we protest in the strongest possible manner against the continuance of martial law in Ireland and demand a return to constitutional law. We consider the wholesale executions and long terms of imprisonment as barbarous and reminiscent of the horror through which Ireland has so often passed

under English military law. We also demand a cessation of the wholesale arrests throughout the country.

Resolution.

Proposed by Mr Leonard

Seconded by Mr P Scott

and supported by Messrs, J. McHarran, J. Keon,
P. McNulty - and passed

That we place on record our regret at the death of Mr Terence Ferguson of Glen East an old and respected member of this board and of Fermanagh County Council. He was always an ardent Nationalist and advocated the cause of freedom for the last 50 years and like some of others of his day suffered inside the prison cell for the national cause.

By his death County Fermanagh has lost one of its truest and most valued friends therefore to the County and to his relatives we extend our sincere sympathy.

James Gavigan
20/5/16/

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 20th day of May 1916

(Signed)

C. Gowan

Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the 13th day of May 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 April 1916, and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows:—

TABLE (a).		£	s.	d.
County Council—Money supplied on demand of Guardians	...	1086	-	-
Repayment of Relief	...	34	15	6
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	...	1120	15	6

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).		£	s.	D.
SUNDRY ACCOUNTS, viz. :—				
Provisions and Necessaries	...			
Clothing and Bedding	...			
ESTABLISHMENT—				
(a) Salaries	...	145	5	6
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	...	10	8	8
(c) Farm	...			
(d) Other Expenses	...	109	10	4
Workhouse Burials	...			
District School Account	...			
District Hospital Account	...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	...	23	3	6
Emigration, Law and other Expenses	...		8	0
Medical Charities	...	162	10	7
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	...	4	2	0
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	...	6	14	0
Superannuation Allowances	...	30	10	0
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers	...			
Expenses of Local Committees	...			
Repayment of Loans	...	27	13	4
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	...	38	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts	...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	...	552	17	1
Expenditure out of Loans	...			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	...	1112	3	0

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of April 1916.

	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	1120	15	6			
Total	1120	15	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last monthly Statement	373	3	4			
Payments ordered during the month	1112	3	0			
Total	1485	6	4			
Net Balance due ^{by} the Union (being difference of above Totals)	364	10	10			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due ^{to} Treasurer	288	17	6			
Outstanding Orders	75	13	4			
Net Balance as above due ^{by} the Union	364	10	10			

Dated this 13th day of May 1916

C. Brown
Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—**STATISTICAL MINUTES.**

Meeting held on Saturday, the 13th day of May 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 555 to No. 562
Separate „ No. 835 to No. 836
Out-door „ No. 922 to No. 922

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 6th day of May 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	11	8	3	32	3	5	43	11	8	25	19	0	2	5	0	28	4	0	15	7	8	906
Necessaries	69	14	0	2	2	10	71	16	10	3	12	4	1	10	0	5	2	4	66	14	6	
Total	81	2	3	34	6	3	115	8	6	29	11	4	3	15	0	33	6	4	82	2	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 4 s. 6
Average Cost in Infirmary : 7 : 0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital : 8 : 6

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

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

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

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.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending
Saturday, the 6th day of May 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.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of pre- vious week ...	18 19 1	3 18 10	5 1 10				27 19 9
2. Money since ad- vanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be ac- counted for ...	18 19 1	3 18 10	5 1 10				27 19 9
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	5 9 0	1 1 6	16 0				7 6 6
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Re- lieving Officer on his own responsibility							
6. Orphans and De- serted Children boarded out ...	3 0						3 0
7. Total Relief given	5 20	1 1 6	16 0				7 9 6
8 Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	13 17 1	2 17 4	4 5 10				20 10 3
9. Total ...	18 19 1	3 18 10	5 1 10				27 19 9

Dated this 13 day of May 1916

C. J. Lowry
Clerk of Union.

These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians quarterly, viz., on the 31st March, 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 Board of Guardians to be held on SATURDAY, the _____ day of _____ 191

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Population in 1911—20,163.

Present Net Annual Value, £53,301 18s. Od.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 1916

No. 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		97														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever H'ptal		14														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL		111														
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return			2	3	55	48	-	-	9	4	3	124	34	In Separate Wards		
Admitted during the Week			3		2	1	1					7	14	In Wards with other Inmates	4	
Born																
Total			5	3	57	49	1		9	4	3	131	48	TOTAL	4	
Discharged during the Week			3		8	5	7		1		2	19				
Died							1					1				
Total Discharged and Died			3		8	5	2		1		2	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			2	3	49	44	-	-	8	4	1	111				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of May 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	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	38	57	1	1	39	58
No. II.	7	12			7	12
No. III.	5	11	1	1	6	12
No. IV.						
No. V.						
TOTAL	50	80	2	2	52	82

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

SATURDAY, the 20th day of May 1916

PRESENT—In the Chair—

James Gavigan Esq. JP

Other Guardians—Messrs:—Thos Gorman Sr.

Thomas Gorman Jr., O McGowan,

P. Mc. Multy, J. Hoan, J. Monaghan,

W. Ward. B. Cork, J. Connolly

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Guardians, 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. 19153: 1916. Read letter from
15th May 1916. Local Government
Board stating
they will raise no objection to the
proposal of the Guardians to pay
to the Workhouse Medical one sixth
of the amount of 3/- per day, charged
to military patients in Hospital here,
for his extra work in connection with
these patients

No. 22167: 1916. Read letter from
15th May, 1916. Local Government
Board stating
they have sanctioned payment of 6/-
weekly to nurse Harte ~~in~~ in lieu
of Rations while on leave.

No. 22169: 1916. Read letter from
15th May 1916. Local Government
Board, relative to
the Guardians' ~~proposal~~ allowance of one
month's leave to Wardsman McGowan.
They request to know the cause of this
officer's requiring so long a leave of
absence.

Minute:— "His health has failed
somewhat and he ^{hopes to} regain his usual
good health in a short time."

No. 19621 1916
18th May 1916

Read letter from
Local Government
Board sanctioning

the temporary appointment of Nurse
Elizabeth Davis @ £1-5-0 per week for her
services together with 2/- for laundry & 7/-
post Rations per week.

17th May, 1916

Read circular
from Local
Government Board drawing attention
to the Resolution of the House of
Commons in favour of the Daylight
Saving Scheme passed on 8th inst,
and to the Summer Time Bill,
which has now received the Royal
Assent, giving effect to the
Resolution.

They enclose copies of the
notice showing the alteration of time.

Glen East,
18th May, 1916.

Read letter from
Mr G. Ferguson
thanking the

Guardians for their vote of sympathy
on the with him on the death of
his father, brother

The Resolution of ~~17th~~ the Athlone
Board of Guardians of 13th inst
in favour of "yearly" instead of
"half yearly" audits was adopted

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

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

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

Do. in which Relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was

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

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

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

the 27th day of May 1916

(Signed)

C. W. Rowan

Clerk of the Union.

FORM 14.
(Article 7.)

TABLE (1)—FINANCIAL MINUTES.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

Finance Meeting held on Saturday, the.....day of.....191

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.....191 .., and the Ledger entries made in respect of same as follows :—

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

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 191.....

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

Dated this _____ day of _____ 191

Clerk of Union.

TABLE (2).—STATISTICAL MINUTES.

Meeting held on Saturday, the 20th day of May 1916

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Provisions	15	7	8	24	8	3	39	15	11	25	1	2	2	5	0	27	6	2	12	9	9	850
Necessaries	66	14	6	15	10	6	81	24	12	3	11	10	1	10	0	5	1	10	62	8	6	
Total	82	22	2	25	4	1	107	6	3	28	13	0	3	15	0	32	8	0	74	18	3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : £ 4 : 8 ¹/₂
Average Cost in Infirmary .. : 5 : 7
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	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week ...	13 7 1	2 17 4	4 5 10				20 10 3
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ...							
3. Total to be accounted for ...	13 7 1	2 17 4	4 5 10				20 10 3
EXPENDITURE.							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..	59 -	1 1 6	16 0				7 6 6
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility							
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out ...			1 17 2				1 17 2
7. Total Relief given	59 0	1 1 6	2 13 2				9 3 8
8. Balance in hands at close of the week... ..	7 18 1	1 15 10	1 12 8				11 6 7
9. Total ...	13 7 1	2 17 4	4 5 10				20 10 3

Dated this 20 day of May 1916

C. W. Gowen Clerk of Union.

BALLYSHANNON UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 and 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 20th day of May 1910

PRESENT—In the Chair— James Gavigan Esq. JP.
 Other Guardians— Please see General Minutes.

Estimates and Requisitions for Medicines, and Medical and Surgical Appliances, required by the Medical Officers of the under-mentioned 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 under-mentioned 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.	

