

Board of Guardians minute book
Wexford Union

WX/BG 162/1/133

3 July 1915 – 25 December 1915

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of July, 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse ..	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 121	In separate wards 20	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds ..	—														
Total, ..	812												TOTAL 122	TOTAL 22	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			20	84	69	2	3	8	4	8	203				
Admitted during the Week ..			4	—	4	5	—	—	—	—	13				
Born ..															
Total, ..			4	20	93	74	2	3	8	4	8	216			
Discharged during the Week ..			2	—	10	4	—	—	—	—	16				
Died ..															
Total Discharged and Dead ..			2	—	10	4	—	—	—	—	16				
Remaining on the above date ..			2	20	83	70	2	3	8	4	8	200			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 3rd day of July, 1915, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	140	247					382
No. II.	56	90					
TOTAL	196	337					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 3rd day of July, 1915.

Present: In the Chair—Miss M. A. O'Connell

Other Guardians:—Messrs. Mr. Peacock, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Jones, Mr. Dymally, John O'Ryan, John Wickham, Pucklerish, Mr. O'Brien, John White, J. J. Cowman, John Murphy, Mr. Les Began, John Murphy, Peter Walsh, Mr. Lewis, John McConnack, Andrew White, Louis Barry, Mr. Power, Christy Cullen, Mr. Rossiter.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Summary and Reconcilement of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....

19..
Wesley
 Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 3rd day of July 1915

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

Indoor, from No. 3847 to No. 3881
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out-door „ No. to No.

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

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

- 1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.
- 2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.
- 3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 3 day of July 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions... ..	94	14	2	35	16	9	130	10	11	48	5	2	2	16	1	57	1	3	79	9	8
Necessaries ..	114	16	3	-	11	8	115	7	11	5	12	5	-	6	11	6	19	4	108	8	7
Total ..	209	10	5	36	7	5	245	18	10	53	17	7	3	3	0	64	0	7	187	18	3

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

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6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of July, 1915, was submitted as follows:—

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	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
	7	2	8							7	2	8	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17	-	-	17	0	5				34	0	5	
3. Total to be accounted for	24	2	8	17	0	5				43	3	1	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	19	0	5	14	0				20	13	0	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	2	6	-	17	-				-	19	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	2	14	0	2	8	0				5	2	0	
7. Total Relief given ..	17	15	6	8	19	0				26	5	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	6	7	2	8	1	5				14	8	7	
9. Total	24	2	8	17	0	5				41	3	1	

NOTE

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

Dated this 5th day of July, 1915.

Wm. Kelly
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

"Resolution of sympathy"

On the motion of Mr. Peacock J. Seconded by Miss M.A. O'Farrell the following resolution was passed in Unanimity—

"That we the Wexford Board of Guardians beg leave to tender our most sincere sympathy to the Clan in the great grief that has come to her on account of the death of mother Flaudaus who was taken away in the midst of all her good work, her last good act being the provision made by her for the nursing of the sick poor in their own homes in Wexford town and elsewhere."

We also wish to tender our sympathy to all the other good Sisters of the Community. Alderman Corbett and other members of the Board identified themselves with the resolution and the Clerk in promising to convey same to Rev. Mother associated himself and the other officials with the vote of sympathy.

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

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 10

Mrs. M'Donald, 10

Mr. Jones, 10

Mr. Codd. 10 1/4

Ordered "To advertise for a Cargo of newport coals about 150 tons and 3 waggons of Irish Coal."

It was ordered to hold a cheque of £9-19-6 belonging to James Mackay in respect of work he has done at the Fever Hospital until a Committee be same on Tuesday at 11 o'clock consisting of the following, Messrs O'Brien, Hore, Lymbury and Pascoe.

Ordered "that the master have the potatoes weighed twice on the motion of Mr. H. Rowman & it was ordered that Dr. O'Brien be written to for an explanation as to why a man named Hughes was not sent to the County Infirmary for treatment instead of to a Dublin Hospital."

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

Mr John Larkin wrote thanking the Board and their Clerk for the kind acts of Condolence passed when on account of the death of his son who died in defence of his Country on the field of battle

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, follows):—

No 35, 278. 2 July 1911

Sanctioning the arrangements made for the nursing of the child Mary Kate Murphy. boarded out with Mr Doyle Kilmaree.

The following tenders were accepted for 3 months
Best bakers flour. Mr. H. Cullen. at 11-15-3 per 16 sack.

Bran do 7/6 per cwt
Rice do 15/- do

Messrs. O'Hanahan Kilkenny Kys head. at 45/- per cwt

On the motion of Mr. Pascoe seconded by Mr. J. Murphy, a resolution calling on the Government to institute Centres in Ireland for the manufacture of munitions of war, and that Wexford be one of the Centres was passed unanimously and a copy ordered to be sent to the County members Mr. Thomas and John L. Redmond

A notice of motion standing in the name of Lady, Mr Fitzgerald to rescind a former resolution prohibiting for 6 months' notice of motion for increasing salaries and thus give Mr Demroche shoemaker an increase in his present wage of 15/- a week was adjourned for a month on the motion of Mr Jashurphy, seconded by Mr Louis Barry, the voting being 14 for adjourning the matter and 2 for rescinding the resolution and granting the increase.

Miss M. A. Connor reported that she visited the house of the foster parent Mr. May in Barr Street where the child Halligan is boarded out and found it in every way suitable for a boarded out child.

Lady M. Fitzgerald also went there but did not get in at the time.

The local Poor Board are requested to sanction this home.

Mr. M^c Cormack proposed and Mr. Fullerton seconded a resolution calling on the County Council to reconsider their decision in reference to abandoning the County Council Scholarships, and requesting them to retain same for the present.

Alderman Corish and other guardians spoke in favor of the resolution and it was passed unanimously.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19....

Signed.....
Clerk of the Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 2nd day of July, 1915.

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was..

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the...10...day of...July.....1905

Signed _____

Clerk of Union

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

Dispensary Districts.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	
Broadway	Medicines	5	6	9	
-	Appliances	-	18	4	
Wexford	Medicines	12	9	6	
	Appliances	-	18	3	
<p>All were ordered to be procured from the Contractors</p>					
<p>The Dispensary books and records were examined and signed from all the Districts except Barnmore which were not forwarded.</p>					

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An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the.....
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in the Minutes of.....
 having being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

[illegible]

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 31 of the General Rules for dispensary Districts, dated 24th Feb., 1890.]

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 31 of the General Rules for dispensary districts, dated 24th Feb., 1899.)

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

The following is the Total Expense incurred for Each Dispensary District, for the half-year ended.....

[illegible]

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
34-793 / 1915	1 st July	
	Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Mary Anne Donovan as Cantake of the Wexford Dispensary at 4/- per week.	
34-793 / 1915	1 st July 1915	
	Sanctioning the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of Dr. Doyle Med Officer of Bridgeton Dispensary during his absence with his Majesty's Forces at the War, and the remuneration of 1/- 11/- 6 to Anglin and 2/- 12/- 6 to O'Brien same.	
	Pres. The Chief Secretary, John. S. Redmond Peter Lenchland. Dr. John Edmunds wrote acknowledging receipt of the Board's resolution re. Vaccination and promising that the same would have their attention.	
	Nurse. Dryburgh wrote, requesting another week's sick leave, and stating that the doctor states she will then be able to resume duty.	
	On the motion of Mr. Hayes Bergen seconded by Mr. Hayes Nurse Dryburgh was given another fortnight's sick leave, provided she get a doctor's Certificate - This was carried by 11 votes to 10 for giving her a week.	
	Nurse Dryburgh's sister Nurse Mansely will do the duty for a fortnight.	

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

Yn answer to local Govt Board letter No
31846 - dated the 14th June 1915 - the number
of outstanding defaulters are now as follows

Wexford 1326	-	Laghnion 143
Broadway 250	-	Crossesbeg 150

Barnow & Bridgetown have not yet replied to note

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

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the... 10th day of... July 1915.

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			Males	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
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Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
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Total, ..	812												TOTAL 122	TOTAL 22	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..															
Admitted during the Week			2	20	83	70	2	3	8	4	8	200			
Born ..			1	1	11	3	1		1	1	3	22			
Total, ..			3	21	94	73	3	3	9	5	12	223			
Discharged during the Week			2		9	4	1					18			
Died ..						2						2			
Total Discharged and Dead			2		9	6	1					20			
Remaining on the above date			1	21	85	67	2	3	9	5	10	203			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the... 10 day of... July 1915, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	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.	140	247			140	247	384
No. II.	56	90			56	90	
TOTAL	196	337			196	337	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day of .. day of .. 19 ..

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended therefore no meeting was held

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the... 10th day of... July 1915.

Signed, ..

Wm. Kelly
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Finance Meeting held the 3 day of July 1915.

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

TABLE (A).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, money supplied on demand of Guardians	1740	10	'
Repayment of Relief	96		
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	13	4	5
Loans Received			
Total amount of Lodgements as above	1849	14	5

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have 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	250	1	'
Clothing and Bedding	8	8	9
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries	231	8	8
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm			
(d) Other expenses	25	5	'
Workhouse Burials	37	2	5
District School Account	2	14	'
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	19	13	5
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	220	11	4
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	'
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	9	14	6
Superannuation Allowances	12	5	8
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	152		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	970	7	9

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of June 19...

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	1499	18	7			
Total Sums received during the month	1849	14	5			
Total	3349	13	-			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	970	7	9			
Total	970	7	9			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	2379	5	3			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	3361	3	10			
Outstanding Orders	981	18	7			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	2379	5	3			

Dated.....day of.....19...
David Kehoe
 Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

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Provisions... ..	80	4		53	9	3	133	9	7	48	10	1	2	16	1	51	6	2	82	3	5
Necessaries ..	108	8	7	—			108	8	7	6		9		6	11	6	7	8	102		11
Total ..	188	8	11	53	9	3	241	18	2	54	10	10	3	3		57	13	10	184	4	4

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/5

Average Cost of Infirmary .. : :

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	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	6	7	2	8	1	5				14	8	7	
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3. Total to be accounted for	23	7	2	17	1	5				40	8	7.	
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5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		2	6		17	.					19	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16	.	1	16	.				2	12	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	16	16	6	8	7	.				26	7	.	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	6	10	8	8	14	5				15	5	1	
9. Total	23	7	2	17	1	5				40	8	7	

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Dated this.....day of.....19.....

.....*Wm. Keogh*.....
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Signed.....
Clerk of the Union.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was..

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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 will be held on Saturday, the 11th day of July, 1900.

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on
Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting
was held

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

[illegible]

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of July 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 115	In separate wards, 20	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 2	In ward with other inmates, 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total, ..	812												117	22	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			1	21	81	67	2	3	9	5	10	203			
Admitted during the Week			2		11	6				2		21			
Born ..															
Total, ..			3	21	96	73	2	3	9	7	10	224			
Discharged during the Week			1	1	8	8				1	4	23			
Died..															
Total Discharged and Dead			1	1	8	8									
Remaining on the above date			2	20	88	65	2	3	9	5	6	200			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week	2	-
													No. in Workhouse at date	2	-
													No. at corresponding period last year		173

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 17th day of July 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	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.	140	247					383
No. II.	56	90					
TOTAL	196	337					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 17 day of July 1915

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Lady. M. Fitzgibbon
 Mr. Keenocke, John Murphy, Jas. Cullen, Paddy
 John Larkin, N. Lymbery, Matthew Connor, John
 Jas. Hone, Thos O'Brien, Thos. Bean, Mart Sutton,
 Joseph Murphy, P. Kelly, M. H. O'Brien, John Roche, Pat. Hall,
 N. Pells, Jas. Ladd, M. Linnott, N. P. O'Brien, C. O'Brien, A. White,
 A. O'Brien, Mrs. Lymbery, Chas. Murphy, Thos. P. O'Brien.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 17th day of July 1915.

Signed,

W. C. Kehoe
 Clerk of Union.

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

Dated.....day of.....19..

.....
Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19/5

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

Indoor, from No.....3882.....to No.....2924.....

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the.....day of.....19/5 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
										By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions.. ..	82	3	5	169	17	9	252	1	2	48	8	3	2	16	1	51	4	4	200	16	10	140
Necessaries ..	102	-	11	-	-	-	102	-	11	6	-	9	-	6	11	6	7	8	95	13	3	
Total ..	184	4	4	169	17	9	354	2	1	54	9	-	3	3	-	57	12	-	296	10	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was

Average Cost of Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

5/5

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of July 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	6	10	8	8	14	5				15	5	1	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	16	-	-	9	-	-				25	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for	22	10	8	17	14	5				40	5	1	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money													
In Kind	14	18	-	5	14	-				20	12	-	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	-	2	6	-	17	-				-	19	6	
	1	4	-	2	2	-				3	6	-	
7. Total Relief given ..	16	4	6	8	13	-				24	3	0	
										24	17	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	6	6	2	9	1	5				15	7	7	
9. Total	22	10	8	17	14	5				40	5	1	

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

Dated this 20th day of July 1915

A. Kelly
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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 Committee appointed by the Board to visit the Hos regarding the Contract of Mr Mackay for Colouring etc, reported as follows:—

We recommend that 2 newsashes be provided for window of Porter's Lodge; back wall of Kitchen to be plastered and rail of stairs to be repaired and new post be provided for same; one length of new sheet to replace broken one, the large entrance gate and wicket gate to be painted — "Recontract for whitewashing" Hos 1 & 2 Wards. Ceiling to be renewed again as it is badly done, Entrance to Kitchen to be renewed, Hos 3 & 4 Wards "Windows on South side to be repaired with plaster at bottom

Signed. Mr Peacocke. — The Owen Matthew Lymbery, On the above report being read Mr Peacocke suggested that instead of carrying out the extensive repairs to be shed at the Forest Hospital, for which Mr Hanrahan has received orders to prepare specifications and estimate, the Committee thought that if the shed were to be roofed with felt and some other slight repairs done which would not cost more than 50/- it wd be sufficient.

Mr J. Codd proposed and Mr Roche seconded "that the suggestion of Mr Peacocke regarding the felling be done at a cost of about 50/- be adopted."

Mr Peacocke proposed and Mr Lymbery seconded, that the consideration of the suggestion be adjourned until the Committee meet Mr Hanrahan.

On a show of hands 14 voted for Mr Codd's motion & 10 against. Mr Codd's motion was therefore carried and it was resolved that Mr Hanrahan's instructions

8
The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, $10\frac{1}{2}$

Mrs. M'Donald, $9\frac{3}{4}$

Mr. Jones, $9\frac{1}{4}$

Mr. Codd, $11\frac{1}{2}$

By order of the Officer I procured services of Night Nurse
for duty in Fever Hospital on the 10th inst.
Query form will follow.

There are 9 pigs which might be sold.

for Specification do for the large work he withdrew
the report of the Committee as to the whitewashing
it was adopted and the same Committee was
requested to inspect Mr Mackay's work on Thursday
next at 2 o'clock. —

9
The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

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

Do 111/11: 1915 - Dated the 6th July

Receiving a Circular Letter in respect of
recompense as to assistance given to destitute
aliens.

The Circular does not apply to this Union.

Mrs. Minnie Leslie wrote, applying for the usual
holidays and excursion for the children.

Ordered: Allowed - the usual sum of £2
to be given towards excursion.

Sanction of Local Govt Board requested.

There were 2 tenders for the supply of Coal: viz
Lawrence McCarthy (Fresh) @ 39/11 and Newport 34/11
James French do @ 41/- do 39/-
The tender of James McCarthy being the cheapest was
accepted. —

The Secretary Deaf & Dumb Institution Dublin wrote
stating, that owing to the increase in the cost of maintenance
etc. it had been decided to increase the charge for such
Children under 18 years of age from £15 to £20 per annum
ordered "there are 4 children from Wexford in this
place one of them being over 18 years and earning for the
Institution which fact should lighten the stipend on the
others. The guardians yet also like ~~Wham~~ a copy
of the last balance sheet of the ~~same~~ ^{Institution} and we like further details
as to expenses etc.

4 Quaker notices served on Roscoe in respect of
Demesne situated in the town, were laid before the
Board.

Mr. Mahan wrote explaining the discrepancy between
the amount of his estimate and that of the tender
received for the work of the sewerage stating he did
not take into account the taking up and filling of the
old sewer.

On the motion of Mr. Lymbrey seconded by Mr. Corish.
Mr. Mary O'Connor's tender for making the
alteration in the sewerage according to plan &
specification for the sum of £19.9.0 was accepted.

An old age Pensioner named Carney wrote explaining
that his pension had been stopped for his maintenance
while in the Infirmary.

Carney who came before the Board was informed
that the master was only acting in accordance with
his instructions.

Mr. James O'Hara Tea & Sugar Dublin wrote reporting
that the samples of the supply were the same as the sample
tendered and accepted.

It was decided to advertise for meat for 2 months ending
the 30th September next.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....17.....day of.....July.....1915...

Item A. Respecting Mr. Magt Hore Kilmannin, Clonistown
with whom an orphan child named Jas Ronan has been
boarded out - is enclosed herewith

Sanction of Local Govt Board requested

No 37. 265 : 1915 dated the 15th July 1915 stating they will
raise no further objection to the proposal to board out with
Mr May Batt Child Ward, the child Jas Halligan, sending a
report from their Inspector, Miss Browne -

It was ordered that a boy named Jas Murphy
~~and~~
aged 15 years be hired or apprenticed out to
a blacksmith in the Bridgeman District,
Item A when filled in as follows -

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Signed.....

Miss Kehoe
Clerk of the Union.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . .

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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 will be held on Saturday, the 24th day of July, 1915

Signed W. K. Kline
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 17th day of July 1915

Present : In the Chair— *Lady. M. Fitzjerald*
Other Guardians—Messrs

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

[illegible]

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	<p>D O'Brien Barnow wrote, returning the 2 orders for payment of livery fees of £2 each and in which the guardians decline to pay more than a p1=1=0, and stating that as no expenses were incurred in either case favor to the Committee of the parties he was entitled to the full amount of £2 in each case — —</p> <p>It was decided to inform D O'Brien that the guardians passed a resolution several years ago not to pay more than a pured fee in these cases — —</p>	

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

Date.	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon
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No 37-266. 1915. Dated 9th July 1915, from the Local Board.
 Aftering to previous Correspondence and the entry in the Guardians Minute of the 3rd inst, requesting that the Guardians be so good as to instruct either the Clerk of the Relieving Officer, to institute legal proceedings against 20 of the persistent defaulters under the Vaccination Acts in the Wexford Dispensary Districts and also against a few defaulters in each of the other Dispensary Districts of the Union.

On the motion of Mr Pascoe seconded by Mr Minnott it was resolved, "that the Clerk be instructed to draw the attention of the Local Board to the fact that no definite reply has as yet been received from Mr Birrell to the Guardians resolution of the 19th June and that the consideration of this letter be postponed until the Guardians hear definitely from Mr Birrell as to what action he intends taking on the resolution.

Mr O'Brien Med Officer for him, Bridgford reported that the Bridgford Dispensary was in very poor repair, and recommending that it be repaired and limewashed.
 Ordered "that the limewashing be done and that the Clerk enquire as to how the proposed purchase stands with a view to the repairs being done.

(These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of July, 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	In separate wards	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			2	20	88	65	2	3	9	5	6	200	2	2	
Admitted during the Week				5	5	6	1		1	4	2	24			
Born															
Total,			2	25	93	71	3	3	10	9	8	224			
Discharged during the Week			2	2	8	4			2	1		19			
Died,						1			1			2			
Total Discharged and Dead			2	2	8	5			1	2	1	21			
Remaining on the above date			23	85	66	3	3	9	7	7	7	203			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	—	5
													No. in Workhouse at date	—	1
													No. at corresponding period last year		189

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 24 day of July, 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	141	251			141	251	
No. II.	56	90			56	90	
TOTAL	197	341			197	341	387.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day— day of — 19—

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended therefore no meeting was held

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 27th day of July, 1915.

Signed, W. L. L. L. Clerk of Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19...

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14. (continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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MEETING held the.....day of.....19....

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Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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										By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	200	16	10	51	17	8	258	14	6	49	6	.	3	7	6	58	13	6	200	1	-	
Necessaries ..	95	13	3	—	—	—	95	13	3	5	18	10	.	8	10	6	7	8	89	5	7	
Total ..	296	10	1	51	17	8	348	7	9	55	4	10	3	16	4	59	1	2	289	6	7	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/6

Average Cost of 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.
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5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
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The Out-door Relief Lists, Application and Report Books, Order Check Books for Out-door Relief in kind, and Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of July 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle	Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Total	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	6 6 8	9 1 5		15 7 7	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	16 . .	9 . .		25 . .	
3. Total to be accounted for	22 6 8	18 1 5		40 7 7	
EXPENDITURE.					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—					
In Money	15 . 6	5 14 .		20 14 6	
In Kind					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	2 6	17 .		19 6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	2 13	1 16		4 9	
7. Total Relief given ..	17 16	8 7	Last Year	26 7	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	4 10 8	9 14 5		14 4 7	
9. Total	22 6 8	18 1 5		40 7 7	

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

Dated this 26th day of July 1915.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

*No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting
was held*

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19....

Signed.....

James Kehoe

Clerk of the Union.

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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 will be held on Saturday, the 3rd day of July, 1915

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

[illegible]

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of July 1915

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 121	In separate wards, 20	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 2	In ward with other inmates, 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total, ..	812												TOTAL 123	TOTAL 22	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			23	85	66	3	3	9	7	7		203			
Admitted during the Week			4	1	10	4				3	2	22			
Born ..												2			
Total, ..			4	24	95	70	3	3	9	10	9	227			
Discharged during the Week			3	4	4	1						13			
Died..												2			
Total Discharged and Dead			3	4	6	1						15			
Remaining on the above date			1	20	89	69	3	3	9	7	9	212			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 31st day of July 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. 1.							
No. II.	141	251					
TOTAL	56	90					
	197	341					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 31 day of July 1915

Present: In the Chair—Lady, M. Fitzmaurice

Other Guardians: Messrs

Mr M O'Connor. Miss Hays, John Murphy, Mr Rasoovey, Jas Hore, K. Lymbery, John Clancy, Jas Dublin, Thos Rositer, Robt Hore, M O'Connor, Jas Murphy, Joe Murphy, Jas Day, Thos Pettit, Jas Codd, Jas Roche, M Sutton, K. Cowman, M Maddock, K Barry, J Cardiff, M Lymbery, P Hore, W H Diveraux, C. Culliton, J. Cash

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 31st

day of July 1915

Signed,

Clerk of Union.

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Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

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Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....31st day of.....July.....19.15

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

Indoor, from No.....3925.....to No.....3969.....

Separate „ No..... to No.....

Out-door „ No..... to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the.....24th day of.....July.....19.15 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.	
								By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions.. ..	200	1	-	50	9	7	250	10	7	48	16	8	3	7	6	52	4	2	198	6	5
Necessaries ..	89	5	7	12	17	6	102	3	1	6	1	2	-	8	10	6	10	-	95	13	1
Total ..	289	6	7	63	7	1	252	13	8	54	17	10	3	16	4	58	14	2	293	19	6

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was

Average Cost of Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

575¹/₂

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of July 1895, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle	Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV. <i>Total</i>	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	3 12 2	9 14 5		13 6 3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	16 - -	9 - -		25 - -	
3. Total to be accounted for	19 12 2	18 14 5		38 6 3	
EXPENDITURE.					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—					
In Money	15 - 6	5 14 0		20 14 6	
In Kind					
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	- 2 6	- 17 -		- 17 6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1 4 -	2 8 -		3 12 -	
7. Total Relief given ..	16 7 -	8 19 -		27 16 8	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	3 5 2	9 15 5		13 - 3	
9. Total	19 12 2	18 14 5		38 6 3	

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

Dated this 2nd day of August 1895.

Wm. Keble
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, $9\frac{3}{4}$

Mrs. M'Donald, 10

Mr. Jones, $9\frac{1}{4}$

Mr. Codd, $10\frac{1}{2}$

Nurse. M. A. O'Connor is gone to war duty on July 20th. Nurse Isabel O'Connor took up duty for her on that date.

Patrick Redmond ex Soldier was admitted by way of loan at 5/- per week.

An inmate named Lambert was allowed clothes on leaving the house.

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

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

No. 40.827 and 40.082

Sanctioning Nurse Isabel O'Connor to do duty for her sister at the Fever Hospital at the rate of £1-11-6 a week, and Sanctioning £2. expenditure for an excursion for the School Children.

No. 39.939 : 1915

Sanctioning the boarding out of Jas. Ronan with Margt. Hore Kilmarnon.

The following tenders were accepted

Mr. John M. Goldrick. - - Reef rounds $9\frac{1}{2}$ p. cr.
Steering 8 " "
Ref. tea meet $7\frac{1}{2}$
Mutton $9\frac{1}{2}$
Oxheads $4\frac{1}{2}$ =

Mr. O'Sullivan Asst Clerk was granted a fortnight's
holidays

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Signed.....

Clerk of the Union.

Saturday, the 31st day of July 1915

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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).

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 7th day of August 1915

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	O'Brien Bannow wrote dated 26 th July 1915 - as follows	
	Owing to the delay caused by the dispute regarding payment of amt of fee ordered by the magistrates for lunacy Certificate in the case of Philip Daly, it became out of date - Would your Board be good enough to ask the Local Govt Board permission to pay the amt allowed by the Board viz - £1-1-0 The Local Govt Board are respectfully requested to sanction -	
	"Local Govt Board letters"	
No 38.290. 21 st July 1915	Sanctioning salary at the rate of £1-10-0 to Mr. Mary Murphy doing duty for Mr. Greyhugh in the Broadway Dispensary District	
	"Vaccination Act"	
No 40.083. 22 nd July 1915	Pointing out to the Guardians that there is no intention at present of amending the Vaccination Act that they have no power to suspend the operation of Vaccination Act - that there is the large number of 500 defaulters in Wexford Union which is a source of great public danger to all the inhabitants that they Local Govt Board cannot permit this condition of affairs to continue and that unless the Guardians take steps at once to enforce the law, the Local Govt Board will be compelled through their Solicitors - over	

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

Date.	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon
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to apply for a Mandamus to Compel the Guardians to prosecute the defaulters. —

Ordered "The matter was discussed at great length, but the Board being a very small one and there being a resolution on the books after the last prosecution, to the effect that no further prosecution be enforced without calling all the Guardians together it was now ordered that the Board be summoned for this day fortnight to deal with this letter of the local poor board."

The Clerk stated there was no doubt whatever but the local poor board were determined to see that the law was enforced and it wd be foolish for the Guardians to incur expense in depending their action. He wd put the substance of the local poor board letter on the Agenda paper for each Guardian for next meeting when he hoped the matter wd be finally dealt with.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :—

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the...7th...day of August 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 125	In separate wards 20	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												TOTAL 125	TOTAL 22	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	20	89	69	3	3	9	9	9	212			
Admitted during the Week				1	3	5	1			2	1	13			
Born												1			
Total,			1	21	92	74	4	3	9	11	11	226			
Discharged during the Week			1	1	8	4		2	2	2	2	22			
Died.. ..						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead			1	1	8	5		2	2	2	2	23			
Remaining on the above date				20	84	69	4	1	7	9	9	203			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the...7th...day of August 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.							
No. II.	141	251			141	251	
	56	90			56	90	
TOTAL.	197	341			197	341	370.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day— day of— 19

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended therefore no meeting was held

assessments due to be made

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the...7th...day of August 1915...

Signed, Lies Kehoe Clerk of Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

	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.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 7th day of August 1915.

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 31st day of July 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
								By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions... ..	198	6	5	34	19	11	233	6	4	48	12	9	3	6	7	51	19	4	181	7	1430	
Necessaries ..	95	13	1	-	-	-	95	13	1	6	1	2	-	8	10	6	10		89	3		1
Total ..	293	19	6	34	19	11	328	19	5	54	13	11	3	15	5	58	9	4	270	10		1

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary .. : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : :

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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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of August 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	<i>Total</i>			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	3	5	2	9	15	5				13		7	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	16									16			
3. Total to be accounted for	19	5	2	9	15	5				29		7	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	16	6	5	14					20	10	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		7	8		17						1	4	8
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16		1	16					2	12		
7. Total Relief given ..	17		2	8	7					25	7		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	2	5		1	8	5				3	13	5	
9. Total	19	5	2	9	15	5				29		7	

NOTE—Should any of the ... 19.12... was submitted as follows:—

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

Dated this 9th day of August 1915.

James Kehoe
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting
was held

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Signed.....*James Kehoe*.....
Clerk of the Union.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 14th day of August 1915

Signed.....*Wm. J. DeLoe*.....
Clerk of Union

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting
was held

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

[illegible]

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of August 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 118	In separate wards, 19	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 1	In ward with other inmates, 2	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												119	21	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return												203			
Admitted during the Week			4	3	4	5	1	1	7	9	1	17			
Born												1			
Total,			4	23	88	74	4	2	7	9	10	221			
Discharged during the Week			1	2	7	10					3	23			
Died					2	1						3			
Total Discharged and Dead			1	2	9	11					3	26			
Remaining on the above date			3	21	79	63	4	2	7	9	7	195			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 14th day of August 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	139	247					
No. II.	57	92					
TOTAL.	196	339					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 14th day of August 1915.

Present: In the Chair—Adelaide Fitzgibbon

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Mrs. Connor. Mrs. Hayes. H. Ryan. John Murphy. Ch. Peacocke Jr. Tho. O'Brien. Jas. Hore. James Barry. Tho. Power. Wm. Chandler. John Larkin. Jas. Cullen. Matt. O'Connor. Dick. Corish. Jas. Murphy. John M. O'Connell. Tho. Woy. Martin. Sutton. Jas. Day. John Wickham. Jas. O'Leary. John O'Ryan. Peter Leahy. P. J. Power. John Cash.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 14th day of August 1915.

Signed, Mrs. Kehoe Clerk of Union.

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....14 day of...August.....1915

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

Indoor, from No. 3970 to No. 4006

Separate „ No. to No.

Out-door „ No. to No.

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

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

- 1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.
- 2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.
- 3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the.....day of...August.....1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
								By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions. . .	181	7	-	81	1	2	262	8	1	48	13	7	3	6	7	52	0	2	210	8	-	1447
Necessaries . .	89	3	1	-	-	-	89	3	1	6	1	2	-	8	10	6	10	-	82	13	1	
Total . .	270	10	1	81	1	2	351	11	3	54	14	9	3	15	5	58	10	2	293	1	1	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary .. : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : :

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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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of August 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle	Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Total
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Total	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	2 5 -	1 8 5		3 13 5	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17 - -	10 - -		27 - -	
3. Total to be accounted for	19 5 -	11 8 5		30 13 5	
EXPENDITURE.					
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—					
In Money					
In Kind	14 16 6	5 14 -		20 10 6	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	- - -	- - -		- - -	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	- 14 8	- 13 6		1 8 2	
	2 14 -	- 12 -		3 6 0	
7. Total Relief given ..	18 5 6	6 19 6		25 7 10	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	- 19 10	4 8 11		5 8 9	
9. Total	19 5 -	11 8 5		30 13 5	

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

Dated this 16th day of August 1915.

W. H. H. H.
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

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

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 10

Mrs. M'Donald, $9\frac{1}{4}$

Mr. Jones, 9

Mr. Codd. //

Record and lodged for Maintenance $p40 = 0 = 0$

Record for 9 pigs at 58/9 per cwt = $p57 = 8 = 11$ and
purchased 14 for 35 = 7 = 6 for which I require
a cheque. (Cheque is drawn today)

Mrs. Murphy wife of a Soldier and her 5 children
were admitted by way of loan at $p1 = 0 = 0$ per week
Mrs Murphy is since dead and there has been in
frequent correspondence with the Military Authorities
in connection with payment for their maintenance
without any good result.

The matter was left in Lady M. Fitzgibbon's
hands.

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

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

No 42-854; 1915. 9th August

Requesting to be supplied with a Copy
of the Agreement entered into by the Employer
in the case of the Child James Murphy.

Mr Walsh RD, reported that he brought the
usual form of Agreement to the Employer in this
case but the Employer refused to keep the boy on
the conditions laid down there, as the boy might
not turn out well, he the Employer would however
clothe, feed and lodge the boy and also teach
him his trade inside of 2 years, and then if
he was of any use to him pay the boy the usual
wages. The Employer in this case is a very
respectable man and under the circumstances
the Board will request the Local Government Board to
be good enough to forego the obligation of the
man signing the usual Agreement as they are
sure the boy will be well treated and Mr Walsh

10
Do. Can pay him an occasional visit

No 122, U.I. 1915 4th August

Informing the Board that Mr Kelly, Local Govt Inspector has been placed in charge of the Wexford Union.

The Secretary of the Deaf & Dumb Institute Dublin writing on the 11th August in reference to the increased demand of £5 a year for 3 children from the Wexford Union showed that their expenditure exceeded their income by over £100 per annum and that the child Bridget Hendrick was notably deaf and anything worth while for the Institution being defunct and under the circumstances they regret being obliged to increase the pension for each child under 18 years of age.

On the motion of Mr John Larkin seconded by Mr Martin Sutton it was ordered that the increased amt asked for, be paid until the War is over. The child Berge from Sept, Lennon from Oct and Cullen from December.

Miss O'Ryan wrote asking for clothes for the Clonrey Children in the District.

Ordered "These children are only boarded out since March last and the guardians do not consider they should require clothes so soon."

The Clerk will write Miss O'Ryan on the matter.

Dr O'Connor recommended the following for treatment in Jervis St Hospital, Anastasia Keane, and Alice Dillon.

Mr Pearse as a member of the

Brought under the notice of the Board an asp. for Creamery butter supplied for the use of the Nurse at the Fever Hospital and objected to same being continued.

An order was made that the same class of butter as supplied to the other officials be supplied for the use of the nurse at the Fever Hospital whilst doing locum tenens duty there.

It was ordered that the Medical Officer make a report on the condition of the patients returning from the Dublin Hospitals.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....^{14th}.....day of.....*August*.....19.¹⁵..

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....^{21st}.....day of.....*August*.....19.¹⁵..

Signed.....*W. E. H. O'Connell*.....
Clerk of the Union.

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

Dispensary Districts.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	
Lashmon Appliances		2/-			Allowed
<p>The Despy books and records from Bngelton Broadway Lashmon & Wynne Wexford were before the Board and were signed. Bannow books were not forwarded. Dr O'Connor attended and stated he overlooked sending in books but wd do so for next meeting.</p> <p>Analysis of medicines for Broadway Despy and Wexford which are correct</p>					

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in the Minutes of having being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

Dispensary District.	Goods ordered to be supplied.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 31 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 24th Feb., 1899.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expense incurred for Each Dispensary District, for the half-year ended.....

..... District	£
..... District	£
..... District	£
..... District	£
..... District	£
..... District	£

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	<p>The Clerk read a Circular addressed to each Guardian in reference to the Vaccination question, and giving them the substance of the last communication from the Local Govt Board in reference to the matter -</p> <p>The matter was fully discussed by the Guardians when Lady M. Fitzgibbon proposed and Miss O'Connor seconded - "That the Act be put into force - - -"</p> <p>On a poll being taken 19 voted for the resolution, and 6 against, as follows -</p> <p>For = John Evoy, Chas. Bovey, Tom Chandler, John Murphy, P. J. Rowe, Louis Barry, Jas. Cullen, Miss Hayes, Jas. Lodd, John Larkin, Jas. Day, Jas. Murphy, John Wickham, Thos. Power, Jas. More, Matthew Lymbery, Miss O'Connor, Martin Lutton, and the Chairman (19)</p> <p>Against. Pat Fortune, John McCormack, John O'Shea, Rich. Corish, Thos. O'Brien, Matt O'Connor, (6)</p> <p>The Chairman declared that the Order of the Board was that the Vaccination Act be enforced in the several Sanitary Districts of the Union, and it was further ordered, that an advertisement be put in the local papers warning all defaulters that unless they take steps to have their children vaccinated within a month, they will be prosecuted -</p> <p>That the medical officer be requested to draw up a list of the names of the defaulters who are to be prosecuted and that the Board's solicitor be directed to take proceedings after the expiration of the month -</p>	

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

Date.	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon
	Dr. Tho Purse	wrote applying for vacation leave for 2 weeks from the 16 th inst and that D. H. A. G. Hadden wd perform his duties.	Ordered " that Dr Purse be allowed 2 weeks holidays from the 16 th inst and D. H. A. G. Hadden, to his duty at the remuneration of £4-4-0 a week.

Dr O'Brien Barron wrote stating he wd not be satisfied with anything less than £2 in the 2 cases of lunacy, recently certified by him instead of £1-1-0 each and proposed to be allowed by the Guardians -

Ordered " that Mr Colfer Board's Solicitor be requested to state the law in this case.

The purchase of Bridgetown Duff premises - Mr Colfer Board's Solicitor writing in reference to this matter states he did not think there was a Contract of sale capable of being enforced; and under the circumstances the Guardians might be called on to pay the vendors fees which might amount to about £4-0-0, if they was anxious to acquire these premises -

Ordered " that Mr Colfer be requested to take the necessary steps to bring about the sale of these premises as same is urgently needed, in order that they may be in a position to put them in a proper state of repair, and has certain from the Owner if he is satisfied to bear his own costs and if not the Guardians must be prepared to do so

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the...*21st*...day of...*August*...19*15*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 111	In separate wards 19	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			3	21	79	63	4	2	7	9	7	195			
Admitted during the Week			5	2	7	3	1		1	2	1	22			
Born															
Total,			8	23	86	66	5	2	8	11	8	217			
Discharged during the Week			7	2	4	4	1		1	2	2	23			
Died						1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead			7	2	5	4	1		2	2	2	25			
Remaining on the above date			1	21	81	62	4	2	6	9	6	197			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	5	2
													No. in Workhouse at date	1	1
													No. at corresponding period last year		
													194		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the...*21st*...day of...*August*...19*15* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic, c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	139	247			139	247	366
No. II.	57	92			57	92	
TOTAL	196	339			196	339	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day.....day of.....19.....

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No meeting: no Guardians having attended

2nd Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the...*August*...day of...19*15*...
Signed,.....*W. H. H. H.*.....
Clerk of Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Finance Meeting held the 14 day of August 1915.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been received during the month of July 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 Ofial, Old Stores, and other Receipts	3	7	6
Loans Received			
Total amount of Lodgements as above	3	7	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 have been ordered for payment in the month of July 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	423	5	7
Clothing and Bedding	10	10	
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries	16	8	3
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	41		3
(d) Other expenses	69	6	5
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	11	9	2
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	1	3	
Medical Charities	36	19	10
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	3	3	
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	5	8	2
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	108		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	726	13	8

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of July 1915

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	2379	5	3			
Total Sums received during the month	3	7	6			
Total	2382	12	9			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	726	13	8			
Total	726	13	8			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1655	19	1			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	2403	8	5			
Outstanding Orders	747	9	4			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	1655	19	1.			

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the 14th day of August 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions... ..	210	7	1	32	5	9	242	12	10	46	2	9	3	6	7	49	9	4	193	3	6
Necessaries ..	82	13	1	—			82	13	1	6	1	2	8			10	6	10	76	3	1
Total ..	293	2	2	32	5	9	325	5	11	52	3	11	3	15	5	55	19	4	269	6	7

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/2/4.

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August, 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week		19	10	4	8	11				5	8	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians	34			10						44			
3. Total to be accounted for	34	19	10	14	8	11				49	8	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	3		5	14					20	17		
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		12	8		10					1	2	8	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	3	6		1	4					4	10		
7. Total Relief given	19	1	8	7	8					26	9	8	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week	15	18	2	7		11	Last Year			23	16	3	
										22	19	1	
9. Total	34	19	10	14	8	11				49	8	9	

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

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1915.

Wm. Keane
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

*Nothing- no resolution
attended*

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Signed.....
Clerk of the Union.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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
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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was
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Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered
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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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 28 day of August 1915

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 114	In separate wards 19	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total, ..	812												TOTAL 115	TOTAL 21	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			1	21	81	62	4	2	6	9	6	192			
Admitted during the Week			—	1	3	3	—	—	—	—	2	9			
Born ..															
Total, ..			1	22	84	65	4	2	6	9	9	202			
Discharged during the Week			1	1	5	2	—	—	1	—	—	10			
Died..															
Total Discharged and Dead			1	1	5	2	—	—	1	—	—	10			
Remaining on the above date			2	21	79	63	4	2	6	8	9	192			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the.....day of.....19 , authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	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.							
	140	248					
No. II.							
	57	92					
TOTAL.	197	340					364

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 28 day of August 1915

Present : In the Chair— Lady M. Fitzgerald

Other Guardians:—Messrs. Miss M. O'Connor. Miss Kelly. Jas. Horne.

John Murphy. Miss Hayes. John Cash. Miss O'Connor. John Hartin. Marydymberg. Joseph Murphy. Pat Rosseter. Richard Morris. Michael Reis. Martin Sullivan. P. Rowe. Jas Cullen. Pat Fortune. John Mc Cormack. Christy Cullen. Tho Rosseter. Pat Healy. John Roche.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 28th

day of August 1915.

Signed,

Clerk of Union.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19..

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

Dated..... day of..... 19.....

.....
Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 28th day of August 1915

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

Indoor, from No. 4007 to No. 4040
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out-door „ No. to No.

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

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

- 1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.
- 2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.
- 3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

21st The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the..... day of August 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions.. ..	193	3	6	51	19	1	245	2	7	44	3	4	3	6	7	47	9	11	197	12	8
Necessaries ..	76	3	1	.	.	.	76	3	1	6	1	2	-	8	10	6	10	-	69	13	1
Total ..	269	6	7	51	19	1	321	5	8	50	4	6	3	15	5	53	19	11	267	5	9

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary .. : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : :

575

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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	<i>Total</i>			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	15	10	2	7	-	11				22	11	1	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17	-	-	10	-	-				27	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for	32	10	2	17	-	11				49	11	1	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	19	-	5	14	-				20	13	-	
In Kind	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	11	2	-	5	-				-	16	2	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4	-	2	8	-				3	12	-	
7. Total Relief given ..	16	14	2	8	7					22	4	4	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	15	16	0	8	13	11				24	9	11	
9. Total	32	10	2	17	0	11				49	11	1	

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

Dated this 30th day of August, 1915.

James Kehoe
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, $10\frac{1}{2}$
Mrs. M'Donald, $9\frac{3}{4}$
Mr. Jones, 9

Mr. Codd. 11

lodged to be of income $057-8-11$ for pigs and $01-8-6$ for Maintenance

The Case of Mrs. Murphy wife of a Soldier admitted by way of loan at $01-0-0$ per week. Since dead, the Master said he had received a letter from the Regimental Paymaster Cork, stating, the Regulations did not admit of Separation Allowances being paid to a Soldier's wife & children while they are inmates of a ratepaying Institution.

Ordered "write Local Govt Board about this Case"

By order of medical officer I procured the services of a night nurse on August 22nd.
Approved

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

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

No 45. 337 27th August 1915

Raising no objection to the terms on which the boy James Murphy is to be placed out at nurse with Mr. Miss McGrath MulRantin, but that the latter might be required to sign an agreement embodying the conditions on which he will keep the boy.
— Rd. Walsh will attend to this

No 45. 337 : 1915 21st August

Sanctioning payment by the Guardians at the rate of 020 a year for the children in the Catholic Institution for Deaf & Dumb.

Circular Letter— 24th August 1915

Being in reference to Cube Sugar and stating that when next advertising granulated sugar 'shd be specified as the former kind cannot be obtained. — Ordered

over

This will be attended to.

2 notices of eviction at the suit of Richard & Patrick Ryan against James Barry & Wm Hall of Furlong's Lane for premises there was served on P.D. Doyle.

There was a notification from the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury that loans to Local Authorities under the Housing Acts etc were increased by 1/2 per cent in most cases.

Nurse O'Connor of the Fever Hospital wrote requesting the Board to grant her a continuation of the extras allowed to temporary Nurses viz. 1 lb bacon, 1 tin of salmon, and pot of jam weekly, as same was allowed her in all unions where she worked before and was usual all over Ireland, her duty was sometimes very hard and consisted of night as well as day duty.

With regard to the Creamery butter the nurse requested to be allowed one shilling weekly in lieu of same.

The Board divided on this matter with the result that 8 voted for allowing the extras and 7 against. The nurse is therefore to get extras but she is not to get the Creamery butter nor the shilling in lieu of same.

On the motion of Mr Corish seconded by Mr O'Connor the following resolution from the Linnis Corish Board of Guardians was passed -

That we request the County Council in future to have the Syllabus in connection with their Scholarship scheme printed before the 22nd July in each year so as to give all schools an opportunity of having the Syllabus before them at the commencement of the scholastic year which varies from the 1st August to the 1st Sept and also that all the schools in the County.

furnished with a copy of the Syllabus by above mentioned date.

A resolution from the same Body in reference to appointing delegates to conference to be held at Limerick on the 28th Sept next re amalgamation of unions was not adopted the voting being -

For sending delegates 7
Against 10

On the motion of Mr Corish, seconded by Mr M. O'Connor a resolution from the Dublin Corporation was passed 10 voting for and 9 against -

The resolution was a protest against the imprisonment of the Irish Volunteers, demanding the release of same and calling the attention of the Parliamentary Representation to the unequal administration of the laws as regards public utterances and writings in Ireland and in England, and further demanding that the same privilege be extended to Irishmen as has been given to Lord Northcliffe and the English Press.

A Committee consisting of Lady M. O'Connor and Messrs. Corish & O'Connor will meet on Thursday next at 3 o'clock to revise the annual supplies.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the...^{28th}...day of *August*.....19¹⁵..

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the...^{4th}...day of...*Sept*.....19¹⁵..

Signed.....*McKee*.....
Clerk of the Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 28th day of August, 1915

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs

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
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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was
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Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered
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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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 4th day of Sept. 1895

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 46-196 1915	26 th August 1915	
	Forwarding the Report of their Medical Inspector O Browne and requesting that the several matters adverted to therein may be attended to	
	<u>Bamrow Dispoy District</u>	
	Medicine supplies are not ordered quarterly.	
	There is no Register of cases kept by the Dispoy Medical Officer.	
	Ordered, Call Doctors attention to medicine supplies.	
	The medicine has been supplied with a new book recently the old one being unsalable.	
	<u>Bridgetown Dispensary</u>	
	This Dispoy is in very bad repair. The medical instruments are not in very good order owing to the damage done by the late war.	
	The vaccination defaulter's Report Form has not been transmitted to the Guardians at the close of each quarter.	
	There is not sufficient coal allowed for this Dispoy.	
	Ordered, Call Doctors attention to all matters about vaccination defaulters and the Guardians are to be sent about purchasing out the produce of the Dispoy premises when they were put them into repair.	
	<u>Broadway Dispensary</u>	
	Contractor is dilatory in forwarding medicines.	
	Dispoy Medical Officer's book is not submitted regularly for examination.	
	Ordered - Call Doctors attention to these matters.	

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
No L5. 546 : 1915		Sanctioning Dr. H. A. Madden to do duty for a fortnight at 4-4-0 a week in the Wexford Dispensary District	

Dr. O'Brien Bannow wrote, applying for his Annual month's leave in the Bannow Dispensary District dating from Sept the 1st and that he wd continue to act his portion of the Bridgetown District, where he was making arrangements with Dr Anglin to act there for him later on, so that he Dr O'Brien, cd act for Dr Ryan when he took his holidays -

Mr. John Larkin proposed and Mr. Lymling seconded. That Dr O'Brien get a fortnight's holidays and on a poll being taken 12 voted for the resolution and 6 against.

The Chairman declared the resolution passed and Dr O'Brien is to get a fortnight's holidays. Dr Ryan to do his duty at 4-4-0 a week.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

Ascertained by name
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the *4th* day of *Sept* 19*15*
 Signed, *Wm. P. Reboe*
 Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the...*4th*...day of...*Sept* 19*15*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date			
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. } 112 In separate wards } 19	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital } 1 In ward with other inmates } 2			
Temporary Buildings ..	—																
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81																
Fever Sheds	—																
Total,	812												TOTAL 113	TOTAL 21			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return					21	79	63	4	2	6	8	9	192				
Admitted during the Week			6	2	4	1			1	2	1	17					
Born																	
Total,			6	2	23	83	64	4	2	7	10	10	209				
Discharged during the Week			2	3	7	2			1	5	2	22					
Died.. ..						1											
Total Discharged and Dead			2	3	7	3			1	5	2	23					
Remaining on the above date			4	20	76	61	4	2	6	5	8	186					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15.	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week	6	2	3	11
													No. in Workhouse at date	4	—	—	4
													No. at corresponding period last year 196				

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the...*4th*...day of...*Sept* 19*15*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	139	247			139	247.	363.
No. II.	57	92			57	92.	
TOTAL	196	339			196	339.	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day— day of— 19

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended therefore no meeting was held

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

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Clerk of Union.

Form 14.-(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 28. day of August 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.	Collective No. of Days.			
								By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions.. . .	197	13	10	33	19	9	231	13	7	44	12	6	3	13	4	48	5	10	183	7	9
Necessaries ..	69	13	1	—			69	13	1	5	19	6	10	6		6	10		63	3	1
Total ..	267	6	11	33	19	9	301	6	8	50	12		4	3	10	54	15	10	246	10	10
																			1344		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/3

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of September 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	15	16		8	13	11				24	9	11	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	21			10						31			
3. Total to be accounted for	36	16		18	13	11				55	9	11	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money													
In Kind	14	17		5	11					20	8		
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		8	8		5						13	8	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16		1	16					3	12		
7. Total Relief given ..	17	1	8	7	12				<i>last year</i> 25	1			
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	19	14	4	11	1	11				24	13	3	
9. Total	36	16		18	13	11				30	16	3	
										55	9	11	

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

Dated this 4th day of September 1915.

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Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mr. Codd.

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

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

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

*No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting
was held*

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the..... day of..... 19.....

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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
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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 11th day of Sept^r 18th.

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Sept. 1915

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 109	In separate wards 19	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												TOTAL 110	TOTAL 21	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			4	20	76	61	4	2	6	5	8	186			
Admitted during the Week			—	—	11	3	—	1	—	—	—	15			
Born															
Total,			4	20	87	64	4	3	6	5	8	201			
Discharged during the Week			4	—	6	3	—	1	—	—	—	15			
Died						1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead			4	—	6	4	—	1	—	—	2	17			
Remaining on the above date			—	20	81	60	4	2	6	5	6	184			

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 11th day of Sept. 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	139	247					
No. II.	56	91					
TOTAL	195	338					

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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 11th day of Sept. 1915

Present : In the Chair— Lady, M. Fitzgerald

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Mautehymberg, Shobuen, Ch. Pearce, Luis Hayes, John Murphy, Jas. More, Wm. Chandler, John O'Ryan, Percy Rosetta, Phil. Corish, John West, Jim. Joseph Murphy, Katie Maddock, Tho. Power, John McCormack, Matt. Lee, Matt. Sutton, Jas. Woods, Jas. Kelly, P. Phome, Martin Keha, Mack. Smith, Chas. Murphy, Christy Cullen

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 11th day of September 1915.

Signed, Luis Keha Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

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Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....11 day of Sept.....1915.

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

Indoor, from No.....4041.....to No.....4069.....

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the 4th day of Sept.....1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
								By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions... ..	183	7	9	53	3	8	236	11	5	44	12	6	3	13	4	48	5	10	188	5	7	1331
Necessaries ..	63	3	1	-	-	-	63	3	1	5	18	10	-	10	6	6	9	4	56	13	9	
Total ..	246	10	10	53	3	8	299	14	6	50	11	4	4	3	10	54	15	2	244	19	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of *Sept.* 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer <i>Total</i>			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	19	14	4	10	18	11				30	13	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	20	-	-	7	-	-				27	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for	39	14	4	17	18	11				57	13	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	13	-	5	14	-				20	7	-	
In Kind	-	-	-	-	-	-				-	-	-	
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	8	8	-	12	-				1	0	8	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4	-	-	12	-				1	16	-	
7. Total Relief given ..	16	5	8	6	18	-			<i>Last year</i> 23 3 8	22	11	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	23	8	8	11	0	11				34	9	7	
9. Total	39	14	4	17	18	11				57	13	3	

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

Dated this 14th day of *Sept.* 1915.

[Signature]
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 8

Mr. Codd. //

Mrs. M'Donald, 9 ²⁴

Mr. Jones, 9

Mr. R. A. Whelan was appointed Stocktaker at a
 remuneration of £3 = 0 = 0
 The Local Board are respectfully requested to
 sanction

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

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

No 47.713/1915. 7th Sept 1915

Stating that they were in Communication with
 the War Office with regard to the case of the wife & children of
 Lance Corporal Murphy. 3rd Royal Irish Regiment.
 The wife & children had been admitted by way of
 loan and charged at £1 per week.

No 47.713 = 1915. 9th Sept

Sanctioning extra of 1/6 per week, 1 pot of jam
 and tin of salmon, to Miss Isabel O'Connor. Lenny nurse
 at the General Hospital.

No 46.885. 10th Sept 1915

Sanctioning Miss Annie Farrell as high dress
 at the General Hospital. at 1/11 = 6 and latices to the
 value of 1/7 and stating the date on which she
 ceased to be should be carefully recorded on the minutes

Miss Connor of the General Hospital, wrote thanking the Guardians for the extra allowed her at the previous meeting.

The Board's Solicitors wrote for a map of the Dispy plot at Brompton - which the Guardians are about to purchase, and on the motion of Mr. Hymberg seconded by Mr. O'Ryan. Mr. Kinsella Clerk of Works was appointed to draw the map, the remuneration to be £1-1-0 provided the map he makes meets the requirements needed.

The Clerk read a long letter from the Board's Solicitors in reference to the terms of £2 each certified by the Magistrates to O'Brien of Bannow for examining 2 lunatics, and it was Mr. O'Ryan's opinion that in the absence of special circumstances it was an unreasonable exercise of the Magistrates' powers, to certify for the whole £2 which wd in all probability be quashed, but at the same time it might be injudicious for the Guardians to set aside the Magistrates' Order without obtaining Counsel's opinion.

The following order was made
That Dr. O'Brien be offered £1-1-0 in each case.

Sister Annellus Cortigan wrote renewing the Application of the 6 nursing Sisters for a small increase in their salaries of 10/- a week fixed 40 years ago when provisions and everything was much cheaper than now and trusting the Guardians wd give their kind consideration to the matter.

Mr. D. L. O'Brien gave notice that he wd move on that day fortnight, that, in consequence of the very inadequate salaries paid to the Sisters they be allowed an increase of £2 per year.

each per annum.

Mr. Corish gave notice that he wd move on the same day that the Shoemaker's wages be increased from 15/- to £1- per week.

There was a transfer of £1784-0-0 from the Treasurer of the County Council to the Board of Guardians being the 3rd instalment of the amt of demand viz £704-9 --

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....11.....day of *Sept*.....19.15...

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the...18...day of...*Sept*.....19.15

Signed.....*W. C. H. O'Connell*.....
Clerk of the Union.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the* above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 11th day of Sept 1915

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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
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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the...18...day of...Sept...1915

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 47-605-1915. 30 th Sept 1915	Sanctioning. S. J. B. Ryan to do duty of O'Brien at the rate of 04-4-0 weekly -	

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

Date.	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon
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Dr. O'Brien Bannow wrote, asking for a further period of 2 wks leave of absence from the Bannow District and 2 wks from his position of the Bystown District acting from the 15th inst, and stating that Dr. Ryan, Dr. Anglin and act respectively as his substitutes during his absence.

On the motion of Mr O'Brien seconded by Mr. O'Donnell Dr O'Brien was allowed a further fortnights leave the arrangements mentioned to be enforced remuneration at 4 = 4 = 0 a week, Dr Anglin is to do the Bridgetown District while Dr O'Brien is doing Loughmore & Bannow - Local Joint Board are requested to sanction

Dr. J. B. Ryan Loughmore wrote asking for the usual 4 wks holidays to be taken in 2 parts a fortnight at a time, commencing on the 5th prox, and naming Dr O'Brien to act as his substitute.

On the motion of Mr O'Brien seconded by Mr Maddock, Dr Ryan was granted a months holidays as requested, Dr O'Brien to do his duty at 4 = 4 = 0 a week.

The Local Joint Board are requested to sanction the arrangements.

The medical officers books and Records from Bridgetown, Crossbeg, Loughmore, Wexford District were examined and initialed by the Chairman. The books from Bannow & Broadway District were not forwarded.

(These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of Sept. 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date			
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 109	In separate wards 20			
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In ward with other inmates 2			
Additional Workhouse ..	—																
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81																
Fever Sheds	—																
Total,	812												TOTAL 110	TOTAL 22			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	81	60	4	2	6	5	6	18	14					
Admitted during the Week			3	1	7	5				1		17					
Born																	
Total,			3	21	88	65	4	2	6	6	6	201					
Discharged during the Week					11	3						14					
Died																	
Total Discharged and Dead					11	3						14					
Remaining on the above date			3	21	77	62	4	2	6	6	6	187					
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15	TOTAL	
													No. Relieved during week	3	1	1	5
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	1	1	5
													No. at corresponding period last year			202	

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 18th day of Sept. 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	139	247			139	247	362.
No. II.	56	91			56	91	
TOTAL.	195	338			195	338	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on, Saturday, day of — day of — 19

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No meeting of Guardians attended

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 18th day of Sept. 1915.

Signed, Michael Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Finance Meeting held the....*11th* day of *September*.....19*15*...

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been received during the month of *August*.....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	71	8	6
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	57	8	11
Sales of Ofial. Old Stores, and other Receipts	6	4	11
Loans Received			
Total amount of Lodgements as above	135	2	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been ordered for payment in the month of.....*August*.....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	197	4	10
Clothing and Bedding	14	6	6
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries	8	18	8
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm		5	4
(d) Other expenses	34	19	6
Workhouse Burials		18	.
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	29	8	6
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	3	2	6
Medical Charities	10	.	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	1	12	6
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans	43	10	.
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	109	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	454	7	10

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of August 1915.

SUMMARY.	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	16 55	19	1			
Total Sums received during the month	135	2	4			
Total	1791	1	5			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	454	7	10			
Total	454	7	10			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1336	13	7			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	1835	7	6			
Outstanding Orders	498	13	11			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	1336	13	7			

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.-(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 18 day of September 1915

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 11 day of September 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
										By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Provisions.. ..	188	5	7	31	10	11	219	16	6	43	8	5	3	13	4	47	19		172	14	9	1272
Necessaries ..	56	13	9				56	13	9	5	18	6		10	6	6	9		50	4	9	
Total ..	244	19	4	31	10	11	276	10	3	49	6	11	4	3	10	53	10	9	222	19	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/5

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of Sept. 1891, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	22	8	8	11	.	11				34	9	7	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	20	.	.	7	.	.				27	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	42	8	8	18	.	11				61	9	7	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board--													
In Money	15	5	6	5	11	.				20	16	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		8	8		13	4				1	2	.	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	2	.	.	1	4	.				3	4	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	17	14	2	7	8	4				23	11	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	25	14	6	10	12	7				36	7	1	
9. Total	43	8	8	18	.	11				61	9	7	

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

*No Guardian attended
consequently no
meeting was held*

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the 25 day of Sept. 1915.

Signed.....
Clerk of the Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of Sept 1915.

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													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
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													No. in Workhouse at date	1	—
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John O'Regan. John Smayler. John Conner. J. Murphy. Jas. Staples. W. Murphy.
P. Phelan. A. Newman. Stephen Gove. Robt. Hone. Andrew White.
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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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Signed,

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Clerk of Union.

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

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Signed,

Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

.....
Clerk of Union.

Form 14.....(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....25th day of.....Sept.....19..15..

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

Indoor, from No.....4070.....to No..4102.....

Separate „ No..... to No.....

Out-door „ No..... to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the.....18th day of.....Sept.....19..15.. was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	173	5	1	50	9	7	223	14	8	42	15	6	3	13	4	46	8	10	177	5	10	
Necessaries ..	50	4	9	-	-	-	50	4	9	5	18	3	-	10	6	6	8	9	43	16	0	1273
Total ..	223	9	10	50	9	7	273	19	5	48	13	9	4	3	10	52	17	7	221	1	10	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was

Average Cost of Infirmary

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

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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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of Sept. 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			<i>Total</i> District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	25	14	6	10	12	7				36	7	1	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	20	-	-	14	-	-				34	-	-	
3. Total to be accounted for	45	14	6	24	12	7				70	7	1	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	17	6	5	11	0				20	8	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility	-	14	8	-	12	-				1	6	8	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4	0	2	8	0				3	12	0	
7. Total Relief given ..	16	16	2	8	11	0				24	10	0	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	28	18	4	16	1	7				44	19	11	
9. Total	45	14	6	24	12	7				70	7	1	

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

Dated this 27th day of Sept. 1915.

W. Keane
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 10

Mrs. M'Donald, $9\frac{3}{4}$

Mr. Jones, 9

Mr. Codd, $10\frac{3}{4}$

Nurse Sand discontinued duty at the General Hospital on the 20th Sept- and by orders of medical officer I procured services of a nurse for night duty on the 22nd inst.

There are 9 pigs fit for sale
Left to the master to dispose of

Lodged to the opinion £43-15-0 for rent

During term suitable person being available at present to do early morning work. it will be necessary for Cook to live in.

Ordered "That the Cook reside on the Work House premises for the present, or as long as the master considers it necessary, the terms of his appointment be the same as when outside viz. 12/8 a week.. with Retention

The master reports that a boy named Phelan was treated and maintained in the General Hospital at 5/- a week and his father wrote him today that he has a very large family to support and found it difficult to provide for them all and requesting that at least the Board would take the child from him in instalments

Ordered - "The Guardians will take the amount in instalments of 2/- weekly

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

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

Dr 50.097 : 1915 18th Sept 1915

Sanctioning & a whole as Stocktaker at a remuneration of £3, if he possesses the qualifications required by Article 42 of the Union Rep Order 1905 and that payment should not be made until the work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Guardians.

The Clerk read the notice forwarded each Guardian in reference to the increase proposed to be allowed to the Sisters and also the Shoemaker.

Dr. D. L. O'Brien proposed and Lady M. Fitzgibbon seconded "that the 6 nursing Sisters get an increase of £9 a year each to their salaries making them £35 annum.

Dr. John Codd proposed and Dr. Power seconded "that each Sister get £30 a year and Dr. Emmott proposed and Dr. John Murphy seconded "that each Sister get £33 a year. 23 Guardians voted for £35, 14 Guardians voted for £30 and the purpose and seconded for £33

The Chairman, Lady M. Fitzmaurice has declared the vote for £35 per annum carried and the Local Board are respectfully requested to sanction.

Mr. Richd. Lush moved "that the Shoemakers wages be increased by 2/6 a week and this was passed unanimously."

The following contracts were declared.

for the three months ending the 31st Decr. 1915.

Mr Thomas Cullen	Best Coarse Oatmeal	@ 18 10 10 per ton.
	Best Bran	8/- per cwt.
	Best Rice	@ 16/- per cwt.
Messrs W. P. & R. Odium	Best Flour	@ 32/9 per bag.
Mr Jas O'Rourke	Beef Rounds	@ 8d per lb.
	Beef Stewing	@ 7d per lb.
	Beef (for beef-tea)	@ 7d per lb.
	Mutton	@ 9d per lb.
	Oxheads	@ 5/- each.

For the twelve months ending 30th Sept. 1916.

Mr David Faris	Arrowroot	@ 8d per lb.
	Brandy Hennessy's	74/- per doz.
	Cinnamon	@ 1/4 per lb.
	Pepper Ground	@ 14/- per stone.
	Syrup, Golden	@ 24/- per cwt.
	Wine, Port	@ 24/- per doz bottles.
	Black Lead	@ 3/6 per gross.
	Blue, squares	@ 5d per lb.
	Candles, dipt.	@ 5d per lb.
	Candles, pure wax.	@ 2/- per lb.
	Washing Soda	@ 4/- per cwt.
Mr Edward Foley.	Best Shell Cocoa	@ 3/9 per stone.
	Coffee, Berries	@ 1/10 per lb.
	Chicory	@ 1/3 per lb.
	Lemonade	@ 4/6 per doz. syphons.
	Lemons	@ 1/2 per dozen.
	Pearl Barley	@ 3/9 per stone.
	Salt	@ 3/- per cwt.
	Soda Water	@ 4/6 per doz syphons.
	Candles, Paraffin	@ 3d per lb.
	Soap	@ £32-0-0 per ton
Mr P. J. O'Connor	Carbolic Soap	@ 2/10 per stone.

Mr Laurence McCarthy

Butter	@ 1/11d per lb.
Eggs	@ 1/3d per doz.
Gin	@ 45/8 per doz.
Pigs Heads	@ 52/11 per cwt.
	(subject to each head of supply bearing an Irish Trade Mark.)
Porter	@ 2/4 per doz.
Sugar	@ 33/11 per cwt.
Whiskey +	@ 23/11 per gallon.
Starch	@ 32/- per cwt.

Mr Nicholas Lambert

Yeast	@ 11d per lb.
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It was decided to readvertise for: Tobacco and Shoe Blacking.

The matter of a supply of Lard, Snuff, was left in the Master's hands.

The Chaplain was authorised to procure supplies of Altar Wine when required.

Mr P. J. O'Connor

Bass Brooms	@ 12/- per doz.
Blacking Brushes	@ 8/- per doz.
Black Lead Brushes	@ 6/- per doz.
Dust Brushes	@ 10/- per doz.
Hair Brushes	@ 6/6 per doz.
Lime wash Brushes	@ 30/- per doz.
Paint Brushes No 1	@ 3/- per doz.
do 2	@ 5/- per doz.
do 3	@ 7/- per doz.
Scrubbing Brushes	@ 8/- per doz.
Sweeping Brushes	@ 21/- per doz.
Galvanized Buckets	@ 1/6 each.
Enamel Jugs	@ 2/3 each.
Enamel Basins	@ 1/3 each.
Combs, coarse	@ 1d each.
Combs, fine	@ 1d each.
Fibre	@ 2 20/- per cwt.
Hammers	@ 10d each.
Hinges Brass butt	Various prices.
Hinges Scotch T.	Various prices.
Knives and Forks	@ 18/- per doz pairs.
Mattresses	@ 16/- each.
Nails, cut	@ 2d per lb.
Nails, wire	@ 2d per lb.
Rakes	@ 1/- each.
Scissors	@ 1/3 per pair.
Screws	@ Various prices.
Shovels	@ 1/10 each.
Spades	@ 2/6 each.
Spoons	@ 14/- per gross.
Boiled Linseed Oil	@ 2/10 per gallon.
Machine Oil	@ 1/9 per gallon.
Sanctuary Oil	@ 4/- per gallon.
Mixed Paint	@ 4d per lb.
Spirits of Turpentine	@ 3/10 per gallon.
Varnish	@ 8/6 per gallon.
Varnish, Stain	@ 8/6 per gallon.
Whitr Lead	@ 50/4 per cwt.
Pint Tins	@ 2/- per doz.
Quart Tins	@ 3/- per doz.

Mrs Catherine Murphy

Large Coffins	@ £7 10/- per dozen.
Small Coffins	@ 3 : 6/- per dozen.

Mr Laurence J. Barker

Commode Pans	@ 2/3 each.
Earthen Jugs	@ 1/9 each.
Jugs	@ 3/6 per doz.
Plates	@ 3/6 per doz.
Basins	@ 21/- per doz.
Chambers	@ 14/- per doz.
Egg Cups	@ 2/- per doz.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts,
at their Meeting held on Saturday the....*25th*....day of....*Sept*.....19*.15*...

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the....*2nd*....day of....*Oct*.....19*.15*...

Signed.....*Wm. K. K. K.*.....
Clerk of the Union.

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

Dispensary Districts.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	
Barnow Lafmon	Appliances do		1	3	That the articles be procured from the Contractors
			7	1	

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the..... Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in the Minutes of..... having being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

Dispensary District.	Goods ordered to be supplied.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 31 of the General Rules for dispensary Districts, dated 14th Feb., 1899.]

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

The following is the Total Expense incurred for Each Dispensary District, for the half-year ended.....

..... District	..	..	..	£ .....
..... District	..	..	..	£ .....
..... District	..	..	..	£ .....
..... District	..	..	..	£ .....
..... District	..	..	..	£ .....
..... District	..	..	..	£ .....

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 49.940 1915 - 17 th Sept 1915	Sanctioning Dr. J. B. Ryan doing duty for Dr. O'Brien at 4.0.0 a week as Medical Officer of Ramon Dwyer District	
No 49.941. 18 th Sept 1915	Sanctioning Dr. O'Brien doing duty for Dr. J. B. Ryan at 4.0.0 a week as Medical Officer of Ramon Dwyer District -	

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

Date.	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon
		11	
		Vaccination	
		Adverting to the Guardians resolution of the 14th August above, the Clerk reported that the month's notice given in the Public Press re defaulters had now expired and that in answer to the Guardians Order of that date requiring the Doctors to draw lots of names of a few defaulters in each Dispensary District and forward same to the Guardians with a view to prosecute the Doctors had now replied as follows	
Wexford	Dr Perse	20 names drawn by lot	
Broadway	Dr Anglin	stating that for the past 6 months he had vaccinated 70 children and that under the circumstances he did not consider it necessary to enforce the Act further in the District	
Bridgford	Dr Anglin	stated he had not the vaccination Register for that District and did not therefore know the names of defaulters	
Laphoon	Dr Ryan	wrote that owing to urgent business he had not time to draw by lot the names of defaulters, but wd have them ready by next meeting	
Barnon	Dr O'Brien	forwarded a list of 8 defaulters drawn by lot	
Crossabeq	Dr O'Connor	forwarded the whole list of defaulters	
		The following Order was made	
Wexford	Dr Perse	written to state the no of defaulters who have complied with the law for the last 2 months	
Bridgford	Doctors O'Brien and Anglin	be written to again about Bridgford defaulters	

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

Laphoon We await Dr Ryan's list

Crossabeq That Dr O'Connor be written to again asking him to draw by lot a few names of the defaulters and forward same to the Board

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

Dr Anglin wrote asking to be relieved from attendance at the Bridgford Dispensary on Wednesdays for the present as he had to attend at Murrinstown and Bridgford on the same day and it was altogether unnecessary and only put on time. Dr Doyle went away.

This was agreed to.

About the payment of fees, the Clerk was directed to write to Dr O'Brien and Anglin relative to the terms of appointment as there appeared to be some misunderstanding in reference to the matter.

"Analysis of medicines"
Bridgford Correct. Crossabeq "heq ammonia"
Cit", contains too much lead, fitting new supply

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Discharged during the Week			6	2	7	9		1	3	3	2	33			
Died					1	1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead			6	2	8	10		1	3	3	2	35			
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day of day of 19

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended therefore no meeting held

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 2nd day of Oct 1915.

day of Oct 1915.

Signed, *[Signature]* Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the...28 day of...September...19...15 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions.. . .	177	5	10	40	4	5	217	10	3	44	1	7	3	13	10	47	15	5	169	14	10
Necessaries ..	43	16	.	—	—	—	43	16	.	5	18	3	10	6	6	89	37	7	3	129	5
Total ..	221	1	10	40	4	5	261	6	3	49	19	10	4	4	4	54	4	2	207	2	1

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/5

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of October 1891, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	27	9	4	16	1	7				43	10	11	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..													
3. Total to be accounted for	27	9	4	16	1	7				43	10	11	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	19	6	5	15					20	14	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		14	8		12						1	6	8
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16		1	16		<i>Last Year</i>			2	12		
7. Total Relief given ..	17	10	2	8	3					25	13	2	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	19	2	7	18	7				17	17	9	
9. Total	27	9	4	16	1	7				43	10	11	

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk or Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mr. Codd.

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

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

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

*No Guardians attended
consequently no
meeting was held*

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the... 9th day of October 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 112	In separate wards 20	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			4	20	75	67	4	2	5	4	5	181			
Admitted during the Week			4	5	4	5	1			2	1	22			
Born												1			
Total,			8	25	79	67	5	2	5	6	7	204			
Discharged during the Week			5	1	2	2	1					11			
Died						1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead			5	1	2	3	1					13			
Remaining on the above date			3	24	77	64	4	2	5	6	7	191			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	4	5
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	4
													No. at corresponding period last year	2	11

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the... 9th day of October 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	141	246			141	246	
No. II.	58	93			58	93	
TOTAL.	199	339			199	339	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day... 9th day of October 1915.

Present: In the Chair—Lady M Fitzgerald

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

James Hore, John Harten, McGonnamer M Lymbury, M H O'Shynne
Richard Gough, Thos O'Brien, Peter Walsh, Philip Kelly, Patrick O'Sullivan,
James Bodd, Joseph Murphy, Louis Barry, Dick Hayes,
W. Bowman, Michel Maddock & C. Bulleton

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the... 9th day of October 1915.

day of... October 1915.

Signed, Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of19..

	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.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14. (continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 9th day of October 1915.

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

Indoor, from No. 4103 to No. 4148

Separate „ No. to No.

Out-door „ No. to No.

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 2nd day of October 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.	
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Provisions.. ..	169	13	7	60	16	10	230	10	44	14	10	3	13	10	48	8	8	182	1	4
Necessaries ..	37	7	3	21	11	7	58	18	5	5	18	10	6	6	8	6	52	9	11	1306
Total ..	207	5	82	8	289	8	50	18	10	4	4	4	54	17	8	234	11	3		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of October 1895, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	<i>Total</i>			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	9	19	2	7	18	7				17	17	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17			7						24			
3. Total to be accounted for	26	19	2	14	18	7				41	17	9.	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	16	6	5	15					20	11	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		15	6		12					1	7	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4			12					1	16		
7. Total Relief given ..	16	16		6	19		<i>Last Year</i>			23	2		
										22	15		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	10	3	2	7	19	7				18	2	9.	
9. Total	26	19	2	14	18	7.				41	17	9.	

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

Dated this 11th day of October 1895.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 10 1/4

Mr. Codd. 10 1/2

Mrs. M'Donald, 10

Mr. Jones, 9 1/2

Received for 9 Pigs £57:11:6 and
for maintenance £8:7:4 and £1:2:10 - total
£9:10:2 - and lodged same.

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

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

No 58457 dated the 6th October 1915.
Sanctioning the Guardians' proposal to increase
the salaries of the Nursing Sisters in the
Workhouse from £26 to £35 a year each
as well as the wages of James Denroche,
Shoemaker, from 15/- to 17/6 per week.

Mr J More O Ferrall, Auditor, wrote notifying
that he would attend for Audit of the Accounts
for the half-year ended 31st March last, on the
12th instant.

Ordered. Noted.

Dr O'Connor, Workhouse Medical Officer,
wrote reporting that Nurse Isabelle O'Connor
was under his care suffering from Bronchitis
and he recommended her a change to the country
for a few days.

The Clerk advised that Nurse O'Connor had resumed duty.

The clerk of the Enniscorthy Union again wrote requesting the Board to appoint delegates to attend a conference to be held at Enniscorthy, to consider the question of the amalgamation of Unions. The Board decided to adhere to their former order, declining to take part in the conference.

On the recommendation of Dr. Bonner Medical Officer of the Workhouse, it was decided to send a child - an inmate - named Michl. Doyle, for special treatment for cleft Palate to a Dublin Hospital.

Mr R. Banville, one of the Guardians for St. Theresa's Ward who had absented himself for over six months, wrote in reply to the clerk's reminder stating that he was unavoidably absent and asking the Board to excuse him.

After a short discussion, during which it was stated that Mr Banville, owing to his present employment, could hardly conveniently attend the meeting, it was resolved on the motion of Mr J. O'Brien seconded by Mr. Bournan, to declare the seat held by Mr Banville to be vacant, and to co-opt on that day fortnight a qualified person to fill the vacancy - and that if Mr Banville found himself able to attend, the Board could then consider co-opting him: Mr Banville, meanwhile to be written to.

Mr E. A. Whelan, Stocktaker wrote reporting that he had taken Stock of the Provisions &c of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital for the half-year ended the 30th ultimo and furnished the usual returns; he also submitted lists of articles recommended by him to be condemned: that the valuation of the clothing Stock made on the same basis as formerly, amounted to £981. 8. 9 and that he checked the numbers in the house and found them correct.

Mr James Guilfoyle, Cook, wrote complaining of want of help in the kitchen and his long hours of labour. The Master stated the Cook did not ask him for any additional assistance and the matter was referred to the Master.

There was only one tender for the supply of 25 tons of Scotch coal - from Mr Lawrence McCarthy, Wexford, at 33/11 per ton.

The Master stated he had run short of Scotch coal and had purchased from the same Merchant at 30/- per ton.

The tender was not accepted and the Master was authorised to purchase on the best possible terms.

Mr Edward Foley, Wexford, was declared contractor for the supply for the ensuing year for Shoe Blacking @ 5/- per gross and Tobacco at 5/11 per lb.

There were two tenders for Advertising for the next year, viz: - The "Free Press" at £49 and the "People" at £47 - The latter tender was accepted.

The three tenders received for the Union printing were referred to the clerk for comparison and report.

The following contracts were declared for the period ending the 30th September 1916.....

Mr L. Hynes

Calico, Twill Sheetting
Dimity
Dungree
Linen Towels
Linoleum
Long Cloth, White
Linen, Ticken
Thread, Worsted
Thread, Womens machine
Tweed

1/- per yard.
6d per yard.
9d per yard.
9/- per doz.
2/2 per yard.
6 1/2 per yard.
1/- per yard.
3/6 per lb.
10d per doz spoons
2/5 per yard.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

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at their Meeting held on Saturday the.....day of.....19.....

Mr P. Donovan	Calico Blay	0	6d per yard.
	do	0	4 ¹ / ₂ per yard.
	Calico, Twill <i>(subject to being dried)</i>	0	5d per yard.
	White Flannel	0	1/1 per yard
	Knitting Needles	0	9d per doz. set
	Pocket Handkerchiefs	0	1/5 per doz.
	Serge	0	2/10 ¹ / ₂ per yd.
	Suit of Clothes (for E. H. Porter)	0	£2 : 10/-
	Table Linen,	0	1/5 ¹ / ₂ per yard
	White Tape	0	5/6 per gross
	Thread, linen, housewife	0	2/2 & 2/6 per lb.
Messrs P. Carty & Co.	Boot Laces, Mohair	0	2/- per gross.
	Habit Cloth	0	4d per yd.
	Rollering	0	5d per yard.
Messrs Healy & Collins	Boys' Caps	0	9d each.
	Bone Buttons	0	10d per gross.
	Sewing Needles	0	4 ¹ / ₂ d per doz
			packages.
	Large Thimbles	0	4 ¹ / ₂ per doz.
	Thread, tailors' machine	0	2/7 ¹ / ₂ per doz
			spools
Mr P. F. Carroll	Linen Check	0	8d per yard.
	Linen Sheeting	0	1/- per yard.
Mr Patk. J. Lambert	Boot Laces, Leather	0	18/- per gross
	Eyelets	0	9d per 1000.
	Hairs	0	4/3 per oz.
	Iron Heels	0	1/10 per doz.
	Hemp Balls	0	2/10 per lb.
	Shoemakers' Ink	0	1/9 per gal.
	Knives, Shoemakers'	0	6/- per doz.
	Leather, Butt	0	2/6 per lb.
	Leather, Kipp, light	0	3/6 per lb.
	Leather, Kapp, heavy	0	3/5 per lb.
	Leather, Lining	0	1/9 per lb.
	Leather inside	0	1/8 per lb.
	Leather, splitter	0	3/6 per lb.
	Nails, shoe hammered	0	2/8 per 1000.
	Nails, Heel	0	1/- per lb.
	Brass Rivets	0	25/- per stone
	Iron Rivets	0	4/9 per stone

having
No tenders being received for White Metal Buttons, Linen Buttons, Card
Thread, Wooden Pegs and Rasps, the matter of a supply was left in
the Master's hands.

It was decided to readvertise for Linen Apron at 8 per yard.

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Signed.....
Clerk of the Union.

Saturday, the 9th day of October, 1915.

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	<p>The Clerk submitted the following statement in reference to the question of Vaccination showing how the matter stood at present as regards each District.</p> <p>Bannow 7 Names of defaulters drawn by lot submitted by Dr O'Brien for prosecution.</p> <p>Bridgetown Dr Anglin's portion. Names of 5 defaulters furnished Dr O'Brien's portion. List not yet supplied.</p> <p>Broadway Dr Anglin does not recommend prosecutions owing to the numbers at present being vaccinated. During the past quarter 39 children were vaccinated.</p> <p>Crossbeg List of 219 defaulters submitted by Medical Officer who recommends the Guardians to select the names of defaulters, if they wish to prosecute.</p> <p>Daghmon Slynny Medical Officer submitted list of 154 defaulters; 2 cases postponed up to 30th Sept. also list of 10 names selected for prosecution.</p> <p>Wexford List of 20 names for prosecution submitted; also list to date containing 1446 defaulters. Dr Perse in reply to the Guardian's query, wrote stating there were 16 children vaccinated in his District during past three months.</p> <p>Ordered That the matter be adjourned to the next meeting and that Dr O'Brien be requested to furnish his list of names for prosecution for his portion of the Bridgetown District.</p>	

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

Date.	From whom	Subject matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 58458/1915		dated the 7th October 1915. Sanctioning as a temporary arrangement the proposal as regards the attendance of the acting Medical Officer at the Bridgetown Dispensary in the Union.	

No 51403/1915		dated the 28th Sept. 1915 Extending the time for the payment of a lunacy fee of £1:1/- to Dr O'Brien, Bannow to the 31st October instant.	
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Dr O'Brien, Bannow, wrote in reply to the Clerk's letter as to what arrangements he had made with Dr Doyle in regard to doing temporary duty in the Bridgetown District while he was doing locum tenens for Dr Ryan Tashmon; stating he had resumed duty in his portion of the Bridgetown District as from the 28th Sept. and notified Dr Anglin accordingly; that he could quite easily do Dr Ryan's locum tenens when he went on leave in addition to his portion of the Bridgetown and his own - Bannow District; and that he made no further arrangements with Dr Anglin about acting for him in Bridgetown while he (Dr O'Brien) was doing Tashmon and he was sure Dr Anglin quite understood the matter.

Ordered: Noted.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of October 1905.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse ..	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 113	In separate wards 19	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, 1	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds ..	—														
Total, ..	812												TOTAL 113	TOTAL 21	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			3	24	77	64	4	2	5	6	6	191			
Admitted during the Week ..			3		7	4						15			
Born ..															
Total, ..			6	24	84	68	4	2	5	6	7	206			
Discharged during the Week ..			6	4	4	3				1	1	19			
Died.. ..															
Total Discharged and Dead ..			6	4	5	3				1	1	20			
Remaining on the above date ..					20	79	65	4	2	5	5	186			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	3	—
													No. in Workhouse at date	—	—
													No. at corresponding period last year		
													204.		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 16 day of October 1905 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	140	237			140	237	350
No. II.	58	93			58	93	
TOTAL	198	330			198	330	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day of — day of — 19

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

In consequence of Non-attendance of Guardians, no meeting was held

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 16th

day of October 1905

Signed, .. Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (I) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Finance Meeting held the 9th day of October 1915.

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

TABLE (A).

	£	s.	d.
County Council, money supplied on demand of Guardians	1784	.	.
Repayment of Relief	82	11	9.
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	12	5	7.
Loans Received			
Total amount of Lodgements as above	1878	17	4

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been ordered for payment in the month of September 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	3	15	.
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries	217	13	8.
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm	40	6	1
(d) Other expenses	218	4	9.
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	15	15	.
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses			
Medical Charities	339	18	11.
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	2	2	.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations	15	8	2
Superannuation Allowances	12	5	8.
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	96	.	.
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	201	18	4.
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	1163	7	7.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of Sept. 15 1915.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	1336	13	9.			
Total Sums received during the month	1878	17	4			
Total	3215	10	11.			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	1163	7	7			
Total	1163	7	7			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	2052	3	4.			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	3261	13	10.			
Outstanding Orders	1209	10	6			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	2052	3	4			

Dated 9 day of October 1915.

Clerk of Union.

Form 14. (continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the day of 19....

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

Indoor, from No. to No.

Separate, No. to No.

Out-door, No. to No.

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the 9 day of October 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
										By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	182	1	4	45	8	6	227	9	10	45	9	5	3	13	11	49	3	4	178	6	6.	
Necessaries ..	52	9	11	1	12		54	1	11	7	7	7	9			7	16	7	46	5	4	1275
Total ..	234	11	3	47		6	281	11	9	52	17		4	2	11	56	19	11	224	11	10.	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/9

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of October 1895, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	10	8	2	7	19	7				18	1	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17	.	.	7	.	.				24	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	27	8	2	14	19	7				42	1	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	6	.	5	15	.				21	1	.	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		9	6		14	6					1	4	.
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	2	.	.	1	4	.				3	4	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	17	15	6	7	13	6				23	8	.	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	6	8	7	6	1				16	12	9	
9. Total	27	8	2	14	19	7				42	1	9	

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

Dated this 18 day of October 1895.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

In consequence of
non-attendance of
Guardians no meeting
was held

Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

In consequence of the
non-attendance of Guardians
no meeting was held.

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).

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Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 23 day of October 1895

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the...23.....day of...Oct......1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse ..	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	In separate wards	19
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates	2
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds ..	—														
Total, ..	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return ..			20	79	65	4	2	5	5	6	186				
Admitted during the Week			3	1	4	4		1		2	2	17			
Born ..															
Total, ..			3	21	69	8	4	3	5	7	8	203			
Discharged during the Week			2		7	6				1	1	17			
Died..															
Total Discharged and Dead			2		7	6				1	1	17			
Remaining on the above date			1	21	76	63	4	3	5	6	7	186			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15.
													No. Relieved during week	3	1
													No. in Workhouse at date	1	1
													No. at corresponding period last year 1915.		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the...23.....day of...Oct......1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. 1.	138	235			138	235	349.
No. II.	57	92			57	92	
TOTAL	195	327			195	327	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day—23—day of—October—1915.

Present: In the Chair—Lady M Fitz Gerald

Other Guardians: Mess O'connor and Mess Martin Sutton

Wyles Borgen, W. Bowman, John Blaney, M. O'connor, R. O'neill, Wm. Bogan, M. Hymbery, Walsh, John Walsh, John O'Ryan, L. Cullen, M. Maddock, Thos. Power, M. Sinnott.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the...23rd.....day of...October.....1915...

Signed,.....
Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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MEETING held the 23 day of October 19 15

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

Indoor, from No. 4149 to No. 4188
 Separate „ No. to No.
 Out-door „ No. to No.

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 16 day of October 19 15 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.	Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.	
								By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total							
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions. . .	178	6	8	37	19	2	216	5	10	46	14	10	3	13	6	50	9	4	165	17	6
Necessaries . .	46	5	14	3	4		49	9	4	7	6	5		16	5	8	2	10	41	6	6
Total . .	224	12		41	3	2	265	15	2	54	1	3	4	9	11	58	11	2	207	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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

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	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	9	6	8	7	6	1				16	12	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17			7						24			
3. Total to be accounted for	26	6	8	14	6	1				40	12	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	14	6	5	12					20	6	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		11								11			
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4		5	1		<i>Last Year</i>			6	5		
7. Total Relief given ..	16	9	6	10	13					27	7	6	
										27	2	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	17	2	3	13	1				13	10	3	
9. Total	26	6	8	14	6	1				40	12	9	

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

Dated this 23rd day of October 1895

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 10

Mr. Codd. 11

Mrs. M'Donald, 9 1/4

Mr. Jones, 10

Received for Rags and Bones £5:12:6.
Approved.

The following goods were sanctioned and passed: Tweed, Worsted and Dungree. A supply of white batice rejected — it being considered that its quality was not equal to that of the accepted sample.

Will Committee kindly attend to condemn old clothes.

A Committee attended and approved of the Stocktaker's recommendations that the following articles be condemned:—

Warehouse Stock.—Clothing

6 Bed Quilts, 43 Blankets, 71 Bolster covers, 30 Bunkies, 67 Sheets,
17 Table cloths, 46 Towels and rollers, 15 Window blinds.

Men's clothing. 15 coats, 9 Drawers, 17 Fannel Waistcoats, 43 Shirts

74 Shoes, 15 Socks, 17 Trousers, 26 Waistcoats.

Women's clothing. 51 Aprons, 4 Bodices, 12 Neckerschiefs, 24 Petticoats

3 Shawls, 20 Shifts, 21 Shoes, 15 Stockings, 22 Wrappers.

Boys' clothing. 14 coats, 2 Shirts, 4 Socks, 2 Trousers, 1 Waistcoat

Girls' clothing. 31 Birts, 15 Gowns, 2 Petticoats, 16 Shifts, 9 Shoes, 11 Stockings.

Hardware:—

Brushes } 9 Bass, 1 Blacking, 2 Black head 17 Scrubbing & 9 Sweeping.
Brooms }

Delft. 8 Mugs, 1 Plate and 1 Basin

5 Throat tins, 2 Enamelled Basins and 5 Enamelled jugs.

The following are the discrepancies in the Stock found on the 30th ultimo and that shown on the books on that date:—

Master's Report (contd.)
The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Deficiencies 8 lbs Beef Tea Meat 20ys Brandy 7lbs Bread,
6 1/2 ozs Butters, 4 1/2 ozs Cocoa, 3 1/2 ozs Cheese, 1 Egg,
24 lbs Flour, 8 1/2 ozs Sugar, 3 lbs Oatmeal, 1 Pt Milk,
5 lbs Oatmeal, 3 lbs Rye's Wheat, 1 Bottle Porter,
8 lbs Rice, 10 1/2 ozs Snuff, 5 1/2 ozs Tea, 1 oz Tobacco,
4 1/2 ozs Whiskey,
Excesses. 3 1/2 ozs Coffee, 3 lbs Sugar, 8 1/2 ozs Wine and 1 lb Soap.

Will a committee see wall of Sacristy, which is very damp.
A committee visited the sacristy and authorised the Master to have the necessary work done.

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, follows):—

No 53429/1915 dated the 18 October 1915. Forwarding copy of the Auditor's Report on the Union Accounts for the half-year ended the 31 March last.

In forwarding the Abstracts, the Auditor stated that "the accounts were prepared for Audit with great care and efficiency."

The Board considered the Report highly creditable to the officials.

Dr. Bonnor (Wexford) and Dr. Kennedy (Dublin) wrote certifying that the clerk of the Union (Mr. McKee) was under their care, having had to undergo an operation and would be unfit for duty for at least four weeks.

On the motion of Mr. Sutton seconded by Mrs. O'Connor it was resolved, that as two weeks had already elapsed to grant Mr. McKee 6 weeks leave to date from the 9th inst when he became ill, and that the Assistant Clerk (Mr. Sullivan) be allowed the usual remuneration while acting viz:—£1 per week:—

(Sanction requested.)

On the motion of Mr. Sutton seconded by Mr. Bergin and supported by the County Council, a vote of sympathy was unanimously passed to Mr. McKee in his illness.

Dr O'connor, M.O. Workhouse wrote recommending that an inmate named Anastasia Meane be sent to the Limerick Hospital for special treatment for Vaginal Papuloma.

On the motion of Mr ~~Spink~~ seconded by Mr Sutton, the request was granted.

The Board was specially summoned to co-opt a member for St. Iverius Ward, Wexford Urban District - in room of Mr Banville disqualified for non-attendance.

Mr Banville wrote stating he could not attend the meetings and therefore would not go forward for co-option.

Mr ~~Spink~~ proposed and Mr O'connor seconded the co-option of Mr John Walsh, Bride Street, Wexford.

Mr Sutton proposed the co-option of Mr David Keating, Ardara, Wexford. Mr Bowman seconded.

On a poll these voted:-

For Mr Walsh. Messrs O'connor, Cornish, Bullock, Boggan, Bergin and O'Hyan. 6.

For Mr Keating. Messrs John Walsh, P. Walsh, Power, Masadoth, Lymbery, Sutton, Blaney, Cowman and the Chairman. 9.

Miss O'connor declined to vote.

Mr Keating was accordingly declared elected by the Chairman.

The Acting Clerk reported that he examined the three printing tenders referred to the Clerk from the previous meeting, and found that the "Free Press" tender was the cheapest.

The Free Press tender was accordingly accepted, as was also the tender of the Misses Malone for Stationery - being the only one received.

Mr Luke Hyman, Wexford, was declared contractor for supplying 100 yards of Linen Apron at 8^d per yard.

No 158 M/1915 dated the 22nd Oct. 1915 being a circular letter on the subject of the Economy of Food owing to the unusually high prices for foodstuffs prevailing at the present time.

Messrs W & B McDonnell Ltd, Margarine Manufacturers, wrote on the substitution of Margarine for Butter in Dietary Scale.

In reply to Mr Lymbery, the Acting Clerk states the cost of Stimulants for the last week was £3:3:8.

It was decided to refer the matter to the Doctor, Master, and Sisters to confer on the subject and see what economies could be effected, and that the Doctor be requested to economise as much as possible in granting Stimulants.

An eviction notice at the suit of Lady, Colclough against John McGrath for possession of premises in the Town of Wexford was laid before the Board.

Mr Donovan, Wexford, contractor for Blay Calves, sent a letter received from the Manufacturers saying that they could not supply the calves as per the sample accepted but would supply stuff of a heavier finish.

It was decided to accept the substitute, the ladies considering it as good, if not better, than the original sample.

Dr O'connor, M.O. Workhouse, and Crosskey Dispensary, District, wrote applying for two weeks' holidays and nominating Dr S. J. Durlong, Infirmary House as his substitute.

On the motion of Mr Bowman seconded by Mr Bergin, Dr O'connor was granted his holidays and Dr Durlong appointed his beam teners at £5:5/- a week.
(Queries herewith)

The Acting Clerk was directed to serve Notice on Lawrence Denton of Slade Bogat, to take out his children within ten days.

Saturday, the 23 day of October 1915.

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

Dispensary Districts.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	
<p>The Analyst again reported unfavourably on supply of liq. Amon. bit, forwarded from Crossabeg Dispensary, stating that the drug above limits for lead and arsenic.</p> <p>The contractors wrote stating that the lead this contained must have been dissolved by action the liquor on the bottle.</p> <p>The Acting Clerk having sent a copy of the contractors letter to the Analyst, it was decided await the latter's reply.</p> <p>(Copies of Analyst's report and letter herewith)</p>					

The Analyst again reported unfavourably on the supply of Liq. Amon. but, forwarded from the Grosvenor Dispensary, stating that the drug was above limits for lead and arsenic.

The contractor wrote stating that the lead this drug contained must have been dissolved by action of the liquor on the bottle.

The Acting Clerk having sent a copy of the Contractor's letter to the Analyst, it was decided to await the latter's reply.

(copies of Analyst's Report and letter herewith)

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the.....
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in the Minutes of.....
 having being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

[illegible]

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for dispensary Districts, dated 24th Feb., 1800.]

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 31 of the General Rules for dispensary Districts, dated 28th Feb. 1900.)

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

The following is the Total Expense incurred for Each Dispensary District, for the half-year ended.....

[illegible]

[illegible]

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	Relieving Officers Doyle and Walsh applied for payment of £3 and £2:5/- respectively for services rendered by them in noticing defaulters under the Vaccination Act, for the three half-years ended 30 Sept. last.	
	On the last occasion this remuneration was applied for but the Local Government Board did not sanction the payment due no doubt to the dilatory way the Act was being complied with, however, the Guardians to consider that the Relieving Officers are entitled to be paid for their services and on the motion of Mr Bowman seconded by Mr Maddock, it was ordered that the amounts be paid subject to the sanction of the Local Government Board.	
	(Sanction requested.)	
	No 54985/1915 dated the 15 Oct. 1915 Referring to the Guardians' Minutes of the 9th instant and stating that the Guardians should press forward vaccination throughout the Union during the present favourable weather, so that the arrears would be cleared off before the winter.	
	Dr Ryan, Tighmon, wrote protesting against the Board's order asking him to draw by lot the names of six defaulters in his district for prosecution.	
	The Acting Clerk suggested, as a way out of the difficulty, of selecting the names for prosecution, that they take every alternate third or fourth or fifth name (as the Board should decide) on the full list until the required number was secured.	
	Eventually it was decided to summon a Special Meeting of the Board for that day three weeks to consider the matter.	

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
	Dr Anglin Broadway	wrote stating the caretaker of the Dispensary (Mrs Kehoe) had resigned on the 20th October and that Sister Murphy, a niece of Nurse Longburgh, was doing duty since then.	
		It was decided to inform Mrs Kehoe that it would be necessary for her to resign to the Board.	

The Acting Clerk reported that Dr O'Brien, Medical Officer of the Bannow District, failed to send for analysis samples of the supply of drugs he obtained for the Bannow District in May. Dr O'Brien wrote explaining it was an oversight on his part; that he had selected the samples and laid them aside and forgot: he also stated he thought it was optional with him to send same. On receiving the Acting Clerk's letter he had now forwarded samples and he trusted to be excused both by the Guardians and the Local Government Board on this occasion and he would be more careful in future.

The Board were unanimous in asking the Local Government Board to excuse Dr O'Brien on this occasion, as he had now complied with the Regulations.

(These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the ~~Medical Officers~~ of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

Asst. Registrar.

Bridgetown - 226 defaulters - 2 of whom are unfit.

No order for the present. (See page 5)

Mr John Kehoe, Asst. Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages for Bridgetown District, wrote forwarding Form P containing the names of 226 defaulters and stating that he believed he was entitled to some remuneration for this work; he thought it was the duty of the two temporary Medical Officers to make out this return; that he had not seen anything in the Rules and Regulations for Registrars about Form P. and that it was the Local Government Board and not the Registrar General who required the particulars (Mr Kehoe is acting as Asst. Registrar for Doyle, Medical Officer and Registrar of the District, who is with the Army since the 21st May).

The Indexed Minute Book of Births was in arrears since the 1st January 1915 and it has had to be written up to date. The last Form P. furnished by Dr Doyle - prior to his departure - was on the 30th Decr. Drs Anglin and O'Brien are joint Medical Officers of the District at the present time. It was decided to ask the Local Government Board whose duty it was to furnish Form P. under the circumstances mentioned and who should pay the Asst. Registrar for the services rendered by him in bringing these lists up to date.

The Acting Clerk reported that the "Original" requisition relating to the drugs supplied to Dr Doyle, Medical Officer of the Bridgetown Disp. in May last, and who was now at Military service, was not to be found at the Dispensary or at the Doctor's Residence, although a diligent search had been made by Dr Anglin, one of the temp. Medical Officers, but that the blue duplicate was forthcoming and otherwise the regulations were complied with.

Ordered. Notes.

Mary A O'Connor

Chairman

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of Oct. 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 110	In separate wards 18	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												TOTAL 110	TOTAL 20	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	21	76	63	4	3	5	6	7	186			
Admitted during the Week			1		3	6						10			
Born															
Total,			2	21	79	69	4	3	5	6	7	196			
Discharged during the Week			1	1	4	6						13			
Died															
Total Discharged and Dead			1	1	4	6						13			
Remaining on the above date			1	20	75	63	4	3	5	6	6	183			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	1	—
													No. in Workhouse at date	1	—
													No. at corresponding period last year 187.		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 30th day of Oct. 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	139	236			139	236	350.
No. II.	57	98			57	98	
TOTAL	196	338			196	338	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day of 30 day of Oct. 1915

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended consequently no meeting was held

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 30th day of October 1915.

Signed,

Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the. 23. day of.....October.....1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	165	17	6	53	12	5	219	9	11	44	15	6	3	13	6	489		171	11	1300		
Necessaries ..	41	6	6	—			41	6	6	7	1	8		18	✓	7	19	10	33		6	8
Total ..	207	4		53	12	5	260	16	5	51	17	2	4	11	8	56	8	10	204		7	7

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/7

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of October 18th, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	9	17	2✓	3	13	1				13	10	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17			7						24			
3. Total to be accounted for	26	17	2✓	10	13	1				37	10	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	18		5	9	6				20	7	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		17									17		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16		1	16					3	12		
7. Total Relief given ..	17	11		7	5	6				<i>Last year</i> 27	5		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	6	2✓	3	7	7				24	16	6	
9. Total	26	17	2✓	10	13	1.				37	10	3	

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

.....
Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

*No Guardians attended
consequently no meeting
was held*

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of Nov. 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward, 112	In separate wards 18	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital, —	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	20	75	63	4	3	5	6	6	182			
Admitted during the Week			3	2	7	6		1	2	2	3	26			
Born															
Total,			4	22	82	69	4	4	7	8	9	209			
Discharged during the Week			2		6	6				1	1	16			
Died.. ..						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead			2		6	7				1	1	17			
Remaining on the above date			2	22	76	62	4	4	7	7	8	192			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week	3	2
													No. in Work-house at date	2	4
													No. at corresponding period last year		185

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 6th day of Nov. 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	138	235			138	235	
No. II.	56	91			56	91	
TOTAL.	194	326			194	326	349

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 6 day of November 1915

Present : In the Chair— Miss MacDonnell

Other Guardians:—Messrs. Thos O'Brien M. Lymberry, Jas. Hore
Joseph Murphy, Patk. Rossiter, P. Healy, & J. H. Keating.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 6th day of Nov. 1915
Signed,
Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....6.....day of.....November.....1915

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

Indoor, from No.....4189.....to No.....4219.....
 Separate „ No.....to No.....
 Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

- 1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.
- 2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.
- 3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the.....30th.....day of.....October.....1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Provisions.. ..	172	3	5	54	16	4	228	19	9	44	8	6	3	15	6	48	4	178	15	9	
Necessaries ..	143	5	43	5	.	7	1	5	.	18	2	7	19	7	35	5	5
Total ..	315	8	5	54	16	4	270	4	9	51	9	11	4	13	8	56	3	214	1	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/7

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of November 1895, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	9	6	2	3	7	7				12	13	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17	.	.	9	.	.				26	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	26	6	2	12	7	7				38	13	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	14	16	.	5	9	6				20	5	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility			15									15	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4	.	12	.	.				1	16	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	16	15	.	6	1	6				22	16	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	11	2	6	6	1				15	17	3	
9. Total	26	6	2	12	7	7				38	13	9	

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 11

Mr. Codd. 11 1/2

Mrs. M'Donald, 10

Mr. Jones, 9 1/2

Loaded to the credit of the Union £10-2-6.
(For maintenance £4:10 and for Rags and Bones £5:12:6)

The following Goods require to be sampled:—
Blay Calico, Twill Calico and White Flannel

All were passed except white Flannel—the
quality of which was considered not to be
equal to sample

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

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

No 57568 : 1915 dated 30th October 1915. Sanctioning payment at the rate of £1 per week to the Assistant Clerk for his services as substitute for the Clerk of the Union, during the latter's absence from duty, through illness.

Mr. McKeel, Clerk, wrote thanking the Board for their expression of sympathy with him in his illness and hoping to be soon back again.

Erection Notices at the suit of Messrs Richard Patrick Ryan, Wexford, against Patrick Berry and Budget Callaghan, both of Turlough's Lane Wexford, were laid before the Board.

A man named Lawrence Fenlon, Slade, Tagoat, who was noticed to take out his wife and three children who are inmates of the Workhouse, was found to do so; it was proposed

by Mr Rossiter and seconded by Mr Hore and passed: That Denlon be noticed that unless he takes out his wife and three children within one week he would be prosecuted.

Miss Browne Hon Secretary of Ladies Committee on Boarded out Children reported that the Committee held a meeting on the 25th inst to meet Mrs Browne, L. B. B. Inspector: that there was a large attendance of the ladies: that Miss Browne's report was on the whole favourable but she suggested a few removals particularised; it was resolved that Mrs Hore, Kilmannon, provide the child James Ronan with a proper bed and look after the boy better in future; that James Halligan be provided with a sufficient supply of clothing and they had appointed a new member for Kilmannon District in the person of Miss May Stafford.

Ordered: That the child Halligan be supplied with clothes and Mrs Hore be written to regarding the boy Ronan and that the appointment of Miss Stafford be approved of.

Mr H. Keating, the newly co-opted member for St Iverius Ward, Wexford, thanked the members of the Board, especially his proposer and seconder for their kindness in co-opting him to a seat on the Board.

Saturday, the 13th day of November 1915

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

Dispensary Districts.	Medicines, &c., required, not comprised in the Prescribed Lists.	Total Cost.			Directions given by the Board.
		£	s.	d.	
<p>The Analyst reported on three samples submitted from the Bannow Dispensary: two genuine and one marked "Alcohol low. er to L. B. B before returning. Standard t yet fixed."</p>					

The Analyst reported on three samples submitted from the Bannock Dispensary: two were genuine and one marked "Alcohol low." Refer to L. S. B. before returning. Standard "not yet fixed."

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor for the.....
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in the Minutes of.....
 having being received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to forward the
 same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be) to the Medical Officer of the District
 retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On the Application of the Medical Officer of the undermentioned Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied.

[illegible]

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 33 of the General Rules for dispensary Districts, dated 24th Feb., 1800.]

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Article 31 of the General Rules for dispensary Districts, dated 24th Feb., 1890.)

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

[illegible]

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
No 57396 : 1915	dated 1st Nov.	1915	Sanctioning payment of £5:5/- per week to Dr SA Furlong for doing duty for Dr O'connor, Medical officer of the Workhouse and of Crossabeg Dispensary District, for two weeks.

Dr O'connor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse and Crossabeg District wrote applying for a further 'two weeks' leave and nominating Dr SA Furlong as his substitute.

On the motion of Mr Lymberry seconded by Mr Rositer, the required leave was granted and Dr Furlong appointed to do duty at £5:5/- a week.

Mrs Bridget Marshall caretaker and midwife of the Laghmon Dispensary, applied for and was allowed a half ton of coal for use at the Dispensary.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz. :

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of Novr 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	In separate wards	18
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates	2
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			2	22	76	62	4	4	7	7	8	192			
Admitted during the Week			3	1	5	5						14			
Born															
Total,			5	23	81	67	4	4	7	7	8	206			
Discharged during the Week			3	3	3	4						13			
Died					1	1						2			
Total Discharged and Dead			3	3	4	5						15			
Remaining on the above date			2	20	77	62	4	4	7	7	8	191			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	3	1
													No. in Workhouse at date	2	
													No. at corresponding period last year		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 13th day of Novr 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	141	241			141	241.	349.
No. II.	56	91			56	91.	
TOTAL	197	332			197	332	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 13th day of November 1915

Present: In the Chair—Lady M. Fitz Gerald

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Miss MacDonnell, Mr. Hyndberg, Mr. Renshaw, Mr. Keating, Miss Hayes, P. J. Rowe, Miss Stafford, Andrew White, and Martin Sutton.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 13th day of November 1915.

Signed, Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Finance Meeting held the.....6....day of.....November 1915.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been received during the month of.....October.....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	9	10	2
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce	57	11	6
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts		2	6
Loans Received			
Total amount of Lodgements as above	67	4	2

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been ordered for payment in the month of.....October.....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	261	4	
Clothing and Bedding	7	10	
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries	8	18	8
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances	27	6	8
(c) Farm	3	13	9
(d) Other expenses	34	6	3
Workhouse Burials			
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	2	9	
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	1	10	
Medical Charities	104	12	3
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers	1	1	
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations		19	
Superannuation Allowances			
Assessment and Results Fees of Teachers			
Expenses of Local Committees			
Repayment of Loans			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Outdoor Relief	104		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year	1	17	10
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	559	8	5

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of Oct 15.

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	205	23	4			
Total Sums received during the month	67	4	2			
Total	2119	7	6			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	559	8	5			
Total	559	8	5			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	1559	19	1			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer	2166	16	4			
Outstanding Orders	606	17	3			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union	1559	19	1			

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 13 day of November 1915

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 6 day of November 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.					
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total				
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Provisions... ..	17	8	15	11	36	2	9	21	4	18	8	4	4	5	5	3	13	6	47	18	11	166	19	9
Necessaries ..	3	5	5	5	33	9	2	68	14	7	7	19	1	1	2	11	9	2	59	12	7	1288		
Total ..	21	4	1	4	69	11	11	283	13	3	52	4	6	4	16	5	57	11	226	12	4			

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/8

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of November 1891, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	9	16	2	6	6	1				16	2	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17			9						26			
3. Total to be accounted for	26	16	2	15	6	1				42	2	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	6		5	9	6				20	15	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		11			8						19		
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	5	8		1	4					6	12		
7. Total Relief given ..	21	5		7	1	6				28	6	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	5	11	2	8	4	7				13	15	9	
9. Total	26	16	2	15	6	1				42	2	3	

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

Dated this 15th day of November 1891.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,
Mrs. M'Donald,
Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

Messrs Colfer Son, Solicitors to the Board submitted Bill of costs dating from Decr. 8th 1913 to the 31 August 1915 and amounting to £10 : 9 : 8.

On the motion of Ald. Bourish seconded by Mr. Hymbery, it was unanimously resolved, owing to the small amount involved to ask the Local Government Board to permit the Guardians to pay this bill without going to the expense of having it taxed. (Bill is enclosed herewith.)

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the Above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 18 day of November, 1918

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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
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The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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).

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

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 20 day of Nov 1915

Signed.....
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
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This day's meeting of the Board was specially summoned "to consider the question of directing that legal proceedings be instituted against persons who have failed to comply with the Vaccination Acts."

The Acting Clerk read the notice convening the meeting, which notice contained copy of the Sergeant Platheson's Opinion, given to the North Dublin Guardians.

He also read a letter from the Local Government Board stating that they had no intimation of the date on which judgment would be delivered in the case of the King (Local Government Board) v the Guardians of Letterkenny Union.

The Acting Clerk also stated he had been asked by some Guardians who were unable to attend the meeting, to express their view that the Board should defer action until it ascertained the result of the Letterkenny case.

On the motion of Mr Lymbery seconded by Ald. Gairish it was unanimously resolved:—

"That the Board postpone action in this matter until the judgment in the Letterkenny case has been delivered, and that the Acting Clerk be instructed to bring the result of that case to the attention of the Board on same being announced."

(The Board then adjourned.)

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

as per the Relief Lists
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 20th
 day of November 1915
 Signed,
 Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of November 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	In separate wards	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												117	18	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			2	20	77	62	4	4	7	7	8	191	—	2	
Admitted during the Week			2	1	9	4						17			
Born															
Total,			4	21	86	66	4	4	7	7	9	208			
Discharged during the Week			3	1	4	4						12			
Died.. ..						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead			3	1	4	5						13			
Remaining on the above date			1	20	82	61	4	4	7	7	9	195			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week		2
													No. in Workhouse at date		1
													No. at corresponding period last year		201

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 20 day of November 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	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.	141	241			141	241	
No. II.	55	90			55	90.	
TOTAL.	196	331			196	331	352.

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Present: In the Chair—Lady M Fitz Gerald
 Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Miss O'Connor, Jas Hore, Thos O'Brien,
J K Meeking, Richd Gough, W. Hymbery, W Furlong,
W H O Byrne, C. Bulleton and Chas Murphy.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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MEETING held the 20 day of November 1915

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

Indoor, from No. 4220 to No. 4258

Separate „ No. to No.

Out-door „ No. to No.

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 13 day of November 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
										By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions... ..	166	19	9	44	10	6	211	10	3	44	12	1	3	13	6	48	57	163	4	8.		
Necessaries ..	59	12	7	—			59	12	7	7	17	8	1	12	5	9	10	1	50	2	6	1327
Total ..	226	12	4	44	10	6	271	2	10	52	9	9	5	5	11	57	15	8	213	7	21	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

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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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of November 1895, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	<i>Total</i>			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	5	7	2	8	4	7				13	11	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17	.	.	9	.	.				26	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	22	7	2	17	4	7				39	11	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	5	.	5	9	6				20	14	6	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		11	.		8						19	.	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	2	19	.	1	16	.	<i>Last year</i>			4	15	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	18	15	.	7	13	6				31	7	6	
										26	8	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	3	12	2	9	11	1				13	3	3	
9. Total	22	7	2	17	4	7				39	11	9	

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

Dated this.....day of.....19.....

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Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 10½✓

Mrs. M'Donald, 10

Mr. Jones, 10

Mr. Codd. 11½✓

Some slight damage has been caused by the storm both here and the Fever Hospital to roof and Eve shoots.

The Master states the damage has been repaired.

Sheeting Linen and Apron sheets were sampled and passed

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

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

No 60336: 1915 dated 12 Novr. 1915. Sanctioning remuneration at the rate of £5:5/- a week, for two weeks to Dr. S. A. Turlong for doing duty in the absence of Dr. O'Connor, Medical Officer of the Workhouse and Crossabeg.

No 58095/1915 Being a circular letter giving a statement of the Royal Commission on Sugar Supply. Ordered: contents noted.

No 16246 dated the 8 Novr. 1915. Being also a Miscellaneous letter on the subject of Overdue Accounts.

Dr. Kennedy (Dublin) wrote certifying that Mr. Kehoe (Clerk) would be unable to resume his duty for four weeks.

On the motion of Lady M. Fitzgerald seconded by Mr. Corry, the Clerk was allowed four weeks leave of absence and the Assistant Clerk (Mr. Sullivan)

was appointed to do duty for that period.

In connection with the remuneration allowed for Acting as Clerk, Mr O'Sullivan wrote asking the Board to consider the matter of allowing him 30/- per week instead of £1; pointing out the very long period (18 years) he had been acting for the sum of £1, and hoping the Board, in view of present conditions, would not consider his request unreasonable.

Mr O'Sullivan was making a similar request of the Council, whose meeting was being held at the Courthouse. It was stated that that body had adjourned the application to the next meeting, so the Guardians accordingly adjourned the application to them until their next meeting (on the 4 Decr.)

The Secretary, Holles Street Hospital, Dublin, sent the following letter:-

"I beg to state that an item appears in my books for £2:4/- discovered by the Auditor, which I regret to say I have inadvertently overlooked. It is for a patient from your Board named Patk. Bolger, who was admitted to this Hospital on the 24 Novr. 1914 and discharged on the 9th Decr. 1914."

"I know it is a long way back, but perhaps you may be able to devise some means of sending me a paying order for the amount, otherwise I will be obliged to pay it into the Hospital Account myself. I am sorry for the oversight but it cannot now be avoided. Hoping you may be able to help me out of the difficulty."

I Scott Secretary.

On the motion of Mr Cough seconded by Lady M. FitzGerald, it was unanimously decided to ask the Local Government Board to sanction the Guardians proposal to pay this account. (Bill is enclosed herewith.)

On the recommendation of Dr Bonnot, Medical officer of the Workhouse, it was ordered that two inmates named Elizabeth Foley and Ellen Devereux be sent to the Eye & Ear Hospital, Dublin, for treatment of their eyes.

Messrs Bolger & Son, Solicitors to the Board wrote stating the matter of serving notice on L. Denlow who has refused to remove his wife and family from the Workhouse, was having their attention.

The contractor for White Balico, the supply of which was rejected at the meeting on the 23rd ult., forwarded letters from Manufacturers stating that both the sample and supply are of the standard quality, and that there could not be any difference in them as the material going into both patterns was the same.

The Guardians present examined the sample and supply and decided to accept the supply.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts, at their Meeting held on Saturday the 20th day of November 1915.

No 57412/1915 dated 9 Novr. 1915. Enclosing the report of Miss Browne local Government Board Inspector, on her inspection of the children boarded-out in the Union, and requesting the Guardians' consideration to the several matters adverted to.

The matters in the Report which required the Guardians' attention are as follows:-

Two blowery children with Miss Kavanagh, Brandaniel. "Their present house is not a very satisfactory one as regards cleanliness or bedroom accommodation. The children have improved greatly in health, but are not kept clean or free from vermin. Michael is at present occupying an improvised bed in the Kitchen, which is most unsuitable. Poultry are also kept in the house - a proceeding which is neither conducive to health or cleanliness."

"A more suitable home might, with advantage, be found for these children. I think Miss Kavanagh does her best for them, but she has too much to do and is therefore unable to devote sufficient time to them."

Ordered. That copy of the Report be sent to Miss Kavanagh and that she be warned to take better care of the children. Copy of the Inspector's Report is also to be sent to Miss O'Hyan, member of Ladies Committee who recommended Miss Kavanagh.

Miss Browne also reported that Mrs McNath was an unsuitable person to have charge of the child Annie Redmond.

Ordered. That the child be removed to the home of Mrs Redmond, Mellurim.

Also the boy Lawrence Murphy, boarded-out with

Mrs Monaghan was inclined to be delicate. Ordered. Foster-parent is to take child to Doctor, who is to be written to on the subject.

Miss Browne recommends that the boy Thomas Savage should be apprenticed to a suitable trade.

Ordered. Approved. Write to Miss Browne Bridgetown and R.O. Walsh on the subject.

It was decided that Mary O'Dalsh be taken to the Doctor regarding her eyes.

That Patrick Devenens be hired-out with a farmer (Mrs Murphy (Milbrane) and Mr Hayes to be written to on the matter.

That the boy James Ronan be brought back to the Workhouse owing to the unfavourable report made by Miss Browne on the Foster-parent's home.

That the girls Catherine Radford and Mary Pierce be taken to the Doctor for examination of teeth.

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the 27th day of November 1915.

Signed..... Clerk of the Union.

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Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
No 59923 dated the 19 Novr. 1915	Informing Board that judgment was delivered by the Court King's Bench on the 16th instant in the case King (Local Government Board) and the Guardians of the Letterkenny Union and a writ of mandamus was granted on the Board's application directing the Guardians to administer the Vaccination Act in their Union District, and stating it would be necessary for this Board of Guardians to take effective measures to enforce compliance with the Vaccination Acts throughout their Union.	
	A report was read from the Acting Clerk on the same subject.	
	The Acting Clerk wired the Local Government Board to know whether in the event of the Guardians undertaking to enforce vaccination later on during the fine weather would they agree to the postponement of the matter until then.	
	In reply the Local Government Board was stating that the Guardians should arrange for the efficient enforcement of the Acts in the leaving it to the Medical Officer concerned to decide in each individual case whether the operation should be postponed either on account of the health of the infant or the distance of its home from the Dispensary or the inclement condition of the weather at the time or on any sufficient cause.	
No 59933 dated the 18 Novr. 1915	Being a further asking the Guardians to enforce the Act and giving the number of Vaccination Defaulters in the several districts of the 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
Union according to the Medical Officers' Returns, Form L, as follows:—			
	Bannow	Not Stated	
	Bridgetown	About 200	
	Broadway	210.	
	Crossbeg	219.	
	Laghmore/Slynn	154.	
	Wexford	1446.	

On the motion of the Chairman it was decided to specially summon the Board to consider the matter on that day fortnight, the 4th proximo

No 58933: 1915 dated the 10th Novr. 1915
Forwarding the following extract from the Medical Officer's Return Form L. (Bridgetown District)
"The Dispensary is in poor repair."
Ordered. This matter will receive attention later on. The Guardians are purchasing the premises.

Mr Vincent Doyle, Bridgetown brother of Dr Doyle, reported that the top had blown off the big tank holding water at the Bridgetown Dispensary Residence and would require immediate attention.
The Acting Clerk directed Mr Kinsella to see to the matter and his action was approved of.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the...27....day of...Nov...1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirmed 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	In separate wards	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												111	18	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	20	82	61	4	4	7	7	9	195	1	2	
Admitted during the Week			3	3	2	3	1					13			
Born															
Total,			4	23	84	64	5	4	7	8	9	208			
Discharged during the Week			1	2		9		1		2	4	19			
Died.. ..						2					1	3			
Total Discharged and Dead			1	2		11		1		2	5	22			
Remaining on the above date			3	21	84	53	5	3	7	6	4	186			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week	3	3
													No. in Workhouse at date	3	1
													No. at corresponding period last year		200.

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the...27....day of...Nov...1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	143	244			143	244	
No. II.	55	90			55	90.	
TOTAL	198	334			198	334	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday, day.....day of.....1915

Present: In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting held

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

day of...November...15

Signed,

Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the...^{20th} day of.....^{Month}.....19¹⁵ was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	163	4	8	38	11	10	201	16	6	45	14	2	3	13	6	49	7	8	152	8	10.	
Necessaries ..	50	2	6	-	-	-	50	2	6	7	17	8	1	12	5	9	10	1	40	12	5	1356
Total ..	213	7	2	38	11	10	251	19	0	53	11	10	5	5	11	58	17	9	193	1	3	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital : :

5/6.

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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of November 1891, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	3	12	2	9	11	1				13	3	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	17	.	.	9	.	.				26	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	20	12	2	18	11	1				39	3	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	10	6	5	7	6				20	18	.	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		11	6		8	.					19	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16	.	3	14	6				5	10	6	
7. Total Relief given ..	17	18	.	9	10	.				25	16	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	2	14	2	9	1	1				11	15	3	
9. Total	20	12	2	18	11	1				39	3	3	

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

Dated this 29th day of November 1891

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

*No Guardians attended—
no meeting held in
consequence*

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 4th day of Decr 1915

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

No Guardians attended
therefore no meeting
held

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

[illegible]

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of December 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 114	In separate wards 17	
Temporary Buildings	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812												TOTAL 117	TOTAL 19.	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			3	21	84	57	5	4	7	6	4	186			
Admitted during the Week					4	4		1		1	1	11			
Born															
Total,			3	21	88	57	5	4	7	7	5	197			
Discharged during the Week			3	1	4							8			
Died.. ..					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead			3	1	5							9			
Remaining on the above date				20	83	57	5	4	7	7	5	188			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	—	—
													No. in Work-house at date	—	—
													No. at corresponding period last year		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 4th day of December 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.							
	143	244			143	244	
No. II.							
	53	88			53	88	
TOTAL.							
	196	332			196	332	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day 4th day of December 1915.

Present : In the Chair—Lady M Fitz Gerald

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Miss Bonno, Messrs. Skelating, McBonno, James Hore, John J. Mayler, Aboush, Jas Murphy, Whymbery, Jas Walsh, W. Howman, Jas. Good, Michl Simmett, C. Gulleton, John Murphy, Nicky Hayes, Wm Stafford, W Sutton.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 4th day of December 1915.

Signed, Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of 19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

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Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the...4...day of...December 19.15

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

Indoor, from No...4259...to No...4277...

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the 27th day of November 1915 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	152	8	10	52	6	10	204	15	8	44	14		4	3	8	48	17	8	155	18	1303	
Necessaries ..	40	12	5	1	12		42	4	5	8	14	8		13	11	9	8	7	32	15		10
Total ..	193	1	3	53	18	10	247	-	1	53	8	8	4	17	7	58	6	3	188	13		10

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/9.

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of December 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	2	14	2	9	1	1				11	15	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	19	.	.	8	.	.				27	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	21	14	2	17	1	1				38	15	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	10	6	5	3	6				20	14	.	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		15	6	8	.	.				1	3	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	4	.	18	.	.				2	2	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	17	10	.	6	9	6			<i>last year</i>	24	2	.	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	4	4	2	10	11	7				14	15	9	
9. Total	21	14	2	17	1	1				38	15	3	

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

Dated this, 6th day of December 1915.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes, 11

Mrs. M'Donald, 10½

Mr. Jones, 10

Mr. Codd, 12.

Will the Board kindly allow usual Xmas fare?
The Board unanimously allowed same.

Lady Maurice Fitzgerald, Chairman, applied for permission to give her usual fare of plum pudding.
The Board heartily gave permission and thanked her ladyship for her kindness.

Navy Sarge and Table Linen were sampled and passed.

The Master reported that on the recommendation of the Medical Officer he employed on the 23rd ultimo a temporary Nurse at the Fever Hospital.
(Query form enclosed and sanction requested.)

He also reported that the Inspector (Mr. M. Carthy) made his usual half-yearly visit on the 23rd ultimo.

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

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

No 61922. 1915 dated 23 Novr. 1915 Stating they would not object to the payment of the bill of costs amounting to £10:9:2 furnished by the Guardians' Solicitors, Messrs Bolger & Son, without taxation, provided the Guardians were prepared to satisfy the Auditor as to the reasonableness of the charges in the event of any question being raised at audit.

No 177 M/1915 dated 26 Novr. 1915 Being a circular letter recommending that only temporary appointments be made to medical positions until the conclusion of the war.

Regarding the application of the Assistant Clerk for increased remuneration for performing the Clerk's duty during the latter's absence on sick leave the consideration of which was adjourned from last week, the Chairman seconded and it

it was unanimously resolved that the Assistant Clerk be allowed 30/- a week as from the previous meeting, the 20th ultimo, for acting as the Clerk's substitute. The Asst. Clerk thanked the Board for their kindness. Sanction of Local Government Board requested.

Sister Katska O'Sorman Matron of the Workhouse, wrote asking the Board for three months leave of absence and that Sister Michtildis Hyon, St John of God Convent, Wexford, would, with their permission, act as her substitute without additional expense.

On the motion of Mr Hymberg seconded by Mr John Murphy, the required leave was granted and the Board approved of Sister M Hyon during the Matron's duty in the latter's absence.

(Sanction of L. G. B. to this arrangement is respectfully requested.)

Sister Ita Missane, Assistant Nurse in the Infirmary, wrote resigning her position and thanking the Board for their kindness to her in the past.

The resignation was accepted with regret and the Acting Clerk was instructed to advertise for an Assistant Nurse at £35 a year, with milk, vegetables, apartments fire and light.

Election to take place on the 18th instant. Preference to be given to a Nursing Sister of the St John of God Order.

With regard to the brown Rent of 15/2 on the Stonebridge premises, the brown Rent Office wrote offering to extinguish the rent for the payment of £19:18:0 being about 25 years purchase on the gross rent.

It was decided on the motion of Mr McConnor seconded by Mr Hymberg, to redeem this rent and the negotiations were left in the Acting Clerk's hands.

Mr P. Harrahan, Boss' Surveyor, Wexford, forwarding final certificate for payment to Mrs O'Connor for the erection of new WCs and water supply; stated that there were extras incurred to the amount of £9:17:9 for necessary and unforeseen work; that this amount for extras was very small for this description of work - being less than 3% - and he believed all the arrangements would be found satisfactory.

On the motion of Mr Sutton, seconded by Mr Rossiter, the amount for the extra work, considered necessary by the Engineer, was passed.

WEXFORD UNION.

Pauper Children (Ireland) Acts, 1898 to 1902 and Infant Life Protection Act, 1897.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Wexford Union, under the above Acts, at their Meeting held on Saturday the 11th day of December 1915.

No 63278: 1915 dated the 29th Nov. 1915 Referring to the previous Minutes and requesting the Guardians to procure a suitable home for the boarded-out child, James Ronan, whom they have ordered to be brought back to the Workhouse, and that the usual particulars on Form A. should be furnished in regard to Mrs Redmond with whom it was proposed to board-out Annie Redmond.

Mr Doyle R.O. reported that Mrs Redmond refused to take out the child Annie Redmond and the Acting Clerk was instructed to write to Mrs Murphy, Kilbane, to see if she could find a foster parent for the child.

It was decided to inform the local Government Board that the child Ronan was not yet in a fit condition to be boarded-out again.

Regarding the boy Devereux for whom the Guardians are looking for an employer, Mr Hayes A.C. wrote saying he could not recommend the boy to anyone and Mrs Murphy, Kilbane, wrote saying she knew of no person requiring a boy.

The matter was left so.

Mrs Browne, Bridgetown, Hon Secretary, wrote stating Dr Anglin examined the eyes of the child Mary Ellwale and recommended that she be sent to the Eye & Ear Hospital, Dublin, to have her eye operated on.

On the motion of Mr Keating seconded by Mr Lymbery it was ordered that the child be sent to Dublin for operation to her eye.

Mrs Browne also stated that the other two children (Katherine Radford and Mary Pierce) be sent to a Dentist in Wexford to have their teeth seen to.

On the motion of Miss O'Connor seconded by Mr Keating, the Doctor's recommendation was ordered to be carried out.

Next Meeting of the Board, will be held on Saturday, the 11th day of December 1915.

Signed.....
Clerk of the Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the 4th day of December 1890

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was.

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 11 day of Decr 1915

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

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

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

Name of Dispensary District.	Electoral Division.	Names and Addresses of Wardens appointed for each Electoral Division.
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On the motion of Mr Rossiter, seconded by the Chairman, Canon Fortune, Taghmon, was appointed a Warden for Taghmon & Glynn District and Father Bolger P. P., Piercestown was appointed a Warden for the Wexford Dispensary District.

The Acting Clerk reported that if Dr Doyle, Medical Officer of the Bridgetown District who was now serving at the front had been at home, an increment of £7:10/- would be added to his salary on the 19th October— that he the Acting Clerk was sure it would be the Board's wish that service at the front should count for the purposes of the scale, and that Dr Doyle be paid at the increased rate from the time he came back.

In the motion of the Chairman seconded by Mr McConor, the salary attaching to Dr Doyle's position was accordingly increased to £107:10/- (Sanction requested)

The Medical Officers Books from Ulford, Crossabeg and Taghmon Districts were examined and signed. Those of Bannow, Bridgetown and Broadway were not received.

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
	The Board was specially summoned to consider the matter of instituting proceedings to enforce compliance with the Vaccination Acts throughout the Union. After some discussion Mr Matthew Hymbery proposed and Mr James Murphy seconded:— That our Solicitors be instructed to take proceedings against the following persons for failing to comply with the provisions of the Vaccination Acts: viz:—	
	Bannow District	William Henny, Ulfavan Mary Josephine May, Coolahan John Gerrard, Duncormuck Wm Sheppard, Legistown. Ellen Harper, Lough. Andrew Bullen, Bannow Bay. Patrick Berry, Sear John Carroll, Milnamoon Nichs. Doyle, Mucktown Wm Turlong, Tullbards. Godfrey Jones, Donhazzard Walter McHoe, Milmore Quay. Denis Boland, Mayrinstown. Patrick Coffey, Ballygeary. James Davis, Formerly of Balbotstown Nics Connolly, Pettistown Wm Sorman, Grange. Nics Him (Address not stated)
	Bridgetown District	Alm Murphy Ballinacoola J. M. Fortune Johnstown M. M. Mythen Ballinablacke P. M. Gahan Ulfossal J. E. Bennett Johnstown. W. A. Doyle Ballyhergue
	Broadway District	
	Crossabeg District	

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
Laghamon & Flynn		James Lee, Boolecull	
		James Gaynor, Browtown.	
		Michl. Barton, Milltown.	
		James Taylor, Ballyan.	
		Wm. Haddock, Ballynagrough.	
		Elizabeth Hayes, Dore.	
Wexford		James Brennan, Trinity Street	
		James Howlin, Allen Street	
		Dora Roche, King Street.	
		James Fowler, Byrnes Lane	
		James Murphy, Faythe	
		James Reek, Sinnott's Lane	
		William Wade, Talbot Street	
		John Morris, Dempsey's Terrace	
		James O'Neill, Faythe	
		Clement Busker, Talbot Street.	
		John French, John Street	
		Stephen Martin, Bride Street	
		James Sinnott, Faythe.	
		Peter Black, Luke Street.	
		James Fallon, Trinity Street.	
		Thos Murphy, Beck Street.	
		Michl. Shortle, Commercial Quay.	
		John Brennan, Trinity Place	
		James Stapleton, Talbot Street.	

Mr Sinnott proposed and Mr McConnoy seconded:
 That consideration of the matter be adjourned
 for six weeks.
 On the question being put 15 voted for Mr Lymbury's
 resolution and 4 against.
 Mr Lymbury's resolution was declared passed by
 the Chairman

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

Adelbert J. D. Wald
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 11th
 day of December, 1891.
 Signed,
 Clerk of Union.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839. Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Decr, 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date.	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 120	In separate wards 17	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 3	In ward with other inmates 2	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital ..	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return					20	83	57	5	4	7	7	5	188		
Admitted during the Week			1	2	14	4	1	1	1	1	1	26			
Born															
Total,			1	22	97	61	6	5	8	8	6	214			
Discharged during the Week												8			
Died.. ..												1			
Total Discharged and Dead												9			
Remaining on the above date			1	22	90	59	6	5	8	8	6	205			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Females.	Children under 15
													No. Relieved during week		5
													No. in Workhouse at date		3
													No. at corresponding period last year		213

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 11th day of Decr, 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	144	245			144	245	347.
No. II.	53	88			53	88	
TOTAL.	197	333			197	333	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day— day of—

Present : In the Chair—
 Other Guardians:—Messrs.

No Guardians attended consequently no meeting was held

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (1) FINANCIAL MINUTES.

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

Finance Meeting held the 4 day of December 1915.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which have been received during the month of November 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	4	10	
Rents of Dispensary Residences			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and other Receipts	5	12	6
Loans Received			
Total amount of Lodgements as above	10	2	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 have been ordered for payment in the month of November 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	130	5	4
Clothing and Bedding	113	5	1
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries	8	18	8
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances			
(c) Farm		8	
(d) Other expenses	139	8	2
Workhouse Burials	9	12	
District School Account			
District Hospital Account			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions	4	2	1
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses	10	9	2
Medical Charities	1	4	
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	165		
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year			
Expenditure out of Loans			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above	£ 588	12	6

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of... *Novr*... 19. *15*

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SUMMARY.						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement	1559	19	1			
Total Sums received during the month	10	2	6			
Total	1570	1	7			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement						
Payments ordered during the month	588	18	6			
Total	588	18	6			
Net Balance due <i>to</i> the Union (being difference of above Totals)	987	9	1			
RECONCILEMENT.						
Balance per Bank Book due <i>by</i> Treasurer	1573	11	7			
Outstanding Orders	586	2	6			
Net Balance as above due <i>to</i> the Union	987	9	1			

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19.....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the *14* day of *December* 19. *15* was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions... ..	155	14	3	43	17	2	199	11	5	45	19	6	4	8	2	50	7	8	149	3	9	
Necessaries ..	32	15	10	17	9	2	50	5		7	11	9	1	16	10	9	8	7	40	16	5	1299
Total ..	188	10	1	61	6	4	249	16	5	53	11	3	6	5		59	16	3	190		2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : *5/9.*

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of December 1891, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	<i>Total</i>			
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	4	4	2	10	11	7				14	15	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	19	.	.	8	.	.				27	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	23	4	2	18	11	7				41	15	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	16	1	6	5	8	6				21	10	.	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		15	6		8	.				1	3	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	2	.	.	4	8	.				6	8	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	18	17		10	4	6				27	12	.	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	4	7	2	8	7	1				12	14	3	
9. Total	23	4	2	18	11	7				41	15	9	

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

Dated this 13 day of December 1891.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

Mrs. M'Donald,

Mr. Jones,

Mr. Codd.

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

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

No meetings held

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS (14 & 15 VIC., CAP. 68, &C.)

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts at a Meeting held on

Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was...

Ditto disallowed

The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of Provisional Out-door Relief was

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

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

The number of Applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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).

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

[illegible]

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

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday, the 19 day of Decr 1895

Signed.....
Clerk of Union

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the... 18th... day of... Decr... 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731														
Temporary Buildings	—														
Additional Workhouse	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	22	90	59	6	5	8	8	6	205	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward. 127	In separate wards 17	
Admitted during the Week					10	7		2	2	2	1	24	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital 4	In ward with other inmates 2	
Born													TOTAL 131	TOTAL 19	
Total,			1	22	100	66	6	7	10	10	7	229			
Discharged during the Week			1	2	5	3			1	1	1	14			
Died					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead			1	2	6	3			1	1	1	15			
Remaining on the above date				20	94	63	6	7	9	9	6	214			
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	—	—
													No. in Workhouse at date	—	—
													No. at corresponding period last year. 213		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the... 18th... day of... Decr... 1915 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	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.	144	245			144	245	344.
No. II.	55	90			55	90	
TOTAL	199	335			199	335	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day... 18... day of... December... 1915.

Present: In the Chair—Lady M FitzGerald

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

Miss O'Connor, Matthew O'Connor, Jas Stone, Whymbery, John Dodd, Paddy Healy, Louis Barry, Jas Murphy, Thos O'Brien, R. Burns, Joseph Murphy, H. Bowman, M. Maddock, John Cardiff, M. Sells, John Harpin, C. Kelleher, C. Murphy, Mrs Hayes, P. Browne, White, O'Leary, Jas Walsh, James Dodd and William Chandler.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the... 18th... day of... December... 1915.

Signed,..... Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

.....
Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the 13th day of Decr.....19..15

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

Indoor, from No. 4278.....to No. 4327.....

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessaries for the Week ending Saturday the 11th day of December.....19..15 was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
										By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	149	3	9	54	6		203	9	9	46	9	5	4	3	8	50	13	1	152	16	8	
Necessaries ..	40	16	5	—	—	—	40	16	5	8		6	1	16	10	9	17	4	30	19	1	1351
Total ..	190			54	6		244	6		54	9	11	6		6	60	10	5	183	15	9	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : : 5/8.

Average Cost of 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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of December 1915, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV. <i>Total</i>			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	4	7	8	8	7	1				12	14	3	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	19			8						27			
3. Total to be accounted for	23	7	2	16	7	1				39	14	3	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	17	6	5	8	6				21	6		
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility		15	6		8					1	3	6	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1			1	4					2	4		
7. Total Relief given ..	17	13		7		6			<i>Last Year</i>	27	13		
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	5	14	2	9	6	7				15		9	
9. Total	23	7	2	16	7	1				39	14	3	

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

Dated this 20th day of December 1915.

Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

MASTER'S REPORT.

Cream Percentage—Mr. L. Hayes,

11 1/2

Mrs. M'Donald,

10 3/4

Mr. Jones,

9 1/2

Mr. Codd.

12

Received from Miss Lee Hunt, Westbury, Crowborough, Sussex, a supply of Shawls for old women and Amas Cards for Children and books and papers from Mrs Wickham, Wolly House.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed to each of these for their kindness.

Lodged to the Credit of the Union £76 :17:6 for maintenance.

White Flannel and Calico were sampled and rejected as not being up to sample.

It was decided to discharge a family named Fenlon on Monday, the 20th instant.

It was ordered ~~that~~ to charge a man named Sheill, a patient in the Fever Hospital, 10/- a week for maintenance.

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

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

No 6545:1915. dated the 10th Decr. 1915. Sanctioning payment of £1 :10/- per week to the Assistant Clerk for discharging temporarily the duties of Clerk, and stating they would raise no objection to the arrangement made for the discharge of the duties of the Workhouse Matron during her absence on leave for a period of three months.

No 65491 dated the 11th Decr. 1915. Sanctioning payment of £1 :11 :6 per week to Miss N. Brennan temporary Nurse at the Fever Hospital.

There was only one applicant for the position of Assistant Nurse in the Workhouse Infirmary, viz:— Sister Albius Cahill of St John of God Convent, Wexford.

On the motion of Ald. Corish seconded by Mr Laddock, Sister Albius Cahill, was unanimously elected.

Query form enclosed, and sanction requested.)

that Mr Kehoe, Clerk of the Union, was still under his care and would be unable to resume his duties for about another four weeks.

On the motion of the Chairman seconded by Ald. Corish, the required leave was granted and the Asst. Clerk was appointed substitute at the rate of 30/- per week.

(Sanction requested)

From the Local Government Board, No 63773:1915 dated the 9th December, 1915. Forwarding for the Guardians' attention the half-yearly report of their Inspector, Mr McCarthy.

The report on the whole was a very favourable one. The only matters requiring attention were:-

The suggestion to omit the egg for breakfast where possible in Sick Diets Nos 3 and 3a and thereby effect a saving of about £3 a week was referred to the Medical Officer for his report.

The question of the removal of the piggery was deferred for six months.

The Master will attend to the matter of providing light shoes for house wear by the male patients in the infirmary.

The Doctor's attention was ordered to be drawn to the Inspector's suggestion of sending the deaf and dumb child Mary Anne Hall to a special institution.

The Guardians considered there was no great need of enforcing the Infant Life Protection Act in this Union.

Owing to the date of the next fortnightly meeting falling on New Year's Day, it was decided to hold the ordinary meeting on Friday, the 31st instant.

(Sanction of Local Government Board requested.)

Surveyor of Customs and Excise, Wexford, wrote applying for a refund of £1, money obtained by the Guardians during the disqualification of a man named Thos. Lacey.

The Amount was ordered to be refunded.

The following tenders were accepted for three months ending the 31st March 1916.

Mr Thos. Cullen, Wexford. Flour at 37/6 per bag of 16 stone.

Coarse Oatmeal at £24 a ton.

Pran at 9/3 per cwt.

Rice at 18/- per cwt.

Mr Jas. O'Rourke, Wexford.

Beef Rounds at 9d per lb.

Beef Stewing at 8d per lb.

Beef for beef tea at 9d per lb.

Mutton at 8d per lb.

Oxheads at 3/- each.

The Lights of London Ltd. wrote quoting for improving the lighting of the Workhouse for the installation of their Gas and Air System for the sum of £145 :12/-. The consideration of the matter was adjourned for the attendance of a representative of the firm.

On the motion of the Chairman seconded by Mr Hayes, a vote of condolence was passed to the relatives on the death of the Late Canon Doyle, of Taggart.

On the motion of Mr Joseph Murphy seconded by Mr V. Maddock a vote of sympathy was also passed with the Rev. Thos. Hore, Adm. on the death of his niece, the late Miss Codd of Shanoo.

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

The Acting Clerk reported that he had investigated the 50 cases ordered for prosecution on the last day and found, that of these, only 18 were suitable for prosecutions owing parents having removed, the children having become vaccinated, or other causes.

He now recommended the Board to proceed on the lines of the resolution which was subsequently passed.

Mr James Codd proposed and Ald. Corish seconded, that the Board proceed with the prosecution in the 18 cases pronounced by the Acting Clerk as suitable.

Mr James Murphy proposed and Mr P. J. Rowe seconded:—

That our Solicitors be instructed to investigate the following cases of persons who have failed to comply with the Vaccination Acts, viz:—

Bannow Dispensary District.

James White, Barrystown.
Andrew White, Bannow Moor.
Patrick White, Scotsland.
Patrick White, Duncormick.
James White, Danescastle.
John Roche, Moortown.
Martin Rowe, Duncormick.
James Rossiter, Coolcliffe.
Stephen Roche, Kiltra.
Thos. Rossiter, Slevooy.
Matthew Banville, Milltown.
J. B. Boyd, Kiltra.
Michl. Poland, Bannow.
James Byrne, Kiltra.
Bridget Byrne, Bannow.
John Culleton, Balloughton.
Thos. Cloney, Waddingtown.
John Cullen, Coolraheen.
John Crowley, Belgrave.
John Connors, Coolraheen.

Bridgetown Dispensary District.

Michl. Kennedy, Kilmannon.
Patk. Kielty, Ballybough.
Richd. Kinsella, Crosscales.
Nicholas Lawler, Ballycleary.
William Lee, Bridgetown.
Stephen O'Connor, Rathyork.
Laurence O'Keeffe, Sleedagh.
Philip O'Keeffe, Loughgunnen.
Wm. O'Rielly, Ballycross.
James O'Brien, Quanstown.
Peter Rowe, Ralughtown.
Patrick Rossiter, Moorfield.
Wm. Restrick, Rathasvick.
Philip Rossiter, Libgate.
Richd. Rochford, Croase.
Michl. Sills, Curteenwinogue.
Francis Stafford, Murrintown.
Edward Slavin, Johnstown.
John Slavin, Johnstown.
Laurence Stafford, Soar.

Broadway Dispensary District

Joseph McKeon, Rosslare.
Edward McGrath, Ashfield.
John McLoughlin, Rathfarney.
Patrick Neill, Milltown.
John Owens, Milltown.
John Pitt, Ring.

Thomas Power, Trane.
Patrick Parle, Thornville.
Frank Pierce, Shillmore.
Nics. Potts, Orristown.
James Roche, Waddingsland.
Edward Redmond, Tagoat.
Edward Redmond, Craegen.
Walter Roche, Ballycogley.
John Restrick, Buncarrig.
Sylvester Tobin, Ballyhire.
W. Tracey, Ratholm.

James Underwood,
William Whelan, Woodtown.

Edward Wickham, Port.

Crossabeg Dispensary District.

A & H. Dempsey Ballyboygan.
J. & A. Doyle, Ballyboygan.
J. & M. Devereux, Glenbough.
J. & M. Doyle, Classganny.
T. & D. Devereux, Ballyhowbeg.
M. & E. Dalton, Ballycrane.
J. & M. Hall, Berrysbank.
T. & S. Hawkins, Crory.
T. Hamilton, Whitefort.
J. & C. Keating, Castlebridge.
T. Keegan, Kereight.
P. K. Murphy, Kilcorral.
J. & A. Murphy, Ballinacoolmore.
J. & M. Murphy, Classganny.
W. & E. Neville, Begerin.
R. & A. Ormonde, Whitefort.
W. & C. Butler, Ballyharren.
M. & M. Lythen, Ballinablake.
J. & J. Fegan, Castlebridge.
O. & M. Morris, Classganny.
E. & A. Kehoe, Mullinagore.

Taghmon & Glynn Dispy. District.

James Roche, Lambstown.
William Cassidy, Barmoney.
Wyles Noctor, Barmoney.
W. Laddock, Ballinacoolmore.
Martin J. Corley, Bungan.
James Taylor, Bungan.
James Gaynor, Barmoney.
Matthew Cansvan, Ballinacoolmore.
Wm. Fitzpatrick, Healthfield.
Thos. Butler, Lambstown.
Richard Erian, Polshore.
Patrick Jackman, Barmoney.
Walter Creane, The Point, Killurin.
Richard Cullen, Lambstown Great.
John Harnur, Bungan.
Philip Monohan, Carrigmannon.
Michael Sinnott, Balleaton.
Wm. Furlong, Taghmon.
Patrick Lacey, Bolgerstown.
Wm. Browne, Ballinacoolmore.
Matthew Lacey, Youngstown.
Margaret O'Connor, Taghmon.

Wexford Dispensary District.

James Carroll, Faythe.

James Codd, Parnell Street.

James Carrll, Talbot Street.

William Carroll, Back Street.

Path. Cullen, Barrack Street.

James Delaney, Parnell Street.

Michael Driscoll, Faythe

William Duff, Piercestown.

Patrick Doyle, Maudlintown.

Christopher Dunne, Slaney St.

Mary Ellen Farrell, King Street

Patrick Furlong, John Street.

John French, John Street.

Nichs. Fortune, William Street.

Nicholas Furlong, Barrack St.

John Hynes, Duke Street.

William Hall, Drinagh.

Patrick Hynes, Roserock.

Michael Hogan, High Street.

Patrick Harpur, Bride Street.

Patrick Murphy, Faythe.

Laurence Murphy, John Street.

Thomas Murphy, Duke Street.

Thomas Moran, Parnell Street.

John Malone, Laurstown.

Thomas Molloy, John Street.

Michael Martin, Trinity Street.

James Molloy, Byrnes Lane.

Thomas Murphy, John Street.

Matthew Murphy, John Street.

Michael Neill, Hill Street.

John Nolan, King Street.

Patrick Nolan, Faythe.

Jas. O'Neill, Green Street.

Edward O'Connor, Temperance Rd

James Roche, South Main Street.

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

Reference No. and Date	Subject Matter	Order of the Board thereon
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Wexford Dispensary District (Continued)

Gerard Reville Seaview Avenue.
 Jos. Michl. Ronan, George Street.
 Edward Reilly, Coolcotts.
 James Redmond, Clonard.
 John Sparrow, Clonard.
 James Swords, Reilly's Lane.
 Peter Shannon, Park.
 Frederick Saunders, John Street.
 George Stafford, John Street.
 Michael Williams, Byrnes Lane.
 Nicholas Whitty, Faythe.
 Thomas White, Joseph, Street.
 John Whitty, Stonebridge Lane.
 Anne Wickham, Ballindinas.

That after due investigation, that they select by lot such a number of the above cases, as will with, the number of suitable cases already ordered to be proceeded against, bring the total number of prosecutions to be at present instituted to 20 in the Wexford Dispensary District and 6 in each of the other Dispensary Districts of the Union.

On a show of hands, Mr James Murphy's amendment was adopted by 15 voted to 7.

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
No 65644:1915		dated the 16th Decr. 1915	Sanctioning an increment of £7 :10/- in accordance with scale, to the salary of Dr Doyle, Medical Officer of the Bridgetown Dispensary District.

The Acting Clerk reported that in the absence of Dr Doyle Registrar, at the front, and owing to the illness of Mr Kehoe, his Assistant, Mrs Nora Kehoe had been appointed Interim Registrar of Births and Deaths for the Bridgetown District.

On the motion of Mr Larkin seconded by the Chairman, the application of Mr T. Keating, Murrintown, for a half-ton of coal for Murrintown Dispensary was acceded to.

Mrs Ellen Kehoe, Caretaker of the Broadway Dispensary, wrote resigning that position.

It was decided to advertise for a successor at a salary of £2 a year. Election to take place on the 31st instant.

Dr H. A .G. Hadden, Apothecary to the Wexford Dispensary, wrote stating he had offered his services to the Government for the duration of the War and they have been accepted, and he applied to the Board for the necessary leave of absence; that his position be kept open for him and he nominated his step-brother, Mr Eustace Webb - a qualified Chemist, as his substitute.

On the motion of the Chairman seconded by Miss M. O'Connor, it was unanimously ordered:— That Dr Hadden be granted the required leave without salary, that his position be kept open for him and that Mr Eustace Webb be appointed his substitute and be paid at the rate of salary attached to the position viz:— £52 a year.

Mr Webb's certificate is enclosed herewith and sanction requested

Samples of drugs sent for analysis from the Workhouse were favourably reported on by the Analyst.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officer 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 three months of age and have not been vaccinated, from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

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

A requisition for the supply of Appliances to the Bridgetown Dispensary was allowed.

WEXFORD UNION.

Population in 1901—32,839.

Present Net Annual Value, £111,874.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of Decr. 1915.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons 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	Females	Males	Females	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on above date	
Workhouse	731												Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Ward.	In separate wards	
Temporary Buildings ..	—												Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital	In ward with other inmates	
Additional Workhouse ..	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	81														
Fever Sheds	—														
Total,	812														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			20	94	63	6	7	9	9	6	214				
Admitted during the Week			1	2	4	—	1	—	1	2	11				
Born															
Total,			1	20	96	67	6	8	9	10	8	225			
Discharged during the Week			1	8	3	—	1	—	3	2	18				
Died				1	2	—	—	—	—	—	3				
Total Discharged and Dead			1	9	5	—	1	—	3	2	21				
Remaining on the above date			20	87	62	6	7	9	7	6	204				
													NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.		
													Males.	Fe-males.	Children under 15
													TOTAL		
													No. Relieved during week	1	—
													No. in Work-house at date	—	—
													No. at corresponding period last year		

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday the 28th day of Decr. 1915, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic., c. 31, sec. 1		Destitute Persons Relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec 1		Total Relieved out of the Workhouse.		Comparative No. last year.
	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of Cases Relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases	Persons	
No. I.	144	245			144	245	
No. II.	55	90			55	90	
TOTAL	199	335			199	335	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Saturday, day of 19

Present : In the Chair—

Other Guardians:—Messrs.

7th Guardians attended therefore no meeting held

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday, the 28th day of December 1915.

Signed, Clerk of Union.

Summary and Reconciliation of Treasurer's Account for the month ending the last day of.....19..

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

Dated.....day of.....19.....

Clerk of Union.

Form 14.—(continued.)

WEXFORD UNION.

TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

MEETING held the.....day of.....19.....

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

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

Separate „ No.....to No.....

Out-door „ No.....to No.....

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

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

1.—THE INDOOR RELIEF LIST.

2.—THE PROVISION CHECK ACCOUNT.

3.—THE PROVISION RECEIPT AND CONSUMPTION ACCOUNT.

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and necessities for the Week ending Saturday the 18th day of.....December.....19..18.. was submitted, of which the following is a summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the Week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.			By Officers.							Total		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions.. ..	152	16	8	40	11	8	193	8	4	49	17	6	4	3	8	54	1	2	139	7	2	
Necessaries ..	30	19	1	17	9	2	48	8	3	7	10	6	1	16	10	9	7	4	39	.	11	1467
Total ..	183	15	9	58	.	10	241	16	7	57	8	.	6	-	6	63	8	6	178	8	1.	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .. : :

Average Cost of Infirmary .. : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. : :

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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 Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the day of December 19. 15., was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer Mr. Doyle			Relieving Officer Mr. Walsh			Relieving Officer			Relieving Officer			Total
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week	5	14	2	9	6	7				15	.	9	
2. Money since advanced by Guardians ..	22	.	.	10	.	.				32	.	.	
3. Total to be accounted for	27	14	2	19	6	7				47	.	9	
EXPENDITURE.													
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—													
In Money	15	14	.	7	12	.				22	6	.	
In Kind													
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility													
			15			6						15	
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out	1	16	.	1	19	.				3	15	.	
7. Total Relief given ..	18	5	6	9	11	.				27	16	6	
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..	9	8	8	9	15	7				19	4	3	
9. Total	27	14	2	19	6	7				47	.	9	

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

Dated this day of December 19. 15..

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Clerk of Union.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—this in 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:—

Saturday, the.....day of.....19.....

Other Guardians :—Messrs.

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).

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

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Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians will be held on Saturday the 31 day of Nov 1913

Signed..... Clerk of Union

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Saturday~~ ^{Friday} the 31st
day of December 1915.
Signed,
Clerk of Union.