

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

Letter from Local Govt Board  
no 33, 11574, date 14<sup>th</sup> July 1916 forwarding  
a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his  
audit of the accounts of the Guardians for  
the half year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March last with  
abstracts of the accounts.

The Auditor mentioned that the total  
expenditure for the half year under audit  
was £1202-9-0 as against £1116-11-3 for  
the corresponding period of the previous  
year.

No observations were made on the report.  
Dr Johnston wrote strongly recommending  
a patient in the Infirmary named Mrs  
Morgan, who is suffering from Large  
vesicles vaginal, to be sent to an Hospital  
in Belfast for special treatment.

Dr Boyd, Lifford also wrote stating  
that he was unable to perform the necessary  
operation and the Guardians should send  
her to the Samaritan Hospital, Belfast or  
the Ulster Hospital as he believes the  
case curable, she is a fine young  
woman and would have a life of misery  
unless something is done for her.

The Clerk stated that he had communicated  
with the Matron of the Samaritan Hospital, Belfast  
who replied on the 23<sup>rd</sup> July that the patient  
could be admitted but that it would be necessary  
that she should be sent at once as the Surgeon  
who performs operations, is going on leave. The  
terms are £1.0 a week.

The Clerk continued that there was no meeting

of the Guardians on the 24<sup>th</sup> July to deal with the matter  
and owing to the urgency of the case to look the  
responsibility of sending the patient to the Samaritan  
Hospital Belfast on the 25<sup>th</sup> July.

The Guardians approved of the action of the  
Clerk and commended his conduct in the  
matter.

Letter from LGFB no 34766 date 28<sup>th</sup> July 1916  
forwarding the substance of a report which they have  
received from their Inspector W. Robinson B.L.  
consequent on his recent inspection of the Whouse  
and requesting that the matters adverted to may  
receive the attention of the Guardians.

The copy of report referred to  
The workhouse grounds are neatly kept and  
properly tilled. The crops on the Whouse farm  
are the best I have seen about the country.  
The condition of the Whouse is satisfactory.  
The Guardians would expect a great improvement  
if they would substitute latrine buckets for the wooden troughs  
under the Fever Hospital closets. These troughs are on small  
wheels and have to be dragged some way across a field to be  
emptied. As all the stools of the Fever Hospital are  
emptied into them, the contents are largely liquid and  
in consequence splash about a great deal when the  
trough is moved. The master informs me that,  
generally speaking, the only inmates he has available  
for this work are men who are more or less feeble  
minded and who are so clumsy in their movements  
that he is sometimes reluctant to put them to it, lest  
they should become infected. The buckets would not  
only be very much more convenient in this way  
but they would be more sanitary than wood.  
The Guardians considered the  
report.

Satisfactory and directed <sup>10</sup> the cost of the latrine buckets to be ascertained.

The matron, Sister Lorewya and the Infirmary nurse, Sister Mary Joseph applied for one months leave of absence. Two other Sisters will discharge their duties during their absence - granted.

Miss Cassidy, temporary nurse in the Fever Hospital applied for 4 weeks leave.

Three weeks leave granted. The medical officers and sisters undertaking to have the duties discharged.

The Porter, John Quinn, applied for two weeks leave granted as the Master stating that he would discharge the duties.

Chairman

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was	...	...
Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...
The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was	...	...
The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

(Special.)

STRANORLAR UNION.

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the...12....day of...August....1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.										RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.	
			Able-bodied		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.		Children under 2 years of age.		Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other inmates.
Workhouse.	592	50													18	—	—
Temporary Buildings	—	—															
Additional Workhouse.	—	—															
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	—															
Fever Sheds.	—	—															
Total.	658	50															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			5	3	11	13	5	1	5	5					1	4	4
Admitted during the Week.			4	2			1								1	1	1
TOTAL.			9	5	11	13	6	1	5	5					2	5	5
Discharged during the Week.			4	1			1								1	1	1
Died.																	
Total Discharged and Dead.			4	1			1								1	1	1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	4	11	13	5	1	5	5					1	4	4

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the...12....day of...August....1916., authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	10	14	3	3	13	20.

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the...14....day of...August....1916.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm. MacCallaghan.

Other Guardians:

Wm. MacCallaghan  
Wm. MacCallaghan

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**  
**UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.**

**TABLE (I) FINANCIA 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 1906.

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

TABLE (a.)

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money Supplied on demand of Guardians ...	586	00	
Repayment of Relief ...			
Rents of Dispensary Residences ...			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...	45	9	
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and Other Receipts ...			
Loans received ...			
<b>Total Amount of Lodgments as above ...</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of July 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.
<b>Sundry Accounts, viz. :—</b>			
Provisions and Necessaries ...	252	9	5
Clothing and Bedding ...	4	00	
<b>Establishment :—</b>			
(a) Salaries ...			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ...	6	14	9
(c) Farm ...	5	9	7
(d) Other Expenses ...	42	11	9
Workhouse Burials ...			
District School Account ...			
District Hospital Account ...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...		11	4
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses ...	6	15	8
Medical Charities ...	33	19	7
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 ...			
Repayments of Loans ...			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ...	7	00	
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ...			
Expenditure out of Loans ...			
<b>Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>

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

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	245	15	7			
Total sums received during the Month ...	631	9	0			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	877	4	7			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	359	11	11			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	359	11	11			
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	517	12	8			
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...	889	13	1			
Outstanding Orders ...	371	0	5			
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union ...	517	12	8			

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

# STRANORLAR 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. 3136 to No. 3144

Separate, „ No.....to No.....

Outdoor, „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

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

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.			Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.				Total.		
Provisions																			
Necessaries																			
<b>TOTAL.</b>																			

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

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

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

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Union.

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

lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Letter from L.G.B. no 37.957  
 date of<sup>th</sup> Augst 16 stating that they  
 have received the Report of their medical  
 Inspector, Dr MacBormack, relating to his  
 recent inspection of the Dispensary Districts  
 of the Union

The report is of a satisfactory  
 nature as regards the discharge of their  
 duties by the several Dispensary Officers

Chairman  
 Francis Callaghan

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.										RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.						OBSERVATIONS.
			Able-bodied		Boys and Girls above 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		Children under 2 years of age.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Hospital.	In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates.	
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls							
Workhouse.	692	57																	
Temporary Buildings	—	58																	
Additional Workhouse.	—	—																	
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	—																	
Fever Sheds.	—	—																	
<b>Total.</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>58</b>																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			6	4	9	12	5	1	5	5			1	1	1	1	1	1	
Admitted during the Week.			4	3	1								4	3	1	1	1	1	
<b>Total.</b>			10	7	10	12	5	1	5	5			5	4	2	2	2	2	
Discharged during the Week.			5	3	2	7	0						2	3	1	1	1	1	
Died.			2	2	2	2	0						2	2	1	1	1	1	
<b>Total Discharged and Dead.</b>			7	5	4	9	0						4	5	2	2	2	2	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			6	5	10	19	5	1	5	5			3	3	1	1	1	1	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	10	14	3	3	13	22

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

Monday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Francis Callaghan

Other Guardians:

Messrs Geo Callaghan, James Connolly, Edward Boherky

Peter Herrou, Edward Kerr, Palk Kelly.

Bernard McLaughlin, Wm W. Clure, and

Bernard McLaughlin

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...

Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...

The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...

The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the ... day of ... 1916.

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the 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.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Total sums received during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union ...						

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

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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.....3136.....to No.....3135.....

Separate, ,, No.....to No.....

Outdoor, ,, No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the.....2nd.....day of.....Sept.....1916..... was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
										By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Provisions	8	10	5	9	7	2	17	17	7	8	4	10	1	8	0	9	12	10	8	4	9	} 353
Necessaries	213	8	5	7	6		213	15	11	7	16	10	1	8	10	4	5	8	20	10	3	
<b>TOTAL.</b>	221	18	10	9	14	8	231	13	6	11	1	8	2	16	10	13	18	6	21	15	0	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was ..... : 4 : 2 3/4  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ..... : 4 : 4 3/4  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ..... : —

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Sept, 1916, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

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

357 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
14 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
24 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
8 lbs. <del>Butter</del> <i>lard</i>	lbs. Tobacco,
4 <del>lbs.</del> <i>lb</i> Oatmeal,	4 lbs. <del>Salt</del> <i>crust</i>
qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
1. Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The master reported that on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> August 16, Pann heeson, a patient in the Infirmary disappeared between 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock P.M. We searched the workhouse grounds and adjoining fields, and also informed the police but have not been able to trace him up till the present.

Ordered that the master make further search and inquiries.

Ordered 'two young pigs to be purchased'

'men to be employed to cut the oats growing on workhouse farm'

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Letter from L.G. B. no 38, 527, date 16<sup>th</sup> Aug 16 forwarding a copy of a correspondence with Dr Johnston in regard to the high medical expenditure in his district and requesting that they may be furnished with any observations the Guardians may desire to offer on the matter.

In their letter to Dr Johnston, the L.G.B. that for the half year ended the 31<sup>st</sup> March last, the cost of Medicines and surgical appliances was £19.1.10 and £6.1.7 respectively while the number of patients attended was only 111

In his reply Dr Johnston states that during the half year the requisitions ordered by him were on the 5<sup>th</sup> July viz Medicines £11.16.6

Surgical appliances 4.3.0  
and in the Board's return <sup>Total 15.19.6</sup> Medicines & appliances amounting to £9.3.11, are included which were ordered in Sept and were paid for in the March half year.

The Guardians have no observations to offer on the subject.

Read copy of resolution from the Irish Association of Gas Managers urging upon the Government the necessity for adopting such measures as will secure an adequate supply of gas at reasonable prices.

approved

Stock taker

It was resolved to appoint Mr James Murphy to take and value the stock in the Whouse at close of current half year and that he be paid £2. for his services.

With reference to the usual supplies of Provisions to the Whouse it was resolved to take orders for half yearly instead of yearly supplies, the cost of Provisions being so high. It was also decided to have the Samples of tea tested by an expert and to pay him a fee of £1. for his services.

Mrs O'Connell, midwife Phannorah, applied for a fortnight's leave of absence from the 18<sup>th</sup> inst

granted - and Mr Cannon, Kellygarden, appointed to do her duty at 10/- a week and car hire at the rate of 6<sup>d</sup> per mile.

The Clerk applied for a War Bonus and as compensation for loss of some fees in connection with the Revision of Rates lists not being held

ordered to be placed on the agenda for consideration of a Special meeting on the first Monday in October.

Chairman  
Francis Gallagher

(Special.) **STRANORLAR UNION.**  
 Population in 1901—13,707. Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.			
			Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.			Children under 2 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse.	502	750														
Temporary Buildings	—															
Additional Workhouse.	—															
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66															
Fever Sheds.	—															
<b>Total.</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>750</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	3	10	12	5	1	5	5				8	16	
Admitted during the Week,			3	1										4		
<b>TOTAL.</b>			9	4	10	12	5	1	5	5				12	16	
Discharged during the Week, Died,			3	1										3		
<b>Total Discharged and Dead.</b>			3	1										3		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	3	10	12	5	1	5	5				5		

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	10	14	3	3	13	22

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 18 day of Sept 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Macbarran

Other Guardians: Messrs. Palk Bonar, Geo. Callaghan, Jas. Conolly, Mich. Devine, Wm. Donaldson, Palk Kelly, Jas. Duddy, Wm. McBlane, Edw. Doherty, Wm. Wepke, Mrs. McLaughlin, Palk McMonagle, Bernard McLaughlin.



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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

**STRANORLAR 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 Sept 1916.

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

Indoor, from No. 3186 to No. 3196  
 Separate, ,, No. .... to No. ....  
 Outdoor, ,, No. .... to No. ....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of Sept 1916 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.				£	s.	d.
Provisions	10	6	5	11	13	10	22	0	3	8	3	2	2	1	0	10	4	2	11	6	1	350
Necessaries	20	5	4	7			20	5	4	7	7	16	10	1	8	10	4	5	8	20	18	
<b>TOTAL.</b>	30	15	11	0	11	13	10	27	4	10	11	0	0	3	9	10	14	9	10	12	15	0

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .... : 4:4  
 Average Cost in Infirmary .... : 4:6  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .... : 4:7

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 16 day of Sept 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Total.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week, ...	4	6	11												
2. Money since advanced by Guardians, ...															
3. Total to be accounted for,	4	6	11												
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money, ...	1	5	0												
In Kind,															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility, ...															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out, ...															
7. Total Relief given, ...	1	5	0												
8. Balance in hands at close of the week, ...	3	1	11												
9. TOTAL, ...	4	6	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 of Union.

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

356 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
14 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
24 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
4 lbs. B. Milk,	lbs. Candles,
11 lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
8 Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—  
 The Master reported that he was obliged to expend £1.19.0 by employing men at 6/- per day in cutting oats on farm approved  
 Also that owing to a patient being admitted to the Fever Hospital a wardmaid had to be employed at 10/- a week with rations approved.  
 Ordered that Joseph O'Brien, Wardmaster, be allowed two weeks leave on minade to discharge his duties  
 The Master applied for and was granted two weeks leave of absence at 10/- per week to discharge the duties at £1.1.0 a week.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Letter from L.G.B. no 43,073 date 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 1916 sanctioning the payment of £2 to Mr James Murphy for his services in taking and valuing stocks in the Workhouse for the half year ending the 30<sup>th</sup> inst.

Letter no 43,074, date 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 1916 sanctioning the payment of 10/- a week and car hire to Mrs Bannon for her services as temporary midwife of Stranorlar Dispensary District.

In connection with this matter Mrs Bannon wrote stating that she would do Mrs Quinn's duty for £1 per week.

The Guardians resolved to allow Mrs Bannon 10/- a case and car hire

Dr Gormley applied for 14 weeks leave of absence and nominated Dr W. Monahan as his substitute at £4. 14. 0 a week. Granted with Dr W. Monahan appointed for 14 weeks at £4. 14. 0 a week.

Sister M. Alacogue Sheerin wrote resigning her position as assistant nurse in the Infirmary.

The resignation was accepted and it was resolved to issue advertisements inviting Candidates for the position of assistant nurse in the Infirmary at £30 a year with milk and Potatoes.

It was also decided to appoint a Wardsman for the Infirmary at £4. a year & ration Day of Elections, this day two weeks.

The Clerk submitted the following Report.

"On the evening of the 5<sup>th</sup> inst at 7.06 P.M. an inmate of the Workhouse came to my house in Stranorlar and told me that the body of Sam Mescon, who disappeared from the Infirmary on the 3<sup>rd</sup> inst, had been discovered in a field of oats adjoining the Whouse farm. I went at once and instructed the P.O. to have the body removed to the Whouse mortuary.

Owing to the decomposed state of the body, the lead being apart from it, the P.O. had great difficulty in getting any one to assist in removing the remains, he however succeeded in obtaining men, under promise of liberal payment and finally got the body conveyed to the mortuary. The expenditure incurred by the P.O. was

10/- I also informed the Police who communicated with the Coroner and an Inquest was held when the jury returned a verdict of "Death from Shock & Exposure".

I would like the Guardians to recognise, in some way the services rendered by the P.O. on this occasion, the trouble he had in securing help and personally assisted in bringing the body to the Whouse.

In my opinion he deserves every credit for his energetic action in carrying out such an unpleasant work.

The Clerk added that the steps he took was necessitated by the Master's absence.

The Guardians approved of the expenditure of 10/- under the circumstances described and unanimsly resolved to allow the P.O. the sum of one Pound for the services rendered by him.

The Chairman said the Guardians were getting a lot of blame by the death of this man, the Master apparently ignoring the G.P.O. and leaving the house without their permission.

The Master expressed his regret at his absence and promised not to leave the institution in future without the permission of the Guardians.

Consequently the matter was not pursued further.

The following Tenders were accepted for the half yearly supplies of Provisions etc to the Workhouse

- Bread & baylor at 7 1/8 per 14 lbs ✓
- Butter, do 1/8 " lbs ✓
- meat, Duppy 18 " " ✓
- Mutton do 12 1/4 " " ✓
- Beef Heads do 3/- each ✓
- oat meal, Elmore 20/- per cwt ✓
- Indian do 15/- ✓
- Salt do 3/- ✓
- Sugar Westblay 2:12.0 ✓
- Tobacco do 6/6 per lbs ✓
- Snuff do 6/6 ✓
- Candles do 6s ✓
- Soda do 8 ✓
- oil do 1/0 2 gal ✓
- Barley do 27/6 cut ✓
- Syrup do 5/- lb ✓
- Black lead do 1/2 ✓

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

The Number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ... an  
 Ditto disallowed ...  
 The Number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...  
 The Number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the.....day of.....19

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.				
			Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.			Children under 2 years of age.			
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		
Workhouse.	592																
Temporary Buildings	—																
Additional Workhouse.	—																
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66																
Fever Sheds,	—																
Total.	658																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,																	
Admitted during the Week,																	
TOTAL,																	
Discharged during the Week, Died,																	
Total Discharged and Dead,																	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,																	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending 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 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent or him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.						

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the.....day of.....19

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

## STRANORLAR UNION.

## UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

## TABLE (I) FINANCIA 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 18 day of Sept 1916.

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

TABLE (a.)

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money Supplied on demand of Guardians ...			
Repayment of Relief ...			
Rents of Dispensary Residences ...			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and Other Receipts ...	7	18	5
Loans received ...			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above ...	7	18	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 had been ordered for payment in the month of Augst 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 ...	34	9	5
Clothing and Bedding ...	9	12	11
Establishment:—			
(a) Salaries ...			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ...			
(c) Farm ...	34	16	3
(d) Other Expenses ...	21	5	0
Workhouse Burials ...			
District School Account ...			
District Hospital Account ...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses ...		10	0
Medical Charities ...	13	2	1
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers ...	1	1	0
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...			
Superannuation Allowances ...			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ...			
Expenses of Local Committees ...			
Repayments of Loans ...			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ...	4	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ...			
Expenditure out of Loans ...			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...	154	16	8

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

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	517	12	8			
Total sums received during the Month ...	7	18	5			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	525	11	1			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	121	16	8			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	121	16	8			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	403	14	5			
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	526	3	3			
Outstanding Orders ...	122	8	10			
Net Balance as above due <u>to</u> the Union ...	403	14	5			

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

## STRANORLAR 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.....

Outdoor, „ No.....to No.....

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

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

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

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

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.			
Provisions																					
Necessaries																					
<b>TOTAL,</b>																					

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

Average Cost in Infirmary ..... : ..

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

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
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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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

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

lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

*accepted Provision Tenders Cont.*  
 Tea at 2/6 per lb. Samples sent to tea taster ✓  
 Rice, just to be lay at 2 1/2 per lb. ✓  
 Haricot Beans do 4 1/2 " ✓  
 Bran do 12/- cwt ✓  
 Corn flour do 4/- lb ✓  
 Scrubbing Brushes do 9 each ✓  
 Tine Buckets do 1/9 ✓  
 Spoons do 1/3 doz ✓  
 Flat Bars do 7/- lb ✓  
 Pitch do blue 4 1/2 ✓  
 Soda do 8/- lb ✓  
 Blue do 5/- lb ✓  
 Matches do 9/- gross ✓  
 Whisks do 2/- each ✓  
 C Cakes do 14/3 cwt ✓

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given thereon as follows:

*Yellow Brushes do 1/6 each ✓*  
*Blackening do 1/8 per Rose ✓*  
*Bass Brooms do 1/3 each ✓*  
*Pepper do 1/- lb ✓*

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

The following Clothing Tenders were accepted—

Blue Serge. Magee & Co	11 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>4</sub> per yard	✓
Blue Serge	do 4	✓
Druggel striped	do 15 <sup>d</sup>	✓
do flann	do 11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	✓
Flannellette	do 5 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	✓
Gingham	do 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	✓
W. linen sheeting 50"	do 22	✓
Blankets all wool 7 lbs.	do 17/11 per pair	✓
White Quilts	do 3/6 each	✓
Shrouding	do 2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> per yd	✓
Womens Boots.	do 6/11 " pair	✓
Childrens.	do 4/3 . .	✓
Mens Slippers	do 3/4 .	✓
Linen	do 11 <sup>d</sup> . yard	✓
Coloured Quilts	do 3/6 . per pair	✓
Calico	M <sup>c</sup> Gandy 11 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> . yd	✓
Corduroy dark	do 1/9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> . "	✓
White flannel	do 1/7 .	✓
Lined.	do 2/6 .	✓
Dark Rugs.	do 6/9 each	✓
Sheeting	do 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per yd	✓
Men Low shoes	do 7/6 . pair	✓
" Boots.	do 11/10 .	✓
Boys.	do 8/9 .	✓
Girts	do 7/9 .	✓
Womens slippers	do 3/4	✓
Boots	H W Mulhy 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> . yard	✓
W. linen sheeting 72"	do 2/3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> .	✓
Leap cloth	do 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> .	✓

W Calico sheeting, W Mulhy	1.0 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> per yd	✓
Woolen yarn	do 4.2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb.	✓
Womens Handfts	do 2.7 each	✓

Chairman  
Francis Calceoghan

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Sept, 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	
Workhouse.	502	59													
Temporary Buildings	—														
Additional Workhouse.	—														
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	1													
Fever Sheds.	—														
<b>Total.</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>60</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	5	10	12	5	1	5	5			1	50	
Admitted during the Week,			6	2									1	1	2
<b>TOTAL,</b>			12	7	10	12	5	1	5	5			2	51	
Discharged during the Week, Died,			2	2									1	1	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2									1	1	2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	5	10	12	5	1	5	5			1	50	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS, relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Sept, 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	10	19	3	5	13	24

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 20 day of Oct, 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Francis Callaghan.

Other Guardians: Messrs Palk Boner, Geo Callaghan, Mick Swine, Edw Doherty, Wm Donaldson, Jas Houston, Bernst McGiloway, Bernst McLaughlin, Wm McEwen, Jas McLoole, Edw Hady and Wm McJhee.

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...

Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...

The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...

The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the 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.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Total sums received during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____						
Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union ...						

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

**STRANORLAR 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 2nd day of Oct 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 3192 to No. 3208

Separate, ,, No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_

Outdoor, ,, No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of Sept 1916 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.				
Provisions	8	1	7	9	11	0	17	12	7	8	5	10	2	8	6	10	14	4	6	18	3	
Necessaries	19	7	9				19	7	9	2	16	10	1	8	10	4	5	8	19	13	1	35
<b>TOTAL</b>	28	8	4	28	11	0	36	18	17	10	21	16	3	18	16	14	22	9	27	14		

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .... : 4: 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>  
 Average Cost in Infirmary .... : 4: 5<sup>2</sup>/<sub>4</sub>  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .... : 4: 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

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 30 day of Sept, 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Total.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week, ...	8	16	11												
2. Money since advanced by Guardians, ...															
3. Total to be accounted for,	8	16	11												
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money, ...	1	5	0												
In Kind,															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility, ...															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out, ...	1	10	8												
7. Total Relief given, ...	8	15	8												
8. Balance in hands at close of the week, ...	6	1	3												
9. TOTAL, ...	8	16	11												

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

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

25 2 lbs. White Bread,	28 lbs. <sup>21</sup> Peas
21 lbs. Butter,	28 lbs. <sup>21</sup> Herrings
27 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
8 lbs. <sup>haddock</sup> Indo Meat,	4 lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
10 <sup>8 stalks</sup> lbs. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	1 lbs. Blue,
4 lbs. <sup>sup.</sup> Wax,	1 cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
11 lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
1 Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

Tender for Soap  
The Tender of Mr W Kane, for "Everyday Soap" at £1.10.0 a cwt being the lowest, was accepted.

Tender for Bunking  
The Tender of Mr Kinney and D. Callaghan, being the lowest, was accepted.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Letter from L.G. Board no 45399 date 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 16 sanctioning the payment of £1.1.0 a week to the clerk of the Union for his services as temporary master of the Workhouse.

Letter from L.G. Board no 105/14, date 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1916 respecting the appointment of temporary medical officers and stating that the Board are of opinion that whenever a medical officership becomes vacant, either permanently or temporarily, the Guardians should if possible assign the post to a doctor holding a permanent local appointment, or the duty should be divided between two or more such medical officers.

Ordered—Should a vacancy occur in the medical officerships of the Union, His letter be brought before the Guardians.

Letter from L.G.B. no 45,240 date 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1916 sanctioning the payment at the rate of £4.4.0 a week to Dr W. Monaghan for his services as substitute for the medical officer of Cloughan Dispensary District.

Circular letter from L.G.B. date 12<sup>th</sup> Sept 16 drawing attention to the Time Ireland, Oct, 1916. The Clerk stated that he had got notices printed and posted in the Union informing the public of the alteration in the time.

Mr O'Hara, Tea Tester, reported that he had examined the samples of tea forwarded and found that no 1 Indian tea is the best, and the better China tea is no 3.

The Clerk stated that no 1 belonged to Mr W. O'Connell and no 3 Mr W. O'Connell, Ballybofey. These tenders were then accepted. Price 2/6 per 100.

Letter from L.G.B. no 45399, date 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 16 relative to the finding in a field of oats of the body of a Samuel Nixon, who disappeared from the workhouse on 24<sup>th</sup> Sept and the Board request to be (furnished) with how this man got out of the Infy and who was in charge at the time, whether he was mentally affected and under what circumstances the body was discovered in the oat field. The Board desire also to be informed for what period the master was absent on the 5<sup>th</sup> inst.

In reply to the foregoing letter the Clerk furnished the following report:—

This man, Nixon, was supposed to get out of the Infy by door at the rear of the <sup>right side of the</sup> infirmary ~~ward~~. He could also have gone by the gate of the men's yard, (Healthy portion) which is kept open for men working on the farm. Sister M. Alcock, Keerin was in charge at the time of this occurrence. Nixon was missed about 2.30 P.M. when the Sisters and inmates made a search for him. His disappearance was reported to the master at 3.30 when he and the other officials made a further search without any result.

Nixon was able to walk about the grounds and associate with the other inmates, but within the last few weeks he showed some slight mental deficiency. On this particular day 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept he had taken his dinner, as usual, and was the first to leave the table.

The body was discovered by a labourer who was removing deep and who was attracted to the remains by a strong smell which he traced to the body. According to the Porter's Book, the master left the workhouse on the 5<sup>th</sup> Sept at 7.15 A.M. and returned at 10 P.M.

Approved of

affortment<sup>10</sup> of Assistant nurse in infirmary  
 on the motion of Mr. Macballyhan, seconded by  
 Mr. Devine, Sister M. Bridget McEwen, was appointed  
 Assistant nurse in the infirmary at a salary of  
 £30 a year with milk and vegetables.

appointment of Wardman.

There was only one applicant for this position viz,  
 Joseph O'Brien who is temporary Wardman  
 Mr. Healy proposed that this man O'Brien, be  
 appointed Wardman for one year, at a  
 salary of £14 a year and rations.

Mr. Devine seconded the proposal was passed.

The Guardians were specially summoned to  
 consider an application from the Clerk for a war  
 bonus and as compensation for some loss  
 sustained by reason of the Courts for the Revision  
 of the lists of Rates not being held. He pointed out that  
 his salary as Clerk of the Union was £65 a year whereas  
 his predecessor had £79 a year.

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the  
 Applications and Report Books. Mr. Bonar proposed that the Clerk

The Number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was ...  
 Ditto disallowed ...  
 Mr. Devine seconded

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

Passed unanimously

The Number of cases of Provisional Outdoor Relief was ...

Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...

The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the  
 Guardians was ...  
 Chairman  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

(Special.)

STRANORLAR UNION.

Population in 1901-13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the.....day of Oct.....1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.																		
			Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		Children under 2 years of age.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS.					
Workhouse.	Temporary Buildings.	Additional Workhouse.	Permanent Fvr. Hos.	Fever Sheds.	Total.	Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys			Girls	Boys	Girls	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards.
502	—	502																18	18	14	14
66	—	66																			
658	—	658																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			6	6	10	10	5	1	6	6								18	18	14	14
Admitted during the Week.			8	8																	
TOTAL.			14	14	10	10	5	1	6	6											
Discharged during the Week.			8	8																	
Died.																					
Total Discharged and Dead.																					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			6	6	10	10	5	1	6	6											

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending 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 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent or him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. 1.	10	19	3	3	13	22.

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on  
 Monday, the.....day of.....1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Macballyhan Esq. JP

Other Guardians:

Messrs. J. O. Ballyhan  
 Edward Doherty  
 Wm. M. O'Leary  
 Wm. M. O'Leary

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

## STRANORLAR UNION.

## UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

## TABLE (I) FINANCIA 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.....day of Oct.....1916

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of Sept....., 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 ... ..	11	18	10
Rents of Dispensary Residences ... ..			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ... ..			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and Other Receipts ... ..			
Loans received ... ..			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above ... ..	11	18	10

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

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

TABLE (b).

	£	s.	d.
Sundry Accounts, viz. :—			
Provisions and Necessaries ... ..			
Clothing and Bedding ... ..			
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries ... ..	100	5	0
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ... ..			
(c) Farm ... ..	3	16	0
(d) Other Expenses ... ..	144	0	3
Workhouse Burials ... ..			
District School Account ... ..			
District Hospital Account ... ..			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ... ..	9	8	4
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses ... ..			
Medical Charities ... ..	124	12	6
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers ... ..	2	2	0
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ... ..		2	0
Superannuation Allowances ... ..	16	5	0
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ... ..			
Expenses of Local Committees ... ..			
Repayments of Loans ... ..	7	5	10
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ... ..	7	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ... ..			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ... ..	27	12	2
Expenditure out of Loans ... ..			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ... ..	349	9	1

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

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	403	14	5			
Total sums received during the Month ...	11	18	10			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	415	13	5			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	343	9	1			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	343	9	1			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	73	4	5			
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	421	18	9			
Outstanding Orders ...	348	14	7			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union ...	73	4	9			

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

## STRANORLAR 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 16 day of Sept 1916.

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

Indoor, from No. 3209 to No. 3230.  
 Separate, ,, No. .... to No. ....  
 Outdoor, ,, No. .... to No. ....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of Oct 1916 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.	Collective No. of Days.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.					Total.				
Provisions ...	6	18	3	11	15	5	18	13	8	8	7	2	8	6	10	17	1	7	16	7	360	
Necessaries ...	193	13	1	5	6	19	3	18	7	2	16	10	1	8	10	4	5	8	18	9		12
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	200	11	4	120	11	21	2	12	3	11	5	3	17	4	15	2	9	19	7	9	6	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was ... : 4 : 2 3/4  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ... : 4 : 5 1/4  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ... : 4 : 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. | 6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.  |
| 2. The Clothing Receipt Book.                          | 7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book. |
| 3. The Inventory Book.                                 | 8. The Indoor Admission and Discharge Book.   |
| 4. The Labour Book.                                    |   |
| 5. The Workhouse Farm Account.                         |   |

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 14 day of Oct 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Total.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week, ...	6	1	3												
2. Money since advanced by Guardians, ...															
3. Total to be accounted for,	6	1	3												
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money, ...	1	5	0												
In Kind,															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility, ...															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out, ...															
7. Total Relief given, ...	1	5	0												
8. Balance in hands at close of the week, ...	4	16	3												
9. TOTAL, ...	6	1	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 Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing Week was examined, and was duly made for the several Articles, namely specified:—

289 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
21 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
27 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
8 1/2 lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
4 cwt Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
10 qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
4 lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
112 lbs. Sugar,	112 lbs. Washing Soda,
1 Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The Master reported that he got the boats washed

Ordered that the Master get quotations and submit same to the Guardian's. Subsequently Mr. M. Ghee undertook to take a sample to Stratone and obtain quotations from Messrs Smyth and Harper.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Circular letter from L.G. Board dated 7<sup>th</sup> Octr 1916 forwarding forms for returns showing the sum paid by the Guardians for medical and Educational purposes in respect of the year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> Sept in order that recoupment may be made out of the Local Taxation account to the Co Council on behalf of the Guardians.

The Clerk submitted the forms, duly filled up, when the Chairman signed same.

Dr Johnston reported 14 defaulters and Dr Kerrigan 2<sup>d</sup> under the Vaccination acts ordered that prosecutions be ordered against those defaulters who have been previously reported. The others to be noticed to comply with the law.

Letter from L.G. Board no 46896, date 7<sup>th</sup> Octr 1916 sanctioning the temporary employment of M<sup>s</sup> Margaret McEganney as Wardmaid in the Workhouse at 10<sup>s</sup> a week and rations.

Letter from L.G. Board no 47, 654, date 11<sup>th</sup> Octr 1916 sanctioning the payment of one pound to the relieving officer for his services in connection with the removal of the remains of a man named Nicson, whose body was found in a field adjoining the Workhouse.

Letter from L.G. Board no 47, 563 date 19<sup>th</sup> Octr 1916 sanctioning the employment of Joseph O'Brien as Wardman in the Workhouse, for one year, at a salary of £14.0.0 with rations.

X Letter from L.G. Board no 47, 564, date 13<sup>th</sup> Octr 1916 approving of the appointment of Sister Mary Bridget McEwan as nurse in the Workhouse at a salary of £30 a year with full rations to the weekly value of 9/6.

Read series of resolutions from Omagh Union respecting the Summer Time, Ireland, act.  
No action taken.

The Clerk announced that he would be obliged to attend at Lifford on this day week 23<sup>rd</sup> inst in connection with the Revision of the Lists of Jurors.

It was resolved not to have any meeting of the Guardians on this day week.

Chairman  
Francis Callaghan

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		Children under 2 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse.	592	592																
Temporary Buildings ...	—	—																
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	66																
Fever Sheds, ...	—	—																
<b>Total,</b> ...	<b>658</b>	<b>658</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			3	5	10	12	5	1	6	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Admitted during the Week,			4	1	5	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			7	6	15	19	6	2	7	7	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	
Discharged during the Week,			6	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Died,			3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	4	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	4	10	12	5	1	6	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending 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 Viet., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. 1.	10	19	3	3	13	22

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 1916.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr W. S. Ballaghan 2<sup>nd</sup>

Other Guardians:

Messrs James Duffy and J. Bernard W. Laughlin



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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

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

268 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
21 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
24 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
8 lbs. Indigo <i>hutton</i>	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
4 lbs. <i>Buttermilk</i>	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
4 lbs. <i>Syrup</i>	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
1 Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

*Ordered " that the minutes be allowed the usual extras at Hollowers "*

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows :—

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

Read notice from the Auditor, Mr. W. Cosgrave, stating that he will attend on Friday the 3<sup>rd</sup> door for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Guardians for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept.

The clerk stated that he had issued the notices required.

The clerk reported that a consignment of Tea had been received during the week and he had sent samples to the Tea Tester who reported they were equal to the samples already examined.

Read copy of resolution from Cork Union protesting against compulsory military service for Ireland.

adopted

Read copy of resolution from the Dublin Municipal Council demanding the release of Irishmen interned in English Prisons and inviting delegates to attend a convention in Dublin for the purpose of establishing a Political Prisoners Amnesties Association.

adopted.

The Guardians decided to hire out a boy named John Tunney, an inmate of the Workhouse, aged 12 years, with a man named John Gallen of Gortcher, under the following conditions.

Conditions—Gallen to comply with the Irish Education Act 1892 in allowing the boy to attend <sup>the school</sup> 45 days.

in each half year, to teach him the Trade of Sailors, and to pay £4 on the 15<sup>th</sup> May to provide clothing for the boy.

The Guardians approved of the recommendation of the Stock Taker regarding the best clothing which is as follows:—

8 sheets, 1 Blanket, 3 Pillow Slips, 9 Towels and rollers,  
1 Table cloth,  
mens and Boys clothing - 5 Coats and Jackets,  
1 Waistcoat, 9 Trousers, 10 shirts, 18 shoes,  
12 stockings, 6 Slippers  
women's and girls clothing  
6 gowns, 6 felt coats, 12 flannel jackets,  
10 aprons, 2 Handkerchiefs, 18 shoes.

oats.

~~oats~~

Two proposals were received for the oats on hand viz Patrick Walsh who offered 1/5<sup>2</sup> and 1/8 for stone, and Patrick McEwan who offered 18<sup>8</sup> for stone.

The clerk stated that Mr McEwan took a sample of the oats to Strabane and sold it at 1/7<sup>2</sup> for stone.

adjourned to this day week for Mr McEwan's attendance.

Chairman

Francis Callaghan

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was	...	...
Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...
The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was	...	...
The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

# STRANORLAR 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.....3231.....to No.....3950.....  
 Separate, ,, No.....to No.....  
 Outdoor, ,, No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the.....28.....day of.....Oct.....19.....16.....

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

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.									Stock in hand at close of this week.	Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.							
Provisions	30	9	7	16	13	1	47	2	8	9	16	3	2	5	6	12	1	9	3	5	0	11	368
Necessaries	182	12	1	5	4	182	17	5	4	3	3	1	10	3	5	13	6	1	7	7	3	11	
TOTAL.	213	1	8	16	18	5	230	0	1	13	19	6	3	15	9	17	15	3	2	1	2	4	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was ..... : 5 : 8  
 Average Cost in Infirmary ..... : 5 : 4<sup>2</sup>  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital ..... : — : —

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

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

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 28 day of Oct, 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Total.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week, ...	9	6	3												
2. Money since advanced by Guardians, ...															
3. Total to be accounted for,	9	6	3												
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money, ...	1	5	0												
In Kind,															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility, ...															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out, ...	1	10	8												
7. Total Relief given, ...	8	15	8												
8. Balance in hands at close of the week, ...	6	4	7												
9. TOTAL, ...	9	6	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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Union.

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

lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

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(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of Nov 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.		Children under 2 years of age.		RETURNS OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse.	592	119																
Temporary Buildings ..	—	—																
Additional Workhouse.	—	—																
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	—																
Fever Sheds.	—	—																
<b>Total.</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>119</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return.			6	4	10	13	5	1	6	5	—	2	—	1	5	18	4	
Admitted during the Week.			3												3			
<b>TOTAL.</b>			9	4	10	13	5	1	6	5	—	2	—	1	18	18	4	
Discharged during the Week.			4						1	1					6			
Died.																		
Total Discharged and Dead.			4						1	1					6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			5	4	10	13	5	1	5	4	—	2	—	1	14			64

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of Nov 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	10	19	3	3	13	22

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 6 day of Nov 1916.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Mac Callaghan

Other Guardians:

Messrs Daniel E. Tolerby, James Duffy, Rickd Gregg, John Martin, Hugh W. Fadden, Wm M. Clure, Bernd M. Galloway, Bernd M. Laughlin, & Wm M. O'Shea

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the ..... day of ..... 191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the 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.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Total sums received during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union ...						

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

## STRANORLAR 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. 3251 to No. 3253  
 Separate, ,, No.....to No.....  
 Outdoor, ,, No.....to No.....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1916 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.			By Officers.			Total.				£	s.	d.
Provisions	35	0	11	9	18	9	44	19	8	10	1	6	2	5	6	12	7	0	32	12	8	371
Necessaries	177	3	11				177	3	11	4	3	2	1	10	3	5	13	5	17	10	6	
<b>TOTAL</b>	212	4	10	9	18	9	222	23	7	14	4	8	3	15	9	18	0	53	04	3	2	

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was .... : 5:3  
 Average Cost in Infirmary .... : :  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital .... : :

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

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

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 4 day of Nov 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Total.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week, ...	6	10	7												
2. Money since advanced by Guardians, ...															
3. Total to be accounted for,	6	10	7												
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money, ...	1	5	0												
In Kind,															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility, ...															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out, ...															
7. Total Relief given, ...	1	5	0												
8. Balance in hands at close of the week, ...	5	5	7												
9. TOTAL, ...	6	10	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 Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing Week was examined, and was duly made for the several Articles, namely specified:—

256 lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
30 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
34 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
7 lbs. <del>Indian Meal</del> <i>lutter</i> ,	4 lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
4 lbs. <del>Bacon</del> <i>Group</i> ,	lbs. Blue,
28 lbs. <del>Beef</del> <i>Boiled Bean S.</i> ,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	112 lbs. Soap,
1108 lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
1 Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

The following copy of a resolution from the Donegal Board of Guardians was read:—  
 "That we ask the following Unions, viz.  
 Ballyshannon, Glenties, and Stranorlar to discuss the question of Workhouse Amalgamation if the members are agreeable to appoint 5 members to meet the Donegal representatives on the matter."

A Committee consisting of Messrs. Dras Callaghan & Mr. Kelly, Wm. McQueen, Berad McLaughlin and James Duffy was appointed to meet the Donegal delegates to discuss the question of Amalgamation.

Read letter from Local Govt. Board No 47,652 date 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916 relative to the proposal of the Guardians to allow the Clerk the sum of £30 for the duration of the war and pointing out that this officer appears to be in receipt of £170 a year from various sources excluding sums normally received under the franchise acts together with fees under the Labourers acts and it would be entirely contrary to the Board's practice to sanction a War Bonus to any person with an income of that amount from public funds. With regard to any claim of the Clerk under the Parliamentary and Registration Act 1916 for loss of emoluments in consequence of the suspension of the work in connection with the registration of voters the Board desire to state that before considering such claims they

they deem it desirable<sup>9</sup> that the respective County Councils should be consulted.

The claim of the Clerk in this respect with precise particulars as to how it is made up, should accordingly be submitted to the County Council of Donegal and transmitted with their views to this Board.

The matter was left in the hands of the Clerk to take whatever steps he desires.

Oats

The tenders for threshed oats were again submitted when it was ultimately decided to invite tenders for 30 bags of 16 stone each.

Tenders to be considered this day two weeks.

Painting

The question of the painting the Whouse was discussed at considerable length when it was decided to allow the contractor up to 1st May to complete same.

The Board Room to be re-done, as the work was considered unsatisfactory.

Dr. Gormley reported 18 vaccination defaulters. He is to not by some that Chairman they will be prosecuted if they don't comply with the law.

Chairman  
 Francis Callaghan

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.		
			Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.			Children under 2 years of age.	
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls
Workhouse.	502	447													
Temporary Buildings ...	—	—													
Additional Workhouse.	—	—													
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	—													
Fever Sheds.	—	—													
<b>Total.</b>	<b>668</b>	<b>447</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	4	9	12	4	1	5	4	2	1	4		
Admitted during the Week,			3	1	2		1	1			2				
<b>TOTAL,</b>			8	5	11	12	5	2	5	4	4	2	4		
Discharged during the Week.			2	2	4		1				2	2			
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	4		1				2	2			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	3	7	12	3	2	5	4	2	1	4		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. 1.	10	14	3	3	13	22.

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. J. S. Ballaghan

Other Guardians:

Messrs James Duffy,  
Wm. W. O'Keefe,  
Bernard W. O'Keefe,  
O'Keefe Ballaghan

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the.....day of.....191.....

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

## STRANORLAR UNION.

## UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

TABLE (I) FINANCIA 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.....day of Nov.....1916.

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

TABLE (a.)

	£	s.	d.
County Council, Money Supplied on demand of Guardians ...	594	0	0
Repayment of Relief ... ..			
Rents of Dispensary Residences ... ..			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ... ..			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and Other Receipts ... ..		10	0
Loans received ... ..			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above ... ..	594	10	0

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of Oct..... 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 ... ..	70	7	11
Clothing and Bedding ... ..	56	17	7
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries ... ..			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ... ..			
(c) Farm ... ..	8	11	0
(d) Other Expenses ... ..	15	0	2
Workhouse Burials ... ..			
District School Account ... ..			
District Hospital Account ... ..			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ... ..			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses ... ..	1	0	0
Medical Charities ... ..	14	18	5
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers ... ..			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ... ..	6	6	10
Superannuation Allowances ... ..			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ... ..			
Expenses of Local Committees ... ..			
Repayments of Loans ... ..			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ... ..	7	0	0
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ... ..			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ... ..			
Expenditure out of Loans ... ..			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ... ..	185	1	6

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

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	73	4	2.			
Total sums received during the Month ...	594	10	0			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	667	14	2			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	185	1	6			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	185	1	6			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	482	12	8			
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	690	2	6			
Outstanding Orders ...	207	9	10			
Net Balance as above due <u>by</u> the Union ...	482	12	8			

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

FORM 14—continued.

## STRANORLAR 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 10 day of Nov 1916.

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

Indoor, from No. 3854 to No. 3967  
 Separate, ,, No. .... to No. ....  
 Outdoor, ,, No. .... to No. ....

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

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

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

The Weekly Abstract of the Account of Provisions and Necessaries for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of Nov 1916 was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.	Collective No. of Days.						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.									
Provisions	32	12	8	9	11	9	42	4	5	10	7	9	2	5	6	18	13	3	29	11	2	348	
Necessaries	17	10	6				17	10	6	4	3	2	1	0	3	5	13	5	16	5	17		1
<b>TOTAL.</b>	204	3	8	9	11	9	92	13	11	14	10	11	3	15	9	18	6	8	19	5	8		3

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

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

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

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 18<sup>th</sup> day of hoor 1916, was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Relieving Officer.			Total.		
	District No. I.			District No. II.			District No. III.			District No. IV.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
1. Balance in hand at close of previous week, ...	4	0	7												
2. Money since advanced by Guardians, ...															
3. Total to be accounted for,	4	0	7												
EXPENDITURE.															
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—															
In Money, ...	1	5	0												
In Kind,															
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only) given by Relieving Officer on his own responsibility, ...															
6. Orphans and Deserted Children boarded out, ...															
7. Total Relief given, ...	1	5	0												
8. Balance in hands at close of the week, ...	2	15	7												
9. TOTAL, ...	4	0	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 Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing Week was examined, and was duly made for the several Articles, namely specified:—

240	lbs. White Bread,	lbs. Pepper,
20	lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
21	lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
7	lbs. Indian Meal	lbs. Tobacco,
	lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
7	lbs. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
	lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
5	lbs. Barley,	40 lbs. Lard Oil,
	lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
28	lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
2	Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
		Matches,

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

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Letter from Local Govt Board No 53,591, date 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916, forwarding a copy of the Report of the Auditor on his audit of the accounts of the Guardians for the half year ended the 30<sup>th</sup> Sept last, with attested abstracts of the accounts.

The following observations were made by the Auditor in his Report—

Attention should be paid to Article 41 of the Union accounts order which says that "at no time shall a Relieving Officer have a larger balance in his custody than shall provide for a fortnight's expenditure". The Clerk was directed to observe the terms of Article 41 in future.

Letter from Local Govt Board No 53,438, date 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 1916, informing the Guardians that from the Medical Officer's Returns, Form L for the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept last, the number of Vaccination defaulters reported were as follows—

Cloghan Dispensary Dist	18 defaulters
Killygordon "	20 "
Thamoorlar "	14 "

The Clerk stated that as a result of the notices sent out by him the number of defaulters are now—

Cloghan Dist	17
Killygordon "	8
Thamoorlar "	2

Prosecutions against defaulters are pending in the Cloghan and Killygordon Districts.

## Proposals for bats at the Whouse

The proposal of Paddy Walsh, at 19<sup>00</sup> per stone, being the highest, was accepted.

Chairman  
Michael Devine

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.		
			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.			Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls			
Workhouse.	592	54													
Temporary Buildings	—	—													
Additional Workhouse.	—	—													
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	1													
Fever Sheds.	—	—													
<b>Total.</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>55</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			6	2	12	12	5	2	5	4		2	30		
Admitted during the Week,			3	2	1		2	1	1	1		12			
<b>TOTAL,</b>			9	4	13	12	7	3	6	5		14			
Discharged during the Week, Died,			3	4			2	1	1	1		1	4		
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	4			2	1	1	1		1	4		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			6	5	12	12	5	2	5	4		2	30		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	9	18	3	3	12	21

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of December 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Michel Devine

Other Guardians: Messrs Patk Bonar, Edwd Doherty, Jno Callaghan, Richd Gregg, Wm Donaldson, Patk Kelly, Bernd W. Laughlin, Jas W. Kearney, Wm W. Clive, Wm W. O'Connell and Patk W. Monaghan.

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the ... day of ... 191...

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the 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.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
	No 3268		to 3289			
Total sums received during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union ...						

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Union.

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

326 lbs. White Bread,	1 lbs. Pepper,
91 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
94 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	lbs. Salt,
7 1/2 lbs. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	112 lbs. Soap,
112 lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
1 Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The Master reported that owing to the admission of a patient into the Fever Hospital on the 25<sup>th</sup> ult, he was obliged to employ Benjamin M. Garvey, who had previously acted employed in a similar capacity, to act as Wardmaid at 10<sup>s</sup> a week and ration. Her services were dispensed with on the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst.

approved

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Read a circular letter from the L.G. Board date 25<sup>th</sup> Novr 1916, on the question of obtaining a sufficient supply of Sugar for the workhouse.

The Guardians have a contract for the supply of sugar to the workhouse up to the end of March.

Dr Warnock wrote certifying that Sister Mary Joseph is suffering from debility as the result of her recent illness and will be unable to resume duty for three months.

Three months leave was granted.

Dr Johnston wrote stating that he has been summoned by the Crown to attend the Under Assizes at Belfast, and he may be absent anything from 3 days to a week. He nominates Dr Kerrigan as his substitute during his absence.

Dr Kerrigan is at present acting for Dr Johnston.

The leave to Dr Johnston was granted but on the motion of Mr. J. O'Connell seconded by Mr. O'Sherby it was resolved to refuse payment to Dr Kerrigan as the Guardians are of opinion that Dr Johnston should pay him.

Francis Laceyham, Chairman

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,302.

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

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.				
			Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.			Children under 2 years of age.			
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls		Boys	Girls		
Workhouse.	592	592													TOTAL.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Temporary Buildings.	—	—															
Additional Workhouse.	—	—															
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	66													In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other inmates.
Fever Sheds.	—	—															
<b>Total.</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>658</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			7	5	13	12	5	2	5	4					13	18	4
Admitted during the Week.			2	2	1	1									5		
<b>TOTAL.</b>			9	7	14	13	5	2	5	4					18	18	4
Discharged during the Week.			2	2											4		
Died.																	
Total Discharged and Dead.			2	2											4		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			7	5	11	13	5	2	5	4					18		3

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict., c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. 1.	10	19	5	22	15	22

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 18 day of Decr. 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm. Gallagher Esq JP*

Other Guardians:

*Messrs James Connolly and Edward Boherty*

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...  
 Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...  
 The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...  
 The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the ... day of ... 1916

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union.

Form 14.—(ARTICLE 7.)

## STRANORLAR UNION.

## UNION ACCOUNTS ORDER, 1905.

## TABLE (1) FINANCIA 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 11 day of Decr 1906.

The Financial Statement Book of Receipts was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been received during the month of Novr, 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 ...	2	12	0
Rents of Dispensary Residences ...			
Farm Account—Sales of Farm Produce ...			
Sales of Offal, Old Stores, and Other Receipts ...			
Loans received ...			
Total Amount of Lodgments as above ...	2	12	0

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of Novr 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. :—	38	7	9
Provisions and Necessaries ...	<del>43</del>		
Clothing and Bedding ...	4	16	9
Establishment :—			
(a) Salaries ...			
(b) Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances ...			
(c) Farm ...	15	5	3
(d) Other Expenses ...	5	5	11
Workhouse Burials ...			
District School Account ...			
District Hospital Account ...			
Maintenance in Extern Institutions ...			
Emigration, Law, and other Expenses ...	1	2	6
Medical Charities ...			
Lunacy Fees to Medical Officers ...			
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and of Vaccinations ...			
Superannuation Allowances ...			
Assessment and Results' Fees of Teachers ...			
Expenses of Local Committees ...			
Repayments of Loans ...			
Relieving Officers' Accounts—Out-door Relief ...	8	19	8
Repayment of Advances under Seed Supply Acts ...			
Unpaid Bills of last half-year ...			
Expenditure out of Loans ...			
Total Amount of Payments ordered as above ...	73	14	10

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

	Ordinary Account.			Loans Account.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...	482	12	8			
Total sums received during the Month ...	2	12	0			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	484	4	8			
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...	73	17	10			
<b>TOTAL</b> ...	73	17	10			
Net Balance due <u>to</u> the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...	411	6	10			
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due <u>by</u> Treasurer ...	526	11	8			
Outstanding Orders ...	115	4	10			
Net Balance as above due the Union ...	411	6	10			

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

## STRANORLAR 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 Decr 1916

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

Indoor, from No. 3290 to No. 3599  
 Separate, ,, No. .... to No. ....  
 Outdoor, ,, No. .... to No. ....

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

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

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

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

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.
										By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.					
	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	£	s	d	
Provisions																			
Necessaries																			
<b>TOTAL</b>																			

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

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

1. The Clothing Materials Receipt and Conversion Book.
2. The Clothing Receipt Book.
3. The Inventory Book.
4. The Labour Book.
5. The Workhouse Farm Account.
6. The Medical Weekly Return and Extra Book.
7. The Out-door Admission and Discharge Book.
8. The 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 14 day of Decr 1916, was submitted as follows:—

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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

Clerk of Union.

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

326 lbs. White Bread,	11 lbs. Pepper <i>Pyreps.</i>
25 lbs. Butter,	Herrings,
58 lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
4 1/2 lbs. Indian Meal <i>Mustau</i>	lbs. Tobacco,
lbs. Oatmeal,	2 cwt. lbs. Salt,
qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	40 qts. Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
One Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

*ordered* that the minutes be allowed the usual extras at 10/6 per cwt.  
 The master reported having made the following lodgments during the week in:  
 For oats sold £ 37 : 15 : 3  
 Oats 2 : 16 : 0  
 Small Potatoes 1 : 9 : 0  
 Total 42 : 0 : 3  
 approved.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows:—

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

Letter from L.G. Board no 59, 349 date 9<sup>th</sup> Decr 1916, sanctioning the payment of 10/- a week with rations to Margaret M<sup>rs</sup> Garvey for her services as temporary Workmaid in the Workhouse.

Letter from L.G. Board no 59, 447, date 15<sup>th</sup> Decr 1916, forwarding a copy of a letter which they have received from Dr Johnston relative to the remuneration of the substitute appointed to discharge his duties during his absence at Belfast arising on subpoena from the Crown and stating that in the Board's opinion a Medical Officer of a Dispensary District, when summoned to attend a law court as witness is bound to obey the summons and is, therefore, temporarily incapacitated from performing his duties by "other causes" within the meaning of article 22 of the Dispensary Rules and the Guardians must remunerate the medical practitioner employed to act as his substitute. The L.G. Board can, under article 24 of the Dispensary Rules authorise a deduction to be made in certain circumstances, from the salary of a Medical Officer to recoup the Guardians the expenses incurred by them in providing a substitute although the Board consider that the scale of remuneration fixed by the Treasury for a medical witness in a Crown case affords the medical officer reasonable personal remuneration, they are of opinion that it has not been framed on the assumption that it is also to cover the cost of the substitute. In these circumstances the

Board have hitherto declined in Crown cases to authorise deductions in pursuance of article 24 of the Dispensary Rules.

Dr Johnston in his letter to the Board pointed out that on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst he had to leave home on a Crown summons to attend Belfast Assizes and notified the Guardians nominating Dr Kerrigan as his substitute. The Guardians appointed Dr Kerrigan, but passed a resolution that he must pay his substitute although the Clerk pointed out that under article 22 the Guardians were bound to pay. Dr Johnston declines on principle to pay for his substitute as he is compulsorily taken from home by the Crown. His substitute fee is £4.4.0 for four days work and he must ask the L.G.B. to call upon the Guardians to pay the fee.

Ordered " that the foregoing letter be brought before the Guardians at a special meeting to be held on Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 17 for their decision."

Jas McEneaney wrote asking for a further instalment of £6 an act for painting the workhouse. ~~Order~~ Referred to a larger meeting of the Guardians.

Michael Devine Chairman

(Special.)

**STRANORLAR UNION.**

Population in 1901—13,707.

Present Net Annual Value £31,302.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Decr. 1916

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Age and Infirm Persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.										RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.	
			Able-bodied		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.		Children under 2 years of age.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
			Males	Fem	Males	Fem	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls			Boys		Girls
Workhouse.	592	588															
Temporary Buildings	—	524															
Additional Workhouse.	—	—															
Permanent Fvr. Hos.	66	—															
Fever Sheds.	—	—															
<b>Total.</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>658</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	6	10	13											
Admitted during the Week,			5	2	13	12	5	2	5	4	1	1					
<b>TOTAL.</b>			<b>12</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>						
Discharged during the Week,			5	2	2	1											
Died,					1												
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	2	3	1											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			7	6	10	12	5	2	5	4	1	1					

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Decr. 1916, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases.	Persons.
No. 1.						

Copy of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of Decr. 1916

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

The cases of Provisional Relief and Applications for Relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Applications 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 Outdoor Relief was ...

Do in which Relief was continued by the Guardians ...

The Number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books received by order of the Guardians was ...

The Number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was ...

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of Decr. 1916.

Signed, \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the 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.
<b>SUMMARY.</b>						
Balance (if any) due by Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Total sums received during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Balance (if any) due to Treasurer as per last Monthly Statement ...						
Payments ordered during the Month ...						
<b>TOTAL</b> ...						
Net Balance due _____ the Union (being difference of above Totals) ...						
<b>RECONCILEMENT.</b>						
Balance per Bank Book due _____ Treasurer ...						
Outstanding Orders ...						
Net Balance as above due _____ the Union ...						

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Union.

## STRANORLAR 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.....
- Outdoor, ,, No.....to No.....

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

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

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

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

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week.			Received during the week.			Total.			Consumed during the week.						Stock in hand at close of this week.			Collective No. of Days.	
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	By Inmates.		By Officers.		Total.		£	s.	d.		
Provisions ...																				
Necessaries ...																				
<b>TOTAL,</b> ...																				

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

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

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

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_, was submitted as follows :—

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

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

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Union.

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lbs. Beef,	doz. Eggs,
lbs. Indian Meal,	lbs. Tobacco,
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qts. Buttermilk,	lbs. Candles,
lbs. Bacon,	lbs. Blue,
lbs. Barley,	cask Oil,
lbs. Tea,	lbs. Soap,
lbs. Sugar,	lbs. Washing Soda,
Beef Heads,	lbs. Starch,
	Matches,

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

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders given them as follows :—

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

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