

Population in 1911—13,845

Present Net Annual Value, £ 51,282

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of *Nov* 1921

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated to each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm Persons, and Adult Persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Total No. under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	TOTAL	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse ... ..	592	65														
Temporary Buildings ...																
Additional Workhouse ...																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44															
Fever Sheds ... ..																
TOTAL ... ..	636	65														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return			1	1	26	33			4			65	Under Medical treatment in Infirmary Wards	45	In separate Wards	15
Admitted during the Week			7		2	1			1			11	Under Medical treatment in Fever Hospital		In Wards with other inmates	2
Born - - - - -													TOTAL	45	TOTAL	15
TOTAL			8	1	28	34			5			76	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS			
Discharged during the Week			7		2				1			10	Males	Fe-males	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died - - - - -						1						1	No. Relieved during week	7		7
Total Discharged and Died			7		2	1			1			11	No. in Work-house at date			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			1	1	26	33			4			65	No. at corresponding period last year,			

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

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (but not comprised in sec. 1)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Number of Cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	15	16	<del>75</del>	<del>76</del>	15	16	Bt. forward						
No. II.	25	33			25	33	No. VI.						
No. III.							No. VII.						
No. IV.							No. VIII.						
No. V.							No. IX.						
							No. X.						
Car. forwd.	40	49			40	49	TOTALS						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of *March* 1921

PRESENT—In the Chair:— *Michael J. Cavanagh Esq.*

Other Guardians:— *Messrs Michael Greene, & Michael Summ.*

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

The clerk reported that Crown forces visited the Workhouse on the 27<sup>th</sup> Jan last, and searched the Clerk's Office, taking away a number of letters which they selected.

Order

No Order made.

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

448.	lbs	Bread
120.	"	Beef
20.	"	Mutton
2.	"	Beefheads
20.	"	Bacon
10.	"	Butter
224.	"	Sugar oil
250.	qts	milk
18.	Score	Eggs



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

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

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

The Master's report dated the 14<sup>th</sup> Jan 1921. I beg to report that I received the following sums for maintenance "Viz" P. Mullague £1-2-6, and George Costigan £3-0-0, which I have lodged with the Treasurer. Mr. Loughran, Porter, was arrested on the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst by Crown forces and in consequence I would <sup>suggest you</sup> appoint a man to do duty during his absence. The turf contractors have ceased supplying turf here for some time past, and some of the <sup>milk</sup> turf contractors are not supplying milk.

Reports dated 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> Jan 1921, I got 12 tons of coal from Messrs Thomas Heiton & Co. Dublin which I had delivered here by Motor Waggon. On the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst a patient named Kate Durkin, was admitted to the Fever Hosp. and on the requisition of the of the med officer I engaged a trained Nurse who arrived here on the 21<sup>st</sup> Inst and is in charge of the case. I received £1-2-6 from P. Mullague and 12/6 from Tho. Sillivan which sums I have lodged with the Treasurer. Reports of the 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> Feb 1921. I got 5 tons of coal from the Arigna Mining Co. and also a <sup>4" 6" 8" 10"</sup> waggon from Messrs Tho. Heiton & Co. all of which I had delivered by Motor Lorry. the price of the coal delivered works out at £4-14-6 per ton. I received £13-17-6 from M.

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

Peter Kearny being for Oatrop raised on the Workhouse farm, which I have lodged with the Treasurer. The patient in fever Hosp has been transferred to the Infirmary and the temporary Nurse left the house on the 12<sup>th</sup> Inst, after disinfecting ward and clothing.

Order

Approved.

A letter dated 30<sup>th</sup> Jan last, <sup>Gov. B. 24</sup> was received from the Local Government Dept Dail Eireann, asking to be forwarded with a Statement showing the Salaries and wages at present being paid to all Officials and Employees of the Union, stating if the remuneration has been paid up to date, if not the reason the Salaries & remuneration is in arrears, and the extent of such arrears.

Order

To be furnished



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

A letter dated the 30<sup>th</sup> Jan last No 35, was received from the L.G. Dept Dail Eireann, dealing with the difficulties experienced by local Bodies in providing finances for the current year, and giving instructions for the striking of the rates for the year 1921 & 1922.

Order

Received

A circular was received, addressed to the Chairman, on the subject of the Belfast Trade Boycott, giving instructions as to the best means of enforcing the boycott.

Order

Consideration adjourned to next meeting

A Resolution of the County Council, dated the 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan last was received, calling on the Boards of Guardians lying wholly or partly in this County to at once amalgamate with Rosecommon Union.

A further copy of a Resolution adopted by the County Council Rosecommon at their last meeting was received calling on the various Unions within the County to take the necessary steps for amalgamation as outlined in a Scheme submitted by Mr. Kelly Asst Clerk of Rosecommon Union pending such steps being taken the County Council will refuse to make any payments towards the Unions.

Order

A meeting to be summoned for the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst to consider the question.

A letter dated the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst was received from the Irish White Cross Society Mansion House, Dublin, appealing for funds for the alleviation of distress and to provide employment especially by the restoration or development of agricultural, industrial or commercial Industries activities under the control and supervision of the Irish White Cross.

Order

Received

A letter dated the 25<sup>th</sup> Ult, was received from Mr. Thomas



Loughman Workhouse Porter, asking for four weeks leave of absence and enclosing a certificate from Dr. Mullin certifying to his unfitness to do duty <sup>no orders</sup>  
*Order* Leave granted. The Master, to attend to his duties at a remuneration 10/- per week.

A letter dated the 14<sup>th</sup> Inst. was received from Miss Annie O'Brien Night Nurse, asking for her Annual bonus of £10-  
*Order* To be considered at next summoned meeting.

Messrs McWanagh & Boland Insurance brokers Dublin forwarded to the Guardians a Fire Policy No 74163 on the Workhouse Buildings furniture etc, the annual Premium being £5-5-0. sum Insured £6800.

Circular letters received from the R.G. Board Custom House Dublin were passed by the Chairman without being read.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	51
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	28

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	1

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered was	...	...
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

(See also Minutes of the Guardians' proceedings under the Medical Charities Act, and as the Rural Sanitary Authority.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed),

*W. Murray*  
 Clerk of the Union.

(Article 7.)

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

**Union.**

Meeting, held the ..... day of ..... 19.....

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

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

The Financial Statement Book of Expenditure was produced and authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and the counter-signature of the Clerk, showing the sums which had been ordered for payment in the month of ..... 19..... and the Ledger entries made in respect of same.

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

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



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

19

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

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

Clerk of the Union.



# TABLE (2) STATISTICAL MINUTES.

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

*Stoke Newington* UNION.

Meeting held the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 19*21*

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

Indoor from No. *1041* to No. *1150*

Separate „ No. *19* to No. *19*

Outdoor „ No. *768* to No. *769*

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 *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *Mar* 19*21*, was submitted, of which the following is a Summary:—

	Stock in hand at close of preceding week	Received during the week	Total	Consumed during the week						Stock in hand at close of this week	Collective No. of Days
				By Inmates	By Officers	Total					
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Provisions	27 3	39 2 5	66 5 5	32 4 9	7	9	39 5 6	26 19 11	463		
Necessaries	166 9		166 9	9 8 1	1 13 8	11 x 9	155 8 3				
Total	193 12	39 2 5	232 14 5	41 12 10	8 14 5	50 6 3	182 8 2				

The General Average Cost of an Inmate for the week was .. .. : 12 : 6  
Average Cost in Infirmary .. .. : 13 :  
Average Cost in Fever Hospital .. .. :

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Accounts of the several Relieving Officers for the last Week ending Saturday,  
the 5<sup>th</sup> day of March 1921 was submitted as follows:—

	Relieving Officer <i>Rush</i>	Relieving Officer <i>Sum</i>	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	Relieving Officer	TOTAL
	District No. I.	District No. II.	District No. III.	District No. IV.	District No. V.	District No. VI.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Balance in hands at close of pre- vious week ..		1 8 1					
2. Money since ad- vanced by Guardians ..							
3. Total to be ac- counted for							
<i>Wm. M. Rush</i> 19 9							
EXPENDITURE:							
4. Out-door Relief ordered by the Board—							
In Money ..							
In Kind ..							
5. Provisional Relief (in kind only), given by Re- lieving Officer on his own Responsibility							
6. Orphans and De- serted Children boarded out ..							
7. Total Relief given							
8. Balance in hands at close of the week ..		1 8 1					
9. Total ..	19 9	1 8 1					

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

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

Clerk of Union.



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

MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians under the above-mentioned Acts, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11 day of Nov 1921

PRESENT—In the Chair, *Nichl. J. Cavanagh Esq.*  
Other Guardians:—*Messrs. Michael Greene & Nichl. Gumm*

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

Name of Dispensary District	Total Cost £ s. d.			Directions given by the Board
Stokestown Workhouse				
Medicines	19	19	5	
Med appliances	7	10	4	To be procured

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

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

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







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

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

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

Chairman  
other  
Guardians

Michael T. Cavanagh  
James Skel  
Pat<sup>K</sup> Murray

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed),

Thomas Murray  
Clerk of the Union.