

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1,000 Temporary Buildings, 250 Additional Workhouse, 60 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1,370	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
	Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 125 230 28 146 439 375 45 " " 1388	Admitted during the Week, } 28 40 6 5 45 43 13 " " 177	Total, } 153 270 34 151 484 418 58 " " 1565	Discharged during the Week } 25 29 8 8 32 21 4 " " 124	Died, } 4 2 " " 3 5 5 " " 19	Total Discharged and Dead } 29 31 8 8 35 26 9 " " 143	REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 124 239 26 143 449 392 49 " " 1422	In Workhouse Hospital, in Fever Hospital, In separate Wards, in Wards with other Inmates, Total, Total,		Etternal Patient receiving daily attendance 43					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 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.		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.		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 not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	24	70					Bt. forward						
No. II.	4	13					No. X.						
No. III.	33	88					No. XI.						
No. IV.	80	152					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	141	323					TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Clancarty, W. Mc Donagh, G. J. Kelly, James Quinn*  
 Other Guardians: *D. H. Kelly, James Ball, John S. J. Mahon, George Hill, Misses Carr, John Carr, John C. Carr, John Fildgate, W. Lammie, J. H. Lagan, Mrs. Lancaster, Peter St. George, John Lynn, Mr. Linn, Simon, Geo. Mahon, W. D. C. P. Quinn & Patrick Quinn*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed, at the stage of the Proceedings the *Carl Clancarty* the Chairman having *announced the Chair* was vacated by *Lord Clancarty* and taken by *his Lordship*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed, at the stage of the Proceedings the Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 222, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 7, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect: *It was Resolved that* Committees of the following gentlemen be appointed in the presence of *investigating the applications for Relief*

Resolved that Denis McKelly Esq, John C Cross and John and Michael Carr be appointed for investigating the applications for the May Lough District that C. Filgate George Hill Esq and Sir J. Mahon Bart be appointed for investigating the applications for the Saghmawall district, and that James Dillon James Bell and John Cully Esq be appointed for investigating the applications for the Craugh district

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £542.7.4  
 Paid during the week, - £123.5.11  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £7876.8.3  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
John Kelly	Craugh	129 14 5	675 11 11
	Moore	116 18 6	333 10 9
	Saghmawall	4 6 10 2	119 4 2 3
	Ballinastor	44 2 11 8 2	99 9 1 1/2
	Aughrim	71 4 11 6	946 19 9 2
	Beltonestert	148 10 10 6	693 16 8 2
		273 7 3 3	3688 12 9
Nick Kelly	Kittormer	" " "	427 1 6 4
	Abbegormican	" " "	167 4 6 3
	Killomer	" " "	739 6 3 3
			1334 2 5 4
John A. More	Kilquairn	158 9 7 2	923 1 1 2
	Crycourt	71 4 4 2	538 10 7
	Belonfert	87 10 2 2	585 16 1 2
			317 11 7 2
John Penan	Ballymahan		798 5 11 2
	Kilcomell		544 16 8 2
	Killacm		278 14 8
			1623 17 2
Nick Comby	Kilgenwill	45 3 6	168 4 1 1
	Ahuscraugh	56 3 11 2	119 13 10
		101 7 5 2	287 17 10
Phillip Digna	Killcorran	71 14 7 2	585 8 0 2
			71 14 9 2
Thos Manning	Killiam		619 19 2
	Killuslan		380 6 11 2
			1000 5 4 2
Nick Kelly	Ballinacilly	58 13 10	657 9 8 2
	May Lough	57 8 9 2	880 18 11
		115 2 2 2	1538 8 7 2
	Total Union,	860 8 10	12136 0 10

The following Receipts in Judgments made to the Treasurer were laid before the Board  
 with  
 Michael Comby £101.7.6  
 Mike Kelly 96.2.8  
 Phillip Digna 71.19.10  
 John Kelly 273.7.4  
 John A. More 318.0.7

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.  
 The following Books were exhibited 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 Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
  2. The Provision Check Accounts.
  3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 137 s. 12 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. - £ 137. 10. 9  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 134. 2. 11 1/2  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 4/10 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - 2/7 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 2/7 1/2  
 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:

10,000 lb Bread £62.10.0  
 14 lb Tea 6.5  
 96 1/4 lb Coffee 2.8.15  
 50 lb Canned Meat 15.7 1/2  
 300 lb Buttr Milk 1.5.0  
 1 lb Wine 1.8.0  
 7,000 lb Sweet Milk 58.6.4  
 20 lb dept Soap 7.0.0  
 4 Cut Salt 9.0  
 2 Cut Brown 2  
 2 3/4 lb Tea 9.4 1/4  
 1/4 lb Cut white Soap 3.0.0

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
  2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 3. 13. 4 1/2  
 In kind, - - - - - " " "  
 Total, - - - - - £ 3. 13. 4 1/2

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.  
 The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
182	No. I. In Carr	10.0.0			Bt forward		
183	No. II. Isclan	10.0.0			No. X.		
184	No. III. In Carr	10.0.0			No. XI.		
185	No. IV. In Carr	10.0.0			No. XII.		
	No. V.				No. XIII.		
	No. VI.				No. XIV.		
	No. VII.				No. XV.		
	No. VIII.				No. XVI.		
	No. IX.				No. XVII.		
	Car. forw'd.				TOTAL.		

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Timothy Egan	105	11	7

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

By the Report Book of the Visiting Committee it appeared that there had been no visit to the House during the Week. By the Medical Officer's Report it appeared that the yards of the several yards are in a very bad state in consequence of the state of the Privies.

It was ordered -

That the Master do give two Men additional Rations while Superintending the Cleansing of the Privies, and that the able bodied Paupers in the House be got to Clean them out and while so doing that the Master be allowed to purchase one pound of Tobacco and have it divided amongst them, so employed

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

By the Report of the Master it appeared that a pauper of the name of James Steuson who was registered a Roman Catholic requested liberty to be changed to a Protestant. It was Resolved that Lord Clambrook a Protestant and George Moron M.D. a Roman Catholic be appointed to Visit Steuson and report his wish.

Which being done and reported by Lord Clambrook that Steuson, wished to become a Protestant.

It was ordered that the Registry be changed accordingly in Steuson's Case,

On the Master's Report of the two Schoolmistress's not properly attending to their duties and looking after the Children in their care both being called before the Board and admonished and told that if they do

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

Not conform to their duties, and the directions given by the Master that both of them shall be dismissed

The Master further Reported that he having occasion to leave the House once or twice on yesterday and on his return found the Porter absent on both occasions in the Hospital where he had no possible business and on being questioned by the Master on the subject had given some impertinence.

The Porter having been called before the Board was admonished by the Chairman and told if he did not conform to his duties on being again reported should be dismissed

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners 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:)

Letter from The Poor Law Commissioners dated 8<sup>th</sup> July 1848 No 5339. Referring to the Minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst. & the return of Income on the 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and calling the attention of the Guardians to the crowded state of the House, also approving of the intention of the Guardians of taking a second House for the accommodation of Paupers, and of the necessity of affording Out-door Relief, also referring to the Resolution on the representation of the difficulties stated by Mrs Donagh to exist in the recovery of the list of Rates furnished to him, Requesting to be informed of the difficulties existing and to be furnished with the particulars of the list of Defaulters also requesting to be furnished with the grounds upon which the Guardians request the present Boundaries of Craugh & More Ulterior Divisions to be changed.

Letter from The Commissioners & dated 8<sup>th</sup> of February 1848 No 5324. disapproving of the appointment of Mr Will Wilson as Reviewer.

Letter from The Commissioners & No 544. 123 dated 10<sup>th</sup> of February 1848. requesting to be informed whether the Fireplaces have been erected in the School Master & Mistress Rooms, as directed by the Minute of proceedings of the 29<sup>th</sup> of Oct. last.

Letter from the Commissioners No 6895 dated 15<sup>th</sup> of February 1848 referring to the Resolution of the 9<sup>th</sup> instant allowing a sum of thirty pounds per annum to the Medical officers to procure the assistance of an Apothecary, and stating that the Commissioners are of opinion that the Board should appoint an Apothecary in the usual way, also referring to the Resolution proposing to Rent Two Acres of land for a Cemetery and requesting to be informed of Title in order that the necessary Lease may be prepared.

Letter from The Commissioners No 5723, dated 15<sup>th</sup> February 1848 approving of the appointment of Mr Peter Shunguepy as Master of the Auxiliary Workhouse Referring to the Commissioners Letter No 6895 relative to the Land to be rented for a cemetery.

It was ordered that the Clerk do inform the Commissioners that the Land will be conveyed by Lord Clancarty by Lease for any term required and the Title of Lessor being Fee Simple

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 24  
Ditto, disallowed - - - - -  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 49

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 141  
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 0

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

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

The Master further Reported that the assistant Matron was ill in fever, and as the Matron was yet unable to undertake the duties, stated it was absolutely necessary a person should be appointed.

It was Resolved, That Maria Cogan,

the sister of the assistant Matron be appointed to the office of assistant Matron for one Month at a Salary of ten shillings per Week with Rations On the Master's application orders were signed for the following 1 Ann. sweeping Binsches, 1 Cart Lined Wood 200 yards of flannel on the application of the Master. For the Auxillary Workhouse, orders were signed for the following articles 1 Looking Glass 1 Bench 1 Crutch 1 Fire Iron and fenders, and 2 Tables.

Resolved That on this day investigating the Books of the Relieving officers we find that the immense numbers seeking out @ our Relief, render it quite impossible for the present number of such officers to make that personal inspection requisite to prevent great dissatisfaction and we therefore deem it necessary to apply to the Poor Law Commissioners for permission to appoint such additional Relieving officers as may be adequate to really investigate the Condition of the applicants and for such time as the Poor Law Commission may see fit.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 184 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

That therefore an application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners to increase the number of Relieving officers from seven to eleven which this Board deem necessary to carry the same into effect. Ordered that the following list be recommended as the best divisions for Relieving officers, viz?

- N<sup>o</sup> 1 Moore and Tophuacannell
- 2 Creagh & Ballinroole
- 3 Kilgmill & Mhascragh
- 4 Killoran & Killian
- 5 Killasolow & Ballinacill
- 6 Maylanph
- 7 Ballynacamp, Kilcannell, & Killadan
- 8 Aughrim and Clontarf West
- 9 Kiltormer and Abbeygormican
- 10 Killemer and Kilquaine
- 11 Eyrecomb and Claufort.

The accounts of the Carnacregg and Mhascragh Workhouses being submitted to the Finance Committee were examined and found to be correct.

It was ordered that Drafts be drawn on the Treasurer for the respective amounts

(30)	130 Carnacregg	£166. 6. 6
	130 Mhascragh	34. 2. 4

A Survey of the New Burial ground being laid before the Board and tenders being received from Mr. Anthony Clarke and William Magarty for Walling in same.

It was ordered that the Tender of William Magarty be accepted for Building a Wall Round the Cemetery the Foundation to be 2 feet under surface and 8 feet over the surface to be 2 feet thick at the base and 1 1/2 feet at top to be built with solid Moresmay Measuring 354 Paces and 11 feet Irish Measure at 21 feet of Pace at the Rate of 5/6 per Pace and that he be paid by instalments

as the Work progresses  
 Application being made by John Moore  
 Rate Collector for County to recover the Rates from  
 the undermentioned persons being immediate lessees  
 The Courts Receiver Mr. J. Hearty  
 the Representatives of C. B. Martin  
 Dudley Porter Esq.  
 the Representatives of Doctor Duffin  
 Mr Robert Byrne  
 Rev. J. H. Butson  
 Lord Ounsdale  
 Charles Atkinson  
 Captain Shepperson  
 William B. Burke Esq.

It was ordered that Mr Moore be directed  
 to serve the fifteen day notice on the immediate  
 lessors.

A letter was received from James McMahon Milk  
 Contractor stating the great difficulty in  
 procuring Cows to supply the quantity con-  
 -acted for and expressing his willingness to  
 supply Beer for the deficiency of the Milk  
 for three weeks until some Cows he had  
 would Calve, his letter being referred to the  
 Medical officers for his opinion as to substituting  
 Beer for Milk. Who reported that Beer could  
 be used instead of Milk by giving it to the  
 Paupers and accordingly Mr Mahons offer was  
 accepted of.

Tenders were laid before the Board for putting  
 Saw Railings to all the lower windows of the  
 Workhouse when that of Mr Anthony Clarke  
 was accepted at the Rate of 14/6 per cwt for  
 weight for wrought Iron

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided - Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 250 Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1370	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 5 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 124 239 26 143 119 392 119 " " 1423										In Workhouse Hospital, 27 In Fever Hospital, 118 Total, 335	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, " "	
Admitted during the Week, } 14 30 6 4 35 23 8 " " 120												
TOTAL, } 138 269 32 147 154 415 57 " " 1542												
Discharged during the Week } 8 15 5 3 24 21 4 " " 80												
Died, } 3 2 " " 6 4 3 " " 18												
Total Discharged and Dead } 11 17 5 3 30 25 7 " " 98												
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 127 252 27 144 154 390 50 " " 1444												

External Patients receiving daily attendance, 39

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of February 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.		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.	
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No. I.	73	168					Bt. forward						
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No. III.	80	224					No. XI.						
No. IV.	102	217					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	306	702					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, The Lord Chamberlain  
 Other Guardians: Walter McCann, James Dillon, Charles Dilgate, Samuel Barnett, George Mahon, Mr. O. Connor, Pelly, John Kinan, John Carr, James Bell, James Blake, Patrick Blake, Joseph McCanan, Robert Seymour, John C. Evans, George Hill, C. O'Keller, & John Byrne Esq's.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 227 to No. 307, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 8 to No. 268, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he had published an Notice calling for Tenders to erect a Day Room and Pany on the Auxillary Workhouse ground

At the Close of the Proceedings the Seal of Gloucestershire the Chairman having arrived the Chair was vacated by the Lord Clerk and taken by the Earl of Gloucester

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 477 . 11  
 Paid during the week, - £ 319 . 15 . 2  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 158 . 11 . 0  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The judgments made of Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
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	Moore			333	10 9
	Inghamcannell			119	4 3 3/4
	Ballinasloe			919	9 1 3/4
	Ardfinnan			946	19 9 3/4
	Claninstown			693	16 10 3/4
				3688	12 9
Michael Kelly	Kiltomer			427	1 6 3/4
	Atterjonnican			167	14 6 3/4
	Kellimer			739	6 3 3/4
				1334	2 5 3/4
John McMoore	St. Ignace			923	1 1 3/4
	Oppeacant			538	10 7
	Clanfert			588	16 6 3/4
				2049	8 7 3/4
John Pender	Ballymacanor	110	17 5 3/4	687	8 6 3/4
	Kilcannell	"	"	546	16 6 3/4
	Killnau	48	2 11	230	11 9
		159	" 4 1/2	1463	16 9 3/4
Michael Conly	Kilginnill			168	4 "
	Chadscragh			119	12 10
				287	17 10
Philip Dignan	Killaross			585	8 4 3/4
				585	8 4 3/4
Thomas Manning	Killynau			619	19 "
	Killusalau			380	8 4 3/4
				1000	5 4 3/4
Michael O'Kelly	Ballynathill			687	4 8 3/4
	Maylaugh			880	16 11
				1568	8 7 3/4
	Total Union,	159	" 4 1/2	11977	" 5 3/4

NOTE. A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The following receipts for Settlements made to the Treasurer were laid before the Board -  
 John Pender £ 159 . 11 . 1/2  
 Thomas Manning 47 . 16 . 11  
 Michael Kelly 225 . 17 . 1

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.  
 The following Books were exhibited 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 Weekly Relief List and Abstract.  
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.  
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.  
 By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 157 . s. . d. 8 1/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 157 - " - 8 1/4  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 133 . 6 . 10  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 110 1/4  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 27 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 27 1/2  
 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:

9,000th White Bread £ 56 . 5 0  
 10 3/4 officers Meat - 2 . 14 . 1 1/2  
 200 quarts buttermilk - 16 . 8  
 6,000 do. best Milk - 50 . 0 0  
 2 3/4 Tea - 9 . 4 3/4  
 50 Carrot Meal - 14 . 7  
 11 1/4 19 1/4

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.  
 2. The Medical Officers' Books.  
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 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - " " "  
 In kind, - - - - - 11 . 16 . 7  
 Total, - - - - - 11 . 16 . 7

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.  
 The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Joseph Sharpe	184	9	11½

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

The New Company for Freight	1	11	3
Joseph Sharpe Porter Clothing	4	1	1½
Sam Oupre Carpenter	2	3	6

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Richard Connell Candles	19	2	6
Andrew Gilligan Soap	8	6	8
John Kelly, County Cup 5. 15. 0	3	9	15
Poor Rates for impelling from 4 0. 7			

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Account.

Joseph Sharpe Laundry	8	18	1½
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

By the Report Book of the Visiting Committee it appeared there had been no visit to the House during the week

Read Letter from the Rev William Manning P.P. of Aughrim stating that it was necessary in consequence of the illness of the present Warden Mr. Maher. to appoint a person in his stead,

Ordered to be referred to the Guardians of the Electoral Division of Aughrim to report upon

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

That James Jones, Thomas Burke, Michael Gannon, and James Menehan be turned out of the House for going over the Boundary Walls into the Town of Bullinshelue

Read Letter from the School Mistress defending herself from the Charges made by the Master against her and the assistant School Mistress on last Board day, and also from the assistant School Mistress complaining of the Master's Conduct towards her. The Board did not consider it necessary to make an order on the subject

On the Representation of the Master a Carved Coat and Cankey was ordered for the purpose of conveying deacons Papers to the Rectory from the Cankey and



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

Cont to be used in Carrying gravel for the purpose of filling up the yard's

It further appeared on the Master's representation that he found much difficulty in making the adult male Paupers do a sufficient quantity of work

It was ordered that the Master be authorised to give 7-1/2 pence and extra Rations to well Condemned Paupers to be placed on the Men for the purpose of compelling them to do a fair days work

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners 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:

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 150 1/48 dated 15<sup>th</sup> February 1848, Submitting the opinion of M<sup>r</sup> Hewes P.C. on Queries respecting the applicants for Relief holding a Quarter acre of land

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 149 1/48 dated 15<sup>th</sup> February 1848 with Forms of Returns to be furnished showing the number of Persons Relieved out of the Workhouses up to the Week ending Saturday 12 February

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 156 1/48 dated 17<sup>th</sup> February 1848 with a list of Balances in the hands of the Treasurers of Relief Committees

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 163 1/48 dated 18<sup>th</sup> of February 1848 Calling the attention of the Guardians to the order regulating the Contributions of Unions to the Audit Fund and requesting the instalment of £6 to be paid to the fund in so far as may be practicable

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The Board directed that a draft be drawn and signed on the Treasurer for £6 - accordingly Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 911/M dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1848 stating the Election Notice had been forwarded per post.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 8485 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1848 sanctioning the proposed increase of Relieving officers and of the alteration of the Relief Districts

The Board having taken into consideration the best mode of increasing the accommodation and it appearing on the ground plans of the Workhouse that provision was made in the original design for lengthening the wings on the Male and female side to accommodate 300 Paupers It was

Resolved that application be made to the Commissioners for permission to build this addition and that they be requested to forward the necessary plans and specification and that advertisements be issued for persons willing to contract for building same, the tenders to be considered at the Meeting of the Board to be held on the 8<sup>th</sup> March next

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Post-Office Books.  
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 87  
Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 46  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 300  
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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

The Board deferred taking any steps with regard to the building of the Day Room but that the Tender of Mr. Anthony Clarke be accepted to erect a Prison for the sum of Seven pounds on the Auxillary Work House grounds.

It was Resolved that an advertisement be published in the local Paper for Competent Persons to act as Relieving officers for the undermentioned Districts and that they be required to give Security in the sum of £200 each.

Breagh Moore & 3 } Salary £40 p annum  
Taylormacmill 3 }

William & Killoran — £35 p —

Maylaugh & Ballinacilly — £35 p —

Ballymacanp & Killoran — £35 p —

Aughrim — £30 p —

Kiltormer & Abbeygormican — £35 p —

Killinor & Kilquane — £35 p —

Referring to the Commissioners letter No. 6895 Dated 15<sup>th</sup> February 1848 relative to the appointment of an Apothecary.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on  
day of 1848  
(Signed)

The

Clerk of the Union

It was ordered that an advertisement be published in the local paper calling for Competent persons to act as an Apothecary, at the salary fixed at £30 p annum.

Resolved that an application be made to the Commissioners of Public Works for the loan of Twenty Wheel Barrows and Twenty Shovels for the purpose of employing the able-bodied Paupers at Work.

The Clerk laid before the Board Mr. Moore Rate Collectors bills of expenses for carts for the three weeks preceeding the 7<sup>th</sup> of February instant.

The Board Clerk reported that the Relieving officers accounts had not been examined.

It was Resolved that the Relieving officers be directed to attend on every Tuesday at the Board Room for the purpose of having their accounts examined by the Clerk previous to the meetings of the Board.

It was Resolved that the Board do not adjourn until Friday next the 25<sup>th</sup> instant in order to afford the Clerk an opportunity of examining the accounts of the Relieving officers.

Friday 1. O'Clock.

The Board having reassembled.

Present in the Chair The Earl of Lincoln  
Other Guardians Present James Cillan James Dale  
H. J. Sweeney. Geo Mahon M. D. Esq.

The Board having proceeded to the examination of the Relieving officers accounts and

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Books which occupied the greater portion of the day

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 1st day of March 1848.

*M. W. Barry* Chairman

*M. W. Barry* }  
*Two Guardians* }  
*Present*

*M. W. Barry* Clerk of the Meeting

Ballinacorney UNION.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, 250 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1370	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } 127 252 27 144 454 390 50 " " 1466												In Workhouse Hospital, 241	In separate Wards, " "		
Admitted during the Week, } 23 30 " 4 27 16 3 " " 103												In Fever Hospital, 122	In Wards with other inmates, " "		
<b>TOTAL,</b>	150	282	27	148	481	406	53	"	"	1467		<b>Total, 363</b>	<b>Total,</b>		
Discharged during the Week } 17 41 0 8 23 26 6 " " 121															
Died, } 4 2 " " 13 20 2 " " 41															
Total Discharged and Dead } 21 43 " 8 36 46 8 " " 162															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 129 239 27 140 445 360 45 " " 1385															

*Chronic Patients*  
*Receiving daily attendance 31*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of February — 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.		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.		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 not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	136	348					Bt. forward						
No. II.	58	114					No. X.						
No. III.	131	354					No. XI.						
No. IV.	113	270					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.	1	1					No. XVII.						
Car. forward	439	1087					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Walter McCann* (Chairman)

Other Guardians: *James Dillaw, George Meehan M.D., Charles Fitzgerald, John C. Corry, R. B. Seymour, John Carr, Michael Carr, Walter Lawrence, James Perrett, Henry J. Gascoyne, Robert St. George, George Hill, Stephen J. Duncannon, Thomas Lancaster, William Weber, James C. Meehan, James Blake, A. O'Kelly, Pierce Joyce, John Tully, James Pelly, Esq., J. R. Meehan, Joseph H. Gannon, John Wade*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 308 to No. 436, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 269 to No. 500, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk reported that he had caused notices to be published in the Advertiser & Western Star calling for tenders for the offices of Relieving Officers and that of an apothecary for the latter offices he had not received any proposals.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £577.14.7D  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £272.1.6  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - - - - - £305.4.4  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

The following receipts for payments made with the Treasurer were laid before us

John Kelly	
Nick Pelly	
John H. Moore	369 11 5
John Sander	78 5 6
Nick Lemley	
Philip Dignan	58 10 6
John Manning	8 11 6
Nick Kelly	161 4 4

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
John Kelly	Criagh				675	71	11
	Moore				330	10	9
	Inghinacomele				119	4	23
	Ballymalis				919	9	13
	Angbrin				246	19	9
	Clontarf				693	16	10
					3688	12	9
Nick Pelly	Kittomer	23	13		103	8	6
	Shilly	3	4	6	163	15	3
	Kilbinner	198	4	7	541	1	8
					225	17	1
John H. Moore	Kilquaine	259	16	10	663	5	2
	Lyons	77	17	10	412	10	8
	Clontarf	31	15	7	584	1	4
					369	11	17
John Sander	Ammon	45	9		641	19	6
	Kilcommite				546	16	6
	Killman	12	16	6	217	15	3
					58	5	6
Nick Lemley	Kilginnie				168	4	
	Admocragh				119	13	10
					287	17	10
Philip Dignan	Killowan	56	10	6	328	17	6
					56	10	6
John Manning	Killiam	22	4	3	597	14	8
	Killacowan	33	15		346	13	4
					56	17	3
Nick Kelly	Ballymalis	119	4	4	568	5	3
	Moyle	12	4	13	839	4	11
					160	18	0
	Total Union,	927		12	11050		4

NOTE.— A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.  
 The following Books were exhibited 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 Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
  2. The Provision Check Accounts.
  3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 144 s. 3 d. 11/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 144. 3. 11 1/4  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. £ 131. 1. 6 1/4  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1/9  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2/7 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 7/7 1/2  
 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:

8000<sup>to</sup> Bread £50. 0. 0  
 103<sup>to</sup> officers Meal 2. 11. 7 1/2  
 6000<sup>to</sup> Punts Salt 50. 0. 0  
 23<sup>to</sup> Tea 9. 4. 4  
 14<sup>to</sup> Sugar 6. 5. 5  
 103. 7. 5 1/2  
 105. 10. 0 1/2

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
  2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ a. s. d.  
 In kind, - - - - - " " " "  
 Total, - - - - - 24. 11. 4 3/4

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.  
 The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value. £ s. d.	£	s.	d.
No. I.	Edw. Whorpe	10.00				Bt forward					
No. II.	John Carr	10.00				No. X.					
No. III.	John Clancy	10.00				No. XI.					
No. IV.	John Cord	10.00				No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

Communication with the Men also that a part of the Nursery be given up to the Elder girls, and the Room divided leaving two Rooms for the Children at Nurse.

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners 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:)

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 191 1/48 dated 24<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup>y 1848 transmitting a Copy of a letter from the Central Board of Health, relating to the use of Whiskey as a Stimulant in the treatment of fever patients

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 9137/48 dated 25<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup>y 1848 forwarding a Communication from the Under Secretary Office relating to the Decease of a Woman named Mary Joyce, who is stated to have died from the effects of Cold and Starvation and requesting to be furnished with the observations of the Board of Guardians,

The Board referring to the above letter N<sup>o</sup> 9137/48 desire to state for the information of the Commissioners that no such Circumstances as that referred to in the above letter has occurred in the Ballinacree Union

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 195 1/48 relating to the manner in which the Returns of the Board of Minutes has been furnished

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 186 1/48 dated 25<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup>y 1848 relating to the Publications of lists of Persons Receiving In-door and Out-door Relief

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 194 M dated 25<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup>y 1848 relating to the Audit of the Half yearly account of the Ballinacree Union for the Half year ended 29<sup>th</sup> September 1847.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 9554 dated 26<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup>y 1848 acknowledging the receipt of the extract from Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Ballinacree Union on the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant relating to the Provision of additional Workhouse accommodation

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 90064 dated 29<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup>y 1848 forwarding a Copy of a Letter from the Under Secretary Office relating to the death of a Man named William Neffkin who is stated to have died of Want and Starvation and requesting to be furnished with the observations of the Board of Guardians of the Ballinacree Union,

It was ordered that the letter be referred to the Relieving Officer of the district to report upon and that the Clerk be directed to transmit the Report to the Poor Law Commissioners

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	71
Do. do. disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	79

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	400
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

The Board then proceeded to the Election of Relieving officers when Michael Sturney was Elected, on the Representation of Robert St. George that Michael Sturney was ineligible as a Relieving officer he being a Road Contractor

The Board then proceeded to Elect another Person when James Taylor was Elected for

- Creagh Moore & Tadmaccamess District
- Robert Rockford } Ballynashill & Valley Camp D<sup>o</sup>
- Mount Sughan } Killyan & Killoran D<sup>o</sup>
- John Ryder } Ballymacamp & Killane D<sup>o</sup>
- Benjamin Hallam } Aughrim
- Oliver Delohant } Kiltorne and Abbeygormican

There being only two Candidates for the Kiltorne and Aughrim District. The Security of one of the Candidates being considered by the Board as not sufficient and the other being ineligible

It was ordered that an advertisement be published in the Western Star Calling for Tenders for the office of Relieving officers for <sup>the</sup> Kiltorne and Aughrim District to be considered at a Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> instant.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Read an Application from Catherine Keogh General Hospital Nurse for an increase of Rations in Meat the Board having assigned the allowance hitherto allowed to the Female Nurse

It was ordered that all Female officers for the future be allowed 5<sup>th</sup> of Meat weekly

Read a draft of a Petition adopted in London at a Meeting of the Irish Members praying an enquiry into the Working and efficiency for the present Irish Poor Laws,

Which was unanimously adopted, and directed to be inserted in the Minutes.

The Humble Petition of the Guardians of the Ballinacree Union;

That the Poor Laws as now administered in Ireland run heavily and unequally on the Rate paying Classes while at the same time they do not afford sufficient Relief to the destitute poor, or induce the Employment of the able bodied laborers, we are therefore of opinion that the Enquiry now sought by our Representatives in a Committee of the House Commons of which Notice has been given, into the Working of the Poor Laws is necessary, with the View of remedying as far as possible the evils complained of and we therefore humbly pray your Honorable House that such Committee may be appointed

And your Petitioners will ever Pray Notice of Motion

That the present over crowded State of the House is injurious to the Health of the inmates that taking into Consideration the alarming fatality which has occurred during the last week and which the Medical Officer of the Board attributes to the deleterious influence of a tainted atmosphere—This Board is of opinion that with due regard to the lives of the Paupers no further admissions should be sanctioned until

increased accommodation be procured. That many efforts to obtain other buildings for this purpose having been already made without success, the Board feel it incumbent upon them to apply to the Commissioners for permission to extend the out door Relief for a limited period to such able bodied paupers as have heretofore fairly undergone the test of the Work House and thus enlarge the means of providing accommodation for those who have not

Signed George Mahon M.P.

The Board then adjourned until Friday the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant for the purpose of investigating the Relieving officers Books.

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> of Octo<sup>r</sup> P.M.

The Board having reassembled.

Present in the Chair James Dillon Esq  
The Guardians M. Mc Donagh Esq

The Board proceeded to examination of the Relieving officers Books which occupied until 5 o'clock

On the application of Mr. Hogarty M.P. for an instalment to enable him to proceed with Walling in of the Annual form  
It was ordered that a draft on the Treasurer for £10. be drawn and signed to enable Hogarty to proceed with the building.

The next meeting of the Guardians will be held on Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of March 1848

Chairman  
Two Guardians  
Present  
Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of March 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1,000 Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, 250 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1,370	Aged and Indrm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 3 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	129	237	27	140	445	360	45	"	"	"	1383	In Workhouse Hospital, 211	In separate wards with other inmates, "		
Admitted during the Week,	15	37	8	7	27	27	8	"	"	"	129	In Fever Hospital, 120	"		
TOTAL,	144	274	35	147	472	387	53	"	"	"	1512	Total, 337	Total, "		
Discharged during the Week,	6	34	6	4	14	19	6	"	"	"	89			External Patients	
Died,	4	5	"	"	14	10	6	"	"	"	39			Remaining daily	
Total Discharged and Dead,	10	39	6	4	28	29	12	"	"	"	128			at home 21	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	134	237	29	143	444	358	41	"	"	"	1386				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 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.		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.		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.	73	158					Bt. forward						
No. II.	64	127					No. X.						
No. III.	163	436					No. XI.						
No. IV.	143	364					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
Car. forward	447	1090					No. XVII.						
							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> day of March 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, The Earl of Clancarty  
Other Guardians: James Dillon Ambrose Kelly Esq. The Lord Clancarty George Mahon M.P. Thomas Seymour Walter McDonagh James Bell John Lally John Carr. Michael Carr. Esq. Mr. Edmund Guinness John Esq. Joseph St. Canavan Pat Blake Stephen J. Danellan Sir James R. Mahon Bart Robert St. George James C. Mahon Esq. Stephen W. Flanagan Esq. Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 437 to No. 580, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 506 to No. 580, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, in the following effect:

The Clerk left before the Board the Plans and Specifications for the proposed addition to the Workhouse



The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 367. 11. 5  
 Paid during the week, - £ 46. 6. 2  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 8682. 9. 7  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
John Kelly	Ceragh	675 11 11	
	Moore	333 10 9	
	Tughnacomra	119 4 23	
	Ballinacorney	919 9 12	
	Angtrim	766 19 23	
	Celmonstown	693 16 10	
Michael Kelly	Killomney	3685 12 9	
	Alburygonia	403 8 63	
	Killomney	163 6 27	
John H. Moore	Kilquann	541 1 83	
	Exploant	1108 5 12	
	Blanchard	663 5 23	
John Pender	Ballymacura	460 10 83	
	Kilcumell	554 1 43	
	Killam	1077 17 33	
Michael Conly	Kilgmill	641 19 63	
	Spudragh	506 16 83	
Philip O'Connell	Killomney	217 15 3	
	Killomney	1436 11 33	
Thomas Manning	Killomney	168 4 11	
	Killomney	112 13 10	
Michael Kelly	Killomney	287 17 10	
	Killomney	528 17 63	
Thomas Manning	Killomney	528 17 63	
	Killomney	597 10 83	
Michael Kelly	Killomney	346 13 43	
	Killomney	944 8 11	
Michael Kelly	Ballymacura	368 5 33	
	Spudragh	639 4 11	
Total Union,		1407 10 3	
		11050 14 2	

NOTE - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.  
 The following Books were exhibited 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 Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
  2. The Provision Check Accounts.
  3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 109 s. 11 d. 1/4.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 109. 10. 0/4  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 128. 8. 23/4  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -  
 Average cost in Infirmary, -  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, -  
 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:

to Messrs L. Accounts for £  
 131 9th Officers Meet 2. 250 Course Meet 14. 7  
 10th Street Mills 1da Wine  
 20th Tea  
 14th Sugar

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
  2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 28. 11. 7/4  
 In kind, - - - - -  
 Total, - 28. 11. 7/4

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.  
 The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£ s. d.	Value.	Article and quantity.	Value.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.	
No. I.	John Conn	12. 0. 0				Bt. forward					
No. II.	John Conn	12. 0. 0				No. X.					
No. III.	John Conn	12. 0. 0				No. XI.					
No. IV.	John Conn	12. 0. 0				No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Can. fwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

Michael Humphrey Recd 428 2 6

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

By the Report Book of the Visiting Committee it appeared that had been no visit to the House during the Week

The Clerk laid before the Board the list of duly vaccinated Guardians for the year ending 25<sup>th</sup> March 1849

On the Masters application Orders were signed for the following articles viz  
1000 yards of Linen  
200 yards of Flannel  
400 yards Bengal Stripes  
400 yards of Linsey Walsey

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

By the Masters Report it appeared that the two School Masters have been both confined to their Beds for the last week the assistant Master is in Town. I have had to receive and give out all the Provisions &c which has taken up my time that I could not make up my Books for the past week although I have been working at them upto a late hour at night

There a Woman named Bridget Kelly and two children one of them adult was sent to the Workhouse by the Roman Catholic Bishop, who did immediately after her a description

The Report of the Protestant Chaplain was read to the following effect, that he had visited the Auxiliary Workhouse for the purpose of seeing a man named Joe Monk in the Sick Mans Ward and that the Mans case required he should be provided with some Rice or Soap of nutritious description. It was.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

Ordered

To be referred to the Medical Officer to report upon

The Report of the Medical Officer was read by which it appeared that Dysentery and Fever was much on the increase, and on his application

It was directed that a Horse and Cart be employed one week to draw sand for the purpose of raising the Sewage Yards

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners 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:)

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 1048 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> February 1848, Relating to Monthly Funds Returns,

Letter from the Commissioners Dated 29<sup>th</sup> February 1848, N<sup>o</sup> 10211 forwarding the Copy of a letter addressed by them to Mr Wilson

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 217 Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1848 requesting to be furnished with the Number of Births in the Workhouse and the Number of Persons Relieved in each Half Year of the Year Year ending 25 March 1848

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 210 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> March 1848 transmitting a Specimen form of a new admission and discharge book

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 8485/1848 dated 6<sup>th</sup> March 1848 relating to the Appoint-

of Committees for Mayleigh and Cough district requesting to be informed if it is proposed to appoint these Committees under the 6<sup>th</sup> Section of the Poor Relief Extension Act also to the Substitution of Beer for Milk in the dietary of the Workhouse Inmates.

Referring to the Commissioners Letter N<sup>o</sup> 8485/1848

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 10909, 1848 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1848 transmitting Questions to be answered by the Persons appointed additional Relieving Officers in the Ballinacree Union

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 11246 dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1848 transmitting a Copy of a letter received from the Under Secretary's office relating to the death of a Man named who was refused admission to the Auxillary Work House.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 9555 dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1848 transmitting a copy of a letter received from Mr S. Dillon who applied for an increase of salary which the Commissioners propose giving him

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Books.	
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	32
Do, disallowed	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	41

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	447
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 11,289 dated 7<sup>th</sup> March 1848 relating to the State of the House and calling the attention of the Board to the paucity which exist in adopting measures to resume the lines of the Workhouse inmates and of discharging all persons entitled to Out Door Relief.

The Board proceeded to Elect a Relieving Officer for the Kellimer & Kilginnane District, Mr J. Mullin was unanimously Elected.

The Board proceeded to the Election of an Apothecary to the Union Workhouse, there being only one Candidate for the office that of John Fogarty he was unanimously Elected at a Salary of £30 p Annum.

Read Letter from Thomas Manning Rate Collector, requesting the Board to direct their Solicitor to proceed for the recovery of the Rate on the following Town Lands viz.

Rabane ——— £12. 15. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$

Killa hoosh ——— 21. 7. 10 $\frac{1}{4}$

It was Resolved that application be made to the Commissioners for liberty to proceed for the recovery of the Rate on the above Town Lands,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Read Letter from Richard Seal Town Improvement Rate Collector requesting payment of the Rate due on the Auxillary Workhouse. It was

Ordered

That Mr Seal be directed to get an order from Mr. Dorkin the Landlord authorising the Board to pay the Rate due on the Auxillary Workhouse.

On the application of Catherine Burns Cook for an allowance of extra Rations, to be allowed her for the duty she had to perform in Making Shirabaut for the Paupers of the House. It was ordered

That an allowance of One pound of Sugar and 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  lbs be allowed to her weekly during the Cramped State of the House.

Read a Letter from the School Master stating that Edward Burns a Pauper, had given him impertinence and requesting to be protected, from a repetition of such language.

It was ordered to be referred to the Master of the Workhouse.

It was Resolved

In consequence of the Commissioners not sanctioning the appointment of Mr Willow a Valuator.

That an advertisement be published for a person to revise the Valuation of the Rateable Property within the Union.

The Board proceeded to consider the Tenders for the Erection of the new additions to the present Workhouse when that of Edmund Page was accepted for the proposed sum of 440 £ for each wing of the Building. The Masters Punishment Book was left before the Board.

It was Resolved

That application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for a sealed order to enable the Board of Guardians to afford Out Door Relief to the Admitted Poor.

Read a Letter from Doctor James Colohan  
Complaining of the <sup>want of</sup> accommodation for Sick Patients

The Board having under Consideration the  
Cruel State of the House and Hospital.

The Committee of the Board of Health was directed  
to procure a suitable House for the purpose of  
converting it to the use of a Fever Hospital under  
the Temporary Relief Act, Doctor James Colohan  
suggested the Propriety of taking a Stone the property  
of Martin Colohan Esq<sup>r</sup> in the Town which would  
be a suitable House for the Purpose

It was Resolved

That the Stone of Martin Colohan be taken  
at a Rent of £40 per Annum for any term it may be  
required

Notice of Election for Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
of March

That the Treasurership of the Funds of this  
Union be taken from the Bank of Ireland and  
given to the National Bank where interest will  
be realised

Signed James Dillon

It was Resolved

To accept the Tender of Edmund Page to build  
a Brick Partition across the Womens day Room to  
break out three Doors and build up one Door  
and hang the same with Sacks and Stuffs for the  
Sum of Seven Pounds Sterling.

The Board then adjourned to Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> instant

Tuesday the 10<sup>th</sup> of March

The Board having assembled  
Present in the Chair the Earl of Clancarty  
other Guardians Present Walter McDonough  
James Dillon, James Bell, Henry J. Gascaigne, Esq<sup>r</sup>.

The Board proceeded to the exami-  
nation of the application and Report  
Books of the Relieving officers, which  
occupied the entire day.

On the Application of Edmund  
Shirpe, Relieving Officer a Draft was  
ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer  
for Ten Pounds, which was drawn and  
Signed accordingly

The next Meeting of the Guardians  
will be held on Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> day  
of March 1848

Wm. Brooks Chairman

Two other Guardians  
Present

Clk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, <i>1000</i> Temporary Buildings, <i>250</i> Additional Workhouse, <i>250</i> Permanent Fever Hospital, <i>60</i> Fever Sheds, <i>60</i> Total, <i>1370</i>	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, } <i>134 237 29 143 444 358 411 " " 1386</i>														<i>In Workhouse Hospital, 210</i>	<i>In separate Wards, 170</i>	
Admitted during the Week, } <i>16 19 " " 10 13 3 " " 61</i>														<i>In Workhouse Hospital, 129</i>	<i>In separate Wards with other inmates, 32</i>	
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<i>150</i>	<i>256</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>454</i>	<i>371</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1447</i>	<i>339</i>	<i>192</i>			
Discharged during the Week	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>External patients receiving daily attendance 29</i>				
Died,	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>34</i>					
Total Discharged and Dead	<i>14</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>79</i>					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } <i>136 239 28 140 434 352 39 " " 1368</i>																

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 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.		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.		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.	<i>169</i>	<i>491</i>					Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>76</i>	<i>178</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>127</i>	<i>344</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>198</i>	<i>488</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>					No. XVII.						
Bt. forward	<i>575</i>	<i>1507</i>					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis A. Kelly Esq.*  
 Other Guardians: *James O'Connell Walter McCann John Thamm Lawrence Charles Hilgate John Moken Philip Dignam James Blake George Moken Mr. D. Joseph McConan Michael Carr James O'Kelly John H. O'Connell Stephen Masters Thomas Lawrence Esq. Sir J. R. M. O'Connell Henry J. Grogan Walter Lawrence John Lally, C. D. Bellew Esq. Stephen W. Hanagan Esq. Dan O'Connell Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *587* to No. *630*, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. *582* to No. *650*, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

*The Clerk Reported that Michael Kelly and John Pender, Rate Collectors have not attended to settle their accounts,*

At this Stage of the Proceedings the Lord Clabrook Vice Chairman having arrived the Chair was vacated by Denis H Kelly Esq. and taken by Lord Clabrook

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £237.14.7  
 Paid during the week, - £572.18.3  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £8417.5.11  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:-

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
John Kelly	Creeble 1	68 15 11	806 10 1/2
"	Malbeg 2	17 19 3	315 11 5/8
"	Longmacum 3	10 10 7 1/2	7 7 1/2
"	Ballinacorney 4	58 5 11 3/4	11 2
"	Asphincum 5	275 2 8 3/4	671 17 1/2
"	Clabrook 6	19 6 3/4	17 3 1/2
		435 5 10 3/4	3253 6 1/2
Michael Kelly	Kiltormer		408 8 1/2
	Abbeyspinnian		163 15 1/4
	Killinor		541 1 8/8
			1112 5 4 1/2
John H Moore	Kilginnity	123 14 10 1/2	539 10 3/8
	Englewood 8	77 8 2 3/4	383 2 6
	Clabrook	4 2 1/2	584 1 1/2
		201 3 1	1476 14 2 1/2
John Pender	Ballymacund		141 11 6/8
	Kilcumnell		546 16 6/8
	Killaue		217 15 3/8
			1406 11 3/8
Michael Conly	Kilginnity 9	111 3 10 3/4	57 11 1/8
	Shadrasay 10	6 13 1 1/4	112 19 10 1/2
		117 17 9 1/4	170 11 1/8
Philip Dignan	Killinoran 11	46 4 4 1/4	482 13 1
		46 4 4 1/4	482 13 1
Shannon Manning	Killyan 12	28 12 10 1/2	569 1 10 1/8
	Kilbadeenan 13	28 10 1	323 3 3/8
		52 2 11 1/4	892 5 1 1/8
Michael Kelly	Ballymacund 14	12 4 1/2	536 1 3/4
	Maylaugh 15	63 16 10 1/2	783 9 1/2
		67 19 10 1/2	839 10 4 1/2
	Total Union,	920 13 11 1/2	10236 5 1/2

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The following Receipts in Judgments made to the Treasurer were laid before the Board  
 Mich Kelly 67.13.10  
 Mich Conly 117.17.10  
 Shannon Manning 52.2.11  
 John Kelly 435.5.11  
 John H Moore 201.3.1  
 Philip Dignan 46.4.4

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.  
 The following Books were exhibited 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 Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
  2. The Provision Check Accounts.
  3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 112 . 18 . 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d. 112.18.5  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 126.7.2 1/4  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - 6 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 2 1/2  
 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:

132 9/16 of meat for officers & S " 2  
 50 to Cause Meat for } 3.0.6  
 Hospital }

The Master reported that he was not able to have his Books made up

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
  2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 21 4  
 In kind, - - - - - 41.16.7 1/4  
 Total, - 41.19.1 1/4

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.  
 The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value. £ s. d.	£	s.	d.
No. I.	Lean Thp 20.0.0					Bt forward					
No. II.	Manthod 20.0.0					No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forw.						TOTAL.					

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.			

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

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

By the Report Book of the Visiting Committee it appeared there had been no visit to the House during the week

Read a Letter from Patrick Kelly Esq. Chairman of the Milquaine Committee requesting the Board to purchase 500 yards flannel, and some other articles manufactured by the Poor of Chatham Street

It was ordered that samples of the articles be sent before the Board when they will consider the expediency of purchasing them.

At the close of the Proceedings the Earl of Clancarty the Chairman having resigned the Chair was vacated by the Lord Clanboock and taken by the Earl of Clancarty.

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

By the Report of the Master it appeared that the Porter was unwell, and that some impropriety occurred between a Man named McLaughlin and a Woman named Lodon, they were ordered to 24 Hours Confinement and to be placed afterwards in the Refractory Yard,

That the Books at the Temporary Workhouse were stolen on last Monday night

That he would be obliged to attend the office, the Clerk was requested to take charge of the House during the Master's absence

That one Man and a Boy slept out of the House last night

They were ordered to be discharged



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

The accounts of the Eye and Skin Hospital were submitted to the Finance Committee which having been examined and found correct a draft was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for £88:1:4  
1324/46

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners 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:)

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 2440<sup>relating</sup> the Weekly Return of Out-door Relief.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 9, 904 dated 9<sup>th</sup> March 1848 referring to the Resolution of the Board of Guardians on the 23<sup>rd</sup> ultimo, relating to the proposed erection of an additional building to accommodate 300 Paupers and transmitting a form of Consent to the expenditure of the Money, required to defray the Cost of the Proposed building and transmitting Letters to be answered by the additional Relieving officer.

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 10,461<sup>relating</sup> to the Means of supplying Vaccine Virus for the use of Medical officers in the Unions.

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> March 1848 transmitting forms of Return of the Substitutes of the Guardians for the Month of February.

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 239<sup>relating</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> March 1848 transmitting forms of Return of the probable expenditure of each Electoral Division down to the Close of September 1848.

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 8445, 48 dated 9<sup>th</sup> March 1848 transmitting forms of Returns for Jan Half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> September 1848.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 12154<sup>relating</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> March 1848 sanctioning the appointment of Messrs. Delahunt, Ryder & Hallan as Relieving officers.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 12154-3-2<sup>relating</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> March 1848 sanctioning the appointment of Messrs. Taylor, Rockfort and Longham as Relieving officers.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 12562/48 dated 11<sup>th</sup> March 1848 relative to a Communication from Martin J. Tierney in a Candidate for the office of Justice de la Paix for the McEannell Electoral Division.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 12057<sup>relating</sup> the List of Nominated Guardians and to return them with the proper date.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 12950<sup>relating</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> March 1848 acknowledging the Receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians and transmitting Letters to be answered by the Parish.

Letter from the Central Board of Health N<sup>o</sup> 3621<sup>relating</sup> 14<sup>th</sup> March 1848 transmitting a Request to The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and the Board endorsing them decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse conformed was 4  
to provide temporary Hospital accommodation Ditto, disallowed 32  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 32

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 373  
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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



900/05/6 (2)

O'Grady, Hotel B. Star  
15 March 1845

To The Guardians of the Ballinacorney  
Poor Law Union

Gentlemen

Being Informed that you require  
an additional Hospital - I hereby offer  
in The House & premises at the Green House  
adjoining the Poor House. at the yearly  
Rent of Thirty Pounds Sterling - on  
I will dispose of the Interest in the  
Lease - being lives renewable for Ever

I have the Honor to remain

your Obedt Servt.

John Costello

Prize Sum  
Lords 25th Jan  
The Board

as expected for  
them to afford  
lodged Poor.  
under that Clap  
this day

The Board  
only as the urgency  
to grant such relief  
by the sealed order of  
Representatives have

Selected as Wednes day  
Four Hospital was  
that part of the  
distant from Ballinacorney  
place for the poor

It was Resolved  
to visit with Poor  
Consent to  
order. It was

Wednesday evening  
additional Work  
It was Resolved  
Walter McDonagh

such Persons as  
the Secretary of



The Clerk further reported that the following  
Relieving officers had perfected their Bonds. viz  
Martin Loughan Bernard Halloran and  
John De La Hunt

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 985.2.9  
Paid during the week, - £ 142.11.10  
And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 9259.16.11  
The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
John Kelly	Craugh						
	Moore				666	12	0
	Loughanacumell				365	11	8
	Ballywaslar				108	7	7
	Asphraim				361	7	1
Michael Kelly	Clontarf				659	17	5
	Kiltormer				525	6	9
	Atterdown				403	5	6
John H. Moore	Killmore				163	15	3
	Kilquane				541	1	8
	Clonsilla				110	5	1
John Pender	Kilquane	51	18	2	539	10	3
	Kilcumell	19	0	0	383	2	0
	Kilcumell	20	17	0	534	1	2
Michael Conly	Kilcumell	302	5	7	447	14	7
	Clonsilla				57	0	1
Philip Dignan	Killmore				172	10	1
	Killmore				170	0	0
Thomas Manning	Killmore				182	13	1
	Killmore				482	13	1
Mick O'Kelly	Killmore				569	10	8
	Killmore				323	3	3
Mick O'Kelly	Killmore				892	5	7
	Killmore				556	1	3
Mick O'Kelly	Killmore				783	9	3
	Killmore				839	10	4
Total Union,		302	5	7	9827	13	

NOTE. A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The following Receipts  
for Lodgments made  
The Treasurer was  
Laid before the Board  
viz John Pender £302.9.5

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.  
The following Books were exhibited 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 Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
  2. The Provision Check Accounts.
  3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 263 s. 19 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 263-19-3  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 133-5-4 1/2  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 49 7/8  
Average cost in Infirmary, - 2 1/2  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 2 1/4  
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:

180 93<sup>rd</sup> Office Meet £ 2. 5. 10  
50<sup>th</sup> Course Meet In Next - 14. 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 several Clothing Accounts.
  2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 5 6  
In kind, - - - - - 55. 14. 4 1/4  
Total, - 55-19-10 1/4

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.  
The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Edw. Kelly	15.00			Bt forward				
No. II.	John Carr	15.00			No. X.				
No. III.	M. Jordan	15.00			No. XI.				
No. IV.	J. Taylor	10.00			No. XII.				
No. V.	M. Loughan	5.00			No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board and directions given thereon, as follows:

Sealed order of the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 13853/48 dated 21<sup>st</sup> March 1848 Authorising Out-door Relief for one fortnight to the able bodied, from this date to the 4<sup>th</sup> April 1848 inclusive -

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners 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: -

Letter from the Commissioners dated 16<sup>th</sup> March 1848 Relating to the Qualification of Persons to act as Guardians  
Letter from the Board of Public Works granting the Loan of 20 Wheel Barrows

Letter from the Commissioners dated 13<sup>th</sup> March 1848 admitting to the Resolutions contained in Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the District asking for a sealed order, to enable the Board of Guardians to give Relief to able bodied poor persons and referring the Board of Guardians to their Circular letter of the 26<sup>th</sup> August last also suggesting the propriety of turning out the aged and infirm Paupers and of giving them a weekly allowance and thereby affording Relief in the Workhouse to able bodied Paupers &c

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 13170/48 dated 21<sup>st</sup> March sanctioning the appointment of John Mullin as Relieving officer

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 14325/48 dated 21<sup>st</sup> March transmitting the sealed order of the

Commissioners Authorising Out-door Relief for one fortnight to the 4<sup>th</sup> April next inclusive  
Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 267/48 dated 21<sup>st</sup> March 1848 transmitting form of Return of the number of Male adults, able bodied, receiving Relief in and out of the House on the 4<sup>th</sup> December 1847, 1<sup>st</sup> January 5<sup>th</sup> February and 4<sup>th</sup> March 1848 respectively

Letter from the Commissioners 8485/1848 dated 21<sup>st</sup> March 1848 expressing their approval of the state of the Country and agreeing to take the same course of it, as that of the work House  
That the Clerk do convey to the Commissioners Lord Clements approval and willingness to perfect the lease when prepared

Read a Letter from William Torkin a Pauper in the Workhouse asking the Board to give him clothing as he was about to Emigrate to America his Brother having paid his passage.

The Board directed that he being an orphan and his being in the House for the last three years and now that he has an opportunity of Emigrating should get a Suit of Clothes to enable him to proceed to America

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Books.  
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 21  
Ditto, disallowed - 0  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 47

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 756  
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

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The Clerk left before the Board Mr Moore's account of the expenses he was at in the Collection of the Rate which having been examined and found to be correct a check was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for the Amount £15-3-6 on the application of Collector Moore requesting to be supplied with forms of the 15 day notice to be served on the Immediate Lessors

It was ordered that the Clerk do get the forms of notice printed & supply them to each Collector.

The Board then proceeded to investigate the applicants on the Relieving Officers Books application and Report Books in consequence of the great number of applicants on these Books, at 7.0 o'clock the Board adjourned until Friday the 24<sup>th</sup> instant at one o'clock

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Friday, one o'clock

The Board having assembled

The Earl of Conestock, In the Chair  
other Guardians Present. James Sillan Esq. Mr  
Edw. Guion Thomas St Guydon Esq.

and The Lord Clarendon

The Clerk reported that the Contract for keeping in Repair the Roofs, Gable Shoots and down pipes, Sacks and Keys and the Iron Work of the Workhouses will expire on the 25<sup>th</sup> March inst. The Clerk was ordered to advertise for competent persons to tender for the different Works for three years.

He further reported that the Contract for Bread expires on the 1<sup>st</sup> April next

The Clerk was from this directed to advertise for tenders for supplying Bread for three Months from 1<sup>st</sup> April.

The advertisements to be inserted in the local newspapers.

The Board then proceeded to the Election of a Revisor.

When John McArthur was unanimously elected to revise the rateable property in the Union for the sum of one hundred pounds, and to have it complete in four Months from the date of the Commission, sanctioning his appointment and offering as his Securer, Mr Thomas Cunningham of the Queen's Arms Hotel Belfast and Mr Johnstone Bony 162 Great Britain Street Dublin which were approved of by the Board.

The Clerk having reported the time the appointment was allowed him would expire on the 25<sup>th</sup> instant. It was Resolved

that in consequence of the very arduous duties which the Clerk had now imposed upon him



That the epistolary should be continued, for 3 months,  
Referring to a Resolution of the Board on  
the 24<sup>th</sup> November last, that the Revisor be bound to  
attend for at least an fortnight in each Electoral  
Division, the Board feel that the appointment of the  
Revisor being postponed to the present date it will  
now be most inconvenient that so much time should  
be occupied in the Revision or the carrying out  
of the Resolution in question would render necessary  
It would therefore be more advisable that the  
Guardians and Resident Proprietors and agents of  
Properties in each Electoral Division should collect  
the different Cases, in which Revision may seem necessary  
and submit them to the Board with as little delay as  
possible, the Revising officers will then be directed to  
attend each Electoral Division on days of which due  
notice will be given, and remain there till due  
consideration have been given to each case of  
Complaint.

Notice given by the Lord Chamberlain that  
the above Minute be confirmed the next day of  
Meeting.

134) A check was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer  
for 10 £ in favor of William Hazerty.

Debit Establishment & Co. Treasurer.

The Clerk reported that Thomas Taylor,  
Relieving officer had perfected his Bonds.

The Board was occupied until half  
past seven o'clock in investigating the claims  
of persons for Relief on the Relieving officers applic-  
ations and Report Books, and were unable to get  
through all the applicants, and adjourned until  
2 o'clock on Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> instant

Saturday 2 O'clock

The Board having assembled

James Gillon Esq. In the Chair

Other Guardians present

Stephen J. Danell Esq.

The Board proceeded to investigate the  
claims of the applicants on the Relieving  
officers Books which occupied the remainder  
of the day,

The Board was then adjourned to  
Monday the 29<sup>th</sup> instant

Wm. G. G. Chairman

Chairman

Edmond Givison

Two other Guardians  
Present

Clerk of the Union



The Clerk left before the Board the list of duly ~~constituted~~ guardians for the year ending 25 March 1849

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 132.17  
 Paid during the week, - £ 67.10.8  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 9,020.3.9  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:-

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
John Kelly	Crough 4	27 6 7 1/2	597 6 4
"	Moore 5	14 17 5 1/2	200 14 3 1/2
"	Longmead 6	34 8 1	78 19 6 1/2
"	Ballaingrove 7	30 7 7	830 12 7
"	Clonsilla 8	25 2 11 1/2	636 14 1 1/2
"	Clonsilla 9	1 14 6	688 2 9 1/2
Michael Kelly	Wiltormer 1	143 17 2	3109 9 1 1/2
"	Abbeygrove 2	151 12 10 1/2	251 15 8 1/2
"	St. Clavin 3	21 6 6	142 8 6 1/2
John H. Moore	St. Ignace	79 7 7	462 1 1 1/2
"	St. Ignace	251 19 1 1/2	856 5 1 1/2
"	St. Ignace	" " "	3 3 9 10 3 1/2
"	St. Ignace	" " "	3 3 3 2 6
"	St. Ignace	" " "	5 5 4 1 1 1/2
Michl Pender	St. Ignace	" " "	14 14 14 2 1/2
"	St. Ignace	" " "	5 5 0 1 1/2
"	St. Ignace	" " "	2 4 9 7 1 1/2
"	St. Ignace	" " "	19 4 17 9
"	St. Ignace	" " "	1 0 0 1 0 4 6 1/2
Michl Curly	St. Ignace 10	" 12 1/2	56 8 1 1/2
Thos. Manning	St. Ignace 11	5 12 1/2	107 18 1 1/2
Philip Cyprian	St. Ignace	5 12 1/2	104 7 1 1/2
Thos. Manning	St. Ignace 12	" " "	482 13 1
John Kelly	St. Ignace	" " "	569 1 10 1/2
Michl Kelly	St. Ignace	11 5 0	311 18 3 1/2
"	St. Ignace	11 5 0	88 1 1 1/2
"	St. Ignace	10 6 0	519 15 3 1/2
"	St. Ignace	" " "	723 9 1 1/2
"	St. Ignace	36 6 0	6203 4 1 1/2
Total Union,		449 1 1	9378 1 1

NOTE. - A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The following receipts for lodgments made to the Treasurer were laid before the Board.  
 Michl Kelly £ 235.0.0  
 Michl Curly 5.13.5  
 Thos. Manning 11.5.0  
 John Kelly 114.17.2  
 Michl Kelly 36.16.0  
 £ 432.1.7

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 2.18.11 was produced and passed.  
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Auditor of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 33 . 12 . 8

At this stage of the proceedings of the Earl of Clancarty by the Chairman having arrived, the Clerk was vacated by Mr. M. D. and taken the Earl of Clancarty

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 33 . 12 . 8  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 110 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 27 1/2  
 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:

96 1/4 to office Meat £ 2.6.10  
 50 to Hospital " 13.6.2  
 7000 to Bread 43.15.0  
 6000 to Lent Milk 50.0.0  
 300 to Ruth Milk 1.5.0  
 4 Cart Salt 9.0  
 3 Tea 10.3  
 1 Key lime 1.8.0

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly 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 Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of which it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 9.2  
 In kind, - - - - - 67.14.3  
 Total, - - - - - £ 76.16.5

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book. The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Math. Hode	20.0.0			Bt. forward				
No. II.	John Carr	20.0.0			No. X.				
No. III.	B. Hume	20.0.0			No. XI.				
No. IV.	Joe Cleary	12.0.0			No. XII.				
No. V.	B. Fallon	10.0.0			No. XIII.				
No. VI.	J. Ryan	10.0.0			No. XIV.				
No. VII.	Thos. Taylor	10.0.0			No. XV.				
No. VIII.	M. T. Sisson	20.0.0			No. XVI.				
No. IX.	D. Delaney	10.0.0			No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.		157.0.0			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks; Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

Collection

	£	s	d
Thomas Warrington	57	27	
John Peunter	13	11	4
Michl Cowley	15	11	
Michl O'Silly	7	4	5
John Kelly	30	9	9
Michl Kelly	8	2	18
P. O'Connell	3	4	15
John H. Jones	12	3	15

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

General Chamber advertising	3	5	"
The Clerk Postage	4	1	"
William Cross	1	2	"

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

William Osaper	"	16	8
The Milk Contractors	583	15	"
Michael Humphrey	150	"	"

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Election Law & ~~Account~~ Account.

Thomas Wood Carriage Expenses	1	10	"
Thomas Moloney	"	12	6

Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

By the Report Book of the Visiting Committee it appeared there had been no visit to the House during the week.

The Board then proceeded to the Election of a Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Deputy Vice Chairman, when the Earl of Clancarty was unanimously elected as Chairman, The Lord Clonbrock, Vice Chairman, and Sir M. O. Bellow Deputy Vice Chairman.

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

On the Master's report it appeared that an individual named Thomas Lynn deserted from the House taking with him the Union clothes and was apprehended by the Police in Clonham. The Master was directed to take him into the House and have him confined for 24 hours in the reparatory gaol, on the Master reporting that the Coffee supplied by Mr. Fawcett was not equal to what he engaged to supply. The Clerk was ordered to give the six day notice on Mr. Fawcett and to advertise for Tenders to supply Coffee, to be received on Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> of April next.



of a Man named Jack Ryan, who Reported after  
Considering all the facts Connected with the Case are  
of opinion that the Master is not to blame he having acted  
in strict Compliance with his orders of not admitting people  
except from the Workhouse only,

Resolved

That the Relieving officers be at Liberty  
to give to each Adult pauper 1<sup>lb</sup> of Meal per day  
and 1/2 to each under 9. and that funds be now  
placed in their hands to procure Food on the best  
terms till further arrangements can be made by Contract

Referring

To the Lord Clerks Motion of last day  
of Meeting referring to the Revision of the Union.  
It was unanimously adopted that it be acted upon  
The Board Adjourned to Thursday at 12 o'clock

Thursday 12 o'clock

The Board having assembled

The Earl of Glancarty in the Chair  
Other Guardians James Dillon Hugh Kelly Esqrs  
Mr Thomas Haney & Edw. Givison & Henry J. Gascoyne Esq  
and William J. Sandcock Esq Inspector

Resolved That a sealed order is prayed to empower the  
Board to order Relief in food to able bodied persons who  
have Members of their family sick also Married Women  
whose Husbands have Emigrated and having two or more  
Children and Widows with one Child.

Resolved

That the usual Notice be given to persons whose names  
have been returned by the Master on being willing to leave  
the House and in addition one Shilling per week to  
become who have children and one penny per week  
to single persons

The Board was occupied until 1/2 past 6 o'clock investigating  
the Claims on the Relieving officers Books, and adjourned until  
Friday the 31<sup>st</sup> instant

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March

The Board having assembled

Thomas Seymour Esq in the Chair  
Other Guardians present James Dillon  
Walter Mc Donagh, William J. Sandcock Esq  
Patrick Blake Walter Sanson and Christopher  
O'Beirne Esqrs.

Mr. Sandcock having read a Communication  
from the Revd Mr. Moore P. O. of Meils and  
Killicocke to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant  
complaining of the want of Relief being given  
in said Parish

Resolved it appears Robert Rackford

was appointed Relieving officer for the Electoral  
Divisions of Maylough and Ballymiskin in which  
said Parishes are situate, on the 1<sup>st</sup> March  
and the appointment confirmed on the 11<sup>th</sup> March  
That Robert Rackford attended on the 15<sup>th</sup> March  
and executed his Bond with two Securities but it  
was discovered one of the parties had not executed  
the warrant of attorney.

That said Rackford attended a Meeting of  
the Guardians on the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant but did not  
state or report any destitution as existing and  
The Clerk being of opinion that the signature  
of one of the parties to the warrant of attorney

of a ... was essential, the said ... promised to  
attend on last Saturday <sup>with his family</sup> which he regretted  
to do.

Resolved that until Mr Hancock read  
the note of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Mr. Norme the Guardians  
had not received any report from any Clergy  
man Guardian or Relieving officers of the  
district and that if any such statement had  
been made to the Board of Guardians  
immediate steps would have been taken to  
afford relief

Resolved that a check be drawn on the  
Treasurer for £15 and forwarded to the  
Relieving officer together with his Books and  
that he be directed to place himself immedi-  
ately in communication with the Committee  
of Guardians nominated on last Wednesday  
and that the Clerk do for the Committee  
with our Brother Guardians forwarding to  
them a copy of this Resolution

at this stage of the Proceedings the  
Earl of Clancarty the Chairman having  
arrived, Thomas Seymour vacated  
the Chair which was taken by the

Friday the 31<sup>st</sup> instant

The Earl of Clancarty

The Board then proceeded to investigate  
the cases of the applicants in the Relieving  
Officers Books which occupied the  
Board the entire day

The Board then adjourned to Saturday  
1<sup>st</sup> April,

Saturday,

The Board having reassembled  
the Earl of Clancarty in the Chair other Guardians  
Present James Sillan, Henry J. Gascoyne, and Mr.  
Edw. Guiron.

The Board was occupied until 11 o'clock in  
the claims on the Relieving Officers Books  
Notice of Motion by the Earl of Clancarty for Wednesday  
the 5<sup>th</sup> April,

That a new Board Room Clerk office  
and office for Rate Collectors and Relieving officers  
and also a shed for the Poor Persons seeking Relief  
be erected on the Workhouse ground.  
The next Meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday  
5<sup>th</sup> April,

James G. Chairman  
{ Two other Guardians  
Present

Clerk of the Meeting