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 The next meeting of the Guardians take  
 held on Wednesday the 31<sup>st</sup> inst.

Chairman  
 James W. W. Donoghue, Guardians  
 Present.  
 Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:—	Aged and Able-bodied.		Infirm.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.		Total.	Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, 1000														
Temporary Buildings, 330														
Permanent Fever Hospital, 60														
Fever Sheds, 60														
<b>Total, 1450</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	115	216	41	240	393	108	31	"	"	1468	In Workhouse 173	In Hospital 112	In separate Wards, & in other Institutions,	Estimated Patients receiving daily attendance, &c.
Admitted during the Week.	2	3	25	53	27	17	1	"	"	128	Total, 285	Total, 122		
<b>TOTAL.</b>	117	219	66	293	420	125	32	"	"	1596				46
Discharged during the Week.	1	4	34	57	21	30	1	"	"	140				
Died,	"	2	"	"	5	9	3	"	"	19				
Total Discharged and Dead.	1	6	34	57	26	39	4	"	"	159				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	116	213	32	242	394	116	28	"	"	1441				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1848 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 Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	262	123	58	159	320	782	Bt. forward	2384	6043	757	2061	3141	8104
No. II.	204	186	26	49	230	535	No. X.	347	696	98	190	445	886
No. III.	157	320	70	151	233	471	No. XI.	250	578	29	84	279	662
No. IV.	147	348	50	162	203	510	No. XII.						
No. V.	338	654	285	578	623	1232	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	453	1066	21	60	504	1126	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	450	1767	174	660	624	2427	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	211	570	57	222	268	792	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	132	209	10	20	142	229	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	2384	6043	757	2061	3141	8104	TOTAL.	2955	7327	887	2344	3872	9671

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> day of May 1848.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Walter M. Donoghue*  
 Other Guardians: *John Corry, Samuel Bennett, Norman Ashe, George Hill, Michael Carr, Michael Kilgannon, John Carr, Henry Sgarayne, John Mahon, Ralph Walker, Stephen Masters, Walter Lawrence, John Lawrence, Sir James Koppell, John Thomas, Lawrence, Thomas Hannon, Charles Felgate, James M. Donoghue, James Eggar, Robert Symon, John H. Kelly, Richard R. de P. Donoghue, Michael Pender, Thomas Symon, Sir M. J. Bellair, Christopher D. Bellair, John Eyre, Peter P. O'Leary, John Wade, Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1924 to No. 2043, 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. 3072 to No. 3250, 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 laid upon the Board the Return of the Insurance Office on the Assurance and Annuity, and remarked that since the Assurance was effected, there*

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 had been two additional fire places put up  
 one in the Asst. School Master & one in the Asst. School  
 Mistress Room, of which the Insurance Company got the  
 notice the Board directed the Clerk to report to the  
 Insurance Company of the two additional fire places  
 having been erected and to request their sanction of same

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 - £ 777.17.1  
 Paid during the week - £ 449.4.7  
 And that the Balance on the Account the  
 Guardians was - £ 1107.17.10  
 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 Judgments made to  
 the Treasurer were  
 laid before the Board by  
 the Clerk £ 10.14.8  
 Michl O'Kelly 123.12.6  
 Michl Kelly 65.13.0  
 John Kelly 120.10.8  
 The Clerk 10.19.0

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
John Kelly	Quagh Moores	23 7 2/3 " " "	448 10 1/4 249 2 1/2
	Septimacomb	" " "	46 1 1/2
	Balkinacree	96 10 10	694 8 11
	Aughrim	" " "	57 10 8 1/2
	Clontarf	" " "	68 7 10 3/4
		120 10 7 1/2	2697 6 7 1/2
Michael Kelly	Killmoree Albany Killinore	5 14 14 3 6 45 15 6	205 15 1 1/2 71 9 1/4 372 11 1/2
		65 13	649 5 2 1/2
John Moore	Salquaine Eggar Blonfert		350 10 5 326 5 1/2 379 3 2 1/2
			1061 19 7 1/2
John Power	Ballymurnard Mullinacree Kilmoree		347 9 3 1/2 226 1 7 1/2 185 7 4
			761 18 2 1/2
Michael Power	Kilquinn Chasrayh		56 6 3 1/2 71 1 1/2
			127 6 3 1/2
Philip O'Connell	Killmoree		189 3 7 189 3 7
Thomas Manning	Killmoree Mullinacree		554 16 4 1/2 311 18 1/2
			866 13 5 1/2
Michl O'Kelly	Balkinacree Moylough	77 1 8 46 10 7 1/2	405 6 6 1/2 720 15 1/4
		123 12 5 1/2	1126 11 0 1/2
	Total Union,	309 16 1	7451 14 1 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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting,  
 amounting to £ 120 18 2 1/2 was produced and signed.  
 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 authen-  
 ticated 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 £ 120 s. 18 d. 2 1/2

Debit Provision Accounts, and Credit Invoice Account. 120.18.2 1/2  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 136.14.4

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for  
 the week was - 13 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - 13 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 13 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:

Officers Rations  
 on 1/10/46

9000 to Bread 156.50  
 5744 to Meat for Officers 3.13.10  
 50 to Bread 3.0.6  
 1500 Meal 10.10.0  
 30 Tea 10.3  
 28 Sugar 12.10  
 1000 Wine 1.8.0

3 Gallons of 1.10.0  
 2 Cat Beans 3.0.6  
 1/2 Cat White 3.0.6

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

1. The 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 27<sup>th</sup>  
 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure  
 in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - 17 8  
 In kind, - - - - - 227 9 4  
 Total, - 228 7 0

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.
No. I.	Thomas Taylor		2 1/2 Meal 22 0 0	By forward		10	
No. II.	Edw. Shakes		2 do 21 6 8	No. X.	John Kelly		20
No. III.	John Taylor		1 do 9 0 0	No. XI.	John Kelly		15
No. IV.	James Cleary		1 do 9 0 0	No. XII.			
No. V.	John Coyle		1 do 10 5 8	No. XIII.			
No. VI.	Robt Taylor		5 Tea 45 0 0	No. XIV.			
No. VII.	John Power		12 Tea 18 0 0	No. XV.			
No. VIII.	John Taylor		1 1/2 do 15 0 0	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	John Taylor		1000	No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.		10	1000	TOTAL		145	

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:

Electors Law & Co. Whisky Account.

	£	s.	d.
Thames & Mersey Retaining Officer	17	14	3

Electors Law & Co

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

2. Establishment Account.

Edmund Page Building	146	"	"
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John H Craig Whiskey	68	"	"
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Messrs Rusch & Palmer	Meal	2110	15	"
Edw Lully	ditto	50	"	"
Martin Smyth	d	10	5	8

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:

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

The Clerk reported he had lodged with the Treasurer £10<sup>0</sup> 14<sup>0</sup> 8. Received from Dr. H. Kelly Esq the balance on hand, after purchasing 20 Tons of Indian Meal for Millers' Electoral Division.

Debit the Treasurer £10<sup>0</sup> 14<sup>0</sup> 8

Credit Millers' Electoral Division

The Clerk also laid before the Board the Treasurers Receipt for £10<sup>0</sup> 19<sup>0</sup> being for potatoes and vegetables sold by the Master.

The Report of the Medical officer was read to the following effect vizt That it was necessary to have Spring Water supplied daily to the Auxiliary Work House and also to have the floors of the House repaired. The Board directed that Spring Water be sent daily to the Auxiliary Work House.

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

The Master Robert W. Conleton reported he had all things and furniture of the House all right with the exception of 300 Soles of Bread,

The Board taking into Consideration the attention and Satisfaction afforded by Mr Conleton, while Master It was Resolved that the Bread which is not forthcoming be charged as a General Charge,

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, in the following effect, (or, Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 1108. 1848.

dated 18 May 1848. requesting a Return containing a Summary of the Cases of Vaccination. to be furnished annually immediately after the 25 March.

Circular from the Commissioners dated 23<sup>d</sup> May 1848 relating to the Administration of Relief

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 430 1848 dated 26<sup>th</sup> May 1848 transmitting forms for Monthly Return of Rates and also forms for the liabilities of the Guardians for the Month of May

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 15736 1848 dated 29 May 1848 transmitting the Returning officers account of the expenses attending the Election of Guardians

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 436 1848 dated 29 May 1848 transmitting forms of Returns of the persons Rated from £8 to 25 £ and upwards

Circular from the Cattle Institution dated 29 May 1848 requesting payment of Subscriptions to 29 May

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 27674 dated 29 May 1848 returning Mr Shamp's Petition and stating the Poor Law Commissioners do not contemplate affording assistance

at this time except to young persons who are inmates of the Work House

Letter from the Ballinastee Town Commissioners requesting that a sufficient number of the able bodied inmates be employed in cleaning and carrying all filth from the streets in the Town and Suburbs.

Read an application from Edmund Page asking the Board to give him an advance of £200 towards the Completion of the new additions to the House

The Board ordered a check to be drawn on the Treasurer for £146.

Read an application from J. G. Armstrong of the Bank of Ireland asking the Board to order him a duplicate check N<sup>o</sup> 80 amount £15 which he states was the last or Mistaken transmission to Dublin and in which he guarantees the Board against any loss. It was ordered that a duplicate draft be accordingly drawn.

Referring to the Town Commissioners letter it was ordered to be referred to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Read an application from Adam Dwyer asking payment of one pound for wages which was found not to be due to him. Denis H. Kelly Esq<sup>r</sup> Proposed.

The appointment of Mr. Matter and Matson should be only temporary for one month until their fitness would be ascertained to fill their respective situations

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.  
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 87  
Ditto, disallowed - 0  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 62

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 3872  
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 a Master when there appeared from Candidates viz

Richard Matthews  
Michael Byrne  
Joseph Johnston  
Patrick Bolger

The several Candidates testimonials having been read and the Candidates having been called in and examined Denis H. Kelly proposed and Stephen Masters seconded Richard Matthews.

Sir Michael D. Bellew proposed and John C. Evans seconded Joseph Johnston

when there appeared for Johnston 15 Votes  
for Matthews — 13 —

Joseph Johnston was then declared Elected as Master

The Election of Matron was then proceeded with there appeared from Candidates

Eliza Case  
Deborah Joyce  
Eliza Woods  
Pearl O'Connell

John C. Evans proposed and Samuel Bennett seconded Deborah Joyce. Peter P. Daly proposed Eliza Case and there appeared for Deborah Joyce 25 Votes

for Eliza Case — 1 —

Deborah Joyce was then declared Elected Matron

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Several Representations having been made that Robert Rochford Relieving officer was Misapplying the funds alloted to him It was referred to the Local Committee who Reported that they find Robert Rochford's accounts were not kept Correctly and that he has taken Credit for Quantities of Meat and Sums of Money exceeding what he gave the Poor. It was Proposed by Sir Michael D. Bellew.

That the Relieving officer Robert Rochford be dismissed the Local Committee undertaking to transact the business in Ballinaskill and Maylough district until a Relieving officer be appointed. It was Proposed by Sir Michael D. Bellew.

That Mr McDonaugh the solicitor be instructed to take legal proceedings for the recovery of the Rates due on the Electoral Divisions of Ballinaskill and Maylough of persons owing over Five pounds Poor Rate and that the Clerk do Summon the Rate Collectors of Ballinaskill Maylough Killinew and Killcrossoban to attend the next Board day to account for the large Balances remaining due on their Electoral Divisions.

It was proposed to make application to the Poor Law Commission for a Renewal of the sealed order which will expire on the 17th June.

The Clerk was directed to write to the Trustees of Thomas Mining Rate Collector to apprise them if the Collector did not use more diligence in his Collection they could be proceeded against.

Mr Rochford the Relieving officer made application to the Board for an Investigation into the Charge made against him to which the Board agreed.  
The Clerk was directed to publish an advertisement in the Western Star for Tenders for the office of Relieving officer for the Ballinaskill and Maylough District to be considered on Wednesday the 7th day of June next.

Read an application from Mr. McArthur the Prisoner requesting to be supplied with Rate Books or Copies thereof  
The Board directed the Clerk to make out Copies of the Rate Books in which they would allow the sum of one pound

The Clerk was directed to proceed on a Car. for the purpose of procuring the Signatures of the Guardians to the list of the persons willing to Emigrate out of the Workhouse

It was Resolved that the assistants hitherto allowed to the Gate Master and Matron, be continued to assist the new Master and Matron.

The Clerk laid before the Board his account in relation of the Election of Guardians, a check was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for the amount £17. 14. 3

The next Meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday the 7th of June

James Eyre, Chairman  
James Eyre, { Two Guardians  
Thomas G. W. { Present

Thomas G. W. Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1848.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Rows include Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: 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. Rows include No. I to No. XVII, Car. forward, and a TOTAL row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 5th day of June 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. McCaragh  
Other Guardians: John C. Evans, Norman Pike, Charles Felgate, Charles Beavers, Michael Kilgannon, Stephen Masters, John H. Beavers, John Eyre, Thomas Hannon, Peter Paul, Daly, Sir, Ed. R. Mahon, Stephen J. Conlan, Mr. W. C. Bellew, John Wade, Pierce Joyce, Andrew O'Kelly, Cornelius J. O'Kelly, John Usher, Captain Odobalu and die.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2044 to No. 2192, 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. 525 L to No. 5424, 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 Communicated the Minutes of the Board to the Smelters of Thomas Mining Rate Colliery also to the Insurance Company of the Execution of the

Two additional Time-Places were further Reported that he issued an advertisement in the Western Star calling for Tenders for the office of Relieving Officer to be considered on this day

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, - £ 566-0-11  
 Paid during the week, - £ 566-0-11  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 541-16-11  
 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	Crough		443 10 1/2
	Almore		294 2 1/2
	Longmanscull		116 8 1/2
	Ballynasloe		694 8 1/2
	Aspinim		577 10 5/8
	Claughtert		138 7 1/2
			2599 8 7/8
Michael Kelly	Kiltomer		205 15 1/2
	Althorpsicam		71 9 3/8
	Kiltimer		372 10 1/2
			1449 5 2/8
John H. Moore	Kilquane		356 10 5
	Byrccant		326 5 1/8
	Clanfart		379 3 3/8
			1061 14 7/8
John Pender	Ballynacree		347 9 3/8
	Kilnamoyle		226 1 7/8
	Kilbane		116 7 4
			761 18 2/8
Michael O'Leary	Kilgobbin		56 6 3/8
	Thurrogh		41 2 1/2
			147 8 3/8
Philip O'Connell	Kiltoran		139 3 7
			139 3 7
Thomas Manning	Kilgobbin		554 15 1/2
	Kiltoran		30 18 3/8
			886 13 5/8
Michael O'Leary	Ballyniskill		405 6 1/2
	Maylough		720 15 1/2
			1126 1 10 1/2
	Total Union,		2451 14 11 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 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 £ 124 s. 11 d. 7/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d. 124 14 7 1/2  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 134 10 0  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 117 1/4  
 Average cost in Infirmary, 216 1/3  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, 216 1/3  
 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:

8,500 Ouzes	53 2 0	Am't for S
93 1/4 Meat for infirm	2 6 10 1/2	100 Rice
80 Corn Meat	1 10 0	500 Ouzes
1 Ton Meal	10 10 0	
5 1/2 Tea & 25 Sugar	1 3 1	
3 Gals Whiskey	1 7 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ 11 0 0  
 In kind, - - - - - 233 7 5 1/4  
 Total, - 233 18 5 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.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	Thomas Taylor		2 0 0 22 0 0	Bt. forward	Am't for S		10 0 0
No. II.	Edw. Sharpe		2 0 0 21 6 8	No. X.	John Smith		30 0 0
No. III.	Thomas Taylor		1 0 0 18 0 0	No. XI.	Thomas Taylor		15 0 0
No. IV.	Henry Henry		2 0 0 19 0 0	No. XII.			
No. V.	John Clark		4 0 0 16 0 0	No. XIII.			
No. VI.	Mark. Lyghen		2 0 0 20 0 0	No. XIV.			
No. VII.			3 0 0 25 0 0	No. XV.			
No. VIII.	John Ryan		3 0 0 27 0 0	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	Richard		10 0 0	No. XVII.			
Car. forw'd.			120 0 0	TOTAL.		55 0 0	233 18 5 1/4

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	L	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:

We have visited the House and found it in good order.

The Clerk Reported he had procured the Majority of 2/3 of the Board of Guardians to the list of persons willing to Emigrate It was

Resolved that the list be now forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners with a request that steps may be taken not to delay the Emigration of these persons

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

On the application of the Master orders were signed for the following articles, 1000 yards of Linen 400 yards of Bengal Shirts, 200 yards of Linen Walsey, 2<sup>nd</sup> Machine Thread, 1 do pieces black 2 do pieces of white tape 3 pieces of Grey Calico 1 do sweeping brushes 200 Nails 1 do Shovel 1 do Spade 1 do Hammer -

It appeared by the Master's Report that a Carpenter would require to be employed to repair the Wheel barrow, see see and that the Wall of the Road stone would require to be raised to the Roof, and that a part of the Floor require to be Slagged

Which was ordered



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

Sealed order from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 27694/48 dated 1<sup>st</sup> June 1848 Authorising the Election of Two Guardians one for Ballinacree and one for Clontarf

Sealed order from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 30372/48 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1848 Authorising the Guardians to afford Relief to the destitute able bodied Poor out of the Workhouse

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 N<sup>o</sup> 30032/48 dated 31<sup>st</sup> May 1848 transmitting a copy of a Communication from the Right Rev<sup>d</sup> Father Henry Roman Catholic Bishop of Clonfert and requesting the observations of the Guardians thereon

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 30372 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> June 1848 acknowledging the receipt of Minutes and stating they had given directions for a removal of the sealed order to afford out door Relief

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 29122/48 dated 6<sup>th</sup> June 1848 transmitting a copy of a Communication from Tacey & Behan, Complaining of not being paid for Meal delivered to the Board,

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 29069/48 dated 6<sup>th</sup> June 1848 acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of the Board of the 24<sup>th</sup> May last and sanctioning the purchase of Mr. Boyds field

Read a Communication from S. G. Braintree agent to the Sun Fire Insurance Company stating the Company have no objection to grant a new policy in lieu of the original which and will include the two additional new fire places

Read a Communication from Captain De Balmeudis stating he would attend the Meeting of the Board this day for the purpose of enquiring into certain allegations contained in Carlo Perys Letter to the Commissioners

Read Resolutions adopted by the Magistrates Union relative to the system of Rating Immediate Sessors

The Clerk was directed to pay the Subscription to the Poor Law Institution, due the 29<sup>th</sup> May 1848 amount £11-10

The Clerk laid before the Board a Financial Statement of the several Electoral divisions of the Union

Read a Communication from Mr. M. Boston asking the Board to allow him to work out of the House,

The Board considered they could not legally direct him to work out of the House

Read a Communication from Mr. Boyd stating he was prepared to perfect his part of the Boggan respecting the field.

The Board directed the Clerk to get their Solicitor to make out an agreement of the field to have it forwarded to the Commissioners for their approval

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.  
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 101  
Ditto, disallowed - - - - -  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 89

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 3669  
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 a Relieving Officer for the Ballinacorney District when there appeared four Candidates Andrew Fenaghty, Patrick Kennedy Robert Tucker and James Gill, when Andrew Fenaghty was unanimously elected, as Relieving Officer.

Sir Michael D. Bellew stated Thomas Manning Rate Collector, had not used due diligence in the performance of his duties as Collector.

Thomas Manning Rate Collector being in attendance stated that he had tendered an affidavit to Gerald Fitzgerald Stipendiary Magistrate for protection which he refused to receive, he was then directed to tender it to some other Magistrate.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Sir Michael D. Bellew proposed and Edward Brown seconded It was

Resolved

That in consequence of the letter of the Commissioners empowering the Relieving Officers to afford Relief in case of destitution to the families of Able-bodied Paupers that we request that the Commissioners direct their Officers to apply the Laban test in all possible cases

It was further Resolved,

That we deem it just that the same proportional reduction be made in the Sum to be repaid for the Relief of the destitute in the Summer 1847, as the Election division of May 1846

The next Meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday the 11 June 1848

Mr. Brown Chairman

The other Guardians Present

Thomas Gill Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:- Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 330 Additional Workhouse, 30 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1450	Aged and Able-bodied. Infirm.	Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
		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.	118	216	14	250	223	391	30	1	1471	In Workhouse Hospital 188 In separate Wards with other Inmates, 444	
Admitted during the Week.	2	2	34	66	52	31	6	"	43		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1464</b>	<b>Total, 302</b>	
Discharged during the Week	"	"	19	14	15	4	"	"	52	<i>External patients receiving daily attendance, 30</i>	
Died,	"	1	2	3	5	4	2	"	17		
Total Discharged and Dead	"	1	21	17	20	8	2	"	69		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	120	27	54	299	453	114	34	1	1595		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 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.	229	506	56	152	285	658	Bt. forward	2600	5991	833	1928	3433	7919
No. II.	264	498	26	48	230	546	No. X.	348	730	95	180	443	910
No. III.	165	334	82	164	247	498	No. XI.	227	577	38	105	265	622
No. IV.	170	405	63	149	233	554	No. XII.						
No. V.	347	663	404	766	751	1429	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	573	1146	28	92	541	1238	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	557	1533	88	244	639	1777	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	271	670	75	292	346	962	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	150	236	11	21	161	257	No. XVII.	4	11	6	19	10	30
Car. forward	2600	5991	833	1928	3433	7919	TOTAL	3179	7249	972	2232	4151	9481

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. McDonagh

Other Guardians: Stephen Mastes, Norman Ashe, Michael Carr, Michael Kilgannon, John Carr, O'Halley C. Felgate, Samuel Barrett, Robert P. Seymour, John Cheevers, H. C. Caskey, J. Egan, J. W. McDonagh, W. Lawrence, John Lawrence, Thomas Stanley, S. J. Conlan, Patrick Blake, J. W. Flanagan, G. P. O'Sullivan, Thomas Conlan, Esq., & George Hill Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2193 to No. 2381, 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. 3425 to No. 3714, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of C. 1 is previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

*The Clerk came before the Board a receipt from the Treasurer for a contingent made with him by the Rev. Lawrence Dillon who stated*

It had been given to him, as restitution money,

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, - £134.5.6  
 Paid during the week, - £110.3.3  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £24.2.3  
 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:—

The following receipts for judgments made to the Treasurer, were laid before the Board, by  
 Thomas Manning £37.19.6  
 Michael Kelly 100.6.0  
 Rev. S. Dillon 1-0-0  
 John Kelly 142-12-0  
 John H. Moore £33-19-7  
 £315-17-1

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
John Kelly	Crough	13 11 2	129 4 5
	allure	" " "	2 11 2 10 5
	Enghacall	" " "	16 6 4 5 9 7 3
	Ballinacree	125 9 6	588 14 5
	Carraig	" " "	12 1 2 5 7 6 18 0 3
	Clontarf	1 17 10 5	636 10 0 4
		142 12 0	2353 8 14 7
Michael Kelly	Kilbarrack	" " "	208 15 1 3
	Atterginnon	" " "	71 9 0 4
	Kilbarrack	" " "	372 " 11 3
			649 5 1 3
John H. Moore	Kilquane	9 12 7 2	346 11 1 4
	Boycourt	24 7 " "	501 12 1 4
	Clontarf	" " "	374 3 3 3
		33 14 7 2	1027 11 1 3 4
John Pender	Ballymacund	" " "	347 9 3 2
	Kilcannell	" " "	226 1 7 4
	Kilcannell	" " "	188 7 4
			761 18 2 1 2
Michael Conly	Kilcannell	" " "	58 6 3 2
	Marine	" " "	91 0 1 2
			147 6 3 2
Philip O'Connell	Kilcannell	" " "	139 3 7
			139 3 7
Thomas Manning	Kilcannell	13 6 9 2	521 8 6 3
	Kilcannell	24 12 8	257 5 4 2
		37 19 5 3	828 13 11 2
Michael Kelly	B. Clontarf	45 16 6	359 10 2 4
	Maynooth	54 10 " "	666 5 4
		100 6 6	1025 15 4 4 4
	Total Union,	3147 8 7 3	8717 1 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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and proved.  
 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 £ 113 . 16 . 11 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Income Account. £ 113 . 16 . 11 1/2  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 129 . 7 . 8 1/2  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. £ 129 . 7 . 8 1/2

Average cost including Officers Messways - 1/8 1/2

And the general average cost of an inmate for the week was - 1 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - 2 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:

10,000<sup>l</sup> Bread  
 5445 50<sup>l</sup> Officers Meats  
 1<sup>l</sup> Hospital do  
 1<sup>l</sup> cut Rice  
 1<sup>l</sup> 1/2<sup>l</sup> Tea meal  
 3<sup>l</sup> cut Salt  
 3<sup>l</sup> Tea

£ 12 . 10 . 0 Account from  
 14<sup>l</sup> Sugar 1.5  
 3-16-10 1 doz Milk 1-8-0  
 1:2:0 2 Cut Brown  
 15-15-0 1/2 Cut White Soap 3-9-0  
 6 9  
 10-3

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 10 day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ 11 " 0  
 In kind, - - - - - 241: 11: 9 1/2  
 Total, - 242: 2: 9 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.
No. I.	Thos Taylor	"	2 1/2 0 0	Bt forward		10 0 0	
No. II.	E. Taylor	"	1 0 0 10 13 4	No. X.	J. Mullin	20 0 0	
No. III.	O. Hallam	"	1 5 0 0 15 10 0	No. XI.	M. Fox	20 0 0	
No. IV.	J. Leary	2 0 0	2 0 0 15 0 0	No. XII.			
No. V.	M. O'Connell	"	5 0 0 45 0 0	No. XIII.			
No. VI.	M. O'Connell	"	2 0 0 20 0 0	No. XIV.			
No. VII.	M. O'Connell	"	5 0 0 45 0 0	No. XV.			
No. VIII.	M. O'Connell	3 0 0	4 0 0 36 0 0	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	M. O'Connell	5 0 0	" " "	No. XVII.			
Car. forwd.		10 0 0	2 10 3 4	TOTAL,		54 0 0	210 3 4

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.

William Boyd for Interest in his Fund	50	-	-
Thos Carl. Clamonty Rent of same	13	7	11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Michael Shaghnessy Bread	5	1	50
Charles Mc Dermott Inf	7	10	-

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Henry J. Pughan	23	10	3
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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:

We have visited the different Wards yards &c and found them very clean and in good order we also visited the several Hospitals and found all clean. no Complaints were made.

Read an application from a pauper Boy named Oaly, an inmate of the Workhouse requesting to have his Register changed in his case by having him registered as an adult, in order that he might be at liberty to attend more to his learning the Shoemaking trade

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

By the Masters Report it appeared that there is a Commode station at least one hundred persons, having over 50 beds vacant, last night, also that John Fleming, Mick Geimane, and Patrick McDonnell were sentenced by the Magistrates at Petty Sessions, to one months imprisonment for Repactory Conduct, and breaking six panes of Glass in the Windows of the Repactory Wards of the Workhouse, and also that a pauper named Port had absconded from the Auxiliary Workhouse on last Saturday taking into him a suit of the Union clothes and 7/- in money the Property of the Master and Porter of the Auxiliary Workhouse. A further appeared that there was an information given and a warrant issued for his apprehension

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

Scaled Copy of an order from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 27311 dated 5<sup>th</sup> June 1848 authorising the Guardians to raise a Rate or loan of £880 - for the purpose of enlarging the Work House

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 N<sup>o</sup> 30222 dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 1848 sanctioning the appointment of Joseph Johnston & Deborah Joyce as Master & Matron

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 27311-48 dated 9<sup>th</sup> June 1848 transmitting a copy of scaled order authorising them to raise a Rate or loan of £880 for the purpose of enlarging the Workhouse also a form of Deed of Charge on the Rates

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 457 dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 1848 Relative to the administration of Relief to the Holders of Sums

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 32292 dated 13<sup>th</sup> June 1848. Stating they had received a communication from Mr. J. H. Nolan of Clonsilla in which he states that Margaret Kessian and her 3 children have been deprived of their Weekly Rations by John C. Evans, of Clonsilla who has been dispensing Relief and requesting that the attention of the Relieving Officer be directed to this case

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 31793 dated 13<sup>th</sup> June 1848. acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of the 7<sup>th</sup> instant and enclosing an extract therefrom and requesting the Commissioners may be furnished with some further explanation of the wishes of the Board of Guardians therein referred to.

It was ordered to be referred to Sir M. O. Bellin to explain, who had proposed the Resolution

Referring to the Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 30032 dated 31<sup>st</sup> May 1848 enclosing a copy of a letter received from the Right Rev<sup>d</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup> Bishop of Clonfert

It was unanimously resolved that the charges contained in Bishop Comy's Complaint were fully investigated before the Board, and in his presence by Mr. Sabalmandier, the Commissioner appointed to enquire into the same and who we have no doubt will report fairly on the subject. That in our opinion, the charges generally were not sustained but that there was some irregularity in the attendance of the Committee at Ballymacward. The Board beg to observe that they cannot be constantly responsible for every portion of ~~any~~ extension or Union in which occasionally temporary irregularities may occur, but they confidently assert that their best attention has been constantly being given

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 83

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1157

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).

to carry out the law in the most humane and spirit and effective manner in their power, and that all things considered, they believe Relief take as efficiently given in the Ballinacree Union as in any other in Ireland

Resolved that a Communication having been received from Rev. Mr. Derry, touching the death of Patrick Ward at Esker, that we have this day immediately examined Mr. Ryder the Relieving Officer who states that an application was made to him by Patrick Ward on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May last, when he got an order to the House and his admission was ordered for him by the Board on the 10<sup>th</sup> inst. and by him reported on the 11<sup>th</sup> that afterwards on the 26<sup>th</sup> he came stating that his family were sick when he gave him an order for the admission of his wife and children to the Fever Hospital at Carranacree, who were there admitted <sup>that</sup> on the 27<sup>th</sup> he got a ticket for admission to the House and a 1/4 stone of meal to sustain him whilst going in, nor has he since heard of him until to day that he was informed at his usual place of Residence on Friday last that he was about begging

Read a Report from the Relief Committee of the Moylough and Ballinacree District in which they recommend the payment of £23. 10. 3. to James

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

and Rehan the amount which it appears is due to them by the late Relieving Officer for the District

It was Resolved that a Cheque be drawn on the Treasurer for the amount £23. 10. 3.

Read a proposal from Edw. Horseman stating he would contract to supply a quantity of Indian Meal of best quality for £10 per Ton

It was Resolved to accept Mr. Horseman's Tender for ten Tons of Indian Meal at the Price proposed

Read an application from William Boyd claiming payment for the interest of his field

It was Resolved that Drafts be drawn on the Treasurer for the respective sums agreed upon.

Read an application from Mr. John Kelly, Rate Collector claiming the sum of £1. 15. 10. the amount of County Cess due on the Auxiliary Work House

A cheque was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for the amount and directed to be charged to Mr. Sartin's account, the Landlord of the premises

Read a Communication from Mr. John Connolly calling the attention of the Board of Guardians to the inattention of the Relieving Officer in withholding Relief from a man named John Whelan, the Relieving was examined who stated that he brought forward Whelan's application for Relief on the 11<sup>th</sup> May and the Board having granted him in door Relief, the Relieving Officer gave him a ticket of admission but he refused to be lodged in the House

By the Master's Report it appeared that 6 Boys had deserted from the House and that four of them had taken the Union Clothes.

The Protestant Chaplain made application for 3 dozen Prayer Books and 1/2 doz of the Rev. B. Pritchings Catechisms for the use of the Protestant children, which was ordered.

On the Master's requisition orders were signed for the following articles vizd  
 600 yards of Canvas for Bed Lits  
 1000 yards of strong grey calico for sheeting  
 2 doz Fine Combs. 1 doz Rust Combs  
 1/2 doz Scissors. 1 quart of oil for Pumps  
 1 dozen Packages of black leads, 1 Stone Sulphur  
 100 of Shingles. 4000 yards of Banagon for Travers &c  
 The Master was directed to employ six other Sailors and to get as much clothes as possible made

The Master's Punishment Book laid before the Board and the punishments therein contained approved of

The Clerk laid before the Board the list of the accounts for the payment of the Pools Rates from the following Rate Collectors

- John Kelly
- J. H. Moore
- Mike Pelly
- Mike Pinner
- Thos Manning
- Mike Kelly

Which was ordered to be forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners

The next meeting of the Board will be held on Wednesday the 21<sup>st</sup> June 1848

Thomas A. Mc  
 Chairman  
 For the Guardians  
 Presid.  
 Thomas  
 Clerk of the Board

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1000 Temporary Buildings, 330 Additional Workhouse, 60 Fever Sheds, 10 Total, 1450	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.	Males.	Fem.	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,	120	27	54	29	45	11	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Admitted during the Week,	3	2	41	38	25	23	5	"	"	"	137	"	"	178	116	
TOTAL,	123	29	95	67	70	43	8	1	1	138	138			294	116	
Discharged during the Week	2	"	38	46	33	24	2	"	"	"	43	"	"			
Died,	"	"	2	3	3	1	"	"	"	"	9	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead	"	"	40	49	36	25	2	"	"	"	52	"	"			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	121	29	57	21	37	41	6	1	1	1	139	"	"			

External patients remaining daily attendance 30

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 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.	237	527	71	199	308	726	Bt. forward	2739	6295	992	2332	3731	8627
No. II.	221	547	39	83	260	630	No. X.	324	671	94	177	418	848
No. III.	174	353	104	202	278	555	No. XI.	234	527	415	130	281	657
No. IV.	222	462	83	251	305	713	No. XII.						
No. V.	351	684	436	790	787	1474	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	527	1187	33	108	560	1288	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	561	1560	103	298	664	1858	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	295	736	112	387	407	1123	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	157	239	11	21	162	260	No. XVII.	8	18	8	25	16	43
Car. forward	2739	6295	992	2332	3731	8627	TOTAL	3307	7571	1139	2664	4446	10175

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. McDonagh  
 Other Guardians: Henry Gascoyne, Thomas A. Mc, James W. McDonagh, Thomas A. Mc, James & Pice & Co.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2582 to No. 2596, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from Nos. 222 to No. 222, 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 he had published an advertisement calling for Tenders for the supply of bread, to be considered this day, also that Andrew Goughly A. O. with his committee had reported his Bond

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, - £254:15:9  
 Paid during the week, - £483:9:9  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £6392:5:2  
 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 Lodgments made to the Treasurer were laid before the Board by  
 Michael Conly £5-18-2  
 John Pender  
 Michael Kelly £2-13-0

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
John Kelly	Quagh		129 14 0
	Moore		249 2 10
	Inghamwell		11 9 7
	Ballinacree		588 19 5
	Aspham		576 18 6
Michael Kelly	Clontarf		626 10 0
	Killmore		255 6 1/2
	Killmore		205 18 7
John H. Moore	Killmore		71 9 "
	Killmore		372 11 0
	Killmore		649 5 7
John Pender	Killmore		346 17 9
	Aspham		301 18 11
	Clontarf		379 3 3/4
John Pender			1027 14 1/2
	Ballynacree	28 "	319 8 1/2
	Killmore	7 6 2	218 15 3/4
Michael Conly	Killmore	14 6 6	174 " 10
	Killmore	49 13 "	712 5 2/2
	Killmore	5 10 8	50 15 7
Philip Dignan	Killmore	" 7 6	90 12 6 1/2
	Killmore	5 18 2	141 8 1/2
Thomas Manning	Killmore	" " "	139 3 7
	Killmore	" " "	139 3 7
Michael Kelly	Killmore	" " "	541 8 6 1/2
	Killmore	" " "	287 5 4 1/2
	Killmore	" " "	128 15 11 1/2
Total Union		15 14	344 8 3/4
		37 10 9	628 14 7
		52 12 4	973 5 13 1/4
	108 3 8	7028 13 5 1/4	

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 £139 s. 11 d. 11 1/2

Unwage Cost including officers Nation & Hosp 1/7 1/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 139-11-11 1/2  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 130:14:9  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an inmate for 18 1/2 the week was

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:

11000 <sup>lb</sup> Bread	56.15.0	11 <sup>lb</sup> Starch	5-3
93 <sup>1/4</sup> <sup>lb</sup> Officers Meat		3 Gallons Whisky	1-7-0
54110 <sup>lb</sup> 80 <sup>lb</sup> Hospital do	3.8-7	14 <sup>lb</sup> Bread do	5-0
3 <sup>lb</sup> Tea	10.3	3 <sup>lb</sup> Blue	4.8
14 <sup>lb</sup> Sugar	6.5	1 Ton of oatmeal	
		and 1 <sup>lb</sup> Soda do	20.10.0

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

1. The general 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 17<sup>th</sup> day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 17-0  
 In kind, - - - - - 255-18-0  
 Total, - - - - - 255-18-0

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 Contractors.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	John Kelly		2 <sup>lb</sup> Tea 22.0.0	Bt forward		16.0.0	
No. II.	B. Sharpe	3.0.0	1 1/2 do 18.0.0	No. X.	John Kelly	20.0.0	
No. III.	B. Hallan		1 1/2 do 18.0.0	No. XI.	M. In de	21.0.0	
No. IV.	John Carr		2 do 18.0.0	No. XII.			
No. V.	John Carr		5 do 45.0.0	No. XIII.			
No. VI.	M. Johnson	3.0.0	2 do 20.0.0	No. XIV.			
No. VII.	A. Goughly		5 do 45.0.0	No. XV.			
No. VIII.	John Kelly		4 do 36.0.0	No. XVI.			
No. IX.	J. Dolan	100.0.0		No. XVII.			
Car. forw'd.				TOTAL		58.0.0	245.10

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

2. Establishment Account.

Two French Printing & Stationary	22	9	4
Some Comilan flaying	1	7	5
Edw Page on acc of Barm Army Wall	30	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Put Sally Inf	1	1	4
Nick a Banoh can	7	"	"

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:

Have visited the House and found it clean. no Complaints made by any of the Inmates

Read an Application from Edw Page claiming payment for the building of the Barrack wall.

It was Resolved that a check be drawn on the Treasurer in favour of Page for £30:0:0 on account. until it will be measured.

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

On the Master's application, orders were signed for 500 Lins. quarts and Pints. 3 gross of Spoons. 6 gross of Buttons 4". 1 gross of Thread. 6 hides of Butt Leather. 6 Mins of Slip. 12" English Roundings 10". 1000 of Pound Tuck. 8 dozen Tapes 1/2 gross of Showettes Tacks. 100 Pair of Blankets. 150 Pair of Rugs. 1000 yards of Strong grey Calico. for Shuting & Shirting. 400 yards of Baragon & 1 Pair of Corduroy.

It appeared by the Master's Report, that Patrick Wondan an Inmate whose behavior disorderly, was committed to gaol for 1 month.

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

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 N<sup>o</sup> 31617 dated 11<sup>th</sup> June 1848  
Sanctioning the appointment of Andrew Goughy a Relieving  
officer for Ballinacree & Maynagh district

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 31773 dated 15 June  
1848 referring to the assignment of the ground which has  
been taken from Mr Boyd and requesting to be furnished  
with the necessary particulars embodied in the deed also  
requesting to be furnished with same from the same information  
respecting the Complaint preferred against Thomas Manning  
Rate Collector.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 32883 dated 16<sup>th</sup> June  
1848 transmitting two Copies of Letters from Mr P. C. Whelan  
and requesting the attention of the Board of Guardians to the  
State of the district referred to.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 32175 14<sup>th</sup> June  
1848. Stating they had received a Report from Captain  
Sabatondier, with minutes of evidence taken before him  
on the occasion of the inquiry which he has recently  
made into the administration of Relief in Ballinacree Union

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 466. Dated 16  
June 1848. transmitting a Return to be filled up for the  
Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury  
of the expense incurred by the several Electoral Divisions  
of the Union in maintaining the poor from 29<sup>th</sup> September  
1847 to 25<sup>th</sup> March 1848.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 30372. 20<sup>th</sup> June 1848.  
acknowledging the receipt of minutes of the 31<sup>st</sup> Alliance  
relative to employing Able-bodied poor in cleansing the  
Streets and lanes of Ballinacree and suggesting to  
employ the Able-bodied who are receiving out door  
Relief in the Electoral Division of Ballinacree

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 33897. 20<sup>th</sup> June 1848.  
transmitting a copy of a Memorial from Thomas Stator.  
Stating he had been refused Relief

Referring to the Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 32583. 14<sup>th</sup> June

The Relieving Officer states that Michael Stone and  
Naughton. If a family had received Out-door Relief for 6 weeks  
from 25<sup>th</sup> March last upto 13<sup>th</sup> May. when they made  
application again and was ordered in-door Relief, which  
they refused. and on the 5 June they again made  
application when they Board granted Out-door Relief.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 122

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 48

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 144

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).

For 1 month, which they are now in receipt of. Sumpter was ordered in door Relief by the Board of Guardians which he has refused.

Referring to the Commissioners letter N.º 33897. The Relieving Officer states that on the 9<sup>th</sup> June 1848. Thomas Martin, made application for Relief, and that his case having been investigated, the Board granted him In door Relief which was refused by Martin.

Read an application from Mr. M. Arthur requesting to be allowed the expenses of Printing Notices, and of Postage and Stationary. The Clerk was directed to ascertain the expense of the Printing, but the Board could not undertake to allow Postage and Stationary.

Read an application from Catherine Neogh Fever Hospital Nurse for Groceries &c.

The Board taking into consideration the valuable Services of Catherine Neogh as Fever Nurse,

Resolved to allow her one Shilling p<sup>er</sup> Week to provide groceries.

Read a proposal from Patrick Costello, stating he would undertake to mound the Potato Crop, which is now sowed in that part of the New Cemetery.

The Board do not consider it necessary to employ any person, the ground being walled in

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Read a proposal from William Boyd stating he would give £10.0.0 for the grass of the field lately taken by the Board to 1<sup>st</sup> November next.

The Board directed the Clerk to advertise the letting of the Crop of Meadow, as it would be necessary to make some changes in the Field.

Read an application from Sarah Steele stating she has been an inmate of this House for the last 6 years, and during that time she assisted the Matron in the making and cutting of clothes.

Resolved to allow her 7<sup>½</sup> p<sup>er</sup> Week, to be kept until she leaves the House.

Read an application from Thomas Taylor Master of the auxiliary Work House, stating it would be very necessary to appoint a Matron for that House.

The Board do not consider the assistance of a Matron at all necessary for that house, it being chiefly occupied by weak and infirm People.

The Board then proceeded to the consideration of the Tenders for the supply of White Bread.

There appeared to be only two tenders that of David Wakefield and Michael Shaughnessy and both being for the same price, the Board taking into consideration that Shaughnessy being their present Contractor and that he has fulfilled his Contract very satisfactorily, Resolved to accept of Shaughnessy's Tender for the supply of White Bread at the rate of 6<sup>½</sup> p<sup>er</sup> 4<sup>lb</sup> loaf.

The next meeting of the Guardians will be held on the 28<sup>th</sup> Instant

Clarence Chairman

Norman Aker  
James Eggle Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided— Workhouse, 1150 Temporary Buildings, 330 Additional Workhouse, 60 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1600	Aged and Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Infirm.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, {	125	219	53	288	404	412	37	1	1	1580	In Workhouse Hospital, 185	In separate Wards, 10	
Admitted during the Week, {	2	4	21	41	34	113	5	"	"	150	In Fever Hospital, 46	In Wards with other Inmates, 1	
TOTAL, {	127	223	74	329	478	455	42	1	1	1730	Total, 304	Total, "	
Discharged during the Week, {	1	3	16	25	22	17	"	"	"	84	External patients receiving daily attendance —		
Died, {	3	1	2	3	1	2	"	"	"	12			29
Total Discharged and Dead, {	4	4	18	25	25	18	2	"	"	96			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, {	121	219	58	304	453	437	40	1	1	1634			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 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.				Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	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.	270	561	85	248	355	809	Bt. forward	2759	6305	1123	2616	3882	8921
No. II.	236	571	38	72	274	643	No. X.	316	626	95	153	411	779
No. III.	181	366	118	217	299	583	No. XI.	246	556	53	159	299	715
No. IV.	224	471	85	257	309	728	No. XII.						
No. V.	365	693	575	881	880	1574	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	542	1223	37	119	579	1342	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	486	1427	102	360	588	1787	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	304	754	132	441	436	1195	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	157	239	11	21	162	260	No. XVII.	10	21	9	29	19	50
Car. forward	2759	6305	1123	2616	3882	8921	TOTAL	3331	7578	1280	2457	4611	10465

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Carl Clancy  
 Other Guardians: Norman Ashe Samuel Barrett, James Egan  
 Thomas Harney John Wade Sir John Mahon Charles Selgate, Andrew Hill  
 James Blake George Hill Edm. Quinn John Edin John D. Kellow. Henry  
 J. Gascayre James W. McCanagh Stephen D. Danlan James McQuinn  
 Patrick Blake &  
 Major Stewart  
 Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2607 to No. 2706, 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. 6024 to No. 6302, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of C.O.s previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk laid before the Board a Notice which he had received from the same office stating the payment on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1848 of £15,486 18s for the expenses of £1150 from the 1<sup>st</sup> of January 1848 to the 24<sup>th</sup> instant amount £1,206 The Board do not

a check to the Treasurer for the Account  
The Clerk further Reported that Major Samuel Stewart the  
Inspector sent to the Union by the Poor Law Commission had  
arrived on Sunday the 25 instant

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, - £ 96.12.9  
Paid during the week, - £ 98.16.8  
And that the Balance on the Account the  
Guardians was - £ 6390.1.3  
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
John Kelly	Creagh	33 14 5	395 14 7 1/2
	Moore	" "	299 2 10 1/2
	Longmeadow	18 2 2	44 11 5 1/2
	Ballyasloe	85 14 7 1/2	183 11 9 1/2
	Aughrim	" "	570 15 6 1/2
	Clontarf	" "	136 10 1 1/2
Michael Kelly	Attorney	12 0 12 3	2436 2 4 1/2
	Abbeygarra	17 7 0	188 8 1 1/2
	Killinier	4 15 6	66 13 6 1/2
John H. Moore	Killinier	19 14 0	352 1 10 1/2
	Kilquaine	42 1 6	102 3 7 1/2
	Excelsior	" "	346 17 9 1/2
John Pender	Clanfert	" "	301 18 11 1/2
	Ballymacward	" "	379 3 3 1/2
	Kilcummin	" "	1027 10 11 1/2
Michael O'Leary	Killinier	" "	319 8 11 1/2
	Kilcummin	" "	218 16 5 1/2
	Killinier	" "	174 0 10 1/2
Philip Quinn	Killinier	" "	712 5 2 1/2
	Killinier	" "	50 15 7 1/2
Thomas Manning	Clonsilla	" "	90 12 8 1/2
	Killinier	" "	141 8 1 1/2
Michael O'Leary	Killinier	" "	139 3 7 1/2
	Killinier	" "	139 3 7 1/2
Michael O'Leary	Killinier	" "	54 8 2 1/2
	Killinier	" "	287 5 4 1/2
Michael O'Leary	Killinier	" "	54 8 2 1/2
	Killinier	" "	774 5 8 1/2
Michael O'Leary	Killinier	" "	344 8 3 1/2
	Killinier	" "	628 14 9 1/2
Michael O'Leary	Killinier	" "	973 2 10 1/2
	Killinier	" "	
Total Union,		217 1 10 1/2	11 11 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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting,  
amounting to £ 10. 7. 10 was produced and paid.  
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 authen-  
ticated 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 £ 140 s. 8 d. 11 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 140. 8. 11 1/2  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 135. 18. 4 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for  
the week was - 1/4 1/2  
Average cost in Infirmary, - 2/6 1/2  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 7/6 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:

Average Cost including  
officers Rations 1/8

10000 lb Bread £62-10-0 from up  
93 3/4 to officers Meet 3 3-14-7 14 1/2  
80 to Hospital Meet 3 3-14-7 14 1/2  
1 Ton Meal 10. 10. 0 2 Cwt Brown Soap 2. 12. 0  
1 Ton Indian 10. 0. 0 1/2 Cwt White 17-  
3 Cwt Salt 6. 9

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 24  
day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure  
in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - 1. 1. 6  
In kind, - - - - - 265. 15. 1  
Total, - 266. 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.		By Order on Contractor.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value.	£	s.	d.
No. I.	J. Taylor	-	-	-	24 lb Tea	24. 15. 0	Bt. forward	-	-	-	175. 7. 4
No. II.	C. Sharpe	-	-	-	1 Ton	10. 13. 6	No. X.	John Mullin	20. 0. 0	-	-
No. III.	B. Fallon	-	-	-	1 cwt	13. 10. 0	No. XI.	Walter Horde	20. 0. 0	-	-
No. IV.	P. O'Leary	-	-	-	2 do	18. 0. 0	No. XII.	-	-	-	-
No. V.	John Coore	-	-	-	3 do	27. 0. 0	No. XIII.	-	-	-	-
No. VI.	Walter O'Leary	-	-	-	2 do	20. 0. 0	No. XIV.	-	-	-	-
No. VII.	M. O'Leary	-	-	-	5 do	45. 0. 0	No. XV.	-	-	-	-
No. VIII.	John Ryan	-	-	-	2 do	18. 0. 0	No. XVI.	-	-	-	-
No. IX.	P. O'Leary	10. 0. 0	-	-	-	-	No. XVII.	-	-	-	-
Car. forw'd.	-	10. 0. 0	-	-	-	-	TOTAL,	50. 0. 0	-	-	175. 7. 4

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 Shorpe	73	2	8
D <sup>r</sup> Clothing acct. H <sup>o</sup> Treasurer.			
Establishment account			
5	"	"	5 10 "
5	"	"	5 10 "
11	13	4	7 10 "
5	"	"	2 10 "
5	16	8	5 9 4
2	10	"	5 9 4
6	"	"	8 15 "
7	10	"	8 15 "
16	9	2	8 15 "
16	13	4	9 8 5
8	6	8	9 8 5
10	"	"	9 8 5
4	"	"	8 1 6
4	10	"	10 15 6
3	10	"	8 1 9
3	3	"	" 13 5
2	10	"	3 15 "
2	"	"	3 15 "
Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.			
10	4	10	10 4 10
29	18	2	29 18 2

The following Officers Salaries in the Quarter ending 29 June excepting the Clerk & Master the Clerk

- Sate Master R.M.G. 11 13 4
- Matron Mrs C 5 " "
- Present Master J. Johnston 5 16 8
- Matron Mr. Joyce 2 10 "
- Assistant M<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Evans 6 " "
- Port Chaplain 7 10 "
- R.C. Co 16 9 2
- Sate Medical Officer 16 13 4
- Present M<sup>r</sup> S.D. 8 6 8
- Assistant Clerk 10 " "
- Clerk for other assistance 4 " "
- Assistant Master Hill 2 " "
- Master Amillan Workhouse 4 10 "
- School Master 3 10 "
- Assistant M<sup>r</sup> 3 3 "
- School Mistress 2 10 "
- Asst. M<sup>r</sup> 2 " "

William Kayd Milk 206 17 8  
David Wakefield 11 4 "

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

John Lancaster Meal 110 " "  
Edw. Tully " 75 " "  
Credit Treasurer & D<sup>r</sup> Out-door Invoice

Burial account

Joseph Shorpe Sending 5 18 9

Burial  
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:

Read an application from Mr. Tracey, Warden for Killymore, claiming payment of 15/- for the carriage of paupers to Union Work House - It was ordered to be referred to the local committee to report upon -

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

On the Master's requisition orders were signed for the following articles: 400 yards shoddy 16 gauge steel 20<sup>th</sup> housewife thread. 16<sup>th</sup> tailors thread 1/2 lb for Milk 2 large tins for the use of the Singery and Infirmary 1 doz sewing Machines, 500 yds linn and 500<sup>th</sup> of Bengal Strip, also some school requisites -

The Master further reported that Rankin who absconded some time ago from the Auxiliary Work House, was apprehended, and that a boy named Finn had stolen the Patent Machine Key for which offence he has been committed for trial to the Loughrea Quarter Sessions of the peace to be held at Loughrea, and which commences on this day, to which place the Paton will require to go to prosecute Finn, as also a pauper named Kent, and request the Board will allow their expenses - It was ordered to allow the expenses -

The Master further reported that a pauper named Mary Horan, had absconded from the Auxiliary Work House on Saturday, taking with her a suit of the Union clothes - against whom he had information given - The Master further stated that the Machine in the Male Probationary yard for purifying the

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

The clothing was out of repair, and also that the sewers in the different yards which require to be opened & cleared, and that the Temporary House, occupied by the Female School children which require to be repaired -

The Master was ordered to have the necessary repairs executed -

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 No 480. D. P. 48. dated 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1848 transmitting duplicate forms for two returns to be filled, to comply with an order of the House of Commons -

Letter from the Commissioners No 32, 382, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1848, transmitting a copy of a Memorial which the Commissioners have received from the Under Secretary's Office, from certain poor persons in the Ballina Mac Chian and requesting the observations of the Board of Guardians thereon -

Circular from the Commissioners 488 M/48 dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 1848 calling for the monthly return of Rates and the liabilities of the Guardians on the 30<sup>th</sup> June 1848 -

Letter from the Commissioners No 33, 420 dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 1848 stating they would have forwarded the lists of the names of the Parties to Major Stewart to communicate to the Board the course they recommended for the recovery of the Rates. - Referring to the Commissioners Letter No 32, 382, the Co. Officer having been called in stated that the Parties mentioned in the Memorial are receiving relief, it was ordered that the Parties be admitted to the Board -

The Master further reported that the milk supplied by Mr. Mahon one of the Contractors, was of an inferior quality -

The Master reported that the Assist. School Master had

had punished a boy, rather too severely which he stated was done accidentally - Read a Report from the Roman Catholic

Chaplain, complaining of the manner in which the Assist. School Master inflicted punishment on a boy named Pat Cahan - The Assist. School Master was called in and admonished and directed to be more cautious in the manner in which he punished boys under his care, for the future -

On the Master's Report of the milk supplied by Mr. Mahon being of an inferior quality, it was ordered -

That the Master do not take milk of an inferior quality from any Contractor, and in order to have the quantities required, that the Master do purchase milk of a good quality and have the Contractor charged with the difference of price, if any -

Resolved -

That application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for a sealed Order to enable the Guardians to give Out Door Relief to all bodied paupers, under the 2<sup>nd</sup> section of the Act to the 4<sup>th</sup> August next -

Referring to the Commissioners Letter No 33, 420 relation to the list of Parties against whom the Board propose to take legal proceedings for the recovery of the Rates - It was resolved -

That the Collector be directed to make out the list in accordance with the directions of the Commissioners in the case of the occupying Immediate Lessees, and separate lists for the Rates due on the Estates on which Receivers have been appointed to have them laid before the Guardians of the several Electoral Divisions interested, for them to

report the proceedings to be taken for the recovery of the Rates -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 84  
Ditto, disallowed  
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 - 4611  
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 Clerk read an application from Borlean and Usher - claiming payment of £111. 8. 10 for medicine &c - it was ordered to be referred to the Finance Committee -

Read an application from Mr. McArthur, asking the Board to give him the books to finish the revision of the valuation - It was ordered that the books be supplied to Mr. McArthur -

Having read a communication from the Secretary of the Ecclesiastical Commission, in regard to J. H. Moore, Rate Collector, It was ordered to be referred to the Guardians of the Clerical Electoral Division to report upon -

Read a communication from the Relieving Officer of Ballymacward, stating the local Committee had not attended for the last two weeks to investigate the claims for Relief -

Read a proposal from Mr. Boyd for the grass of the field 61<sup>st</sup> Tr. stating he will give £70 - for same - Mr. Ash a Member of the Board stated he will give £13 - for same - It was ordered to accept of Mr. Ashes proposal -

Read an application from the Assist. School Master asking 2 days leave which was granted - It was proposed by Charles Filgate Esq and seconded by Norman Ash Esq - That the appointments of the Master and Matron be confirmed, and that the Assistants hitherto allowed to the Master and Matron be continued - It was resolved that the Assistants to the Clerk be continued for 3 months at the usual salary -

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Read an application from S. Flanagan stating he would supply oatmeal to Kilmaculee, Ballymacward and Shasownagh Relief Districts for the sum of £12. 10 - per ton - Mr. Ash a Member of the Board undertook on the part of Messrs. Rush and Palmer to state that they would continue to supply Indian Meal to the several Districts, for which they are now Contractors, at the rate of £9 - per ton -

The Clerk was directed to write to Rush & Palmer to ascertain if they were agree to supply Indian Meal at the price mentioned by Mr. Ash -

Read a petition from some pauper who and Wards reside in the Fever Hospital asking for an allowance of meat -

The Board taking into consideration that these persons are now receiving extra rations in the, would not comply with their request -

Read a proposal from William Kenny stating he would undertake to put the pumps at the Temporary Work House in repair and supply a new pump. Stick for same for the sum of £1. 15. 0. and complete them to the satisfaction of any competent judge the Board may appoint -

It was ordered to accept of Kenny's tender - Referring to the Commissioners Letter N<sup>o</sup> 92, 382, transmitting a Memorial to His Excellency from John Murray, Pat Mollony, Tho<sup>s</sup> Dowd, Mich<sup>l</sup> Kenny, Pat Lane, Pat Kenny, Pat Connolly, John Loftus and Peter Fahy of the townland of Guilka in the Electoral Division of Moylough, the Board having enquired into their case find that five of the above named families have been receiving Out Door Relief, the other four being legally disqualified to receive Relief in consequence of their being in possession of 11.5 and 2 acres of land respectively, however the Board have this day ordered In Door Relief to them all -

Read a report from the Master of the Auxiliary Work House stating that a pauper named James Kelly had stolen from the garden of a person adjoining the Temporary Work House 10 heads of cabbage -

The Board directed that James Kelly be transmitted to the Union Work House, and there to be kept in solitary confinement for 24 hours.

Doctor Colahan reports that the Relieving Officer of Exycourt had sent in a poor woman who was just discharged from the Exycourt Fever Hospital, in a dying state and that she expired in a room after her admission -

The Relieving Officer having been called before the Board, was directed not to persist in sending poor persons in that state such a distance for the future, but to provide them with Out Door Relief.

Read a letter from Rev Peter Brown, Treasurer of the Kilgeroil Relief Committee stating that three tons of Barley of ~~value~~ were on hand, which he was ready to hand over to the Board, to be applied to the credit of the Division -

The Clerk was directed to give an order to the Relieving Officer of that District for the barrels and to have the money value of same placed to the credit of the Electoral Division of Kilgeroil -

On the Master's application orders were signed for the following books 6 dozen of Masters, 6 dozen of First B. Papers, 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> dozen of Tablet Boards, 200 Quills, and 1 large Bread Basket -

The Master intimated to the Board that himself and the Master of the Auxiliary Work House and the Porter with two of the paupers were bound in recognizance to prosecute at the Longrea Quarter Sessions, Cork who had absconded some time ago and Finn who stole the Porter's keys and requested the Board to allow their expenses - It was resolved that a Cheque be drawn on the Treasurer for the sum of £2- to defray their expenses -

The following notice of Motion was given by the Earl of Clancair -

That the Board at their next meeting take into consideration the propriety of striking a Rate for the following Electoral Divisions, which appear to be in debt, viz, ~~Exycourt~~ Taughmaccull, Ballinastor, Killian, Moyeough and Killasolan -

The accounts of the Athacragh Fair Hospital were submitted to the Finance Committee, which having been examined and found correct, a cheque was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for the am<sup>t</sup> £ 55.10 -

The next meeting of the Guardians will be held on Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> July 1848.

Clancair Chairman

{ Two other Guardians present

Mosley

Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 1848

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided Workhouse, 1155 Temporary Buildings, 330 Additional Workhouse, 330 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1600	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.				Boys.		Girls.		Children under 3 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
	Males.	Fem.	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, } 121 219 58 304 453 437 40 1 1 1634	In Workhouse Hospital, 1155	In separate Wards, 1155	In Fever Hospital, 60	In Wards with other inmates, 60	Total, 300	Total, "										
Admitted during the Week, } 7 7 21 30 21 28 5 " " 119																	
TOTAL, } 128 226 79 334 474 465 45 1 1 1753																	
Discharged during the Week, } 2 2 14 24 19 14 2 " " 79																	
Died, } 1 2 " " 4 3 " " 10																	
Total Discharged and Dead, } 3 4 16 24 23 17 2 0 0 59																	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 125 222 63 310 457 448 43 1 1 1664																	

*Chronic Patients*  
*Receiving daily attendance*  
*30*

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 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.	285	602	95	235	380	837	Bt. forward	2720	6281	963	2480	3683	8761
No. II.	231	555	37	71	268	626	No. X.	335	640	128	256	463	896
No. III.	184	369	120	220	304	589	No. XI.	254	588	11	191	265	779
No. IV.	229	478	89	266	318	744	No. XII.						
No. V.	262	503	323	632	585	1135	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	584	1235	43	131	597	1366	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	506	1519	102	378	608	1897	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	318	781	143	476	461	1257	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	157	239	11	21	162	260	No. XVII.	10	24	11	38	21	62
Car. forward	2720	6281	963	2480	3683	8761	TOTAL	3319	7533	1163	2965	4482	10498

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *The Earl of Mansfield*  
Other Guardians: *Mr. Ash, Mr. Kelly, J. C. Lewis, D. H. Kelly, C. Higgins, Mottam, No. G. Kelly, W. Kellyman, J. H. Cavan, J. W. M. Donagh, Sir J. R. Macdonald, J. W. O'Brien, E. Gorman, H. J. Gorman, W. A. O'Brien, J. J. Gorman, W. Gorman, Ex-Coleman John Cavan, Mr. D. Kelly, Pat Blake and Mayor Stewart*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.  
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2707 to No. 2799, 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. 6304 to No. 6502, 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 he had conveyed the orders of the Board to the Messrs. Bush & Palmer relative to supply of meal, also to the Kellerman Relief Committee relative to the supply of Claim for 1847.*

also the letter from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners to the Guardians of the Belfast Charitable Division relative to the Rate appearing due by the Ecclesiastical Commissioners -

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, - £ 729. 18. 7  
 Paid during the week, - £ 729. 18. 7  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 5,931. 13. 2  
 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 into the Treasurer's Room  
 John Kelly 6.9.19.7  
 John McNamee 4.6.12.3  
 Miss Kelly 3.4.6.5  
 £ 150. 18. 3

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
John Kelly	Cough	28	3 6	367	11 1/2
	Moore	"	"	299	2 1/2
	Tastunacaul	"	"	111	11 3/4
	Ballinastoe	111	16 1/2	441	8 9/4
	Castlemore	"	"	576	11 1/2
Michael Kelly	Clontarf	"	"	638	10 1/2
	St. James	69	14 1/2	236	2 1/2
	St. Andrew	"	"	188	8 1/2
John McNamee	St. George	"	"	66	13 1/2
	Killiney	"	"	352	1 1/2
	St. James	"	"	607	3 1/2
John Pender	St. George	"	"	344	17 1/2
	St. Andrew	"	"	307	18 1/2
	St. James	"	"	379	33 3/4
Michael Conly	St. George	"	"	1027	19 1/2
	St. Andrew	"	"	319	8 1/2
	St. James	"	"	218	15 3/4
Philip Sigman	Killiney	"	"	174	11 1/2
	St. George	"	"	712	5 1/2
	St. Andrew	"	"	50	15 1/2
Thomas Manning	St. George	"	"	90	12 1/2
	St. Andrew	"	"	141	8 1/2
	St. James	"	"	139	3 1/2
Michael Kelly	St. George	"	"	139	3 1/2
	St. Andrew	140	17 1/2	446	3 1/2
	St. James	5	15 1/2	251	10 3/4
Total Union	St. George	116	12 3/4	727	13 3/4
	St. Andrew	6	2 1/2	338	5 1/4
	St. James	28	3 1/2	600	10 1/2
		34	6 3/4	938	16 1/4
		150	18 3/4	666	13 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 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 £ 138 s. 12 d. 5

Average Cost including Bread 1/6 1/2  
 Officers Rates 1/7

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 138 12 5  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 131 6 1/2  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/3 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary - 2 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:

11,000 to Bread £ 16. 12. 3 1/2  
 93 1/4 to Meat for Officer 2. by 10 1/2 1 1/2  
 80 to Hospital - 1. 6. 8  
 3 to Tea 11. 3  
 1 1/2 to Sugar 6. 5  
 3 to Salt 1. 7. 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 1st day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money - £ 3 11 2  
 In kind - 2 2 8 1/2  
 Total - 2 5 19 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 Contractor.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.		
No. I.	Th. Taylor			2 1/4 Ton	24. 15. 0	Bt. forward					
No. II.	C. Simpson			1 1/2 do	10. 13. 4	No. X.	J. Mallin			3 1/2 Ton	28. 10. 0
No. III.	B. Fallon			2 1/2 do	16. 10. 0	No. XI.	M. Todd			3 do	28. 10. 0
No. IV.	J. O'Connell			2 do	14. 0. 0	No. XII.					
No. V.	J. O'Connell			5 do	17. 10. 0	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	M. O'Connell			2 do	20. 0. 0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	A. O'Connell			4 do	38. 0. 0	No. XV.					
No. VIII.	J. O'Connell			3 do	28. 10. 0	No. XVI.					
No. IX.	D. O'Connell			1 do	9. 10. 0	No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL					

Total 280. 12. 0

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.
Thos. Dunlop Shaw	22	14	8 1/2

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

2. Establishment Account.

S. P. Hawcitt	29	8	5
Martin Loughran Stationary	2	3	"
P. Mahon	3	4	5
Burial age			
S. P. Hawcitt Coffin	40	18	10
Or Burial age Mr. Mason			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Michl. Humphreys, Shaw	193	15	0
Wm. Burt	11	18	1
W. Anderson Mill	322	7	1
J. S. Mahon do	152	16	2
Wm. Boyd do	10	7	4
J. P. Hawcitt for iron &	57	19	8
W. Harrison Man	14	15	0
A. Munk Can 44 P. Matting 44	5	1	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

J. C. Hornumman	138	13	4
Michl. Palmer	58	"	"
John Wood	90	"	"
D. Out-door Relief account Ho <sup>r</sup> . Treasurer			
Election Law Fee			
Edm <sup>d</sup> . Tracy Carriage paper	15	0	0

Election Law Fee

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:

The State of Mr. Haas and infirmity is such as to reflect Credit upon the New Master and Matron both of whom appear to take much pains and to have introduced considerable industrial improvement among the paupers - I also inspected the Sewer Works which is in every respect most Creditable to the Board in Charge of it - I recommend that a Chimney pot should be placed over one of the Chimneys also that Steps should be taken to provide sufficient means of drying the washed clothes which at present is very insufficiently provided for I recommend also that the drying yard should be enlarged by adding to it a small angle of the Fencible yard, at present quiet unless the work may be done without any expense as the wall to be pulled down is three times as much as that required to be built and the materials would pay for the work (Signed) Claucauty

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

On the Master's application orders were signed for 1/2 dozen of buckets with covers, 1 large clothes basket, 1 dozen linen towels, 1 bairn's & 1 Ewors, 1 set of fire irons for Matron, 1/2 barrel of tan & 1 cut of pitch & 6 tan fowls - On the application of the Matron for liberty to keep her child in the house - The Board allowed Mr. Joyce to have her son in the house - On the application of the Poor an Catholic Chaplain, orders were signed for two dozen of Butler's short catechisms - Referring to the report of the visiting Committee, it was ordered that the suggestions contained therein be carried into execution - Resolved on by the Poor Law Commissioners No. 35. 1847 dated 4<sup>th</sup> of Aug 1848 enabling the guardians to appoint relief to all bodies of paupers out of the house to the 4<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 5<sup>th</sup> next in addition, and

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

Scaled order from the Poor Law Commissioners, No 35-857 dated 4th July 1848, enabling the guardians to afford relief to able bodied paupers out of the house, to the 4th day of Aug<sup>r</sup> next including and empowering the guardians to appoint a additional Relieving Officer, sufficient to superintend the labour of such persons as shall be set to work, in pursuance of the regulations contained in said order -

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 495 of 48 dated 29<sup>th</sup> June 1848 relative to two returns sent to be filled to comply with an order of the House of Commons -

Letter from the Commissioners No 34, 407 dated 30th June 1848, acknowledging the receipt of minutes of the 21<sup>st</sup> June relative to a Resolution and expiring the guardians to the 21<sup>st</sup> article of the general Regulations -

Referring to the Commissioners' letter No 34, 407. the Board taking into consideration the very arduous duties of the Fever Hospital Nurse have Resolved to allow her during this great temporary paupering, to provide groceries - They deem it inexpedient to adopt the suggestion of the Commissioners as it would leave the Board open to repeated applications from the Officers of the Establishment, and as far as regards the weekly allowance to Sarah Keely, it was ordered to be discontinued from this - but the Board agreed to pay her for the past time & from then date -

Major Stuart having called the attention of the Board to the deaths of Mary Lyons and Patrick Leonard, the Guardians of the Division being present, stated that of their knowledge neither Mary Lyons nor Patrick Leonard ever made application for relief and that the former died of Fever -

The acct and estimate of the expense of the Fever Hospital were laid before the Board and submitted to the Human Committee which having been examined and found correct a cheque was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for £90-19-4

Resolved - That a draft of £5.0- be drawn on the Treasurer in favour of Denis H. Kelly Esq for the purpose of purchasing Fine Town additional of Indian Meal for the Supplemental Door Relief to the Killarney Electoral Division paupers and for which he is to account to the Board at an ensuing meeting -

A proposal was read from John Hood to supply thirty tons of white Indian Meal at £9.10- per ton, and twenty tons of yellow Indian meal at £10- per ton to be delivered at the Relieving Officers stores at Eyre Court, Killeen, Kiltown and Aughlin which was accepted of -

Also a proposal from Rush and Palmer to supply up to the 15<sup>th</sup> Aug<sup>r</sup> the following Electoral Divisions - with white Indian Meal - at £9.10- per ton, Ballinacilly, Moylough, Killadolan, Ash, Crash, Ballynacward, Killam, Kilmacull and Kilgenille at the rate of £9.10- per ton, which was accepted of -

Resolved - That it be referred to the Guardian Committee generally with the Divisions of Breesh, Taughmore, Connell, Ballinacilly, Killeen, Moylough and Killadolan to enquire into the financial state of their Division respectively, and to submit estimates for each, of the amount of new Rates that will be necessary to pay what is now due and may further be required for the ensuing twelve months -

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 - 74  
Ditto, disallowed - - - - -  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 52

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 1482  
The number of other applicants in the Post Office 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).

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the different Rate Collectors, ordering them to attend the next meeting of the Sub-Committees of their Respective Divisions, with a list stating who are the parties in arrear, and the circumstances under which they are so, and placing first on the list all the occupiers next those rated as Immediate Lessors, and last those who being on properties over which there is a Recuser, may have to be proceeded against in a peculiar manner -

Resolved - That Lord Clancarty having kindly consented to accommodate the Board with the requisite site for the New Board Room so contemplated in the resolution of 29<sup>th</sup> March and 5<sup>th</sup> April last, the attention of the Commissioners be again respectfully requested to the subject, as the present Board Room is quite inadequate to the purposes, and dangerous to the health of the persons called on to discharge the duty of Guardians, particularly in the present hot seasons, and with so much disease amongst the Poor. -

Resolved that application be made to the Commissioners of Public Works that the Poor Law Commissioners, for the loan of fifty Stone Hammer, six Crow Bars, and two hundred Banows, for the use of the Moylough and Ballinacorney Electoral Divisions -

In consequence of a statement having appeared in the Western Star, setting forth that a family had been living on App Flesh for some time thro' the neglect of the Guardians -

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

The Clerk was directed to show the Editor of the Western Star, when he would next apply for a copy of the minutes, an affidavit received from the person who is stated to have lived on that description of food - ~~conveying the fact.~~ Having read a letter received by the Relieving Officer of the Ballymacward District, from Pierce Joyce Esq; an Ex Officio Member of the Board, stating that the family of a man named Ward, (that was admitted to the Work House) would not be admitted without himself, and requesting the Relieving Officer would give them relief provisionally, which if disallowed by the Board of Guardians, he would himself pay for -

The Board have resolved on sanctioning the Relief given by the Relieving Officer, but have disallowed any further Out Door Relief in their case, and ordered them In Door Relief -

Referring to the letter signed J. Derry, Bishop of Clogher, charging the Board of Guardians with neglect of duty and improper motives of conduct towards the poor, upon which an enquiry was held - The Board request they may be favoured with a copy of the minutes of the evidence taken at the enquiry, & of Captain Labalmonday's Report there upon referred to in the Commissioners' letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> of June addressed to the Guardians upon the charges made against them -

A person of the name of Sally Keat, <sup>aged 76 years</sup> being ordered In Door Relief, which she refused in consequence of having a sore foot - The Relieving Officer having procured a car, she declined being relieved in the House; Having read a letter from Mr. O'Kelly, one of the elected Guardians of the Division, requesting the Relieving Officer to give out Door Relief, the Board having

having examined the Relieving Officer find that from the circumstances of the case, it would be inexpedient to give Out Door Relief in this case, have resolved on not sanctioning any other but In Door Relief -

The next meeting of the Board will be held on Monday the 15th of July 1845

Claremont Chairman  
 For other Guardians  
 Present

Joseph Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of July 1845.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided:— Workhouse, 1150 Temporary Buildings, 330 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1600	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 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, } 25 222 15 310 452 488 48 " " 460	Admitted during the Week, } 1 220 31 28 20 6 " 2 110	Total, } 26 224 83 341 480 494 49 " " 470	Discharged during the Week, } 3 " 11 10 " 17 1 " " 53	Died, } 1 2 3 2 3 3 " " 14	Total Discharged and Dead, } 4 2 14 12 14 20 1 " " 47	REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, } 12 222 69 329 465 487 48 " " 417	In Workhouse Hospital, 110	In separate Wards, 112	In Wards with other inmates, "	Total, 305	Total, "	Retention of Patients becoming daily attendance - 24		

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of July 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.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	295	613	95	284	390	899	Bt. forward	2871	6626	1218	2746	4089	9372
No. II.	222	536	34	65	256	601	No. X.	343	660	147	301	490	961
No. III.	180	360	115	215	295	575	No. XI.	256	598	86	283	342	881
No. IV.	222	409	88	177	310	584	No. XII.						
No. V.	363	714	330	890	893	1594	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	552	1243	47	136	599	1379	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	545	1057	140	453	685	2112	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	326	798	157	494	483	1292	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	166	304	12	30	178	334	No. XVII.	9	19	12	46	21	65
Car. forward	2871	6626	1218	2746	4089	9372	TOTAL	3479	7903	1463	3376	4942	11279

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 12th day of July 1845

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Carl Claremont*

Other Guardians: *Hugh Kelly John C. Cairns John Carr. Michl Carr N. Ashe James Egan Thomas Hancey W. W. Woods W. M. Pausy P. P. Daly R. G. Daly John Cope John Wade C. Fitzgerald Michl Kilgannon R. B. Spence Edu. Keane Sir J. R. Mahon John Cheevers H. S. Gascayre H. J. Rowland Geo. Hill Sir W. O'Sullivan Doctor Colclough and Mayor O'Shaughnessy*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2500 to No. 2924, 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. 2503 to No. 2847, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Out-door provisions made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Clerk reported he had conveyed the orders of the Board to the several Rate Collectors. He also reported that the Master Mr. Joyce and the Master of the Auxillary Workhouse Thomas Taylor with their domestics



had perfected their Bands. He also reported that Mr. McArthur the  
 Reviser was absent at Killybeg and not making any progress  
 with the Revision of this Union  
 The Clerk laid before the Board the policy of Insurance  
 of the House and furniture N<sup>o</sup> 1577.369.

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, - £ 1841.1.7  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 4090.11.7  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor the  
 Guardians was - - - - - £ 4090.11.7  
 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 judgments 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	Crumpho	337 11 13	
	Moore	299 2 10 1/2	
	Inchmacall	44 11 5 1/4	
	Ballinastue	441 8 9 1/4	
	Acquin	576 18 6 1/2	
	Cantusker	636 10 0 1/2	
		2366 2 1 1/2	
Michael Pelly	Kiltomer	188 5 1/4	
	Abbeyside	64 13 6 1/4	
	Kiltomer	352 1 10 1/4	
		607 3 7 1/2	
John H. Momo	Kilquaine	346 17 9 1/2	
	Espeasant	301 18 11 1/2	
	Claught	379 3 3 1/2	
		1027 12 11 1/2	
John Pender	Ballymacamp	319 8 11 1/4	
	Kilcannell	218 15 5 1/4	
	Killean	174 10 10 1/2	
		712 5 2 1/2	
Michael Conly	Kilgenwill	50 15 7 1/2	
	Abbeyside	90 12 6 1/2	
		141 8 14 1/2	
Philip Pujim	Kiltomer	139 3 7 1/2	
		139 3 7 1/2	
Maurice Manning	Kiltomer	146 3 2 1/4	
	Kiltomer	281 10 3 1/4	
		737 13 5 1/4	
Michael & Kelly	Ballymacamp	338 5 7 1/2	
	Mayclough	600 10 17 1/2	
		738 16 4 1/2	
	Total Union,		4660 13 2 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 Clerk reported  
 that the Rate Collectors  
 were making very little  
 progress with the Collection  
 of the Rates

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting,  
 amounting to £ 134. 11. 0  
 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 authen-  
 ticated 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 £ 134. 11. 0

Average Cost including  
 Hospital Officers  
 Patients 1/15 & 1/16 3/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 134. 11. 0  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 136. 18. 4 1/2  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 136. 18. 4 1/2  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for  
 the week was - - - - - 4 1/4  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 7 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 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:

11.000 <sup>th</sup> Bread	£ 71. 12. 3 1/2	Wm. Ford	£
20 <sup>th</sup> of Officers Meat	2. 6. 10 1/2	Wm. Ford	11. 3
80 <sup>th</sup> of Hospital Meat	1. 6. 8	Wm. Ford	16. 5
1 Cwt of Oatmeal	10. 10. 0	Wm. Ford	2. 12. 0
1 Ton of Indian Meal	10. 0. 0	Wm. Ford	7. 0
3 Cwt Salt	0. 6. 9	Wm. Ford	

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 8<sup>th</sup>  
 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure  
 in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 15. 0  
 In kind, - - - - - 281. 15. 7  
 Total, - 282. 10. 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.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.		
No. I.	Wm. Ford			2 Ton	22. 0. 0	Bt. forward		5. 0. 0		247. 10. 0	
No. II.	C. McKeown			1 1/2 do	15. 0. 0	No. X.	Wm. Ford			2. 0. 0	
No. III.	B. Fallon			2 do	20. 0. 0	No. XI.	Martin Ford			3. 0. 0	
No. IV.	Wm. Ford			2 do	20. 0. 0	No. XII.					
No. V.	John Carr			5 do	47. 10. 0	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	Wm. Ford			2 do	20. 0. 0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	A. G. G. G.			5 do	47. 10. 0	No. XV.					
No. VIII.	Wm. Ford			3 do	28. 10. 0	No. XVI.					
No. IX.	D. O'Hunt			5. 0. 0		No. XVII.					
Car. forw'd.				5. 0. 0		TOTAL,		5. 0. 0		247. 10. 0	

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.
Samuel Egan	119	11	9

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

2. Establishment Account.

Amey Clark Laundry Wm.	40	18	1
Thomas Mitchell Tailor	6	11	0
Owen Owen Carpenter	2	10	0

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 Invoices 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:

Major Stewart read the following Memorandum to the Board of Guardians.

The attention of the Guardians is much engaged to the proper enforcing of labour by the able bodied men on the out door Relief list.

In the Electoral division of Killybegs a man named Maguire who had refused indoor relief and was put on the out door Relief was this day employed by Mr. Kelly of Meelick to go with his Cattle to a fair and such irregularities may be of frequent occurrence. The instructions are fully laid down in the small book dated 25th April 1848 a copy of which has been furnished to each Guardian - and ought to be in possession of each Relieving officer also.

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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 Key got in over one of the front gates and pulled same. Potatoes taken out of the garden he suggested the necessity of having a brick tunnel over the gate ways to communicate with the Boundary Walls he also requested to know what sort of gate would be put to the new Cemetery. The Master further reported that the Porter had taken ill and the Master's application orders were signed for the following articles vizt 500 Rags and Mens Caps, 500 yards of Linsey Wooley & Grace of Shute 1/2 doz of Combs 1/2 doz of Scissors 400 yards of banding 1000 yards of Linnen for sheeting and Shirting 1 Press for the apartment Matron 2 Brass Plates for Messengers and a Man to assist in Taring and Pitching the Tin sheds and six Joornes for Boys School 50 Men names further on of the Able bodied, to be employed when an evening outdoor Relief. 4 Tons of Manure & 4 Spades -

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

The Master Remunishment Book was submitted to the Board and the Remunishment therein contained approved of. The Board directed that double Iron Gate 6 1/2 feet high with strong flat Iron Bars painted by 8 feet wide be procured for the New Cemetery. The Board further directed that Arches be formed over the gate ways to correspond with the Boundary Walls.

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 6 July 1848 N<sup>o</sup> 36763 forwarding a return to be filled up with the name of the town lands their Valuation and the Landlords name.

Letter from the Commissioners dated 7<sup>th</sup> July 1848 N<sup>o</sup> 35680 acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of the 28<sup>th</sup> instance and requesting to be informed of the particulars of the Case of the Poor Woman sent by the Relieving Officer to the Work House and who is stated to have died in about a Week after her admission. In reply to the above letter, the Medical Officer states that Hannah Nolan was aged 60 years was brought to the House and a Cart having a Relieving Officers ticket she appeared extremely weak and was obliged to be carried, being unable to walk after her admission. Some warm Milk was brought to her which she was unable to drink. She made no rally or apparent constitutional effort and died about an hour from the time of her admission.

Letter from the Commissioners dated 7<sup>th</sup> July 1848 N<sup>o</sup> 35680 Sunstaining the Continuance in office of the Assistant Clerk of the Union for 3 Months as proposed.

Letter from the Poor Law Boundary Commissioners dated 8<sup>th</sup> July 1848 stating that if any persons should apply for forms of Quareys they will supply them on application.

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 8<sup>th</sup> July 1848 N<sup>o</sup> 37231/48 transmitting a form of return to be furnished of the Poor Law Valuations of this Union.

Read a petition to Parliament adopted by the Newagh Board of Guardians praying for alterations in the present Poor Law.

Read a letter from Mr. Ashe declining to keep the Meadow of the care of the Workhouse ground in consequence of the observations made at the last Meeting of the Board.

It was ordered

that the Meadow be cut and sowed and sold for the benefit of the Establishment.

Read an application from Edward Page asking for an instalment of £100 in account of the building of the New addition to the Workhouse.

a check was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer accordingly for £100.

Read a Petition from Michael Coffy and John Burke who are inmates of the House for a long period during which time they were employed in assessing the Men Working and that on the 17<sup>th</sup> of February last on the recommendation of Mr. Conleton the late Master, the Board Resolved to allow them 1/2 pence to be kept until their leaving the house. They have been informed that the Poor Law Commissioners have

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 80  
Ditto, disallowed  
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 4942  
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).

Resolved to sanction it and requesting of the Board to request the Poor Law Commissioners to sanction the allowance to be continued as they are still employed in the same Capacity by the present Master.

Have ordered to be referred to the Poor Law Commissioners and request their sanction of the allowance hitherto allowed by the Board.

Captain Gascoyne reported he had visited the Auxillary Workhouse and stated as follows: He was long to find the yard at rear of the House in a very dirty state the rooms of the House clean, but those on the ground floor require repair as the flooring is much out of order.

The Assistant Master was called in and in answer appeared to have called forth a report had been amended - and the pumps were ordered to be employed in repairing the floors of the Auxillary Workhouse with lime and sand

The Report of the Medical officer was read as follows. I respectfully beg leave to call the attention of the Board this week to the following duties which I trust the Board will consider as necessary to constitute the duties of the Apothecary  
1<sup>st</sup> to Compound Carefully all Medicines for the sick  
2<sup>nd</sup> to Report daily when required by the Nurses the Medicines previously ordered for the patients by the Medical officer until ordered in the Prescription Book to be discontinued

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

3<sup>rd</sup> to dispence from the Surgery the extra dietary as now voted  
Wine &c ordered for such cases as may be required  
4<sup>th</sup> to enter the Names in the Weekly Return Book the admissions and discharges of all those in the Hospital and infirmary as directed in the prescribed form and to enter in the Mortality book the names and diseases of those who have died during the Week according to the prescribed forms also.

My reason for thus bringing the subject under the notice of the Board are that the appointment of the apothecary being made by the Guardians at the request of the Medical officer in consequence of the increase of duty caused by the late considerable increase of the numbers already in the House

The Medical officer has to devote a considerable portion of his time to the Sanatory Condition of the entire Establishment as well as daily prescribe the Medicine and dietary for the large numbers of sick both in the hospital Infirmary and Workhouse, under those Circumstances I trust the Board will consider that the apothecary is to keep the books necessary consequent on his duty.

Major Stewart reads a letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, N<sup>o</sup> 35662 dated 8 July 1848, relative to the local Committees to the following effect - the Commissioners are of opinion that it might be explained to the Committees that their proceedings are expressly limited by the 6<sup>th</sup> Section of the Irish Relief Extension Act to inquiring and reporting, the Board of Guardians being exclusively responsible in each case. In cases where the holders of land as well as their families are recommended for relief the Board of Guardians have no legal alternative but are bound to reject the recommendation as regards the holders of land but not their families if found to be in actual want of food

Resolved that an overseer be appointed at 5<sup>th</sup> week until the 4<sup>th</sup> of August next for each Electoral division in which out door Relief is given to able bodied under the 2<sup>nd</sup> Section of the Poor Relief Extension Act and use

do further propose that the Cutting of turf for sale to be placed to the Credit of the several Electoral divisions be carried on by three persons receiving out door relief when Turf may be obtained gratis also the Completion of Roads as well as stave breaking the employment of those persons to be carried on according to the directions of the Poor Law Commissioners

Resolved that application be made to the Commissioners of Woods and Forests for a grant for the Crown Lands in Ballinacorney in the Electoral Division of Kilgenill which contains 600 acres and which pay no Poor rate,

Resolved that in consequence of the difficulty of collecting the rates on properties under the Court of Chancery and the neglect of receivers to pay them that a second application be made to the Lord Chancellor that his Lordship will issue an order to receivers to pay out of the rents collected by them in the Months of October and November the Poor Rate usually levied in September as they are bound to do in cases of head rents so as to have the Poor Law in this Union carried into effect as early as possible and delay in applications to the Court is so great

Resolved that application be made through the Poor Law Commissioners to the Board of Public Works for the Loan Amity Box Rooms for the use of the Ballinacorney Electoral Division to keep the able bodied paupers employed who are receiving out door Relief

Referring to the Medical officers Report the Apothecary was called before the Board and having been informed of the Report expressed his willingness to perform the duty according to the 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> & 3<sup>d</sup> Paragraph of the Report but as regards the Concluding portion of the Report he stated it to be the duty of the Medical officer but that he would assist by making up the Mortality book

*W. Wade* } Chairman  
*Thomas West* } of the Guardians

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1848.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and infirm, Able-bodied, Boys, Girls, Children under 2 years, Born, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, and REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 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. Includes rows for No. I to No. XIX, Car. forward, and TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, The Earl of Clancarty. Other Guardians: Norman Ashe, Hugh Kelly, John Wade, James Cogan, Walter McDermott, Charles Fitzgerald, Peter Colohan, Denis H. Kelly, Henry J. Galway, Michael Carr, John Carr, William H. Donohoe, Michael Kilgallon, John McDermott, Richard G. Daly, Thomas Murray, J. H. Bourne, Samuel Bennett, & Major Stewart.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2927 to No. 3047, 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. 1652 to No. 1711 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 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, - £265.15.1  
 Paid during the week, - £252.8.8  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £12.15.0  
 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 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	Craagh	367 11 12	
	Abere	299 2 10	
	Loughmacrull	44 11 5 1/2	
	Ballinasloe	441 8 9 1/4	
	Thyburn	576 18 6 3/4	
	Clontarf	636 10 0 1/2	
		2366 2 9 3/4	
Michael Kelly	Attorney	188 8 12	
	Abbeymore	66 12 6 3/4	
	Killimer	352 1 11 1/4	
		607 3 7 3/4	
J.H. Moore	Milquaine	346 7 9 1/2	
	Expreest	301 18 11 1/2	
	Clontarf	379 3 3 1/2	
		1027 14 11 1/4	
John Pender	Ballymacward	25 14 11 1/2	293 14 10 1/2
	Millemull	12 9 1 2 1/2	206 6 14 1/4
	M. Claan	26 16 11 14 3/4	3 11
		650 2 6 4 1/2	5 1 1/2
Michael Curley	Riggenmill	15 9 4 35 6 3/4	
	Masmaske	1 4 3 89 8 3/4	
		16 13 7 124 14 6 3/4	
Philip O'Connell	Killcorran	" " " 139 2 7	
		" " " 139 3 7	
Thomas Manning	Milian	7 " 11 139 2 3 1/4	
	M. Claan	9 2 1/2 272 8 1 1/4	
		16 3 1/2 271 10 5	
Michael Kelly	Ballinacilly	48 3 4 290 2 4 1/2	
	Moylagh	79 15 2 520 15 7 1/2	
	Total Union,	127 18 1/2 870 18 1/4	

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.

225 15 1/2 6430 18 2

The following receipts for last quarter were laid before the Board  
 John H. Moore £400.0  
 Mr. O'Kelly 127.18.5  
 John Pender 65.0.0  
 Michael Curley 16.13.7  
 John Manning 16.3.1

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £7.12.10 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. 14 d. 0

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 144. 14. 0  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 139. 9. 8 1/2  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/4  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - 2/8  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 2/8  
 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:  
 11000 to Bread £71.12.8 1/2 and forward  
 93 3/4 to Officers Meat 3 3.8.6 1/2  
 80 to Hospital Meat 3 3.8.6 1/2  
 1 Ton water Meal 10.10.0  
 3 1/4 to the 14th Engin 17.8  
 500 ditto Candles 1.12.6  
 2 Cwt to Broom Sack 2.12.0

Usage Cost including Hospital and officers Rates 4/6 1/6 3/4

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.  
 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, it having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was  
 In money, - " 15 6  
 In kind, - 282. 19 5  
 Total, - 283. 14. 11

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.	J. Taylor		1 1/2 do Meal	16.10	Bt. forward				211 15
No. II.	C. Murphy		1 1/2 do	15.0	No. X.	John Muller		2 do	19
No. III.	B. Fallon		1 1/2 do	14.5 0	No. XI.	Arthur Keble		2 do	19
No. IV.	J. Cleary		1 do	9.10	No. XII.				
No. V.	John Kelly		4 do	38.0	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	M. Moran		2 1/4 do	22.10	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	A. Quaffity		6 do	37.0	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	John Kelly		3 do	28.10	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	D. Collett		1 do	9.10	No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.				210 15 0	TOTAL,				248 15 0

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

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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.			

Geo & Cameron for  
Sawtying 1 11 6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Lynch Pettit  
Expenses for  
Information Memoranda " 7 0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

By

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows: It appeared that had been no visit to the

recorded  
Name during the Week.

Major Stewart read the following Memorandum for the Board.

The attention of the Board of Guardians is requested to the manner in which Relief has been allotted to the families of applicants. In many cases the head of a family and some others of its Members have been marked for the Workhouse which they have not availed themselves of, and the remaining Members, perhaps three or four Children have been allowed out door Relief.

The result is that the head of the family escapes the labour required from persons receiving out door Relief under the 2<sup>d</sup> Section and the whole family either starves or a small allowance granted for 3. or 4. or if the father obtains Work his in the receipt of Relief in addition to his earnings, in other Cases the father is at Work breaking stones under the 2<sup>d</sup> Section and receiving for a family six or more only 3<sup>d</sup> of Meal per diem.

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

On the Master's application orders were signed for the following articles 4d 20<sup>th</sup> Musine Thread, 6<sup>th</sup> tape 6 Joannes for female School 1 Quart of oil 8 Grace of Studs 5<sup>th</sup> thread for Tailors 3 plants for tablet Boards.

On the application of the Protestant Chaplain orders were signed for 3 dozen of Bibles for the use of the Protestant Corp.

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

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Hae both the Revising Valuator of the Union, to state the time 4 months has passed by which he engaged to have the Revision of the valuation complete, and to state that the Board request he will complete the same at once.

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 N<sup>o</sup> 37150 dated 11<sup>th</sup> July 1848 stating that the attention of their architect had been directed to the Resolution of the Guardians on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant and that application had been made to the Commissioners of Public Works for the Supplement, &c. and also that a copy of the Evidence taken before Captain Sabalan and his wife would be forwarded.

Circular from the Commissioners dated 5<sup>th</sup> July 1848 in reference to the legal construction of the 10<sup>th</sup> Section of the Irish Poor Relief Extension Act admitted to in their Circulars of the 23<sup>rd</sup> May and 8<sup>th</sup> June also forwarding a return to be filled and furnished with the information required.

A communication was submitted to the Board by Major Hunt suggesting the use of Rye Bread and Soup as adopted in the Dungarvan Union as a dietary for Workhouse inmates. It was ordered to be referred to the Medical Officer of the Union to report upon.

Resolved That the Clerk do write to the Land Emigration officers to enquire that further delay may not be interposed, but that the emigrants be as speedily forwarded as possible to their destination.

Read an application from the Schoolmaster asking permission for liberty to absent himself for 3 weeks at the Sea in consequence of ill health.

The Board ordered the Master do communicate with the Protestant Chaplain, to name the person whom he would leave in charge of his school during his absence, and to report to the Board on next day if meeting when permission would be granted.

M. D. 11 Kelly handed in £17.6 being the balance remaining after purchasing 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  tons of meal for the Millwork Electoral Division, which was ordered to be lodged with the Treasurer.

Edmond Page reported he had now completed the new addition to the female side of the Workhouse and requesting to know if he was to proceed with the other wing on the male side. It was ordered that Page do build the wing to the Male side of the House, but must bind himself under a penalty of £50. to have same completed before 20<sup>th</sup> day of October next.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 114

Do, ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 33

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

4920

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 Lists of names of the following Electoral Divisions were laid before the Board by Messrs. Balliniskill, Attorney, Hilliner & Abeggormiscan, Messrs. Hillinier, Ballymacward, Hillinier & Hillinier, Denis H. Kelly Esq. Read a report from the Committee of the Hillinier Electoral Division to the following effect.

The Committee for Hillinier Electoral Division having carefully examined the lists furnished by the Collector, find that the sum of £17. 3. 11/2 are owed in Rate Book and

£25. 11. 11/2 due by the poor  
£42. 14. 5. ought to be

Cancelled that the sum of £4. 0. 1/4 received by Raftery for which Mr. Kelly is accountable & £13. 11. 1/2 sums which are good and will be paid, and that the sum of £15. 14. 0/4 be collected. £16. 0. 11/2 is due by Nicholas Darcy Esq. the Lord French and the representatives of General Sherles. against the two former proceedings have been directed, and if notice of proceedings is given to the agent of the latter as Immediate Cessor, the amount will be paid."

My Committee of are of opinion that a Rate of one Shilling in the pound will meet the <sup>expenses</sup> of the division for the ensuing year. Signed, D. H. Kelly - Chairman  
John Wade

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

at 8 o'clock

(Signed)

one shilling

It appearing after enquiry that there was some difference between the numbers on the Books and the numbers actually in the House. The Board ordered that the Roll of all the inmates be carefully called over every morning in pursuance of the Workhouse regulation, Article 111. and that the porter should be carefully to note down the name of every pauper entering or leaving the House.

The officers were called in & admonished of the necessity of strictly attending to the above duties.

The Board then adjourned to Wednesday the 26<sup>th</sup> inst.

W. B. Chairman

James Eggar Esq. Guardian  
Nicholas Darcy Esq. Present

James Hill

Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1848.

Num-ber of Inmat-ers for which accommodation is provided:- Work-house, 1650 Temporary Buildings, 330 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1600	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.		
Remain-ing on previous Sat-urday, as per last Return.	127	224	74	335	47	453	50	"	"	"	174	In Work-house Hospital 169	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital with other Inmates, 87	Total, 256	External patients receiving daily attendance 29
Admitted during the Week.	2	"	16	19	15	18	1	1	1	1	73			Total, "	
Total.	129	224	90	354	62	471	51	1	1	147					
Discharged during the Week.	3	1	18	29	17	16	3	"	"	"	87				
Died.	2	"	3	"	3	5	3	"	"	"	16				
Total Discharged and Dead.	5	1	21	29	20	21	6	"	"	"	103				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	124	223	69	325	47	457	45	"	"	"	170				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 day of July 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.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	219	464	58	201	277	664	Bt. forward	2761	6335	1248	2779	4009	9114
No. II.	175	440	38	91	213	531	No. X.	347	642	164	298	511	940
No. III.	190	390	110	242	300	632	No. XI.	244	636	130	417	394	1053
No. IV.	226	445	88	181	314	576	No. XII.						
No. V.	371	707	561	901	932	1608	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	362	1257	81	171	623	1422	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	520	1536	156	457	676	1993	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	333	826	164	509	497	1335	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	165	306	12	27	177	333	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	2761	6335	1248	2779	4009	9114	TOTAL	3382	7641	1553	3527	4935	11168

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair *The Lord Clontarf*

Other Guardians: *Saml Kelly Thomas Harney John Cheever*

*John Made Michael Kilgallon Walter McDermott Thomas Anthe Jones Esq. Sir Jas R. Mason George Hill. Sir M. Dunlop*  
*Ruband Gou July. Robert B. Seymour. W. P. Dunlop, Doctor Colahan, Henry*  
*Maguire, Edward Givernin Stephen J. Dorewellan Walter Lawrence*  
*John Lawrence*  
*James Bell*  
*Sir Michael O'Brien Bart*  
*Major Stewart*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3048 to No. 3124, 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. 2911 to No. 3035, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

*The Clerk reported he had conveyed the order of the Board to Mr. W. Arthur the Receiver, also that he had written to the Colonial Land Emigration Company relative to the list*

of persons furnished to them who are desirous of  
Emigrating out of this House  
The Clerk laid before the Board the Treasurer's  
Receipt for £17.6 being the balance handed in by  
Denis H Kelly on last day of Meeting

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, - £115.10.3  
Paid during the week, - £13.10.11  
And that the Balance on the Account in favor the  
Guardians was - £1205.17.4  
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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
John Kelly	Creeagh	7	10 6	360	2 7 6
	Moore	"	" "	279	2 10 2
	Longmacall	"	" "	44	8 5 4
	Ballinastee	61	6 7 6	380	8 2 8
	Asphraim	"	" "	576	18 6 4
Michael Pelly	Clontarf	"	" "	136	10 1 1
	Kiltormer	3	11 "	184	17 7 4
	Atteygancaun	"	16 6	657	7 7 4
John H Moore	Kiltormer	41	4 2	310	17 2 4
	Kilgincine	45	11 8	561	11 11 4
	Excuseant	"	" "	301	18 11 4
John Pender	Clanfert	54	16 9 6	324	6 5 4
	Ballynacorney	54	10 9 6	973	3 2 4
	Kilcamell	"	" "	293	14 10 4
Michael Conly	Kilcamell	"	" "	206	6 4 4
	Abodcraigh	"	" "	147	3 11 "
	Killean	"	" "	447	5 1 4
Philip O'Quinn	Killean	"	" "	35	6 3 4
	Killean	"	" "	89	8 3 4
Maurel Manning	Killean	"	" "	124	14 6 4
	Killean	"	" "	139	3 7 "
Michael Kelly	Killean	"	" "	139	3 7 "
	Maylough	"	" "	439	2 3 4
Total Union				272	8 1 4
				711	10 5 "
				290	2 4 4
				520	15 7 4
				810	18 1 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  
lodgments made to  
the Treasurer laid  
before the Board by  
Michael Pelly £ 45.11.8  
John Kelly 68.11.1  
John H Moore 111.10.10

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting,  
amounting to £ was produced and proved.  
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 authen-  
ticated 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 £ 133 s. 15 d. 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Income Account. 133.15.10  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 131.4.1 1/2  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for  
the week was - - - - - 13 1/2  
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 28  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 78  
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 Bread - £ 65.2.1  
93 3/4 Meat Officers - 2.6.10  
80th Hospital - 1.6.8  
1 1/2 Indian Meal - 10.0.0  
4 Cent Salt - 9.0  
3 1/4 Tea - 11.3  
14th Sugar - 6.5  
10th Wine - 1.8.0  
3 Gall Hops - 1.7.0

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 22<sup>nd</sup>  
day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure  
in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 11. 6  
In kind, - - - - - 285. 2. 5 1/4  
Total, - 285. 13. 11 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 Contractor.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Mr Taylor		2 Ton	22	Bt. forward				211.5.0
No. II.	B. Shupe		1 d	10	No. X.	John Muller		3 Ton	28.10
No. III.	B. Fallon		1 d	14.5	No. XI.	Mr Horde		3 d	28.10
No. IV.	John Conn		1 d	9.10	No. XII.				
No. V.	John Conn		5 d	47.10	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	Mr John		2 1/4 d	22.11	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	A. Gungahy		5 d	47.11	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	John Ryan		3 d	28.10	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	D. Delohut		1 d	9.10	No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.				211.5.0	TOTAL.				268.5.0

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:

Electors Law & Co. Workshop Account,

The Returning Officer — £ 1 13 10

Electors Law & Co

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

2. Establishment Account.

James H. Mullin Tailor — 6 6 "

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Rush & Calver — 408 10 "  
Edw<sup>d</sup> Tully — 82 10 "

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

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

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

The appearance of the House on general Management is satisfactory, some painting especially of the Iron Works and pipes is much required and it would be desirable to have it performed at the present season. There is a pauper in the House who could be employed at it. It would also be desirable to have the tiling more carefully bedded in Mortar and present a smoother surface.

It was ordered that the suggestions contained in the Report of the Visiting Committee as far as regards the painting be carried out.

The Contractor for the building of the new addition having been sent for, stated that the tiling had been set and finally bedded in mortar, but that the tiles had warped was directed to be careful in the selection of the tiles for the other flooring.

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

The Masters reported that the schoolmaster is ill and confined to his bed, on the Masters requisition.

Orders were signed for the following articles vizd

" 500 yards of Grey Calico 6 dozen fine Combs, oil and Glau for painting water pipes and Bars.

500 yards of Bengal Stripes 1 doz. Chain & and

1 dozen sweeping Brushes, and repairs of 5 milk Churns. The Masters punishment Book was submitted and the punishments therein contained were approved of.

On the application of the Master, 1 Press & 1 Table for the Porter of the auxiliary Workhouse, was ordered.

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

In Dublin laid before the Board a copy of the Minutes of the Guardians, taken before Captain Lablache and his report of the the Bishop of Cork's charge against the Board

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 N<sup>o</sup> 38,637, dated 18<sup>th</sup> July 1848 stating they have had under consideration the resolution of the Board of Guardians contained in Minutes of proceedings on the 12<sup>th</sup> instant regarding the employment of able bodied Paupers in the Cutting of Turf where Turf can be had gratis and requesting the special attention of the Ballinacorney Board of Guardians to their Circular on the subject of the employment of the able bodied labourers. The Commissioners recommend the Guardians to establish a system of breaking stones by measure as the most suitable employment for able bodied men requiring out door Relief.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 35,922 dated 19<sup>th</sup> July 1848 relating to a communication received from the Clerk for permission to employ assistants to prepare certain returns and requesting the Guardians to consider whether the allowance for assistance should be extended to the preparation of the returns in question

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 35,709 dated 21<sup>st</sup> July 1848 transmitting the returning officers account of the expenses attending the supplement of certain of Guardians to supply vacancies and directing payment of same namely £1.13.10

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 535<sup>th</sup> 448 dated 19<sup>th</sup> July 1848 transmitting for the information of the Guardians from copies of the 11 & 12 Vic Cap 25 we act to extend the powers given by former acts for purchasing or hiring land in connection with the Work House

Letter from J. C. Walker Esq to the Board of Public Works transmitting an order on their Store Keeper to lend the implements applied for and put

Letter from the Commissioners of Woods and Forests N<sup>o</sup> 4727 dated 20<sup>th</sup> July 1848 acknowledging the receipt of a letter of the 12<sup>th</sup> instant applying for a grant for the Crown Lands in Ballinacorney in the County of Wick and stating they would be prepared to recommend a donation on the part of the Crown in aid of the funds raised for the support of the Poor and requesting to be furnished with a statement of the Rate of assessment for the current year.

It was ordered that the Clerk do furnish the Commissioners of Woods and Forests with the information required

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	46
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	24

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	4,935
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).

Read a Letter from the Government Emigration officer John Henry stating he would be here in about a fortnight to select those young persons wishing to Emigrate

Referring to the Commissioners Letter No. 25,922 dated 19 July relative to the Clerk remuneration for assistants to prepare Returns

Resolved that the Board consider the Clerks demand for £10 for the assistants to enable him to prepare the Returns, he allowed him a cheque was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for £15.0 accordingly.

The Clerk submitted the following list to the Board

Resolved that the Clerk do forward to the Poor Law Commissioners the lists of defaulters for Poor Rate as returned by the Rate Collectors and to request their sanction of proceedings being taken in the Superior Courts for the recovery thereof - Resolved.

In consequence of their being no Compensation received from Mr. M<sup>r</sup> Arthur the Revisor

The Board request the Poor Law Commissioners to sanction their appointing a competent person to each Electoral Division to revise the present Valuation to be compensated out of the fund.

The Board have agreed to pay Mr. M<sup>r</sup> Arthur.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Read an application from the Assistant Master asking the Board to allow him Rations the same as the other officers

The Board taking into consideration the great duties devolving upon the Assistant Master, ordered him the Rations allowed to other officers.

Read an application from the Schoolmaster stating he had arranged with the Protestant Chaplain, the person he is to leave in charge of the School during his absence at the Sea.

The Board gave him leave of absence for 3 weeks

The Clerk was directed to get handbills printed and circulated calling for Persons to answer for the supply of 2000 Bars of Soap no tender to be received for a less supply than 400 Bars.

Tenders for the supply of Soap was submitted when that of Daniel Flattery was accepted at 10 supply White Soap at 3/9 per stone, and that of William Jorgan for the supply of Brown Soap at 1/9 per cwt, according to the samples supplied, which was ordered to be retained by the Station.

The next Meeting of the Guardians will be held on Wednesday the 2nd August 1848

Brooks Chairman

Two other Guardians Present

Clerk of the Union

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Ballymore UNION. 211

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1848.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided - Workhouse, 1150 Temporary Buildings, 330 Additional Workhouse, 30 Permanent Fever Hospital, 60 Fever Sheds, 60 Total, 1600	Aged and Infirm.	Able-bodied:				Boys.	Girls.	Born.		Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
		Males.		Fem.				Males.	Fem.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
		Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.								
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, 124	220	69	325	172	151	145	"	"	1799	In Workhouse Hospital, 159	In separate Wards, 1	External Patients receiving daily attendance 38	
Admitted during the Week, 3	1	12	18	17	16	1	"	"	68	In Fever Hospital, 84	In Wards with other Inmates, 1		
TOTAL, 127	224	81	343	189	167	146	"	"	1777	Total, 243	Total, 1		
Discharged during the Week, 7	4	30	71	36	31	4	"	"	183				
Died, 2	"	1	"	3	7	"	"	"	13				
Total Discharged and Dead, 9	4	31	71	39	38	4	"	"	196				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, 118	220	50	272	150	129	142	"	"	1581				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of July - 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.	227	480	65	218	292	698	Bt. forward	2710	6715	1283	2869	3993	8984
No. II.	162	401	37	89	199	490	No. X.	346	695	192	427	538	1122
No. III.	191	393	90	222	281	615	No. XI.	252	564	150	499	402	1063
No. IV.	215	396	82	164	297	560	No. XII.						
No. V.	367	688	578	939	945	1627	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	516	1253	79	182	645	1435	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	504	1438	166	491	670	1929	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	334	827	164	509	498	1336	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	144	239	22	55	166	299	No. XVII.	12	29	15	34	27	63
Car. forward	2710	6715	1283	2869	3993	8984	TOTAL	3320	7403	1640	3829	4960	11232

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *The Lord Clonmac*  
 Other Guardians: *Hugh Kelly, Walter McQuinn, William H. Burke, Michael Carr, Doctor Colahan, James Egan, George Hill, Norman Ashe, Andrew Kelly, Samuel Bennett, Eden Givens, John Byrne, Walter Lawrence, John Handy, Stephen J. Paulan, James McQuinn, John Keenan, Patrick Blake, and Mago Stewart.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3125 to No. 3194, 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. 7836 to No. 7916, 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 he had received a letter from Mr. Gougherty Relieving officer for Ballymore and Maynooth stating he had been unwell and was unable*

to attend to settle his account until the morning

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, - £14. 16. 10  
 Paid during the week, - £571. 7. 5  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £3,709. 4. 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	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
John Kelly	Brough	360	11 7/4		
	Moore	259	2 10/4		
	Laghtmacannell	44	11 5/4		
	Ballinastie	380	8 2/4		
	Aughrim	576	18 6/4		
	Clontarf	136	10 1/4		
		2,277	11 7/4		
Miss Kelly	Cliffmarnock	114	17 1/4		
	Abbeygormican	65	17 1/4		
	Killinera	310	12 2/4		
		569	11 1/4		
John Pittman	Cluain	346	17 9/4		
	Excuse	301	18 1/4		
	Clontarf	324	6 5/4		
		973	3 2/4		
John Pender	Ballymaward	213	14 10/4		
	Kilconnell	201	6 4/4		
	Killaan	147	3 1/4		
		647	5 1/4		
Miss Hurley	Cliffmarnock	35	6 3/4		
	Clontarf	89	8 3/4		
		124	14 8/4		
P. O'Connell	Killinera	139	3 7/4		
		139	3 7/4		
Miss Manning	Cliffmarnock	139	2 3/4		
	Killinera	272	8 1/4		
		711	10 5/4		
Miss O'Keefe	Ballinastie	250	2 1/4		
	Maynooth	520	15 7/4		
		810	15 0/4		
	Total Union,	6,252	18 7/4		

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 £ 127 s. 8 d. 11/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - £ 128. 15. 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - £ 1/3 2/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - £ 2/8 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - £ 2/8 3/4

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:

11.00 <sup>th</sup> Bread	£ 65. 2. 1	Ammonia	£ 81. 15. 2 1/2
100 <sup>th</sup> Officers Meat	2. 10. 4	1 Cuppin	1. 8. 0
1 Ton oatmeal	10. 10. 0		
1 Cwt Rice	1. 2. 0		
3 1/4 <sup>th</sup> Tea	11. 3		
28 <sup>th</sup> Sugar	12. 10		
80 <sup>th</sup> Hoop Mat	1. 8. 8		

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 29<sup>th</sup> day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	9. 2
In kind,	-	-	-	288. 2. 11 1/2
Total,	-	-	-	288. 12. 1 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.
No. I.	J. Taylor			1 1/2 Ton	16. 10	Bt. forward		3. 0. 0		201. 0. 0	
No. II.	C. Manly			1 dt	10. 0	No. X.	W. Mills			3 Ton	28. 10
No. III.	B. Fallon			2 dt	19	No. XI.	Martin Jones			3 dt	28. 10
No. IV.	J. Cleary			1 dt	9. 10	No. XII.					
No. V.	J. O'Connell			4 dt	38	No. XIII.					
No. VI.	M. O'Connell	3. 0. 0		2 1/2 Ton	22. 10. 0	No. XIV.					
No. VII.	A. O'Connell			5 dt	47. 10	No. XV.					
No. VIII.	J. O'Connell			3 dt	28. 10	No. XVI.					
No. IX.	C. O'Connell			1 dt	9. 10	No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL		3. 0. 0		288. 0. 0	

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. Debit Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Jac @ Hauest Coffins	10	7	2

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

Jac @ Hauest Sashes	12	9	6
Peter Cunningham Repairs	6	2	6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

William Boyd Milk	46	9	2
John Maher "	44	19	8
Robert Adamson "	82	5	2
Michael Shunguspy Bread	279	18	11
Jac @ Hauest Groceries	11	9	2
William Scary Soap	2	"	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

John Lancaster Meal	110	"	"
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5. 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 recorded during the Week.

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

The Master Reported the School Master was still confined to his bed— He further Reported a Man whose name was brought to the Master by a woman named Dooley who found him on the road. He was provisionally admitted to the Workhouse.

On the 27<sup>th</sup> inst. in a very weak state there was some warm wine given to him— he expired in a short time afterwards.

On the Master's Requisition orders were signed for the following articles viz 200 of Pills for School Mistress 3 doz small hand and 3 doz large hand hand lines 12 Small Bottles of Ink and one Table for the assistant Matron.

The Report of the Medical officer on the introduction of Rye bread, and Vegetable Soup, was read as follows.

I cannot report from experience, what the effect of changing the present dietary, and substituting Rye bread

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

and Vegetable Soup would be, upon the inmates of the Work House, from the extensive use made of the Rye bread and Vegetable Soup in the Dungannon Work House, and the very favorable Report by the Medical attendants, see no objection that trial should be made in the Ballinacree Union Work House, Rye is at present in Quantity, therefore time should not be lost, provided the diet is found less expensive.

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 N<sup>o</sup> 40027 dated 28 July 1848 acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the 19<sup>th</sup> instant and referring to a Report from a Committee of the Guardians relating to the Cancelling of Rates in the Hillerman Electoral Division and stating there is no legal Authority for so doing but that the outstanding arrears must be carried forward to the new Rates.

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 563 dated 29 July 1848 stating that Sir Henry R. A. Emigration Agent had left Dublin on his term of inspection and purpose being in Ballinacree for the purpose of selecting female applicants and directing that the names of those who may be selected should be laid before the Board of Guardians in order that arrangements should be made for defraying their expenses, and of providing the necessary clothing &c, a list of which has also been forwarded.

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 559 dated 29 July 1848 Calling for Monthly Returns of ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> Expenses of the Hospitals for the Month of July -

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 564 dated 29 July Calling for Monthly returns of Rates -

Letter from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 41313 dated 1<sup>st</sup> August 1848 relating to a Resolution contained in Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians on the 26<sup>th</sup> ulto on the subject of the Revision of the Valuation and stating the Board of Guardians should be guided in the arrangement for completing the Revision by the terms of agreement with M<sup>rs</sup> McCutcheon

Circular from the Commissioners N<sup>o</sup> 569 dated 31<sup>st</sup> July 1848 relating to the administration of relief to the able bodied out of the Work House,

Referring to the Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 563 dated 29 July 1848 -

It was ordered that the necessary arrangements should be made for providing clothing &c for those persons willing to Emigrate.

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  
Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 13  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 13

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - 18  
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 9  
The number of other applicants in the Provisory Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 15

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 accounts of the Chasemagh Fever Hospital were laid before, and referred to the Finance Committee which having been examined and found to be correct a check was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for the amount £2. 5. 0.

Read an application from Edmund Page asking an advance of £194 an account of the Building of the additions to the Work House

a check was ordered to be drawn on the Treasurer for £150.

Resolved that the Clerk do write to the several Rate Collectors who have not furnished the necessary returns of defaulters of Rates, to request that they do furnish them before next day of Meeting

Tenders for the supply of Turf were then read when the following were accepted of 4 1/2 p

William Rankin to supply	400	Reces	p 4 1/2 p Recs
Charles Brien to do	500		4 1/2
Bryan Egan to do	600		4 1/2
Andrew Gilligan to do	600		4 1/2
John Gilligan to do	1000		4 1/2

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1848.

(Signed)

Thomas Gill

Clerk of the Union