

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 221 . 6 . 5  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 229 . 13 . -  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 11 . - . 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ - - - - - was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilmacduagh	33	2	5	163	10	6
John Slator	Beagh	22	8	4	135	14	1 1/2
do	Kilturton	13	17	4	71	4	1/2
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilmara	35	1	10	257	11	7
Michl Taylor	Killeenavane	54	5	2 1/2	142	14	3 1/2
do	Killeeneen	3	.	4	87	5	4
do	Ardraken	26	15	0 1/2	192	.	9
John Slator	Kiltomas	11	6	7	28	16	4 1/2
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty	10	19	10	78	12	2
do	KilKedy	10	6	6	71	2	9
Total -		221	6	5	1228	12	5 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 82 . 19 . 2 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	82 . 19 . 2 1/2
Credit Invoice Account,					

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 89 . 9 . 7 1/4 d.  
 Debit Maintenance Account, }  
 Credit Provision Account, } - - - - - £ 89 . 9 . 7 1/4

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/11  
 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:

- 2000 lly of Bread
- 2400 qts of Milk
- 108 lly of Meat
- 2 Bt of Salt
- 1 Lt of Soap
- 3 St of Candles

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.

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 Cheques 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.



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 Under Secretary Dublin Castle 29 Nov stating that His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has ~~now~~ power to order Bedding from the Ordnance department

Letter from Commissioners, 30 Nov forwarding application of J S Brickwood for payment of £ 5 16. Sustatments due on Workhouse loan.

Letter from Commissioners 2nd Dec<sup>r</sup> forwarding copy of Letter from Patt<sup>r</sup> Graney on behalf of the Poor of Killeeneen Parish requiring out door Relief.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-	22
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-	
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-	161
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-	49

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.)

Gentlemen

I have to request the immediate attention of the Guardians, to the state of the bedding, particularly in the fever sheds, in most instances the patients have no other covering but a single blanket, and this is very much felt in the female shed, a great portion of the roof of which, is still uncovered by felt. The state of the children's clothing, is most defective, many of the convalescents in the Clap, being obliged to remain in bed, for want of clothes, a cook is very much wanted in the Infirmary to prepare the food, for those that are on meat and rice diet, at present, those matters are obliged to be given to the several nurses, a very objectionable mode of proceeding, whereas if all were dressed together there would be a considerable saving, and the broth and rice would be severally better made, and more nourishing to the patients, we are also in a wretched state for the want of a washhouse & drying room, in this weather both these matters must be performed, either in the sick wards already overcrowded, or left undone, — I have further to observe that in a sanitary point of view, the house is much too crowded and that it is very desirable the space at your disposal in the Bridge house, should be at once made available

I am Gentlemen  
yours truly  
Martin D Nolan M.D.  
Medical Officer

365  
The Poor Law Inspector having laid before the Board a Communication from the Commissioners upon the crowded state of the House,

Resolved that the relieving officers do make out a list of every inmate of the Workhouse chargeable on their several Electoral Divisions, and examine into the truth of the statements, of the first one hundred on their lists, and have it ready by next Board day, the remainder of the list to be ready by the following Board day. —

Resolved that in consequence of the multitude of miserable applicants from Kiwarra, and the total impossibility of ever finding accommodation for them in the Workhouse, it is the opinion of this Board that we forthwith agree for a house or houses at Kiwarra, to receive the claimants from that District, and that Lord Visct. Gort & Messrs St. Laffy & Ed. Hunt be appointed a Committee to examine into the subject and report to the Guardians thereon the next Board day, — and further that the Visiting Committee, carry out the arrangements now agreed upon for extending the present accommodation of the House,

The Matron delivered the following to the Board  
Gentlemen

I beg leave most respectfully  
to tender my Resignation  
Decr 3<sup>o</sup> 1847  
Bell Carr

Resolved that our Clerk do advertise in the General advertiser for Candidates for the office of Matron at a salary of £30 per Annum, Election to take place on the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst. —

*F. M. Shawe Taylor*  
 Chairman  
*Ed Hunt*  
*W. S. Laphin*  
*F. M. Shawe Taylor*  
 10<sup>th</sup> Decr 1847 Chairman

Galway County

Govt UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 4 day of Decr 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Females. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	144	57	44	19	10	174	10	18	10	9	3	50	4	4	3	3	7	21
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	144	300	285	230	30	989	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	188	357	329	249	40	1163	OBSERVATIONS						In case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.					
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	14	22	13	12	10	71	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	174	335	316	237	30	1092	In Work-house, 93	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates,									
							In Fever Hospital, 121		3									
							Total, 214	Total,	3									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 500, Sheds, 100 Bridgehouse 250  
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 17 day of Decr 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Fri day, the 10 day of Decr 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F M S Taylor.

Other Guardians:  
*Mr Bunke*  
*Rev Law*  
*Inspector*  
*Lord Govt Wm H Gregory*  
*Innocentyn Laphin*  
*Ed Hunt*  
*Wm Bunke*  
*Henry Laphin*  
*Patt O'Shaughnessy*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4274 to No. 4284, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ \_\_\_\_\_  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ \_\_\_\_\_ 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ \_\_\_\_\_ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ed Shaughnessy	Kiluaeduaigh				163	10	6
John Slator	Beagh				135	14	1 3/4
do	Kiltartan				71	4	6 1/2
Ed Shaughnessy	Kiivarra				25	11	7
Michl Taylor	Kilkenavara				142	14	3 1/2
do	Kilkeeneen				87	5	4
do	Ardrahan				192		9
John Slator	Kiltomas				28	16	4 1/2
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty				78	12	2
do	KilKeedy				71	2	9
Total -					1228	12	5 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

Galway County Council

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 Pooling List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 94. 10 s. 8 1/2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, }			
Credit Invoice Account, }			
	94.	10.	8 1/2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 93. 9. 7 1/2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Maintenance Account, }			
Credit Provision Account, }			
	93.	9.	7 1/2

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/11

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:

- 234 blls of Bread
- 2300 qts of Milk
- 118 lbs of Meat
- 4 lbs of Salt
- 1 lb of Soap
- 3 lbs of Candles

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.

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 Cheques 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.

	£	s.	d.

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

3 Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

Debit Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer 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:

Medical Officers Report		
admitted this week in fever.	43	
discharged cured.	24	
died.	3	
Remaining.		138
admitted this week in Dysentery	7	
discharged cured.	7	
died.	19	
Remaining.		35
admitted in small Pox.	3	
discharged cured.	1	
died.	4	
Remaining.		19
admitted in General Hospital	2	
discharged	4	
Remaining		36
Total		228

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 Commissioners, 2 Decr 1847, <sup>requesting</sup> respecting a report from Collectors of the result of proceedings against persons owing £2 and upwards, and also directing returns of the ten highest Ratepayers who have not paid their Rates, ordered by the Board that returns be furnished accordingly.

Letter from same 9 Decr calling on the Guardians to make a revision and scrutiny of the inmates of the House, with a view of making the Workhouse available for relief of able bodied applicants, and forwarding copies of circulars of the 14<sup>e</sup> and 26 Aug<sup>t</sup> last.

Letter from same 9 Decr forwarding copy of a Petition from Pat<sup>r</sup> Greany Millebeen on behalf of the Poor of that Parish stating that they have been refused out door Relief.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Poorers Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	5
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	79
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	26



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.)

Gentlemen

I have so frequently seen on last Board day drawn your attention to the state of the steam sheds, and the bedding & clothing attached thereto that I am most reluctant to refer again to the subject, but after the scene I witnessed on Monday, a feeling of humanity, as well as proportionate duty, obliges me to do so the rain came in in torrents, the floors were ankle deep, and the bedding and wretched covering of the unfortunate patients shivering with cold, were literally winging wet, I am sure it is only necessary to mention those painful facts, to induce you to take prompt measures to prevent their recurrence, so far as I am concerned, I can be of little service, unless I am furnished with proper means, to protect the lives of those entrusted to my care,

I remain  
Gentlemen  
Your obedient servant  
Martin Molan M.D.

Resolved that a double shed to answer as a day room, to accommodate 200 females, be erected in the Woman's Yard, of the Timber which we have at present and that the Visiting Committee be requested to employ a proper Tradesman to Superintend the work, and to get

more Timber from the Board of works if required

Resolved that in order to procure additional accommodation in the Dormitories we request the Poor Law Commissioners to sanction the erection of a Gallery in each Dormitory at the height of five feet from the floor to contain Beds, which arrangement we intend to accompany, with full ventilation as recommended by Mr Wilkison.

Mr Denis Keane contractor having applied for payment of account, due to him as follows  
viz for Potatoes, to Sept 1846. ——— 82.16.5

Soap to do . . . . . 11.4.0  
Salt to do . . . . . 1.12.6  
Straw to do . . . . . 6.18.0  
£ 102.10.11

Oatmeal to March 1847. ——— £ 252.18.4<sup>2</sup>

Soap to do . . . . . 12.2.0  
Salt to do . . . . . 1.15.0  
Straw to do . . . . . 16.18.8  
Carriage to do . . . . . 9.9  
£ 31.5.5

Mr John Namara having applied for payment of his account for Bread to Sept 1847 Amt. ——— £ 23.14.1<sup>2</sup>

Resolved that cheques be drawn for the above.

Resolved that a cheque be drawn on

our Treasurer in favour of our clerk for one hundred and fifteen pounds to pay for Indian Meal and to be accounted for.

Resolved that our Relieving Officers be directed to discharge one hundred paupers of the Class specified in the first section of the Poor Law extension act, as returned on their lists this day laid before the Board, upon the following allowances,

Persons above 9 years 1 lb of Meal  
Persons under 9 " 1 lb do

and that their names be returned on the Books of the Relieving Officers, and on the Outdoor Relief Register.

F M Shawe Taylor  
Chairman

E M Hunt  
Gorst

James Slater Clerk

E M Hunt Chairman  
17th Dec 1847

Galway County

101 UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 11 day of Dec 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upw.	Females aged 15 and upw.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males Females TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw.	Females aged 15 and upw.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upw.	Females aged 15 and upw.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	22	35	13	15	4	89	13	14	11	6	2	46	5	4	6	3	2	20
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	176	335	316	237	30	1092	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
							No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.							
TOTAL,	198	370	329	252	34	1181	In Work-house, 80	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates, 3									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	18	18	14	12	6	68	In Fever Hospital, 47											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	178	352	316	240	30	1115	Total, 227	Total, 3										

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500, Men, 100 Bridgehouse 250.  
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 21 day of Dec 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Fri day, the 17 day of Dec 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Edu M Hunt

Other Guardians:

Shadrick Gort J. L. Liff & Blagiere

W. Burke

Henry Liff

Poor Law

Pat. O'Shaughnessy

Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4514 to No. 4512, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £118.

Paid during the week, - - - - - £115

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £3.0.2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

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		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilnacdugh	11	8	1	152	2	5
John Slator	Beagh	"	"	"	135	14	1 1/4
do	Kiltanton	"	"	"	71	4	6 1/2
Ed Shaughnessy	Kilnara	18	16	1	238	15	6
Michl Taylor	Killeenavara	19	8	3	123	6	0 1/2
do	Killeeneen	9	10	1	77	15	3
do	Ardrahan	33	17	7	158	3	2
John Slator	Kiltomney	"	"	"	28	16	1/2
Ed Shaughnessy	Killeacanty	9	11	1/2	69	1	0 1/2
do	Kilkeedy	15	8	9/2	53	13	1 1/2
Total -		118	.	.	1110	12	5 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 100 - 5 s. 5 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	100. 5. 5 1/4
Credit Invoice Account,					
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 98. 10. 3					
Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	-	98. 10. 3
Credit Provision Account,					

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/8

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:

- 2430 lbs, of bread
- 4300 gals of milk
- 10 1/2 lbs of meat
- 3 cwt of salt
- 1 cwt of soap
- 3 st of candles

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.

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 Cheques 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.



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:)

Circular from Commissioners, 9 Decr 1847, informing the Guardians, that they propose to issue an order restricting the number of inmates, to be maintained in the Workhouse, and buildings in connection therewith, and requesting the Guardians, will direct the Medical Officer, to furnish them with his suggestions, in reference to the numbers proposed. —

Letter from Commissioners, 16 Decr 1847, approving of the erection of a shed in the Women's Yard, disapproving of the erection of sleeping Galleries, and advising the Guardians, to take account for indoor Relief, for applicants, from Kluvarra and Killeenavarra. —

Letter from Samuel O'Brien architect of Longbrea 16 Decr 1847, stating that he has been only paid by the Commissioners, a sum of £226 out of £236, the amount of his contract for erecting fever sheds. —

Resolved that Mr O'Brien's letter be forwarded to the Commissioners, and that our Clerk inform them, the amount of his contract for erecting fever sheds, was, Two hundred and thirty six pounds. —

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	20
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	193
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	60

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 reports the following bills paid by him as ordered by Finance Committee for half year ended 29 Sep 1847.

Invoice	
Indian Meal	18.3.4
do	14.0.0
do	24.11.3
do	16.13.4
	73.7.11
Rice	27.6.0
Bread	13.16.4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
do	12.15.9
do	8.7.11
do	59.0.8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
do	2.1.10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Turf	96.2.7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Cocoa Sugar	40.8.0
	13.11.2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	£ 250.15.9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>

D<sup>r</sup> Invoice and Cr<sup>t</sup> Clerk of Union as above

Establishment	
Printing rate keys	2.3.0
Carriage Indian meal	1.7.6
Printing notices	2.6
Carriage for papers	1.6
Bill stamps	18.1
Posting notices	5.0
Pitch & Tar	4.9.4
Carriage medicines	11.9
Mason work	1.0.0
lime	10.0
Turpentine	2.9
Tin measures	15.0
Carriage fund	12.6.5
seed barley	2.1.2
cleansing privies	3.0.0
fitting up surgery	4.0.0
Carpenter work	2.6
Sails & Keys	5.10
Glazier	10
Delph	5.8
washing fever clothes	1.0.0
Carriage of felt	1.11.6
dot Barrack Bedding	1.8.8
Postage	1.6.4
Carriage parcels	1.10.11
disbursement by Master	7.19.0 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	£ 36.18.10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>

D<sup>r</sup> Establishment & Cr<sup>t</sup> Clerk of Union

Unpaid Bills

Glasgow Turf	5.0.0	Blagiere seed barley	16.0
Cornican do	2.0.0	Keane blankets	7.10.0

D<sup>r</sup> account of Unpaid Bills, Cr<sup>t</sup> Clerk of Union

The Clerk reports the following bills due and unpaid for half year ending 29 Sep 1847.

Invoice			
Menamy Bread	104.14.5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Keane Soap	21.17.6
Menamara do	23.14.1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Walsh meat	23.16.10
Keane Indian meal	118.6.2	Molony Tea	9.18.8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
do Oatmeal	6.4.0	do wine	14.17.0
do Milk	599.16.7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	do soft sugar	6.1.4
do Salt	3.7.6	do Linn do	1.7.7
do Sugar	8.5.10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Kenny Candles	9.14.2
do Coffee	6.6.8	Roseingraue Turf	41.13.4
do Cocoa	1.0.7		

Establishment	Salaries		
Pestie medicines	22.16.9	Clerk	25.0.0
Althorn Books	18.13.3	Master	15.0.0
Linn Chronicle	5.17.6	Medical Officer	25.0.0
Genl advertizer	1.18.0	Chaplain	21.13.4
Kelly Kinter	7.5.6	apothecary	9.11.8
French for felt	19.4.0	Matron	6.0.0
Lord Govt Rent	15.19.4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Schoolmaster	4.0.0
Molony Oil	5.18.9	Schoolmistress	2.0.0
Poland Scales	2.6.5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	Hospital Nurse	2.0.0
Glynn Books	1.15.11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	apt do	2.8.4
Kenny Chamber	10.5.8	J <sup>r</sup> Forrest R Officer	5.8.1
Kegan Barrows	2.14.0	R Burke do	5.8.1
		Johannuesy do	5.8.1
		H Glynn do	4.8.10
		R Kelly do	3.11.6

Clothing & Bedding  
Denis Keane straw 37.0.4  
W<sup>r</sup> Keane cloth & mater<sup>ls</sup> 11.0.9

Vaccination  
T<sup>r</sup> Gill Vaccinator 3.2.6  
Funerals & Elections  
Mary Hynes Coffin 40.6.3  
Election March 1847 10.15.4  
do Kewarra June 1847 2.7.0 13.2.4

Collectors Poundage  
Jno Slator 71.16.6  
Ed Oshannesy 9.0.2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
W Taylor 13.17.3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Resolved that the foregoing bills as audited by the Finance Committee be charged in accounts to 29 Sep 1847.

The Clerk reports a saving on meal by storage  
amt £4.7.3

D<sup>r</sup> Invoice and credit Establishment with the above

The Clerk reports that a sum of Ten pounds, has been received for Barley, grown on the workhouse land & sold by Auction.

At Establishment of D. Clerk of Union with the above

Resolved that all persons, qualified under the Poor Law extension act, to receive out door relief, be discharged by the Relieving officer, and Master, on the usual allowance.

Resolved that our Relieving officer in his area do report to the Board at our next meeting, whether there is any available house in his district, which might be taken as an auxiliary workhouse

Tenders for clothing materials having been read Resolved that the following be agreed to viz

- Nick Meane for 300 yds of Blankets @ 1/6 per lb
- do 1000 yds Corduroy @ 1/- per yard
- do 700 yds twilled calico @ 7/2 per yard
- do 700 yds Galway flannel @ 10/- per yard
- Pat Cosgrave 500 yds Bengal stripes @ 7/- per yard
- do 500 yds Shirting linen @ 5/4 per yard
- do 500 yds Linsey woolsey @ 12/- per yard
- Messrs Millner 1000 yards of Frieze @ 1/8 per yard

Resolved that our collectors do proceed against defaulting Rate payers, upon the lists handed in this day. Report thereon the next Board day.

Resolved that our Clerk do advertise for a contract for Indian meal.

James Slater Clerk.

Ed Hunt  
 J. Lahiff  
 Pat O'Shaughnessy  
 J. M. Shawe Mayor  
 Chairman

Govt UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 18 day of Decr 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Fe-males aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL
During the Week ended as above,	48	82	43	19	10	202	14	45	24	22	4	109	5	6	4	3	2	20
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	178	352	315	260	30	1115	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	226	434	358	259	40	1317	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	19	57	28	25	6	129	In Work-house, 567	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other inmates.									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	207	383	330	234	34	1188	In Fever Hospital, 146		3									
							Total, 212	Total,	3									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 500, Sheds 100, Bridge house 250.  
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 31 day of Decr 1847

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tue day, the 24 day of Decr 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F M Shawe Taylor  
 Other Guardians: Jas Lahiff Ed Hunt J. Daly J. Mahon  
 Ed Maguire H. Galbraith Terence Hyues

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4543 to No. 4742, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ \_\_\_\_\_  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £3. 0. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ \_\_\_\_\_ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
E. O'Shaughnessy	Kilmacduagh	.	.	.	152	2	5
John Slator	Beagh	.	.	.	135	14	1 1/4
do	Hiltanton	.	.	.	71	4	6 1/2
E. O'Shaughnessy	Kilvarra	.	.	.	238	16	6
Michl Taylor	Killeenavarra	.	.	.	123	6	0 1/2
do	Killeeneen	.	.	.	77	15	3
do	Ardrakan	.	.	.	158	2	2
John Slator	Hiltomas	.	.	.	28	16	4 1/2
E. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty	.	.	.	69	1	0 1/2
do	KilKeady	.	.	.	55	10	11 1/2
Total -		.	.	.	1110	12	5 1/2

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 124. 4 s. 5 1/4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, } - - - - -			124. 4. 5 1/4
Credit Invoice Account, } - - - - -			

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 100. 16. 3 1/4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - -			100. 16. 3 1/4
Credit Provision Account, } - - - - -			

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/8

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:

- 278 3/4 lbs of bread
- 3779 9/16 of Milk
- 108 lbs of Meat
- 3 lbs of Salt
- 1 Cwt of Soap
- 3 St of Candles

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.

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£      s.      d.

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





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:)

Circulars of Central Board of Health 18 Decr 1847 respecting the admission of destitute poor persons into Temporary Fever Hospitals, & the maintenance and support of same.

Letter from Agent Sun Insurance office, calling for payment of premium on Workhouse Policy.

Letter from Commissioners 21 Decr stating that they have called upon collectors Edghamshuspy & Nichl Taylor, for an explanation relative to the delay in discharging their duties, and directed them to furnish a copy of their explanation to the Guardian.

Letter from Messrs Edghamshuspy & Taylor, explaining the cause of so much rats appearing uncollected in their districts,

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Progress Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	16
Ditto, disallowed	- - -	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - -	170
Ditto, rejected	- - -	71

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 following persons having applied for the office of Matron viz —

Mr Anne Robinson and Miss Anne Thompson

Resolved Unanimously that Mrs Anne Robinson our present Hospital Nurse be appointed Matron of the Workhouse at a salary of Twenty five pounds per Annum.

The Master of the Workhouse having applied for an increase of Salary.

Resolved that in consequence of the great pressure of business, and increase of duty which now devolves on the Master, his salary be raised to Fifty pounds a Year.

The Schoolmaster having tendered his resignation.

Resolved that an advertisement be inserted in the General advertiser, for candidates for the office of Schoolmaster, at a salary of Fifteen pounds per Annum Election to take place on this day fortnight.

Resolved that the report handed in this day by the Medical Officer, be copied and forwarded to the Commissioners.

Resolved that Mr Cosgraves Tender to supply <sup>396</sup> 500 yards of Cheque 36 Inches wide at 6<sup>d</sup> per yard be agreed to.

Resolved that a cheque be drawn on our Treasurer in favour of our Clerk for sixty pounds to pay for Indian Meal and other matters.

J M Shawe Taylor  
Chairman

A Lahiff

Ed Hunt

J M Shawe Taylor

31<sup>st</sup> Dec 1847 Chairman

James Stator Clerk

ESTIMATE Govt UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 25 day of Decr 1847

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.					
	Males aged 15 and upwr.	Females aged 15 and upwr.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Females. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwr.	Females aged 15 and upwr.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwr.	Females aged 15 and upwr.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.
During the Week ended as above,	46	71	38	35	11	.	201	21	51	50	24	5	161	1	6	6	1	14
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	207	383	330	234	34	.	1188	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.										
								No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.								
TOTAL,	253	454	368	269	45	.	1389	In Work-house, 183	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates,								
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	82	57	56	25	5	.	175	In Fever Hospital, 184		4								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	221	397	312	244	40	.	1214	Total, 257	Total,	4								

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 500 the up 100 Bridgehouse 250  
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 7 day of Janry 1848

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tri day, the 31 day of Decr 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F M S Taylor  
Other Guardians: Honble S Merke Elkhunt  
E Blaquiere James Mahon Henry Cahiff  
Th Lynch.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4743 to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:  
The Outdoor Relief Register was produced and examined from No 1 to No 25.  
The abstract of outdoor Relief list was produced by which it appeared that the expenditure for the week ending 25 Decr was in Kind — £2. 11. 2 1/4

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 83. 14. 1  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 83. 14. 1  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 3. 0. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
E. O'Shaughnessy	Kilnacdugh	10	4	2½	14	18	2½
John Slator	Beagh	19	2	0½	11	6	1¼
do	Kiltarton	5	14	10½	6	5	9 8
E. O'Shaughnessy	Kilivarra	20	16	5½	21	7	19 0½
Michael Taylor	Kilkenasavin	4	5	1½	11	9	11
do	Killeen	8	11	11	6	9	3 4
do	Andrahan	9	9	10½	14	8	10 3½
John Slator	Kiltomas				28	16	4½
E. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty	1	17	4	6	7	3 8½
do	Kilkeedy	3	12	3	5	2	1 8½
Total -		83	14	1	102	6	18 4½

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 103. 6. 7¼

Debit Provision Account, } - - - - - £ s. d.  
 Credit Invoice Account, } - - - - - 103. 6. 7¼

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 102. 15. 8½

Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - - £ 102. 15. 8½  
 Credit Provision Account, }

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/8½

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:

- 2700 lbs of bread
- 3700 qts of Milk
- 112 lbs of Meat
- 3 cwt of Salt
- 1 cwt of Soap
- 3 st of Candles

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.

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 Cheques 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.



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 Commissioners 21<sup>st</sup> Decr 1847 giving their sanction to the increase of Medical Officer's Salary to £75 a year.

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Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	-	27
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-	
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	-	197
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	-	39

All 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.)

Mrs Anne Robinson having tendered her resignation as Hospital Nurse.

Resolved that Mrs Robinson's resignation be accepted.

The late Matron Miss Bell Carr having applied for salary due her as follows —

to 29 Sep <sup>r</sup> .	6.0.0
25 Dec <sup>r</sup> .	3.0.0
	<u>9.0.0</u>

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above

Resolved that Henry Scully Tailor be employed, to make men's clothing, and instruct such boys as the Master may select, for the salary of one shilling per day.

Resolved that our Collectors do attend on Friday next with lists of all rates uncollected, in their several districts, and that our Solicitor be directed to attend the Board.

The Honble Major Vereker gives notice that he will on the 4<sup>th</sup> February next move the Board to strike a rate of three shillings in the £ on the valuation of the Union.

The Honble Major Vereker gives notice that on the same day he will move that the percentage of any collector who neglects his duty shall be impounded.

Resolved that in consequence of the crowded state of the house, and nearly 400 paupers being from the Electoral division of Kilwarra and an accession of 100 almshouse expected from the same division, The Commissioners be requested to sanction outdoor Relief, in that division to the able bodied.

The Chaplain having applied for payment of salary due to him as follows, viz.

September 1846	£ 20.
March — 1847	20.

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above.

J. M. Shawe Taylor  
Chairman

E. Stunt  
S. Rensdorst Vereker

James Stator Clerk  
J. M. Shawe Taylor  
7<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 1848  
Chairman



Cork UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 1 day of July 1848

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.						
	Males, aged 15 and upw <sup>d</sup> .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw <sup>d</sup> .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Fe-males. TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw <sup>d</sup> .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw <sup>d</sup> .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upw <sup>d</sup> .	Fe-males, aged 15 and upw <sup>d</sup> .	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
During the Week ended as above,	52	92	47	24	9	.	224	31	46	16	17	7	112	6	7	3	6	4	26
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	221	397	312	244	40	.	1214	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
TOTAL,	273	489	359	268	49	.	1438	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	37	48	19	23	11	.	138	In Work-house, 301	In separate Wards, .	In Wards with other Inmates, 4									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	236	441	340	245	38	.	1300	In Fever Hospital, 181	Total, 282	Total, 4									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500 <sup>Wards</sup> 100 <sup>Bedrooms</sup> 250  
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 14 day of July 1848

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tue day, the 7 day of July 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F M S Taylor  
Other Guardians: George S P Verker Ed Hunt  
Ed Blagiere Henry Lohiff McGalbraith  
Pat O'Shaughnessy

Mr Burke  
Prov Law  
Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. — to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:  
From the pressure of business this day the Registers have not been examined

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 3.0.2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Kilmacduagh	114	18	2½			
John Slator	Keogh	110	12	1¼			
do	Kiltanton	65	9	8			
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Kinivare	217	19	0½			
Mr Taylor	Killeenavara	119		11			
do	Killeener	69	3	4			
do	Ardrakan	148	13	3½			
John Slator	Kiltomas	28	16	4½			
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Killeacanty	67	3	8½			
do	Kilkeedy	52	1	8½			
Total -					1026	18	4½

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 124. 16 s. 5 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account,			
Credit Invoice Account,	124	16	5

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 97. 18. 11¼

	£	s.	d.
Debit Maintenance Account,			
Credit Provision Account,	97	18	11¼

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/8½

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:

- 5 Tons of Indian Meal
- 2330 lbs of Bread
- 4400 qts of Milk
- 117 lbs of Meat
- 3 cts of Salt
- 1 cts of Soap
- 3 lbs of Candles

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.

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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



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

Order of Commissioners, 1<sup>st</sup> Jan'y 1848, authorizing out door relief to widows with one child, and destitute children whose parents are dead.

Order of same 6 Jan'y 1848 authorizing out door Relief to able bodied Paupers

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 Commissioners, 1<sup>st</sup> Jan'y 1848 recommending the Guardians, to discharge all persons, within the class, described under the 1<sup>st</sup> section of the Poor Relief extension act;

Letter from same 6 Jan'y 1848 referring the Guardians to the order and circular for out door relief to able bodied Paupers, Circular 6 Jan'y 1848 on the employment of able bodied Paupers receiving outdoor Relief.

Order of Central Board of Health 5 Jan'y 1848 ordering additional accommodation in connexion with Hinwarra temporary Fever Hospital.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	-	-	20
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	-	-	250
Ditto, rejected	-	-	-	190

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.)

Tenders, from Candidates for the office of Schoolmaster were read from Wm Mess & Cornelius O'Loughlin

Resolved that Cornelius O'Loughlin be placed in charge of the boys school for one month, and that our clerk do advertise for candidates for the office on this day's month.

Resolved that Martin Linnane, Tender to supply Indian Meal at £11.10.0 per Ton for three months be agreed to.

Resolved that our clerk do advertise for candidates for the office of Assistant Relieving officer, two to be appointed and that Mr Tho Warden and Mr Jno Butler be appointed to that office for one week at 10/- each for the week.

Resolved that our clerk do advertise for Tenders for supplying Coffins.

Resolved that the report received from the Medical officer be copied & forwarded to the Commissioners.

J. McShane Taylor Chairman  
James Stator Clerk  
James Galbraith  
Henry Cahiff

Meeting adjourned to 11 o'clock tomorrow,

July 8<sup>th</sup> 1848

In the Chair James Galbraith  
other Guardians Henry Cahiff James Cahiff  
Pat O'Shaughnessy

Mr Burke  
Mr Sew  
Inspector

Resolved that places be selected for working parties of the able bodied receiving outdoor relief in the following Electoral divisions.

Hillarton & Kilmacduagh at Newtown  
Beagh & Kilheacanty Ruffane Road  
Kinvarra at Kinvarra  
Killeenavara at Ballinderreen  
Killereen at Carheenadivane  
Ardrahan & Kiltoma at Ballinaluckey

Resolved that the flannel contracted for, having been supplied the Matron be directed to commence at once to provide clothing for the younger children, reported by the Doctor to be in want of clothing, and that the Bengal stripe and check when delivered be immediately put in hands for the children.

Resolved that the No of Tailors employed in making the mens clothing be increased to 12, and that the Clerk be directed to employ the number wanting, at a price not exceeding 1/6 per suit.

Resolved that the following stores be provided at the following places for distribution of

meal to persons on outdoor Relief

at Gort for Kilmaedugh Beach  
Kiltanin and Killeasanty  
at Kinnarra for Kinnarra  
at Kileolgan for Killeenavarra & Killeeneen  
at Sefy for Ardraham & Kiltomas  
at Kilkenny for Kilkenny.

Resolved that having made enquiry into that part of the Medical Officer's report respecting the want of Bedding and Bedclothes, we find that there is in use at present, in the Sheds, Infirmary and Idiot Ward, 206 pairs of Blankets, in bridge house 46 and in the main building 208, that having contracted for the supply of 300 pairs we have received 20, hourly expect 60, and the remainder as soon as the contractor can procure them, that we believe on two nights only from a great pressure on the house the want of bedding did take place.

Resolved that the following persons, being families of able bodied men, be discharged on outdoor relief, the adult males to be put to work according to instructions given the working overseers.

James Galbraith  
James Stator  
Henry Cahiff  
Pat O'Shaughnessy  
J. M. Shawe Taylor  
Chairman  
12<sup>th</sup> June 1848

GORT UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 8 day of July 1848

	ADMITTED.						DISCHARGED.						DIED.							
	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN. Males. Females. TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males aged 15 and upwds.	Females aged 15 and upwds.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.		
During the Week ended as above,	52	108	39	43	14	.	.	256	64	108	78	55	11	316	9	14	18	16	6	63
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	236	441	340	245	88	.	.	1500	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.											No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.						
TOTAL,	288	549	379	288	52	.	.	1656	In Workhouse, 104	In separate Wards,	In Wards with other inmates,									
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	73	122	96	71	17	.	.	379	In Fever Hospital, 170	4										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	215	427	283	217	35	.	.	1177	Total, 274	41										

Number of inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 500, Sheds, 100, Bridge house 250  
NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 21 day of July 1848

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Fri day, the 14 day of January 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt J W Taylor.  
Other Guardians: Lord Gort, Hon. Mr. Ch. St George, James Cahiff, Ed. Blaquiere, Th. Lynch, J. Gallraith, J. Daly, Henry Cahiff, Pat. Hynes, Pat. O'Shaughnessy, W. Keenan, Ino. Graney

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 496 to No. 542, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The outdoor Relief Register was examined from No. 25 to No. 56.  
The abstract of outdoor Relief lists, was produced by which it appeared, the expenditure for the week ending 1<sup>st</sup> July was in the sum of £. 15. 7  
8 July 5. 0. 3

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 48. 1. 9  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 46. 0. 0  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians, was - - - - - £ 5. 1. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Boothaughwee	Kilmacduagh	4	6	13	7	8 1/2	
John Slata	Beagh	.	.	11	6	12 1/2	
do	Kiltanton	.	.	6	5	9 8	
Boothaughwee	Kivara	5	0	6	2	18 6 1/2	
Mich Taylor	Killeenavanna	8	13	1	11	7 10	
do	Killeen	6	15	10	6	2 7 6	
do	Ardrakan	7	19	10	14	0 13 5 1/2	
John Slata	Kiltorney	.	.	28	16	4 1/2	
Boothaughwee	Killeearanty	10	6	2	12	5 1/2	
do	Kilnashilly	5	5	0	4	6 15 11 1/2	
Total, -		48	1	9	97	8 10 7 1/2	

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

Galway

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 Allowances.
2. The Provision Check Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 99. 4. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, } - - - - - £ 99. 4. 10  
 Credit Invoice Account, }

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 108. 1. 4 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, } - - - - - £ 108. 1. 4 1/2  
 Credit Provision Account, }

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/8

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:

- |                      |                           |
|----------------------|---------------------------|
| 2 Ton of Indian meal | Order for Relief Officer, |
| 2590 lly of Bread    | Boothaughwee 10 meal      |
| 4553 qts of Milk     | St James - 10             |
| 108 lly of meat      | Kilbride - 10             |
| 3 lb of Salt         | K Kelly - 18              |
| 1 lb of Soap         | H Glynn - 10              |
| 3 lb of Candles      |                           |

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.

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 Cheques 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.





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 Commissioners, 6 Jan'y 1848 stating that they are prepared to sanction a salary of £25 or £30 a year for a schoolmaster, also giving their sanction to the proposed increase of the Workhouse Master's salary to £50 per Annum.

Letter from same 8 Jan'y 1848 recommending the Guardians to have the new rate Books prepared, as far as practicable, previously to the completion of the Valuation.

Letter from same 6 Jan'y recommending the Guardians to enter into a contract for raising the buildings styled Idiot Cells, and putting a floor over them.

Letter from same 12 Jan'y giving their sanction to the appointment of Mrs Anne Robinson as Matron at the salary proposed.

Letter from Central Board of Health with order for providing additional Hospital accommodation to the extent of 100 Beds, and directing a House to be hired for the purpose.

Letter from Commissioners, 12 Jan'y 1848 forwarding copies of letters received by them, from Central Board of Health relating to want of accommodation for fever patients at the Workhouse.

Letter from same 13 Jan'y informing the Guardians that they had written to Mr. Edwin Oshanghwey collector, stating that they would issue an order for his dismissal if he did not vigorously proceed to close his collection.

Resolved that the Commissioners be informed that we have received a letter from our Revisors stating that the Revision of the Valuation will not be completed before the end of May.

Resolved that an advertisement be inserted in the General advertise calling for proposals from persons willing to contract for raising the walls of the Idiot cells and putting a floor over them.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Poorhouse Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	-	38
Ditto, disallowed	-	-
The number of Applicants admitted was	-	265
Ditto, rejected	-	8

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 our clerk do advertise for candidates for the office of Hospital Nurse at a salary of £12 per annum.

Resolved that the collectors do furnish lists on next Board day of all immediate lessors who have not paid the poor Rate.

Resolved that Mr Smith our solicitor be directed, to inform the persons in his return of this day, who have not paid their Rates, that he has been ordered by the Board, to proceed against them after expiration of seven days from the date of his communication.

Resolved that the Guardians are of opinion the Fever Hospital at Killeenavanna shall be supported out of the Poor Rates of the Union.

The Order from the Board of Health directing the Guardians to provide accommodation outside the workhouse for fever patients, having been read,

Resolved that the Board of Health be informed the Guardians have made enquiry and find they cannot get a House in or near Gort for the purpose.

Resolved that the medical officer's report received this day, be copied and forwarded to the Commissioners.

Mr Martin Henry having applied for payment of his bill for chambers furnished to 29<sup>th</sup> September last amt. £10.5.8

Resolved that a cheque be drawn for the above.

F. W. Shawe Taylor  
Chairman

James Stator  
Clerk.

Henry Cahiff  
Patrick O'Shaughnessy

J. P. Shawe Taylor  
21<sup>st</sup> Jan'y 1868, Chairman

Port UNION.

RETURN of PAUPERS who were Admitted into, or Discharged from, the Workhouse; and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein, during the Week ended SATURDAY, 15 day of Jan'y 1848

	ADMITTED.							DISCHARGED.					DIED.							
	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	BORN.		Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	Males, aged 15 and upwards.	Females, aged 15 and upwards.	Boys under 15.	Girls under 15.	Children under 2.	TOTAL.	
During the Week ended as above,	66	91	56	48	7			268	32	40	21	19	5	117	7	19	31	19	3	79
Remaining on the previous Saturday, as per last Return,	215	427	283	217	35			1177	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATIC PAUPERS.											
	OBSERVATIONS in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers.																			
TOTAL,	281	518	339	265	42			1445	No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.										
Deduct Discharged and Died during the Week ending as above,	39	69	52	38	8			196	In Work-house, { 133	In separate Wards.	In Wards with other inmates.									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	242	459	287	227	34			1249	In Fever Hospital, { 63		4									
										Total, { 296	Total, { 4									

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 700. Sheds 100 Bridge house 250  
 NEXT MEETING of Guardians to be held on Friday the 28 day of Jan'y 1848

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tue day, the 21 day of Jan'y 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Capt F M J Taylor.

Other Guardians:  
W J Burke } Lord Capt J Galbraith, Jany Daly, B Blagrove  
P. L. J } Shahiff, Henry, Lahiff, Thos Lynch, Ed Hunt  
Pat Hyne, Pat Shaughnessy, Terence Hyne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Register Book was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5438 to No. 5705, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The outdoor Relief Register was produced and examined from No 56 to No 414. —  
 The abstract of outdoor Relief lists was produced, by which it appeared the expenditure for the week ending 15 Jan'y 1848 was in the sum of £13. 7. 3

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The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ \_\_\_\_\_  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - - - - - £ \_\_\_\_\_

The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ \_\_\_\_\_ was produced and passed.

The Collector's Books were produced and examined, by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last Meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions, respectively, the sums specified, as follows:

Name of Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Paid.			Remaining uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Edw O'Shaughnessy	Kilmaeduff				13	17	8 1/2
John Hator	Beagh				11	12	1 1/4
do	Kiltarton				6	9	8
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Kilwarra				2	12	18 1/2
Michl Taylor	Killeenavara				1	10	7 10
do	Killeeven				6	2	7 6
do	Ardrahan				14	13	5 1/2
John Hator	Kiltouney				2	8	16 4 1/2
Ed O'Shaughnessy	Killeenacounty				5	17	5 1/2
do	Killkedy				4	15	11 1/2
Total -					97	8	16 7 1/4

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts above stated.

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 143. 19 s. 9 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account,	}	-	-	-	143. 19. 9 1/4
Credit Invoice Account,					

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 108. 0. 4 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account,	}	-	-	-	108. 0. 4 1/2
Credit Provision Account,					

And the average cost of a Pauper for the week was 1/8

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:

- |                  |                             |
|------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 Ton of Meal    | Order for Reliefing Office, |
| 2584 lb of Bread | Atterest 10 at meal         |
| 106 lb of meat   | H Glynn 40 do               |
| 4800 g of Milk   | W Kelly 30 do               |
| 3 lb of salt     | W Burke 30 do               |
| 1 lb of Soap     | F O'Shaughnessy 30 do       |
| 3 lb of Candles  |                             |

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.

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 Cheques 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.



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

Order dated 15 July 1848 limiting the accommodation for admissions to Workhouse & as follows -

Workhouse	_____	700
Seven Ward	_____	100
Bridge house Girl	_____	250
		<hr/> 1050

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 Commissioners 13 July 1848 objecting to appointment of assisting relieving officers, and stating their willingness to reconstruct the districts and appoint additional relieving officers also directing the Guardians to call upon the Medical officer for a report of the success attending the efforts of the Guardians.

Letter from same 13 July 1848 calling upon the Guardians to make a state of 3/- in the & on all the divisions before the end of the month or as early as possible next month.

Provisional Admissions into the Workhouse, and applications for admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

The number of Provisional Admissions confirmed was	- - - -	48
Ditto, disallowed	- - - -	
The number of Applicants admitted was	- - - -	34
Ditto, rejected	- - - -	60

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 our clerk do immediately provide Note Books, and collecting Books, and put them in course of instant preparation at 3/- in the £, and that he do employ sufficient assistance to have them ready as early as possible in the ensuing month, and that we allow him the sum of five pounds to enable him to procure assistants.

Resolved that the following alteration of diet recommended by the medical officer be adopted viz.

That the General dietary of the house be stirrabout for breakfast and 1/2 all of bread for dinner, and that one stone of Rice be provided.

Resolved that the master be required to supply Blankets, and Keds for the use of the Hospital upon the Requisition of the medical officer.

Resolved that the medical officer with a sub committee of the Guardians do inspect Mr Roseineave's house, and report as to its fitness for an Hospital on Wednesday next.

Resolved that the salary of persons to be employed as stewards to superintend washing parties be ten shillings per week, and that Mr Shonnan be appointed

for the Electoral division of Ardrahan and James W. Hugo for the Electoral division of Kiltomanagh.

Resolved that in accordance with the recommendation of the medical officer the stove in the day room, be removed, and the fire places opened.

The Relieving officers having from the great pressure of business, resigned their respective offices

Resolved that the clerk do advertise for candidates for the office of Relieving officer for the following districts.

- |                             |               |
|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 1 Killynecduagh & Kiltarton | 6 Ardrahan    |
| 2 Beagh                     | 7 Kiltomanagh |
| 3 Kilmorra                  | 8 Killeacanty |
| 4 Killeenavarra             | 9 Kilkenny    |
| 5 Killeen                   |               |

Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to inform the Guardians whether the loan applied for on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1847 in order to build a permanent Hospital can be obtained as we are prepared to borrow the necessary amount if we can obtain it.

adjourned to Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> Inst.

James Slator Clerk

J. M. Shaw Taylor Chairman

Pat<sup>r</sup> O'Shaughnessy

J. D. Shaw Taylor

28<sup>th</sup> June 1848 Chairman