

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 —

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.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read — (thus 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 following Cheques were Ordered

Mick O'Neill late Master Salary	£ 13-6-6
Matt Donoghue for supplying water	14-9-9
William Clayton Carriage treasurer's book	1-10-0
Hubert Glynn Collector's fees	12-15-9
Laurence Counaughton for Milk	9-9-4
Mick Hyne for Leather	2-8-7
do do	2-6-5
Mary Hyne for Coffins	8-15-0
do do Fever Hosp	2-10-0
Thomas Walsh for Meat	5-3-0
do do Car Hire	3-10-6
John Nilan for repairs by Contract	4-10-0
Henry Coughenford for Bricks	1-5-6
William Morris Keeper's fees	1-10-0
Martin Kenney for Wool	15-10-0
Tho. Plunkett for Meal, &c	104-6-8
Denis Keane for Milk	68-13-5
Cr Treasurer	} The above of Unpaid Bills
of Unpaid Bills	

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

The Medical Officer reports the Number in the Work House Hospital this morning to be 151, and in the Fever Hospital 47.

As regards the Mortality during the week he reports there was only One death from Dysentery.

He reports the Milk supplied is of a very bad quality.

Ordered that Notices be posted for Contractors for supplying Milk.

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 Secretary of National Education Board dated 6<sup>th</sup> Decr 1850 informing the Guardians that their Inspector reports the qualifications of the Teachers at Gort Union are of a Medium Order.

Both departments are in a satisfactory state. The Schoolrooms in the female department are not well adapted for Educational purposes.

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	15
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	-
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 Lodgments Made of New Rates in the Several Electoral Divisions for the Week ending 30<sup>th</sup> November 1850 appear to have been as follows

Name of Collector	Electoral Division	collected and lodged		Remaining	
		£	s	£	s
John Slator	Ballycubalan	25	10	401	11 8
	Burnahow	"	"	224	13 9½
	Kilthomas	19	2	198	19 11½
		26	"	825	5 5
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	6	"	130	10 7
	Castle Taylor	4	"	176	2 3
	Rahasan	"	"	148	12 8
	Skchanagh	11	"	202	3 "
		21	"	657	8 6
Patrick Forde	Beagh	74	7 9	481	7 9
		74	7 9	481	7 9
James Crehan	Cahernore	11	16 8	271	4 2
	Killeely	40	14 "	285	3 6
		52	10 8	556	7 8
William Kerrins	Cappard	"	"	110	8 10
Cornelius O'Brien	Dovrus	"	"	329	3 9
	Minurra	"	"	634	1 3
		"	"	963	5 "
Edmund Staunton	Drumaco	"	"	351	19 11
	Killinavarra	"	"	163	18 7
		"	"	515	18 6
Thomas Quinn	Gort	"	"	919	7 "
	Hiltartan	"	"	445	7 6
		"	"	1364	14 6
Mich <sup>l</sup> Connolly	Kilbeacanty	"	"	208	8 9
		"	"	208	8 9
Myles O'Brien	Killinny	20	"	335	5 2½
		20	"	335	5 2½
Mich <sup>l</sup> Bell	Ardamullin	30	11 5	559	7 11½
		30	11 5	559	7 11½
	Total	224	9 10	6577	18 1

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Guardians Accepted the Tender of John Gorman for supplying White Bread to the 25 March next at 4½ p/b loaf

The Master Applied for leave of absence from Friday to Saturday, which was granted.

On the Motion of Mr. St. George the Salaries of the several Officers were reduced as follows.

Clerk from £100 to 70 per Annum

Returning Officer 10

Master from 75 to 52

Assistant Master from 20 to 15

Assistant Matron from 8 to 7

Very Rev. Dean Permyingham from 20 to 10

Roman Catholic Chaplain from 65 to 50

do at Auxiliaries from 30 to 20

Medical Officer ?

Workhouse & Fever Hosp. from 125 to 100

do Dispensary from 50 to 40

Apothecary, Workhouse,

& Fever Hosp. from 42 to 30

Schoolmaster from 25 to 15

Schoolmistress from 16 to 10

Bakeress from 12 to 9

The Assistant Clerk to be discontinued

Two Wardmaids to get Notice to leave this day month

also the Wardman

Labour Master £15 per year without rations

Fever Hosp. Porter to get Notice to leave this day month.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850.

James Slator  
Thos. A. Loge  
Clerk

Population in 1841, . . . . 143543

Present Net Annual Value, £36463-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in such building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . .	1000	579													
Temporary Buildings, . . . .	400	193													
Additional Workhouse, . . . .	1360	1093													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . .	50	49													
Fever Sheds, . . . .	200	169													
Total, . . . .	3010	2063													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . .			263	662	32	32	236	566	193	70	27	2081	In Workhouse Hospital, 155 In Fever Hospital, 44 Total, 199	In separate Wards, with other inmates, 2 Total, 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . . .			11	11	-	-	2	1	-	-	2	27			
TOTAL, . . . .			274	673	32	32	238	567	193	70	29	2108			
Discharged during the Week, . . . .			24	11	-	-	3	1	3	-	1	43			
Died, . . . .			-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . .			24	12	-	-	3	2	3	-	1	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . .			250	661	32	32	235	565	190	70	28	2063			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14 day of December 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.	"	"	"	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. II.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. X.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"	TOTAL,	"	"	"	"	"	"

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the

PRESENT: In the Chair, Tho. A. Joyce 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850

Other Guardians: Lord Visct. Gort, John Martyn, Thomas Lynch, H. H. Briscoe Esq, Denis J. Hyne, James Mahon, Arthur Alexander, Poor Law Inspector, Doctor Mulvill, James Galbraith, Fergus Donoghue, Thomas Deau.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic, c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3538 to No. 3565, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 9871 to No. \_\_\_\_\_, 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, - £662.12.7

Paid during the week, - £273.19.2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £734.10.9

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.
Myles O'Brien	Kilnacdruagh	245	2 8		
	Hil Ruddy	84	19 10 3/4		
		330	2 6 3/4		
John Slator	Beagh	519	16 1 1/2		
	Hiltartow	98	17 9		
	Hiltomas	74	5 8 1/2		
		692	19 6 3/4		
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	470	19 6 1/2		
		470	19 6 1/2		
Edm. Staunton	Killeenvarra	141	3 9 1/4		
		141	3 9 1/4		
Michl. Taylor	Killeenew	203	7 10		
	Ardrahan	212	4		
		415	8 2		
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty	281	7 1/4		
		281	7 1/4		
	Total	2831	14 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'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 £ 95 " 3 " 4 "

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 95 " 3 " 4 "
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	81 " 14 " 3 1/2 "
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	81 " 14 " 3 1/2 "
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	- 9 "
Average cost in Infirmary,	- 1/5 "
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	- 1/4 "

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

- |                    |                       |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 1600 lb Bread      | 440 lb Tea            |
| 100 lb Meat        | 2 1/2 cwt Law Sugar   |
| 2 lb Lard          | 1 Bottle Wine         |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal    | 2 lb Coffee           |
| 2 Tons Indian Meal | 4 pints Whiskey       |
| 2 Tons Rye Meal    | 1 cwt Cocoa           |
| 2 Tons Barley meal | 3 stone dip Candles   |
| 2100 qts New Milk  | 4 lb mould do.        |
| 5 cwt Salt turnips | 2 lb do for last week |
| 1 cwt Soap         | 1 cwt Soap            |

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

Provisional relief In money,	£ 4 " 0 "
In kind,	" " "
Total,	£ 4 " 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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	"	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	"	"	"
No. II.	"	"	"	"	No. X.	"	"	"	"
No. III.	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	"
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	"
No. V.	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	Sal. Frost	2.0.0	"	"	No. XV.	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"
Car. frwd.	"	"	"	"	TOTAL,	"	"	"	"

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Patt. Ryan Letting Boilers -	3	15	0
Cornell & O'Neill Carpenter's work	8	15	0
Charles Kelly Glazing -	8	15	1
James Piggott for Nails -	5	8	8
James Slator to pay Petty Bills	12	9	6
Dominick Jennings Labour Waste way	1	14	6
John Hynes drawing flags -	2	16	4

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Bannatyne & Son for Meal -	123	2	6
John Mangin for Bread -	48	-	4
Lawrence Counaughton for Milk	21	4	11

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.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read - / then 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 following Cheques were Ordered

Rush & Palmer for Meal to 29 Sept.	£	50.0.0
Mary Holony Groceries "	49.15.11	
Dennis Keane Milk Meal, Salt "	63.13.5	
David Louie Groceries "	120.1.10	
John M. Ewing for Surf - "	27.9.6	
Martin Kenney for Candles - "	6.3.8	
Doctor Nolan for Salary - "	25.0.0	
Serence Gill do - "	14.0.0	
Martin Kenney Lard - "	2.8.4	
John O'Donnell late Asst. Clerk on acc. to 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 3	23.2.11	
Barth. Sheehan Salary as Quarter - "	5.0.0	
Michl. Glynn Car Hire - "	2.8.4	
J. B. Kuce advertisements - "	7.19.0	
Mary Daly Asst. Schoolmistress Sal <sup>y</sup> to 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	2.12.6	

Cr Treasurer } the above	
Dr unpaid Bills }	8.8.0
J. D. Nolan Solicitor's Costs -	8.8.0
Cr Treasurer } the above	
Dr Election Law, &c }	8.8.0

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

The Medical Officer reports the Number in Workhouse Hospital this day 154, and in the Fever Hospital 45. Deaths in the former during the week 2, and in the latter none.

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 John M. O'Hara Subsheriff demanding £ 6. 16. 0 Amount of an Execution at Suit of Lawrence Kourke for Costs.

Ordered to be referred to Solicitor to enquire into the matter.

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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	3
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	39

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	-

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 Lodgments made of New Rates in the Several Electoral Divisions for the week ending 7<sup>th</sup> December appear to have been as follows

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions	Collected and Collected	Remaining
John Clatou	Ballycahalan	20 - -	381 11 8
	Bunnahow	6 1 6	218 12 3½
	Kilthomas	10 - -	188 19 11½
		36 1 6	789 3 11
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	4 - -	126 10 7
	Castle Taylor	4 - -	172 2 3
	Rahasam	- - -	148 12 8
	Shehanagh	20 14 -	181 9 -
		28 14 -	628 14 6
Patrick Ford	Beagh	- - -	481 7 9
		- - -	481 7 9
James Crehan	Cahermore	- - -	271 4 2
	Killeely	- - -	285 3 6
		- - -	556 7 8
William Kerrins	Cappard	- - -	110 8 10
		- - -	110 8 10
Cornelius O'Brien	Dovrus	10 18 6	318 5 3
	Kinwarra	53 8 9	580 12 6
		64 7 3	898 17 9
Edw <sup>d</sup> Staunton	Drumacoe	5 14 ½	346 5 10½
	Killeenavara	16 5 11½	147 12 7½
		22 - -	493 18 6
Thomas Quinn	Gort	49 19 11	869 7 1
	Kiltartan	4 10 6	440 17 -
		54 10 5	1310 4 1
Mich <sup>l</sup> Connolly	Bilbracanty	55 - -	153 8 9
		55 - -	153 8 9
Myles O'Brien	Killinny	6 4 6	329 - 8½
		6 4 6	329 - 8½
Mich <sup>l</sup> Bell	Adamullivan	- - -	559 7 11½
		- - -	559 7 11½
	Total	266 17 8	6311 - 5

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of - 185 -

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered that advertisements to be taken into Consideration on the 6<sup>th</sup> January 1851 be inserted in the usual papers for the supply of the following Articles Viz:

- Shambray, Indigo Dye,
- Grey Calico ¾ and ⅞ wide
- Irish Frieze
- Irish Blankets
- Irish Flannel
- Ticken Canvas
- Hessian Ticken
- Thread
- Corduroy
- Check
- Linsey Woolsey
- Keeps
- Bengal Stripe
- Studs different Sizes

The Board accepted the Tender of Charles Kelly for Glazing the Windows of Workhouse and Auxiliaries to the 25<sup>th</sup> March next at the following Rates Viz.

One farthing per pane in all Metal Pashes, and two pence per pane in the Auxiliary Houses, Fever Hospital, and Sheds.

On the notice given this day fortnight regarding Doctor Mulvill's Claim for rent of land used as exercise ground having been read. It was proposed by Doct<sup>r</sup> Hynes, seconded by W. Galbraith and resolved

That we Consider Doctor Mulvill's Claim for the rent of his field used as an airing ground for the young paupers of this Union, a fair, and just One



And that if Sanctioned by the Commissioners, this Board are willing to pay the Amount Viz. £16. to Doctor Mulville.

The Board Having Ascertained that there was 10,643 lbs of Rye, and Barley Meal Minus in the Master's Stores the Week ending November the 30<sup>th</sup>. Have Resolved that the Said 10,643 lbs of Meal be Charged to the Master, and that said deficiency has not Arisen through fraud, or Speculation on his part.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held  
On Monday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1850.

James Slator,

Clerk

Wm. A. Lye

J. W. Shawe Taylor  
Baird & O'Sullivan

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Population in 1841, . . . . 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36463. 10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . .	1000	580												
Temporary Buildings, . . . .	400	216												
Additional Workhouse, . . . .	1360	1087												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . .	50	44												
Fever Sheds, . . . .	200	153												
Total, . . . .	3010	2082												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . .			250	661	32	32	235	565	190	70	28	2063	In Workhouse Hospital, 138 In Fever Hospital, 44 Total, 202	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, 2 Total, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . .			20	19	-	-	3	6	3	-	1	52		
TOTAL, . . . .			270	680	32	32	238	571	193	70	29	2115		
Discharged during the Week, . . . .			5	13	1	1	1	2	5	2	-	30		
Died, . . . .			-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . .			5	13	1	1	2	4	5	2	-	33		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . .			265	667	31	31	236	567	188	68	29	2082		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of December 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.	-	-	-	-	-	-	Bt. forward	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. II.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. X.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. III.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XI.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. IV.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XII.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. V.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XIII.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. VI.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XIV.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. VII.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XV.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. VIII.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XVI.	-	-	-	-	-	-
No. IX.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XVII.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Car. forward	-	-	-	-	-	-	TOTAL,	-	-	-	-	-	-

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 23 day of December 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. A. Joyce

Other Guardians: Lord Vic. Gort Capt. Taylor, Jas. Galbraith

Richard Bourke Esq Poor Law Inspector

D. J. Hynds, James Mahon, Edmund Burke, Mr. Lynch, Mr. Alexander, Mr. Deane, Pats O'Shaughnessy

Mr. H. Briscoe Esq Temp. Poor Law Inspector

John Gillan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 351 to No. 3618, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

Galway County

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 9871 to No. 9900, 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, - £121-2-0

Paid during the week, - £548-1-4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £307-11-5

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.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmacduagh	1	10	243	12 8
	Kilkeedy	-	-	84	19 10 3
		1	10	328	12 6 3
John Slater	Beagh	-	-	519	16 1 1/2
	Kiltartow	-	-	98	17 9
	Kiltomas	-	-	74	5 8 3
		-	-	692	19 6 3
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	-	-	470	19 6 1/2
		-	-	470	19 6 1/2
Edm. Stanton	Killeenavara	-	-	141	3 9 4
		-	-	141	3 9 4
Nick. Taylor	Killeenew	-	-	203	7 10
	Ararahan	-	-	212	- 4
		-	-	415	8 2
Edw. O'Hanrahan	Kilbearanty	-	-	281	- 7 1/4
		-	-	281	- 7 1/4
	Total,	-	1 10	2330	4 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'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 £91-19-7 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	91-19-7 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	85-1-5
	85-1-5

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1/5 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1/4

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

- |                    |                     |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1600 lbs Bread     | 44 oz Tea           |
| 96 lb Meat         | 2 1/2 cwt raw Sugar |
| 2 lb Lard          | 1 Bottle Wine       |
| 2 Tons Indian Meal | 2 lb Coffee         |
| 2 Tons Rye Meal    | 4 pints Whisky      |
| 2 Tons Barley Meal | 1 1/2 cwt Cocoa     |
| 2150 qts New Milk  | 3 ston soft Candles |
| 1 1/2 cwt Salt     | 7 lb Mould do       |
|                    | 10 cwt Soap         |

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

Provisional Relief	In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
	In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	6
	Total,	-	-	-	-	-	6

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.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. frwd.						TOTAL.					

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Martin Keenny for Wool —	1	10	-

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

2. Establishment Account.

Denis Connell Carpets Work —	1	15	-
Dan. Connell, & Jas. O'Neill do	3	-	-
Martin Keenny for Chambers, & Gard	3	14	2
John Mangan for Milling freeze —	10	4	11
Edw. Kennedy repairs Iron Work —	2	10	-
Patt. Mealy Smith Work —	6	-	9
James Slator for Petty Bills —	7	2	9

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Walsh for Meat —	5	3	8
John Mangan for Bread —	28	3	11

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The following Cheques were Ordered

Murty Glynn for Brushes, Bibles, &c	£ 20-0-3
John Harty for a Car	1-12-0
John McEnerry for Turf	32-13-9
Jas. Slator Election Account	16-4-3
Thos. Plunkett for Milk, Soap, &c	100-2-9

Sp. Treasurer  
Dr Unpaid Bills

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

The Medical Officer reports the Number in Workhouse Hospital this Morning as 164, and in the Fever Hospital 44, deaths in the former during the week 3, and in the latter none.

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 Poor Law Commissioners 21<sup>st</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> forwarding Copy of letter to Commissioners from Mr. O'Brien Master of the Workhouse, on the Subject of the deficiency of Meat, and stating that the matter has been referred to Mr. Briscoe Inspector.

Letter from same 21<sup>st</sup> December stating that Mr. Briscoe suggests that each of the Probationary yards, stores for old clothing should be checked, and requesting the attention of the Board of Guardians to the Subject.

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	14
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	25

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	-

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 Lodgments made of New Rates in the Several Electoral Divisions for the Week ending the 14<sup>th</sup> December 1850 appear to have been as follows

Name of Collectors	Electoral Divisions	Collected and paid	Remaining
John Slator	Ballycahalan	72 3 1/2	309 8 1/2
	Bunnahow	35 9 10	183 2 5/2
	Kilthomas	9 15 9 1/2	179 4 2
Michael Taylor		117 8 9	671 15 2
	Ardrahan	-	126 10 7
	Castle Taylor	2 10 -	169 12 3
	Rahadam	50 - -	98 12 8
Patrick Forde	Skahanagh	7 6 6	174 2 6
		59 16 6	568 18 -
	Beagh	166 - -	315 7 9
James Cerehan		166 - -	315 7 9
	Cahernmore	26 10 10	244 13 4
William Kerrins	Killeely	49 11 2	235 12 4
		76 2 -	480 5 8
	Coappard	- - -	110 8 10
Cornelius O'Brien		- - -	110 8 10
	Doverus	6 7 5 1/2	311 17 9 1/2
Edmund Staunton	Kinwarra	35 3 1/2	545 9 5 1/2
		41 10 6	857 7 3
	Drumacoe	26 18 7	319 7 3 1/2
Thomas Quinn	Killenavarra	25 1 5	122 11 2 1/2
		52 - -	441 18 6
	Gort	37 13 10	831 13 3
Mich <sup>l</sup> Connolly	Kiltartan	22 19 6	417 17 6
		60 13 4	1249 10 9
Myles O'Brien	Kilbaranty	- - -	153 8 9
		- - -	153 8 9
Michael Bell	Killinny	21 3 4	307 17 4 1/2
		21 3 4	307 17 4 1/2
Michael Bell	Adamullinan	67 18 2	491 9 9 1/2
		67 18 2	491 9 9 1/2
		662 12 7	5648 7 10

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered that the Paupers shall be provided with a meat dinner on Christmas day the quantity of Beef not to exceed 1100 lbs.

Ordered that Notices be posted for supplying Turnips for three Months at about One Ton per Week, Tenders to be considered this day week.

Resolved that Doctor Mulvill's Claim for £16 for part of the Lawn of Bridge House be laid before the Auditor on his next Visit, and that he be informed that the Guardians will give their Cheque for this Amount if approved of as they consider him fairly entitled to it.

Resolved that the Sheds at Fairy Hill be forthwith put in repair, and that as soon as ready, and fit for the reception of the Pauper Children, all the boys be removed to those Sheds, and all the Girls from 9 to 15. also sending the Junior female Children in the Auxiliary (at present in the Street) called Mr. Lahiff's to the Lawn House with their Mistress Miss Daly.

Resolved that our Clerk be directed to write to Mr. Chambery, and ascertain on what terms he will send us a workmistress for the instruction of the female Paupers in this House, and also the terms on which he will supply us with raw material for working, as well as the terms of purchase of same; Mr. Bodkin of Slough having recommended Mess<sup>rs</sup> Chambers, &c. to this Board as a fit Company to deal with.

Resolved that the sums received from the Poor Law Commissioners under the 13<sup>th</sup> Vic. Cap. 14 was £8701. 8-5 that the Amount of the Liabilities paid up to the 23<sup>rd</sup> February 1850 was £8699. 1. 3, and for the Balance

£ 27.2 a Cheque has been drawn in favour of H. Harrison Briscoe the Inspector of the Union to be remitted to the Poor Law Commissioners; that three Schedules of the Liabilities paid have been this day certified by us as correct, and receipts for the several payments produced to us; One Schedule for the Union, One for the Poor Law Commissioners, and one for the Inspector of the Union.

Resolved that the Conduct of the Porter in taking upon himself the power of throwing away a quantity of Old clothes belonging to Paupers which were afterwards sold by some Paupers belonging to the House for 5/- is highly reprehensible.

I give notice that I will call the attention of the Board to the above resolution upon Monday next the 30<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1850

Gort

Mr. Bourke Poor Law Inspector having brought before the Board a letter addressed to them on the 16<sup>th</sup> Instant, and of which a Copy had been sent to the Poor Law Commissioners, and having stated that he had been instructed to enquire into the Circumstances therein alleged, Resolved

that Mr. Bourke be requested to hold the enquiry on this day fortnight.

The Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Shannon who was present having expressed his Assent to this arrangement Mr. Bourke stated he would commence his enquiry on the 6<sup>th</sup> January accordingly.

Patt Leonard Relieving Officer having given a provisional ticket of admission to Martin Wood, and the Guardians not considering

it was an Urgent Case for Admission; It was ordered that the Relieving Officer be charged the Cost of three days Maintenance given to Wood.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850

James Sator

Clerk

J. M. Shawe Taylor  
Patrick Ashurst  
James Danaher

Population in 1841, . . . . 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £34463-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

28<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . .	1000	580												
Temporary Buildings, . . . .	1000	219												
Additional Workhouse, . . . .	1360	1062												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . .	50	38												
Fever Sheds, . . . .	200	174												
Total, . . . .	3010	2073												
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . .			265	667	31	31	236	567	188	68	29	2082	In Workhouse Hospital, 188	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . .			15	10	"	"	2	3	2	3	"	35	In Fever Hospital, 38	
TOTAL, . . . .			280	677	31	31	238	570	190	71	29	2117	Total, 226	Total, 2
Discharged during the Week, . . . .			10	16	"	"	1	2	8	1	"	38		
Died, . . . .				2	"	"	2	"	"	2	"	6		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . .			10	18	"	"	3	2	8	3	"	44		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . .			270	659	31	31	235	568	182	68	29	2073		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of December 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.	"	"	"	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. II.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. X.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"	TOTAL,	"	"	"	"	"	"

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. M. Shaw Taylor  
 Other Guardians: Henry Cahiff, Henry Doughty, Patt. O'Shaughnessy, Tho. Deane  
 W. H. Briscoe Esqrs  
 Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3618 to No. 3652, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

Galway County



The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 9871 to No. 9922, 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, - £ 341. 3. 4

Paid during the week, - £ 262. 14. 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 386. 5. 5

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.
Myles O'Brien	Kilwardnach	.	.	.	243	12	8
	Kilkeedy	.	.	.	84	19	10 1/2
		.	.	.	328	12	6 1/2
John Plator	Beagh	5	-	-	514	16	1 1/2
	Killartou	-	-	-	98	17	9
	Kiltomas	-	-	-	74	5	8 1/2
		5	-	-	687	19	6 1/2
Cornelius O'Brien	Kilwarra	9	16	5	461	3	1 1/2
		9	16	5	461	3	1 1/2
Edw. Stanton	Killeenavara	-	-	-	141	3	9 1/4
		-	-	-	141	3	9 1/4
Mick. Taylor	Killeenew	.	.	.	203	7	10
	Ardrahan	.	.	.	212	-	4
		.	.	.	415	8	2
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbearney	.	.	.	281	-	7 1/4
		.	.	.	281	-	7 1/4
		14	16	5	2315	7	9 1/2
	Total,	5	-	-	2326	4	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'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 £102. 16. 4 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	102	16	4 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	100	7	1 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	9
Average cost in Infirmary.	-	-	1/5 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	1/4

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

- |                        |                             |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1700 lb Bread          | 44 lb Tea                   |
| 42 lb do for last week | 2 1/2 cwt Low Sugar         |
| 96 lb Meat             | 1 cwt Cocoa                 |
| 2 lb Suet              | 3 lb Coffee                 |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal        | 2 bottles Wine              |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal     | 4 pints Whiskey             |
| 1 Ton Rye Meal         | 6 lb Red Pepper             |
| 1 Ton Barley Meal      | 5 lb black do for last week |
| 2200 lbs Newbuck       | 3 Stone dist Coals          |
| 4 1/2 cwt Salt         | 4 lb Mould do.              |

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

In money,	-	-	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-

Total,

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.	"	-	-	-	-	Bt. forward	-	-	-	-	
No. II.	"	-	-	-	-	No. X.	-	-	-	-	
No. III.	"	-	-	-	-	No. XI.	-	-	-	-	
No. IV.	"	-	-	-	-	No. XII.	-	-	-	-	
No. V.	Martin O'Brien	2	0	0	-	No. XIII.	-	-	-	-	
No. VI.	"	-	-	-	-	No. XIV.	-	-	-	-	
No. VII.	"	-	-	-	-	No. XV.	-	-	-	-	
No. VIII.	"	-	-	-	-	No. XVI.	-	-	-	-	
No. IX.	"	-	-	-	-	No. XVII.	-	-	-	-	
Car. frwd.	-	2	0	0	-	TOTAL.	-	-	-	-	

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



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

Sealed Order of Poor Law Commissioners  
23<sup>rd</sup> December 1850 for a general rate in Aid  
the Amount to be raised off this Union is  
£303. 18. 5.

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 Poor Law Commissioners  
24<sup>th</sup> December 1850 with Sealed Order, and abstract  
from 12 Vic. Chap. 24 regarding Rate in Aid.

Letter from same 24<sup>th</sup> December referring to and  
giving their sanction to the Alteration proposed in  
the Dietary of the Patients of the Workhouse Hospital  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, and recommending the Guardians  
to procure a Contract for Meat.

Ordered, that the Clerk inform the Poor Law Commission,  
that there is a Contract in existence for Meat, but  
the Master has been directed to get the Meat from  
the Contractor on Market days when the best can  
be procured.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 28<sup>th</sup> December referring  
to resolution of the Board on the 9<sup>th</sup> Instant to make a  
general reduction in the Officers' Salaries, and to discontinue  
the Services of the Assistant Clerk, Wardmaids, Wardman,  
and Hospital Porter, and in reference thereto the  
Commissioners state that they find from the average of  
Salaries allowed in other Unions that the Salaries of

The Officers of the Govt Union are not excessive, and under  
the Circumstances they must decline to Confirm the  
Reductions proposed in the Resolution above referred to.

Letter from same 28<sup>th</sup> December referring to a Resolution  
to Charge Mr Leonard Relieving Officer with the Cost of  
three days Maintenance afforded to Martin Wood, and  
stating that the Relieving Officer is empowered by the  
7<sup>th</sup> Sec. of the 10 Vic. Chap. 31 to give Provisional Relief in  
any Case of Sudden, and urgent Necessity until the  
next Board day, and that the Auditor alone has the  
Power to Charge the Relieving Officer with the Cost  
of Relief illegally administered.

Letter from same 28<sup>th</sup> December with drawing their  
Objection to receive the Security of the British Association  
for Union Officers.

Letter from S. D. Nolan Solicitor stating that he  
enquired into the Particulars of the Execution in the  
Sheriff's Hands at Suit of Lawrence Kourka for £6. 16. 0  
and that the Guardians are bound to pay the  
Amount.

Ordered that a Cheque be drawn for the above.

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 15

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 49

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

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

The number of other applicants on 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 Lodgments made of New Rates in the Several Electoral Divisions for the week ending the 21<sup>st</sup> December appear to have been as follows

Name of Collectors	Electoral divisions	Collected and Lodged	Remaining
John Slater	Ballycahalan	309 8 6½	
	Bunnahow	193 2 5½	
	Kilthomas	179 4 2	
	"	671 15 2	
Michl. Taylor	Ardrahan	126 10 7	
	Castle Taylor	169 12 3	
	Rahasau	98 12 8	
	Shehanagh	174 2 6	
Patrick Toide	Beagh	315 7 9	
	"	315 7 9	
James Crehan	Cahermore	244 13 4	
	Killeely	235 12 4	
	"	480 5 8	
William Kearnes	Casford	110 8 10	
	"	110 8 10	
Cornelius O'Brien	Dovous	311 17 9½	
	Kinwarra	545 9 5½	
Edmund Staunton	"	857 7 3	
	Drumacoo	13 19 ½ 305 8 3	
	Killeenavara	19 11½ 103 10 3	
Thomas Quinn	"	33 - 408 18 6	
	Gort	46 11 8 785 2 -	
	Kiltartan	27 18 - 389 19 6	
Michl. Connolly	"	74 9 8 1175 1 6	
	Kilheacanty	153 8 9	
Myles O'Brien	"	153 8 9	
	Killinny	12 2 9 295 14 7½	
Michl. Bell	"	12 2 9 295 14 7½	
	Ardamullivan	491 9 9½	
		491 9 9½	
	Total	119 12 - 5528 15 10	

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

It appearing by the Treasurer's Book that the Treasurer has Commenced to make Deductions on Account of the Rate in Aid from the present Lodgments by Collectors.

It was Ordered That Our Clerk shall Communicate with the Treasurer on the Subject, and send him a Copy of that Portion of the 12<sup>th</sup> Ord. Cap. 24 under which the Commissioners Order for raising a Rate in Aid has been issued.

The Clerk having laid before the Board a Notice from the Clerk of the Peace to him to attend the several Courts of Revision where lists of Rated Occupiers have been returned by him under the Parliamentary Voters Act, and having enquired if the Board would pay his expence to, at, and from those Sessions.

It was Ordered That the Clerk's expences attending said Sessions should be paid.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851

John Slater  
Clerk

Thos. A. Lopez  
Messrs  
John Kearnes

Population in 1841, . . . . 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £36463-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.								RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.		Infants under 2 years of age.		Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	583													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	400	245													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	1360	1076													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	50	41													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	200	172													
Total, . . . . .	3010	2117													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			270	659	31	31	235	568	182	68	29	2073	In Work-house Hospital, in Fever Hospital, } 176	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, } 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			36	38	"	1	10	17	5	1	4	112	Total, } 41	Total, } 2	
TOTAL, . . . . .			306	697	31	32	245	585	187	69	33	2185			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			10	23	1	1	5	13	2	5	1	63			
Died, . . . . .			1	1						1		2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			11	24	1	1	5	15	3	5	3	68			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			295	673	30	31	240	570	184	64	30	2117			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 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.	"	"	"	"	"	"	Bt. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. II.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. X.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. V.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XV.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.	"	"	"	"	"	"
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Car. forward	"	"	"	"	"	"	TOTAL,	"	"	"	"	"	"

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lord Visct. Coat

Other Guardians:

Richard Bourke Esq<sup>r</sup>      Christ. St. George J. Lambert Esq<sup>r</sup>      Martyn Capt<sup>r</sup> Taylor  
 Poor Law Inspector      Tho<sup>s</sup> Lynch      Redm. Burke, J<sup>r</sup>      Daly, M<sup>r</sup>      St. George,  
 H. H. Briscoe Esq<sup>r</sup>      Arthur Alexander      Henry Lahiff      Tho<sup>s</sup> Deane  
 Temp<sup>r</sup> Poor Law Inspector      Fergus Donoghue, J<sup>r</sup>      Gilean      M<sup>r</sup> Morrissey      P. O'Shaughnessy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3652 to No. 3764, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 9871 to No. \_\_\_\_\_, 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, - £517.11.4  
Paid during the week, - £300.5.10  
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £103.10.11  
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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Coll-ct'd and Lodge'd.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmaedueagh			243	12	8	
	KilReedy			84	19	0 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	
				328	12	0 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	
John Glator	Beagh			514	16	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
	Kiltartow			98	17	9	
	Kiltomas			74	5	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
				687	19	6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	
Cornelius O'Brien	Kilvarra			461	3	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
				461	3	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Edw. Staunton	Kilkenavarra			141	3	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
				141	3	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Nick Taylor	Kilkenew	40	7	2	163	-	8
	Ardrahan	-	10	-	211	10	4
		40	17	2	374	11	"
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbearney				281	-	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
					281	-	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
	Total,	40	17	2	2274	10	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>

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.

Lodged by Corrofin Union  
3<sup>rd</sup> Jan'y, 1851 £177-14-11

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 £79 .. 12s. 9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	79	12	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	88	0	5
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	9
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1/4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	1/2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

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:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1250 lb Bread                               | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> cut Salt |
| 100 lb Meat                                 | 44 lb Tea                              |
| 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> for last week | 234 lb Sugar                           |
| 2 lb Suet                                   | 1 Bottle Wine                          |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal                             | 2 lb Coffee                            |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal                          | 4 pints Whiskey                        |
| 3 Tons Rye Meal                             | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb Cocoa |
| 3 Tons Barley Meal                          | 3 Stone dip Candles                    |
| 2100 qts. new Milk                          | 4 lb Mould do                          |
| 20 qts. Sew do                              |  |

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 1<sup>st</sup> day of Jan'y; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Provisional Relief In money,	-	-	-	-	-	5	6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
Total,	-	-	-	-	-	5	6

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.			
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
No. I.					Bt. forward						
No. II.					No. X.						
No. III.					No. XI.						
No. IV.					No. XII.						
No. V.					No. XIII.						
No. VI.					No. XIV.						
No. VII.					No. XV.						
No. VIII.					No. XVI.						
No. IX.					No. XVII.						
Car. frwd.					TOTAL,						

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

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

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:)

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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 58

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 90

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 - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered. 11

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 Lodgments made of New Rates in the Several Electoral Divisions for the Week ending the 28<sup>th</sup> December 1850 appears to have been as follows

Name of Collectors	Electoral Divisions	Collected and Lodged	Remaining
John Slator	Ballycahalan	28 9 6	280 19 2
	Bunnahow	4 13 -	178 9 5
	Hilthomas	. . .	179 4 2
		33 2 6	638 12 8
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	1 9 10	125 - 9
	Castle Taylor	14 2 -	155 10 3
	Rahasam	1 12 6	97 - 2
	Shehanagh	20 15 8	153 6 10
		38 . .	530 18 .
Patrick Lorde	Beagh	49 4 .	266 3 9
		49 4 .	266 3 9
James Crehan	Caheremore	7 7 6	237 5 10
	Hilleely	21 19 9	213 12 7
		29 7 3	450 18 5
William Kerrins	Cappard	- - -	110 8 10
		- - -	110 8 10
Cornelius O'Brien	Doorus	16 8 6	295 9 3
	Kinvarra	55 - -	490 9 5
		71 8 6	785 18 9
Edw. Staunton	Drumason	- - -	305 8 3
	Killeenavarra	- - -	103 10 3
		- - -	408 18 6
Thomas Quinn	Coit	20 11 3	764 10 9
	Kiltartan	24 1 5	365 18 1
		44 12 8	1130 8 10
Michael Connolly	Kilbeacanty	27 - -	126 8 9
		27 - -	126 8 9
Myles O'Brien	Kellinny	12 - -	283 14 7 1/2
		12 - -	283 14 7 1/2
Michael Bell	Ar damullivan	48 17 -	442 12 9 1/2
		48 17 -	442 12 9 1/2
	Total	353 11 11	5775 3 11

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of 185 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Members of the Board being engaged attending the Investigation now holding by Mr. Bourke Poor Law Inspector into the Charges preferred by the Rev. W. Shannon the Board after the Admission of Paupers Adjourned to the 7<sup>th</sup> Instant.

Board Meeting 7<sup>th</sup> January 1851

Present Lord Viscount Gort in the Chair  
Other Guardians James S. Lambert, John Martyn, Hon<sup>ble</sup> Major Vereker, Tho<sup>s</sup> Lynch, Arthur Alexander, Matt<sup>r</sup> S<sup>r</sup> George, Redm<sup>r</sup> Burke, Henry Cahiff, Fergus Donoghue and John Gillan.

The Board proceeded to examine Tenders for clothing, and accepted the following.

Evans Ho	for Grey Callin yard wide	a 1 1/2 per yard
do	Irish Blankets	a 1/5 per lb
do	thread all Colours	a 1/4 per lb
do	Linew Cheek	a 6 1/2 yd
do	Studs assorted	a 6 1/2 per gross
Kenny Scott Ho	Irish Frieze	a 1/10 per yard
Mich <sup>r</sup> Keane	Irish Flannel	a 7 3/4 per yard
do	Corduroy	a 9 per yard
do	Cotton Cheek	a 5 1/2 per yard
Malcolmsom	Bengal Stripe	a 6 1/2 per yard
John Moran	Turnips	a 15/- Ton

The Board then adjourned to attend the enquiry holding by Mr. Bourke

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on  
Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851

James Slator Clerk

John Slator  
W. H. Lopez  
W. H. Lopez



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Gort UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . . . 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36463-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

11<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	596													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	400	239													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	1360	1120													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	50	43													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	200	182													
Total, . . . . .	3010	2180													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			295	673	30	31	240	570	184	64	30	2117	In Workhouse Hospital, 190 In Fever Hospital, 43	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			30	45	-	-	14	7	10	4	3	113	Total, 233	Total, 2	
<b>TOTAL,</b> . . . . .			<b>325</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>2230</b>			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			8	15	1	-	8	5	-	2	1	40			
Died, . . . . .			3	1	-	-	3	-	1	2	-	10			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			11	16	1	-	11	5	1	4	1	50			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			314	702	29	31	243	572	193	64	32	2180			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January 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.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Tho: A. Joyce

Other Guardians: James S. Lambert, John Kearty, Henry Laliff,  
Richard Bourke Esq, James Galbraith, Schull, H. Lambert, Redm Burke,  
Poor Law Inspector Thomas Lynch,  
Mr Harrison Priscoe Esq, Fergus Donoghue, John Gilliam, Thomas Deane  
Temp Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic, c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3764 to No. 3877, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

Galway County Council

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 9871 to No. 9999 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, - £ 276. 18. 10

Paid during the week, - £ 20. 14. 11  
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 859. 14. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmaedueagh	243	12	8			
	Kilkeedy	84	19	10 1/2			
		328	12	18 1/2			
John Glator	Beagh	514	16	1 1/2			
	Kiltartow	98	17	9			
	Kiltomas	74	5	8 1/2			
		687	19	6 1/2			
Conradus O'Brien	Kinnarra	461	3	1 1/2			
		461	3	1 1/2			
Edw. Staunton	Killeenavara	141	3	9 1/4			
		141	3	9 1/4			
Michl. Taylor	Killeenew	163		8			
	Ardrahan	211	10	4			
		374	11	-			
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbracanty	281		7 1/4			
		281		7 1/4			
	Total,	2274	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 £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 112 .. 10 .. 7 3/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	112	10	7 3/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	91	0	5 3/4

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 9

Average cost in Infirmary, - 1/4 1/2  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 1/2 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:

- |                        |                           |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1550 lb Bread          | 4 1/2 Cwt. Salt           |
| 52 lb do for last week | 44 lb Tea                 |
| 106 lb do              | 3 Cwt. raw Sugar          |
| 2 1/4 do for last week | 2 Bottles Wine            |
| 2 lb do                | 3 lb Coffee               |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal        | 6 pints Whiskey           |
| 2 Tons Indian Meal     | 1 1/2 Cwt Cocoa           |
| 3 Tons Rye Meal        | 3 1/2 Stone dipst Candles |
| 3 Tons Barley Meal     | 5 lb Mould do             |
| 2100 lbs New Milk      |                           |
| 20 lbs Sugar do        |                           |

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 11th day of Jan<sup>y</sup>; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Provisional Relief in money,	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-
			3 .. 0
Total,	-	-	3 .. 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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. fwd					TOTAL,				

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Walsh for Meat	17	9	
Tho <sup>s</sup> . Plunkett for Meat, Milk &c.	119	11	3
John Gorman for Bread	27	8	9
<del>Denis Heane for Bread &amp;c.</del>	<del>00</del>	<del>0</del>	<del>0</del>
Laurence Connaughton for Milk	11	9	8
Bannatyn & Son for Meat	138	10	

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The following Cheques were Ordered

- Rush and Palmer for fuel to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. £ 56.1.3
- John M. Murray for Turf to do — 48-0-1
- Rev. Patrick Tully for Salary to do — 15-0-0

C<sup>t</sup>. Treasurer } the above  
C<sup>t</sup>. Unpaid Bills }

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

The Medical Officer reports the Number in the Workhouse Hospital this morning is 184, and in Fever Hospital 44 deaths in the former during the week 8, in Fever Hosp<sup>l</sup>, and in the Nursery of General decline 1; There is generally at this season of the year an increase in the mortality; the severity of the weather acting on an enfeebled constitution labouring under disease.

He refers to his report on the 6<sup>th</sup> Instant as regards Hospital Bedding wherein he requires for each Bed a pair of sheets, a pair of Blankets, a rug, and pillow case, and that there should be a sufficient number of each of those articles for a change.

He reports that the necessary supply of Milk for Hospital was not obtained last week and no butter Milk for Whey for the last four days. He requests the Visiting Committee to condemn some old clothing. He also reports that the order of the Board on the 18<sup>th</sup> Nov. relative to the Bread being issued from the Workhouse store to the Hosp<sup>l</sup>. has not been carried out. The above referred to Visiting Committee

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 Poor Law Commissioners 4<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>ry</sup>!! stating that they have had before them a report from their Inspector Mr. Briseve on the state of the Workhouse; together with the Observations of Mr. Bourke Poor Law Inspector, <sup>by</sup> which it appears the clothing of the Pauper inmates especially the Children is not in a satisfactory state, and owing to the insufficiency of the stock of clothing on hand the inmates are not supplied with Clean Linen so often as is desirable.

The Commissioners are therefore desirous of drawing the attention of the Guardians to the subject, and they request the necessary steps will be taken without delay for obtaining a sufficient supply for the present inmates, and the persons who it is probable will shortly seek admission.

Letter from James Chambers Esq<sup>r</sup> of Skerries dated 1<sup>st</sup> January 1857 informing the Board that they have engaged a first rate Teacher to instruct the females in Sewed Muslin Work; that she is ready to come here on the same terms as the Teacher at Tuam which they believe is fifteen pounds a year with an Apartment, and Rations.

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	26
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	118

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 Pleading 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 Lodgments made of New Rates in the several Electoral divisions for the week ending the 4<sup>th</sup> January 1851 appear to have been as follows

Name of Collector	Electoral division	Collected and loaned	Remaining
John Lator	Ballycahan	22 9 ..	258 10 - 1/2
	Bunnahow	.. ..	178 9 5 1/2
	Kilthomas	.. ..	179 4 2
		22 9 ..	616 3 8
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	.. ..	125 .. 9
	Castle Taylor	.. ..	155 10 3
	Rahasan	.. ..	97 .. 2
	Shehanagh	.. ..	153 6 10
		.. ..	530 18 -
Patrick Ford	Beagh	39 19 ..	226 4 9
		39 19 ..	226 4 9
James Crehan	Leahermou	24 13 4	212 12 6
	Killeely	12 2 ..	201 10 7
		36 15 4	414 3 1
William Kerrins	Cappard	36 5 ..	74 3 10
		36 5 ..	74 3 10
Cornelius O'Brien	Dovrus	.. ..	295 9 3 1/2
	Hinwarra	.. ..	490 9 5 1/2
		.. ..	785 18 9
Edmund Staunton	Drumacoo	12 9 ..	292 19 3
	Killesnawarra	7 11 ..	95 19 3
		20 .. ..	388 18 6
Thomas Quinn	Gort	68 8 7	696 2 2
	Kiltartan	15 16 ..	350 2 1
		84 4 7	1046 4 3
Mich <sup>l</sup> . Connolly	Kilbaracanty	.. ..	126 8 9
		.. ..	126 8 9
Myles O'Brien	Kellinny	.. ..	283 14 7 1/2
		.. ..	283 14 7 1/2
Michael Bell	Ardamullivan	.. ..	442 12 9 1/2
		.. ..	442 12 9 1/2
	Total	239 12 11	4935 11 ..

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 ..

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

Resolved that any order of the Board not carried out before the following Board day be reported on by the Master and the Reason Assigned.

The Clerk having produced the Acknowledgment of the Treasurer for the sum of £177.. 14.. 11 lodged to the Credit of this Union by the Guardians of Corrofin Union. It was ordered that a Receipt be given to the Corrofin Board for the same.

The following Members of the Board were appointed as a Visiting Committee viz James S. Lambert, James Galbraith, Henry Lahiff, Edmund Burke, John Martyn, and Fergus Donoghue. And the following were appointed a Finance Committee Thomas Lynch, John W. H. Lambert, Edmund Burke, Christopher St. George, and Matthew St. George.

Resolved that the Accounts of each Electoral Division up to 29<sup>th</sup> September, be submitted to the Board on next Board day.

Resolved that our Clerk be directed to draw the attention of the Auditor to the Case of Patrick Simons Relieving Officer as the Board consider he illegally gave Relief to Thomas Hoar.

Resolved that the Relieving Officers appear before the Board with their books in the following order on each Board day.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Patrick Spelman
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Thomas Hardiman
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Patrick Leonard
- 4<sup>th</sup> Martin Crehan
- 5<sup>th</sup> Andrew Ford
- 6<sup>th</sup> James Forrest
- 7<sup>th</sup> Mich<sup>l</sup>. Burke
- 8<sup>th</sup> Richard Burke

Resolved that a Committee of the following Members of the Board be Appointed to suggest to the Board the Additional Buildings necessary to be erected with the position of such to enable the Board to give up the Auxiliary Workhouses, also to report the quantity of Ground they would recommend to be purchased adjoining the Workhouse premises which is to be sold under the encumbered Court Viz Henry Cahiff, James Galbraith, John W. H. Lambert, and Edmund Burke.

Ordered that the Master have all the Able-bodied Men Collected on Saturday Next at 9 O'clock for the inspection of the Visiting Committee.

Resolved that a Book be procured for the Bakery in the form produced.

The following Articles for Clothing were ordered to be procured from Contractors.

7925 yards of grey Callis  
800 yards of Linen Check  
800 yards of Cotton Check

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held  
on Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851

James Slator  
Clerk

Wm. A. Lox  
Wm. A. Lox  
M. W. Lox

Population in 1841, . . . . 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £36463-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of January 1851.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . .	1000	629												
Temporary Buildings, . . . .	400	239												
Additional Workhouse, . . . .	1360	1170												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . .	50	49												
Fever Sheds, . . . .	200	188												
Total, . . . .	3010	2275												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . .			314	702	29	31	243	572	193	64	32	2180	In Workhouse Hospital, 191 In Fever Hospital, 49 Total, 240	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2 Total, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . .			23	64		1	28	12	8	6	5	147		
TOTAL, . . . .			337	766	29	32	271	584	201	70	37	2327		
Discharged during the Week, . . . .			12	13	4	6	5	3	4	1	1	49		
Died, . . . .			1	1				1				3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . .			13	14	4	6	5	4	4	1	1	52		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . .			324	752	25	26	266	580	197	69	36	2275		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of January 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.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 20th day of January 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Tho. A. Lacey*  
 Other Guardians: *Christopher St. George Capt. Taylor John W. Lambert, James Galbraith, Doctor Cluville, Henry Laliff, Tho. Lynch, Matthew St. George, Arthur Alexander, Tho. Dean, Pergus Donoghue, Martin Cohen, Tho. Gillan*  
*W. H. Briscoe Esq's*  
*Poor Law Inspector*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

*Cornelius Loughlin and Alice Brice both of Gort*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3877 to No. 4024, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

Galway County

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1871 to No. \_\_\_\_\_, 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, - £ 133. 13. 9

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 377. 2. 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 616. 6. 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.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmeadowagh	-	-	-	243	12	8
	Kilkeedy	-	-	-	84	10	10
					328	12	18
John Glavin	Beagh	-	-	-	514	16	1/2
	Hillstown	-	-	-	98	17	9
	Hillomas	-	-	-	74	5	8 1/2
					687	19	6 1/2
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	-	-	-	461	3	1 1/2
		-	-	-	461	3	1 1/2
Edw. Staunton	Killeenavanna	-	-	-	141	3	9 1/4
		-	-	-	141	3	9 1/4
Mich. Taylor	Killeenew	-	-	-	163	-	8
	Ardrahan	-	-	-	211	10	4
					374	11	-
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Kilbeacanty	-	-	-	281	-	7 1/4
		-	-	-	281	-	7 1/4
					2274	10	7 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 £ 107. 19. 1 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	107	19	1 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	96	5	11 3/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	9
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1/4 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	1/2 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:

- |                    |                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| 1600 lb Bread      | 144 Oz. Tea                  |
| 110 lb Meat        | 3 cwt Low Sugar              |
| 2 lb Lard          | 1 1/2 cwt. Cocoa             |
| 2 Tons Indian Meal | 3 lb Coffee                  |
| 2 Tons Rye Meal    | 4 pints Whiskey              |
| 2 Tons Barley Meal | 2 Tons turnips               |
| 2250 qts. New Milk | 6 1/2 cwt do for last week   |
| 5 cwt. Salt        | 271 Boxes turf for last week |
| 1/2 Ton Rice       | 3 1/2 Stone Dept Candles     |
|                    | 5 lb Mould do                |

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

Provisional relief In money,	-	-	-	-	10	6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	10	6

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.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. frwd.						TOTAL.					

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



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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

~~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.

~~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 Medical Officer reports the number in the Workhouse Hospital this morning as 192, and in the Fever Hospital 49, deaths in the former during the week 3, and in the latter none.  
The general health of the Workhouse, and its Auxiliary, continues in a satisfactory state.  
He requests the attendance of the Visiting Committee some day to examine into the Hospital Clothing, and to provide whatever new articles may be required.  
He reports that Miss Blackburne Wardmistress has been confined to her Bed for the last week with Inflammatory sore throat.  
Ordered that the attention of the Visiting Committee be directed to the state of the Hospital Clothing.