

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
Thomas Plunkett for Wool	5	8	11
Martin Reeney do —	8	5	-
Denis Keane for Straw to 1 Febt.	6	13	6

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

2. Establishment Account.	£	s	d
Mary Molony for Oil	2	"	-
Patt Kiely Contract to 1 Jan for Pumping	1	15	-
Nichl. Hyne for Delfsh. 16	1	9	11
Dave. Connell, & Sat O'neile Capt 61 Febt	5	15	-
James Piggott for Nails to 20 Febt.	7	19	8
James Finn for Water Casks	3	3	-
John Harty for Wheelbarrows	4	10	-
Martin Loughnane for Lime	2	6	8
Patt. Moran for Sand	2	14	2
Henry Lawlor for Sis to 27 Jan	13	9	10
James Slator Petty bills for 3 weeks	26	13	1
Anne Hardiman Board, Hudding	1	"	-
Nichl. Shaughnessy for Lime	1	11	6
Martin D. Nolan Salt for W.H. to 29 Dec	18	15	-
Martin Neagle for Lime	1	5	8
Terence Gill Saly W.H. & F.H. to do	10	10	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.	£	s	d
J. W. Russell & Co. for Rye Meal	3	2	-
Martin Reeney Candy to 20 Jan	3	15	9
Thomas Walsh for Meat 25 do	4	10	3
Lauren Connaughton Milk do	14	6	3
Denis Keane for Milk & Salt do	16	2	7
John Gorman Bread do	20	17	4
Mary Molony Groceries to 1 Febt.	4	6	7

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

4. Out-door Poor Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Poor 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

James Lake for rent to 29 Sept. 29.19.9	do	18 Oct. 8.10.7	38.10.4
Mary O'Shaughnessy Sal. W.W. to 29 Sept. 1.18.4	do	do	7.14.7
Bridget Bell for rent Augt. — do —	do	do	4.16.9
Nichl. Byrnes Milk — do —	do	do	83.19.6
Thomas Plunkato do & Soap Candy do —	do	do	2.16.4

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 day as 238, and in the Fever Hospital 48. Deaths in the former during the week, and in the latter none.

He requires 20 Stretches for the Girls Auxiliary, 2 Tons of Straw, for Hospital, 12 Shutters required for Ventilators in the Infirmary also the Windows to be repaired.

Ordered that a Contract be procured for the Stretches, and Shutters, and that the Windows be repaired.

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  
22<sup>nd</sup> February 1851 requesting to be informed whether the Guardians propose to appoint other Persons to the Offices of Wardman, and Wardswoman vacated by the resignation of Peter Henchy, and Ellen Blackburne.

The Board postponed the appointment of Wardman to the 3<sup>rd</sup> March.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to Mr Briscoe Inspector with a Statement apportioning the sum of £ 8699. 1. 3 to the Credit of the Electoral divisions of the Old Union as follows Viz:

Hilmacduagh	£ 1087. 0. 11
Beagh	1409. 8. 9
Kiltartan	872. 17. 9
Hinvarra	1387. 1. 11
Killeenavarra	748. 18. 5 <i>4</i>
Killeeneen	579. 8. 6 <i>4</i>
Ardrahan	452. 10. 5 <i>2</i>
Kilthomas	552. 17. 11 <i>4</i>
Hilbeacanty	1041. 18. 4
Kilkedy	£ 566. 18. 2 <i>4</i>
	£ 8699. 1. 3

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 41

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 59

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. - - - 5

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 13<sup>th</sup> February 1851 Appear to have been as follows

Name of Collector	Electoral Divisions	Collected and Laided	Remaining
John Glazier	Ballycahalan	228 16 5	
	Bunnahow	176 15 7 1/2	
	Kilthomas	147 1 2	
		552 11 10	
Mickl. Taylor	Ardrahan	115 6 5	
	Castle Taylor	147 12 9	
	Rahasane	44 5 4	
	St Rehanagh	27 1 6	
		384 6	
Patrick Herde	Brack	196 14 9	
		196 14 9	
James Crotchan	Cahermore	113 17 6	
	Killeely	150 14 11	
William Kerrins	Cappard	50 10 2	
		50 10 2	
Cornelius O'Brien	Doveris	192 17 8 1/2	
	Kinvara	417 1 1/2	
		609 18 9	
Edm <sup>d</sup> . Staunton	Drumacco	219 14 7 1/2	
	Killeenavarra	194 62 17 1/2	
		282 11 8	
Thomas Quinn	Gort	30 3 4 1/2 505 5 9	
	Kiltartan	37 14 9 1/2 271 4 7	
		67 18 2 776 10 4	
Mickl. Connolly	Kilbeacanty	36 15 89 13 9	
		36 15 89 13 9	
Myles O'Brien	Hillinny	147 1 1/2	
		147 1 1/2	
Mickl. Bell	Ardamulligan	12 14 11 388 12 1/2	
		12 14 11 388 12 1/2	
	Total	138 8 1 3743 3 2	

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of

1851

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered that Dominick Jennings late Labour Master be paid the sum of One Pound due to him in Lieu of Rations stopped from him.

Resolved that advertisements be inserted for Contracts for all Supplies for the Workhouse from the 25<sup>th</sup> March to the 29<sup>th</sup> September next; Once in the Advertiser, The Galway Vindicator, the Mercury, and the Clare Journal, and that tenders be received up to 11 O'Clock on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> March for which day an extraordinary Board is to be called for declaring Contractors

Resolved that W. Hardiman Relieving Officer be directed to prosecute Martin Long without delay for deserting his wife, and that all Relieving Officers be directed in cases of desertion to take immediate steps to prosecute the proper parties.

Resolved that the Commissioners be requested to obtain the recommendation of their Architect as to the most effectual way of obtaining water for the Workhouse; the distance from the River to the site of the intended Captain Mill being 400 yards.

Resolved that Mr. Perrott's proposal to supply a Captain Mill be accepted for £140.

Resolved that we appoint a Storekeeper, and General Wardman on this day week at a salary of £20, and rations also a Relieving Officer for Killeely, and Rahasane

divisions £20 a year Mr. Spelman having resigned, and that the Appointment of Wardsman be adjourned to next Board day;

Resolved that the Plans of Mr. Brady presented this day for additional buildings be adopted, and that they be forwarded to the Commissioners for their Sanction, and that they be requested to advance to this Board the necessary funds for the purpose of obtaining the necessary accommodation in the Workhouse; the Guardians being of opinion that it is necessary for the proper working of the Poor Law, to get rid of the Auxiliaries.

Ordered that Venders be received this day week for Supplying the Workhouse, and Auxiliaries with Water, Notice to be served on the present Contractor,

Next Meeting of the Guardians  
to be held on Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1851

James Flaherty  
Clerk

Thos A. Lope  
James Galbraith  
James Daly

372

VOLUME

Population in 1841, . . . . . 43543

Gort UNION.

373

Present Net Annual Value, £36463-10-0

1<sup>st</sup> day of March 1851.

## STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

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.
									Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	519									
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	400	163									
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	1360	1467									
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	50	54									
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	200	246									
Total, . . . . .	3010	2499									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .	380	875	22	22	285	622	228	73	41	2588	In Work-house Hospital, 243 In Fever Hospital, 54 In separate Wards, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .	22	38			11	11	11	4	"	97	Total, 2
TOTAL, . . . . .	402	913	22	22	296	633	239	77	41	2645	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .	16	33	3	1	22	23	15	15	"	128	
Died, . . . . .	4	3	2	1	2	2	1	"	3	18	
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .	20	36	5	2	24	25	16	15	3	146	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .	382	877	17	20	272	608	223	62	38	2499	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.	
	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.
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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Thos. A. Joyce

Other Guardians: Lord Visct. Gort, John Martyn, James Daley, James Galbraith, W. H. Briscoe Esq., Doctor Mulville, Thomas Lynch, Denis O'Hony, Arthur Alexander, Mattew St. George, James Maher, Henry Lakiff, Patt. O'Shaughnessy, T. Morrissey, P. O'Grady, Fergus Donoghue.

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 &amp; 8 Vic. c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 46478 to No. 47775, 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. 4871 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, - £202.14.2 Paid during the week, - £264.14.10 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £276.7.10

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:-

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.		
			£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmadragh	.	243	12	8
	Killarney	.	84	19	10
		.	328	12	62
John Glater	Beagh	.	574	16	12
	Kiltartan	.	98	17	9
	Kiltomas	.	74	5	82
		.	687	19	62
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvara	.	450	3	12
		.	450	3	12
Edu. Staunton	Kilkenney	.	138	13	92
		.	138	13	92
Nich. Taylor	Killeeney - Ardrahan -	4 13 7	158	7	1
		2 .. 3	209	10	1
		6 13 10	367	17	2
Edu. Shanphyll	Kilbeaunty	.	287	-	74
		.	281	-	74
	Total,	-	6 13 10	2254	6 92

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 Necoparies received during the week, was £ 108 .. 18 s. - 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 108 - 18 - 10 d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necoparies consumed was 102 - 10 - 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 102 - 10 - 9

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 94

Average cost in Infirmary, - - 134

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - 122

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

480 lbs Tea
3 Cwt. raw Sugar
3 Bottles Wine
3 lbs Coffee
4 Pounds Indian Meal
3 Pounds Rye Meal
3 Pounds Barley Meal
2500 gts. New Milk
6 Cwt. Salt

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 March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
Provisional relief In money,	-	-	" 7 - 0
In kind,	-	-	" "

Total, - " 7 - 0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Cav. 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
Michl. Hynes for Leather	11	4	2
Messrs. Malcolmson for Thambray —	54	3	4
Denis Keane for Wool —	9	-	-

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

2. Establishment Account.	£	s	d
Michl. Keane Carriage of parcels —	1	-	2
Henry Lawlor for tin Ware —	6	13	4
Thomas Kelly Printing —	5	7	-
Down B. Schilling for Stationery —	1	-	-
James Slator for School Requisites —	1	13	6
Very Rev. Michl. Neagle Sal to 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept 1850 — 2-16-7	15	"	"
do — to 25 Feb 1851 — 12-3-5			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.	£	s	d
Messrs. Barnatyne for Meal —	39	2	-

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 Clerks 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	£
Tobias Rosingrave sent to 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept 1850	24-10-0
John Slater Collector's fees to do —	24-5-2
Patty Spelman Salaries R. Office to do —	11-5-8
Andrew Ford do	1-5-8
Cr. Treasurer { the above	
Dr. Unp. bills { the above	
William O'Brien for visiting H. —	22-0-0
Cr. Treasurer { £22-0-0	
Dr. Valuation { £22-0-0	
Messrs. Geale, & Dwyer Law Costs —	8-15-9
Cr. Treasurer { £8-15-9	
Dr. Election Law, &c	

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 225, and in the Fever Hospital 52.

The Mortality in both Hospitals was he Regrets to say more than usually high last week, deaths in the former 13, and in the latter 5, this increase has been owing in a great measure to Constitutional Weakness at this Season of the year and those who had been a Considerable time in Hospital labouring under Chest Disease.

He requires 100 tin Joints for the Hospitals

Ordered

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

Letter from Peter McCay stating that he will attend the Board to give them a plan for the supply of water, the Board to pay three Pounds, three Shillings for his expenses which sum he will refund provided the Board accept of his plan, and estimate.

Ordered that our Clerk request the attendance of Mr. McCay on Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> instant.

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 25<sup>th</sup> February forwarding Copy of a letter received from Mess<sup>rs</sup> Guinness, and Meahow regarding the rates demanded on the property of W<sup>m</sup>. James O'Hara, Requesting to be furnished with the Case, and Opinion said to have been communicated to the Board of Guardians by Mess<sup>rs</sup> Guinness, and Meahow.

The Collector informed the Board that he had made a Distress, and was promised payment of the rates in a few days.

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	60
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	- 46

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 Receiving 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.

The Settlements made of New Rates in the Several Electoral divisions for the week ending 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb: 1851 appear to have been as follows

Name of Collector	Electoral divisions	Collected and lodged	Remaining
John Glazier	Ballycahalan	20 . .	208 16. 2
	Bunnahaw	31 6 3	145 9 42
	Kilthomas	4 . .	147 . 2
		51 6 3	501 5 7
Nichl. Taylor	Ardrahan	2 . .	113 6 5
	Castle Taylor	5 . .	142 12 9
	Rahasane	16 11 6	77 13 10
	Skrehanagh	1 . .	26 1 6
		24 11 6	359 14 6
	Beagh	. . .	196 14 9
		. . .	196 14 9
James Crihan	Cahernow	" 9 2	113 8 4
	Killeely	15 . 10	135 14 1
		15 10 .	249 2 5
William Kerrins	Cashard	. . .	50 10 2
		. . .	50 10 2
Cornelius O'Brien	Dorres	22 6 52	170 11 3
	Kinvara	37 16. 2	379 5 .
		60 2 6	549 16 3
Edm <sup>d</sup> Stanton	Drumaceo	. . .	219 14 72
	Killeenavarra	. . .	62 17. 2
		. . .	282 11 8
Thomas Tuinn	Gort	7 16 4	499 9 5
	Kiltartan	35 5 .	235 19 7
		43 1 4	733 9 .
Nichl. Connolly	Kilbracony	. . .	89 13 9
		. . .	89 13 9
Myles O'Brien	Hillinny	. . .	147 1 52
	Ardamullian	. . .	147 1 52
		. . .	388 12. 2
		. . .	388 12. 2
		194 11 7	3548 11 7

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_  
1851  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

Resolved that Our Clerk do Advertise for Tenders for double Latticing the Windows of the Sheds (requiring in all about 300 Square Feet), Tenders to be received On Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> Instant.

Resolved that the attention of the Visiting Committee be immediately directed to the Doctor's Report, and that in Reference to the Soup &c the attention of the New Master be Specially called to those things with a View of impressing on him the necessity of carrying out the Boards Orders more regularly than they have been hitherto done.

The Matron having sent in her resignation the Clerk was ordered to advertise for Candidates for the Office at a Salary of £30 a year with Apartment & Rations Tenders to be received on the 24<sup>th</sup> instant.

It appearing by this day's Report that the Collectors have not lodged any of the Arrears of the late rates within the last week. It is resolved that our Clerk write to each of the Collectors to inform them that if they do not exert themselves better, their Sureties will be sued for their Neglect.

The Board appointed Michael Spelman to the Office of Relieving Officer for the Electoral divisions of Killeely, and Rahasane, at a Salary of £20 a year in room of Patrick Spelman resigned.

The Board appointed Pat<sup>t</sup>. Spelman to the Office of Storekeeper, and Head Wardman at a Salary of £20 a year an Apartment, and Rations, and approve of Mr. Watt Carrig, and Nichl. Spelman as Sureties.

The Board appointed Patrick Nestor as Wardsman at a Salary of £8 a year and Rations.

In Reference to Mr. Mangan's Claim for Interest, Resolved that the Commissioners' attention be drawn to the Resolution passed on the 2<sup>nd</sup> February On the Subject.

The Board accepted the Tender of Danl. Connell, and James O'Neill to Supply Twenty Stretchers & Beds, and 12 Shutters for Ventilators the Stretchers at 4/- each, and the Shutters for the sum of £1..4.-0.

The Board accepted the Tender of John Williams for Supplying Water to the Workhouse, & Auxiliaries for the sum of 14/- per week.

Ordered that Our Clerk provide Furniture for the Master's Room.

The Board agreed with B<sup>w</sup>. Hynes for 12 Chairs for the Board Room at 2/- each.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851

James Flaherty Clerk

John Lloyd Bayst

J. S. Connellet

James Daly

Galway County

Gort UNION.

385

Population in 1841, . . . . 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £36463. 10..0

8<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851.

## STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

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.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.						OBSERVATIONS.					
				Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . .	1000	613													
Temporary Buildings, . . . .	400	239													
Additional Workhouse, . . . .	1360	1395													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . .	50	32													
Fever Sheds, . . . .	200	233													
Total, . . . .	3010	2532													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . .	382	877	17	20	272	608	223	62	38	2499	In Work-house Hospital, { 238	In separate Wards, {			
Admitted during the Week, . . . .	18	30	4	3	25	20	9	7	4	120	In Fever Hospital { 51	In Wards with other inmates, { 2			
TOTAL,	400	907	21	23	297	628	232	69	42	2619	Total, . . . . 289	Total, . . . . 2			
Discharged during the Week, . . . .	26	30	-	1	9	1	4	6	-	77					
Died, . . . .	2	-	1	"	4	1	1	1	-	10					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . .	28	30	1	1	13	2	5	7	-	87					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	372	877	20	22	284	626	227	62	42	2532					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the

8<sup>th</sup> day of March

authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	
	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.		
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  
10<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

14. 14th Briscoe Esq  
Poor Law InspectorJ. L. Baggott  
Lord Visct. Gort, Jas. S. Lambert, James Daley, Thos. Lynch,  
William Butler, Henry Laliff, Doctor Mulville.  
Fergus Donoghue, John Gleane, Thomas Deane.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. 4775 to No. 4895, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 9871 to No. 10000 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, - £12-0-0  
Paid during the week, - £234-2-6  
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £54-5-4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:-

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmadough	243 12 8	
	Kilreddy	84 19 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		328 12 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	
John Slator	Beagh	514 16 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	
	Hillartown	98 17 9	
	Kiltomas	74 5 8 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		687 19 6 $\frac{3}{4}$	
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvara	450 3 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		450 3 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Edmund Staunton	Killeenavarra	138 13 9 $\frac{1}{4}$	
		138 13 9 $\frac{1}{4}$	
Mich <sup>l</sup> . Taylor	Killeeneen - Andrahan	158 7 1	
		209 10 1	
Edw <sup>r</sup> . O'Raughnsey	Kilkeacanty	367 17 2	
		281 - 7 $\frac{1}{4}$	
		281 - 7 $\frac{1}{4}$	
			Total, - 2254 6 9 $\frac{1}{2}$

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 Necesaries received during the week, was £123 - 8s. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.

£ . . d.	123 - 8 - 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	102 - 9 - 10 $\frac{3}{4}$
The Cost of Provisions and Necesaries consumed was	102 - 9 - 10 $\frac{3}{4}$
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	102 - 9 - 10 $\frac{3}{4}$

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 9 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average cost in Infirmary, - 1 $\frac{1}{2}$

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - 1 $\frac{1}{2}$

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

1700 lbs Bread	48 lbs Tea
90 lbs Meat	3 Cwt. Raw Sugar
2 lbs Suet	2 bottles Wine
1/2 ton Oatmeal	3 lbs Coffee
3 tons Indian Meal	4 pints Whisky
2 tons Rye Meal	1 Cwt. Cocoa
2 tons Barley Meal	2 tons Turnips
2500 qts. New Milk	2 lbs Boxes Turf
20 qts Sour do.	2 lbs Stow-dipt Candles
7 Cwt. Salt	2 lbs 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 8th day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ . . d.	5 .. 6
In money,	- - - - -
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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity. Value. £ s. d.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. 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:

i. Clothing Account.	£	s.	d.
Evan, Curtis & Co Cloth? Materials	53	3	7

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

ii. Establishment Account.


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

iii. Workhouse Invoice Account.


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

iv. Out-door Poor of Invoice Account.


Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Poor of 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 Medical Officer reports the Number in the Workhouse Hospital this Morning 224, in the Fever Hospital 53. Deaths in the former during the week 8, in the Fever Hospital None, in the Nursery One, and in the Workhouse of old age One. Total 10.

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 224, in the Fever Hospital 53. Deaths in the former during the week 8, in the Fever Hospital None, in the Nursery One, and in the Workhouse of old age One. Total 10.

He begs attention to the Supply of Turf to the Auxiliaries, and the Clothing of the Children

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1. Clothing Account.

Evans, Curtis & Co Cloth <sup>g</sup> Materials	£	5	3	6
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

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He begs attention to the Supply of Turf to the Auxiliaries, and the Clothing of the Children

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  
6<sup>th</sup> March 1851 forwarding an Apportionment  
of advances to the Credit of the following  
Electoral divisions Viz  
Kilvara — £172. 18. 1  
Kilbeacanty — £ 38 - 0. 0  
Kilvara — £ 210. 18. 1

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 63

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 66

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 Receiving Officer's Books  
relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered. — 14

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 1<sup>st</sup> March 1851 appear to have been as follows

Names of Collectors	Electoral divisions	Collected and Landed	Remaining
John Flatoe	Ballycahalan	8 18 2	199 17 10 ½
	Bunnahaw	20 . .	125 9 4 ½
	Kilthomas	. . .	147 . 2
		28 18 2	472 7 5
Mick. Taylor	Ardahan	. . .	113 6 5
	Castle Taylor	. . .	142 12 9
	Rahasane	. . .	77 13 10
	Shehanagh	. . .	26 1 6
		. . .	359 14 6
Patrick Forde	Beagh	56 10 2	140 4 7
		56 10 2	140 4 7
James Corhan	Cahermore	42 16 8	70 11 8
	Killeely	7 15 4	127 18 9
William Kerrins	Cappard	50 12 .	198 10 5
Cornelius O'Brien	Doores	. . .	50 10 2
	Kinvara	. . .	50 10 2
Edmund Staunton	Drumacov	. . .	170 11 3
	Killeenavara	. . .	379 5 ..
Thomas Denim	Gort	6 . .	549 16 3
	Kiltartan	44 . .	491 9 5
Mick. Connolly	Kilbucanty	50 . .	191 19 7
Myles O'Brien	Killimny	. . .	683 9 .
Mick. Bele	Ardanullinan	10 . .	89 13 9
		10 . .	89 13 9
		. . .	137 1 5 ½
		. . .	137 1 5 ½
	Total	196 . .	43352 11 3

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered that all Provisions be Cooked in the Parent House for Auxiliaries; to be Carried into effect as soon as possible, and that the following act as a Committee to see the Working of the Galway Workhouse generally viz.

J. A. Joyce, J. W. H. Lambert, Thomas Lynch  
J. L. Baggott, and Henry Lakiff.

I give Notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the Chargeability of Paupers On the Bunnahaw Electoral division be enquired into with a view to have them properly placed.

March 10.<sup>th</sup> Signed William Butler

Resolved that as soon as funds come to the hands of Our Treasurer a Cheque be given to Mess<sup>rs</sup> Evans & C<sup>o</sup> Balance of account passed.

Resolved that all Paupers either Male or Female who are in future found with Dockets shall be dismissed from the House without further Notice, and that the Master, and Matron be required to give them Notice of this Unanimous Resolution of the Board.

Resolved that Mr. O'Brien's Accounts be referred to the Finance Committee on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> March, and brought before the Board on the Monday following.

I hereby give Notice that I will upon Monday the 24<sup>th</sup> March Call the attention of the Board to a resolution passed upon the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February relative to Charging the late Master with a

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deficiency in the Meal Account; with a view to  
making an equitable alteration in said resolution

Signed

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The next Meeting of the Guardians to be  
held on Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851

James Slator  
Clark

Dennis O'Byrne  
Tommy Mahon  
Thomas Deane

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Population in 1841, . . . . . 143543

Present Net Annual Value, £36463.10.0

## STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

15<sup>th</sup> day of March 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.			Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.				
					Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000 672														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	400 798														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	1360 1436														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	50 58														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	200 238														
Total, . . . . .	3010 2602														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .	372 877	20	22	284 626	227	62	42	2532	In Work-house Hospital, . . . . .	240	In separate Wards, . . . . .				
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .	27	51	1	5 15	23	18	9	4 153	In Fever Hospital, . . . . .	58	In Wards with other Inmates, . . . . .	2			
TOTAL,	399 928	21	27	299 644	245	71	46	2685	Total, . . . . .	298	Total, . . . . .	2			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .	16	28	4	-	12	5	4	2 1	72						
Died, . . . . .	2	2	-	-	3	-	-	2 2	11						
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .	18	30	4	-	15	5	4	4 4	83						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	381 898	17	27	284 644	241	67	43	2602							

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	
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

17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

James Galbraith

Other Guardians:

Doctor Mulville, D. J. Hynes, James Mahon

W. Harrison Briscoe Esq.

Thomas Deane, John Gilane.

Poor Law Inspector

John Gilane.

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, - £ 255. 16. 1 Paid during the week, - £ 145. 19. 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 164. 2. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The judgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Remaining.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmacduagh	5 15 10 <sup>4</sup>	237 16 9 <sup>4</sup>
	HilReedy	-	84 19 10 <sup>4</sup>
		5 15 10 <sup>4</sup>	322 16 8
John Slator	Beagh	-	514 16 1 <sup>4</sup>
	Hillartown	-	98 17 9
	Hillomas	-	74 5 8 <sup>2</sup>
		-	687 19 6 <sup>3</sup>
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvara	60 ..	390 3 1 <sup>2</sup>
		60 ..	390 3 1 <sup>2</sup>
Edm <sup>d</sup> . Staunton	Killeenavara	3 1 2	135 12 7 <sup>4</sup>
		3 1 2	135 12 7 <sup>4</sup>
Mich <sup>t</sup> . Taylor	Killeenue	-	158 7 1
	Ardeakane	-	209 10 1
		-	367 17 2
Edw <sup>d</sup> . O'Shaughnessy	Hilbeancarty	-	281 7 <sup>4</sup>
		-	281 7 <sup>4</sup>
		-	
		Total,	68 17 3 2185 9 8 <sup>3</sup>

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 Necesaries received during the week, was £ 47. 18 s. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 6. d.  
The Cost of Provisions and Necesaries consumed was 97. 18. 2  
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 104. 9. 7<sup>4</sup>  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for 104. 9. 7<sup>4</sup>

Halidat £ 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> the week was - - - - - 9<sup>4</sup>  
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 1<sup>2</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

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

1900 lb Bread	6lb Red Pepper
117 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb Do for last week	48 Oz. Tea
100 lb Meat	3 Cwt. Sugar
2 lb Suet	2 bottles Wine
1/2 Ton Oatmeal	3 lb Coffee
2 Tons Indian Meal	2 Cwt. Cocoa
2 Tons Rye Meal	4 pints Whisky
2 Tons Barley Meal	2 Tons Turnips
2600 qts. New Milk	200 boxes Vene
7 Cwt. Salt	2 1/2 stone Dift Candles
	2 Cwt. 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 15<sup>th</sup> day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Provisional Relief. In money. £ 6. 6  
In kind, - - - - -

Total, - - - - - £ 6. 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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. 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:

	£	s.	d.
Mess <sup>r</sup> Evans, Curtis & Co Cloth <sup>g</sup> Materials	100	-	-

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
National Education Board for School Requisites	3	18	1

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
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 Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

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 14<sup>th</sup> March regarding the Purchase of a piece of land in the Encumbered Estates Court to which the Commissioners do not Object; They request to be informed whether the Guardians are desirous that the Commissioners' Solicitor should institute the necessary proceedings to obtain the land.

Letter from Same 15<sup>th</sup> March Approving of appointment of W. McKeon as Master of the Workhouse.

Letter from Same 15<sup>th</sup> March Approving of appointment of Laurence Murray, Pat<sup>o</sup> Spelman, and Patrick Lester, as Labour Master, Stone Keeper, and Wardenmaster.

Letter from Same 15<sup>th</sup> March referring to Resolution of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo agreeing to pay Interest to Mr. Mangan, and stating that the fact of a full discharge having been given for the Principal debt would not preclude the Guardians from paying Interest in any case in which a legal claim for interest had been acquired by the Creditor before he accepted payment of the Principal.

Ordered that in reference to the Commissioner's letter regarding the land to be purchased the Solicitor of this Board be instructed to take the necessary proceedings to obtain the land.

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 81  
Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 12

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 received by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered. 6

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 Lodgements made of New Rates in the Several Electoral divisions for the week ending the 8<sup>th</sup> March 1851 appear to have been as follows

Name of Collectors	Electoral divisions	Collected and lodged	Remaining
John Slator	Ballynahanaw	. . . 199 17 10 ½	
	Burnahaw	. . . 125 9 4 ½	
	Kilthomas	. . . 147 .. 2	
		. . . 472 7 5	
Mick <sup>l</sup> . Taylor	Ardrahan	. . . 113 6 5	
	Castle Taylor	. . . 142 12 9	
	Raharane	. . . 77 13 10	
	Sheehanagh	. . . 26 1 6	
		. . . 359 14 6	
Patrick Forde	Beagh	. . . 140 4 7	
		. . . 140 4 7	
James Crotian	Cahermore	. . . 70 11 8	
	Killeely	. . . 127 18 9	
		. . . 198 10 5	
William Kerrins	Oappard	. . . 50 10 2	
		. . . 50 10 2	
Cornelius O'Brien	Dorus	. . . 170 11 3	
	Kinvara	. . . 379 5	
		. . . 549 16 3	
Edmund Staunton	Drumacoo	8 . . . 211 14 7 ½	
	Killeenavarna	4 . . . 58 17 ½	
		12 . . . 270 11 8	
Thomas Quinn	Gort	. . . 491 9 5	
	Kiltartan	. . . 191 19 7	
		. . . 683 9	
Mick <sup>l</sup> . Connolly	Hilbreacanty	. . . 89 13 9	
		. . . 89 13 9	
Myles O'Brien	Willinny	. . . 137 1 5 ½	
		. . . 137 1 5 ½	
Mick <sup>l</sup> . Bell	Ardanullinan	. . . 388 12 ½	
		. . . 388 12 ½	
		12 . . . 3340 11 3	

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1851  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.

Resolved that Agreeably to the letter of the Poor Law Commissioners on the Subject, Application be made to the Manager of the National Bank Loughrea being our Treasurer, to know on what terms he will lend this Board a sum of Money (not exceeding £3000) for building purposes, and that he be required to let us know these terms as soon as he Conveniently can.

Resolved that Mr. Brady Architect be requested to prepare a plan for an Old Clothes Store, and for Shelter Sheds for the Paupers to wait in; on admission days agreeably to Mr. Phelan's suggestion in Mr. Briscoe's possession, and that these Plans be laid before the Board on next Board day.

Resolved that the Carpenter get directions to make the Louvers for the Windows of the Sheds at Fairy Hill, and the back Windows of the Auxiliary Called Mr. Slator's House; after a plan to be explained to him by Mr. Briscoe.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1851

James Slator  
Clerk  
Thos. A. Joyce  
John W. Lambert  
James Daly

At an Extraordinary Meeting of the Board of Guardians held on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of March 1851 Present in the Chair Thomas A. Joyce

Other Guardians Lord Viscount Gort, James Mahon,  
Henry Lahiff, Arthur Alexander Thomas Lynch,  
Doctor Hynes, Patrick O'Shaughnessy, Fergus  
Donoghue, Thomas Deane, John Gillane.

The Board proceeded to examine Tenders for Supplies from the 25<sup>th</sup> March Inst. to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup>. next to be delivered at the Workhouse free of carriage.

J. Bannatyne & Son for Indian Meal a £7. 17. 6 per ton  
do Barley Meal a 7. 12. 6 do.  
do Rye Meal a 7. 12. 6 do.  
do Oatmeal a 10.. 10. 0 do

John Russell & Sons for Bread a 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  per lb Loaf  
Thomas Walsh for Meat a 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  per lb the Supply  
for Patients to be free from bone.

John Shaw for Coals a £1. 1.. 0 per ton  
Thomas Plunkett for Turnips a 1.. 0.. 0 per ton  
Michael Byrnes for New Milk a 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  per Gallon  
do Sour Milk a 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  per gallon

to be paid only half price for any bad Milk delivered

Michael Hynes for best Butt Leather a 14 per lb.  
do light do a 13 per lb  
do Strong Calf Leather a 15 per lb  
do Upper Leather Sling a 17 per lb.  
do Shoemakers Findings

James Piggott for Nails at prices in Tender  
Henry Lawlor for Tin Plates at 4 $\frac{1}{4}$  per dozen  
do Small do a 3/3 do.  
do Tin Joints a 2 $\frac{1}{4}$  do.  
do Tin Cans (Gallon) 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  each  
do Skrimmes 1/8 each  
do Ladies 1/8 each

Patt. Kealy Stone Hammers & Handles 5/- per dozen  
William Haulor for Coffins & Shrouds 1<sup>st</sup> size 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  each  
do. do. 2<sup>nd</sup> do. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  each  
do. do. 3<sup>rd</sup> do. 1 $\frac{1}{3}$  each  
Fardy Hynes for Sweeping Chimneys at £14 per annum  
Thomas Kelly for Printing at all W<sup>r</sup>th. Thom's Prices with a  
reduction of five per cent.

J. Knose Walker Clare Journal for advertisements at 4  
per line for the first insertion, and 2/- per line for every  
subsequent insertion.

James Davis Galway Mercury for advertisements 1/- per  
line when above twelve lines, at one under twelve lines  
for four Shillings, or to publish all advertisements large,  
and small at 6/- each

John F. Blahe Galway vindicator for Ordinary  
advertisements of Nine Words to the line a 4/- per line  
Contracts for supplies in detail in double column  
at 5/- per line.

Leslie, and Co. Medicines at prices in Tender  
Brian Naumann for Soap at 18/- per lb.  
Mary Molony for Port Wine a 30/- per dozen  
do xx Porter a 4/- do

do Whisky a 6/- per gallon  
do Shell Cocoa a 28/- per lb.  
do Lump Sugar a 6/- per lb  
do Tea a 3/- per lb  
do Coffee a 1/- per lb  
do Washing Soda a 1/- per lb

Denis Keane for Salt a 31/- per ton  
do Oaten Straw a 15/- per ton

Leslie, Hico for Red Pepper a 21/- per lb  
Martin Henney Dift Candles a 5/- per dozen  
do Mould do a 5/- per lb

Marty Glynn for Tailors Scizzars	10° each
do. Hair do.	8° each
do. Womane do	6° each
do. Iron Spoons	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ per gross
do. Thimbles	4p per do.
do. Needles (best)	5f per 1000
do. Strong Needles	4° per 100

William Daniel Sweeping brushes N <sup>o</sup> 10	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ each
do. Scrubbing brushes N <sup>o</sup> 10	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ each
John Leech and Son Rape Oil	3/6 per gallon
do. Horse Combs	1/6 per doz.
do. Iron Coal Scoops	3/9 each
do. White Wash brushes	1/9 each

Thomas Plunkett Jamaica Sugar 40/- per bush.  
to be delivered in Drapery One Stow each.

John Costello for Rice £12. 10. 0 per ton

David Lourie for Dye Staffs

John Moran for Keeping roofs &c. of all houses in repair  
at £14 for 12 Months

Tenders for Clothing were postponed to the next Board day.

Advertizements Ordered for Keeping in repair Locks, and  
Keys &c. also for Glazing at a bulk sum per annum.

James Slator  
Clerk.

Mr. A. Joyce  
John W. H. Hallinan  
The Lynden

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Gort UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38463.10.0

Population in 1841, . . . . 43543

22<sup>nd</sup> day of March

1851.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in the above building	Total No. in the building on the above date.	Able-bodied.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.			Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
					Males.	Fem.	Boys.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . .	1000 666										
Temporary Buildings, . . . .	400 215										
Additional Workhouse, . . . .	1360 1472										
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . .	50 60										
Fever Sheds, . . . .	200 247										
Total, . . . .	3010 2660										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,											
Admitted during the Week, . . . .	23 31 1 2 18 14 12 5 4 110										
TOTAL, . . . .	404 929 18 29 302 658 253 72 47 272										
Discharged during the Week, . . . .	20 14 - - 3 4 6 - 1 48										
Died, . . . .	1 1 - - 1 1 - - 4										
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . .	21 15 - - 3 5 7 - 1 52										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . .	383 914 18 29 299 653 246 72 46 2660										

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the

22<sup>nd</sup> day of March

authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.	
	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.
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

24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

W. H. Briscoe Esq.  
Poor Law InspectorLord Visct. Gort, Sir J. Lambert, John Martyn, W. H. Lamb,  
Tho. Lynch, William Butler, Henry Laliffe, A. Galbraith,  
James Mahon, Mr. J. Baggott, James Daley, Patt. O' Shaughnessy,  
Fergus Donoghue, Thomas Dean, John Geaney, Martin Coker,  
John Gillane.

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 &amp; 8 Vic. c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 118 to No. 158, 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. Q871 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, £245.13.3 Paid during the week, £154.16.1 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £254.19.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.		Remaining.	
		£	s.	£	s.
Myles O'Brien	Kilnadeagh	-	-	237	16 9 <i>½</i>
	Hillreedy	-	-	84	19 10 <i>½</i>
		-	-	322	16 8 <i>½</i>
John Slator	Beagh	-	-	514	16 1 <i>½</i>
	Hillarton	-	-	98	17 9
	Kiltomas	-	-	74	5 8 <i>½</i>
		-	-	687	19 6 <i>½</i>
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	-	-	390	3 1 <i>½</i>
		-	-	390	3 1 <i>½</i>
Edmund Stanton	Killeenavarra	-	-	135	12 7 <i>½</i>
		-	-	135	12 7 <i>½</i>
Nich. Taylor	Killeeneen	-	-	158	7 1 <i>½</i>
	Ardeahan	-	-	209	10 1 <i>½</i>
		-	-	367	17 2 <i>½</i>
Edw. D'Albany	Kilbeancarty	-	-	281	7 <i>½</i>
		-	-	281	7 <i>½</i>
		-	-		
	Total,	-	-	2859	8 <i>½</i>

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 Necesaries received during the week, was £95    6    5 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	95	6	5
The Cost of Provisions and Necesaries consumed was	109	0	1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	109	0	1
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for			
Hallidit 8 <i>½</i> the week was	-	-	9 <i>½</i>
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1 <i>½</i>
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	1 <i>½</i>
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necesaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:			
1 <i>½</i> lb Bread	1 <i>½</i>	lb	Red Pepper for last week
1 <i>½</i> lb Tea	1 <i>½</i>	lb	3 cwt. Raw Sugar
1 <i>½</i> lb Meat	1 <i>½</i>	lb	2 Bottles Wine
2 lb Suet	2	lb	3 lb Coffee
1 <i>½</i> lb Oatmeal	1 <i>½</i>	lb	4 pints Whisky
2 lbs Indian Meal	2	lb	2 cwt. Cocoa
2 lbs Rye Meal	2	lb	2 lbs Turnips
2 lbs Barley Meal	2	lb	200 Boxes Turn
2700 qts. New Milk	2700	qts	35 lb Clift Caudle
7 cwt. Salt	7	cwt	200 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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Provisional Relief — In money,	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	4 <i>  </i> 2

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

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.

John O'Donnell Salary as Assistant Clerk from 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept. to 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec <sup>r</sup> 1850	7	12	6
James Slator for Getty Bills	43	8	5

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 following Cheques were Ordered

Many thanks for Coffins for Jan <sup>r</sup> & Feb <sup>r</sup> to	8-10-0
do — to 24 March —	3-15-0
	12 : 5 . 0

Mr. Treasurer  
Dr. Funerals etc. &c } the above

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 as 250 and in the Fever Hospital 60. Deaths in the former during the week 4, and in the latter None.

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

Letter from the Agent of the Sun Insurance Company applying for payment of £5/- Premium of Insurance on the Fever Hospital.

Ordered that the Clerk pay the above.

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 20<sup>th</sup> March Stating that the Constabulary Barrack at Gort having been let rent free Lord Gort is not liable for it.

Letter from same 22<sup>nd</sup> March referring to Minutes of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant Containing a resolution directing that all inmates who are found to have Pockets on their Clothing be dismissed from the Workhouse, The Commissioners refer to the Workhouse Regulations and State that a serious responsibility would attach to a Board of Guardians Should any fatal Consequences ensue from the discharge of a workhouse inmate in a destitute condition on the ground stated in the resolution referred to.

Letter from Jeremiah O'Leary National Bank Loughrea Stating that he had forwarded the application to the Board for a Loan of £3000 to the directors of the Bank.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 51  
Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 88

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 Judgments Made of New Rates in the Several Electoral Divisions for the Week ending the 15 March 1851 Appear to have been as follows

Name of Collectors	Electoral divisions	Collected and lodged	Remaining
John Slator	Ballycahalan	.	199 17 10 ½
	Bunmahon	.	125 9 4 ½
	Kilthomas	.	147 . 2
Michael Taylor		.	472 7 5
	Ardahan	3 1	113 3 4
	Castle Taylor	27 . 1	115 12 8
	Rahasane	. 1 "	77 12 10
	Stekanagh	3 15 10	22 5 8
Patrick Forde		31 ..	328 14 6
	Beagh	9 ..	131 4 7
		9 ..	131 4 7
James O'Brien	Cahermore	3 3 4	67 8 4
	Killeely	2 16 8	125 2 1
		6 ..	192 10 5
William Kerrins	Cappard	45 14 8	4 15 6
		45 14 8	4 15 6
Cornelius O'Brien	Doores	.	170 11 3
	Kinvara	15 ..	364 5 ..
		15 ..	534 16 3
Edmund Stanton	Drumacor	3 19 11 ½	207 14 8
	Killeenavarra	2 ..	56 17 .
		6 ..	264 11 8
Thomas Dunn	Gort	25 14 11	465 14 6
	Kiltartan	34 5 4	157 14 3
		60 .. 3	623 8 9
Nich. Connolly	Kilheacanty	10 ..	79 13 9
		10 ..	79 13 9
Myles O'Brien	Hillinny	4 4 1 ½	132 17 4 ½
		4 4 1 ½	132 17 4 ½
Michael Belle	Ardamulligan	.	388 12 . ½
		.	388 12 . ½
		186 19 1 ½	3153 12 2 ½

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on  
the  
day of 1851.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Resolved that the Corrofin Board of Guardians be informed that there are 86 more than the Appointed Number of Paupers belonging to Corrofin in the Gort Workhouse, and that they be requested to make arrangements for withdrawing them, and providing for future Applicants, And that our Master be directed not to receive any future Applicants from that Union exceeding the number stated in the Sealed Order.

Ordered that an advertisement be inserted in the General Advertiser requiring Tenders for putting up a Pump for Supplying the House with Water.

Ordered that the Storekeeper get the same Rations as the Assistant Master.

Resolved that the Master be directed to purchase a Mule or Poney, and Cart for drawing Water for the Use of the Workhouse, and that advertisements be posted for same.

The Assistant Matron having sent in her resignation it was accepted, and advertisements ordered to be inserted for Candidates for the Office.

Mr. Butler handed in the following Notice.  
Take Notice that will move on this day fortnight to have the following persons transferred to their proper electoral division the same being wrongfully charged to Bunnahow Ditz.

2878 Bridget Gegan 2879 Patt Gegan 3009 Biddy Reen  
2793 Margaret Fitzpatrick Biddy Glynn 2994 Mich. Cahill  
4924 Biddy Malloraw

Resolved that the following we consider as the Statement of account between the Board of Guardians and W O'Brien the late Master.

Deficiencies of Meal this date

1851 February 3 <sup>rd</sup>	£ 34.. 16.. 5
March 8 <sup>th</sup>	4.. 5.. 1 $\frac{1}{4}$
Flame	3.. 7.. 2
Turf	38.. 9.. 0
do	8.. 10.. 4
	<u>89.. 8.. 5<math>\frac{1}{4}</math></u>

Balance of Salary due to W. O'Brien 25 March 1851 £ 36.. 5.. 0  
due by W. O'Brien to the Board of Guardians £ 33.. 3.. 5 $\frac{1}{4}$

Resolved that we Consider the Necessity of Additional Workhouse accommodation of such vital importance, and not having funds to Erect such we urge upon the Consideration of the Commissioners the Making Application to the Lords of the Treasury for an Advance from the late in Aid for erecting Temporary Workhouse Accommodation.

The Board proceeded to Consider Tenders for the Office of Matron for which the following proposed Miss Delia Purcell, Ann Murphy, Eliza Kilkelly, Mary Horan, and Mary Ann Archbold.  
When Mary Horan was appointed Matron at a Salary of £30 per annum with Apartments, and Rations.

The Board accepted the Tender of Martin Kenny for Supplying 20 Stone of New Wool at 16/- per stone.

The Board Accepted the Tender of Patt Ryan for £2.. 10.. 0 for Letting Hotplates, and Boilers.

The Board Accepted the following Tenders for Supplying Cloth Materials for Six Months from the 25<sup>th</sup> instant

John Morris Russell & Sons for flax a 6/6 per stone

J. Fortune & Co. Corkerry	-	2 $\frac{1}{4}$ per yard
do.	Friese	14 $\frac{1}{4}$ per yard
Nichl. Keane	Rugs	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ each
do	Grey Calico	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ per yard
do	Check	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ per yard
do	Barragon	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ per yard
do	Shambray	16 $\frac{1}{2}$ per yard
Neil Evans	icken Canvas	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ per yard
Evans Curtis, &c. Threads		1 $\frac{1}{2}$ pds
do	Bone Studs	6 $\frac{1}{2}$ per gross

The Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held  
on Monday the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March 1851

Jane Slator  
Secretary

W. R. Loyd  
Treasurer  
Arthur Alexander



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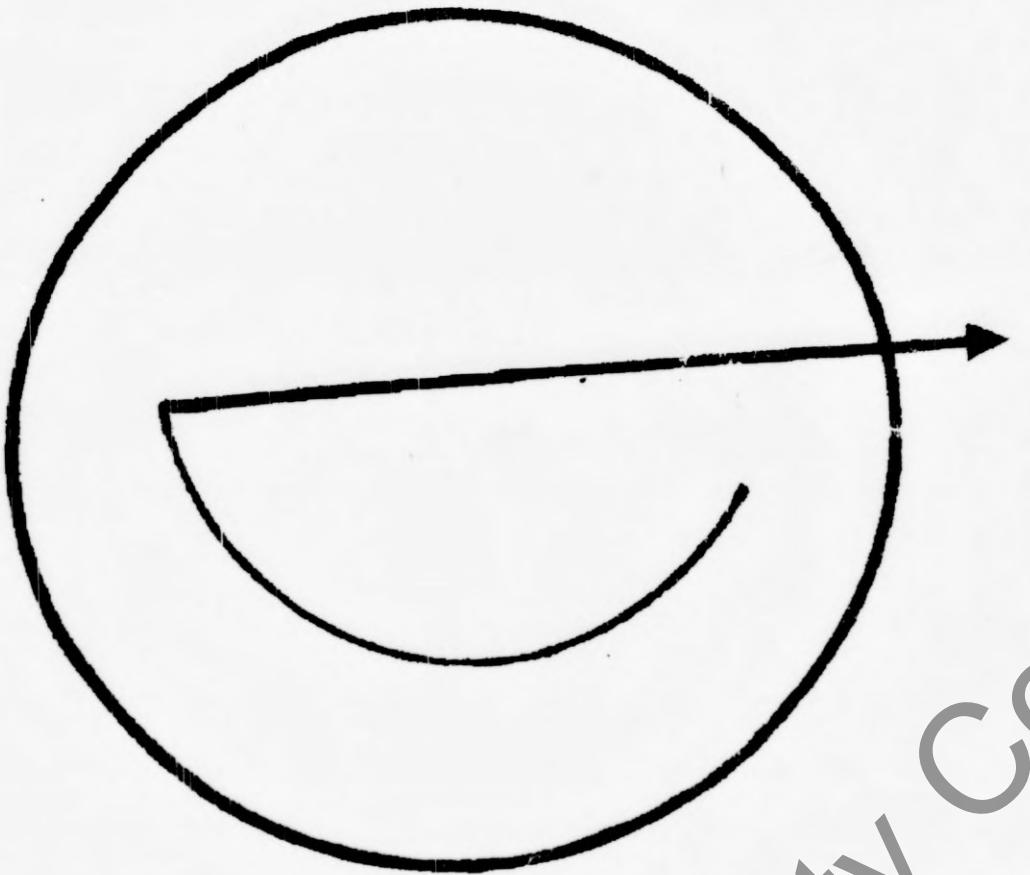
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