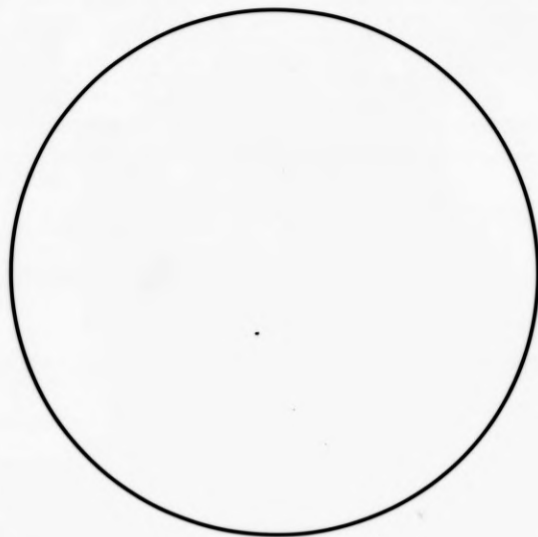


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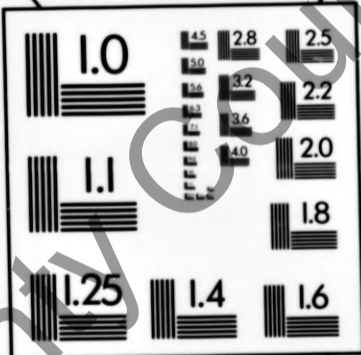
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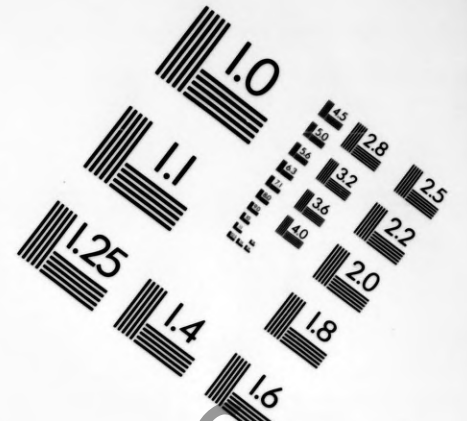
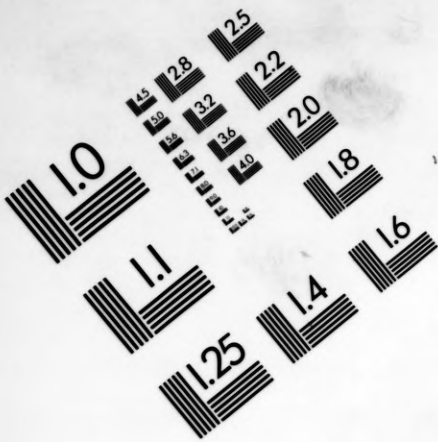
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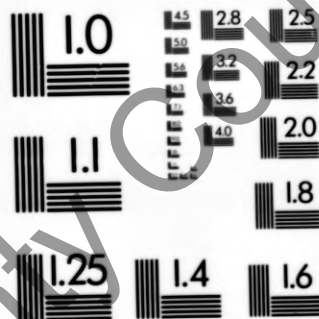


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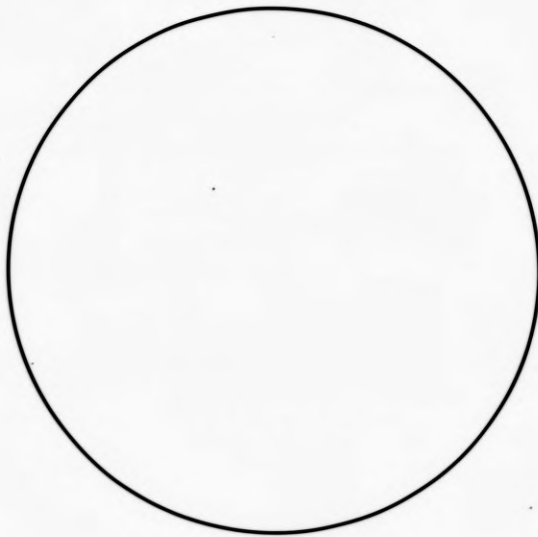
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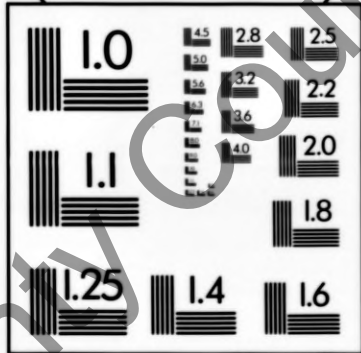
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G01/12/1-2	Missing
G01/12/3	8 June 1844 - 5 July 1845 1845
G01/12/4	Missing See Rough Minutes GS01/12/109
G01/12/5	3 April 1846 – 26 March 1847
G01/12/6	2 April 1847 – 28 January 1848
G01/12/7	4 February 1848 – 1 December 1848
G01/12/8	Missing See Rough Minutes G01/12/113
G01/12/9	19 October 1849 – 30 July 1850
G01/12/10	6 August 1850 - 24 March 1851
G01/12/11	31 March 1851 - 20 October 1851
G01/12/12	Missing See Rough Minutes G01/12/117
G01/12/13	25 May 1852 – 22 November 1852
G01/12/14	November 1852 – 9 May 1853
G01/12/15	16 May 1853 – 24 October 1853
G01/12/16	31 October 1853 – 3 April 1954, CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/17	17 April 1854 – 9 October 1854
G01/12/18	16 October 1854 – 9 April 1855
G01/12/19	16 April 1855 - 4 October 1855
G01/12/20	18 October 1855 - 27 March 1856
G01/12/21	29 March 1856 - 7 August 1856 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/22	2 October 1856 – 21 March 1857
G01/12/23	2 April 1857 – 24 September 1857
G01/12/24	8 October 1857 – 1 March 1858
G01/12/25	6 April 1858 – 28 September 1858
G01/12/26	2 October 1858 – 29 March 1859
G01/12/27	5 April 1859 – 17 September 1859 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/28	Missing See Rough Minutes G01/12/134
G01/12/29	27 March 1860 – 25 September 1860
G01/12/30	2 October 1860 – 24 September 1861 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/31	1 October 1861 – 25 March 1862
G01/12/32	1 April 1862 – 23 September 1862





G01/12/33	30 September 1862 – 24 March 1863
G01/12/34	31 March 1863 – 22 September 1863
G01/12/35	29 September 1863 – 22 March 1864
G01/12/36	29 March 1864 – 17 September 1864
G01/12/37	Missing
G01/12/38	28 March 1865 – 19 September 1865
G01/12/39	26 September 1865 - 20 March 1866
G01/12/40	27 March 1866 - 18 September 1866
G01/12/41	25 September 1866 – 19 March 1867
G01/12/42	26 March 1867 – 17 September 1867 - Condition: Fair
G01/12/43	21 September 1867 – 14 March 1868
G01/12/44	21 March 1868 – 12 September 1868
G01/12/45	19 September 1868 – 13 March 1869
G01/12/46	28 March 1869 – 11 September 1869
G01/12/47	18 September 1869 – 26 February 1870 (with gaps)
G01/12/48	19 March 1870 – 10 September 1870
G01/12/49	17 SEPTEMBER 1870 – 11 MARCH 1871
G01/12/50	8 MARCH 1871 – 9 SEPTEMBER 1871
G01/12/51	11 November 1871 – 9 March 1872
G01/12/52	16 March 1872 – 7 September 1872
G01/12/53	14 SEPTEMBER 1872 – 8 MARCH 1873
G01/12/54	15 March 1873 – 26 July 1873
G01/12/56	14 March 1874 – 19 September 1874
G01/12/57	26 September 1874 – 3 April 1875
G01/12/58	10 April 1875 – 11 October 1875
G01/12/59	23 October 1875 – 6 May 1876
G01/12/60	Missing
G01/12/61	26 November 1876 – 2 June 1877
G01/12/62	2 June 1877 – 29 December 1877
G01/12/63	5 January 1878 – 13 July 1878
G01/12/64	20 July 1878 – 8 February 1879
G01/12/65	15 February 1879 - 6 September 1879



G01/12/66	13 September 1879 – 20 March 1880
G01/12/67	27 March 1880 – 2 October 1880
G01/12/68	9 October 1880 – 9 April 1881
G01/12/69	16 April 1881 – 22 October 1881
G01/12/70	29 October 1881 – 6 May 1882
G01/12/71	13 May 1882 – 18 November 1882 - CLOSED due to fragile physical condition
G01/12/72	25 November 1882 – 2 June 1883
G01/12/73	9 June 1883 – 8 December 1883
G01/12/74	15 December 1883 – 14 June 1884
G01/12/75	21 June 1884 – 20 December 1884 - CLOSED – due to fragile condition
G01/12/76	2 January 1885 – 4 July 1885
G01/12/77	11 July 1885 – 2 January 1886
G01/12/78	17 July 1886 – 22 January 1887
G01/12/79	5 February 1887 – 6 August 1887
G01/12/80	13 AUGUST 1887 – 3 MARCH 1888
G01/12/81	22 September 1888 – 5 October 1889
G01/12/82	19 October 1889 – 31 October 1891
G01/12/83	14 November 1891 – 9 December 1893
G01/12/84	6 January 1894 – 18 January 1896
G01/12/85	1 February 1896 – 26 February 1898
G01/12/86	12 March 1898 – 29 July 1889 - Incorporates minutes of Gort Rural District Council 15 April – 29 July 1899
G01/12/87	2 September 1899 – 15 June 1901
G01/12/88	24 August 1901 – 22 August 1903
G01/12/89	Missing
G01/12/90	28 October 1905 – 9 November 1907
G01/12/91	23 November 1907 - 7 November 1908
G01/12/92	21 November 1908 – 23 October 1909
G01/12/93	6 November 1909 – 8 October 1910 - CLOSED due to its Poor Condition
G01/12/94	22 October 1910 – 23 September 1911
G01/12/95	7 October 1911 - 21 September 1912
G01/12/96	5 October 1912 – 6 September 1913
G01/12/97	6 September 1913 - 25 July 1914



G01/12/98	8 August 1914 – 24 July 1915
G01/12/99	7 August 1915 – 14 April 1917
G01/12/100	12 May 1917 – 12 April 1919
G01/12/101	10 May 1919 – 14 May 1921
G01/12/102 – 103	Missing

**Indoor Relief Register**

G01/12/104 24 August 1914 - 11 August 1920 - Restricted Access

**Indoor Relief List**

G01/12/105 March 1917 - 30 September 1919 - FRAGILE – IN POOR CONDITION

**Incoming Letter Book**

G01/12/106 11 March 1912 - 25 March 1916 - RESTRICTED ACCESS IN POOR  
CONDITION – [OIL] STAINED

**Provision Receipt and Consumption Account and Provisions Check Account**

G01/12/107 29 September 1917 - 30 November 1919

**Board of Guardian Rough Minutes**

G01/12/108	14 June 1844 – 18 July 1845
G01/12/109	25 July 1845 – 17 April 1846
G01/12/110	24 April 1846 – 19 March 1847
G01/12/111	Missing
G01/12/112	18 February 1848 – 1 December 1848
G01/12/113	8 December 1848 – 21 September 1849
G01/12/114	17 October 1849 – 30 July 1850
G01/12/115	6 August 1850 – 24 March 1851
G01/12/116	31 March 1851 – 20 October 1851
G01/12/117	25 October 1851 – 18 May 1852
G01/12/118	25 May 1852 - 29 November 1852
G01/12/119	6 December 1852 - 9 May 1853
G01/12/120	16 May 1853 – 24 October 1853
G01/12/121	31 October 1853 – 10 April 1854
G01/12/122	17 April 1854 – 9 October 1854
G01/12/123	16 October 1854 – 9 April 1855
G01/12/124	16 April 1855 – 11 October 1855
G01/12/125	25 October 1855 – 27 March 1856
G01/12/126	Missing
G01/12/127	16 October 1856 – 12 March 1857
G01/12/128	7 April 1857 – 30 April 1857
G01/12/129	Missing
G01/12/130	8 October 1857 – 20 March 1858
G01/12/131	6 April 1858 – 28 September 1858 - fragile – in poor condition
G01/12/132	2 October 1858 – 29 March 1859
G01/12/133	13 April 1859 – 17 September 1859
G01/12/134	27 September 1859 – 22 November 1859



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**GORT POOR LAW UNION  
BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES**

**G01/12/19**

**16 April 1855 - 4 October 1855**

1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 56; 10 & 11 Vic., Cap. 31; 10 & 11 Vic., Cap. 90; and  
12 & 13 Vic., Cap. 104.

# MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

THE MINUTE BOOK, in which shall be entered the statistical information laid before the Board of Guardians relating to the inmates of the Workhouse, the collection of the Rates, and the state of the Finances of the Union; Minutes of all Orders received from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, and of all Letters received from the Commissioners or other parties relating to the business of the Union, and of all directions given by the Board of Guardians thereon; Minutes of the production and examination of the Register, and all other Books and Accounts which are required to be periodically produced, examined, and signed; Minutes of the Reports of the Visiting and Finance Committees, and of the Clerk, the Master, and other Officers of the Workhouse, and of all directions given by the Board thereon; Minutes of all monies received and paid, all orders and checks given, all accounts examined and allowed, and all salaries ordered to be paid; a statement of the number of cases of provisional relief, and of applications for relief, brought before the Board and considered and decided on by them; as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings.

*Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.*

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*Good* UNION.

Population in 1851, *26287*

Present Net Annual Value, £36000, n. r.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 185*5*.

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, . . .	<i>1150</i>	<i>313</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	<i>700</i>	"												
Additional Workhouse, . . .	<i>35</i>	<i>10</i>												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	"	"												
Fever Sheds, . . .	"	"												
Total, . . .	<i>1906</i>	<i>323</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>41</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>324</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>64</i>	In separate Wards, <i>2</i>
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>				<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>10</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>2</i>
TOTAL, . . .			<i>42</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>335</i>	Total, <i>74</i>	Total, <i>2</i>
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>				<i>9</i>		
Died, . . .				<i>3</i>								<i>3</i>		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>				<i>12</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>39</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>323</i>		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 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.
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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.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the *16* day of *April* 185*5*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *N. A. Guyon*

Other Guardians:

*Pat Fitzpatrick* *Ch. Alexander*  
*John Martin* *J. C. Board* *James Cahiff*  
*Christophus O'George* *Patrick Burke*  
*Michael Stanton* *John Broderick*  
*John Linnell* *J. P. O'Connell*

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.*

Galway County Council

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. 11115 to No. 1050, 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £115. 6. 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £291. 18. 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £158. 19. 8

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:—  
week ended 7 April 1855

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Thomas Ardinau	Adarnullia	.	.	.				36	13	2½				
	Ballynahala	.	.	.				44	3	1½				
	Bragh	.	.	.				59	3	11				
	Bunacross	.	.	.				10	4	4½				
	Cahore	.	.	.				116	1	4½				
	Cantard	.	.	.				25	11	.				
	Drum	.	.	.				76	1	4				
	Qul	.	.	.	96	9	7	243	.	8				
	Wiltacounty	.	.	.				19	12	5½				
	Wiltuney	.	.	.				57	8	9½				
Wiltaton	.	.	.				73	17	7½					
Wiltthomas	.	.	.				50	19	½					
Wiltarra	.	.	.				197	.	1¾					
							76	9	7			1105	17	11
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.	13	5	2¾				12	3	6	
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.	4	.	.				62	18	4	
	Raharane	.	.	.	3	18	¾				9	19	10	
	Shanagh	.	.	.	1	16	9				43	12	9	
							23	.	.			235	7	5
Edmond Staunton	Jennaroo	.	.	.	18	5	11				55	8	6½	
	Wiltmarana	.	.	.	61	14	1				10	2	7½	
	Wiltudy	.	.	.	.	.	.				64	16	11¾	
							80	.	.			130	8	1¾
							199	9	7			1172	.	5½
Thomas Ardinau	Shuacduagh	.	.	.							44	6	2	
	Bragh	.	.	.							159	10	2¾	
	Wiltaton	.	.	.							18	10	3½	
	Wiltthomas	.	.	.							31	17	3½	
	Wiltudy	.	.	.							25	18	3¾	
Wiltarra	.	.	.							267	11	¾		
Wiltmarana	.	.	.							18	10	½		
Wiltuney	.	.	.								70	19	5½	
Wiltthomas	.	.	.								37	11	0½	
Wiltacounty	.	.	.								139	19	11¾	
												846	.	7½

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 £ 21. 6. 6.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	21. 6. 6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	31. 2. 1/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	1/7
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	2/7
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	3/

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

650 lb, Bread	1 1/2 lb, Coffee
72 lb, Meat	1 1/2 lb, Rice
2 bush Oatmeal	28 lb, Cocoa
999 qts New Milk	2 lb, Paper
1 bush Salt	54 Boxes Soap
32 lb Tea	8 lb, Candles
84 lb Sugar	42 lb, Soap
5 pints Whiskey	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

In money, - - - -	£ s. d.
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. £ 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.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.	£ s. d.
	-

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

2. Establishment Account.  
James Kater Esq. Petty Bills  
Andrew Gode Salary &c

1	12	7
3		

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The following Cheques were ordered

Very Rev' Dean Birmingham	July to 25 March	2. 10. 0
John Boland for Carriage	to 29 Sept 1854	3. 19. 8
Michael Leam for Clothing	to 25 March 1855	52. 12. 10
Murphy Oliver for Sundries	do	13. 8. 10
James O'Keefe for Calany	do	30. 0. 0

For Treasurer  
As Unpaid Bills

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

The Medical Officer reports, the Hospital Patients Complain very much of the quality of the Milk supplied last week it is very important that the Board should adopt some stringent measures in reference to the abuse that continues to prevail in an article of diet of so much consequence to the Sick —

Read and an order made —

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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:  
 Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners  
 14 April No. 10969. 1853 Cautioning the  
 Proposed reduction in the Salaries of the  
 Relieving Officers -

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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	3
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	1

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)

Resolved that the Mills Contractors be warned that the Mills furnished by them will be tested separately and a Report kept of the quality furnished and that if on examination it be found that the terms of the Contract have not been adhered to, that legal proceedings shall be instituted forthwith against the Contractors as offending and their Estates, and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to each Contractor

Resolved that bills a view to have accounts examined by the Finance Committee before being paid that no account in future be paid except those that are so certified

Shewly give notice that will on this day fortnight move that Margaret Ward and Child be transferred from West Electoral Division to the Union at large — John Forest

W. H. Fugate, Clk.  
Peter Burt  
 John Forest

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows:)

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36002.10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1855

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	So. 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 2 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, . . . . .	1150	305													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	700														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	56	8													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1906	313													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			39	68	11	17	60	71	18	24	18	323	In Workhouse Hospital, 38 In Fever Hospital, 8	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	7			2			1	1	13	Total, 66	Total, 2	
TOTAL, . . . . .			41	75	11	17	62	71	19	25	19	336			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	7			6			3	2	23			
Died, . . . . .															
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	7			6			3	2	23			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			36	68	11	17	56	71	18	22	17	313			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 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.							Et. 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 Sunday the 23 day of April 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, H. N. Guyon

Other Guardians:

Mary Cahiff, Dr. Murray, John Martine, Patrick Burke, John Connel, John Berthwick

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. 4072 to No. 4085, 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £132. 13. 9

Paid during the week, - - - - - £291. 13. 5

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £185. 10. 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.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Thomas Hardiman	Adamullia	3	11	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				33	18					
	Ballycathalan	5	7	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				38	10	10				
	Bragh	13		5				46	3	6				
	Bunmahon	4	11	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				16	2	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Cahernore	23		7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				93		9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Casford	18	15	3				6	15	3				
	Doonbeg	7	3	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				67	17	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Doonbeg							24	3	8				
	Milliacanty							19	12	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Millinny							5	8	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
Millstich							73	17	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
Millthomas							58	19	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
Minna							197		1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
							115	6	5			990	11	0
Michael Taylor	Adrahan							12	3	6				
	Castle Taylor							62	18	4				
	Caheran							96	19	10				
	Clahavagh							63	12	9				
												235	14	5
Edmund Staunton	Minna							55	8	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Millinny							10	2	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Millinny							64	15	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
												130	8	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	Total						115	6	5			135	6	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Thomas Hardiman	Millinny							64	6	2				
	Bragh							159	10	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Millstich							15	10	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Millthomas							31	17	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Millinny							25	18	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	297	2	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
Samuel O'Brien	Minna							252	4	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	259	4	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
	Millinny							18	10	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	165	10	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
Edmund Staunton	Millinny							70	19	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
	Adrahan							37	4	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	105	4	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
Michael Taylor	Millinny							189	19	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	139	19	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
	Adrahan													
Edw <sup>d</sup> Chaughmoy	Millinny													
	Adrahan													

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 £ 33. 16 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£ s. d.
	33. 16. 4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	30. 12. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	30. 12. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	77
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -	2/7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	3/-

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

11 1/2 lb, Bread	2 lb, Coffee
7 1/2 lb, Meat	7 lb, Rice
1 pint Oatmeal	25 lb, Cocoa
1 pint Gall	2 lb, pepper
32 g, Tea	1/2 ton Barley Meal
8 1/2 lb, Sugar	1/2 ton Rye Meal
5 lb, Candles	
25 lb, 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	£ s. d.
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. £ 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. forw'd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Slater Copy Petty Bills 3 8 9

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

John Riady for Meal

£	s.	d.
3	5	

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:

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The following Cheques were ordered

Martin Lohan p<sup>y</sup> Galway to 29 Sept 1854. 10.0.0  
 Mary Miller do do to 29 Sept 1853 13.15.0  
 Daniel McNamee p<sup>y</sup> do to 25 March 1854 2.10.0

Let Treasurer p.  
Do unpaid bills

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

The Medical officer reports that the Hospital Milk last week was 90 quarts short and that the Master was obliged to substitute Sea and Ocean in its stead. as regards the quality of the Milk the Master has kept a daily register of it and reports a slight improvement last week.



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 20<sup>th</sup> April  
 No 10969. 1853 in reference to the support of  
 children by the Mother stating that their  
 Father who is alive is the person legally liable  
 to maintain them and that proceedings could  
 not be successfully taken against the Mother

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 . . . . . 6

Ditto disallowed . . . . . 74

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . . . 74

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

No. 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 in every year)

Resolved that Michael Taylor in consequence of his neglect in collecting the Rates be desired to attend the next meeting of the Board -

Shew give notice that since on this day fortnight Mrs. Mary Ward and Daughter be transferred from the Electoral Division of Killeen as well as that of Castle Taylor and also that Mary Guinness be transferred from Killeen and C. D. to the Union at large

John Brodie

Gentlemen

As considerable doubt exists among the Guardians respecting the following case the opinion of the Poor Law Commissioners is requested. Bridget Mannix was relieved by coming into the Workhouse in January 1853 and left in June 1853. She has not been relieved since and has resided in the Electoral Division only six months since that period. She was relieved from the Poor Electoral Division 1853 -

A Division of opinion exists among the Guardians, whether in consequence of her not receiving relief during the twelve months preceding her present application she could be placed on the Electoral Division which she was chargeable to formerly on the Union at large

Resolved that Mr. Allen and the undersigned be empowered to write to Mr. O'Keefe to the effect that legal proceedings will be taken against him for the Rent overpaid him by the Poor Guardians unless same be refunded by next Broad day -

*W. H. Joyce Esq  
P. J. O'Riordan Esq  
Arthur Alexander*

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

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

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Go 12/19

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68,  
(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_  
UNION, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 \_\_\_\_\_,  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:*

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The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

_____ District	. . . . .	£
_____ District	. . . . .	£

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1, and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows:)

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

Circulars from Poor Law Commissioners  
12 April 1855 regarding Dispensary  
Arrangement, Vaccination inoculation  
also Copy of Circular 11 July 1855

W. H. Joyce  
P. Fitzpatrick  
Arthur Alexander

Galway County Council

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 26,787

Present Net Annual Value, £36,002.10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of April 1855

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, . . . . .	115	317												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	700	"												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	56	9												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	"	"												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	"	"												
<b>Total,</b> . . . . .	1911	326												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			36	68	10	17	10	71	18	22	17	313	In Workhouse Hospital, 166	In separate Wards, 147
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	15			1	11	1	3	2	25	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other Inmates, 2
<b>TOTAL,</b> . . . . .			38	83	10	17	11	82	19	25	19	338	<b>Total,</b> 175	<b>Total,</b> 172
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	5			2	5		1		15		
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	5			2	5		1		15		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			36	78	10	17	9	70	19	24	19	326		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of \_\_\_\_\_ 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.							Et. 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							<b>TOTAL,</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 30 day of April 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, G. H. Gregory

Other Guardians:

James Cahiff Pat Fitzpatrick  
Arthur Alexander John Forrest.  
J. Robinson Michael Milan  
Owen Joyce

(Signed)

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. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Money lodged in the Treasurer's hands to the Credit of the Union the sum of — £163. 10. 10 produced as follows

By auction of Blankets 121. 11. 8  
By Suits &c 36. 2. 6  
Barley 5. 16. 8  
Old Metal &c 163. 10. 10

To Treasurer  
In Establishment & the above

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, - - - - - £261. 2. 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £77. 11. 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £319. 8. 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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:— week ended 27 April 1852

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Thomas Gardiner	Ardamulla	10	6	1				2	6	15	7				
	Ballynahalan	10	5	6				2	8	5	4				
	Beagh		12	11				4	5	10	7				
	Binnahara							1	6	2	9				
	Castlemore	2	13					9	0	7	9				
	Clappad		8	6				6	7	3					
	Droon							6	7	17	5				
	Doon	10	12	11				2	1	6	8	4			
	Hilbeauty							1	9	12	5				
	Killiney							5	4	8	9				
	Kiltiston	15	13	1				5	8	4	6				
	Kiltomas							5	0	1	9				
Kinnara							1	9	7						
					12	11	5					5		1	
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan							1	2	3	5				
	Castle Taylor							4	2	1	8				
	Nahasau							9	6	1	9				
	Shanagh							6	3	1	9				
												2	3	5	
Edward Staunton	Kinnara	12	2	11				1	3	6	2				
	Killmaraw							1	0	2	7				
	Killuly	8						5	6	1	0				
					20	2	4					1	10	5	
	Total	132	13	9				1	0	2	1		2	3	
Old Union															
Thomas Gardiner	Kilwardnach							1	1	6	2				
	Beagh							1	5	9	10				
	Kiltiston							1	5	7	0				
	Kiltomas							3	1	7	3				
	Killuly							2	5	1	8				
Conchob O'Brien	Kinnara							4	5	2	2				
Edward Staunton	Killmaraw							4	8	1	0				
Michael Taylor	Killiney							7	0	1	9				
Edward O'Shaughnessy	Ardrahan							3	7	4	10				
	Kilbeauty							1	3	9	1				
												3	4	6	

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 £ 37 6 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	37. 6. 9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	29. 14. 7
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	1/6
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	2/6

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:

680 lb, Bread	84 lb Sugar
74 lb Meat	2 lb Coffee
12 lb Corn Meal	11 lb Rice
12 lb Corn Meal	28 lb Cocoa
1 lb Nut Butter	2 lb Pepper
990 qts New Milk	6 lb Candles
4 lb Lard	5 lb Soap
36 2/3 Tea	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

In money, - - - -	£ s. d.
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. £ 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. forwd.					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.

James Slater for School requisites -	1 16 9
do do by Petty Bills	2 8 8
Martin Dolan of a Salary -	10

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
John Keedy for Indian Meal	1	12	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The following <sup>7</sup> Cheques were ordered

Mary Molony Quinlan to 25 March 1853. 33. 11. 5  
 Longhena Union of Debt  
 under Adjustment order ————— 100. 0. 0  
 Cr Treasurer —  
 Dr Unpaid Bills 3

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

The Medical officer reports the general health of the Seminary continues satisfactory —  
 of 12 admissions to the Infirmary 8 were  
 Eutem Cases and of 3 admissions to the Fever  
 Hospital 2 were Eutem Cases. He is glad to be  
 able to report a progressive improvement  
 in the Mills.

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 28 April 1855  
N<sup>o</sup> 12900 forwarding extracts from a report of  
Mr. Bagot relating to the admission of paupers  
whom he states was improperly placed in  
Middlesex E. Division and copies of the  
Commissioners Reply to him.

Letter from same 28 April N<sup>o</sup> 12834. 1855  
regarding the Chargeability of relief given to  
Budget paupers and explaining the Law  
as to the Chargeability of paupers admitted to  
the Workhouse.

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

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

Resolved that the following Committee be appointed to inspect the Clothing and Articles in the Workhouse, viz Mr. J. Cahiff Mr. Frost and Mr. Burke -

The Constabulary having handed in several Notices of Revision existing in the Town of Gal and Neighbourhood -

Resolved that Mr. Forde be appointed Casualty Officer for the Gal Dispensary District at 7/6 per week his services and Salary to Commence from this date -

Ordered that a cheque be filled for £100 for Purchase Bonds of Guardians 7/6 of our Debt under Adjustment order

Resolved that our Clerk Communicate with the Poor Law Commissioners on the Subject of Margaret Holland and Alicia Blake who are now Charges on the Union of Gal. In the first Case Margaret Holland came into the Workhouse about three years since. She came from the Galway Union and remained for a 12 months as a Crown Miteup at the Police Barrack and the Gal Guardians are of opinion she should be returned to the Union where she came. Alicia Blake was left in the Gal Workhouse by her about five years since having come straight from Galway and not being a native of Gal and the Guardians desire the opinion of the Commissioners as to the steps to be taken to remove these Paupers to their own District -

Shewly give Notice that while on this day Intending to move that the Union Cases entered on the Register be examined with a view of ascertaining whether they are properly charged thereon and if not that they be charged to their proper Electoral Division  
Pat Fitzpatrick

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W. H. J. J. Cl.<sup>u</sup>

John Brodnick  
J. H. H. H.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the

7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1855

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.  
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_  
UNION, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given hereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites  
ordered to be supplied:*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively, as follows:)

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

*Opord* UNION.

Population in 1851, *26287*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *36002.10*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* 185*5*

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 6 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, . . .	<i>157</i>	<i>321</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	<i>100</i>	"												
Additional Workhouse, . . .	<i>56</i>	"												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	"	"												
Fever Sheds, . . .	"	"												
Total, . . .	<i>400</i>	<i>328</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>36</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>107</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>328</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>2</i>	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>7</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	
TOTAL, . . .			<i>43</i>	<i>89</i>	<i>109</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>346</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>4</i>	
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>13</i>			
Died, . . .											<i>1</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>14</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>40</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>107</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>328</i>			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 *7<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* 185*5*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *H. H. Gregory*

Other Guardians:

*Arthur Alexander Pat Burke*  
*John Broderick John Loner*  
*J. Rodenprave*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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 £ 3/1. 13s. 2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	3/1. 13. 2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	30. 5. 10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	1/7
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	2/6
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	3/-

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

700 lb, Beans	1 lb Coffee
2 1/2 lb, O	21 lb, Rice
7 1/2 lb Meal	28 lb, Cocoa
2 lb Natural	2 lb, Pepper
1000 qt New Milk	6 lb, Cauler,
1 pint Gall	10 lb, Soap
36 oz. Tea	4 pte Whiskey
70 lb Sugar	1 Bottle Wine

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Accounts

James O'Leary pay petty Bills,	2 8 6
Andrew Ford pay salary	2

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The following of Cheques were ordered

Michael O'Neil	to	25 <sup>th</sup> March 1853.	3. 15. 0
Martin Brennan	do	do	10. 0. 0
Michael Mucogun	do	do	3. 10. 0

By Treasurer  
D<sup>r</sup> Expended Bills

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

The Medical Officer reports the Sanatory Condition of the Lunatics continues satisfactory. Of nine Admissions to the Infirmary four were Euston Cases and the only Admission to the Lower Hospital was an Euston Case. There was a marked improvement in the Milk last week

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  
May 1855 No. 13745 in answer to a resolution of  
the last Board day regarding the chargeability  
of Margaret Hollans and Abigail Blake

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved that Mr. O'Brien be called on to close his Accounts forthwith.

Ordered that the Clerk advertise for Milk Contracts, tenders to be received on the 21<sup>st</sup> inst.

Leave of absence was granted to the Master for one day this week.

*J. Solihy*  
*Arthur Alexander*  
*John Broderick*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Monday* the  
*14* day of *May* 185 *5*

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

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows:)

Special Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County Council

Clerk of the Union

UNION.

Population in 1851, 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £36002, 10, 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of May 1855.

Table with columns for 'Able-bodied', 'Aged and Infirm persons', 'Boys and 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', 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS', and 'OBSERVATIONS'. Includes rows for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', and 'Total'.

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

Table with columns for 'RELIEF DISTRICT', 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.', 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse', and 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.'. Includes rows for districts I through XVII and a 'TOTAL' row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the \_\_\_\_\_ day of May 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. N. Cugan  
Other Guardians: James Cahiff, A. M. Mander, J. C. Bayot, James Cahiff, Patrick Burt, John Ernest, John Prodenick, Michael Mhan, Peterweeney, Michael Hanter.

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. 1226 to No. 15 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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,

Paid during the week, - - - - - £150. 15. 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £133. 11. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—  
week ended 5 May 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Wm. Hardiman	Ardsamblin	.	.	.				9	15	7						
	Ballycathalun	.	.	.				28	5	4						
	Beagh	.	.	.				45	10	7						
	Bunmahon	.	.	.				16	2	9						
	Cahernane	.	.	.				53	19	5						
	Cahersod	.	.	.				6	7	3						
	Broons	.	.	.				49	15	3						
	Orin	.	.	.				21	6	10						
	Kilbeacanty	.	.	.				19	12	5						
	Killineeny	.	.	.				57	8	9						
	Kiltaton	.	.	.				58	11	6						
	Kiltomas	.	.	.				50	19	2						
Quinara	.	.	.				133	19	1							
													790	8	6	
Michael Taylor	Ardraban	5	17	7				3	5	10						
	Castle Taylor	12	18	.				50	.	4						
	Rahasane	27	18	8				69	1	2						
	Ohanayh	18	11	3				45	1	5						
													148	5	4	
Edmond Staunton	Dunmore	.	.	.				43	6	9						
	Killmasarra	.	.	.				10	2	3						
	Kilcluy	.	.	.				56	15	10						
													110	5	9	
	Total							148	5	4				1058	3	4
Wm. Hardiman	Kilwardagh	.	.	.				6	1	6						
	Beagh	.	.	.				157	10	2						
	Kiltaton	.	.	.				157	10	3						
	Kiltomas	.	.	.				31	17	3						
Samuel O'Brien	Kilcluy	.	.	.				257	3	0	297	2	3			
	Quinara	.	.	.				252	4	2	252	4	2			
Edmond Staunton	Killmasarra	.	.	.				38	10	2	38	10	2			
Michael Taylor	Killineeny	.	.	.				70	19	5						
E. O'Hanrahan	Ardraban	.	.	.				37	11	0	108	11	4			
	Kilbeacanty	.	.	.				139	19	10	139	19	10			
													836	7	0	

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 £ 21. 12 s. 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	20. 12. 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	30. 6. 11/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	2/7
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -	2/5 3/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	3/

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

680 lb, Bear	42 lb, Sugar
74 lb, Meal	2 lb, Coffee
1/2 Ton Indian Meal	14 lb, Rice
1 bot Oatmeal	14 lb, Cocoa
1/2 Ton Meal	2 lb, Pepper
1/2 Ton Barley meal	4 pint, Whisky
1000 qrs New Mills	6 lb, Candles
1 bot Salt	42 lb, Soap
3 1/2 c. Tea	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

In money, - - - - -	£ s. d.
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. £ 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. forwd.					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.

James Olatoye pay petty bills	3 16 8
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Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The following charges were ordered

John Leah and Son for Curriers to 29 Sept 1853	14. 14. 8
Patrick Murren Cart to 25 March 1855.	3. 10. 0
Patrick Cahill for Char	7. 0. 0

By Treasurer  
D. W. [unclear]

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

The Medical officer reports the general health of the Lunatics continues satisfactory. He has to report a further improvement in the quality of the Milk. He begs to refer to his report of the 19<sup>th</sup> March when an order was made for three pairs of shoes for the three Hospital Nurses. The shoes have not yet been provided. and the Master informs him they are done in store. He hopes therefore the Board will this day be good enough to give the necessary instructions on the subject.



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

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 on every year)

Shewly give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that Margaret Shaughnessy be transferred from Great Electoral Division to the Union at Large.

John Connet

Shewly give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that Betty Curran be transferred from Great Electoral Division to the Union at Large.

John Connet

Shewly give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that Mary Pinn be transferred from Kiltbeacanty to the Union at Large or some other Division.

L. L. Boyce

The Clerk having applied for a part of the Probationary Committee in view of his office as an additional clerk for the purpose of enlarging the accommodation for keeping the Union records.

It was resolved that an Estimate of the Expenses be laid before the Board at their next Meeting.

Shewly give notice that I will on this day fortnight move that Mary Tully be transferred from Kiltbeacanty Electoral Division to the Union at Large.

Michael O'Connor

W. H. Joyce, Clk.  
 Arthur Thynne  
 W. Broderick

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

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

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68,  
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Gal  
UNION, on Mon day, the 11 day of May 185 5  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Procurement from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows):

Recd Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 10<sup>th</sup> stating that

May 1855 No. 13,745 requesting to be informed for what period Andrew Lorde is appointed Casualty officer

W. H. Fogarty Ch.  
Arthur Alexander

W. Rodenick

Galway County Council

Clerk of the Union

Population in 1851, 26,287

Present Net Annual Value, £3,102.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of May 1855

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, . . . . .	115	328												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	400	"												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	"	"												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	56	16												
Cover Sheds, . . . . .	"	"												
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>1906</b>	<b>344</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			114	81	4	17	57	69	20	23	19	334	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 70 In separate Wards with other Inmates, } 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			8	9	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	22	Total, } 86 Total, } 2	
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>122</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>356</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	3	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	11		
Died, . . . . .			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	3	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	12		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			117	87	4	17	59	69	20	22	20	344		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of 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							<b>TOTAL,</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. A. Grayson

Other Guardians:

John Alexander Pat Burke  
John Ernest de Bismarck

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. 4151 to No. 4173 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £  
Paid during the week, - - - - - £19. 4. 8  
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £414. 4. 6  
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:—  
were made 12 May 1835

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Thomas Hardiman	Kildare							26	15	7			
	Ballycubalan							25	5	4			
	Beagh							15	10	7			
	Binnahon							16	2	9			
	Cahernore							53	19	5			
	Casford							6	7	3			
	Doon	30	11	9				19		6			
	Opel	48	17	8				157	10	7			
	Kilbeacanty							19	12	5			
	Kilmeny							57	8	9			
Kiltaton							55	4	6				
Kilthomas							52	14	2				
Kilnara	30	2	10				103	15	3				
					109	15	4				680	13	2
Michael Taylor	Abraham							3	5	0			
	Co. de Taylor							50		4			
	Baharane	8						61	1	2			
	Chauagh	33						12	18	5			
					41						126	9	1
Edward Stanton	Sumacore							113	6	2			
	Kilkenara							11	2	7			
	Kilbely							55	16	10			
											110	5	9
					150	15	4				917	8	2
Thos. Curdian	Kilmaudagh							64	6	2			
	Beagh							154	10	2			
	Kiltaton							15	10	3			
	Kilthomas							31	17	3			
	Kilkeedy							25	18	3			
Cymelin O'Brien	Kilnara							252	11	2			
	Kilkenara							38	10	2			
Edward Stanton	Kilkenara												
Michael Taylor	Kilmeny							70	19	5			
E. O'haughney	Abraham							37	11	10			
	Kilbeacanty							139	19	11			
											836	7	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 £/11 . 1 s. 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	40. 1. 6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	30. 8. 9 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	30. 8. 9 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	2/6
	3/

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

7 1/2 lb Coffee	2 lb Coffee
28 " do received	1 1/2 lb Rice
7 1/2 " Meal	2 lb Pepper
2 lb Nutmegs	6 lb Candles
10 1/2 lb New Milk	1 1/2 lb Soap
1 lb Salt	2 1/2 lb Potatoes
3 1/2 lb Tea	

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

In money	£ s. d.
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.	£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ 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. forwd.						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.

James Olato Copy of petty Bills 1 1/2 6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.  
 The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—  
 Number of successful cases.  
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The following Cheque was ordered  
 Denis Neave for Pott and Shaw 115. 1. 1  
 By Treasurer  
 W. Murphy

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

The Medical officer reports the Sanatory  
 Condition of the Animals, continues satisfactory  
 of seven Admissions to the  
 Infirmary four were Ectem Cases and of  
 five Admissions to the Fever Hospital four  
 were Ectem Cases —

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 18<sup>th</sup> May 1855 N<sup>o</sup> 11911 forwarding copy of Letter received from E. S. Hunt Esq with respect to the Curators of the County and wishing to be informed if the Guardians would take any steps thereon

To be brought before the Guardians this day week

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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	6
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	10

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

Ordered that the Master make arrangements for the permanent separation of Protestants, both Sufferers and Convalescent from the rest of the Lunatics

Shewly give notice that Duill on this day fortnight shall have May Leonard transferred from Killeunan as a Electoral Division to the Union at Largo

John Brodniek

W. H. J. J. J. J. J.  
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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows:)

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County Council

Clerk of the Union.

QJOT UNION.

Population in 1851, 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £36002.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1855.

Table with columns for 'Able-bodied', 'Aged and Infirm persons', 'Boys and Girls', 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS', and 'OBSERVATIONS'. Includes rows for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', and 'Total'.

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

Table with columns for 'RELIEF DISTRICT', 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse', 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse', and 'RELIEF DISTRICT'. Includes rows for 'No. I' through 'No. XVII' and a 'TOTAL' row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 28 day of May 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. H. Gregory

Other Guardians:

James Cahiff, John Hartigan, A. B. Nolan, Henry Blaquiere, Patrick Burke, John Hartigan, Owenweeney, Michael O'Connell, Michael O'Connell, John O'Connell

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. 4173 to No. 4180, 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £ 148. 0. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 21. 11. 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 570. 9. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
The Weekly balance-accounts 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:—  
10. 11. 1853 ended 19. May 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.											
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.									
Thomas Hardiman	Ordanville	.	.	.				26	15	7												
	Ballycaghan	.	.	.				28	5	7												
	Beagh	.	.	.				45	7	7												
	Bacmahow	.	.	.				16	2	9 1/2												
	Bohemore	.	.	.				83	19	5 1/2												
	Cappard	.	.	.				5	7	3												
	Doonny	.	.	.				19	.	6												
	Gal	.	.	.				16	7	10 1/2												
	Hillcrauty	.	.	.				19	12	5 1/2												
	Killinny	.	.	.				57	8	9 1/2												
	Kiltaton	.	.	.				58	11	6 1/2												
Kiltomas	.	.	.				57	19	2													
Linnara	.	.	.				103	16	3 1/2													
													680	13	2							
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.				3	5	10 1/2												
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.				50	.	4												
	Kaharaha	.	.	.				41	12													
	Shanagh	.	.	.				12	1	5 1/2												
																106	9	1				
Edmund Staunton	Quinn	.	.	.				113	6	2 1/2												
	Killmarana	.	.	.				10	2	7 1/2												
	Killeely	.	.	.				56	15	10 1/2												
																			110	5	7 1/2	
	Total																			917	8	9 1/2
Thos Hardiman	Kilwardney	.	.	.				64	6	2												
	Beagh	.	.	.				15	9	10 1/2												
	Kiltaton	.	.	.				15	7	3 1/2												
	Kiltomas	.	.	.				31	7	3 1/2												
Amelius O'Brien	Killeedy	.	.	.				45	8	3 1/2	297	2	5 1/2									
	Linnara	.	.	.				252	11	1/2	252	4	1/2									
Edmund Staunton	Killmarana	.	.	.				38	10	1/2	36	10	1/2									
	Killinny	.	.	.				70	19	5 1/2												
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.				37	4	10 1/2	108	4	4									
	Kilwardney	.	.	.				139	19	11 1/2	139	19	11 1/2									
Edw O'Shaughnessy		.	.	.																		
		.	.	.																		
																				836	.	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 £19. 15. 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	19.	15.	1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	-	31.	5. 9 3/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	31.	5. 9 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	2/10

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:

- |                     |              |
|---------------------|--------------|
| 75 lb Bread         | 3 lb Tea     |
| 70 " Meat           | 2 lb Coffee  |
| 1/2 Ton Indian Meal | 2 lb Coffee  |
| 1/2 Ton Suet        | 21 lb Rice   |
| 1/2 Ton Butter      | 2 lb Sugar   |
| 1 cwt Potatoes      | 1 lb Candles |
| 100 qts Milk        | 5 lb Soap    |
| 1 cwt Coal          |              |

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
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.			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. forwd.						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.

James Water copy Petition Bills 145

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The following Cheques were ordered

Michael Pappas for milk to 29 Sept 1854 67. 16. 3  
 Thomas Warden an Collected fees for 20. 0. 0  
 Patrick Kelly sweeping of Flus, to 25 March 1855 1. 0. 0

By Treasurers  
 & unpaid bills

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

The Medical Officer reports the Sanatory  
 Condition of the Lunatics continued  
 Satisfactory

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 25 May 1853 No. 15237 forwarding copy of Letter received from Elias Pottinger regarding the Entry of Enumeration to the Clerk to the Personal Ledger and the Commissioners reply to him as also Extract from the Act with reference to his Enquiry

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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	3
Ditto disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	4

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Ordered that an <sup>11</sup> Act of inevitable Cases be admitted at the next Board day to the Board of Guardians by the Rate Collector

Resolved that our Clerk do apply to the Commr. of Chelsea Hospital for a Pension of the Pension of John Calver a Pensioner of the 16 Regt. of Foot to cover the Expence of relief afforded to his legitimate Child who has been admitted to the Fever Hospital of this Union

Give notice that will on this day fortnight more to have Mass Issues removed from God Electoral Division to that of Beaufort

John Forest

Resolved that a sum of three pounds be expended to assist in the Emigration of Mary Kennedy to Philadelphia Chargeable to the E. Division of Ardauellian which the Commissioners are requested to sanction

Resolved that legal proceedings be taken against Dr. Sykes and Pat O'Sullivan for recovery of Rates due by Mr. Nolan

A difference of opinion existing among this Board of Guardians regarding the residence of applicants for relief. Some Guardians stating that a residence in the Workhouse for any period of the Year preceding the application should be taken as residence in the Union for the purpose of ascertaining the Chargeability. and other Guardians holding a contrary argument the opinion of the Commissioners is requested thereon

Resolved that the Guardians altho willing to incur legal Expence, in defending the Cause of the Act of Surrender fall Particulars of which

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 are in possession of the Poor Law Commissioners  
 are of opinion that it would be advisable for  
 the Poor Law Commissioners to obtain from their  
 Legal Adviser an opinion whether the Service is  
 good in Law. The Guardians beg also to  
 submit to the Poor Law Commissioners that they  
 are now paying £5. 0. 0 per statute acre for the  
 land so occupied the value of which does not  
 exceed £1. 12. 0 per Irish acre. The Guardians  
 beg to submit that in the verbal proposal by  
 the Solicitor of the late Vicarage Messrs for the  
 Incumbered Estates Court under which the land  
 in question was sold and under which contract  
 Mr. Hunt became himself the purchaser. The  
 land held by the Commissioners is described as  
 being held by Quancy from year to year. The  
 Quancy determinable on the 25<sup>th</sup> March each year

Right to surrender the land cannot  
 be entered but the validity of the notice of  
 Surrender the Guardians are anxious of having  
 ascertained in order that a fresh notice be  
 served if it be considered an invalid notice

Mr. Hunt the Land Agent of Mr.  
 Hunt objects to the Service of the notice of  
 Surrender on two grounds. First that the notice  
 intended for Mr. Hunt who resides in England  
 was served personally on Mr. Patrick Burke  
 Mr. Hunt's Under Agent at his house in Gort and  
 not at his office there. The notice for Mr. Hunt  
 was served personally on him both services  
 made on 24<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> September 1853 respectively  
 and it is presumed that the latter Service on  
 Mr. Hunt the agent would be considered  
 sufficient Service on Mr. Hunt as well as on

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the  
11 day of June 1855

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

himself even if Mr. Burke had not been so  
 served - The 2<sup>d</sup> objection is that the notice of  
 Surrender should have been served before the 25<sup>th</sup>  
 September for the 25<sup>th</sup> March following -

Arthur Alford  
 Chairman  
 John Bradwell  
 John Forrest

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68,  
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the God  
UNION, on Mon day, the 1st day of May 1855,  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows:

Recd Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 29<sup>th</sup> May 1853 stating that

N<sup>o</sup> 14779 requesting to be furnished with a reply to their Letter of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst relating to the appointment of Andrew Gode as Casualty officer to the Gal Dispensary District

Resolved that Andrew Gode be appointed Casualty officer to the Gal Dispensary District at 7/6 per week for two months from 30<sup>th</sup> April

Arthur Alexander  
Chairman  
John Broderick  
John Honest

Galway County

Clerk of the Union

Gal UNION.

valuation in 1851, 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36002.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2<sup>d</sup> day of June 1853

Table with columns: No. of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children, Infants, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Number of cases relieved, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Number of cases relieved, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. A. Guyon  
Other Guardians:

James Cahiff Arthur Alexander  
A. B. Nolan John Gode  
Patrick Burt John Broderick

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the 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. 1181 to No. 1191, 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. \_\_\_\_\_, 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, - - - - - £ 57. 16. 3  
Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 23. 11. 11  
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 55. 14. 2  
The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:— week ended 26<sup>th</sup> May 1856

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Thomas Hardiman	Ardamulla	10	19	3				15	7	4					
	Ballycabalan							28	5	4					
	Beagh	24	5	2				11	5	2					
	Bunahow							16	2	9					
	Colhemore	10	16	9				65	2	7					
	Capland							6	7	3					
	Dunoy	2	3	7				16	16	11					
	Gal	36	10	6				131	6	7					
	Killiacanty							19	10	5					
	Killinny							57	8	9					
Michael Taylor	Kittaton							58	4	6					
	Kittomas							50	19	2					
	Kinnara	5	11	10				48	5	7					
					108							572	13	2	
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan							3	5	10					
	Castle Taylor	3	12	4				15	18						
	Prabane	5	11	8				53	6	6					
	Shanawayh			3				11	18	8					
					140							86	9	1	
E. Staunton	Bunacore							13	6	2					
	Killmacora							10	2	7					
	Killeely							56	16	10					
												110	5	9	
	Gal				148							769	8	4	
Th. Hardiman	Killmacora							6	1	2					
	Beagh							15	9	2					
	Kittaton							15	7	3					
	Kittomas							3	1	7					
	Killeely							25	15	3					
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinnara							23	4	1					
	Killmacora							38	10	2					
	Killeely							7	1	9					
Edward Staunton	Killmacora							37	1	10					
	Ardrahan							13	9	11					
Michael Taylor	Killmacora											139	19	11	
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Killmacora														
													836	7	3

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 £38. 2 s. 9 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	38. 2. 9 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	32. 0. 11 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	1/4
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -	2/7
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	2/11

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

76 1/2 lb, Bread	2 lb, coffee
70 lb, meat	16 lb, rice
2 cut oatmeal	2 lb, pepper
1100 qts New Milk	5 lb, candles
1 cut ball	5 lb, soap
36 1/2 Tea	6 pints, Whisky
12 lb, sugar	3 cut pipes

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

In money, - - - - -	£ s. d.
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. £ 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. 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.

Michael Kennedy for 18 pairs of Shoes,	3	3	-
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

James O'Leary for petty Bills,	3	19	7
Martin O'Dolan for do do,	10	-	-
John Hoogh for do do,	2	-	-

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



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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 2<sup>d</sup> June 1855 N<sup>o</sup> 15861 stating that they have referred the Guardian's resolution with regard to the Cemetery to their Solicitor for their opinion as regards the validity of the notice of removal.

Letter from same 1<sup>st</sup> June 1855 N<sup>o</sup> 15872 forwarding Extract of Letter received from Southsea Union with regard to the balance due to this Union under final adjustment order and requesting the attention of the Guardian thereto.

Consideration postponed till Monday.

Letter from same 2<sup>d</sup> June 1855 N<sup>o</sup> 15861 in answer to an inquiry of the Guardian, as to whether a residence in the Workhouse should be deemed a residence in the Union for the purpose of ascertaining chargeability.

Resolved in reference to the Communication of the Poor Law Commissioners that the case of Bridget Maughmery be submitted to the Poor Law Commissioners and their opinion taken as to the chargeability of the Pauper in question.

Bridget Maughmery left the Workhouse about two years before her recent application for admission of those two years & sixteen months was spent in the God Electoral Division and six months in the Brough Electoral Division. The Guardian representing the God Electoral Division objects to her being charged on that Division. Considering that only two years residence in the Union has been proved unless the year residence in the Workhouse should also be allowed to constitute the three years residence in the Union.

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 8

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 7

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 Poorhouse Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . .

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved in Consideration of Dr. Hynes Letter received this day providing unconditional payment of the rate, due on <sup>Case</sup> ~~Case~~ by him, that Mr. Nolan be instructed not to proceed further against Dr. Hynes

The Board accepts the Quota of George Hynes for sweeping Flies for twelve months from this date at four pounds per annum

W. H. Joyce, Ch<sup>r</sup>.

Arthur Ahlander  
John Forest

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows:)

Please Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County Council

Clerk of the Union.

God UNION.

Population in 1851, 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36002.10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of June 1855

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, . . . . .	150	331												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	700	"												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	56	13												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	"	"												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	"	"												
Total, . . . . .	1906	344												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			48	92	4	17	59	18	20	23	18	349	In Workhouse Hospital, 66	In separate Wards with other inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			7	12			2	2	1	1		22	In Workhouse Hospital, 13	In separate Wards with other inmates, 2
TOTAL, . . . . .			55	104	4	17	61	70	20	24	19	371	Total, 79	Total, 2
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	13			1	3		3		27		
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	13			1	3		3		27		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			47	89	4	17	60	67	20	21	19	344		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 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.
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No. VI.							No. XIV.						
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No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, G. H. Greyson

Other Guardians:

Arthur Alexander James Cahiff  
Henry Cahiff Thomas A. Lopez  
John Forrest Michael Stanton  
Michael Alan S. Prosin grave  
John Kelly Patrick Buxton

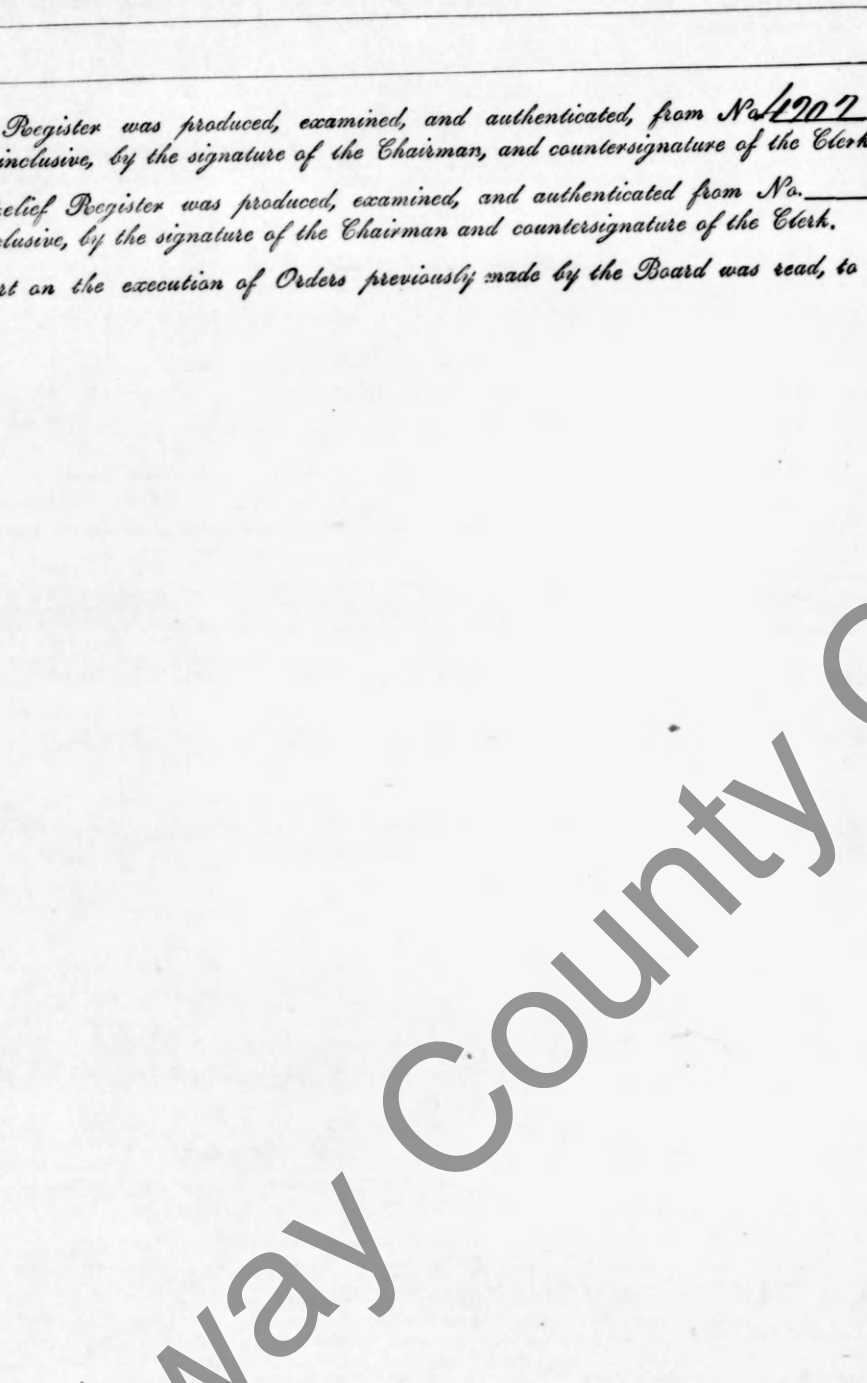
The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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. 1202 to No. 1221 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. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £110. 7.  
Paid during the week, - - - - - £94. 7.  
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £484. 14.  
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.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Thomas Ardavin	Adanulla	.	.	.				13	7	4					
	Ballycabalan	2	11	3				2	11	3					
	Beagh	1	2	6				1	2	6					
	Bunahaw	.	.	.				1	2	9					
	Bahemore	.	.	.				6	5	2					
	Cliffard	.	.	.				6	7	3					
	Corrus	.	.	.				1	6	11					
	Enil	14	5	9				14	5	9					
	Killcasulty	.	.	.				1	9	5					
	Killinny	14	3	11				14	3	11					
	Kiltaton	.	.	.				5	8	6					
	Kiltomas	.	.	.				5	14	2					
Kisarra	.	.	.				9	5	1						
							31	15	3			57	0	11	
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	.	.	.				3	5	6					
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.				1	5	8					
	Maharane	.	.	.				5	3	6					
	Okauagh	.	.	.				1	1	8					
												8	6	9	
Edward Staunton	Drumcree	13	5	.				13	5	0					
	Killinawara	1	1	.				8	7	0					
	Killuly	5	.	.				5	1	0					
							20	.	.			90	5	9	
	Total						57	15	3			71	11	9	
Thomas Ardavin	Kilwardneagh	.	.	.				1	1	6					
	Beagh	.	.	.				1	5	9					
	Kiltaton	.	.	.				1	5	7					
	Kiltomas	.	.	.				3	1	7					
	Kilkedy	.	.	.				2	5	1			2	9	2
Comelin O'Brien	Kisarra	.	.	.				2	5	2			2	5	2
Edward Staunton	Killinawara	.	.	.				3	8	1			3	8	1
Michael Taylor	Killinawara	.	.	.				7	0	1			7	0	1
	Ardrahan	.	.	.				3	7	4			1	0	8
Edw O'haughey	Killcasulty	.	.	.				1	3	9			1	3	9
													8	3	6

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 £ 23. 14. 2 1/2.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	23.	14.	2 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	32.	3.	8 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	32.	3.	8 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -		1/8	
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -		2/7 1/2	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -		3/1	

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:

7 1/2 lb, Broad	35 lb, Sugar
7 1/2 lb, Meal	1 lb Coffee
1/2 lb Indian Meal	2 1/2 lb Tea
1/2 lb Rice Meal	1 1/2 lb Cocoa
1/2 lb Barley Meal	2 lb Peppercorn
1 lb Potatoes	5 pints Sherbets
10 80 qts, New Milk	4 2 Buns Sugar
1 lb Wall	5 lb Raisins
3 1/2 lb Tea	4 2 lb 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - -			
In kind, - - - -			
Total, - - - -			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books

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.			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.		
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
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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.

Same, Order of pay Petit Bills 1 12 2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
John Mangau for Bread & Meal	118	.	3

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:

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

The Medical Officer reports the Sanatory Condition of the Semals continues satisfactory. Of Six Admissions to the Infirmary 4 were Pestil Cases and of 4 Admissions to the Hospital three were Pestil Cases.

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 9<sup>th</sup> June 1835 No. 14879 stating that they have received an opinion from their Solicitor to the effect that the Commissioners are not liable for the claim now made with regard to the Commission

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