

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, - £ 30. 0. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 56. 0. 0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 195. 16. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmaedduagh	4			291	8	6
	Kilkerdy				144	14	2
		4			435	14	8
John Slator	Beagh				584	6	2
	Kiltartaw				144		
	Killomas				102	2	7
					830	8	9
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra				728	6	7
					728	6	7
Hubert Flynn	Killmacarney	26			280	9	1
		26			280	9	1
Mich ^d . Taylor	Killmacrew				399	7	2
	Ardrahan				377	5	
					776	12	2
Edw ^d . O'Shaughnessy	Kilbuckery				387	1	1
					387	1	1
	Total, -	30			3438	12	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 £ 6. 8. 10 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 112. 19. 9 1/2.

Workhouse - £100. 2. 7 1/2
 Fever Hospital - 1. 9. 1

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 112. 19. 9 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	106. 11. 8 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	106. 11. 8 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 9 3/4
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 11 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 14 1/4
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 2100 lb Bread | 57 lb Tea |
| 70 lb clo. | 1/2 cut Raw Sugar |
| 105 lb Meat | 14 lb Pepp ^r |
| 2 lb Suet | 4 Bottles Wine |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal | 2 cut Cocoa |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal | 1 1/2 lbs Coffee |
| 3 Tons Barley Meal | 250 Boxes Surf |
| 3 Tons Rye Meal | 2 cut Soap |
| 3100 qts New Milk | 2 How Candles |
| 6 cut Salt | 1 Stone Harsh |
| | 1/2 pint Whiskey |
| | 6 Bottles Porter |

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 20 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	£ 10. 0. 0
In kind,	1. 10. 8
Total,	2. 0. 8

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
No. I.	And. Ford		1/2 Ton Meal	3. 12. 6	Bt. forward				
No. II.	"		"	"	No. X.				
No. III.	"		"	"	No. XI.				
No. IV.	"		"	"	No. XII.				
No. V.	"		"	"	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	P. Leonard		1/4 Ton Meal	1. 16. 3	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	"		"	"	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	"		"	"	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	"		"	"	No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.			3/4 Ton	5. 8. 9	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.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	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 checks were ordered

Henry Lawler on account of his Bill for Tins. 10.0.0

James Hator Clark on acct. to pay Petty disbursements 10.0.0

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

The Medical officer reports that he has tested the milk every day and found a marked improvement with the exception of two days the milk supplied was unobjectionable. - He hopes the clothing applied for this day week for the Hospital and referred to the Visiting Committee will be ordered. He begs to refer to his report of the 29th Jan'y last recommending an increased allowance of liquid nutriment to the nursing women, -

ordered that the additional nutriment be allowed to the Nurses.

The Visiting Committee have ordered the clothing for Hospital.

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

Sealed order of Poor Law Commissioners dated 10th April 1850 appointing the Very Rev^d Michael Harte Roman Catholic Chaplain of the additional Workhouse, at Gort and fixing his salary at £30 per Annum

Sealed order of same dated 10th April fixing the salary of the Rev^d Patrick Sully Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse at £65 per Annum.

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, 15th April stating that they have issued orders fixing the salaries of the Roman Catholic Chaplains in accordance with their letter to the Guardians on the subject.

Letter from same 16th April stating that they have communicated to Mr Galway the Solicitor in the cause of Sadgort in the remembered Estate, court the particulars relating to the land of which Mrs O'Shaughnessy, Seade has been assigned to the Commissioners.

Letter from The Secretary of the San Insurance Office April 17th stating that spinning of flax Wool by hand is allowed without additional charge, but when the earlier processes of Hackling Carding Combing &c are carried on 5th per cent is the least rate that can be accepted - with a prohibition against the use of any artificial light or fire in the rooms in which these processes are done.

Letter from same 20th April 1850 acknowledging receipt of report of the Finance Committee and the application for an advance of £4000 and stating that the subject will receive the Commissioners' Consideration.

Letter from same 20th April forwarding copies of Correspondence between Dean Birmingham and them on the subject of the Chaplaincy and stating that they are disposed to make the appointment of Protestant Chaplain.

Letter from same 22nd April stating that they have received a report of the death of a poor woman at Upper Killeen in this Union that the Jury on the Inquest held on the Body were of opinion that the woman died of destitution, and requesting the Board of Guardians to ascertain the facts.

ordered that the Commissioners be referred to the report of Capt O'Brien P.L. regarding the death of the poor woman at Upper Killeen.

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	117
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	135

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).

ordered that notices be posted for tender for supplying cloas in three sizes for the inmates of the workhouse, tenders to be considered on this day fortnight

ordered that advertisements be inserted in the General advertiser Limerick & Galway papers for tenders for supplying medicine & medical appliances.

The Board accepted the tender of Mr Denis Keane for supplying fleece wool at 15/- per stone.

ordered that the Clerk shall procure four lbs of Red pepper for Soup from Messrs Leslie Druggists.

Resolved that the Finance Committee shall meet for business on the first Monday of every month.

The Visiting Committee laid the following return before the Board
Return of Protestant Inmates, in workhouse

Jas Thompson	aged 35	Cannot read
Margt	18	do
Robt	14	at school
Pat	12	cannot read
Mary	9	do
Pat Rodan	35	Can read
George		at school cannot read
John		

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Michael Goathy	50	cannot read
Mary Healy	31	do
Mary Anne Taylor	18	can read
Eliza Murray	28	can read
1 Siddy O'Donnell	29	No appearance
Susan Mc Mahon	19	cannot read
Louisa	48	do
John	11	at school
John McLean	14	can read

of the above, 10 are in the house & at school and the rest in Hospital, of the whole only 4 can read, with the exception of those at school & more who are just beginning, Thompson and his family Michael Goathy, Louisa & John Mc Mahon are fit objects for outdoor relief. Reducing the above number of 10 to six in the house, the number at school to 2 the number in Hospital to 1. Total to be in the house after giving out door relief to the above 9.

ordered that the Porter shall get bundles of thread daily in lieu of 1 1/2^{lb} which he gets now.

ordered that the Manure at the Auxiliary houses be sold by Auction on Saturday next.

ordered that the Schoolmaster be directed to take the Boys out to walk on fine days with the assistance of two or three trusty men.

ordered that one fourth of the Children be allowed to come to the main house on every Sunday to be with their parents for an hour or two.

ordered that openings for ventilation be made in the back walls of Laiffs Auxiliary houses.

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 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 31. 5. 10
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 263. 4. 0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmaedunagh			291		8½	
	Kilkeedy			144	14	½	
John Slator	Beagh			584	6	2½	
	Kiltartow	11		103			
	Kiltomas	14	2	88		7½	
		55	2	775	6	9½	
Cocnelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	7		721	6	7½	
		7		721	6	7½	
Robert Glynn	Killeenavanna			280	9	1	
				280	9	1	
Michl. Taylor	Killeenew	11		388	7	2	
	Ardrahan			377	5		
		11		765	12	2	
Edw. O'Haughnessy	Kilbarney	30	11	8	356	9	5½
		30	11	8	356	9	5½
Total, -		103	13	8	333	34	16 10½

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 124 .. 0 .. 11 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.
 124 .. 0 .. 11
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 107 .. 19 .. 7½
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 107 .. 19 .. 7½

Workhouses £ 102 .. 2 .. 9½
 Fever Hospital 5 .. 16 .. 9½

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 9½
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 15¾
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 14½

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:

- | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 2160 lbs Bread | 57 Oz. Tea |
| 100 lb Meat | ¼ Cwt Raw Sugar |
| 2 lb Suet | 14 lb Pepper |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal | 4 Bottles Wine |
| 3 Tons Barley Meal | 1 Cwt Cocoa |
| 3 Tons Rye Meal | ½ Cwt Soap |
| 3200 gts New Milk | 2 Stone Dept Candles |
| 39 lb do | 2½ doz Stone Mince do |
| 7 Cwt Salt | 7 lb Starch |
| | 14 lb Soda |
| | 200 Boxes Surf |
| | 15 pint 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 27 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ s. d.
 15 .. 9
 In kind, - - - - - 1 .. 11 .. 5½
 Total, - - - - - 2 .. 7 .. 2½

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Mannatye Wagon for coal 100 0 0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The following cheques were ordered

Margaret Moland Salary — 6. 4. 8

Charles Turpin on account — 15. 0 0

Severus Gille Salary to 23rd July — 15. 1. 10

Michael Keane acct Clothing — 50. 0 0

James Slator Clerk Petty Bill, 10. 0. 0

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

The Medical officer reports the number in the workhouse Hospital this morning 216 and in the Fever Hospital 84. There has been rather an increase for the last fortnight. — the milk was not so good last week as it was, the milk before the Tarp supplied to Hospital last week was so deficient that there could be no fires in sick wards, there is also a very deficient supply of straw for the Hospital and auxiliary workhouses. —

Ordered that the Master do supply the necessary quantity of Tarp for the Hosp. & the straw for bedding. —

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

Order of P^L Commissioners 24 April 1850
allocating one eighth part of the workhouse
accommodation at Ennis to the use
of the Corrofin Union.
Order of same allocating 1/28 part of
the Ennistymon Workhouse to the
use of the same Union

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 P^L Commissioners 27^{ap}.
approving of arrangement of
Relief districts, & appointment of
Relieving Officers.

Letter from same 27 April approving
of appointment of B. Workman
as Porter of the Workhouse.

Letter from same 27 April & Mining
25th July last, as the time at which
the salary of the New Mills House
and the decreased salary of the
New Mills Cott^g Tully should
commence.

Letter from Mess^{rs} Millner demanding
payment of the debt due to them
ordered that they be informed the
Guardians expect shortly to be in
a position to pay.

Letter from Mess^{rs} Baunatye Meal
Contractors threatening to ~~stop~~ stop
the supply unless they are paid
for the last month's delivery.
ordered that a check be given for
one hundred pounds on account

Letter from Roman Catholic Chaplain
requesting to be supplied with 100
Prayer Books, and 100 Bibles, for
the use of the pauper inmates of the
workhouse.

ordered that one hundred prayer books
and twenty five Bibles be provided,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 211

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 198

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).

Applications from candidates for the office of ward master having been considered,

John Ford was appointed to the office at a salary of four pounds per year with officey Rations. —

Ordered that a full meeting of the Board be called for the 7th of May to take into consideration the allocation of paupers. —

Ordered that the Porter gets one quart of Milk per day instead of one pint now allowed him. —

Ordered that the women employed in the Bakery be deprived of the extra allowance of bread given to them at present, and that this allowance be given to the women employed in the Laundry namely to each woman ^{1/4} a loaf of No. 4 marked bread. —

Ordered that the collector be noticed to attend the Board on this day fortnight. —

On the notice of Lord Viscount Gort for admitting the Public Help to the meetings of the Board being read & was proposed by Lord Viscount Gort seconded by D. J. Hayes & was Resolved Unanimously that the in future the Public Help be admitted to our meetings. —

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of 184 .

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Proposed by Lord Viscount Gort seconded by D. J. Hayes was Resolved that on great pressure for Relief has come on us this day, and application has been made by our Meal contractor for payment of his last month's account with a threat that he will not supply us any longer if not paid forthwith we have been obliged to pay nearly all the money we have in hand to secure the next week's supply, and as we are not likely to receive much more rate before Harvest the case the attention of the Commissioners to the difficulties of our position hoping they will obtain such advances of money as will enable us to continue the necessary Relief. —

Resolved that application be made to the Central Board of Health to withdraw their requisition for the maintenance of the Temporary Fever Hosp. in this Union in order that it may be supported under the 14th Sect. of the act 6 & 7 Vic Cap 92 which specially provides for the Relief of poor persons afflicted with Fever or other dangerous contagious disease, and that the Commissioners of Health be informed that our principal reason for desiring this change is that, while the wants of the poor persons in the Hospitals will be equally well provided for, the cost of their maintenance will be charged to their several Electoral divisions instead of to the Union at large which we consider a more just mode of charging such expenses. —
On the application of W. Nugent late Master his Bond was ordered to be given up to him

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:

Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.
Michl Hyne for Leather		2	1	4
James Slator to pay weavers		2	19	3

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

2. Establishment Account.		£	s.	d.
Thos Walsh Seed Potatoes		3	8	9
Thos Plunket Whiskey Tobacco		1	.	11
Michl Shaughnessy for lime		2	7	.
Thos Nylan Contract for repairs		4	10	0
Michl Keane Carriage parcels		1	14	3
Ja Slator to pay Petty Bills &c		8	4	2
Myles O'Brien Rate Coll: of fees		15	.	.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.		£	s.	d.
Martin Keenan for Candles		1	18	6
Thos Walsh for meat		4	15	7
J Bamattye for meal		100	.	.
Much Palmer do		50	.	.
Thos Mangan acct of meat		40	.	.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The following checks were ordered

Wm Nylan for the 25 July	2.3.5
Mary Hyne for Workhouse Coffin	7.2.6
do do J J Hospital do	9.2.6
Michl Keane meal to 25 July	16.0.0
do do 25 Ma	24.0.0
Michl Keane caretaker J J Hosp Sluicarra	4.7.7
Ja Slator bill of Union for July	

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

The Medical officer reports, that the main Building with the back shed, at the rear of the Infirmary and much of the probationary are much too crowded & fears that unless steps are taken to relieve the pressure an increase of fever will be the consequence. He recommends that the lofts and out offices at Mr Laffy's houses should be prepared, and more accommodation will be obtained, as regards the undressed people in the day rooms & back sheds, he reports that they do not get the same allowance of stimulation that the other healthy inmates do, this is a matter that requires attention, there are no seats in the day rooms, these should be provided. He recommends that the clothing of the boys in the auxiliary, and the women in the back shed, should be attended to first—ordered that the ventilation at Mr Laffy's houses be done and that the dietary table be altered by the medical officer & submitted to the Board

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 Central Board of Health 4 May stating that they would not feel themselves justified warranted in according to the proposition contained in a resolution passed on this day week by the Board of Guardians requesting the Board of Health to withdraw their certificate from the Temporary Fever Hospital at Gort.

Letter from P.L. Commissioners, to Capt O'Brien 6 May 1850 forwarding £120 for relief of the destitute poor.

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	115
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	115

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).

Mr Charles Murgent the late master having on last Board day applied for a check for his salary am^t £32.10.0

It appeared upon investigation that the provision, in store for the week ending 23 March last was deficient of the quantity remaining on hand by the Provision Book to the amt of £19.0.0

and that a Ton of meal received by the master from the Contractor was not entered in Provision Book 7.6.0
25.6.0

He was also charged an account of clothing lost am^t of 5.0.3
30.6.3

He was allowed for losses in Battery 12.16.3
17.10.0

Balance of salary order to be paid 15.0.0
£ 32.10.0

The Clerk reports that the manure of the Bridge House & Lion House auxiliary was sold by auction & produced £3.7.0
D^r Establishment & D^r Clerk of Union £3.7.0

The Clerk reports that he paid Pat McLaughlin for 124 Stone of potatoes ordered for seed am^t £3.2.0

D^r Establishment & D^r Clerk of Union £3.2.0

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

ordered that the clothing materials Book & the clothing receipt and appropriation Books be posted up to the next Board day, and laid before the Board, and that in future those Books be kept up, and laid before the Board on every Board day.

ordered that advertisements be posted for tenders for turf at per Boy to be delivered free of carriage from to 29 Sep. next

ordered that the manure on the workhouse land be sold by auction on Saturday next.

ordered that D^r Hynes be added to the Finance Committee.

ordered that advertisements be inserted in the Limerick Chronicle & Galway Vindicator for supplies to 29 Sep. next and provisions for three months, tenders to be received on the 21st inst.

ordered that Books be provided for the Schoolmaster & Schoolmistress and the Overseer for making reports to the Board & ordered that our clerk write to the Clerk of the Loughrea Union to state that a man named Thomas Hawkins aged 60 years widower of Lystaloun and in the Electoral division of Castleboy applied for relief to this Board stating that he had been discharged from the Loughrea workhouse on the ground that he belonged to this Union, but that as no communication to that effect had been made to this Board, and as the man belongs to the Loughrea Union he have refused to receive him, and recommended him to return to Loughrea

There being many of the members of the Board absent at the Fair of Ballinacloe the Board agreed to adjourn the enquiry into the Chargeability of paupers to Monday the 13th Instant of which notice is taken given to the several members.

ordered that the Tenders Received for the supply of Medicines be referred to the Finance Committee to report thereon -

The Master Reported that Martin Flynn, John Keely and Martin Hoar, refractory paupers absconded from their work carrying the spades with them, as he was informed for the purpose of working for a person outside the house, on the 2nd Inst. he went after them & could only find that Higgins the others returned in the evening.

ordered that they be discharged from the Workhouse -

The Master also Reported he Coumry a refractory pauper who was smoking in the Hall refused to give up the pipe & refused to go to the black hole -

ordered that he be also discharged
James Hator Clerk

At an Extraordinary meeting of the Guardians held on Monday the 13th May 1850.

Present to the Chair Tho: Joyce
other Guardians, Lord Vis. Gort, W. Alexander, James Galbraith, Jas. Baggot, D. Mulville, C. G. G. Edw. Staunton, Geo. Gillane, James Crehan & Taylor, W. Shelman, Tho: Deane, Martin Crehan & Th. Murrin -

It was Resolved that Thursday the 13th Inst be named for entering upon the investigation of the allocation of paupers and that each relieving officer be directed to give notice to the Guardian or relieving officer whose division he intends to transfer a pauper from his own giving the name of the pauper and his own Relieving Officer, such notice to be given on or before Thursday the 16th Inst.

Port UNION.

Population in 1841, 43543

Present Net Annual Value, £40738.. 10.. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

11th day of May

1845

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.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Children under 2 years.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse,	800	757													
Temporary Buildings,	300	318													
Additional Workhouse,	1000	1034													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	30													
Fever Sheds, W. H. Hs.	200	199													
Total,	2350	2338													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			24	64	226	972	663	735	144	-	-	2733	In Workhouse Hospital, 229	In separate Wards with other Inmates, 2	
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	22	69	47	41	5	-	-	189	In Fever Hospital, 73		
TOTAL,			26	66	248	1041	715	776	49	-	-	2922	Total, 322	Total, 2	
Discharged during the Week,			1	1	14	22	16	16	1	-	-	71			
Died,			-	1	5	2	3	2	-	-	-	13			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	2	19	24	19	18	1	-	-	84			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	64	229	1017	696	758	48	-	-	2838			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	8	-	-	5	8	Bt. forward						
No. II.	7	13	-	-	7	13	No. X.						
No. III.	3	4	-	-	3	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.	9	14	-	-	9	14	No. XII.						
No. V.	14	15	-	-	14	15	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	11	13	-	-	11	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	3	8	-	-	3	8	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	-	-	-	-	-	-	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	52	75	-	-	52	75	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 14 day of May 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:
Wm. Donnelly
Capt. O'Brien

J. A. Joyce
Captain S. Taylor, Wm. Butler, Tho: Synnott, Wm. Burke
Edw. Galway, J. B. Baggot, James Galbraith, J. Mahon
D. J. Hynd.
Tho: Deane, Edw. Staunton,
W. Shelman, Patt. Goshigan, J. Crehan, J. Gillane,
George Taylor.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1236 to No. 1114, 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. 9870 to No. 9870, 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:

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:

Michael Kline

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Wm Patt Tully R.O. acct Salary 2 2 6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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

The medical officer reports the number in Workhouse Hospital including six in auxiliary House, on Hospital diets is 230 and in the Green Hospital this morning 80. there were 10 admissions in Green H from the workhouse and 4 from the Green Country,

He further states that he considers it injurious to able bodied inmates, who are for any length of time located in the back Sheds for want of Union Clothing, and who are able, and willing to labour, should be deprived of the same allowance of Nutriment, that is allowed to the same class of other inmates.

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

General order of Poor Law Commissioners dated 6th May 1850 for the adjustment of liabilities in this Union to the time of change 22 July 1850.

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 11th May approving of appointment of Miss Mary Daly as assistant Schoolmistress

Letter from same 11th May stating that they consider it objectionable and inexpedient to make exceptions from the established Salary in favour of particular Sumates of the Workhouse on account of services performed by such Sumates, and requesting the Guardians attention to the 22nd Article of the new Workhouse rules on this subject in which it is ordered that no pauper shall receive any compensation for his labour except such food as the medical officer shall recommend to be given to any pauper who may be in attendance on the sick.

Letter from same 11th May declining to confirm the appointment of John Torde as pauper to the office of Wardmaster - ordered that notices be posted for a Wardman in room of John Torde Election to take place on the 21st inst or which day the Salary will be fixed.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 11th May pointing out to the Board of Guardians the necessity of their enforcing the payment of the outstanding arrears and also to consider with reference to the period named in the Collectors Bonds for the completion of their Collection, whether it would not be advisable to take proceedings against some of them for Breach of the condition of their Bonds

Letter from W^m McDowell on behalf of Messrs Bennett stating that unless the Board send a cheque for a certain sum at once he will be obliged to stop the supplies.

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	62
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	136

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).

Mr Charles Murgent the late Master having on the last Board day applied for a check for his Salary Amt. £32.10.0

It appeared upon investigation that the provisions in store for the week ending 23 March last was deficient of the quantity remaining on hand, by the Provision Book to the amt of 18.0 0 1/2

The Clerk of the Union reports that the sale of the manure on the workhouse land by auction produced — £4.1.0.

D^r Clerk of the Union & ———— 4.1.0
C^r Establishment ————

ordered that the Master Matron be required to lay before the Board on every succeeding Board day an Industrial Return showing the amount of work performed by all classes of inmates of the workhouse during the previous week

ordered that notice be posted for Tenders from persons to superintend the Tailoring department and instruct the Boys Tenders to state terms upon which the parties will undertake the office.

ordered that iron bars & strong wire lattice be fixed to the lower windows at the workhouse & Auxiliaries.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved That all ruffians, sent from the house be for the future supplied with a red collar & a badge placed on his left shoulder and that any ruffian found outside the gates without such red collar and badge be treated as a person absconding.

ordered that notice be posted for Tenders for supplying the workhouse and Auxiliaries with River water with a horse & cart by the week.

The overseer of working Pauper, having sent in his resignation it was ordered that notice be posted for Tenders from candidates for the office of overseer of labour.

Resolved that the attention of the Master Matron Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress be drawn to the 15 Article of the workhouse Rules in reference to the regular calling of the Roll each morning in the several Dormitories of the workhouse & Auxiliaries that printed Clap Rolls in the form prepared for the purpose be forthwith procured to replace those now in use, and that strict attention be in future paid to this subject, as the Guardians will take serious notice of any violation of the Rule.

Resolved That any law proceedings which this Board may think it necessary to take on behalf of this Union be in future entrusted to Mr John Dolan who has acted as our Solicitor since the illness of our late Solicitor Mr Tho. Burke — ordered that notice be posted for Tenders for Auxiliary workhouses to be taken into consideration on this day week

Resolved that D. Mulville ^{Baggot} & J. J. Nolan be requested to act as a Committee to look out for auxiliary houses.

Tenders for medicine having been taken into consideration Messrs Leslie's tender was agreed to for the supply of medicines to the 27 Sept next.

The Master applied for the following articles for clothing and bedding.

- 2100 yds of flannel 1500 yds Bengal stripe
- 1600 yds of grey Calico 600 yds of chequer
- 100 pair Blankets 100 Bedticks

Resolved that with reference to the Master's application for clothing and covering to the daily increasing applications for admission into the Workhouse and the deficiency of our clothing and bedding, application be made to the Commissioners for an advance for clothing and bedding to enable us to continue indoor relief, as without an advance to enable us to do so we shall be obliged to have recourse to outdoor relief contrary to our wishes and conviction of its injurious tendency.

Galway County

Govt UNION.

Population in 1841, 13543

Present Net Annual Value, . . . £10738.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of May 1850.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	800	1365												
Temporary Buildings,	300	295												
Additional Workhouse,	1000	1059												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	32												
Fever Sheds, W. H. Has.	200	215												
Total,	2350	2966												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	64	229	1017	696	738	49			2838		
Admitted during the Week,			2	7	59	83	60	55	5			271		
TOTAL,			27	71	288	1100	756	813	54			3109		
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	34	37	28	27	1			131		
Died,				1	3	3	1	4				12		
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	37	40	29	31	1			143		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	68	251	1060	727	782	53			2966		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	8	11			8	11	Bt. forward						
No. II.	8	14			8	14	No. X.						
No. III.	3	4			3	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	11			7	11	No. XII.						
No. V.	14	15			14	15	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	9	11			9	11	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	5	10			5	10	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	54	76			54	76	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21 day of May 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Capt. O'Brien
P.L.V.

J. A. Joyce
Thos Lynch, Edw. Galway, D. J. Hynds, James Ashon
Doctor Mulville, Henry Cahiff, J. L. Baggot.
Fergus Donaghy, Edw. Staunton, Mich. Spelman,
Patt. Geoghegan, John Gilland.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 511 to No. 596, 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. 9270 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, - £ 91. 6. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 24. 13. 4
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 81. 16. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilwardnach	287	12	8½			
	Kilkeedy	143	2	½			
John Slator		430	14	8½			
	Beagh	584	6	2½			
	Hillartow	103	-	-			
Cornelius O'Brien	Kilvarra	795	6	9½			
		699	16	7½			
Robert Glynn	Killeanavorra	7	5	2	273	3	11
					7	5	2
Michl. Taylor	Killeanavorra	15	16	-	372	11	2
		68	4	10	298	10	1
Edw. O'Haughmully	Kilbeacanty	84	10	-	671	1	3
					337	-	5½
					337	-	5½
Total, -		91	6	-	3187	3	9½

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 £ 117. 2. 7½ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 117. 2. 7½
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 125. 1. 1
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 125. 1. 1
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 9½
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 15½
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 14

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:

- | | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| 2200 lb Bread | 5 lb Tea |
| 1 Stone Flour | 1½ Cut raw Sugar |
| 100 lb Wheat | 2 bottles Wine |
| 2½ Suet | 2 Cut Cocoa |
| ½ Ton Oatmeal | 1½ lb Coffee |
| 3 Ton Indian Meal | ½ Gallon Whiskey |
| 3 Ton Rye Meal | 3 Stone Candles |
| 3 Ton Barley Meal | 2 Cut Soap |
| 362½ qrs New Milk | 7 lb Starch |
| 7 Cut Salt | 1½ lb Soda |
| | 5 Tons Coals |

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	9	6
In kind,	-	-	-	1	9
Total,	-	-	-	10	15

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.	J. Hardiman			½ Ton Meal	3. 12. 6	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:

	£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.			
Michl. Keane for Dry Clean, Bengal Strip & C. & B —	15	14	3

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

S. Bannatyn Ho for Meal	87	15	"
James Kator to pay for Meal purchased by him	33	15	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

S. Bannatyn Ho for Meal	3	12	6
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Credit Treasurer and debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

The following Cheques were ordered

Messrs. Ross, & Murray for Boundary work £ 5. 10. 1

M. D. McLean Salary as Medical Officer to
the Workhouse to 23 Feb 12. 10. 0

C. Treasurer }
Dr. Muscar's Bills } for the above

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

The Medical Officer reports that the mortality for the past week is favourable but 12 deaths in the Workhouse, and 3 in Fever Hospital notwithstanding the favourable result considering the numbers, it is of the utmost importance to relieve the pressure that exists as speedily as possible.

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, 17 May 1850 stating that they have received from their Inspector Mr Thelav, a report lately made by him of the Workhouse buildings at Gort and request the attention of the Board of Guardians to the Circumstances reported by Mr Thelav that several Classes of Inmates, especially the Boys and persons lately admitted are much in want of Clothes, and the Commissioners trust that the Guardians will use every exertion to remedy the evil complained of.

Letter from same 17th May forwarding a copy of a letter from Edward Butler Esq regarding a family the head of whom has been sent to Jail which family are claiming relief the holding land. The Commissioners state that it is the opinion of Counsel that the Family of occupants of land when suffering extreme privation from the neglect of the head of the family to qualify himself for relief by surrendering the land, may be relieved.

The family alluded to in the above letter have not applied for relief to the Board of Guardians.

Letter from same 18 May requesting the attention of the Guardians to the Medical Officer's observations contained in Minutes of the 14th Inst. relative to the deficiency of food allowed to able bodied inmates treated in the Back Sheds of the Workhouse.

Letter from same 18 May referring to a Resolution contained in Minutes of the last Board day applying for an advance of money to enable the Guardians to provide clothing and Bedding, and stating that the Commissioners have forwarded a sum of one hundred pounds to Capt O'Brien for the purpose.

Letter from Mr Hoodsonnell, on behalf of Messrs Baumatyue stating that unless Capt O'Brien writes them a letter engaging fully to have them paid out of the first available funds Mr Baumatyue will not allow him to forward the supplies this week.

with reference to the above letter the Clerk reports that on receipt of it, he made inquiry and found there was no meal store for the breakfast of the next day. Capt O'Brien was in Loughrea and not having any Guardian to consult with at the moment, he purchased at Messrs Baumatyue's Shop in Gort half a Ton of meal for £4.10.0. and the following day proceeded to Galway and purchased three Tons of Indian Meal at 8.5.0 per Ton, this meal not having arrived in time for Saturday Mornings Breakfast, he had again to resort to Baumatyue's Shop, and purchase a second half Ton at the exorbitant price above stated.

Letter from Wm O'Sullivan Solicitor 16 May 1850 demanding payment of £25. on behalf of Charles Kelly for painting the wood work of the Workhouse.

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	54
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	166

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

The Clerk laid before the Board a writ with which he was served at the suit of Charles Kelly for painter's work. — Referred to Finance Committee

Ordered that no Children be allowed by the School Master, or Schoolmistress to leave their respective Houses without a written order from the Master, the Matron, or the Clerk, by the Board's order.

It appearing that paupers employed in situations of trust are in the habit of leaving the house without passes from the Master, or Matron.

Ordered that the Porter be held strictly responsible that no inmate leave the House on any pretence whatever without a written pass signed by the Master, or Matron.

Resolved that our best thanks are due to Doct. Hynes, and Mr. James Mahon for their zeal, and activity with which they have performed their duties as members of the Visiting Committee; we shall always be glad to receive any suggestions as to the management of the workhouse which those Gentlemen may favour us with.

Mr. Nolan our Solicitor having informed the Board that an Execution had been laid on the Workhouse at the suit of Messrs. Miller for £94.5.9; and that he had received a letter from Mr. O'Hara Sub-Sheriff informing him that it would be necessary for Mr. Nolan the Owner of the Goods, and Chattels of the Gort Union to serve a notice of his claim of property, and make the necessary Affidavit same as was lately made in the case of Cosgrave against the Guardians. The Board approved of Mr. Nolan taking the same steps, as he had caused to be taken in Cosgrave's Execution

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

The Matron having applied for leave of absence.

The Board agreed to give her one days leave on Friday & to return on the evening of the same day.

Ordered with reference to the Commissioner's letter calling the attention of the Board to the necessity of attending to the clothing of the paupers in the Back Sheds and taking the Boys to walk that the Commissioner be informed the Guardians have taken the matter into their consideration before, and made an order accordingly which has been carried into effect.

Resolved that with reference to the Medical Officer's report of this day week, relative to the deficiency of food to pauper inmates located in the back Sheds, it was ordered that the Commissioners be informed that orders have been already made on the subject and carried into effect.

The Board having taken into consideration tenders for Auxiliary Houses; The Board on the recommendation of the Committee appointed, agreed to take two Houses with Offices in Gort from James Clator for the sum of Forty Pounds for one year. The Board referred the tender of Mr. Frost to let Riverview Biers House to the same Committee as appointed this day week.

Ordered that the working paupers get their meals first, on every morning, and evening.

On the Motion of James Mahon Esq. seconded by Dr. Hynes Esq. It was proposed that the Matter Sailors at present employed should be dismissed. The Board proceeded to a division, and a poll having been taken the numbers were found to be equal the Motion was consequently lost.

The Board having taken into consideration tenders for the situation of Wardman; James Foster was appointed to the situation at St. Joe Annam, and Laticost.

The tenders for the supply of River Water to the Workhouse, and Auxiliaries having been considered.

Resolved that John Williams' Tender at 17/6 per week be accepted

The Board proceeded to examine Tenders for Supplies and accepted the following Tenders

Messrs. Kish, & Palmer Indian Meal (best quality) 8-12-6
 Messrs. J. Bannatyn & Son Barley meal 8-0-0
 do Ry Meal 7-12-6
 do Oatmeal 11-0-0

Martin Lacey for Bread per 4 lb - " 14 3/4
 Thomas Plunkett for Milk per gallon - " 3 1/4
 Patt. Hyman, Wm. McSweeney for Sugar per 100 lb 3 1/4
 David Louie for Cow Soap per 100 lb 1-19-"
 Murty Glynn for Mussaff Thread 1 lb - " 1-4
 Henry Clarke for Blankets 1 lb - " 1-5
 do worst Corduroy per yard - " 8 1/2
 do Frieze per yard - " 1-8 1/2
 do Bengal stripe per yard - " 5 1/4
 do Rug 2 lines - " 1-5
 do Caps 3 lines - " 5 1/4
 do Grey Calico 4 1/2 wide per yard - " 4 1/4
 do Dirty Woolly 7/8 wide per yard - " 8 1/4
 do Ticker Canvas per yd - " 5
 do Checks per yd - " 5 1/4
 do. Drab threads 1 lb - " 1-7

Capt. O'Brien P.L.S. laid before the Board the following receipts for sums lodged with Treasurer as received by him from Poor Law Commissioners for relief of the destitute poor

16th May 1850 £ 305 . 0 . 0
 18 May 100 . 0 . 0

Dr Treasurer }
 Cr Commissioners } the above sums

Govt UNION.

Population in 1841, 43543

Present Net Annual Value, . . . £ 40736 . 10 . 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

25th day of May

1850

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.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.				Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	900	1450												
Temporary Buildings,	300	325												
Additional Workhouse,	1000	1071												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	39												
Wash Sheds W. H. H.	200	191												
Total,	2350	3066												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	68	251	1060	727	782	53			2966		
Admitted during the Week,			9	60	47	44	36	4	1	1	232	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 303	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, 2	
TOTAL,			25	77	311	1137	771	818	57	1	1	3198		
Discharged during the Week,			3	31	39	20	24	1			118			
Died,			1	3	6	1	1	2			14			
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	34	45	21	25	3			132			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	73	277	1092	750	793	54	1	1	3066		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	8			5	8	Bt. forward						
No. II.	7	13			7	13	No. X.						
No. III.	3	4			3	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.	10	15			10	15	No. XII.						
No. V.	14	15			14	15	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	11	13			11	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	6	14			6	14	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	56	82			56	82	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 28 day of May 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair,
 Other Guardians:

Capt. O'Brien P.L.S.

P. A. Joyce
 D. S. Hyman, Arthur Alexander, William Butler, J. McKeown,
 Jas. S. Lambert, Lord Visct. Fort. William Mulville,
 Wm. Deane, Jas. Brennan, Mich. J. McKeown, Edw. Staunton,
 Fergus Donoghue

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 896 to No. 1128, 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. 9870 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, - £ 653.0.0
 Paid during the week, - £ 392.16.9
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 341.19.7
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Lodged by Captain O'Brien
 as received from Poor Law Commission
 May 16th 1850 - £ 305.0.0
 " 18 " 100.0.0
 " 23 " 240.0.0
 Total 645.0.0

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmaedunagh - Kilkeedy	1	12	4	236	-	4 1/2
		6	7	8	136	14	4 1/2
		8	-	-	422	14	8 3/4
John Stator	Beagh - Keltartow Kiltomas	-	-	-	584	6	2 1/2
		-	-	-	103	-	-
		-	-	-	88	-	7 1/2
		-	-	-	775	6	9 1/2
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvara	-	-	-	699	16	7 1/2
		-	-	-	699	16	7 1/2
Robert Glynn	Killeenavara	-	-	-	273	3	11
		-	-	-	273	3	11
Michl Taylor	Killeenew Ardrahan	-	-	-	372	11	2
		-	-	-	298	10	1
		-	-	-	671	1	3
Edw ^d O'Shaughnessy	Kilkeacanty	-	-	-	337	-	5 1/2
		-	-	-	337	-	5 1/2
	Total, -	8	-	-	3179	3	9 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 £ 163. 19 s. 11d.

Workhouse £ 121. 16. 11 1/2
 From Host - 5. 11. 6 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	163	19	10 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	127	8	6 1/2
	127	8	6 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 9 1/2
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1/6 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1/4 1/2
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------|
| 2100 lbs Bread | 5 1/2 lb Tea |
| 100 lbs Meat | 5 Cwt. Raw Sugar |
| 2 lb Lard | 2 Bottles of Wine |
| 1/2 ton Oatmeal | 1/2 Gallon Whisky |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal | 4 lbs Coffee |
| 4 Tons Rye Meal | 4 lb Red Pepper |
| 4 Tons Barley Meal | 2 Cwt Cocoa |
| 3500 gals New Milk | 13 Cwt Soap |
| 236 lb Oil | 3 Stone ditto Candles |
| 7 Cwt Salt | 7 lb Mould Candles |
| | 14 lb Soda |
| | 200 Stone 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 25 day of May; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	6	2
In kind,	-	-	-	1	12	3 1/4
Total,	-	-	-	1	18	5 1/4

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

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

	£	s.	d.
James Slator for postage	1	11	3
James Slator for Petty Bills wages &c	8		11

2. Establishment Account.

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

	£	s.	d.
Michael O'Neil for fuel	2	14	7

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The following checks were ordered

Bridget O'Leary's Salary to 21 st July last	2.4.2
Mary Gibbons do do	2.4.2
Michael Boland do do 23 rd July	3.6.6
Patrick Stokes for fuel to 23 rd July	7.17.3
John McHenry do do	14.13.11

By Treasurer
 Dr unpaid bills, of the above.

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

The Medical Officer reports the mortality continues as favourable as can be expected under existing circumstances, 11 deaths in the Workhouse Hospital and 4 in fever Hospital. He states the pressure on the new side of the House is very excessive, and suggests to clean out the shed on the wall side in rear of Dispensary and draft some men into it and other arrangements, so as to make some contrivance to relieve the pressure, until the alterations in the new auxiliaries are completed.

Ordered that the Medical Officer's suggestions be carried into effect immediately.

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

Order of Poor Law Commissioners, 23 May 1850 Reserving one fourteenth part of the Workhouse accommodation in this Union to the use of the Guardians of Corrophi Union —

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, stating their determination to appoint Dean Bermingham to the Protestant Chaplaincy of the Workhouse at a salary of £20 per Annum.

Letter from same 27 May giving their sanction to the taking of two Houses and offices in Gort from James Slator for the purpose of auxiliary workhouses on the terms proposed.

Letter from same 29 May forwarding several communications from John Neogh a pauper requesting to be appointed Superintendent of scavenging at 5/- per week. The Commissioners state that the promotion of pauper Sumate, of workhouses to the paid servants of the Union is open to objection —

Letter from Woileau, Fisher 24 May 1850 furnishing their acct. for medicines amt. £17. 17. 1 demanding payment in consequence of the withdrawal of the supply from their House while a large amount remained unsettled.

In reference to the letter received from the Poor Law Commissioners on the subject of the Protestant Chaplaincy, It was resolved

That in as much as the Board have already made arrangements to comply with a former letter of the Commissioners dated 11 March last directing us to send the Protestant Sumate of the Workhouse to the Gort Church to attend divine service, and in as much as the Financial State of the Union does not warrant the Board either to increase the Roman Catholic Chaplain's salary or to give a salary to a Protestant Chaplain for parties whose religious care has already been already otherwise provided for. The Poor Law Commissioners be respectfully requested to withdraw their orders to the Board in reference to the above subjects.

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	56
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	152

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	-
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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).

on the application of J^r Foster Warden the Board ordered him to be supplied with two lbs of Bread and one quart of new milk per day in lieu of his present Rations.

The Board appointed William Glynn as Steward and overseer at the wage of six shillings per week in Room of John Rooney resigned.

The Board accepted the Tender of W^m White for supplying Timber Slag Boles at four pence per pair.

ordered that the name of Margaret Walsh an orphan age 9 No. 4114 erroneously charged on the Electoral division of Ardraham be changed on the Registry as chargeable to the Union at large.

ordered that the name of Thomas Cowan No. 3507 erroneously charged to the Electoral division of Ardraham be changed on the Registry as chargeable to the Electoral division of Castle Taylor.

ordered that as it appears James Murphy No 929 on the Registry has been erroneously charged to the Electoral division of Ardraham, and that he should be charge on the Union at large the Registry be changed accordingly.

It appearing that Mrs Huban Warden's has married and introduced her Husband into the Workhouse without the permission of this Board, - ordered that she be

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Called upon to resign on next Board day ordered that notice be given in the usual manner calling for candidates for the situation of Wardenmistress in place of Mrs Huban.

ordered that the women employed as Cooks in the Lawn House and also the pauper assistant in the Bridge House be removed and that the Matron select others to put in their place.

ordered that the women employed in the Bakery be changed from time to time at the discretion of the Matron.

It appearing that the number of inmates from the Corrofin Union exceeds that for which by the Commissioners sealed order accommodation must be reserved in this workhouse, ordered that intimation be conveyed to the Corrofin Board of Guardians that after this day no more paupers will be received from their Union and that they be informed of the amount of accommodation we possess, and the number of their paupers in our workhouse.

The Committee appointed to take houses for auxiliary report that they have taken the house and offices of W^m Bell, Capital of accommodating 150 paupers for the sum of £23 for one year.

The Tenders of John Gile and Mick Kilan to make the necessary alterations and ventilation in the house, and offices of James Slater and W^m Bell were accepted at the sum of twenty pounds, they providing all materials and labours, the work to be completed in one fortnight.

The following Tenders were agreed to for three months from the 25th Instant

Thomas Walsh for wheat	at 3 ^d per lb
Denis Keane for salt	at 29 ^d per Ton
May Molloy for Tea	at 13 ^d per lb
do Coffee	at 1 ^d per lb
do Wine	at 30 ^d per doz
do Whiskey	at 6 ^d per gal
Mrs Leslie red pepper	at 3 ^d per lb
David Linn's Cocoa	at 30 ^d per lb
Thompson's dip Candles	at 4 ^d per lb
Wm Daniel No 2 Yellow Soap	at 20 ^d per Ton

The Medical Officer handed in a list of Medicines required for Workhouse Hospital. It was ordered that they be procured from Messrs Leslie on Contractors. In the case of James Hogg & the Guardians in which a writ was served, it was ordered that Mr Nolan do enter an appearance and give a plea of confession.

Gort UNION.

Population in 1841, 43543 Present Net Annual Value, . . . £110738-10-0

1st day of June 1850.

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.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	800	1474															
Temporary Buildings,	300	337															
Additional Workhouse,	1000	1080															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	40															
Fever Sheds,	200	137															
Total,	2350	3168															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	73	277	1092	750	793	56					3066	In Work-house Hospital, 227	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 82	
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	42	61	45	26	4	1	1	1	184				
TOTAL,			27	75	319	1153	795	819	60	1	1	1	3250				
Discharged during the Week,					24	23	16	8	1				72				
Died,					1	1	6			2			10				
Total Discharged and Dead,					1	25	29	16	8	3			82				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			27	74	294	1124	779	811	57	1	1	1	3168				

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of June 1850, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		Relief District.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	8			5	8	Bt. forward						
No. II.	7	13			7	13	No. X.						
No. III.	3	4			3	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.	9	14			9	14	No. XII.						
No. V.	14	15			14	15	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	10	12			10	12	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	3	8			3	8	No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	51	74			51	74	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 4th day of June 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. A. Joyce
 Other Guardians: Capt. O'Brien, P. L. v., Lord Gort, Capt. Taylor, Tho. Lynch, James Mahon, J. L. Baggot, James Galbraith, Redm. Burke, F. M. M. M., D. J. M., James Crehan, Tho. Deane, Edm. Stanton.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1128 to No. 1312, 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. 9870 to No. 9870, 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:

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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, - £ 200. 0. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 5. 10. 1
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 536. 9. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmarduech	286	-	4 1/2			
	Kilkeedy	136	14	4 1/2			
John Hator	Beagh	584	6	2 1/2			
	Kiltartow	103	-	-			
	Kiltomas	88	-	7 1/2			
		775	6	9 3/4			
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvara						
Robert Flynn	Killeenavara	273	3	11			
Michael Taylor	Killeenavara	273	3	11			
	Ardrashan	372	11	2			
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Killeenavara	298	10	1			
	Killeenavara	671	1	3			
Total, -		337	-	5 1/2			

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

Lodged by Capt. O'Brien as received from the Commissioners £200. 0. 0

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5. 0. 11 was produced and passed.
 The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 138. 17. 9 1/4

Workhouse £115. 5. 9
 From House - 4. 14. 9
 120. 2. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	138	17	9 1/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	120	2	6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	8 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	1 1/2

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

- | | |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| 2100 lb Bread | 570 lb Tea |
| 105 lb Meat | 16 cwt. raw Sugar |
| 3 1/2 cwt do | 2 bottles Vine |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal | 1 do for last week |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal | 2 cwt. Raisins |
| 1 1/2 Tons Rye Meal | 2 lb Coffee |
| 1 1/2 Tons Barley Meal | 1/2 Gallon Whisky |
| 3500 qts New Milk | 200 Boxes Lard |
| 7 cwt Salt | 3 Stone soft Candy |

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 1st day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	13	13	
				1	10	4 1/4
Total,				2	3	7 1/4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. 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.
Mickl. Keane	Blankets, Calico, &c -	41	3	7

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mickl. Mylaw	Repairs of Schiff's houset	11	"	"
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Mary Molony	Balance of Groceries	20	"	"
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

Henry Lawlor on Account for
its Measures } £10.0.0

Ct. Treasurer }
of exp. Bills } the above

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

The Medical Officer reports the Mortality as very favourable considering the great number in the House only 10 deaths in workhouse and 2 in Town Hospital, He suspects the Dormitories of the undressed inmates, last night at a late hour and, seeing the deficient supply of bedding that exists, he feels it his duty to recommend that the Board do not this day add to their number, unless the requisite number of Rugs and Blankets be provided.

The Board Requested Capt. O'Brien to provide Rugs and Blankets.

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

Scaled order of Poor Law Commissioners, appointing the Very Rev^d Dean Bermingham to the office of Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse at a salary of £20 per Annum.

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 27th May forwarding copy of a communication from D^r Hayes on the subject of the chargeability of an inmate of the Workhouse named Honor Higgins, and requesting the Board to state the grounds upon which they have charged her to the Union at large.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 27th May regarding the expenditure chargeable to the several new Unions which formerly constituted part of the 1st Union for the maintenance of Workhouse paupers.

Letter from same Brethren forwarding copy of a second letter from D^r Hayes on the same subject as the letter of the 27th Ult. and requesting to be informed why the said Honor Higgins was charged to the Kinvarra Electoral division.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 3rd June expressing their sanction to the appointment of James Foster as Ward Master of the Workhouse.

Capt O'Brien having informed the Board that he received a letter from the Commissioners since the last Board day stating that £500 was to be advanced to provide bedding and clothing for the increased number of the Workhouse inmates, and that to save time he directed the clerk to advertise for tenders for supplies of ready made clothing in the *Gen^l Chronicle*, the *Galway Vindicator* and the *General Advertiser* to be considered on the 11th Inst.

Resolved that we approve of the insertion of those advertisements.

In reference to the correspondence received from the Commissioners on the subject of the allocation of a pauper named Higgins, the Board admit the correctness of D^r Hayes' statement, and although the facts of the case as stated by him on the 27th of May and although Capt O'Brien explained the Law of the case, the Board were of opinion that she was properly placed on Kinvarra.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	28
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	195

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 Poorrelieving 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 no pauper be admitted on the Union without being brought before the full Board.

Resolved that the Rev. Michl Maple R.C. Chaplain be requested to procure one hundred Prayer books and one hundred copies of Galvins History of the new Testament for the use of the Children in the Auxiliary Workhouses.

Resolved that Messrs Crowe has been improperly charged on the Electoral division of Castle Taylor since the 24th March 1850, no such person being in the house, this therefore ordered by the Board that the cost of said pauper be charged to the Matter as they consider it a great dereliction of duty.

Candidates for the office of Wardmistress came before the Board, when Mrs Huban Wardmistress not having sent in her resignation as ordered on the last Board day, it was ordered that she be dismissed.

Candidates for the office of Wardmistress having come before the Board Mary O'Shaughnessy was appointed to said office in room of Mrs Huban dismissed at the Salary of £6 per Annum.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

ordered that the Oak Timber for firing offered by Lord Gort be tried with an equal quantity of Turf, in order to test the economy of using it.

Resolved that in all cases of removing pauper from one Electoral to another the rule of the Board requiring due notice of the proposed change be adhered to, and that all future enquiries and alterations on this subject be made ^{at the} Board day after the Chairmansits.

In consequence of the great necessity for the supply of clothing, I was ordered that the following articles be procured immediately from Mr. Michael Keane at Gort. viz.:

1000 yards of Navy stripe
100 yards of Grey calico
24 pieces of Tape —
4 Gross of Hooks and Eyes
200 yards of Cheek for Bibles —
1000 yards of Ticken canvas
100 Rugs —
50 pairs of Blankets.

Resolved that in reference to the error in the entry for Milk which has appeared in the Provision check for which some of our officers is much to blame, the officers be now cautioned to take care that no such error be committed for the future as they shall be visited with the severest censure of the Board.

ordered that notices be posted for candidates for the office of Wardman at the Workhouse Salary £10 per Annum and Rations.

Resolved that our Solicitor do apply to the Master of the Holy for an order to Mr John S. O'Brien Receiver on a portion of Lord Gorts Estate to pay the Rates due thereon.

Charles Kelly Painter & Glazier who proceeded against the Board for amount of Contract for painting which is unfinished applied to the Board for liberty to finish the work ordered that the sum of fifteen pounds without cost be offered for the work done.

Govt UNION.

Population in 1841, 43543

Present Net Annual Value, . . . £40738.10.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

8th day of June

1850

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse,	800																	
Temporary Buildings,	400																	
Additional Workhouse,	1400																	
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50																	
Fever Sheds,	200																	
Total,	2850																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			27	74	294	1124	779	811	59						3168	In Work-house Hospital, 236	In separate Wards, 79	In Wards with other inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week,			"	"	48	84	112	44	2	1	1				222			
TOTAL,			27	74	342	1208	821	855	61	1	1				3390			
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	24	39	23	13							103			
Died,			"	"	2	3	3	2	2						12			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	26	42	26	15	2						115			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	72	316	1166	795	840	59	1	1				3276			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	8	"	"	5	8	Bt. forward						
No. II.	7	13	"	"	7	13	No. X.						
No. III.	3	4	"	"	3	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.	9	14	"	"	9	14	No. XII.						
No. V.	15	19	"	"	15	19	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	11	13	"	"	11	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	4	9	"	"	4	9	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	54	80			54	80	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11 day of June 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Rich^d. Burke Esq^r } P.L.
Capt^l. O'Brien }

T. A. Joyce
Sora Gort, John Martyn, Capt^l. Taylor, Tho^s. Lynch
Doct^r. Mulville, Arthur Alexander,
Tho^s. Deane James Criban, Fergus Donoghue, Edw. Stouffer,
John Murray, Mich^l. Spelman.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1312 to No. 1534, 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. 9870 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:

Galway County

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, - £ 150. 0. 0
 Paid during the week, - £ 55. 15. 4
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 630. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Myles O'Brien	Kilmacduagh-Hillkeedy	286	-	4 1/2	136	14	1/2
John Flator	Beagh-Kiltarton-Kiltomas	429	14	8 3/4	584	6	2 1/2
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	775	6	9 1/2	499	16	7 1/2
Hubert Glynn	Killeenavarra	273	3	11	273	3	11
Michl. Taylor	Killmacness-Ardrahan	372	11	2	298	10	1
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Killharney	671	1	3	337	-	5 1/4
					337	-	5 1/4
	Total, -				9179	3	9 1/4

Lodged by Capt. O'Brien as received from Poor Law Commission, £150. 0. 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 £ 141 .. 14 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	141	14	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	136	6	11
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	9 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	1/4 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	1/3

Workhouse £131 : 8 : 5 1/2
 Fever Hospital 4 : 18 : 5 1/2

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

- | | |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| 2100 lbs Bread | 57 lb. Tea |
| 100 lb Meat | 16 cwt Raw Sugar |
| 1/2 Ton Oatmeal | 3 Bottles Wine |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal | 3 lbs Coffee |
| 4 Tons Rye Meal | 1/2 Gallon Whiskey |
| 1 1/2 Tons Barley Meal | 1 Ton Coals |
| 3500 qts. New Milk | 200 Boxes Turf |
| 110 qts. Sour do. | 3 Stone Candles |
| 1/2 cwt Salt | 2 cwt Cocoa |
| 1/2 Ton Rice | |

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

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	1	11	6 1/2
Total,	-	-	-	1	17	2 3/4

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Kush & Palmer for Meale	25	17	6
do do	8	7	4
Thos Munkel for Oatmeal Sugar	60	19	6
Mary Molony for Groceries	14	3	3
Messrs Barnatque for Meale	68	"	"
Martha Taher for Meale	20	15	7
Mary Molony for Groceries	1	4	8
Thos Walsh for Meale	6	4	2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The following check was ordered

Mary Hynes for Coffin	£7.7.6
By Treasurer	
D. L. General, & Co	7.7.6

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

The Medical Officers report 19 deaths in the Workhouse Hospital and 4 in Leam Hospital there has been a marked increase of Typhus for the last two days 17 admissions, the type of the disease is of a much lower description than any he has had lately to treat - which circumstances render it again imperative on him to call the attention of the Board to the crowded state of the house. He reports that the fuel is not made according to the Commission's sealed order that the proper proportion of oatmeal is not used in it. He reports the milk supplied for four days last week was bad,

ordered that the Master have the fuel made as ordered, & the milk contractor to be notified that his supplies will be sued the next time he gives bad milk.

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 5 June, stating that they had forwarded a copy of the Lease of the Workhouse premises, to Mr W. S. Galway.

Letter from same 5 June stating that they are not prepared to withdraw the order, which they have felt it their duty to issue in regard to the salary of the N. C. Chaplain, and the appointment of the Protestant Chaplain.

Letter from same 8 June stating that they have received a communication from the Emigration Commissioners, stating that the girls sent out from the Workhouse to Australia in October last behaved remarkably well and had arrived at their destination in the best order.

Letter from same 8 June forwarding a copy of a communication received by them from Lawrence Keating who had applied to the Guardians for relief, and a copy of the Commissioners' reply

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 214

Do. do. disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 132

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).

ordered that notices be posted for Tenders for supplying meat to the Workhouse and Auxiliaries

The Board agreed to pay Michl Keating of Longhrea fourpence per pair for 200 pair of Clog sales.

Resolved that Woodrussell be directed to keep up the masters books until Mr Turpin is able to resume his duties.

The board accepted the tender of Henry Clark Linen Hall Dublin for supplying the following articles of clothing viz

64 Trowsers Sackets for men at	4/11 each
64 Barragon Trowsers do	3/3
64 Barragon vests do	1/5 ²
208 Barragon Sackets for boys	2/1
208 do Trowsers for do	2/1
364 Shambray Wrappers for women	1/10
364 Linsay Woolsey Petticoats do	1/9 ²
214 Shambray frocks for girls	1/10
214 Linsay Woolsey Petticoats do	1/4 ⁰

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to inform the milk contractor that the next time he delivers Bad milk proceedings are to be taken against his secretaries.

Resolved that the following Members be requested to act as a visiting Committee
Dr McKim, James Mahon Dr Keenlyde
Terry, Donohue and O'Boyle

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Master having sent in his resignation It was ordered

That advertisement be inserted in the usual Newspapers for Candidate for the office of Master at a salary of £75 per Annum Tenders to be Considered on the 25th Inst.

Resolved that having read the report of an Auditor respecting the rates due on that part of Lord Gorts Estate over which Mr John S O'Brien is appointed Receiver, time be given to Mr O'Brien until next Board day for payment of the sum of £69.8.1² in said report mentioned and that the sum of £48.12.7 with which his Lordship appears to have been illegally charged as Immediate Sessor where the Tenements are valued over £10 do stand over for the present.

Ordered that the Clerk do post notices again for the office of Wardsman.

The schoolmaster having sent in his resignation It was ordered

That the Clerk do advertise for Candidate for the office at a salary of £25 per Annum Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight.

Resolved that the Sun Hospital in connexion with the Workhouse be now opened, and that all cases of fever in the Workhouse be sent there instead of the Temporary Sun Hospital.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15 day of June 1850.

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.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Boys under 2 years.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
													In Hospital.			In separate Wards, Hospitals, Fever Hospital, Lunatics, &c.
Workhouse,	800															
Temporary Buildings,	100															
Additional Workhouse,	1400															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50															
Fever Sheds,	200															
Total,	2550	3333														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	72	316	466	775	510	61				2776	In Work-house } 208 Hospitals } In Fever Hospital } 91	In separate Wards, with other Lunatics, } 2	
Admitted during the Week,					37	59	37	36	4	1	1		175			
TOTAL,			25	72	353	525	812	876	65	1	1		3451	Total, } 334	Total, } 2	
Discharged during the Week,					9	17	12	10					48			
Died,					1	2	2	5	4				14			
Total Discharged and Dead,					1	11	19	17	14				62			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	71	342	506	815	862	65	1	1		3388			

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or not.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	5	8	"	"	5	8	Bt. forward						
No. II.	8	14	"	"	8	14	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5	"	"	4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.	9	14	"	"	9	14	No. XII.						
No. V.	14	15	"	"	14	15	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	10	12	"	"	10	12	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	5	15	"	"	5	15	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	55	83	"	"	55	83	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 18 day of June 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

Captain O'Brien,
Poor Law Inspector

J. A. Joyce
Lord Bishop, Govt. J. S. Lambert, Mr. Martyr, Capt. O'Brien,
J. L. Baggot, Wm. Mullin, Doct. Hyatt, Wm. Kuckin,
Jas. Calbraith, Tho. Deane, Fergus Donoghue, Patt.
Georgigan, Jno. Gillman, Mr. Morrissey, Geo. Taylor,
Edw. Staunton, John Grady.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1534 to No. 1709, 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. 9870 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:

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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, - £511.9.0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £190.14.11
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £951.8.3
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Lodged by Capt O'Brien
 as recd from Poor Law
 Commrs - £500 -

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Nyles O'Brien	Kilmacduagh	286	4	4			
	Kilkeedy	196	14	4			
		422	14	8			
Inchlabra	Beagh	584	6	2			
	Kiltarton	103					
	Kiltoma	58		2			
		770	6	9			
Corn O'Brien	Minerva	693	16	7			
		693	16	7			
Hubert Glynn	Kilcavanna	273	3	11			
		273	3	11			
Michl Taylor	Kilbarnon	372	11	2			
	Ardrahan	59	293	1			
		59	665	12			
Edothon	Kilbeacanty	337		5			
		337		5			
Total, -		119	3167	149			

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 £ 148. 2. 0 1/2

Workhouse

Workhouse 140.12.0

Fever Hosp - 4.18.5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. 148. 2. 0 1/2
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - -
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 145. 10. 5

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 9 1/2
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1.4 1/2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 1.2 1/2

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

- | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2200 lbs Bread | 57 Ch. Tea |
| 100 lbs Meat | 11 Cwt. Raw Sugar |
| 14 lbs Fat | 3 Bottles Wine |
| 1 Ton Potatoes | 1/2 Gallon Whisky |
| 3 Tons Indian Meal | 15 lbs Coffee |
| 4 Tons Rye Meal | 3 Cwt. Cocoa |
| 11 Tons Barley Meal | 6 lbs Red Pepper |
| 3600 qts New Milk | 3 Stone light Candles |
| 170 qts do for last week | 7 lb Starch |
| 110 qts Sour Milk | 200 boxes Soap |
| 1/2 Cwt Salt | |

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15th day of June; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-		5.	2
					1.	12. 3 1/2
Total,	-	-	-		1.	17. 5 1/2

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractor.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.	Phonon				4.6.2	No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.					6.6.2	TOTAL,					

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

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

1. Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.
Martin Kenny	for wool	6	10	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Stata Clerk	to lodge in Court	15	-	-
in the Cause of Ch' Kelly, of the Guardians	for Painting & Glazing	44	3	4
Martin Linnane	for Erecting Shed			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

M. Munnatque Han	for meal	68	-	-
Don & O'Kea	for milk	21	-	-

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The following Cheques were ordered

Bridget Carby	Ward's Woman Salary	5.14.10
to 18 June		
Ch Treasurer		
Dr's Bills	£2.10 0	
Establishment	3.4.10	5.14.10

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

The Medical Officer reports an Increase of fever having 40 admissions, last week also an increase of mortality, 14 deaths, in Workhouse Hospital and 8 in Town Hospital. Prompt measures should be taken to enforce discipline and classification amongst the inmates, generally but particularly amongst the undressed staff, who are constantly out about the grounds, pulling unwholesome herbs, and weeds, to the injury of their health and the consequent spread of disease. He reports the Assistant Master is suffering from fever and going on favourably.

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 Commissioner, 11 June giving their sanction to a Resolution of the 11th Inst. proposing that certain articles of clothing be at once procured from Mr. Keane at Gort.

Circular from same 10 June forwarding a copy of a letter addressed to the Auditors on the mode in which the accounts for the first 1/4 year subsequent to the alteration of the Union are to be made up.

Circular from same 12 June regarding the keeping of the Town and accounts.

Letter from same 13 June calling attention to the medical officers report of the 11th Inst. referring to the increase of Scurvy & the crowded state of the workhouse.

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed in reference to the above that two Auxiliary Houses to contain 400 persons are now preparing and will be ready this week.

Letter from the agent of the San Insurance office 17 June, stating that on leading the proposal for a new Insurance it would appear that permission is required to carry on Wackling Carding & in all the workhouse buildings, and if such is the wish of the Guardians the charges will be 3/- per cent on the Truck & Slates buildings and 10/6 on the Timber buildings with a prohibition as to any artificial fire or light in the rooms in which the processes are done.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the agent of the San Insurance office that the processes of Wackling Carding & of Hat Wool and Cotton will be carried on only in the day rooms on the ground floor lately added to the Infirmary building, Stone built and Slates.

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	118
Ditto, disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	138

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 -