

Population in 1851, . . . 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £35813-5-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1156	434												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700	313												
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	56	10												
Fever Sheds, . . .														
<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>1906</b>	<b>757</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			52	141	7	23	161	227	118	32	27	788	In Work-house Hospital, 109 In Fever Hospital, 10	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . .				4		1		3	1	1	1	11		
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>			<b>52</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>799</b>	<b>Total, 119</b>	<b>Total, 2</b>
Discharged during the Week, . . .			3	15	2		7	9	3	1	1	41		
Died, . . .						1						1		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			3	15	2	1	7	9	3	1	1	42		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			49	130	5	23	154	221	116	32	27	757		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. III.							No. XI.						
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No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Cahiff*

Other Guardians:

*Tobias Robinson, Pat Burke, Pat Glynn, John Broderick*

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

Galway County Council



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2875 to No. 2880, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 24. 8. 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 24. 10. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—  
*instanced 27 August 1853*

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Michael Bell	Adamullinan	.	.	.				26	19	11					
	Brunshaw	.	.	.				26	13	5½					
	Beagh	.	.	.				35	12	2					
	Kilbenny	.	.	.				77	17	3½					
											167	2	9½		
Mich <sup>e</sup> Finneane	Ballycathlan	.	.	.				85	16	6					
	Cappard	.	.	.				8	1	5½					
	Kilbeavanty	.	.	.				17	1	3					
	Kilthomas	.	.	.				82	17	3½					
											193	16	6		
Thomas Hardiman	Coat	.	.	.				31	16	1½					
	Kiltartan	.	.	.				6	14	3					
											38	10	4½		
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	.	.	.				5	9	7½					
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.				4	7	4¼					
	Kahassane	.	.	.				37	15	4¼					
	Shahaugh	.	.	.				22	19	9					
											70	11	3		
Edmond Staunton	Drumcree	.	.	.				63	9	8					
	Killeenavara	.	.	.				4	17	3½					
	Kilbely	.	.	.				36	11	8					
											104	18	9½		
Conchus O'Brien	Caherroe	19	.	.				62	1	8					
	Dooris	2	8	6				35	10	2½					
	Minvarra	3	.	.				139	3	3½					
							24	8	6			236	15	1½	
	Total							24	8	6			811	14	8¼
Old Union	Kilmaudungfo	.	.	.				67	.	11					
	Kilkeedy	.	.	.				26	2	9½					
Mich <sup>e</sup> Finneane	Beagh	.	.	.				159	10	2½					
	Kiltartan	.	.	.				15	10	3½					
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Edmond Staunton	Killeenavara	.	.	.				48	10	½					
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Michael Taylor	Killeenavara	.	.	.				79	.	1½					
Edw. O'Shaughnessy	Ardrahan	.	.	.				37	4	10½					
	Kilbeavanty	.	.	.				142	17	7½					
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	Total										859	18	2½		

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 £ 40 - 4 - 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - £ 40 - 4 - 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2/1

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

692 lbs. Bread	37 lb. Tea
89 lbs. Meat	21 lbs. Sugar
1/2 Ton Indian Meal	21 lbs. Rice
1/2 Ton Rye Meal	60 Boxes Soap
1/2 Ton Barley Meal	8 lbs. Dipht Candles
396 quarts Buttermilk	56 lbs Soap
1800 quarts New Milk	3 pints Whisky
2 cwt Salt	1 bottle Wine

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
<b>Total,</b>	-	-	-

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

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

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

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Slater to pay petty Bills 177

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.

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

David Linnic to assist Mary Burke  
to emigrate to America — 3 £ 1 5 0

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

The Medical Officer reports the Sanatory Condition of  
the Workhouse inmates as Satisfactory



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

Sealed Order dated 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1853 sanctioning  
 the payment of £1.5.0 to assist <sup>aged 10 years</sup> Mary Burke, to  
 emigrate to Pennsylvania in America, chargeable to the  
 Electoral Division of Beagh

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved

That finding we can dispense with the present burial ground same not being connected with the Workhouse lands; a notice of Surrender for the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March next of that part of the lands of Labally East being the Cemetery to the Govt Workhouse be served on or before the 28<sup>th</sup> day of September next Instant on Mr. Knox the late Purchaser and <sup>that</sup> landlord of said premises, or on his Land Agent, and that such notice and a duplicate thereof be forwarded to the Commissioners for their signatures; The Commissioners having been returned in the Rental under which Mr. Knox became the purchaser as the tenants to said holding from year to year said tenancy having commenced on the 25<sup>th</sup> March.

Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> 1853

"Ordered" That the Hay on the Workhouse Land and Cemetery be sold by Auction on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> September Instant.



## SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Govt  
 UNION, on Monday day, the Fifth day of September 1853,  
 —continued.

## MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

1 Best Drawers	Some Tow	Scissors large & small
1 Table, & Chair	Sug & Basou	2 Bolus & Stoves
6 yds Calico for bandages	2 Lamp pens	1 large & 1 small Infusion Pot
1 lb Turine	1 Pill Till	1 Cork Screw
2 Towels	1 Ointment Flag	Spreading Spoon large & small
2 Rubbers	1 Water Jar with Coock	1 lb Soap

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

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



**UNION.**

Population in 1851, . . . 26287

Present Net Annual Value; £35813-5-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1150	126												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700	282												
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	56	11												
Fever Sheds, . . .														
<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>1906</b>	<b>719</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			149	130	5	23	154	221	116	32	27	757	In Workhouse Hospital, 98 In Fever Hospital, 11 Total, 109	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2 Total, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2	4			1		4			8		
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>			<b>51</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>765</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			4	19		1	5	7	6	1	3	46		
Died, . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	19		1	5	7	6	1	3	46		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			147	115	5	22	150	214	111	31	24	719		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Henry Laffin*

Other Guardians:

*John Hall*

*Ar. Alexander Fitzpatrick  
Robert Kinnowan Esq George  
The Lynch Henry Laffin Pat Burke  
Thomas Ingram Pat Glynn Wm Cunningham  
The Dedue Broderick Daw O'Sea  
The Harty W. Stanton*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County Courthouse



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2886 to No. 2894, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk laid before the Board the Treasurer's receipt for £4.19.8 lodged being proceeds of Embroidery work

By Treasurer  
or Establishment

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, - - - - - £20-8-5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 8-17-8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £36-1-7

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:—  
terminated 3<sup>rd</sup> September 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Michael Bell	Adrahan	.	.	.				26	19	11			
	Binnahow	.	.	.				26	13	5½			
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	Kilbearanty	.	.	.				17	1	3			
	Kilthomas	.	.	.				82	17	3½			
											193	16	6
Thomas Wardman	Goat	.	.	.				31	16	½			
	Kiltartan	.	.	.				6	14	3			
											38	10	½
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.				5	9	¼			
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.				4	7	¼			
	Rahassan	.	.	.				37	15	¼			
	Shehanagh	.	.	.				22	18	9			
											70	11	¾
Edmund Staunton	Drumacoo	.	.	.				63	9	8			
	Kilkenavanna	.	.	.				4	17	¾			
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											104	18	9½
Cornelius O'Brien	Calumma	.	.	.				12	1	8			
	Dovrus	.	.	.				35	10	2¾			
	Kinwarra	.	.	.				139	3	2¾			
											236	15	1½
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Ed. Union Nigel O'Brien	Kilnacduffy	.	.	.				17	.	11			
	Kilkeedy	.	.	.				26	2	¾			
Mich <sup>l</sup> . Finneane	Beagh	.	.	.				159	10	2¾			
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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 £ 33 - 11 s. - 1 3/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	33 - 11 - 1 3/4
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And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -	- 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -	- 1/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	- 2/4

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:

692 lbs. Bread	37 lbs. Tea
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1/2 Ton Indian Meal	1 lb. Coffee
1/2 Ton Rye Meal	14 lbs. Rice
1/2 Ton Barley Meal	7 lbs. Cocoa
196 quarts Butter Milk	60 Pounds Turf
1700 quarts New Milk	3 lbs. Clift Candles
2 Cent Fall	56 lbs. Soap
	3 pints Whisky

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
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No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.	£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Skator to pay Petty Buis	3 1 11
15 <sup>th</sup> Sheehan late Porter Salary to this date.	4 13 2
do in lieu of clothes	1 . .

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.

*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 Sanatory  
Condition of the Sanatory continues  
Satisfactory.*



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

Sealed order of Poor Law Commrs. dated 2nd Sept 1853 directed to the Treasurer of the Union to place to the Credit of Electoral division, the sum reserved for Annuities, so soon as the whole amount in each division shall be paid up. —

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 7<sup>th</sup> Sept No 47907/53 on the subject of an Investigation into the Master's conduct for opening and retaining a letter belonging to the Matron, and stating that his conduct appears to the Commissionery to have been most censurable. —

The Master was called before the Board and reprimanded for his conduct.

Letter from same 10<sup>th</sup> Sept No 48200/53 forwarding copies of Correspondence with the late Master. — on the subject of his resignation. —

Letter from same 6<sup>th</sup> Sept No 47643/1853 calling the attention of the Board to the 27<sup>th</sup> Article of the general Regulations on the subject of Remuneration to Clerks of Unions

Letter from Poor Law Solicitor dated 10<sup>th</sup> Sept 1853 forwarding Notices of Surrender for the Country to be sent to the Commissionery for signature and seal ordered that the notices be sent to the Commissionery. —



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	-	-	5
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	13

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Matron sent in a notice withdrawing her resignation which was agreed to.

Resolved that the Commissioners be requested to inform the Board if there exists any and what cause that the accounts of the Govt Union for the year ending 25<sup>th</sup> March last are not yet audited.

Resolved that the several Collectors be directed to collect and pay in all Rates legally recoverable on or before the 4<sup>th</sup> of October and that they be informed that any Collector who shall leave any recoverable arrears uncollected on that day or shall retain any Rates in his hands will not be reappointed.

and it was ordered that the Collectors furnish full lists of the arrears on that day.

The Board then proceeded to consider Tenders for the office of Porter which were sent in by Richard Carr Dan W Namara Michl Geraghty and James Serridge.

Richard Carr was proposed by W Nosingraus seconded by W Hamton.  
Dan W Namara was proposed by Patt Glynne seconded by W Alexander.  
W Snysh proposed James Serridge

It was then proposed by W Nosingraus seconded by W Alexander that James Serridge holding at present the office of labour master be called upon to resign that office before his Tender for the office of Porter is taken into consideration upon which a poll was taken when there appeared for the Resignation 9  
against it 8



James Serridge <sup>12</sup> having declined to resign  
the office of labour master, a poll was  
taken between Daniel Whamara and  
Richard Carr when the votes appeared  
for Daniel Whamara 14  
Richard Carr 3

Daniel Whamara was accordingly elected  
to the office of Porter at a salary of ten pounds  
per Annum with Stationery and a suit of  
Clothes per Year. —

Candidates for the office of Assistant Schoolm<sup>rs</sup>  
were then called before the Board when  
Miss Eliza Hoop was Elected to the office at  
a salary of six pounds per year with an  
apartment and Stationery. —

Resolved That the Estimate for the Rates  
required for the necessities of the Union up  
to the 29 Sept<sup>r</sup> 54 submitted to us on this  
day by the Clerk be approved of and adopted  
subject to the additions and reductions  
rendered necessary by the Commissioners  
sealed order for the adjustment of liabilities  
and that the Clerk be directed to prepare the  
Rate Books in accordance therewith with  
the utmost dispatch. —

ordered that the late porter be paid one  
pound in lieu of a suit of clothes due  
to him in March last. —

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

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

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Port  
UNION, on Mon day, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1853,  
—continued.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

five Books of prescription papers  
500 Check Cards,  
one Green Portfolio for letters  
50 Notices of Vaccination  
a Sign Board for out Station. —



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, 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:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

This being the day appointed for taking into consideration the Commissioners' letter of the 21 July regarding the increase of salary to the Medical Officers of Dispensaries.

Mr Alexander proposed and Mr Staunton seconded that the salaries of the Medical Officers be fixed at Eighty pounds per Annum.  
Mr Burke proposed and Mr Koseingrave seconded that the salaries remain at £70 per Annum as they were fixed on the 11 July last.

Mr St George proposed & Mr Martyn seconded that the salaries remain as they are at £50 a year.

On a division there appeared for Mr St George's proposition: \_\_\_\_\_ 4  
against it: \_\_\_\_\_ 12

On a poll being taken on the proposition of Mr Alexander for £80 a year and Mr Burke for £70 the numbers were  
for £70 per Annum \_\_\_\_\_ 10  
for £80: \_\_\_\_\_ 6

(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1851, . . . 2/284

Present Net Annual Value, £ 35313-5-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.								Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.					No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . .	1150	419															
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700	272															
Additional Workhouse, . . .	56	10															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																	
Fever Sheds, . . .																	
<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>1906</b>	<b>701</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, . . .			47	115	5	22	150	214	111	31	24	719	In Workhouse Hospital, } 100 In Fever Hospital } 10	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } 2			
Admitted during the Week, . . .			8	4	1		2	5				20					
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>739</b>					
Discharged during the Week, . . .			9	7		2	5	9	6			38					
Died, . . .																	
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			9	7		2	5	9	6			38					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			46	112	6	20	147	210	105	31	24	701					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair,  
Other Guardians:

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

Galway County Council



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2894 to No. \_\_\_\_\_, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk reports that Copies of the Notice of Surrender of the County have been served on the 26<sup>th</sup> Sept on Mr Burke and on the 27<sup>th</sup> Sept on Ed Hunt & the Proprietors Agent

The Clerk reports that the master lodged with Treasurer £1 rec<sup>d</sup> for a Boiler and £2 for Tunnings.

G. Establishment  
D<sup>r</sup> Treasurer

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, - - - - - £ 31-15-11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 67-17-6

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—  
Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.		Total.		Remaining.		Total.	
		£	d	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Michael Bell	Adanullin	.	.	.	.	26	19 11	.	.
	Bunnahon	.	.	.	.	26	13 5½	.	.
	Beagh	.	.	.	.	35	12 2	.	.
	Millinny	.	.	.	.	77	17 3½	.	.
								167	29¾
Mich <sup>l</sup> Finucane	Ballysalan	.	3 6	.	.	85	13 .	.	.
	Cappand	.	.	.	.	8	1 5½	.	.
	Kilbeacanty	5	.	.	.	12	1 3	.	.
	Kilthomas	.	16 6	.	.	82	9½	.	.
				6	.			187	16 6
Thomas Gardiner	Fort	.	.	.	.	31	16½	.	.
	Killastan	.	.	.	.	6	14 3	.	.
								38	10 4½
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.	.	5	9 7¼	.	.
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.	.	4	7 ¼	.	.
	Kahassane	9	8 9	.	.	28	6 7¼	.	.
	Michanagh	.	.	.	.	22	18 9	.	.
				9 8 9				61	2 3¾
Edmund Staunton	Drumaw	.	.	.	.	63	9 8	.	.
	Kilkenavara	.	.	.	.	4	17 5¾	.	.
	Killeely	.	.	.	.	36	11 8	.	.
								104	18 9¾
Cornelius O'Brien	Cashmore	.	.	.	.	62	1 8	.	.
	Doon	.	.	.	.	35	10 2¾	.	.
	Kinvarra	.	.	.	.	139	3 2¾	.	.
								236	15 1½
				15 8 9				796	5 1½
Ed Union Myles O'Brien	Kilnashinagh	.	.	.	.	67	11	.	.
	Kilkeroy	.	.	.	.	26	2 9¾	93	3 8¾
Mich <sup>l</sup> Finucane	Beagh	.	.	.	.	159	10 2¾	.	.
	Killastan	.	.	.	.	15	10 3½	.	.
	Kilthomas	.	.	.	.	31	17 3½	206	17 9¾
Cornelius O'Brien	Kinvarra	.	.	.	.	252	4 ½	252	4 ½
	Kilkenavara	.	.	.	.	48	10 ½	48	10 ½
Edmund Staunton	Kilkenavara	.	.	.	.	79	1 ½	.	.
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.	.	39	4 10½	116	5 .
Edw. O'Keefe	Kilbeacanty	.	.	.	.	142	17 7¼	142	17 7¼
								859	18 2¾

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 £ 32 - 19 - 0<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

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

700 lbs. Bread  
 96 lbs. Meat  
 1/2 Ton Indian Meal  
 1/2 Ton Oatmeal  
 3/4 Ton Rye Meal  
 3/4 Ton Barley Meal  
 192 quarts Buttermilk  
 1700 quarts New Milk  
 1 Cwt. Salt

37 Oz. Tea  
 14 lb Sugar  
 21 lb. Rice  
 60 Boxes Soap  
 960 dist Candles  
 56 lb Soap  
 28 lb Washing Soda  
 3 Quarts Whisky

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

£	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.



*Yort* UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £35813.5-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1130	1104												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700	70												
Additional Workhouse, . . .	-	-												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	56	9												
Fever Sheds, . . .	-	-												
Total, . . .	1906	883												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			46	112	6	20	147	210	105	31	24	701	In Workhouse Hospital, 113	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2	6	1	-	1	2	.	.	.	12	In Fever Hospital, 9	Total, 2
TOTAL, . . .			48	118	7	20	148	212	105	31	24	713	Total, 122	Total, 2
Discharged during the Week, . . .			3	10	.	.	1	12	4	.	.	30		
Died, . . .			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			3	10	.	.	1	12	4	.	.	30		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			45	108	7	20	147	200	101	31	24	683		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Sept<sup>r</sup> authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thomas A Joyce*

Other Guardians:

- James Cahiff William D Gregory*
- John Martyn Henry Cahiff*
- P. Fitzpatrick I Rosinger*
- Pat Burke Pat Glynn L. Worthy*
- John Broderick M. Maunton,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County Council



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2004 to No. 2005, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - - - - - £

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:—  
*well ended 17<sup>th</sup> Apr 1853*

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Michael Bill	Ardrinallan	.	.	.				26	19	11			
	Burmahallan	.	.	.				26	13	3½			
	Beagh	.	.	.				35	12	2			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				77	17	3½			
											167	2	9½
Michael Finucane	Ballyedhalan	.	.	.				85	13	.			
	Cappard	.	.	.				8	1	3½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				12	1	3			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				82	.	9½			
											187	15	6
The Ardinean	Corb	.	.	.	4	4	10	27	11	3½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.	.	1	1	6	13	2			
								4	5	11			
											34	4	3½
Michael Taylor	Ardrinallan	.	.	.				5	9	7½			
	Cappard	.	.	.				4	7	1½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				21	6	7½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				22	18	9			
											54	2	3½
Edmund Staunton	Drumacree	.	.	.	8	9	.	55	.	8			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.	.	15	.	4	2	5½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.	1	6	.	35	5	8			
								10	10				
											94	8	9½
Cornelius O'Brien	Bahernone	.	.	.				62	1	8			
	Doon	.	.	.	4	2	2½	31	8	½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.	5	17	9½	133	5	3½			
								10	.				
											226	15	1½
								31	15	11			
											76	4	10
Old Union	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				67	.	11			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				26	2	9½	93	3	8½
Michael Finucane	Beagh	.	.	.				159	10	2½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				15	10	3½			
								31	17	3½	206	17	9½
Cornelius O'Brien	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				252	11	½	252	4	½
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				48	10	½	48	10	½
Edmund Staunton	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				79	.	1½			
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.				37	4	10½	116	5	.
Michael Taylor	Ardrinallan	.	.	.				142	17	7½	142	17	7½
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.									
Edw O'Haughnessy	Hiltarrow	.	.	.									
	Hiltarrow	.	.	.									
											859	18	0½

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 £ 42 - 10 s. - 3 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			42 - 10 - 3
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -			38 - 0 - 11 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			38 - 0 - 11 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -			1/0 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -			1/6
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -			1/10

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

720 lb Bread & 8 lb last week	37 Oz. Tea
45 lb Meat	14 lb Sugar
1 Ton Indian Meal	28 lb Rice
1/2 ton Rye Meal	1 Bottle Wine
1/2 Ton Barley Meal	3 pints Whiskey
308 quarts Milk	60 Bones Soap
1600 quarts New Milk	1/4 to 1/2 Cht Candles
2 Cwt. Salt	56 lb Soap
	<del>28 lb Washing Soda</del>

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Sator Salary to 25 June	25	.	.
do Compensation under Parliamentary Orders Act	24	.	.
do Petty Bill,	3	8	4
Miss Harte Schoolmistress Salary to 25 June	4	.	.
Mrs. Curry Nurse - - - - - to do	3	15	.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
John Mangan Bread & Buty Meal	100	.	.
Thos Plumkett for diet of	25	.	.
Thos Dea do do	25	.	.
Mary Molony for Groceries of	15	.	.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.

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

Dennis Heane of for diet	£118.	18.	8
Leslie Geo " for Medicines	82.	12.	8
William Daulton " for Brushes	6.	2.	0
W. Baland " sundries	36.	10.	1
W. Brynes " diet	84.	8.	7
John Leach " sundries	15.	8.	0
Amoria McKeon Salary to Sept 1832	10.	0.	0
W. Bannatyne & Co for Meal	130.	0.	0

Rush & Palmer Interest Accts in full	£128.	6.	10
Marty G Lynn Sundries to Sept 1832	6.	17.	6
Thomas Kelly Printing do	12.	10.	10
Mary Keller Matron Salary to do	15.	0.	0
P. Leonard Medical Officer do do	10.	0.	0
Neill Hour Clothing do	13.	1.	2
William Haulon Coffins do	8.	15.	6
B. Macrahan Soap to March 1832	27.	0.	0
W. Morley Surf do	26.	14.	7
John McMan Repair do	3.	10.	0
Michael Heane Clothing of	80.	0.	0

for Treasurers }  
for Sup of Bills } the above

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

The Medical Officer reports the general health of the inmates continues satisfactory. He begs to refer the Board to the observations he felt it his duty to make in his last report in connection with the Sanatory Condition of the Establishment. It is of the first importance at this particular crisis to attend to the cleanliness, ventilation, diet, clothing & sewerage of the workhouse & its inmates with a view of maintaining them in a sound healthy state & rendering them less susceptible to the spread of epidemic disease.

Resolved that Notices be posted to receive Tenders to make a covered drain on the W House lands which will be printed out by the Master to persons applying Tenders to be received on the 3<sup>rd</sup> October 1833.



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

Sealed order of Poor Law Commissioners 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 authorizing the Guardians to carry out the Com<sup>rs</sup> regulations under the Nuisance Removal & Disease Prevention Acts of 1848 & 1849. —

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 Comm<sup>rs</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 Calling the attention of the Guardians to the Commission<sup>rs</sup> Circular of the 19<sup>th</sup> October last relating to the Power for Removal of Nuisance, &c given by the Nuisance Removal & Disease Prevention Acts and enclosing a copy of said Circular.

Letter from Lauce 19<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 giving their sanction to the appointment of Dan M<sup>r</sup> Meara to the office of Porter of the W<sup>h</sup>ouse.

Letter from Lauce 19<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 giving their sanction to the appointment of Eliza Neogh to the office of Asst. Schoolmistress. —

Letter from Lauce 20<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 Stating that Mr. Simms will proceed with the audit of the acct<sup>s</sup> in about a fortnight and that the delay was caused by his illnes<sup>s</sup>.

Circular from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> Sept 1833 giving instructions to the Board of Guardians for carrying out the Comm<sup>rs</sup> regulations under the Nuisance Removal, and Disease prevention Acts, —

Circular from Lauce 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 informing the Guardians that ~~the~~ His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to direct the Constabulary Force to cooperate with the Poor Law Authorities in carrying out the Provisions of the Nuisance Removal, & Disease prevention Acts and recommending the Guardians to form Sanitary Committees of the Guardians of their respective Districts for the purposes of said Acts. —

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 in reference to the Salaries of the Medical Officers ~~Stationer and Stationer~~ of the Port & Ballinacorney Dispensary Districts and Stating that the Commissioners will not further object to the increase proposed by the Guardians namely from £50 to £70 a year for the Medical Officers of each Dispensary District pending further experience as to the amount of duty: each Medical Officer will be required to discharge

Letter from Lauce 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 N<sup>o</sup> 49103/53 giving their sanction to the payment of £1.0.0 to the Late Porter of the W<sup>h</sup>ouse in lieu of a Coat of Clothes. —

Letter from Lauce 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 forwarding Notices of the Surrender of the Cemetery Land which has been duly executed by the Commissioners. —

Ordered that those be served at once by Addoell for one pound. —

Letter from Treasurer 24<sup>th</sup> Sept 1833 Stating that a Sum of £1056 was placed to the Credit of the general Account but that he was not able to send the Bank Book until it was posted up. —



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 - - - 11  
 Ditto disallowed - - - - - 3  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -  
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -  
 The number of other applicants in the 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 Guardians proceeded to examine Tenders for Provisional relief when the following were accepted for three months from 29<sup>th</sup> Inst

Meat	Bannatyne	Sundries	at	£ 9. 17. 6	p Ton
do	do	Rye Meal	at	9. 17. 6	"
do	do	Butter	at	12. 19. 0	"
for his months -					
John Mc Auger	do	Barley Meal	at	10. 15. 0	"
Thomas Walsh	do	for Meat	at	0. 0. 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	plc
Michael Lynch	do	for Tea	at	0. 3. 1	plc
do	do	Coffee	at	0. 0. 11	plc
do	do	Cocoa	at	0. 18. 0	p bukt
do	do	Port Wine	at	1. 6. 0	p Doz
Mary Molony	do	Jamaica Sugar	at	1. 16. 6	p bukt
do	do	Sunp Sugar	at	0. 0. 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	plc
do	do	Rice	at	0. 18. 0	p bukt
do	do	Washing Soda	at	0. 10. 0	p bukt
do	do	Soap	at	0. 4. 0	p Doz
do	do	Tobacco	at	0. 4. 0	p Doz
Martin Henry	do	Dipt Candles	at	0. 7. 6	p stone
do	do	Mould do	at	0. 0. 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	plc
Denis Neave	do	Salt	at	1. 12. 0	p Ton
Denis Boland	do	Whiskey	at	0. 6. 10	p gal
Michael Neave	do	N <sup>o</sup> 1 Cheek	at	0. 0. 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	p gal
do	do	2 do	at	0. 0. 6	p gal
do	do	3 do	at	0. 0. 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	"
do	do	4 7/8 Grey Calico	at	0. 0. 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	"
do	do	5 7/8 do	at	0. 0. 4	"
do	do	6 Shambray	at	0. 0. 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	"
do	do	Bone Studd	at	0. 0. 6	p gross
do	do	Black deal & Sawdust			
do	do	Wheat	at	0. 1. 3	plc

The consideration of the remainder of the Tenders were postponed to this day week.



SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Mundy* the  
*3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October* 185 *3*  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the Union.



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

Corb Dispensary District,  
Account of Mr. J. J. J. for Rent 6<sup>th</sup> June: Amount £2. 12. 6  
Dan Connell for alterations, Repairs of house 6. 0. 6

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

The Board elected the following Poole-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 9, 10, and 11 of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

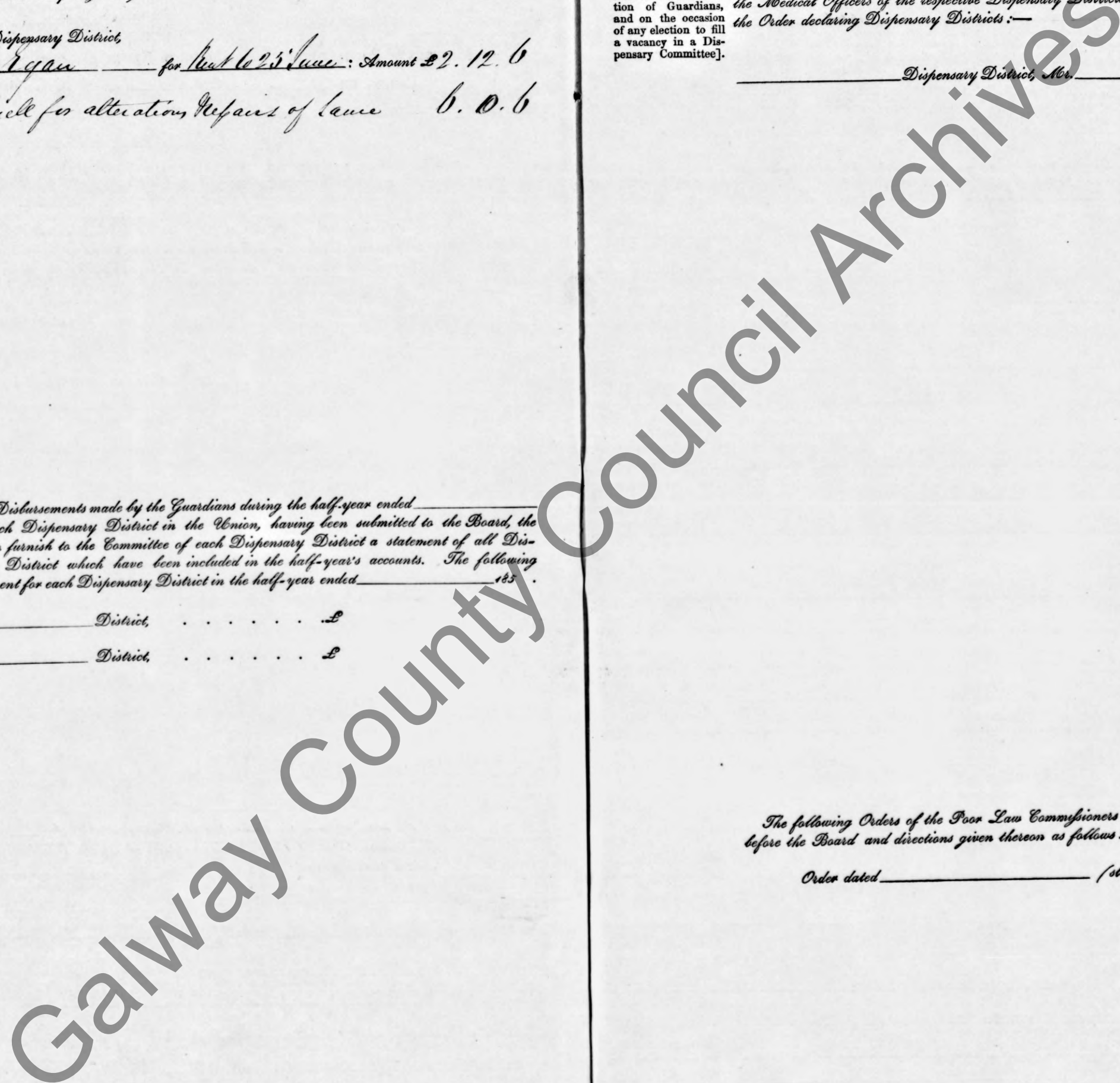
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185.

\_\_\_\_\_ District . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District . . . . . £

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

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





*Goit* UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £35813.5-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October* 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . .	1150															
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700															
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	56															
Fever Sheds, . . .																
<b>Total,</b> . . .	<b>1906</b>	<b>675</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			15	108	7	20	147	200	101	31	24	683	In Workhouse Hospital, 207	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			4	1			3					8	In Fever Hospital, 12			
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>691</b>			<b>Total, 219</b>	<b>Total, 2</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1	1	1		5	3	1	2		14				
Died, . . .												1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	1	1		5	3	1	2		16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			47	108	6	20	145	197	100	29	23	675				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *October* 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Cahiff*  
 Other Guardians: *Pat Burke Daniel O'Kea*  
*Thomas Deane L. Broderick*

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

Galway County Council



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2926 to No. 2931 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £1061-8-4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £790-2-0

And that the Balance on the Account in Favour of the Guardians was - £339-3-10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—  
*Week ended 24 April 1853*

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Michael Bell	Adamullis	.	.	.				26	19	11					
	Burnahon	.	.	.				26	13	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Beagh	.	.	.				35	12	2					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				77	17	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	167	2	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Michael Finucane	Ballyshalan	.	.	.				85	13						
	Cappard	.	.	.				8	1	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				12	1	3					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				82		9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	187	16	6		
Thomas Hardiman	Gods	.	.	.				27	11	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				16	13	2	34	4	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Michael Taylor	Adrahan	.	.	.				59	7						
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.				1	7	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Kaharane	.	.	.				21	6	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				22	18	9					
Edward Stanton	Drumacoo	.	.	.				55		8			57	2	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				4	2	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				35	5	8	94	8	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Cornelius O'Brien	Bahernac	.	.	.				62	1	8					
	Doone	.	.	.				31	8	4					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				133	5	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	226	15	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Old Union											764	10	4		
Myles O'Brien	Miltarrow	.	.	.				67		11					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				26	2	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	93	3	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Michael Finucane	Beagh	.	.	.				159	10	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				15	10	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				31	17	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	206	17	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Cornelius O'Brien	Miltarrow	.	.	.				257	14	2	252	14	2		
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				48	10	2	48	10	2		
Edward Stanton	Miltarrow	.	.	.				79		1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					
	Miltarrow	.	.	.				37	1	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	116	5			
Edu <sup>d</sup> O'Haynes	Adrahan	.	.	.				142	17	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	142	17	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
	Miltarrow	.	.	.											
											859	18	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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



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 £ 36 . 5 . 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

		£	s.	d.
do 1 <sup>st</sup> Debt	1. 7. 7			
2 <sup>d</sup> do	27. 12. 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
3 <sup>d</sup> do	9. 16. 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.				36. 5. 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was				37. 9. 1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.				37. 9. 1
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was				1/10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Average cost in Infirmary,				1/16
Average cost in Fever Hospital,				1/10

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

708 lb Bread	28 lb Sugar
9 lb Meat	1 lb Coffee
2 Ton Indian Meal	28 lb Rice
108 gals Thin Milk	28 lb Cocoa
1700 gals New Milk	80 lbs Soap
2 cwt Salt	14 lb Candles
37 lb Tea	5 lb Soap

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Slater to pay Petty Bills	1	11	11
Michael Shaughmury for Linen	2	10	0

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Michael McKeon Master for Milk	7	5	5

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The following cheques were ordered

Rev <sup>d</sup> Pat Lally Roman Catholic Chaplain to 25 March 1853	£16. 5. 0
Rev <sup>d</sup> Deane Birmingham to 25 Sept 1853	5. 0. 0
Peter Mc Coy for Specifications	3. 3. 0
Edw <sup>d</sup> Henneby repairs Locks & Iron work to 29 Sept.	2. 10. 0
	<hr/> 26. 18. 0

to Treasurer  
& unpaid bills, } the above

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

The Medical officer reports the Sanatory Condition of the House also continues satisfactory. It will be necessary to give instructions to the Master to increase the Hospital Supply of Soap. The present supply although sufficient for the summer half year is by no means adequate to keep up proper firing in the Hospital wards, at this season of the year — Ordered that the Master supply same —

The Master reports the Milk still continues to be sent in very bad. He returned large quantities last week and purchased 234 qts of New Milk in the Market. — He also begs to call the attention of the Board to the Crops grown on the Moye Sands with a view of selling some Turnips & Cabbages. — Ordered to be sold

The Master debited himself with 2859 lbs Rape and Barley Meal and £11. 4. 6 being Surplus in Store. —



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

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

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 30<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> with form of Notice with Rules to be observed by the Public to prevent the attack of Cholera

Ordered that twenty placards in legible print be got for posting and 500 Notices for distribution.

Letter from Sance 1<sup>st</sup> October N<sup>o</sup> 50,789 stating that no order appears to have been made by the Medical Officer's Report on last Board day and directing the matter to be brought before the Board again.

Postponed to next Board day.



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 - - - - - 9  
 Ditto disallowed - - - - - 1  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 14

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 Board proceeded to examine Tenders for Provision &c when the following were chosen for six Months.

John Mc augan for Bread at £0. 0. 9 per 100  
 John Leck - Rape oil at 0. 3. 6 p Gallon  
 do Rope at 0. 0. 14 per lb.  
 do Tars at 0. 0. 9 per lb  
 do Pruisenmitgen at 0. 0. 7 "  
 do Tailors Scissors at  
 do Wool Cards at 0. 0. 11 p pair  
 Murty Glynn Iron Spoons at 0. 5. 0 p Doz,  
 do do at 0. 4. 6 "  
 do Horn Combs at 0. 1. 14 p Doz,  
 do do at 0. 1. 0 "  
 do Thimbles at 0. 4. 0 p Gross  
 do Needles at 0. 5. 0 p 1000  
 do Knives at 0. 1. 6 p Doz,  
 do do at 0. 1. 3  
 David Louie Hoop Iron at 0. 2. 0 p Stone  
 Alex Thome Books Stationery  
 Thomas Kelly for Printing  
 Denis Heave Oaten Straws at 1. 5. 0 p Ton  
 Fardy Mullins Buckets at 0. 1. 9 each  
~~do do at 0. 0. 0 "~~  
 James Gibbs for Nails per price in Tender -



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, 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:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

The Board proceeded to examine tenders  
for repairs of Dispensaries, when the following were chosen  
Daniel Connell repairs of Peter's Well Disp. £3. 12. 6  
Pat Ahern for painting signs of same £0. 15. 0

(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.



UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 26284

Present Net Annual Value, £35813. 5. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.							Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.			Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.			Infants under 2 years of age.			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.							
Workhouse, . . .	1150	397																			
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700	256																			
Additional Workhouse, . . .	56	14																			
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																					
Fever Sheds, . . .																					
Total, . . .	1906	667																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			47	108	6	20	146	197	100	29	23	675	In Workhouse Hospital, . . .	In separate Wards, . . .							
Admitted during the Week, . . .			8	9	.	.	7	3	.	.	2	29	In Fever Hospital, . . .	In Wards with other inmates, . . .							
TOTAL, . . .			55	117	6	20	152	200	100	29	25	704	Total, . . .	Total, . . .							
Discharged during the Week, . . .			11	9	.	.	11	4	.	.	1	36									
Died, . . .			1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1									
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			12	9	.	.	11	4	.	.	1	37									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			43	108	6	20	141	196	100	29	24	667									

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Maskey

Other Guardians:

John Hale  
Poor Law Inspectors

William Moulgrave Pat Burke  
Pat Glynn J. Deane  
Michael Stanton

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Whkhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2034 to No. 2035, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk reports that he has received £7.7.3 from the Schoolmistress for Embroidery Work.

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, - - - - - £ 56.17.6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 217.17.5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 178.3.11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—  
week ended 1<sup>st</sup> Oct. 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Michael Bell	Adamullin							26	19	11			
	Broomahou							26	13	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Beagh							35	12	2			
	Miltown							77	17	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	167	29	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Michael Finucane	Ballycahalan							85	13				
	Leppard							8	1	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Miltown							12	1	3			
	Miltown							82		9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	187	16	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Thomas Gardiner	Cast							27	11	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Miltown							6	13	2			
Michael Taylor	Adrahan							5	9	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Castle Taylor							4	7	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			
	Raharas							21	6	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Miltown							22	18	9			
Edward Stanton	Dunmore	7	8	3				47	12	5			
	Miltown	3	11	3						11	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>		
	Miltown	7		6				28	5	2			
						18				76	8	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Cornelius O'Brien	Cahernore							152	1	8			
	Donnel							31	8	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Miltown							133	5	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	226	15	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
										716	10	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Total						18				716	10	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Old Union													
Myles O'Brien	Miltown							67		11			
	Miltown							26	2	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	93	38	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Michael Finucane	Beagh							159	10	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Miltown							15	10	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Miltown							31	17	3 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	206	17	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Cornelius O'Brien	Miltown						252	10	2	252	10	2	
Edward Stanton	Miltown						48	10	2	48	10	2	
Michael Taylor	Miltown						79		1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>				
Edw O'Haynes	Adrahan						37	10	10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	116	5		
	Miltown						112	17	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	142	17	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
										859	18	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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



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 £28. 10s. 1 1/2d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	28.	10.	1 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	- 39. 4. 3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	-	-	- 39. 4. 3 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	- 1/11
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	- 1/7 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	- 2/11

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

700 lb, Bread	11 lb Sugar
100 lb, Meal 4 lb Lard	28 lb Rice
1/2 Ton Indian Meal	1 Canister Pepper
1/2 Ton Rye Meal	80 lb Coffee
1/2 Ton Barley Meal	12 lb, Candles
1/2 Ton Natural	56 lb, Soap
27 1/2 gal Milk	1 lb Mold Candles
1700 gal New Milk	28 lb, Washing Soda
2 lb 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Stator to pay Atty Bills

2 15 2

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.

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<sup>7</sup> cheques, were ordered

Mick Hyne, for leather	4.17.10
Pat Ahern for glazing	2.10.0

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:  
 The Medical Officer reports the Sanatory condition of the inmates, continue satisfactory, with respect to the question the Board has requested him to report on this day, namely whether bread made entirely of Rye meal might not be substituted for that at present in use say half Barley and half Rye, He is of opinion that at this particular juncture he would not be justified in recommending the Guardians to adopt the proposed alteration, from the fact of Rye bread being liable to cause acidity and purging, altho highly nutritive He does not feel warranted in recommending its introduction into the workhouse dietary on the occasion of another visitation of Cholera.



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

The Master reports that the order for Tea Coffee & Cocoa ordered on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst has not been supplied by the Contractor Michl Siguch of Dublin

ordered that the Master purchase those articles,

The Contractor for Candles, refused to supply

ordered that those be purchased also

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, 8 Oct<sup>r</sup> No 51, 663, 1853 referring to the inferior quality of the Milk supplied and recommending the Guardians, to take such steps as may be necessary to secure a proper fulfilment of the agreement made by the Contractor

ordered that proceedings be taken against the Milk contractor, and their sureties. —

Letter from same 8 Oct<sup>r</sup> No 7662/53 requesting that an explanation may be obtained from the Master of the Workhouse and entered on the Guardians Minutes, as to how the overstock of Rye and Barley meal has occurred in his store. —

The Master states that the increase has been caused in Rye and Barley meal by Wettings on hot plates particularly when the meal is of good quality, which will be seen by a reference to the Battery Book. —

Letter from Clerk of Union informing the Board that on the 21 September last the Treasurer charged in his account against the Union a cheque for the sum of twenty pounds which had not been issued by the Board, that the Clerk called upon the Treasurer examined the cheque and discovered it to be a forgery paid without any endorsement, —

It appearing to the Board from the report of the Clerk that a check for the sum of twenty pounds purporting to be drawn and signed by three members of the Govt Board and countersigned by the Clerk but which on examination by him proved to be forgery, had been cashed by the Treasurer the manager of the National Bank at Doylesa.

It was resolved, That the Treasurer be informed that the above check being fictitious and the names affixed thereto being forgery, and the same not having been drawn by this Board, we do not recognize the said check, nor will we admit it into our account, but that we will afford him all the assistance in our power to discover the parties implicated in the fabrication of said check

Letter from Miss Martie Schoonmestress stating that she was requested by the Agent of Embroidery Work at Galway to attend there to see how the more expensive work was done at their school,

ordered that leave of absence be given



to Miss Harte for a week to attend at the Embroidery school at Galway and that two pounds be given for expenses

Letter from Michael O'Neil Schoolmaster stating that he has been summoned by the Inspector of National Schools to attend an examination at Galway on Thursday and Friday next and requesting permission to attend ordered that leave be given.

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	-	-	-	12
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	6

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved that a sum of fifteen shillings be allowed to purchase clothes, to assist Margaret Burke to emigrate to New York to be charged to Ardaraan Electoral Division

The Clerk having submitted to the Board the new Rate Books duly prepared and filled up, it was ordered, that they be submitted for inspection on tomorrow the 11<sup>th</sup> Inst, and that the necessary notices be posted throughout the Union, and that the Rate Books be signed at an extraordinary meeting to be held on Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> due notice of which to be given to the Guardians.

ordered that the Clerk readvertise for making a sewer in the Workhouse of the following dimensions, viz 18 inches wide at top and bottom and two feet deep to be soled and covered with proper flaps, and the sides to be built of solid Mason work.

Resolved that all poor Rate Collectors be requested to attend the Board on the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst with their collecting Books and that Mr Hall Poor Law Inspector be requested to attend and examine their Books, particularly those that have erasures, and that the Board be notified to meet at 11 o'clock to attend such examination.

Resolved that an advertisement, be inserted in the Galway Indicator for proposals from persons who are willing to collect the Rate now about being made in the following District in the 4<sup>th</sup> Union viz.



- 12
1. Ardaraulluan Kinnabon  
Beagh and Killinny
  2. Ballycahalan Cappan Killeacanty  
and Kiltownay
  3. Gort and Kiltarton,
  4. Ardahan Castle Taylor Kahanair  
and Skeharagh
  5. Drumacoo Killeavara & Killeely
  6. Cahernore Doory & Kinnara
- Such Tender to state the sum per pound  
at which the person proposing is willing  
to undertake the collection, to include  
all law and other expenses, except in  
any proceedings which may be instituted  
by civil Bill or in the Superior Courts  
for Recovery of Rates.
- The written consent of two or more sureties  
who are willing to be bound in a sum  
of £500 for the due collection of the Rate  
must be enclosed in the Proposal

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Gort  
UNION, on Mon day, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1853,  
—continued.

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

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



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, 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:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

Resolved That the following Gentlemen members of the Board do form the Sanatory Committee for the Town of Gort, —  
Wm Gregory, Jno Mearns James Daly, Wm Keble  
Wm Butler, Jno Galbraith James Cahiff, Jno W. Lambert  
Jno Harty, Henry Cahiff, Wm Meeville, Pat Glynn  
Jno Lloyd, Wm Tobin, Hosein Gray, Pat Kelly, Patrick  
Tho Cunningham and Patrick Keble. —  
and that the following Guardians do form the Sanatory Committee for the Town of Kilmara  
Christ St George, Fms Taylor, Tho Lynch  
Baron D'Alton, Arthur Alexander, Tho Joyce  
Tho Deane, David O'Kea, Mich Stannan,  
Owen Sweeney, Pat Hyder, Jno Broderick and  
John Morrey.

That the members of the above Committees get immediate notice of their appointment and that they be requested to meet as soon as possible at the Dispensary Committee Rooms in the respective districts.

That the Committees of Management of the dispensary districts of Gort and Kilmara be requested to give their assistance and cooperation to give their assistance to the above Sanatory Committees.

That the several Relieving Officers be directed to put themselves in communication with the Sanatory Committees, and that they make the requisite inspections and report

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

to the Board as to the existence of any nuisances in their respective districts.

That a supply of the requisite forms be immediately provided and furnished to the Relieving Officers and to the Constabulary at Gort and Kilmara.

That the Committee be informed that the duty of cleansing and purifying any premises in which nuisances exist is in the first instance imposed on the owner or occupier of such premises and that in default or neglect of these parties, in taking the necessary steps for this purpose after due notice the Guardians are empowered to have the work executed for the expense of which the owner or occupier is liable.

That in cases where the owner or occupier are too poor to perform the cleansing and purifying process in a proper manner the Guardians may authorize the execution of the work, the expense being chargeable to the division in which it occurred.

That duly certified bills and accounts for any expense, that the Committee may find it necessary to incur in carrying into effect the provisions of the Law for the removal of nuisances be submitted to the Board of Guardians at each weekly meeting.

That the Medical Officer be requested to report to the Board as to measures which he thinks it would be desirable to adopt in order to improve the Sanatory condition of the Work House and lessen the danger of cholera or other dangerous disease breaking out therein.

Resolved That the Commissionery be requested to furnish the Board with copies of the acts of Parliament and their circulars and



orders relating to the nuisance removal  
and disease prevention act for the use  
of the Committee, which have been this  
day appointed.

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Population in 1851, . . . 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £36038-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	1150	396												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	700	251												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	"	"												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	56	14												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	"	"												
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>1906</b>	<b>661</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			113	108	6	20	141	196	100	29	24	167	In Workhouse Hospital, 98	In separate Wards, in Fever Hospital, 14
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	5	1	"	7	"	"	"	1	16	In Fever Hospital, 14	In separate Wards with other inmates, 2
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>115</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>Total, 112</b>	<b>Total, 16</b>
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	1	"	"	11	4	1	"	"	21		
Died, . . . . .			"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			4	2	"	"	11	4	1	"	"	22		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			41	111	7	20	137	192	99	29	25	161		

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. II.							No. X.						
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thos. A. Joyce*  
 Other Guardians: *William Butler James Cahiff*  
*Arthur Alexander Henry Cahiff*  
*Pat Glynn Luc Harty*

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

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2963 to No. 2979, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 17.0.7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 36.10.1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 158.14.5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—  
Week ended 8 October 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Michael Bell	Ardamiddle	.	.	.	.	.	.	26	19	11	.	.	.
	Brownshoo	.	.	.	.	.	.	26	13	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Meagh	.	.	.	.	.	.	35	12	2	.	.	.
	Killeeney	.	.	.	.	.	.	77	17	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	167	2	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Michael Finneane	Ballycshalan	.	.	.	.	.	.	85	13	.	.	.	.
	Capard	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Kilbeauty	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	1	3	.	.	.
	Kilthomas	.	.	.	.	.	.	82	.	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	187	16	6
Thomas Gardiner	Cast	.	.	.	.	.	.	27	11	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Kiltiston	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	13	2	31	1	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Michael Taylor	Ardahan	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	9	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Castle Taylor	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	7	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Rahawan	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	6	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Mchawagh	.	.	.	.	.	.	22	18	9	54	2	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Edmund Staunton	Drumacoe	29	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.	18	1	1	.	.	.
	Killeenavara	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	2	9	.	.	.
	Killeely	7	8	8	37	.	.	20	16	6	39	8	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Cornelius O'Brien	Bahermore	.	.	.	.	.	.	62	1	8	.	.	.
	Doon	.	.	.	.	.	.	31	8	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Minvara	19	17	6	19	17	6	115	7	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	206	17	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
					56	17	6				689	12	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Old Union	Mylor O'Brien	.	.	.	.	.	.	67	.	11	.	.	.
	Kilkeedy	.	.	.	.	.	.	26	2	4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	93	3	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Michael Finneane	Meagh	.	.	.	.	.	.	159	10	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Kiltiston	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	10	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
	Kilthomas	.	.	.	.	.	.	31	17	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	206	17	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Cornelius O'Brien	Minvara	.	.	.	.	.	.	252	4	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	252	4	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	Killeenavara	.	.	.	.	.	.	48	10	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	48	10	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Edward Staunton	Killeenavara	.	.	.	.	.	.	79	.	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	.	.	.
Michael Taylor	Killeeney	.	.	.	.	.	.	37	4	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	116	5	.
Edw O'haughey	Ardahan	.	.	.	.	.	.	14	2	17	14	2	17
	Kilbeauty	.	.	.	.	.	.	14	2	17	14	2	17
					889	18	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 11. 11 s. 9 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	—	—	—	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	-	11.	11.	9 1/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	—	—	—	12.	6.	10 1/2
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-	1/2		
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	-	1/4		
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	-	2 3/4		

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

720 lb Bread	370 lbs Tea
100 lb Meat	14 lb Sugar
2 Ton Indian Meal	28 lb Rice
5 Ton Rye Meal	100 Bones Lard
5 Ton Barley Meal	10 lb Candles
11,8 quarts Skim Milk	1 lb Solid Candles
1700 quarts New Milk	50 lb Soap
2 but Salt	3 pint Whiskey
	6 Bottle 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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Stator to pay Petty Bills

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.

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

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

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

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Resolved that four pounds be at once placed in the hands of Wm. Mahon Sub Inspector to send a Police man to Swapool to arrest Shehan the late Porter who is the person who obtained the amount of the forged cheque.

Wm. Mahon £ for the above £4.0.0  
By Election Law & the above  
C. Treasurers

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

None



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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, 10<sup>th</sup> Oct 1853 calling the Guardians attention to the large balances in Collectors hands and requesting the Guardians to see that active steps are taken by the Collectors for the recovery of all outstanding arrears,

Letter from same 12 Oct 1853 calling upon the Guardians to carry into effect the requirements of Circulars relating to the nuisances removal & diseases prevention acts. —

The Guardians have appointed Committees on the 10<sup>th</sup> Instant who will hold meetings immediately

Letter from Mr O'Leary Manager of the National Bank Loughrea the Treasurer of this Union dated 18<sup>th</sup> Oct 1853, — acknowledging receipt of the Guardians resolution of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst regarding the forged cheque lately cashed by him and requesting the Board to send him a cheque for a similar sum by way of salary for his trouble in performing the duties of Treasurer the last mentioned cheque being intended to cover the loss to be sustained by cashing the forged cheque

Ordered that our clerk write to Mr O'Leary stating that the Board had positive evidence of the cheque in question being a forgery previous to their passing the resolution and the Board are anxious to learn from him if it is his wish to discontinue being Treasurer to the Govt Board, as the Board of Guardians would be sorry to give the Bank any trouble when it is not in their power to give remuneration,



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	-	-	9
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	14

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 Turf and Candles.

The Guardians accepted the Tender of Turf Ward for making a covered drain from the Sewer Ward to the main drain, to be 18 inches wide at top and bottom, two feet deep, to be set and covered with proper flags, and the sides built of solid masonry, he finding all materials for the sum of five pounds



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, 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:)

Read Letter from Poor Law Commrs dated 12<sup>th</sup> Oct 1853  
stating that

inclosing copy of a letter received from  
Mr. Taffe Apothecary to Ballinacorney  
Dispensary regarding an increase  
of Salary, and the Commissioners  
request the Guardians observations  
thereon. —

Referred to next Board day. —

(Signed)

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Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1851, . . . 26287

Present Net Annual Value, £36038-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October* 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 5 years of age.	Children above 5 and under 3 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . .	1150	396													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	700	247													
Additional Workhouse, . . .	56	15													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>1906</b>	<b>658</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			111	111	7	20	137	192	99	29	25	161	In Workhouse } 92 Hospital } In Fever Hospital } 15 Total, } 207	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } 2 Total, } 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			8	7			8								
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>			<b>119</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>161</b>			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			5	4			11	3	1						
Died, . . .							1	1							
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			5	4		1	12	3	1						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			114	114	7	19	133	189	98	29	25	158			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the *24<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thomas A. Joyce*  
 Other Guardians: *J. M. S. Taylor, John Martyn, James Lahiff,*  
*John Hall Esq's* *Henry Lahiff, Redmond Burke, Doct. Mubilla,*  
*Poor Law Inspector* *John L. Beckett, Arthur Alexander,*  
*Tobias Robinson, John Martyn, John Broderick,*  
*Patrick Burke, John Morrissey, Mich. Stanton,*  
*Owen Sweeney*

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

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2979 to No. 3002, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk produced to the Board the Treasurer's receipt for a lodgment by him the proceeds of a sale of Embroidery Work. Amount £7-7-3

To Treasurer  
 Cr Establishment £7-7-3

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,

Charges 58-0-2 - £156-0-0  
 Paid during the week, - Ammities - 9-0-0 - £67-0-2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £137-14-3

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:—  
 week ended 15 October 1853

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Michael Bell	Ardenacrow	.	.	.				26	19	11			
	Browan	.	.	.				26	13	5 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Beagh	.	.	.				35	12	2			
	Kilthony	.	.	.				77	17	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	167	29	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Mich <sup>l</sup> Finnan	Ballycahalan	3	.	.				82	13	.			
	Cappard	.	.	.				8	1	5 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Milbracanty	.	.	.				12	1	3			
	Kilthomas	.	.	.				82	.	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	184	16	6
Thomas Gardiner	Gort	.	.	.				27	11	3 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Kiltastan	.	.	.				6	13	2			
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	.	.	.				5	9	7 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Castletaylor	.	.	.				14	7	4 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Rahaspau	.	.	.				21	6	7 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Stehouagh	10	.	.	10	.	.	12	15	9	44	2	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Edmund Staunton	Drumacoo	.	.	.				18	1	1			
	Killicunara	.	.	.				.	11	2 $\frac{3}{4}$			
	Killicy	.	.	.				20	16	6	39	8	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
Cornelius O'Brien	Caherune	.	.	.				62	1	8			
	Doon	.	.	.				31	8	1 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Stivarra	.	.	.				113	7	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	206	17	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
					13	.	.				676	12	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
Old Union	Kilmaduzgh	.	.	.				67	.	11			
	Kilthedy	.	.	.				26	2	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	93	3	8 $\frac{3}{4}$
Mich <sup>l</sup> Finnan	Beagh	.	.	.				159	10	2 $\frac{3}{4}$			
	Kiltastan	.	.	.				15	10	3 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Kilthomas	.	.	.				31	17	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	206	17	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
Cornelius O'Brien	Stivarra	.	.	.				252	11	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	252	41	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
	Killicunara	.	.	.				48	10	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	48	10	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
Edmund Staunton	Killicunara	.	.	.				79	.	1 $\frac{1}{2}$			
	Killicunara	.	.	.				37	4	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	116	5	.
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan	.	.	.				142	17	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	142	17	7 $\frac{1}{4}$
	Milbracanty	.	.	.									
Edw. O'Hanrahan	Ardrahan	.	.	.									
	Milbracanty	.	.	.									
											859	18	2 $\frac{3}{4}$

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £112 - 14 s. 2 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	112 - 14 - 2 1/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - -	1/3
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	2/6 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	2/7 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:

7110 lbs Bread	11 lbs Sugar
100 lbs Meat	28 lbs Rice
1 Ton Indian Meal	1 Bottle Wine
1/4 Ton Oatmeal	100 Bones Soap
1 Ton Rye Meal	11 lbs Soft Candy
1 Ton Barley Meal	1 lb Must do
56 qts. Skimmed Milk	56 lbs. Soap
1800 qts. New Milk	
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 day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Slater to pay Petty Bills 2 1 11

	£	s.	d.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mich <sup>e</sup> . McKeeow to pay for <sup>Trust</sup> <del>Little</del>	6	6	7

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.

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

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

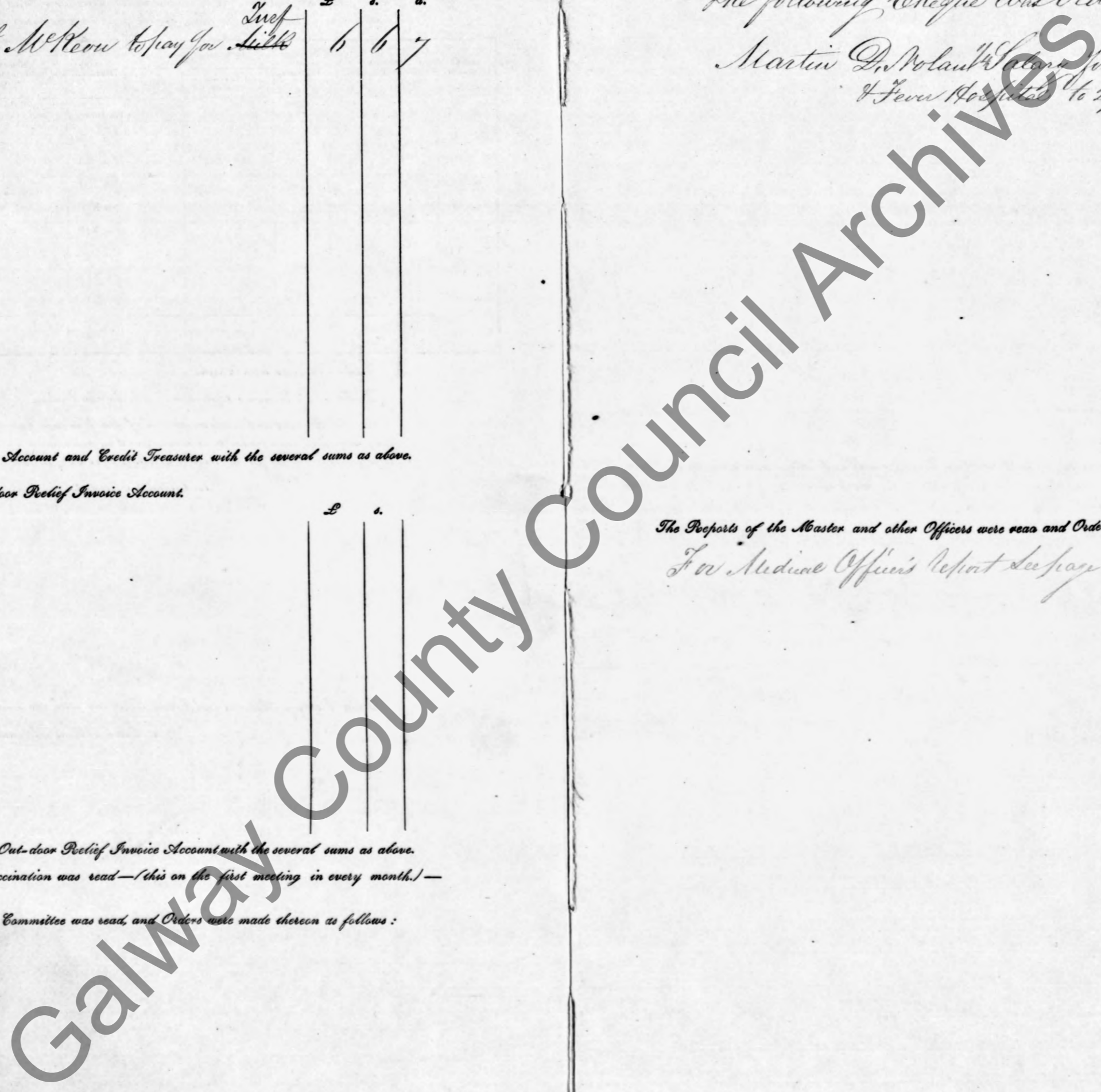
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The following Cheque was Ordered

Martin D. Polant's Salary for Workhouse & Fever Hospital to 29 Sept 1853 £25 " 0 " 0

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

For Medical Officer's Report see page 16





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 7<sup>th</sup> October 1853. Showing balances amounting to £11. 11. 8<sup>½</sup> payable to the Treasurer of Galway Union on account of Islandiddy, & Fiddams Island transferred from Gort to Galway Union.

Sealed Order sanctioning the payment of fifteen Shillings to assist Margaret Burke to emigrate to America

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

The Board accepted the tender of Patrick Kelly for supplying 100 boxes of turf at 11 per box  
The Board accepted the tender of Timothy Malloran & Martin Hogan for supplying 150 Boxes of Good Turf at 11<sup>½</sup> per box.

The Board then proceeded to consider Tenders for the Collection of the New Rate. And appointed the following Collectors viz.  
No 3 District Thomas Warden at 4 per pound was appointed & Andrew Wallan & Festus Kelly accepted as Sureties.  
No 4 District Mich<sup>l</sup>. Vaylor at 4 per pound was appointed and Benjamin Taylor Senr & Benjamin Vaylor Junr were approved of as his Sureties.  
No 5 District Edmund Stanton at 4 per pound was appointed and Owen Mullins & Mary Comerford were approved of as his Sureties.  
No 6 District The Appointment of Collector was postponed until next Board day.  
Resolved that advertisements be inserted in the Galway press for further tenders for collecting the Rates in districts No 1 and 2 to be taken into consideration on this day fortnight

Leave of absence of Miss Harte was extended for another week.

Resolved that the Sanatory Committee for the Towns of Gort, and Minward be requested to meet on as early a day as possible in order to carry into effect the provisions of the Nuisances, Removal, and Diseases prevention Acts.

Resolved that the several Collectors be directed to attend with their Collecting Books, and lists of Arrears due in their districts, at the Board Room on tomorrow, and thenceforward for such period as may be necessary until the Arrears are transferred into the New Rate Books.

Ordered that the ~~Wife of Martin Green~~ Margaret Green an inmate of the Workhouse be sent to Mich<sup>l</sup>. Carr of Gortnashie who will give her work.

Resolved that Thomas Raftery be discharged.

Resolved that this Board at its rising do adjourn to Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> Inst. and then meet at 12 o'clock to sign the Rate Books.



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

<i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was</i>	-	-	-	9
<i>Ditto disallowed</i>	-	-	-	2
<i>The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was</i>	-	-	-	2

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

*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.)*

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (for Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that \_\_\_\_\_

On the Consideration of Mr. Saaff's letter to the Commissioners for an increase of Salary as Apothecary to the Ballinacorney Dispensary District

It was proposed by Mr. Alexander, seconded by Mr. Cahiff that Mr. Saaff's Salary be raised £5.

Rejected by 7 to 4.

The Medical officer reports on the 17<sup>th</sup> October 1853 that the Sanitary Condition of the Lunatics is in as satisfactory a state and as free from Epidemic Disease as can reasonably be expected at this Season of the Year.

With reference to the probable approach of Cholera I consider it my duty to address to you some observations concerning those preventative measures I consider ought to be adopted in connexion with an expected outbreak of that disorder.

1<sup>st</sup> The most perfect Classification of the several Classes should be strictly enforced, with nothing like over crowding permitted, and a free and thorough Ventilation always maintained.

2<sup>nd</sup> The clothing of the Lunatics is a subject of great importance. The Men should be all provided with Flannel Vests, to be worn next the Skin, and the Women with an additional Flannel petticoat. This latter class might likewise be provided with Bedding,

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

or Flannel Vests. I consider the present covering of their chests insufficient under existing circumstances, a light wrapper over their chemise with a small handkerchief extending to their shoulders cannot maintain a proper degree of warmth. The Boys and Girls from 5 to 9 should be supplied with Flannel Bands, or Rollers to be worn over the Bowels, and I sincerely believe the practice of wearing these Belts amongst the Boys has continued in the Work since my recommendation of it in the Cholera of 1849.

In addition the general clothing of the Lunatics should be particularly looked after, and of a sufficient substance to keep up a due degree of warmth, and be kept at all times in a state of perfect repair, and good fire kept up in the several wards.

As regards the Bed covering several of the Kitchens appear to me to be greatly worn, and much too light, these more suitable for warmth should be got, and an additional Blanket when necessary provided.

3<sup>rd</sup> The strictest attention should be paid to the personal cleanliness of the Lunatics, as a means well calculated to maintain their general health in a sound and vigorous state.

4<sup>th</sup> Every portion of the Establishment should be well washed in a proper manner every three, or four weeks, the Straw changed in the several Beds at least once a Month, no nuisance filth or rubbish of any kind should be permitted to remain on the House premises.

5<sup>th</sup> The beer pools, and sewers should be all thoroughly cleaned out, and the sewers flushed, or washed out every fortnight or three weeks. All night soil, or other nuisance should be removed to the Manure heap at fixed hours twice a day, and the Manure heap itself (which is too irregular as it stands) covered daily with fresh clay, the soiled Buses should be kept perfectly clean, and with the privies in which they are placed sprinkled night and morning with a solution of chloride of Lime, in addition the privies should be whitewashed every morning.

6<sup>th</sup> There are no channels to carry off the surface water from the yards at Fairy Hill, or at least they are so imperfect with no outlet as not to fulfil that object. These should be properly made with a proper Fall and paved, and a Communication established between them and the sewer situated at the outside near the front entrance.



7<sup>th</sup> The Shuting and Glass of the Store at Sheds, should be  
Speedily repaired, and the Roofs thoroughly Stanch'd, In  
the Hospital Sheds particularly there is a good deal of Glass  
Broken, and the Shuting in a very imperfect State, a  
channel is also much required at the rear of these Sheds  
In the event of Cholera making its appearance in the  
Workhouse. Some of opinion that the present Fever Hospital  
should be appropriated to the reception of Cholera  
Patients, and the Fever patients transferred to the Infirmary  
Sheds, just referred to, would not recommend the Board  
to disturb the present arrangements at Fairy Hill but  
leave it as it is in the occupation of the several classes  
of healthy Male Lunatics including the infirm ward.

The only part of the Establishment at Fairy Hill  
that requires further observation from me is the Workshop  
This appears to me an objectionable apartment, there is  
no fire place, and the several trades of Tailoring,  
Shoemaking, and Carpenters work are carried on  
and it is too small for that purpose, and besides  
Congregating so many persons, shades together might  
interfere with that order, Classification & Cleanliness  
so necessary at such a crisis. The Guardian has just  
assured that a perfect Classification, and freedom  
from over crowding is of the first importance in  
an Epidemic outbreak. — As regards the dietary  
of the Lunatics I do not consider that at present it  
requires any modification, but if any symptoms of  
Diarrhoea, or looseness of the bowels, should set in  
it might be advisable to use Rice in combination  
with Meal in proportion of two oz of the former, with  
Six of the latter as recommended in the Poor Law  
Commissioners sealed order.

The quality of the Milk which has hitherto been of so  
inferior description should be particularly attended to.  
The Master and Matron should be likewise instructed  
to pay the strictest attention to the several classes of  
Lunatics especially in reference to the appearance of  
Diarrhoea, and I will have a Stinguent Medicine  
prepared with a view of at once arresting that disease.

By strict attention to these several matters I sincerely hope  
the Board will be enabled if not to ward off altogether at  
least to diminish to a very gratifying extent the malignancy,  
and hitherto fatal character of this formidable visitation.

The Medical Officer reports on the 24<sup>th</sup> October 1853.

I regret the foregoing report which I felt it my duty to make  
on the subject of Cholera was not in time to be laid before  
the Board at its last meeting.

I have to report that on Tuesday morning one of the  
Hospital Nurses was attacked with vomiting & purging  
and violent Cramps. She had no previous Diarrhoea. The  
affection was attended with great prostration of strength,  
and resembled in all its symptoms those of Cholera very  
closely, it continued for about Six Hours when it  
yielded to appropriate treatment.

On the same evening one of the  
Infirmary Patients was violently attacked with Cramps  
from Head to foot with slight inclination to vomit,  
but no purging, there were also on the following day  
two Cases in the Infirmary, and two in the Fever  
Hospital, both severely Cramped, but no vomiting or  
purging they have all satisfactorily recovered in  
a period varying from 6 to 12 hours. We had no  
further case of this description up to last night when  
one of the School Girls was severely attacked but had  
no vomiting or purging she is doing well.

I made a short report during the week  
to the Master relative to the measures I thought  
necessary to adopt instantly, and he promptly  
attended to my suggestions. I have to report  
that the Milk Milk continues very bad.



At an adjourned meeting of the Board held on  
Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> Oct 1853 the foll

James Cahiffy in the Chair  
Other Guardians, Henry Cahiff, L. Provingeare  
Alexander Pat Burke John Harty,

The Rate Books for the following Electoral  
Divisions were signed by the Chairman and  
two of the Guardians present viz

Ardanacullinan	Geat
Ardrahan	Shilbea county
Ballycathalan	Shillee
Bragh	Shilleenavara
Bunmahon	Shilluiny
Cahernore	Shillarton
Cappard	Shillthomas
Castle Taylor	Shillacane
Doon	Shillanagh
Dunmacos.	

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Population in 1851,— 22790

Present Net Annual Value, ... £110,125

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

2<sup>d</sup> 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.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	400	103														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	400	103														
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, . . . . .			7	15	15	25	11	8	11	4	9	103	In Workhouse Hospital, } 30	In separate Wards, } 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	1								1	In Fever Hospital } 1	In Wards with other inmates, } 1		
TOTAL, . . . . .			8	16	15	25	11	8	11	4	10	104	Total, } 30	Total, } 1		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			6	1	1							1				
Died, . . . . .																
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			6	1	1							1				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			2	15	15	25	11	8	11	4	9	103				

Power Accommodated 15  
Fever patients 0

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2<sup>d</sup> 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 her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forwd.						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1850.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Filgate, Esq  
Other Guardians: John C Evans and James Blake, Esqs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed

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

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2798 to No. 2804, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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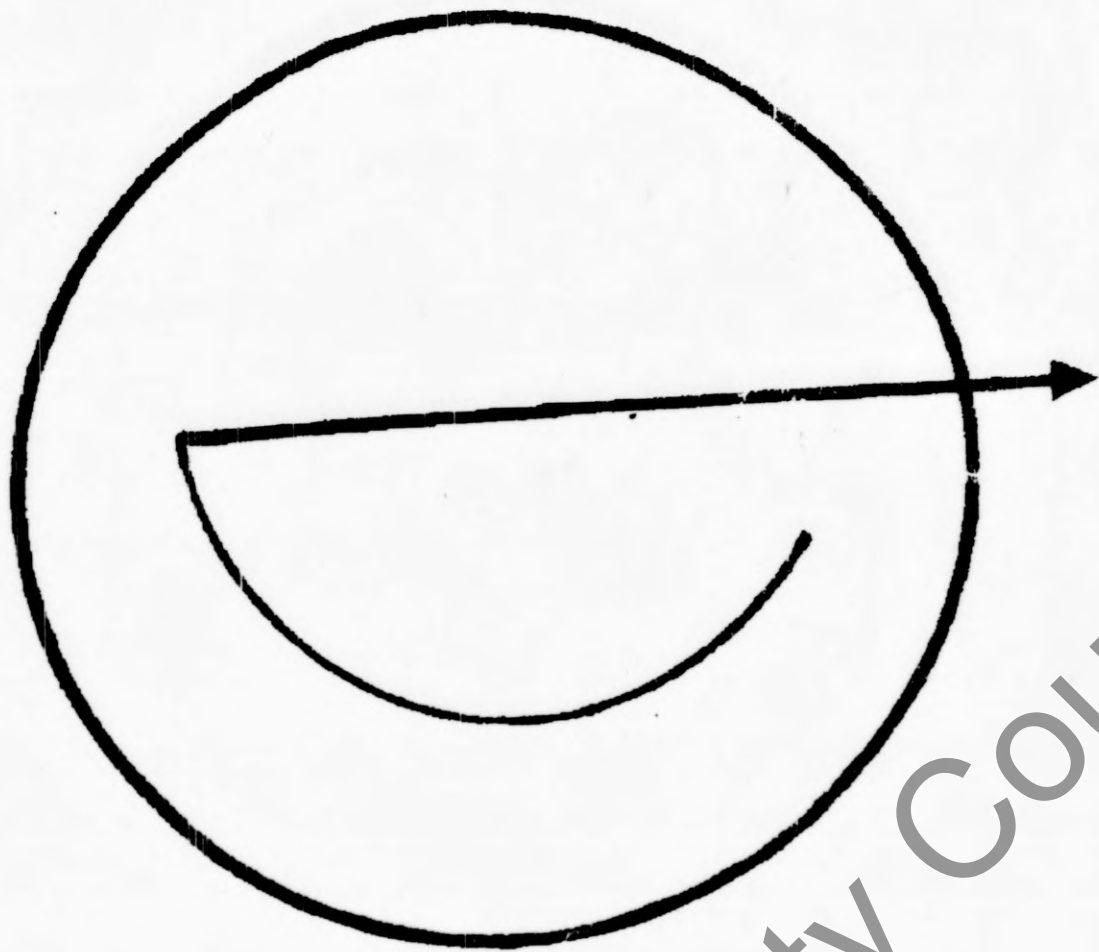
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