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**GORT POOR LAW UNION  
BOARD OF GUARDIAN**

**ROUGH MINUTES**

**G01/12/134**

**27 SEPTEMBER 1859 – 22 NOVEMBER  
1859**

Galway County Council

*G.W.M.* UNION.

Population in 1851—*26287*

Present Net Annual Value, ... £ *48044.2*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *24<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 18*59*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	<i>1150</i>	<i>126</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	<i>100</i>													
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	<i>56</i>	<i>5</i>												
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	<i>1206</i>	<i>135</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>10</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>12</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>33</i>	In separate Wards, <i>5</i>
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>					<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>10</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>5</i>	In other Inmates, <i>5</i>
TOTAL, . . .			<i>13</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>13</i>	Total, <i>38</i>	Total, <i>10</i>
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>		
Died, . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>12</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>12</i>		

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. 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.						
nr. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* — 18*59*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *R. Burke*

Other Guardians: *Hunter Capt. Lynch, John Markey, Capt. Taylor, James Lohry, Dr. Milville, Arthur Alexander, James Mahon, A. B. Nolan, C. F. O'Brien, P. Fitzpatrick, Henry Lohry, Patrick Burke, John Rochford, M. Boyle, Owen Linnane, Thomas Lybett, John Broderick, Patrick Kilan, Michael Clamson, John Morrissey*

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 Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 983 to No. 1001, 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 in favour of the Guardians was - £713. 2. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.						
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
Thomas Hardiman	Arduullivan							2	11	5							
	Ballynahalan							3	6	3							
	Beagh									3	4						
	Dunmahon							2	17	11							
	Cahirmore							1	12	6							
	Captrud							15	7	8							
	Doonin							35	8	8							
	Geot							1		4							
	Killeascully							3	1	3							
	Killinny							1	5	11							
	Kiltalloh									1	9						
Kiltoran							46	8	10								
													132	13			
Michael Taylor	Ardrahan							2	5	6							
	Castle Taylor							3	11	10							
	Kahasany									8	4						
	Keranagh							2	5	7							
														8	11		
Edmund Staunton	Drumcree							57	4	4							
	Killeenavara							2	16	11							
	Killealy							2	8	6							
															10	19	
																152	3

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £13 14 s. . d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
	13 14 0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	- 16 2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	15 2
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:

500 lbs Bread  
 65 .. Meat  
 300 qrs New Milk  
 28 lbs Salt  
 6 lb 3/4 Tea  
 18 lbs Sugar  
 9 .. Rice  
 1 .. Pepper

16 gallons of Whisky  
 2 Bot Port  
 5 lb Sausages

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	- - -
By order	- - -

Total

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

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

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

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Patrick Burke 1/4 Salary to 25 Sept last	2 10
Edward Coen prop do do	4 . .
Dean Birmingham 1/4 Salary do	2 10
Edward Kennedy 1/4 Salary do	2 . .
James Slater copy Licenses & Logies	1 15
James Slater 1/4 Salary do	25 . .
Michael Keene for panels do	2 7 11
Thomas Hill 1/4 Salary do	6 . .
James Slater copy Petty Bills	1 18 9
J. K. Walker for advertisements	4 10

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



3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

£     s.     d.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£     s.     d.

£	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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Cheques ordered

Dr Nolan for Salary Mr. J. H. Dispy	35. 0. 0
James Gile do do	10. 0. 0
James Stator for Salary Returning Officers	5. 0. 0
Amos Kenna for Milk Shaw & Lull	34. 2. 3
Hubt Capt Gough for Rent No 26 Marsh	30. 3. 2
Bannatyne Co for Meal to do	42. 0. 0

On Treasurer

Dr Establ H. O'H. Nolan	15. 0. 0
" Dispy do	20. 0. 0
" " J. Gile	5. 0. 0
" Establ do	5. 0. 0
" Election James Stator	5. 0. 0
" Capt Biles H. Kenna	34. 2. 3

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

do Hubt Capt Gough	30. 3. 2
do Bannatyne Co	42. 0. 0

The Medical officers applied for leave of absence for 4 days which was granted. Dr Mulvill having consented to discharge the duties during his absence.

The Master reports the Milk supplied on several occasions last week was of an inferior quality. it was returned and a Substitute provided.

Ordered. That 20 lbs of salt Butter be kept by the Master to meet the case alluded to —



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. 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 150 fire bricks be ordered at Mr. Colchester's to repair the fireplaces -

Ordered. That half Doz Coal Boxes be got. Capable of holding 2 Stone weight. and made according to pattern in Military Barracks

Ordered. That a Pepper Mill be provided

Resolved. That the Clerk immediately prepare an Estimate to be laid before the Board for the purpose of striking a new Rate. and that he be allowed assistance in preparing the Rate Books. in order that they be signed before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November next A. Sum of Three pounds to be allowed him for said assistance

Ordered. That the clerk advertise again for Bread Indian Meal and oatmeal

On the Letter of the Commissioners 1<sup>st</sup> 1945. Sept 6<sup>th</sup> 1859 relating to the late investigation held by Dr. Brodie having been read. the Police and Hospital Nurse were called before the Board. and that part of the letter regarding them having been read to them. they sent in Resignations and the Clerk was directed to advertise for officers to fill the vacant places. on that part of the letter regarding the Apothecary having been read. the following resolution was proposed by Dr. Mulville and seconded by Mr. H. S. and Solicitor - Resolved. That we consider the Services of an Apothecary indispensable in the deficiency and First Month of the last Workhouse -

Mr. H. S. proposed and Mr. H. S. seconded an amendment that it is not indispensable and a Vote having been taken then approved



for the amendment	3	—
against	15	—
declined to vote	3	

The original resolution was then put and passed

Ordered that Thompson be given £500. Salary chargeable to the Electoral Division & assist him to emigrate to America —

The Board proceeded to consider Orders for Supplies necessary &c for Six months

Mary Molony	Tea	13. 8 p/100
do	Sugar	24/- 100
do	Rice	29/- 100
do	Black Pepper	1. 2 lb
do	Whiskey	13. 4 gal
do	xx Pale	4. 0 Doz
do	Washing Soda	10-0 p/100
Martin Kenny	Candles Dip	6. 6 p/100
do	Candles Mold	7. 6 "
Thomas Walsh	Meat	3 p/100

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18

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



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

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

Galway County

*(S, mod.)*

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

UNION.

Population in 1851—*26287* Present Net Annual Value, ... £43044.2.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *October* 18*59*

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.			Infants under 2 years of age.			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates.	Total.	Total.					
Workhouse, . . .	<i>1150</i>	<i>116</i>																		
Temporary Buildings, . . .	<i>100</i>																			
Additional Workhouse, . . .																				
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .		<i>50</i>																		
Fever Sheds, . . .		<i>3</i>																		
Total, . . .	<i>1300</i>	<i>119</i>																		
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>9</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>102</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>2</i>						
Admitted during the Week, . . .																				
TOTAL, . . .			<i>9</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>102</i>								
Discharged during the Week, . . .				<i>1</i>								<i>1</i>								
Died, . . .				<i>1</i>								<i>1</i>								
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .				<i>2</i>								<i>2</i>								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>9</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>119</i>								

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. 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.						
Not forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the \_\_\_\_\_ day of *October* 18*59*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Reynold Burke*  
Other Guardians: *Hugh Capt. Cough. P. Fitzpatrick*  
*Patrick Burke. Owen Sweeney*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1001 to No. 1002, 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, - - - - - £ 75 . 3 . 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 100 . 13 . 11

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 124 . 8 . 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Thomas Hadden	Ardenhill														
	Ballycubavin	19	7							1	10				
	Ballynash	3	6	3							3	4			
	Ballynash														
	Cahernac	2	3	9						19	14	2			
	Cappard	1	12	6											
	Down	15	8	4							6	4			
	Geot	21	15	5						13	10	9			
	Kilkeaney			11							8	10			
	Killiney	2	18	1							3	2			
	Kiltinstock	1	5	11											
	Kilwarra	24	11	7						21	17	10			
								75	3				57	10	
Michael Luff	Ardenhill									2	5	6			
	Castle Luff									3	11	10			
	Kilkeaney										8	4			
	Kilkeaney									2	5	4			
													8	11	
Edmund Luff	Down									5	7	4			
	Kilkeaney									2	16	11			
	Kilkeaney									2	8	6			
													10	19	9
	Total							75	3				77	10	

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 £ 10 . 12s . 9d.

Sep 29, 7.11.17	Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
Oct 1, 3.1.8	The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	10	12	9
Sep 29, 11.10.11	Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	14	15	6
Oct 1, 3.4.77	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:

140 lbs Bread	1/4 Lbs Rapeeal
63 " Meat	1/4 " Barley meal
500 qts New Milk	8 Bots Potatoes
28 lbs Salt	15 Lbs of Coal
5 1/2 Tea	5 lbs dupl Candles
16 lbs Syrus	
3 " Rice	
1 .. Pepper	
16 bag Whiskey	

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

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

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

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

	£	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.					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.	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.				
Patent Burke. Salary to 25 Sept		4	3	4
Lewis Forrest do do		3	2	6
J. McKenna for Seeds for Sock Making		8	1	6

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



3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

Thomas Walsh for Meat  
Mary Molloy for Beer

£	s.	d.
9	2	1
26	3	5

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

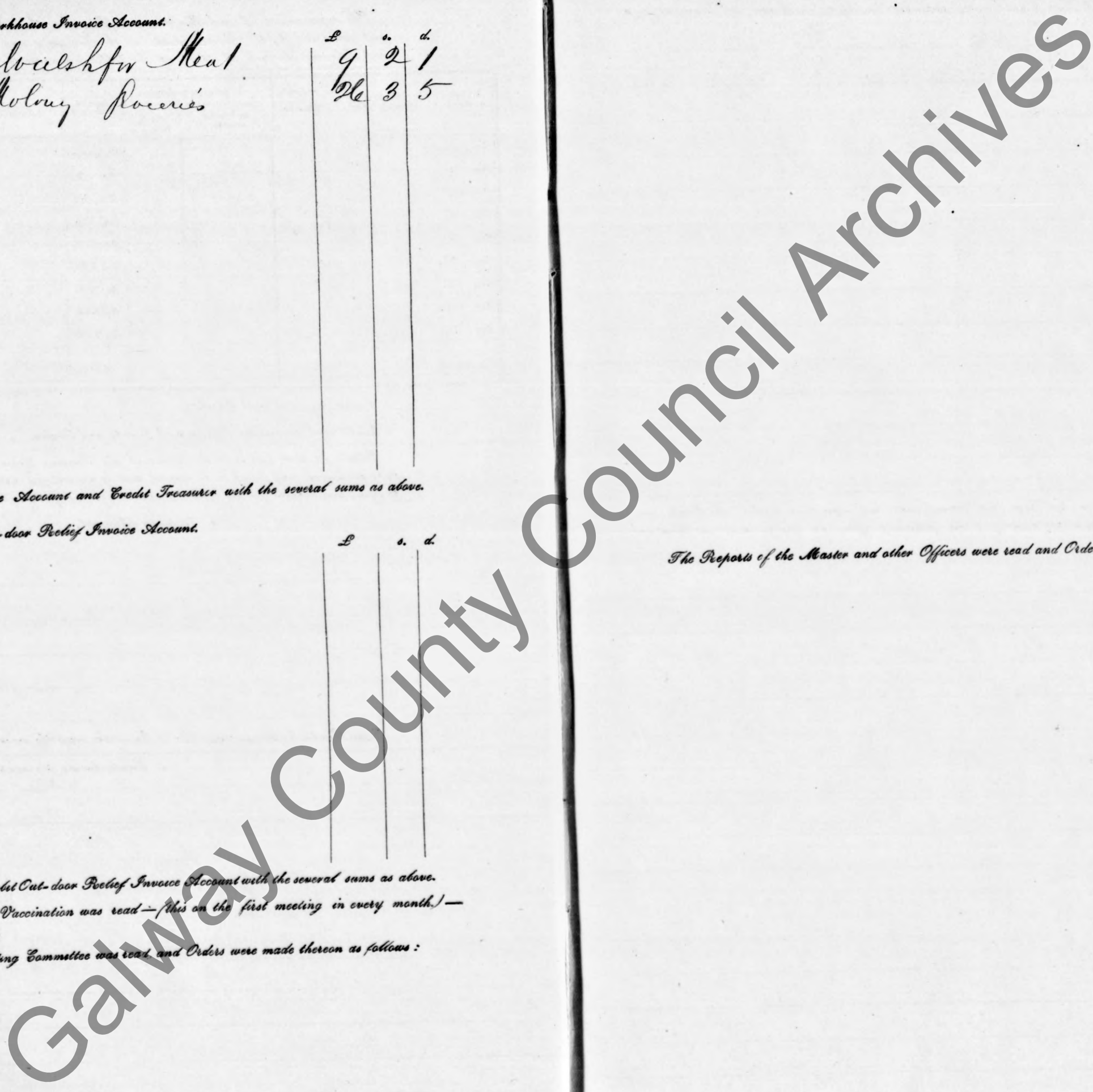
£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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





The 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 2  
 Ditto disallowed 2  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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 Officers' 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 accepted the Tender of John Mayson for supplying the Workhouse with best white Bread for twelve months at 2/6 lb.

The Board accepted the Tender of Patrick Reilly for making Six Buckets at 2/6 each.

The Clerk laid before the Board an Estimate for a new Rate which was agreed to and adopted as follows

Ardenmullivan	1. 0	God	1. 10
Ardrahan	8	Kilbeacumly	1. 4
Ballycubalaw	10	Killeely	8
Begh	9	Killeenavara	6
Brumahow	8	Killinny	11
Cahernore	10	Kittaton	8
Cappard	5	Kittane	9
Castle Taylor	7	Kiivara	10
Doms	9	Rahusma	6
Drumcree	7	Sheehy	10



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UNION.

Population in 1851, *26287* *800* Present Net Annual Value, ... £43041.2

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *26* day of *October* 185*9*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.			
			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 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.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children.	Infants.						
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>1150</i>	<i>116</i>														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>100</i>															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>50</i>	<i>5</i>														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b><i>1300</i></b>	<b><i>121</i></b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>9</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>2</i>	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>									<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b><i>12</i></b>	<b><i>52</i></b>	<b><i>6</i></b>	<b><i>7</i></b>	<b><i>7</i></b>	<b><i>4</i></b>	<b><i>5</i></b>	<b><i>7</i></b>	<b><i>4</i></b>	<b><i>18</i></b>	<b><i>125</i></b>	<b><i>36</i></b>	<b><i>2</i></b>	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>									<i>3</i>			
Died, . . . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>									<i>1</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>									<i>4</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>11</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>121</i>			

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	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 *Monday* the *11* day of *October* 185*9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *R. Munsterker*

Other Guardians: *Hble Capt Gough A. B. Nolan M. Blaquiere*  
*Henry Lahiff J. L. Baggot C. J. Brien J. Lahiff*  
*Dr. Alexander D. Mulville J. Martyn Pat Burke*  
*J. Broderick Geo. Taylor M. Stanton Pat Nolan*  
*Owen Sweeney M. Boyle.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



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

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1005 to No. 1011, 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, - - - - - £11. 16. 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £25. 16. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £608. 16. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
John Hardiman	Arduintheilly	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
	Ballycahalla	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	10	.	.	.	.		
	Bray	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	.	.		
	Bunahor	.	.	.	.	.	.	19	14	2	.	.	.	.		
	Cahore	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
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	Kilbenny	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	10	.	.		
	Killiney	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.		
	Kiltubba	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Kiltomas	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
Kiwara	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	17	3	.	.	.	.			
											57 10					
Michael Luffa	Ardragh	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	6	.	.	.	.		
	Castle Luffa	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	11	0	.	.	.	.		
	Raharney	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	4	.	.	.		
	Mehway	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	4	.	.	.	.		
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Edmund Staunton	Drumree	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	14	4	.	.	.	.		
	Killewarren	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	16	11	.	.	.	.		
	Killybeg	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	8	6	.	.	.	.		
											10 19 9					
											77. 10					
Total																

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 19 . 10s. 10d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ s. d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	19 . 10 . 10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	14 . 5 . 9
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -	2/-
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	3/7

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:

480 lbs Bread  
 18 " Meal  
 500 qts New Milk  
 28 lbs Salt  
 30 lbs Tea  
 18 lbs Sugar  
 2 " Rice  
 1 " Pepper

3 pints Whiskey  
 8 Bot Portles  
 7 lbs Dipt Cards

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 ending 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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Kator 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.	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 <sup>l</sup> Jully, Chaplain, Salary to 25 deplast	25. 0. 0
Pat Keenan for rent Dispensary do	3. 10. 0
In <sup>o</sup> Mangan for Bread do	92. 12. 3
Martin Kennedy Candles do	3. 12. 11
Mag <sup>t</sup> Curry Salary to 11 Oct	6. 8. 0
In <sup>o</sup> Fahey for Emigration	4. 0. 0

C<sup>r</sup> Treasurer the above

D <sup>r</sup> Unpaid Bills Pat <sup>l</sup> Jully Salary	25. 0. 0	
Pat Keenan rent.	3. 10. 0	
In <sup>o</sup> Mangan Bread	92. 12. 3	
M Kennedy Candles	3. 12. 11	
Mag <sup>t</sup> Curry Salary	6. 8. 0	
Establishment do.	8. 0	6. 8. 0
Emigration In <sup>o</sup> Fahey	4. 0. 0	

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



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

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

Letter from P<sup>L</sup> Commissioners, No 21,575. 7<sup>o</sup> Oct giving their sanction to the payment of £3. to pay for assistance to the Clerk in preparing Mate Books, but a similar payment must not be looked for by him in future. —

Letter from same No 22,142. 10 Oct giving their sanction to the payment of £4. to assist the Takey to Emigrate for which they will issue an order. —

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. 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.)

On the Election<sup>11</sup> of an Hospital Nurse the following Candidates were proposed & seconded

Margt Dermody

Mary Sharkey

on a poll being taken there appeared

for Margt Dermody 9

Mary Sharkey 8

Margt Dermody was, accordingly elected. —

Resolved that the Matron be instructed to take charge of the Hospital department until the Commissioners sanction to the appointment of a new Nurse be obtained. —

On the Election of a Porter

Martin Donohue was proposed ~~and~~ seconded and unanimously elected. —

Ordered that the clerk advertise for painting the altar, the altar railing and Confessional in the Chapel of this Workhouse. —

The Board accepted the Tender of Messrs Baunatye for supplying the following articles for six months,

Oatmeal at £13.5.0 per Ton  
Indian Meal at 8.5.0.



Galway UNION.

Population in 1851, *26,207*

Present Net Annual Value, ... £43,044.2

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 185*9*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	So that each 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 6 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse.	115	117												
Temporary Buildings.	100													
Additional Workhouse.	56	6												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds.														
<b>Total.</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>123</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			11	50	6	7	7	4	5	14	18	122	In Workhouse Hospital, 33	In separate Wards, with other inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week.				2								2	Total, 39	Total, 2
<b>TOTAL.</b>			11	52	6	7	7	4	5	14	18	124		
Discharged during the Week.														
Died.														
Total Discharged and Dead.					1									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	57	6	7	7	4	5	14	18	123		

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.	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 *Tues day* the *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*, 185*9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Richard Burke*  
 Other Guardians: *James Cahill, Dr. Mulville, Arthur Alexander*

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

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

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

The 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, - - - - - £115 . 18 . 8

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £452 . 7 . 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 Ledgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
J. H. Hardiman	Arduinethwa	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
	Ballycathlan	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	10	.	.	.	.		
	Beagh	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
	Bannahow	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	.		
	Cahernore	.	.	.	.	.	.	19	11	2 1/2	.	.	.	.		
	Leopard	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
	Horris	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	4	.	.	.	.		
	Coat	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	13	3	.	.	.	.		
	Killeenauty	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	11 1/2	.	.	.	.		
	Killinny	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.		
	Kittastah	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Kittomas	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
Kiwassa	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	17	3 1/4	.	.	.	.		
											57 10					
Michael Luffa	Ardrahan	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	6 1/2	.	.	.		
	Castle Luffa	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	11	11 1/2	.	.	.		
	Rahurahu	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	4	.	.	.		
	Keenanagh	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	4	.	.	.		
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Edward Stanton	Bunnawo	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	11	4 1/2	.	.	.		
	Killeenavanna	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	16	11	.	.	.		
	Killeesh	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	8	6	.	.	.		
											10 19 1/2					
Total											77			10 5		

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 £ 10 . 9 . 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.  
16 . 9 . 2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 14 . 4 . 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 14 . 4 . 11

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 2 . 0

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 . 11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 3 . 6

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

540 lbs Bread  
73 .. Meat  
500 qts Sweet Milk  
28 lbs Salt  
176 3/4 Tea  
56 lbs Sugar  
9 .. Rice

1 lb Pepper  
1/2 gal Whiskey  
36 Bot Potatoes  
21 lbs Dipt Candles

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

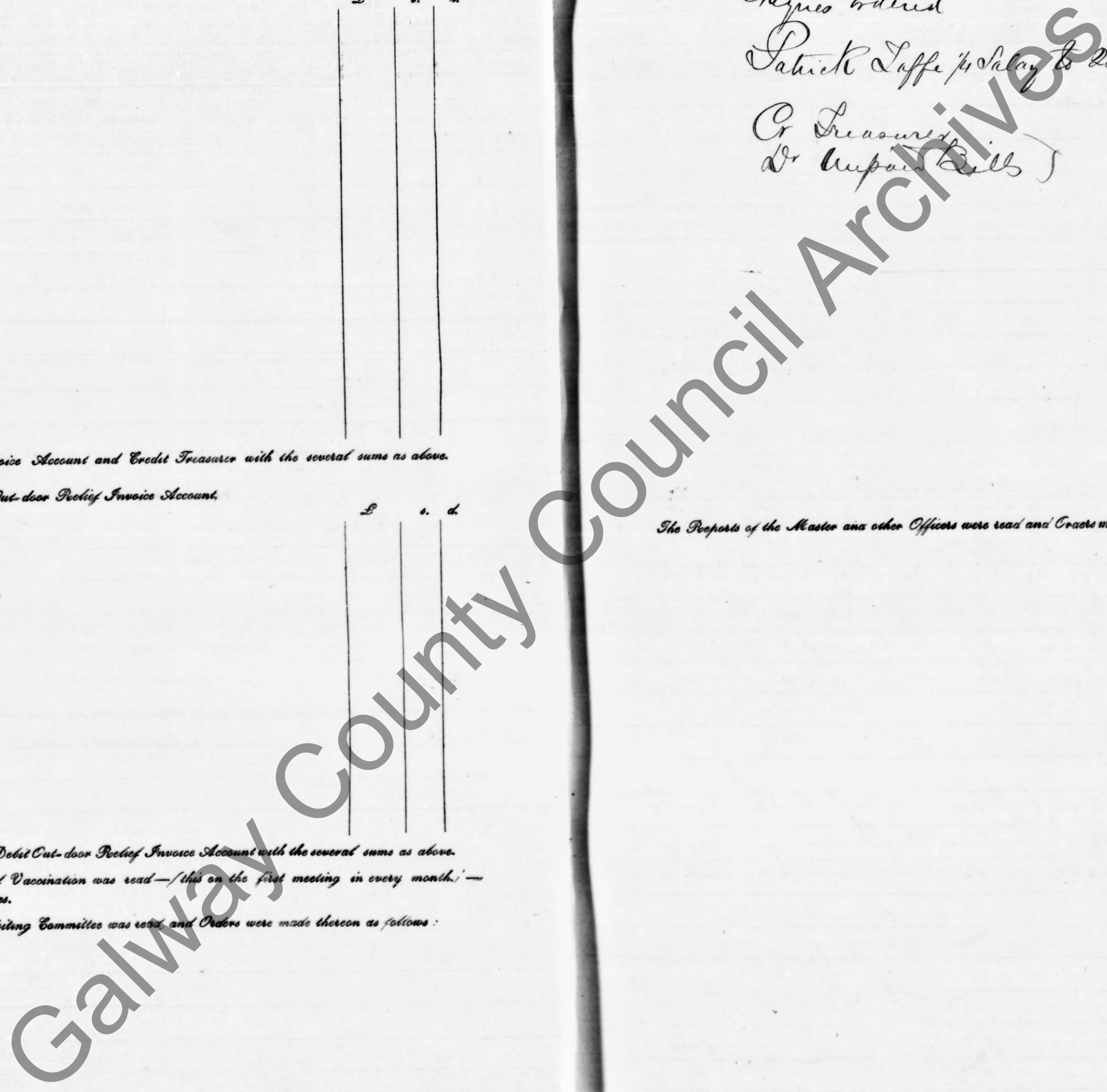
Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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:

Cheques ordered  
 Patrick Laffey 1/4 Salary to 25<sup>th</sup> Sept 1859. 5.0.0  
 Cr Treasurer  
 Dr Unpaid Bills

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





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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners  
of 17<sup>th</sup> Oct N<sup>o</sup> 23863. 1857. declining to give  
their sanction to the appointment of Prayson  
Demody to the office of Hospital Nurse

Gentlemen. I regret to have to report the death  
of the Rev Patrick Tully R.C.C. of the 1<sup>st</sup> of  
Brookham which occurred on the 13<sup>th</sup> Oct

Dear Gentlemen  
18<sup>th</sup> Oct 1857. Yours obedient servant  
James Slater

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . . .

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . .

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

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

Ordered. That the Barley on the workhouse grounds be advertised for sale —

Ordered. That on next Board day, the first business to be proceeded with shall be an examination by the Board in general (in the event of the Committee heretofore appointed not attending on that day) into all outstanding arrears of Poor Rates now appearing on our Collectors Books, for the purpose of striking off the Rate Books any that may not be legally recoverable, and also for the purpose of ordering proceedings to be taken for that portion that may be deemed recoverable, and that the Collectors be ordered to attend the Board on that day with their warrants, and a list of arrears

Resolved. That the Commissioners be requested to sanction the expenditure of Five pounds, payable to the Union at Lays, to assist in the emigration of Bridget Lambert to America. Her friends having subscribed a Sum of Two pounds —



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UNION.

Population in 1851, 26 287

Present Net Annual Value, ... £13044. 2. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>d</sup> day of October 1859

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	150	124												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100													
Permanent Fever Hospital	56	6												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	4													
Total, . . . . .	300	130												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			11	57	6	7	7	4	5	14	18	123	In Workhouse Hospital, 26	In separate Wards, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	4				1				2	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 2
TOTAL, . . . . .			12	53	6	7	7	5	5	14	20	131	Total, 112	Total, 2
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1											
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			11	53	6	7	7	5	5	14	20	130		

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. 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 Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Richard Burke*

Other Guardians: *Arthur Alexander*  
*W. Brodie* *Henry Blaquiere* *John Rockford*

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.

Blank lines for recording notices of marriage.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1012 to No. 1021 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 appears that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 2 . 7 . 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 30 . 3 . 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £424 . 11 . 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 Ledgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.								
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Thos Hardiman	Adanaculla	.	.	.															
	Rally, sub. adun	.	.	.							1	1	10						
	Bough	.	.	.															
	Binnahon	.	.	.								3	4						
	Cabernac	.	.	.							19	14	28						
	Cuthard	.	.	.															
	Down	.	.	.								6	4						
	East	.	.	.								13	13	3					
	Killineucanty	.	.	.									8	10	2				
	Killiney	.	.	.									3	2					
Kittator	.	.	.																
Kittthomas	.	.	.																
Kiwarra	.	.	.									21	17	3					
														57	10				
Michael Doyle	Adrahaw	.	15	.								1	10	6	2				
	Castles Doyle	.	19	9								2	12	1	2				
	Rubenside	.	3	10									4	6					
	Sheanagh	.	9	.									1	16	4				
															277				
Edward Lumb	Drumaw	.	.	.									57	4	6				
	Killeenawara	.	.	.									2	1	11				
	Killaly	.	.	.									2	8	6				
															10	19	9		
	Total															277	74	13	3

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

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

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 £ 15 . 3 . 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	15	3	1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	15	6	3/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	15	0	3/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	2	1	
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	3	1	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	3	4/2	

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:

520 lb. Bread  
 73 " Meal  
 1/2 Ton Salineal  
 520 qrs New Milk  
 28 lb. Suet  
 1/2 Gal Whiskey

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		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.						Et. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forw'd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

JAMES SLATOR for printing Rule Books 3 . .  
~~JAMES SLATOR Petit Bill 2 . .~~

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







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

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 Two Poor Law Commissioners  
21<sup>st</sup> Feb No 22862. 1859. giving their sanction  
to the appointment of Martin Donohoe to the  
office of Porter —

Letter from Same 24<sup>th</sup> Feb No 23471. 1859  
stating that an entry of their order of the 17<sup>th</sup>  
last appeared on the Minutes recommending  
the Guardians to provide to appoint a  
proper person to the office of Hospital Nurse  
but that no order appeared to have been made  
thereon.

It was intended to advertise for a duly qualified  
person. This order was omitted by the clerk on the  
Copy of Minutes. He has issued the usual advertisement

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UNION.

Population in 1851—26287

Present Net Annual Value, ... £43044.2

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of October 1859

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and infirm 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.			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.							
Workhouse, . . . . .	1160	130																			
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	10																				
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	56	2																			
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	2																				
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	2																				
Total, . . . . .	1200	132																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			11	55	6	7	7	5	5	14	20	130									
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	4								5									
TOTAL, . . . . .			12	59	6	7	7	5	5	14	20	135									
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	1								3									
Died, . . . . .																					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	1								3									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			11	58	5	7	7	5	5	14	20	132									

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. 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 Tuesday the

1 day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Remond Burke*

Other Guardians:

*James Cahiff* *James Cahiff* *James Cahiff*  
*John Madigan* *James Cahiff* *James Cahiff*  
*Sw. Brodquist* *James Cahiff* *James Cahiff*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County



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

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

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

The 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 appears that there had been received during the week,

- - - - - £ 8 . 17 . 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 127 . 10 . 3

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £385 . 18 . 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.							
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
M <sup>r</sup> Hardiman	Adammullin	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Bull, ex halms	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	10	.	.	.	.				
	Bough	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Burrough	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Cabernest	.	.	.	.	.	.	19	14	2½	.	.	.	.				
	Cuphead	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Harrow	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Leit	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	13	9	.	.	.	.				
	Killmashy	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Killiney	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Kittane	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Kittane	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
Kivara	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.					
														57	10			
Michael Tyler	Adrahams	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	10	6½	.	.	.	.				
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	Pekusau	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Shanau	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	16	4	.	.	.	.				
															63	6		
Edmond Staunton	Quanao	5	14	½	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Killmashy	2	6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
	Killaly	1	12	½	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
															87	7		
																229		
																65	16	3½

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 £22. 0s. 0d.

	£ s. d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	22. 0. 0
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	15. 15. 6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	15. 15. 6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	: 2. 1. 2
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	: 3. . 2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	: 3. 7

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:

550 lbs Bread  
 1/2 ton Indian Meal  
 72 lbs Meal  
 550 qts Sweet Milk  
 28 lbs Lard  
 180 lbs Tea  
 56 lbs Sugar  
 56 lbs Rice  
 1 lb Pepper

*per Lon Rymer*  
*per Lon Burlingame*

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.


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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

Cheques ordered

Barratry & Co for Rent	2. 18. 9
Mary Keller Matron Salary to 25 Sept	6. 7. 3
Arthur Byrnes for Milk of a	6. 0. 0
Thomas Hussey Collector Fees	40. 14. 11

C Treasurer  
W. J. Board Bills of the above

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



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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commrs<sup>rs</sup>  
24<sup>th</sup> Oct No 24079. 1859. requesting that the Guardians will call on the Collectors to lodge forthwith the balances remaining in hands

Letter from same 31<sup>st</sup> October No 23762. 1859  
Stating that they will issue their consent to Republishers of Liverpool to assist to compute Bristol Lunatic to Amended

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . . .

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . .

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

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

Ordered. That the Clerk advertise for Poor Rate Collectors. Remuneration not to exceed 5 per cent

Ordered. That the Commissioners be requested to inform the Guardians as to the Law on the following subject.

The Rev Timothy Shannon is rated for a House at last now occupied by the Sisters of Mercy as a Convent. The Rev Mr Shannon refuses to pay, and so do the occupiers. The Guardians require to know what party is liable and subject to the Rate and what course of proceeding will be taken for the recovery thereof. He is also rated for land adjoining the said Convent and also refuses to pay the rate on it.

The Board not having received application for the office of Hospital Nurse the Clerk was directed to repeat the advertisement and also to advertise for Collectors for the current Rates.



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

Read Letter from Miss J. Hayes dated 31<sup>st</sup> October stating that

informing the Board of her resignation of Patrick Luffe, Apothecary to the Ballindereen Dispensary District

Ordered. That the Committee of Management be requested to advertise for an Apothecary

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—26287

Present Net Annual Value, ... £13114.2

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

5<sup>th</sup> day of November 1859

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	133														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	2														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	50	2														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	1	5														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	1	5														
Total, . . . . .	1306	147														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			11	58	5	7	7	5	5	14	20	132	In Workhouse Hospital, } 13 In separate } In Fever Hospital } 5 In separate } In wards } with other } Inmates, } 2			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .				6	1							4	11			
TOTAL, . . . . .			11	64	6	7	7	5	5	14	24	143				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .				3								3				
Died, . . . . .				1								1	2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .				4								4	2			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			11	60	6	7	7	5	5	14	23	138				

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. 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.						
r. forward							TOTAL,						

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

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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

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

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

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

The Clerk produced Treasurer Receipt for £26. 9. 6. lodged by J. Hardiman produce of Rent of Land —

Cr Treasurer  
 Dr Unpaid Bills } Cr Establishment  
 Dr 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, - - - - £29. 5. 8

Paid during the week, - - - - £37. 13. 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £377. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Remaining uncollected 31 Dec 1859			Amount received								
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Thomas Hardiman	Edmund Sullivan Ballycatharine Renny Kilcumbria Ouhernan Cappard Kerns Girt Kilbuncarty Killicomy Kiltartney Kiltinmore Kilwarra	1	1	10	1	1	10									
					3	11		3	4							
					19	11	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	19	8	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			5	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
								6	4							
					13	13	3	7	16	3			5	7		
								8	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
								3	2					3	2	
					2	11	5	19	2	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	17	8	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1	13	9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
					2	16	2	34	13	3	4	14	7	19	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
		Michael Taylor	Abraham Castle Lough Ruhaville Kilharney				1	10	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			7	5	1	3	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
					2	12	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>					2	12	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
								4	6					4	6	
					1	16	4							1	16	4
								6	3	6		7	5	5	16	1
Edmund Stanton	Dunawoo Kilkeeran Killey						10	3			2		8	3		
					1	2	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>						1	2	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
								1	13	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		2		1	11	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
	Total				2	16	2	62	9	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	47	3	5	15	6	5

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. Leave 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 £14. 10 s. 3 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 17: 1: 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 2: 3

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - : 3: 2 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 3: 10 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:

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.						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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



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

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

*Gorb*

UNION.

Population in 1851—26287

Present Net Annual Value, ... £4304.2.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of Nov 1859

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.								RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.		Females.		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.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . .	1150	152													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	100														
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	56	5													
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	1306	157													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			11	60	6	7	7	5	5	14	23	138	In Workhouse Hospital, 42	In separate Wards, 2	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2	1	2							5	In Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, 2	
TOTAL, . . .			13	61	8	7	7	5	5	14	23	143	Total, 47	Total, 2	
Discharged during the Week, . . .			3	3								6			
Died, . . .															
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			3	3								6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			10	58	8	7	7	5	5	14	23	137			

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. 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 Tuesday the 15 day of Nov 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Richard Burke*

Other Guardians:

*D. Brodie P.L.*

*Honble Capt Gough Capt Taylor La'chiff La'Waly  
D. Mulville P. Burke Mick Boyle Owen Sweeney  
Inot Broderick*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1036 to No. 1041, 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, - - - - - £1. - - - - "

Paid during the week, - - - - - £2. 18. 9

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £374. 12. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Thomas Hardiman	Adamullivan													
	Ballycubalan													
	Bough													
	Bunmahon													
	Cahirmore													
	Cappard													
	Deeruss													
	Fort													
	Kilbeauty													
	Killing													
Kittarick														
Kittomas														
Kivara														
														719 2 3
Michael Layler	Abraham													
	Castle Taylor													
	Rahasane													
	Skibough													
														576 1
Edmund Staunton	Binnacoo													
	Killeenavane													
	Killeely													
														1 11 2
	Total													156 5

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 £ 25 . 6 s. 0 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 25 . 6 . 0 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	- - 16 : 17 : 7
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	16 : 17 : 7
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	- - - - : 2 : 2
Average cost in Infirmary,	- - - - : 3 : 1
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	- - - - : 3 : 3

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

580 lbs of Bread  
 72 lbs Meat  
 580 qts New Mill  
 49 lbs Salt  
 2 lbs Pepper  
 2 Gal Whiskey  
 20 Ton of Coal  
 21 Candles

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

2. Establishment Account.

Is J Fynn Premium on Insurance 5 2 5

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

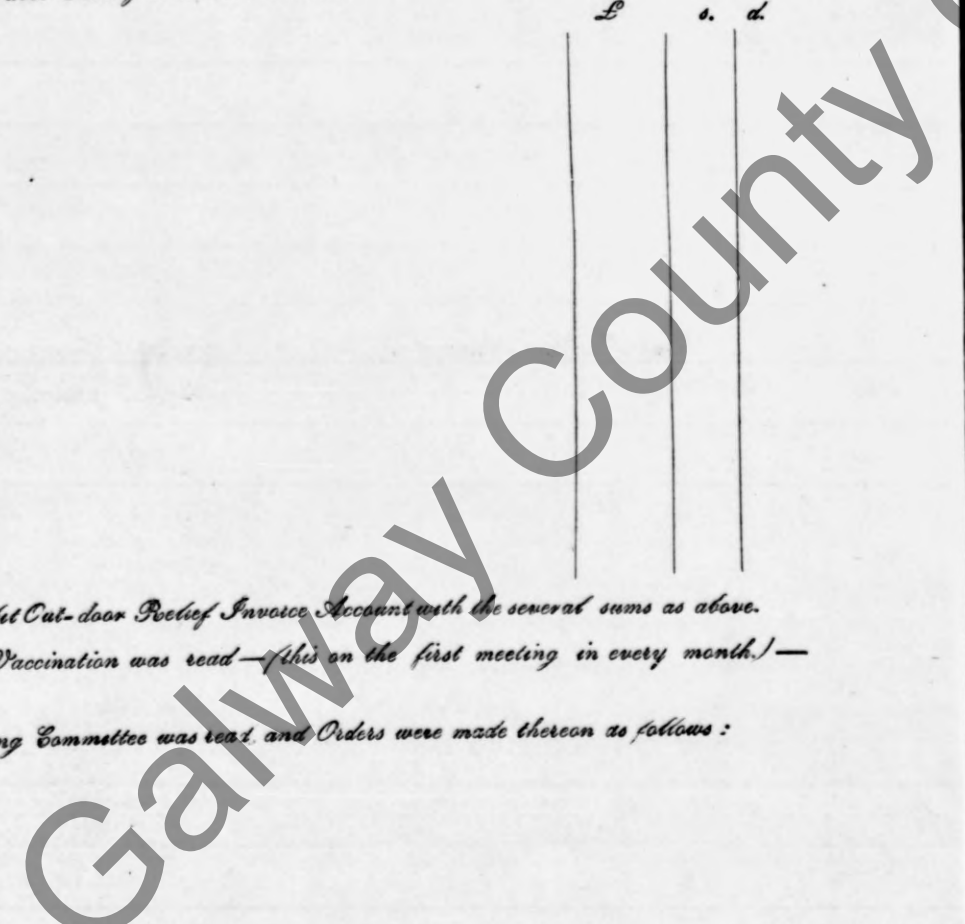
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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



Cheques ordered

Pat Sheehan for Soap to 15 Lins	12.16.0
Bannatyne for Meal 29 lbs	28.13.0
Houma Keane for Salt & Potatoes to do	30.0.1
Mary Molony Groceries to do	26.7.9
Ms Linnane Coals to do	2.3.5
do do to 5 Nov	15.5.6
Rev <sup>d</sup> Carroll for Emigration purposes	6.0.0
	<u>121.5.9</u>

To Treasurer

Drup Bill Sheehan Soap	12.16.0	
Bannatyne & Co Meal	28.13.0	
Houma Keane Salt & Potatoes	30.0.1	
Mary Molony Groceries	26.7.9	
Ms Linnane Coal	2.3.5	
do do	15.5.6	17.8.11
Emigration Rev <sup>d</sup> Carroll	6.0.0	121.5.9

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



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

Sealed order 4 Nov 1859 sanctioning the expenditure of six pounds for Emigration of Bridget Lambert chargeable to Union at large

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:—

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No 24538 7 Nov respecting the Recovery of Rates due on the Convent occupied by the Sisters of Mercy at Gort

The Board agreed to the following Statement and queries for the Consideration of the Poor Law Commissioners

No 19. Electoral division of Gort Townland of Ballyhugh is the property of James Lahiff Esq and is let to the Superiors of the Convent at a yearly rent of £80. a Rate was struck on 24 Oct 1858, upon the Rateable annual Valuation of £15. upon this House being half the rent. The House is inhabited as a Nunnery and School for young Ladies for whose Education a quarterly fee is paid — at the last Revision of the Valuation of the Recovery the occupier's Name was changed from Rev J Shannon P.P. who negotiated the Lease with Mr Lahiff (whose

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name appears as Immediate Lessee to <sup>the name of</sup> the Superiors of the Convent but Mr Shannon's name appeared as occupier in the Poor Rate struck 24 Oct 1858. —

The Information which the Board of Guardians request the Poor Law Commissioners to give them is, whether the Superiors of the Convent is liable as there is a beneficial interest in a school kept in the House, or whether Mr Lahiff as Lessee is liable the Valuation having been set down at only half the rent, if so whether it is for the whole Rate struck or only half of it —



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 - - - - - 4

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 4

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 1

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 1

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 appointed Mary Shartley to the office of Infirmary Nurse at a salary of £12 per Annum and Apartments & Kitchens.

The Board appointed Tho<sup>se</sup> Hardiman to the office of Rate Collector for No 1 District, at a remuneration of 6<sup>d</sup> per £ for all Rates collected and lodged with Treasurer.

The Board Reappointed Michl Taylor to the office of Rate Collector for No 2 District at a Remuneration of 6<sup>d</sup> per £ for all Rates collected and lodged with Treasurer.

The Motion produced to the Board 75 Shiffs made from New Material.

There being no Tender for Collection of Rates in No 3 District the Clerk was directed to advertize again.



Population in 1851—26287

Present Net Annual Value, ... £40044.2

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of Nov 1859

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, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1150	134												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	100													
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	56	8												
Fever Sheds, . . .														
<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>1306</b>	<b>142</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			10	58	8	7	7	5	5	14	23	137	In Workhouse Hospital, 17 In Fever Hospital, 8	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2	6			1				1	10		
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>			<b>12</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>Total, 55</b>	<b>Total, 2</b>
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1	2							1	4		
Died, . . .											1	1		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			1	2							2	5		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			11	62	8	7	8	5	5	14	22	142		

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. VI.							No. XIV.						
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 Tuesday the 22<sup>d</sup> day of Nov 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Richard Burke*

Other Guardians:

*James Cahiff Ja' Galbraith O'Mulvree  
A. B. Nolan Pat Burke 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. 1041 to No. 1057, 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, - - - - - £ 1 - - - - -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 76.2.9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £ 298.9.4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Thos Wardinan	Ardaraullivan													
	Ballycahalan													
	Bleagh													
	Buinnahore													
	Caherisone													
	Cappan													
	Dooris													
	Govt													
	Kilbecaunty													
	Killinny													
Mick Taylor	Killanton													
	Killthomas													
	Kinnana													
	Ardrahan													
	Castle Taylor													
	Rahasane													
	Shehanagh													
Edu. Stanton	Drumacoo													
	Killeely													
	Killeenavara													

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. 16 s. 11 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 11. 16. 11 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -	17: 2: 8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	17: 2: 8
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -	: 2: 2
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -	: 3: 1 1/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -	: 3: 3 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:

620 lbs of Bread  
 75 lbs of Meat  
 596 qrs New Milk  
 112 lbs Salt  
 250 qrs of Tea  
 56 lbs of Sugar

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.				
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No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
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Car. fwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.


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

2. Establishment Account.

Jam. Slater Postage acct to 19 Inst. 3 1


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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Thos Walsh for meat to 19 Nov	£	s.	d.
	6	6	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

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The following cheques, were ordered

John Lynch for Turf to 29 Sept last	5.15.10
do for straw 9 <sup>th</sup> Aupt	4.3.10
James Byrne for milk to 29 Sept	12.14.2
Walter Nelson do do	16.1.1
W <sup>m</sup> Byrne do do	15.14.4
Denis Tonde do do	8.11.6
James Broderick do do	11.9.11
Anna Byrne do do	1.14.6

For Treasurer  
D<sup>m</sup> Mupain Bills } the above

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



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

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: 1

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No 25,507  
21 Nov 1859, in reference to the Guardians queries, respecting the Rating on the Convent at Gort in which the Commissioners, state that the premises, being under the 63 Sec of the Act 182 Vic Cap 56 exempt from rating the lessor as the person receiving rent is liable in accordance with the provision of the 10 Sec<sup>s</sup> of the Act 12 & 13 Vic Cap 104. If it can be shown to the Revisor that there is a beneficial interest in a school kept in the House the proper entry will be made in the Valuation. — The Commissioners also refer to their Circular 29 Dec 1857 on this subject. —

Education Office

17 Nov 1859

Sir

We forward for the information of the Board of Guardians, the following extracts from the District Inspector, Report of the H. Dist. upon the Gort P.L. Union National School. —

"The course of instruction given is moderately extended."  
"and the proficiency of the Pupils is tolerably fair," —  
"The school is progressing"

We are  
y<sup>r</sup> ob<sup>t</sup> Servants,  
The Clerk of the Union  
Gort  
Maurice Cross  
James Kelly

Letter from Rt Rev<sup>d</sup> P Fallon R C Bishop of Kilmacduagh  
to the Clerk of the Union  
Seamont Liscannon  
21 Nov 1859

My dear Mr Slater

I appointed the Rev<sup>d</sup> C Carroll to the charge of Beagh Parish two days before Mr Tully's demise, (which date, 13<sup>th</sup> of last October) since then Mr Carroll discharged the duties of R C Chaplain in the Gort Workhouse, would you kindly notify to the proper authorities, that I recommend him as successor to the late Chaplain Rev<sup>d</sup> P Tully

Faithfully yours,  
James Slater Esq  
+ P Fallon

Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners, sanction be requested to ratify this appointment.



Gen Valuation office  
6 Ely Place Dublin  
17 Nov 1859

Sir

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 16<sup>th</sup> Inst. accompanied by a statement of the Board of Guardians of the Union of Hort, regarding an erroneous rating against Mr Murphy Michl in the Townland of Killeelybeg, and Electoral Division of Killeely, and in reference thereto I am directed by the Commissioner of Valuation to enclose herewith a corrected copy of the valuation of the Townland referred to, which may be used for rating purposes

Yr ob<sup>t</sup> Serv<sup>t</sup>

I Ball Green  
ordered that the Commissioner be written to, to know how the Guardians should act in this matter, the Rate Book, having been signed before the correction was made, the Guardians being aware that the man complaining has a just cause of complaint.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 6

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

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 granted

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.

Port Union  
22<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1859

Gent<sup>l</sup>

I beg leave to apply for compensation for my duties & expenses under the Parliamentary Votes Act for the present year. You are aware that I have to prepare lists for two Counties, and attend Revision Sessions in each, which consequently entails more duties and expenses on me than if the Union was only in one County

I am

Gent<sup>l</sup>

Yr ob<sup>t</sup> Serv<sup>t</sup>

The Board of Guardians,

James Stator

Clerk of Union

Resolved that the Clerk be allowed the usual sum of Twenty pounds and that the Com<sup>rs</sup> be requested to sanction the same.



UNION.

Population in 1851—

Present Net Annual Value,...£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18

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			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, . . .															
Temporary Buildings, . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
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Total Discharged and Dead,															
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PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

*No meeting Tuesday 29 Nov 1859*

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





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# **GORT POOR LAW UNION ARCHIVE COLLECTION**

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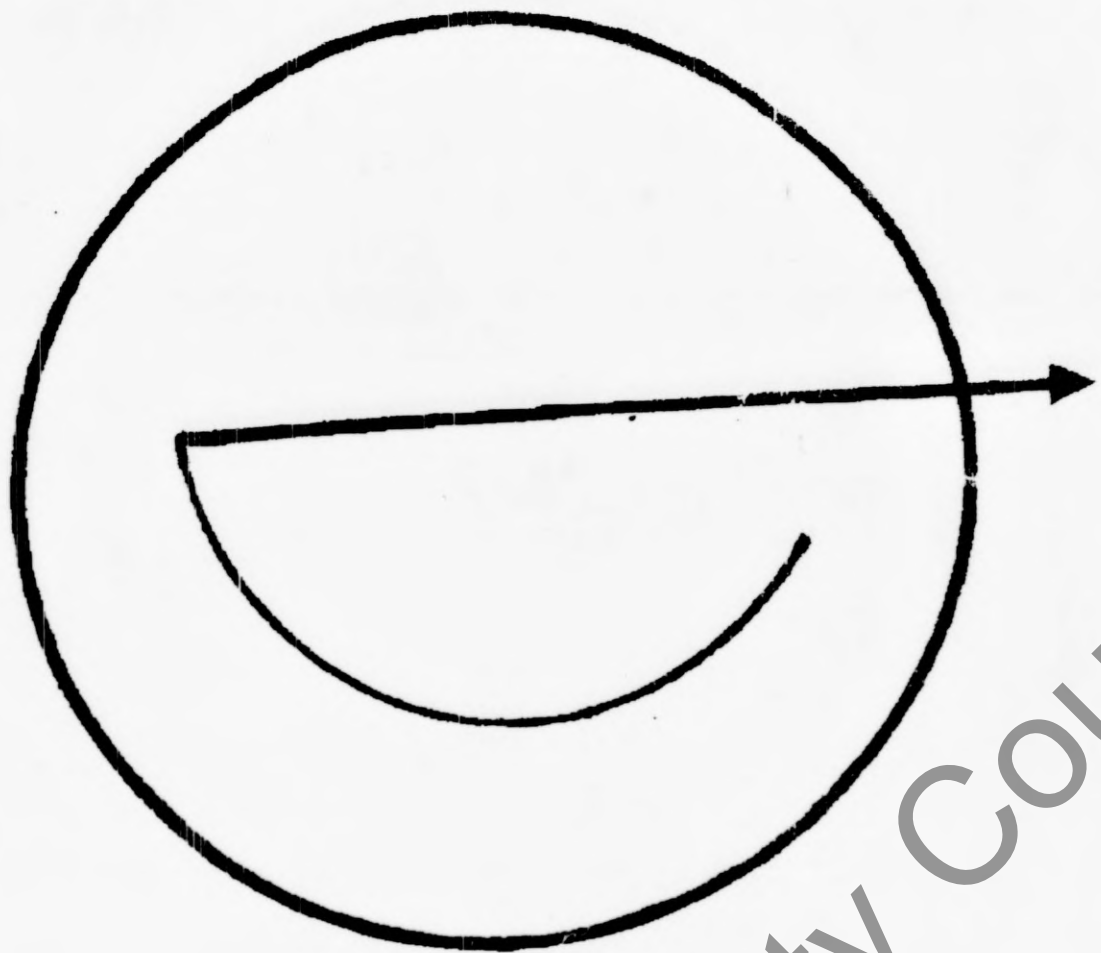
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