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# **Mountbellew Poor Law Union, Board of Guardian Minutes**

## **GPL4/4**

### **26 March 1852 – 29 October 1852**

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# MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

THE MINUTE BOOK, in which shall be entered all Letters received from or written to the Poor Law Commissioners, minutes of all moneys received and paid, all orders and cheques given, all accounts examined and allowed, all salaries ordered to be paid, as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings. The entries of money transactions shall be afterwards posted in the Ledger, and a note of reference made in the margin of the Page in the Minute Book, to the folio in the Ledger to which they are so carried.

*Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.*



DUBLIN: 14  
ALEXANDER THOM, PRINTER AND PUBLISHER, 87, ABBEY-STREET,  
OF WHOM MAY BE HAD  
THE BOOKS AND PAPERS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF ACTS.

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*Mant-Bellew* UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 22,769

Present Net Annual Value, £31,803, 5.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of *March* - 1852.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		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 Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .		994567													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			53	202	3	11	126	102	64	7	7	578			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	2	"	"	1	"	2	"	"	6			
TOTAL, . . . . .			54	204	3	11	127	102	66	7	7	581			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			6	5	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	12			
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			6	5	"	"	2	1	"	"	"	14			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			48	199	3	11	125	101	66	7	7	567			

*Corresponding week last year decrease 248*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of *March* - authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	"	"			"	"	Bt. forward	9	12			9	12
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	6	9			6	9	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	2	2			2	2	No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	9	12			9	12	TOTAL,	9	12			9	12

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the 26 day of *March* 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Clonbrock*

Other Guardians:

*Sir Miche D. Bellew Bart*  
*Denis A. Kelly*  
*Miche Carr*  
*Rich<sup>d</sup> Burke*  
*Ralph Smyth*  
*John Carr*  
*Wm Cruice*  
*Jos. Kelly*  
*Jab. Blake*

*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. 3235 to No. 3240, 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. 332 to No. 335, 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:

That he had complied with the order of the Board given him on the last day of Meeting.

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Michael Keane	Hillmorau	"	"	"				204	9	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
"	Taughboy	"	"	"				40	1	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			
											244	11	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Michael Kilgannon	Clonkeen	"	"	"				191	"	9			
"	Ballinacill	"	"	"				95	7	3			
											291	8	1
Andrew Joyce	Willian	"	"	"				98	15	7			
"	Castlerea	"	"	"				92	14	9			
											191	10	7
Thomas Johnston	Clontarf	2	12	"				58	14	3			
"	Annagh	8	1	6				290	4	8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
											348	18	1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
Michael Kilgannon	Cathra	"	"	"				90	2	3			
"	St. Kellow	"	"	"				214	4	10			
											304	7	1
Michl. O'Kelly	Castlerea	3	3	"				343	14	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			
"	St. Hazel	3	13	6				250	2	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>			
"	Derryglassan	14	18	9				393	15	8			
"	Co. Ros	3	12	8				221	5	11			
											1208	19	4
								257	1	8			
											2589	15	"

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 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

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

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	0	16	d.	6	2	
In kind,	-	-	-	-	1	1	1				
					Total	-	0	16	d.	6	2

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

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

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

- 1. Clothing Account.

and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Debit Clothing Account an

Debit E

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

L	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

L	s.	d.

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

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

*with the several sums as above. Meeting in every month.*

*The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been ascertained and authenticated by his signature.*

*The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced, and entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29 day appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief*

In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
<i>Handwritten</i>			-
Total,			-

*Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure*

*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:

5460/52  
22 March 52

Sealed order declaring Medical Officers for Dispensary Districts, namely:  
For Killyoran Dispensary Dist: Doctor A. Fauch  
" Ardara " " L. C. Kearns  
" M. Bellin " " J. F. Rutter

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:)

498/52  
23 March 52

Circular from Poor Law Commrs<sup>rs</sup> forwarding thirty Copies of the general order recently issued by them relating to the meetings and proceedings of the Board of Guardians, and the appointment and duties of Union Officers.

16161/52  
23 March 52

Letter from same forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians Copies of letters which the Commissioners have received from Mr. A. W. Smyth and Mr. R. J. A. Smyth complaining of the conduct of Mr. Kilgannon poor rate Collector in delaying to forward receipts to them for monies paid to him on account of Poor Rates - and also forwarding a copy of a letter which the Commissioners have received from Mr. Kilgannon in explanation of his conduct together with a copy of a letter which they have addressed to him in reply - And requesting of the Board of Guardians to state whether

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The sum of £11.11.0 paid to Mr. Kilgannon by Mr. Arthur W. Smyth was lodged to the Credit of the Union during the week ended 31<sup>st</sup> of January last -

Ordered that the Commissioners be informed that the sum in question, was lodged to the Credit of the Union during the week ended 31<sup>st</sup> January last

18,779/52  
24 March 52

Letter from Commissioners forwarding a Form which they request to be filled up with the necessary particulars relating to Rose Kelly whom the Guardians propose to assist to emigrate to America and requesting a Medical Certificate as to her fitness for emigration

19,089/52  
25 March 52

Letter from same forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians a copy of a letter which the Commissioners have received from Doctor Allen Fauch, relative to the date at which his Salary as Medical Officer of the Killyoran Dispensary District should commence, together with a copy of their reply -

17312/52  
25 March 52

Letter from the Commissioners declining to sanction the appointment of Mary Davers as Hospital Nurse, and requesting the Board to proceed to the appointment of another person -

19230/52  
25 March 52

Letter from same relating to the completion of the new work houses



The Clerk laid before the Board the Return of the Elected Guardians for the year ending 25<sup>th</sup> March 1853, as follows -

Thomas	O'Connor	for	Amagh Elec. Division
Ralph	Smith	"	Ballinakilb "
Joseph	Kelly	"	Cattra "
William	Crice	"	Castletakeney "
Robert	G. George	"	Castlefrench "
Charles	Filgate	"	Clonbrock "
Rich <sup>d</sup>	Brink	"	Clonkeen "
Chas. D.	O'Rourke	"	Coolod "
John	C. Evans	"	Deerystapawn "
John	Mahon	"	Killcorran "
John	Carr	"	Killman "
Mick <sup>d</sup>	Carr	"	Mount Bellew "
James	Blakely	"	Mount Hazel "
Rich <sup>d</sup> P.	Lloyd	"	Naughton "

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	-	-	-	1
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	2
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	14

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	5
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 *Rejected* 2

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

Resolved Unanimously That Lord Clonbrock, Sir Mich<sup>d</sup> & Bellew Bart, and Denis H Kelly Esq be elected Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Deputy Vice Chairmen, respectively, for the ensuing year

Resolved That the following members of the Board be appointed a Finance Committee for the year, and that they do meet at the Board Room on the first Friday in each month at the hour of 10 o'clock, viz

- Lord Clonbrock Chairman
- Denis H Kelly
- John F Browne
- John C Evans and
- Mick Carr

Resolved That the Elected members of the Board and the following ex officio guardians be appointed a Collectors account Committee for the year and that they do meet at the Board Room on the first Friday in each month at the hour of 10 o'clock, viz

- Sir Mich<sup>d</sup> & Bellew Bart
- Denis H Kelly
- John F Browne
- Andrew Browne and
- John Sherris-

Resolved That the following Rate payers be elected for a year to act with the Guardians on the Dispensary Committee -

For Hillbrook dispensary district

Ralph Walker	Boonacannon
Thomas Davis	Huntstown
Philip Dignan	Caloushee

For Clonbrock dispensary district

James Johnston	Fohemagh
John Colm	Kilglass
Richd Burke	Ballinamore
Lance Baker	Ashfield

For Mount Bellew dispensary dist

Richd Moran	Mt Bellew bridge
Richd O'Kelly	Mommsick
John Ware	Windfield
Edmond Concession	Waterloo

It having been reported to the Board that a quantity of Linen is manufactured in various parts of the Union. The Guardians wish to be informed by the Commissioners if they would sanction the purchase of a supply from the Manufacturers as the Board are of opinion that the Article would be more durable than shop-linens; and the purchase of it would serve as an encouragement to native Industry

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 1852.

(Signed) *B. Kelly*  
Clerk of the Union.

The Commissioners having refused to sanction the appointment of Mrs. Dwyer as Hospital Nurse -

Resolved That Jane Gunglwin be appointed to that Office at a salary of £10 a year and full rations. Minutes Mr Baker and Martin Henny approved of.

The Clerk read a letter from Geo Burke stating that as the Intire of his Tenders to supply the Work House with Furniture &c was not accepted he could not furnish the Articles contracted for from him on the last day of meeting

Resolved, That the Tenders of Geo. Baker to supply the following Articles be accepted.

Deal Tables per specification	13/- each
Schoolmaster & schoolmistress Desks	47/6 "
Prep for Clerks Office	45/- "
Oak Chairs	4/3 "
Drying Horses	7/6 "

The Clerk laid before the Board - Appeals lodged by Mr. Jas. Throngate against the Rating of certain denominations in the Castlefreuch Electoral Division -

Ordered That they be handed to the Union solicitor

*Wm. Throngate* Chairman

*Wm. Throngate*  
*William Lewis* Guardians

*B. Kelly*  
Clerk of Union

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*Mountbellew* UNION.

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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, Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
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Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .	48	199	3	11	125	101	66	7	7	567					
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .	"	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3					
TOTAL, . . . . .	48	202	3	11	125	101	66	7	7	570					
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .	"	4	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	5					
Died, . . . . .	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .	"	4	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	5					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .	48	198	3	11	124	101	66	7	7	565					

*Corresponding week last year decrease 261*

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No. I.	2	2			2	2	Bt. forward	5	5			5	5
No. II.	3	3			3	3	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
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No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	5	5			5	5	TOTAL,	5	5			5	5

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the 2 day of *April* 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Geo. Floubrick*

Other Guardians:

- |                                      |                                   |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <i>Sir Mich<sup>d</sup> D. Bellu</i> | <i>John Carr</i>                  |
| <i>Denis R. Kelly</i>                | <i>Edw. Browne</i>                |
| <i>Chas. Filgate</i>                 | <i>John Lewis</i>                 |
| <i>Mich<sup>d</sup> Carr</i>         | <i>John Floubrick</i>             |
| <i>Thomas O'Connor</i>               | <i>Rich<sup>d</sup> Burke and</i> |
| <i>William Finck</i>                 | <i>James Blake</i>                |
| <i>John F. Browne</i>                |                                   |

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

Galway County

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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, - - - - - £95 2 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £32 7 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £1413.17.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Nick Keane	Killmoreau	13	2	2				191	7	1/4			
	Langford	15	"	"				25	1	5/2			
					28	2	2				210	9	1/4
Nick Kilgannon	Chonkeen	1	5	"				194	15	9			
	Ballinacill	6	4	"				89	3	3			
					7	9	"				283	19	"
Andw Joyce	Killiga	"	"	"				98	15	7			
	Castlefrench	"	"	"				92	14	9			
					"	"	"				191	10	1/4
Thos Johnston	Clabrook	"	"	"				58	14	3			
	Amagh	"	"	"				29	4	3/4			
					"	"	"				348	18	1/4
Nick Kilgannon	Caltha	5	4	6				81	17	9			
	Chonnbellan	5	4	10				159	18	"			
					5	9	11				244	15	9
Nick O'Kelly	Castleblakeney	"	"	"				343	14	10 1/2			
	Mount Kargyle	"	"	"				250	2	10 1/2			
	Derryglushen	"	"	"				393	14	11			
	Cu Loo	"	"	"				221	5	11			
					"	"	"				1208	18	7
					9	5	24				249	4	11 9

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 £ s. d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-	0	11	0
In kind,	-	-	-	1	1	1
Total,	-	-	-	0	12	1

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.

B. Priddy Clerk of Union to purchase Linen 9 " "

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

2. Establishment Account.

Thomas French Advertising to 25 March	7	4	"
Martha Lohan Salary to do	8	15	"
Andrew Grogan " do	8	15	"
John Carr " do	8	15	"
B. Priddy Clerk Postage to do	4	7	2
do expenses at Inam and Ballinasloe Quarter Sessions			
defending Appeals at do	1	5	"
do expenses conveying Furniture from	2	9	6
In Fitz Patrick Red of B <sup>d</sup> Room 25 <sup>th</sup> March	3	15	"
do Turf for B <sup>d</sup> Room, 25 <sup>th</sup> March	1	10	"
M <sup>s</sup> Brown Esq. Policy on W.H. Insurance	9	11	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Ballinasloe Poor Law Union on account for maintenance of Mount Bellin paupers —	500	"	"

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

Medical Charities  
4. ~~Workhouse~~ Account.

Killmoreau, Doctor French salary to 25 March 52	£	7	13	5
Clontarf, Doctor Krome do	£	7	13	5
M <sup>r</sup> . Bellin, Doctor Butler do	£	7	13	5
Killmoreau, D. H. Kelly Eye, Stong Sec. sundries per requisition — " — "	£	1	19	"
Clontarf, Thomas & Camor Eye Secretary for fitting up Clontarf Dispensary Honor —	£	10	1	8

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

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

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

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

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

17.574/52  
31 March 52

Scaled orders sanctioning the expenditure of £7 out of the Rates of the Killinow Electoral Division for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the emigration to America of Mary Maunton and her five children destitute poor persons residing in the said Electoral Division

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:

514 M/52  
27 March 52  
M.C.

Circular from Poor Law Commrs relating to the annual appointment of Dispensary Committees &c

353 M/52  
27 March 52

Circular from same requiring a return respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union

352 M/52  
27 March 52

Circular from same requiring a return of the annuities reserved &c prior to and during the period from 28<sup>th</sup> February to 27 March 1852.

20.049/52  
29 March 52

Letter from same acknowledging the receipt of the return of elected Guardians for year ending 25 March '53

17.594/52  
30 March 52

Letter from same stating that there appears to be no objection to the emigration of the Maunton family with regard to Mary Costelloe, however, and her four children

Children the Commissioners entertain great doubts of the propriety of assisting a family to emigrate thereby separating them from the Parent when health has failed, and they are not prepared, therefore, to consent to the Guardians charging upon the Rates the expenditure necessary for the emigration of Mary Costelloe and her children.

20.482/52  
1 April 1852

Letter from same forwarding queries which answered by James Cunningham

20.532/52  
1 April 1852

Letter from same stating that they will issue their consent to the necessary expenditure from the Rates to enable Rose Kelly to emigrate to Boston, and inquiring what arrangements have been made for taking charge of this young person during the passage to America.

20.482/52  
1 April 1852

The Board desire to say that Mr Kelly who is assisting Rose Kelly to emigrate, has assured them that he will see that she is in charge of a proper person during the passage

Letter from Commissioners stating that they see no objection to the Guardians purchasing Linnen from the Manufacturers of that article if they consider it cheaper than other linen either in respect to its actual cost or its superior quality. The Guardians should however enter into a contract with

some



some party for the supply of the article in accordance with the 17 article of the General Regulations.

18,779/52  
19th 52

Letter from Commissioners expressing their sanction of the salary proposed to be allowed to the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, namely £60 per annum and forwarding queries to be answered by the Gentlemen whom the Guardians have appointed to that office. As regards the salaries proposed for the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress for the Workhouse the Commissioners apprehend that the Guardians will be unable to obtain the services of competent persons for the salaries offered; and they suggest for the Guardians consideration the expediency of increasing the salary for the schoolmaster to £20, and the salary for the schoolmistress to £18 per annum.

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	-	-	4
Ditto disallowed	-	-	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	3
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	-	-	1

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.)

26 March 52

The clerk read letter from J Brown Esq Agent to the sun Fire Insurance Company forwarding the Policy of the Workhouse Insurance and claiming £9,11,3 - the first payment.

Resolved That a cheque be drawn in favor of Mr Brown for the above amount.

19th 52

Letter from Mr Joyce Collector, stating that owing to his being unwell he could not attend the Collectors account Committee this day -

On the application of collectors Kilgannon and Joyce -

Resolved That they be authorized to serve a 15 days notice on the following Immediate Leases for Rates due by them as such - Viz: Colonel Grouard Esq, Rates due in Rappinakille James Thongate Esq do Castlefrance

Resolved That Patrick Fanning be appointed schoolmaster to the Workhouse at a salary of £16, a year and rations of Bread and Milk only: - salary to begin from the commencement of his duties.

Resolved That the advertisement for schoolmistress be continued for another fortnight - when the appointment will be made -

Proposed by John F. Browne Esq  
seconded by Mick Carr Esq

Resolved That the salary of the  
Roman Catholic Chaplain be fixed at  
£60 per annum -

On the report of the Collectors account  
Committee,

Resolved. That the Solicitor be directed  
to apply to the Receiver over the following  
Properties for the Rates due, and if  
necessary make application to the Master  
in Chancery for an order on them,

Corgery Property	amt due
Mr Blackmills do	£45.12.7
Mr Durkes do	9.7.10
Mr Lyons do	35.16.7
	8.12.10

Ordered That Mr Kelly, collector, be  
directed to have £600 lodged before the  
next Finance day: and Mr Kilgannon £200.

Resolved That a sum of £9 be placed  
in the stocks hands - to purchase linen  
for the workhouse - and that the  
following members of the Board be  
requested to buy the linen from the  
Manufacturers of that article - viz  
Edward Browne  
William Finice  
Mick Carr and Mick Burke Esqs

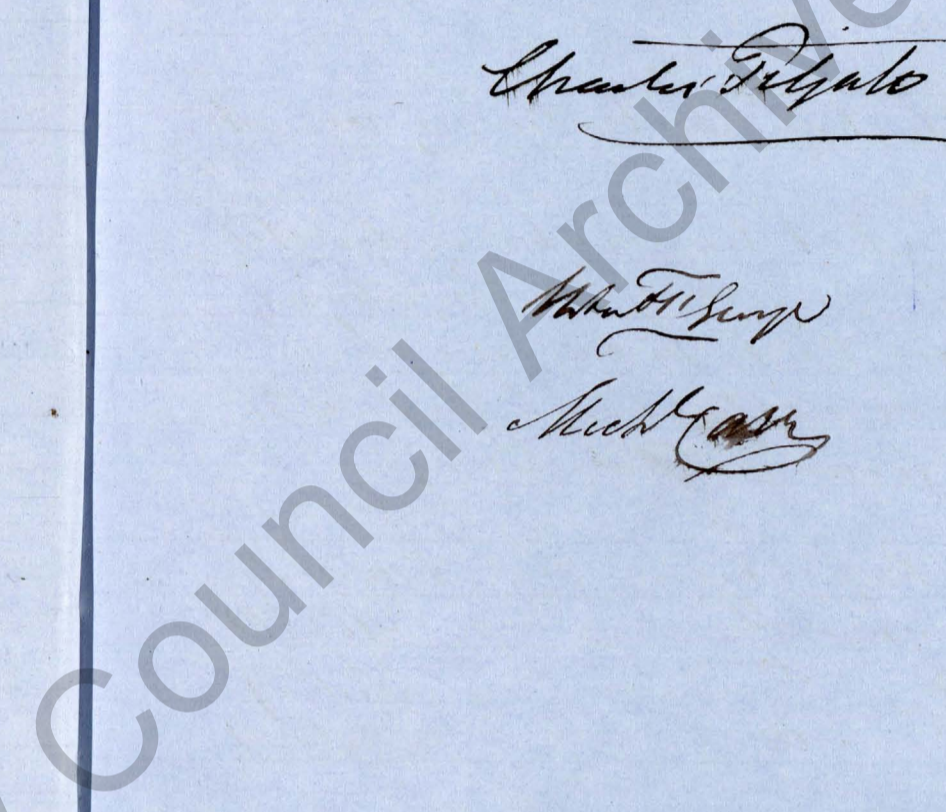
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1852

(Signed) R. Kelly  
Clerk of the Union.

In consequence of next Friday being  
Good Friday. Resolved That the next  
meeting of the Guardians be held on  
Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> April 1852.

Charles Fitzgibbon Chairman

Wm. H. Long } Guardians  
Mick Carr }



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Mountbellion UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 22,769

Present Net Annual Value, £ 31,803. 5/.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of April 1852.

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 9 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, . . .														
Temporary Buildings, . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .		794502												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			48	178	3	11	124	101	66	7	7	565	In Workhouse Hospital, . . .	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, . . .
Admitted during the Week, . . .			5				3	1	1	1	1	12		
TOTAL, . . .			48	183	3	11	127	102	67	8	8	577	Total, . . .	Total, . . .
Discharged during the Week, . . .			3	0			2	2				13		
Died, . . .							1	1				2		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			3	0			3	2	1			15		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			45	177	3	11	124	100	66	8	8	562	821	259

*Corresponding week last year decrease.*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of April 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.	1	1			1	1	Bt. forward	4	4			4	4
No. II.	1	1			2	2	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	4	4			4	4	TOTAL,	4	4			4	4

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 10 day of April 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Filgate Esq

Other Guardians: Robert St. George, John Carr, Richard Burke, Michael Carr

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. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3244 to No. 3255, 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. 339 to No. 343, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Mick. Keene	Killeroxon	164	8	6				96	19	1/4			
"	Daughboy	"	"	"				25	1	5/2			
					164	8	6				52	"	7/4
Mick Kilgannon	Cloon Kern	25	12	6				169	3	3			
"	Kallinatill	3	10	7				85	12	8			
					29	3	1				254	15	11
Andrew Joyce	Killinaw	2	6	6 1/2				96	9	2			
"	Castliffrench	15	2	1 1/2				77	2	7/2			
					17	18	8				173	11	8
Thos. Johnston	Coatuck	25	17	6				32	16	9			
"	Annagh	71	18	3				218	6	5/4			
					97	15	9				251	3	2 3/4
Mick Kilgannon	Castro	5	1	6				79	11	3			
"	Mountbellaw	5	4	"				154	4	"			
					10	4	6				234	1	3
Mick O'Reilly	Castleblakeny	27	4	3				316	10	7 1/2			
"	Mount Hazel	"	"	"				250	2	10 1/2			
"	Derryglassane	15	10	"				378	4	11			
"	Coole	8	"	1				213	5	7 1/2			
					50	14	4				1158	4	3
					370	14	10				2123	16	11

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 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

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

In money,	-	-	-	£	0	6	d.	6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	£	0	6	d.	6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		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.	John Farr	2	0	0		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.		2	0	0		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.

Emigration 2. Establishment Account.

D R Kelly Esq, Emigration purpose, Killycrava Du 3 " "

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

L	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

L	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

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

24,552/52  
2 April 52

Sealed orders sanctioning the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £3 out of the Rates of the Killieroran Electoral Division for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the Emigration to America of Rose Kelly a destitute poor person reliable in the said Division

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:)

319 M/52  
2 April 52

Circular from Commissioners requiring a return of the number of Townlands in each Electoral Division of the Union which in consequence of the separate charge for Annuity will require a different Burdenage in the Rate first to be made containing provision for the payment of the annuity

516 M/52  
30 March 52

Circular from same relating to the appointment of Wardens.

511 M/52  
3 April 52

Circular from same requiring a statement of the Expenses, Receipts, and Liabilities of the Union for the Quarter ended 27 March 1852.

22,407/52  
8 April 52

Letter from same forwarding Purvis to be answered by Patrick Conroy who has been appointed to the office of Schoolmaster to the Work House

20,860/52  
2 April 1852

Letter from Commissioners forwarding a copy of a letter which they received from a poor man named Michael Burns and requesting the observations of the Board of Guardians as to the refusal of relief in this case and inquiring under what circumstances funds were supplied to him for emigration which he appears to have applied to other purposes. It is not stated whether the funds were provided out of the Poor Rates or not

22,407/52  
8 April 52

Letter from same stating that the Resolution of the Guardians passed on 2<sup>nd</sup> inst ant. relating to the salary of the Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse will receive the Commissioners attention

same

Letter from same stating, with reference to the Resolution of the Guardians proposing that certain members of the Board should purchase linen for use in the Workhouse from the manufacturers, that this mode of purchasing supplies for the Workhouse was objectionable and the Commissioners recommend the Board of Guardians to consider the propriety of adhering to the course suggested in their letter of the 1<sup>st</sup> inst ant of entering into a contract for the supply required



In reference to the Commissioners letter of 2 April, No. 20.680/52

The Board desire to say that being informed by two of the Kate Meyers in the Division to which Burns was chargeable that he had a Wife they ordered him to be discharged from the Workhouse - on his application to be readmitted the Board rejected him for a week so as to enable the Relieving Officers to make further inquiry as to the alleged fact of his having a Wife - On his reapplication on 2 April he was ordered to the Workhouse, the Board being informed that the Wife stated to be his was sold on 17 March last since his readmission on a hint of his to the Relieving Officers that the Wife in question was Burns' property and was on her husbands land at a place called Feggan - she subsequently denied this statement.

The Board desire to add that Burns

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	4
Ditto disallowed	-	-	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - 6

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - 4

Rejected 4

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered *no app* 2

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.)

voluntarily left the House on 3 Nov. 51 and was readmitted on the 7 December following - Burns never was supplied with funds for migration purposes from the Rates of this Union

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NDP Alw Chairman  
James Blake  
William Higgins  
Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 16<sup>th</sup>  
day of April 1852

(Signed) *B. Kelly*  
Clerk of the Union.

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### Mount Bellin UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 22,769.

Present Net Annual Value, £31,803-5/-

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1852

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in such 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 5 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, . . . . .																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .		994547														
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return, . . . . .			45	197	3	11	124	100	66	8	8	562	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	1								3				
TOTAL, . . . . .			47	198	3	11	124	100	66	8	8	565				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	8				4	1	1	1	17				
Died, . . . . .												1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	8			1	4	1	1	1	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			45	190	3	11	123	96	65	7	7	547				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 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.	1	1			1	1	Bt. forward	4	5			4	5
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	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	4	5			4	5	TOTAL,	4	5			4	5

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10 day of April 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, Sir M. D. Bellin Bart

Other Guardians:

James Blake  
 Michl Carr  
 Thomas O'moo  
 William Cruice and  
 Ralph Smyth Esqrs

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.

Empty table with 2 columns for names and amounts.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3256 to No. 3258, 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. 343 to No. 346, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Table with 6 main columns: Name of each Collector, Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts, Collected and Lodged, Total, Remaining, Total. Each of these columns has sub-columns for £, s., and d.

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.