

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

Resolved That the proposal of Father Mayers to build same for the sum of Three pounds Ten Shillings the Board finding Materials & attendance to accept.

Dennis Glavin
28 Aug 1851 - Glavin

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on ~~Wednesday~~^{the}
29 day of January 1851

(Signed) *J. S. Tighe*
Clerk of the Union

257

Population in 1841,

Duan

UNION.

258

Present Net Annual Value, £ 67732

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of January 1851.

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 adults, &c., 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		Infants under 2 years of age		Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
				Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age		Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse,	1250	1533													
Temporary Buildings,	100	100													
Additional Workhouse,	1829	657													
Permanent Fever Hospital	70	21													
Fever Sheds,	200	40													
TOTAL,	3449	3276													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			238	673	42	41	359	484	332	161	46	2191	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total,	
Admitted during the Week,			14	53	2	3	23	10	8	7	4	104			
TOTAL,			252	748	44	44	282	494	240	168	57	2332			
Discharged during the Week,			6	12	"	"	4	5	2	2	2	33			
Died,			2	1	"	"	3	2	2	3	"	13			
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	13	"	"	7	7	4	5	2	46			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			244	736	44	44	275	487	236	163	48	2276			267

Fever Cases 24
Small Pox 2
Opuntia 40
Chronic Cases 201

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of January 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	
	No. 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. of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	"	"	"	"	"	"	Bt. forward						
No. II.	1	4	"	"	1	4	No. X.						
No. III.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XI.						
No. IV.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XII.						
No. V.	2	2	"	"	2	2	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	1	2	"	"	1	2	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	4	8	"	"	4	8	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 29 day of January 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Denis Kiernan Other Guardians:

Rich'd Savage, T. J. Burke, C. Blake, C. T. Kelly,

Rich'd Kelly, T. O'Brien, Darnallan, Henry Kiernan,

Thomas Browne, M. G. Lynch,

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. 4874 to No. 4882, 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. 1053 to No. 1058, 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 Orders given him 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, £ 225. 12. 1/-

Paid during the week, £ 934. 3. 1/-

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 315. 16. 8. 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 Peats collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged	Remaining
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Pat Ryan	Naas	" " "	537 13 1
Tho. Martin	Clane Naas	" " "	177 19 1/2
Edu? Browne	Grennan	" " "	715 12 1/2
"	Buradown	" " "	122 17 5
Edu? Poncamus	All Warren	" " "	100 3 3/4
"	Siscaus	" " "	223 0 9/4
"	Hilltown	" " "	239 1 1/2
"	Aber	" " "	194 5 7
Jas Higgins	Cummons	" " "	174 16 3/4
"	Blonan	" " "	473 1 1/2
Thos Joyce	Doumpatagh	" " "	1081 0 0/4
"	Headford	" " "	190 10 4/4
Spindall	Naas	" " "	112 1 3/4
		" " "	302 18 7
		" " "	11 1 1
		" " "	108 1 8
		" " "	269 2 0
		" " "	49 40 18 7
		" " "	19 40 15 2
		" " "	1 9 2 6 2 11 0 0 1/2
	Total,	" " "	1 9 2 6 2 11 0 0 1/2

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at 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 reported that he required a supply of Steel pens, Pins, & 1 Box Mould Candles Order'd.

A Question having arisen as to the chargeability of one of the Workhouse Inmates, named Pat Heskin, admitted provisionally on the 17th Inst he was brought before the Board, when it was proved he was from Turoughmore in the Galway Union.

Resolved That Pat Heskin be sent to Galway, and that the Master give him two days Rations. The Clerk was directed to write to the Clerk of the Galway Union, notifying the fact of Sessions being sent there.

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Week Ended 25 January 1851

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's District.	Amount Collected.			Remaining Uncollected.			
		£	s	d	£	s	d	
Pat. Ryan,	{ Tuam, Levally, Killeen, Carrowrevagh,	4	0	0	766	19	2	
		"	0	0	117	11	34	
		"	0	0	136	18	63	
		"	0	0	127	4	3	
John Martyn,	Kilbannon,	<hr/>			1157	5	57	
		35	17	9	138	18	9	
		35	17	9	138	18	9	
		<hr/>			180	12	"	
Edmond Concanon,	{ Addergoole, Foxhall, Kilshanvey, Milltown, Hills Brook, Abbey East, Abbey West, Moyne,	"	0	0	184	3	7	
		"	0	0	150	7	4	
		"	0	0	157	"	4	
		"	0	0	274	17	4	
James Higgins,	{ Dunmore, Cloonberne, Doonbally,	"	0	0	178	12	11	
		"	0	0	238	8	9	
		"	0	0	246	5	14	
		4	0	0	1605	7	5	
Michael Roche,	{ Annadown, Ballinderry, Beaghmore, Bellclare, Clare Tuam, Cummer, Downpatrick, Headford, Killererein Killower, Kilcoona, Killursa Ballinduff, Killeany, Ballinapark, Kilmoylan,	"	0	0	225	8	8	
		"	0	0	106	16	1	
		"	0	0	192	7	1	
		4	0	0	524	11	103	
P. Dowdall,	{ Rye Hill, Monivea,	"	0	0	265	3	4	
		"	0	0	33	13	9	
		11	14	2	105	6	1	
		"	0	0	312	8	1	
Total Union ... £		168	1	6	2543	7	93	
Total Union ... £		13	14	9	89	4	8	
Total Union ... £		7	8	6	86	2	11	
Total Union ... £		21	3	3	175	7	21	
Total Union ... £		225	2	1	6138	18		

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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 £ 105. 16 s. 4d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 101. " . 34

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an inmate for the week was 94

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:

3. 14¹/₂ of Tea

112¹/₂ of Soap.

3453¹/₂ lbs of sweet milk

114¹/₂ of Meat

300 Boxes of Turf

30 lb of Candy

6 Bottles of Wine

30 lb of Sausages

30 lb of Bacon

1 cart of salt

8 lbs of Pepper

1794¹/₂ quarts Butter Milk ✓

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.

2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of Jany^r; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money - - - - - £ 10

In kind - - - - - "

Total £ 0. 5. 10

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 No.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT No.	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.
Bt. forward					No. X.				
No. XI.					No. XII.				
No. XIII.					No. XIV.				
No. V.					No. XV.				
No. VI.					No. XVI.				
No. VII.					No. XVII.				
No. VIII.					Total,				
No. IX.									
Car. frwd.									

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.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

£ s. d.

£ s. d.

£ s. d.

£ s. d.

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:

That the Master furnish this Board with a Return of the lace made in the Workhouse & auxiliary

That the door leading from the Kitchen to the Bakery be closed & an entrance to the latter made from the Dining Hall

That a shed be erected outside of the wall now being built at the Bakery out of the materials forming the partition at the rear —

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

The Medical Officer reported that there had been 13 thirteen deaths during the week also, that the stores requested by him on the 18th Ultimo for the Boys School might be supplied, as the great cold & damp was productive of Dysentery & Chilblains the former of which was becoming very prevalent & of a severe character —

= the Order

On the report of the Master 550 yards of Calico were ordered for covering the roof of the sick barracks at the Liebig Barrack ✓

The other requirements on the Master's report were ordered —

Galway County Archives

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

Letter to Clerk

3387
24 January

Referring the Guardians to article 13^{no 8} of the Workhouse regulations directing that where Buttermilk is used instead of Sweet milk for the first three Classes of Workhouse Inmates that One Pint of Buttermilk be given in Lais -

Ordered that

One half a pint of New Milk be used instead of Buttermilk -

Letter to Clerk

3387
24 January

Stating that Mr. J. B. Green a Appointed Vaccinator to the Town District should be required to enter into a Bond in the sum of

Letter to Clerk

3387
24 January

With reference to the recommendation of Mr. Chas. Banks Q.L.J. respecting the force Camp Requesting that the Water W.M. at the Workhouse might be put in order

(No Order)

Letter to Clerk Stating that the Commissioners had received a report from their Inspector Mr. Burke 38/44 24 January 1851 in which he informed them that some of the School Girls in the Workhouse are withdrawn from School in order to be instructed in Embroidery. Requesting that arrangements might be made whereby the School Girls may be left some hours daily at School and directing the alteration of the Board to the 23 of the Workhouse rules which directs that the Boys & Girls who are Inmates of the Workhouse shall for three of the Working Hours each day be instructed in Reading Writing &c -

Ordered

That the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that the girls are at School each day from 10 to 10 O'Clock -

Letter to Clerk
3873
24 January

Relative to the Lease of Turkey barracks made by Charles Blake Esq sent to the Commissioners returning the Lease & Counterpart for the purpose of being amended in the alteration -

Referred to Mr. Kelly - ✓

Letter to Clerk
3873
24 January

Stating that the word all, had been added in a certain passage of the Commissioners Letter 24 January and requesting that the Board be of good enough to consider it redundant -

Letter to Clerk
4556
27 January

Requesting that the Farnland valuation return might be forwarded without further delay -

Thomas Brewton Esq R.W. attended the Board on behalf of the Lord Bishop of Tuam offering to let the farm at the rear of the Workhouse containing in arable 25 County Fair Statute acres Arable at the rate of Thirty four pounds Annually for 3.5 or 7 years

Resolved That Mr Brewton be requested to Inform the Lord Bishop that the Board are willing to accept of his offer on Condition that a Lease for 21 years be given the Guardians Covenanted to Will and Improve same

The Board having Considered the Claim made by Thomas Corkison for Compensation for damage done to his garden by the recipients of Out door Relief employed at Stonebreaking in the year 1848 -

Resolved that a sum of Fifteen Shillings be paid to him, he agreeing that the same are to remain on his land until sold

The Guardians having Considered Pending for the erection of Windows in the Boys School

Resolved that the proposal of Patrick O'grady to meet same at the rate of £111.9 be accepted -

The Clerk was directed to invite Lender for a supply of Spades, Shovels, & Stone Hammer to be considered on the 6 February next

Notices of Motion
I hereby give notice that I shall on this day fortnight the 12th Feby move that the chargeability of John Donelan be altered from the Carronvagh Electoral Division to that of Poombally and that the chargeability of Mary Burke be altered from Levally to the Union at Large. Those divisions being legally liable to maintain them.

Signed C. J. O'Stelly

Proposed By Jno. O.C. Sommerville

Seconded " Rich Savage Esq

Resolved That the attention of the Poor Law Commissioners be called to their letter of the 17th Decr. last number 18619 relative to the appointment of the Rev Pat Conroy and to the fact that that Rev^c gentleman has been performing the very onerous duties of Chaplain since the 29th Sept last, thoⁿ No Sealed Order confirming his appointment has yet issued

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 33

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 106

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 4
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 Proprietary Out Door Relief

was carried to Workhouse

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.)

Signed
John Smith Chairman
July 4th 1851

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday, the
5 day of July 1851

(Signed) J. J. Figgis
Clerk of the Union.

273

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Tuam

UNION.

Population in 1841,

19326

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57732

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

1 day of February

1851.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building 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 3 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
									Total	Number in Hospital on the above date	
Workhouse,	1134	1084									
Temporary Buildings,	300	390									
Additional Workhouse,	1300	730									
Permanent Fever Hospital	50	33									
Fever Sheds,	100	102									
TOTAL,	3854	2344									
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,											
Admitted during the Week,	24	38	4	3	16	9	4	1	3	102	
TOTAL,	268	773	48	47	291	496	240	164	51	2375	The sick paupers are as follows -
Discharged during the Week, Died,	7	10	1	1	3	5	2	"	"	29	New Cases 30
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	Small Pox 3
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	12	1	1	4	8	3	1	"	37	Copulating 47
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	261	761	47	46	287	488	237	163	51	2344	Chronic Cases 213 293

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1 day of February, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	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						
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	1	1	"	"	1	1	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 5 day of February 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Bodkin, Other Guardians:

Charles Blake, Richard Savage, Henry Kavanagh, Richard Kelly, Thomas Finney, John O'Halloran, John F. Greene, P. J. Burke, Denis Kavanagh, ✓

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. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1804 to No. 1934, 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, £ 147¹¹.⁵

Paid during the week, £ 36.¹⁰.⁸

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 93¹⁷.¹⁰.

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged		Remaining
		£	s. d.	
Pat. Ryan	Duan	6	7	53 ¹ 57 ²
John Martyn	Clare Duan	1	0	9 17 ¹ 18 ²
Edu ^d Browne	Cummer	7	8	3 10 ⁸ 4 ⁴
"	Annadown	"	"	122 17 ⁵
Edu ^d Concannon	Hillunmore	"	"	100 3 ³
"	Lisguary	"	"	233 0 ³
"	Hillunmore	"	"	239 1 ¹
"	Ahley	"	"	194 57 ²
"	"	"	"	174 18 ³
"	"	"	"	473 1 ¹
"	"	"	"	1081 0 ⁰
"	"	"	"	190 12 ⁴
"	"	"	"	112 6 ³
Pat. Higgins	Dunmore	"	"	303 18 ¹
"	Clonlone	"	"	"
N. Joyce	Dunpatrick	"	"	161 11 ¹
"	Headford	"	"	108 1 ¹
F. Donnell	Hanover	"	"	367 2 ¹
	Total,	7	8	3 2 125 8 75 ²

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at 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.

Statement of Peates Collected & Lodged in the Several
Electoral Divisions of the New Union for the week ended 1st July 1821

Collector's Name	Electoral Division	Lodged £ s. d.	Uncollected £ s. d.
Pat. Ryan	Duan	107 10 2	707 " 10
"	Serally	19 17 1	105 5 614
"	Killeen	15 3 2	135 19 12 ¹
"	Gurownagh	9 7 11	125 18 6
John Martyn	Hillunmore	151 17 11	1074 3 10 ³
Edu ^d Concannon	Addersgate	63 12 "	75 6 9
"	Foskall	21 4 6	159 7 6
"	Kilstranney	" " "	184 3 7
"	Miltown	34 15 "	115 12 1
"	Hills Brook	23 6 24	133 14 13 ⁴
"	Ahley East	6 4 " 12	268 13 3 ¹
"	Ahley West	37 9 42	141 3 1 ¹
"	Mague	" " "	233 8 9
"	"	16 3 ¹ 4	244 7 2 ⁴
		123 15 5	1480 10 1
Pat. Higgins	Dunmore	34 " 8	191 8 "
"	Clonlone	34 16 5 ¹ 4	71 19 7 ⁴
"	Coondally	32 15 7 ¹ 4	159 11 5 ⁴
Nicke Roche	Annaghdown	101 12 9	422 19 11 ⁴
"	Ballyderry	5 17 5 ¹ 2	259 5 11
"	Seaphmore	13 9 7	33 13 9
"	Belleclare	" " "	105 6 8
"	Clare Duan	25 19 4	286 10 8
"	Cummer	12 19 3	212 0 9 ¹
"	Dunpatrick	" 11 6	16 8 "
"	Headford	10 2 6	215 11 0
"	St. Lebaris	7 9 7 ¹	185 10 7 ²
"	Hillunmore	" " "	191 11 0
"	Kilcaora	24 14 9	95 18 1 ¹
"	Pallinsar	" " "	104 4 3
"	Ballinduff	75 0 4	263 4 " "
"	Milleary	4 15 0	71 5 1
"	Ballinapark	3 15 "	155 6 3
"	Melmay lan	" " "	121 2 5 ¹
"	"	3 4 2	54 2 4
Conorall	Ripville	189 8 6	2371 5 10 ³
"	Hanover	9 16 7	89 4 8
"	"	" " "	81 2 6
		9 16 7	175 7 2
	Total Unions	£ 140 3 2	5599 12 10 ³ ✓

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 £ 107. 13 s. 11 $\frac{1}{4}$ d.

L s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

108. 11. 11 $\frac{1}{4}$

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

10

Average Cost in Infirmary,

14

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

47 $\frac{1}{4}$

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

15 cwt of Flour	12 $\frac{3}{4}$ " of Meat
4 tons of Indian Meal	300 Pounds of Lard
3 Tons of Rice Meal	30 ll of Candles
15 cwt of Oat Meal	3 ll of Shoulder
6 Bottles of Wine	6 cwt of Salt
8 ll of Pepper	1670 quarts Butter Milk
3 ll 1/4 oz of Tea	3681 quarts Sweet Milk
13 ll of Soap	

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.

2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

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

L s. d.

In money, - - - - - 3. //

In kind, - - - - -

Total, 11. - - 3. //

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 No.	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT No.	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.
I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

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

Establishment acct
Particulars.

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

	Clothing Account.	£ s. d.
John Palfreyt £ 5 0	N. Baker Calico to 31 st Dec =	11 5 11
W. Sally Gaddy £ 53. 15. 0	A. Egan Laundry -	1 5 11
Paul & Vincent £ 26. 4. 0	C. Ryan Ryan Strand =	8 4 11
Sam. Hatchell Team 5. 0. 15		

6. House Hardware. 13. 4. 4 Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

1. Anke Building 50. 0. 05	Mr. McDowell Leather	15 1 11
2. Dalton Linn £ 14. 2. 10	Elijah O'Brien Salary on ac/c -	5 " 6
3. Copley Laundry £ 5. 0. 0	Thomas Sparrow do do	5 " 1
4. Ryan Coffins £ 10. 0. 0	A. Egan Building 31. 0. 0 " Real Groceries Real" on ac/c	50 " "
5. Concannon Foundry £ 50. 0. 0	J. Morris Salary to 31 st Dec	15 11
6. J. Haggins do 10. 0. 0	J. Taffys do " "	20 " "
7. Pat Ryan do 30. 0. 0	Nicholas Durkin Cosplay bank	5 10 8
8. Clerks Officer 6. 0. 0	R. Fox Salary as £. 0. on ac/c	5 " "
9. Quartermaster Corp 20. 0. 0	P. O'Brien do do	5 " "
10. Pat Ryan for Rates 16. 16. 8	J. Curran do do	5 " "
11. Edw. Murphy Dist 1. 5. 0	Thomas Martin do	3 0 0
12. Stephen Clerk 1. 5. 0	P. Kelly Salary on ac/c -	5 " "
13. J. Taffys for payment of Small Blarney 22. 0. 3	Bartholomew Caravan on ac/c	5 " "
	Pat Kelly Provisions do	5 " "

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

Pat Kelly Indian Meal	234 1 3
Martin Goreavan Surf	11 1 8
Rush & Palmer meal on ac/c	18 16 8
Pat Kelly Milk on ac/c	40 0 0
Pat Neamey do do	60 " 4
John Larmer Surf on full	30 3 0
John Ryan Surf on ac/c	11 5 0
Edw. & Palmer Provisions	40 0 0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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



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

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

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

The Medical Officer Reported that there had been eight deaths during the week also that there should be beds put into the sheds at the Harbour Auxiliary Workhouse as the inmates were very much crowded in the Stein Dormitories there = ✓

The Master reported that after the heavy rain on the night previous he perceived several leakages in the roof of the Workhouse suggested that it might be examined by a competent person. ✓

The requirements on the Master report were ordered — ✓

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

*Copy of Sealed Order,
No. 3932 / 1851*

appointing the Rev^d. St. George
Caman Catholic Chaplain of the
Workhouse at the rate of £70. 0. 0.
per annum subject to any regulation
which may be hereafter made in this
behalf =

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 to Clerk
3932
1st January*

Accompanying the Sealed Order
appointing the Rev^d. St. George Caman
Catholic Chaplain =

*Letter to the
Premier Chamber
45509
30th January*

Relating to the Clerks Report on Minutes of
the 22nd Inst, stating that poor rate bills
have been passed to rate payers signed by
one of the deputies of a Rate Collector who
has a Cess Collector & in Reference thereto
informing the said Clerks that the
County Cess Collector is authorized by law
to appoint a deputy for the Collector
of Poor Rate but that the duties imposed
on him by the Commissioners regulations
should be discharged in person & that the
personal attendance for the examination
of Collectors of rate is indispensable =

*Letter to Clerk
49th
27 January*

Relating to the approaching election of
Guardians for the year commencing
25th March next =

*Letter to Clerk Relating to the dates to be performed by the
27 January = Returning Officer and fixing the days for the
General proceedings of the Election, also enclosing
a Copy of the Commissioners Circular No. 71. 505
1st Oct. 1849.* ✓

*Letter to Clerk Directing that Notice should be given from time
to time of all rates made after the receipt of
the Commissioners Order 23rd Dec 1851 for the
 levy of a General rate in aid until the sum
declared leviable is paid.* ✓

*Letter to Clerk Forwarding Forms for the preparation of the Return
of Slabulities showing the amount of Rate in aid
paid & Lodged from the 24 Dec to 1st July. 1851.*

*Letter to Clerk Requesting that the quarterly Return of the
Slabulites might not be delayed longer
than Monday the 5th of February.* ✓

*The Clerk
Stated that the Return in question had been
sent on the 30th of January =* ✓

*Letter to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with the particulars
of all rates made in the Union and any new
rates agreed upon since the date of Change-*

*Letter to Clerk Relating to the Posting of the Union Ledger
30th January The Clerk stated the
Ledger was now posted up =* ✓

*Letter to Clerk Relating to the preparation of the Half yearly
Abstract. Form H. 5th Fe^r =* ✓

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Letter to Clerk Stating that the Commissioners had
3932 received a communication from the Rev.
28 January Patrick Conroy in reply to a letter addressed to him by them on the 17th last. Notifying his willingness to accept the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse and requesting that his appointment might date from 29th last the Commissioners request the Guardian would be so good as to inform them of the date from which Mr Conroy has performed the duties of Chaplain.

Resolved that the Clerk inform the Poor Law Commissioners that the Rev. Mr Conroy has performed the duties from the 29th September last.

Letter to Clerk With Reference to the report of the Medical Officers on the Minutes of the 29th Ultimo requesting that Stoves might be supplied to the Boys School & trusting that the Board would lose no time in supplying Stoves. The Clerk was directed to write to Merchants in Dublin & Galway about Stoves. To obtain the replies to the guardians next Board Day.

Letter to Clerk Requesting that the Board of Guardians be good enough to reconsider the Commissioners Letter of the 24th Ultimo relative to the Water Works at the Workhouse.

Please be advised that the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that at no period has there a more effective supply of Water than since the Pump was converted into a Draw Well & that the expense & inconvenience arising from the frequent repairs has made the Change most advantageous.

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Letter to Clerk Stating that the guardians ought not to have discharged a pauper named Pat Mission on the ground as set forth in their Resolution of the 29th Ultimo - and that of he became destitute in the same Union he was entitled to relief in that Union = ✓

Letter to Clerk Relative to the Transferring of Paupers from one Union to another on the grounds that they do not belong to the Union in which relief has been applied for and stating that the Commissioners are advised by the Attorney General that an Indictment would lie against a Board of Guardians for causing paupers to be so removed from their Union to another = ✓

Read a Communication from Mr. Weston relative to the proposal of the Guardians for taking 25 acres arable at the use of the Workhouse.

Resolved that the following Gentlemen be a Committee to meet Mr. Turner the Bishop's agent to concert the -

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.)

the arrangement for the taking of land
for the Agricultural Farm viz -

Denis Moran
John F. Browne
Chas. Blake
Richard Tilly
Richard Savage Esq^r ✓

The report of the Finance Committee was read. On their recommendation the Clerk was directed to Order a Hackett of Hops from Messrs. Figgis & Oldham at the rate of 90 shillings per cwt $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent off for prompt payment. It was resolved that the meetings of the Finance Committee be held Monthly instead of Fortnightly in future.

The Committee stated that those Contractors who had not perfected their Bonds were not paid their accounts furnished.

Tenders for Supplying the Workhouse with Spades, Shovels, Stone Hammer's, were received. The Consideration of same has defined the Master was directed to purchase 1 Dozen of Spades & 10^{doz} of Shovels.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 1851

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Mrs. Moran having signified her intention of Supplying sugar for which she had been declared the Contractor on the 9th ultimo the tenders which had been received for supplying that article were not considered =

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 12th day of February 1851 =

W. Brown — Chairman

J. Figgis — Clerk of the Union
February the 12th 1851 =

Rich & Savage } Other Guardians
R. Tilly } Present —

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Population in 1841,

69326

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 87732

8th day of February 1851.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in Building on the above date	Able-bodied	Aged and Imbecile persons, 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	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Total	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, . . .	1134 300 1779 59 102	1245 360 346 32 49															
TOTAL, . . .	3363	2430															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			261	311	47	46	287	481	237	163	51	3341	In Work-house Hospital, { 318 In Fever Hospital, { 82 Sheds, { 47 Total, 284	3341	Inseparate Wards, { 115 In Wards with other Inmates, { 1		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			19	57	3	1	16	33	16	7	5	157					
TOTAL,			280	618	58	47	303	521	253	170	56	2498					
Discharged during the Week, Died, . . .			17	17	1	0	4	10	6	3	1	59					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			3	2	"	"	"	"	2	2	"	9					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			20	19	1	"	4	10	8	5	1	68					

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 12 day of February 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Bodkin
Other Guardians:Richd. Savage, Richd. Kelly, P. J. Burke,
T. J. Tunney, D. Tully, J. Bottrell, J. Petty, Jas. M. Kavanagh,
Major Burke, Henry Kavanagh, M. Kelly, M. G. Lynch, C. Stale
L. Hooke, F. Wade & Son. 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.

R. Bodkin Esq/ Dr

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 495 to No. 41 Oct 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:

That he had Composed with the ^{order} given last day of Meeting - ✓

Including a sum of £547/-
Interest =

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, £ 160. 14. 10

Baid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account in Favor of the Guardians was £ 416. 6. 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	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Pat Ryan	Grange	"	"	501	5	9	1
John Matyn	Glaslawn	"	"	176	10	9	1
Edu ^r Brown	Gummer	"	"	108	4	8	1
"	Annadown	"	"	122	17	5	1
		"	"	100	3	6	1
		"	"	923	0	8	1
Wm Concannon	Allanow	"	"	339	1	6	1
"	Leycester	"	"	104	5	7	1
"	Allerton	"	"	194	18	2	1
"	Ashby	"	"	473	1	6	1
		"	"	1081	6	11	1
Jas Kelly	Dunmore	"	"	190	12	4	1
"	Gloster	"	"	112	6	2	1
		"	"	602	18	9	1
Wm Lodge	Roupsdale	"	"	131	1	1	1
"	Redford	"	"	108	1	5	1
		"	"	289	2	11	1
H Dondale	Morin	"	"	40	18	7	1
		"	"	40	15	7	1
				2105	8	21	1
	Total,						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at 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 Collectors, only attend once a fortnight for the examination of their Accts, and as this was not their week to attend the allocation of the sum of £154. 17. 4 could not be made by the Clerk.

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