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

Hauly John. Order To change the cheques granted on
16 August to 5 Cheques on 24 Aug 1848.

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Return of Paupers who were Admitted into or Discharged from the Workhouse, and of the number of Sick, and the number Born, or who Died therein during the Week ended Saturday 1st day of January 1848.

| | Admitted | | | | | | | Discharged | | | | | Died | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|--|---------------------|--|----------------------|--|--------------------|--|-------|---|
| | Males 15 and up | Females 15 and up | Boys 15 and up | Girls 15 and up | Children under 2 | Males under 2 | Females under 2 | Males 15 and up | Females 15 and up | Boys 15 and up | Girls 15 and up | Children under 2 | Males 15 and up | Females 15 and up | Boys 15 and up | Girls 15 and up | Children under 2 | Total | |
| During the week ended as above | 24 | 15 | 7 | 6 | 1 | - | - | 53 | 18 | 12 | 9 | 11 | - | 50 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 8 |
| Remaining on the previous Saturday as per last Return | 171 | 260 | 239 | 183 | 18 | - | - | 871 | Return of Sick & Lunatic Paupers | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 195 | 275 | 246 | 189 | 19 | - | - | 924 | No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date | | No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date | | No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date | | No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date | | No. of Paupers in Hospital on the above date | | |
| Reduced Discharge and Discharge to the Workhouse | 21 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 2 | - | - | 58 | In Workhouses 78 | | In Workhouses 78 | | In Workhouses 78 | | In Workhouses 78 | | In Workhouses 78 | | |
| Remaining on the above date | 174 | 262 | 236 | 177 | 17 | - | - | 866 | In Workhouses 37 | | In Workhouses 37 | | In Workhouses 37 | | In Workhouses 37 | | In Workhouses 37 | | |

Number of inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 800.
Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Monday the 10th day of January 1848

UNION.

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the day of 184

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided. | Is that the case in each building on the above date. | Total No. in each building on the above date. | Aged and Infirm. | | Able-bodied. | | Boys. | Girls. | Children under 2 years. | Born. | | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. | | OBSERVATIONS. |
|--|--|---|------------------|------|--------------|------|-------|--------|-------------------------|--------|------|------------------------------|--|---------------|
| | | | Males. | Fem. | Males. | Fem. | | | | Males. | Fem. | Total. | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date. | |
| Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

| Number of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | 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. | Number of cases relieved. | Total relieved out of the Workhouse. | | RELIEF DISBURSED. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her. | Number of cases relieved. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her. | Number of cases relieved. | Total relieved out of the Workhouse. | |
|---|---|---------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------------|---|---|---------------------------|---|---|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| | | | | | Cases. | Persons. | | | | | | | | Cases. | Persons. |
| No. I. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 3rd day of January 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Richard Burke Brown Esq*
 Elected Other Guardians:
Richard Kelly Schulzeffin *Chas Blake (Clerk)*
Chas Blake Esq *Wm O'Keefe* *Wm O'Keefe*
Pat J. Burke *Chas Blake Esq* *Chas Blake Esq*
John Petre *William Cannon*
 24 Office Guardians
Chas Kelly
James Tieran
Robert Bodkin
Edward Blake Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4977 to No. 4989, 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:

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.

| | | | |
|---|---|----|---|
| Patrick Burke Carrying Water to the Workhouse | 4 | 6 | 0 |
| Richard Kelly Printing | 4 | 16 | 0 |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|----------------------|----|----|---|
| Michael Gilmore Meat | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Timothy Murray Bread | 25 | 13 | 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 Clerk's Report of Vaccination~~
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

That there was a great improvement visible in the House - that Spinning Wheels be put also to Cradles - that the Master complain of the Surf Contractors being irregular in supplying Surfs - and suggesting that Prize Looms be procured there being several Men in the House who might be employed -

Ordered that 1 Dozen of Cradles be advertised for -

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

The Master reported that the partition between the Kitchen and Pump should be put up and requiring additional Tables and 24 Formales 100 yards of Linnen - Ordered -

The Medical Officer reported 8 Deaths during the Week - that sickness increased during the past week of a feverish turn and requesting the Board to procure a new Burial ground - that the Surveying Officer is in the habit of sending in single Members of families affected with Fever and he wrote to the Comm^{rs} to know if he was right, and suggesting -

Galway County Council
That the House be kept in repair as far as possible
The Treasurer be allowed for the several sums as above
Ordered

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

The Clerk having reported that James Ryan Contract for Tarp will expire on the 12th inst. Ordered that Advertisements be issued for Tarp to be considered on the 10th inst. to commence from the 13th for 3 months.

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:—)

1st Circular from Poor Law Board dated 27th December No 410 transmitting a copy of an amended form of Minutes.

2^d Circular from same 29th December relative to the admission of Paupers.

3^d Letter from same No 43196. (Jan^y 1848) relative to the defective state of the Relief Books and recommending the Board to have an immediate revision of the Books and calling their attention to their Letter of the 17th Nov^r immediately last.
No Order.

Read a letter from Mr James Henderson Solicitor applying for the sum of £128-0-5 on the part of Mrs Wm Brown and stating that if it was not paid within ten days he should take proceedings. No Order.

Read a letter from the War Office relative to the case of Robert Lyons a Soldier in the 95th Regiment of Foot. No Order.

Ordered that Advertisements be issued for 300 Bed Sicks and Bolsters to be considered next day of Meeting.

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 12 |
| Ditto, disallowed | 0 |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 86 |

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -

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

Ordered that the Cheques given Mr Gunning of Galway for the sum of £588-7-2 be rescinded and that he deposit seven cheques for the sum of £500 and one for £38-7-2 and that he be requested to give the Board his letter of promise not to proceed against them on any of the Cheques singly, and if he does proceed to do so on the entire of them -

Ordered - that the following Gentlemen be appointed a Committee to make arrangements for the taking of a Burial Ground viz Mr Robt Bodkin, Edw Blake, Cornelius St. John and Doctor Turner.

Mr Robert Bodkin submitted his Memorandum to the Board, which has been unanimously adopted and that he be requested to present it to His Excellency. Also Mr Denis Sturman -

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Ordered - that Mr Mathews House situated on the Mall, be insured in the Sun Fire Office for the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds -

Mr Pat^r Kelly Receiving Officer offers as his Surety in place of Matthew McConagh Esq^r & Mr Edward Kelly of Strawberry Hill - Accepted.

The necessary Cheques and Orders having been duly signed and Countersigned the Board adjourned

signed John P Hopkins Clerk of the Union

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UNION.

Population in 1841, Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of January 1848

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided. | No. that can be accommodated in each building. | Total No. in each building on the above date. | Aged and Infirm. | | Able-bodied. | | Boys. | Girls. | Children under 2 years. | Born. | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. | | OBSERVATIONS. |
|---|--|---|------------------|------|--------------|------|-------|--------|-------------------------|-------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| | | | Males. | Fem. | Males. | Fem. | | | | | Total. | Number in Hospital on the above date. | |
| Workhouse, | 500 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 100 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, | 900 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 26 | 27 | 145 | 255 | 236 | 177 | 17 | " | " | 866 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | " | 32 | 33 | 15 | 15 | 3 | " | " | 98 | |
| TOTAL, | | | 26 | 27 | 180 | 268 | 251 | 192 | 20 | " | " | 964 | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | " | 4 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 1 | " | " | 25 | |
| Died, | | | " | " | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | " | " | 10 | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | " | 6 | 12 | 9 | 5 | 2 | " | " | 35 | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 25 | 27 | 174 | 256 | 242 | 187 | 18 | " | " | 929 | |

*Fever and Dysentery
Invalent diseases*

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 10th day of January 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Bourke Esq
 Elected Other Guardians: R. J. Kealy, Tho. O'Flaherty, John Pettit, P. W. Mangau
 Chas. Blake Senr, P. J. Burke, Mal. Mc Donagh, J. Tully, Edm. S. Kelly
 Wm. Gannon, C. Blake Jr, Rich^d Kelly, Michl. Kelly, Michael G. Lynch
 J. H. Smyth, Walter J. Blake, Doctor Bourke, Mark J. Blake, James
 Keenan (B. well), Pat Kelly, John Griffin

Ex Officio Guardians
 Tho. O'Connell
 Edm. Blake
 Michael S. Keenan
 S. J. O'Kelly
 James Keenan
 Rich^d Bourke Esq
 Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4630 to No. 4727, 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 advised for the articles ordered on last day of meeting - that he wrote to Mr. Gunning of Galway relative to his cheque that he called on the Agent of the Sun Fire Office to insure the auxiliary Workhouse

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 189-2-0
 Paid during the week, - £ 81-16-0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 41-6-0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector. | Name of Electoral Division. | Collected and Lodged. | | Remaining. | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-------|------------|-------|
| | | £ | s. d. | £ | s. d. |
| Pat Ryan | Inam | 53 | 18 4 | 563 | 5 1 |
| " | Clare Inam | 8 | 15 3 | 142 | 6 5 |
| " | Corunna | 9 | 2 2 | 237 | 4 10 |
| | | 71 | 15 4 | 943 | 1 5 |
| Edw ^d Ridge | Kiltannon | 25 | 10 6 | 259 | 6 8 |
| " | Lisgeaney | 15 | 17 3 | 336 | 7 1 |
| | | 41 | 7 9 | 595 | 13 10 |
| John Cornwall | Dunmore | 13 | 12 6 | 238 | 14 8 |
| " | Bloomern | 12 | 6 6 | 240 | 2 4 |
| | | 25 | 19 0 | 478 | 17 0 |
| Pat Joyce | Downpatrick | " | " | 171 | 10 7 |
| " | Headford | " | " | 251 | 18 |
| " | Annaghdown | " | " | 124 | 17 10 |
| | | " | " | 548 | 6 6 |
| J Cunningham | Kiltarcin | " | " | 135 | 5 3 |
| | | " | " | 135 | 5 3 |
| John Wall | Abby | " | " | 203 | 13 9 |
| " | Monira | " | " | 78 | 10 11 |
| | | " | " | 282 | 4 9 |
| | Total, | 139 | 2 6 | 2483 | 8 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. *no Relief list kept*
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 £ 75-1-10³/₄.

| | | | |
|--|----|----|----------------------------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. | £ | s. | d. |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 76 | 17 | 10 ³ / ₄ |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | | | 1-4 ⁷ / ₈ |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | | | 1-11 ³ / ₄ |
| 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:

- | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 2,000 ^{lb} Bread | 15 Cwt Wholesmeal |
| 132 ^{lb} Meat | 28 ^{lb} Rice |
| 1,300 ^{lb} Lard Butter with | 200 Boxes of Tallow |
| 2,300 ^{lb} Lard Sweet Milk | 4 ^{lb} Mould Candles |
| 1 ^{lb} 12 ^{oz} Tea | 70 ^{lb} Soap |
| 9 ^{lb} Sugar | 40 ^{lb} Dipped Candles |
| 35 Cwt Indian Meal | 3 Cwt Salt |

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts. *no Clothing accounts produced*
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

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

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer. | | By Order on Contractors. | | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer. | | By Order on Contractors. | |
|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------|--------------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------|--------------------------|----------------|
| | | £ | s. d. | Article and quantity. | Value. £ s. d. | | | £ | s. d. | Article and quantity. | Value. £ s. d. |
| No. I. | John Monahan | 1.0.0 | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | |
| No. II. | R. Canavan | 1.0.0 | | | | No. X. | Pat Gannon | 1.0.0 | | | |
| No. III. | M. Kelly | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XI. | Rich. Costello | 1.0.0 | | | |
| No. IV. | Thos. Martin | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XII. | | | | | |
| No. V. | A. J. Bell | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | |
| No. VI. | Walter Blake | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | |
| No. VII. | Pat Kelly | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XV. | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | Pat Flynn | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | |
| No. IX. | W. Joyce | 1.0.0 | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | |
| Car. forward. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 9.0.0 | | | | TOTAL, | | 11.0.0 | | | |

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. |
|----------------------|----|----|----|
| James Lyndleky. Shaw | 20 | 4 | 11 |

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

2. Establishment Account.

| | | | |
|---|----|---|---|
| Thomas Browne Exp ^{rs} humanum | 6 | " | " |
| John R Hopkins for to hand each | 11 | " | " |
| Outgoing Office £ each for sudden and urgent cases | | | |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|------------------|----|----|----|
| John Ryan. Milk | 12 | 9 | 11 |
| James Blake Meal | 5 | 17 | 6 |

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.

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:

On the Report of the Visiting Committee suggesting that four Wearing Looms be + produced (procured) and that there is a child in hospital who has received a most severe flogging from a Pauper named Patk. Madden Ordered That he be brought before the Magistrates at next court of Petty Sessions, and that advertisements be issued by Hand bills for Looms to be considered on next day of Meeting

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

On the Report of the Master that he discovered that the property of the House on a person named Anne Garry.

Ordered—That the Pauper be brought before the Bench on the next Petty Sessions day—

The Medical Officer reported 10 deaths during the week, that the number in Hospital continues much the same, that the contractor for inserting the zinc plates is getting on but the contractor for covering the sheds with felt has not as yet commenced, having to procure it from Dublin, and suggests the sale of the manure heap near the Sheds the effluvia of which is very great.

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

Read a letter from Mr Browne Agent to the Sanitary Office informing the Board that the Workhouse was not insured for the last two years

Ordered - That it be forthwith insured and that a cheque of six pounds be drawn in Mr Brown's favor for it.

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:)

1st Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 8th January No 672 informing Board that they received the sanction Her Majesty's Com^{rs} of the Treasury for an advance of £800, to erect a permanent Fever Hospital in connexion with the Workhouse, and forwarding plans &c. it and requesting the Guardians to advertise for the Building without delay

Ordered - That advertisements be inserted in the Freeman Herald, General Advertiser and by Handbills to build an Hospital to be considered on this day fortnight

2nd Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No 678 8th Jan^y 1848, requiring the nature of the Memorial submitted by Mr Robert Bond and adopted by the Board on last day of Meeting

Ordered - That the Clerk be directed to furnish the Commissioners with the request contained in their letter -

3rd Letter from same No 629, 8th January relative to the defective state of the Rate Books and a revision of the Valuation - Order made in page 10

4th Letter from same No 1228, 8th January expressing their approval of the Guardians proposal to take Mr Mathew's House at a rent of £50 per annum, Suggesting that the Children should be removed from the Workhouse as soon as possible and requesting the Guardians to record on their Minutes next Meeting what steps they are taking to afford Relief out of the Workhouse to the Clases specified in the 1st Section of the Irish Poor R. & Act.

Vide Minutes

5th Letter from same 8th January 1848, no 1228, requesting the Guardians to record on their Minutes at next Meeting their opinion of the Matron's competency to discharge her duties efficiently

Mr Davis having been called in and asked if she would resign, and being informed that Mr Bourke, Inspector, having reported her incompetent to perform her duties, stated she would be guided by whatever the Board wished her to do.

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 9 |
| Ditto, disallowed | 0 |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 195 |

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| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | 0 |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | 0 |
| 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 - 328