

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

Resolved, That as the Labours of initialing the decision of the Board of Guardians on each case of the Relief of the Poor would be immense we approve of a Guardian from each Eld. div. to initial his initials as authorizing such relief & that the Chairman sign his initials at the end of each page  
Read a Report from Messrs. Barmes & Winter Solrs to the Brethren Loan enclosing a charge on the Board of the Union for the Loan of £8000 to build a Fever Hospital which is signed by the Chairman & signed by the majority of the Board two Guardians and the Clerk the execution of which must be supervised by the Clerk according to the affidavit enclosed to be sworn before a Magistrate also the order for the delivery of the Brethren Bill Certificate which should be executed in the same manner.

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

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

Resolved That the Deed of Power of the delivery of the Brethren Bill Certificate read, be executed by the Chairman & two of the Board of Guardians and that the Common Seal of the Union be affixed to the Deed & Certificate  
Mr Gunning of Galway got his charge for £588. 7. 2 divided into 11 charges for £50 each & 1 for £38. 7. 2.

Resolved, That our Clerk be forthwith directed to hand Mr Tully solr the names of the persons to whom he was directed to apply for unpaid rate & that had not replied within 10 days, together with the amounts due by them; & that our solr be directed to call on Mr David Doherty solr to settle in Geo. Thoms step of rates.

Notice of Motion

I hereby give notice that on the next day of meeting of the Board I will propose that a rate of Three shillings in the Pound on the rateable Property of the Union be struck in order to enable the Guardians to meet the great increase of Expenditure consequent on giving out door relief & the payment of the Debts of the Union  
(Signed) Jeremiah Tully

Resolved, that no further notice be given of the next meeting of the Board.

Notice of Motion

I will move on the next day of meeting that if a rate of three shillings is struck, that it be coll'd by two instalments (deferred) from 1<sup>st</sup> July.

Proposed by Sir John Gully Esq  
Sud by Mr. J. G. Gully Esq  
Resolved, That the Relieving Officer be obliged to post up in some public place in their Eld. div. a list of the names & residences of every person within such Eld. Division who is not on relief.

Proposed by Richd Kelly Esq  
Sud by Sir John Gully Esq  
Resolved, That Mr. Leonard be appointed Relieving Officer for the Eld. division of Headford pro. tem: and that a Rel. Officer be appointed for this dist. on Monday next.

Ord. That an Clerk do forward to the Poor Law Com. the list of defaulters recd. by him from the 1<sup>st</sup> July on whom proceedings are recommended in the Superior Courts for their sanction.

The consideration of Tenders for keeping the chimneys in repair and same be adjourned to next day of meeting.

In reference to the Masters' Report the Board examined sev. witnesses on oath, but elicited no satisfactory evidence in support of the charge and dismissed the Com. - relative to the case of the Mill Contractor be paid for the same at the price of the Buttermill & that as his account is now passed, the amt. be stopped from his next fortnight's account; & that the spades and shovels & buckets be procured.

Ord. That an Clerk do forward to the Poor Law Com. the list of defaulters recd. by him from the 1<sup>st</sup> July on whom proceedings are recommended in the Superior Courts for their approval.

The necessary cheques and orders having been signed & countersigned the Board adjourned to tomorrow the 8<sup>th</sup> Instant.

John R. Hopkins  
Clerk of the Union.

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At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Guardians had on Tuesday 8th February 1881

Charles Blatto Esq. in the Chair. Mr J Kealy, John Griffin, Richd Kelly, J Jolly and William Cannon Esquires

The Board proceeded to the examination of the Relieving officer's books for the district of Juan and Keshmoo.

Tenders for keeping the Chimneys of the Workhouse and Mill House in repair were opened.

Patrick Kilwarden declared Contractor for keeping the Chimneys of the Workhouse as also the Mill House in repair for the sum of £5 per annum, securities John O'Leary and J Copley of Juan.

Andrew Dalton was declared Contractor for supplying kind fuel for the sum of £100 per annum for three months, securities McConville & J Dehan

Ordered that the Master and Matron be allowed 6oz of Tea and 3/4lb of Sugar weekly.

The Clerk was directed to write to John Dunne Contractor to complete the Glades in the different Dormitories windows as also the

regular was not finally approved, and was

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9073/48 UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . . . Present Net Annual Value, . . . . .

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	So that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	800													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	257													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	100													
Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1157													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			54	63	172	288	247	177	24		104	In Workhouse, 65 In Hospital, 39	In separate Wards, 1 In Wards with other inmates, 1	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	"	19	17	4	1	1		37			
Total, . . . . .			58	63	191	305	251	21			141			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	"	30	24	18	4	4		82			
Died, . . . . .			"	"	2	4	"	1	"		7			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	"	32	28	20	5	4		89			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			52	63	179	281	231	17	20		111			

*How and why prevalent*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of 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. 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.	178	450	511	676	709	1126	Bt. forward	613	1480	1113	2053	1756	3536
No. II.	68	184	85	137	153	321	No. X.	148	130	112	112	160	242
No. III.	10	96	48	249	108	325	No. XI.	63	148	148	120	211	268
No. IV.	34	169	22	93	76	262	No. XII.						
No. V.	87	185	98	272	185	437	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	112	239	216	582	318	621	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	39	113	33	62	72	175	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	18	40	37	84	57	174	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	17	27	61	118	78	143	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	613	1480	1113	2053	1756	3536	TOTAL,	1570	1711	1373	2285	2127	4066

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of February 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, *William Henry Lucas Esq*  
Other Guardians: *Thomas O'Connell Esq*

*Richard Davitt Esq* Poor Law Inspector  
*present*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3621 to 3647, 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 the entries in the . . . . . Register was not finally completed, but would . . . . .*

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 appeared that there had been received during the week, - £ 114 2  
 Paid during the week, - £ 117 9  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 14 11  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.  
 The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appeared to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Name of Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Remainder
		£	s.	d.	
Pat. Ryan	Innis	26	11	3	376
do	Clon do	15	10	7	91
do	Cuscorragh	"	9	2	165
Edw. Midg	Millbourne	16	10	"	162
do	Lisgoon	13	18	"	209
Wm. Connell	Quinn	24	11	8	372
do	Franklin	14	15	4	141
Pat. Joyce	Downpatrick	12	18	"	134
do	Mountfort	20	7	6	189
do	Armaghdown	0	0	1	117
		32	8	2	465
Wm. Cunningham	Killmoren	"	"	"	91
		4	0	"	71
Wm. Hall	Abbey	7	3	6	174
do	Minerva	"	"	"	66
		7	3	6	240
					114 2 209

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 their 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 £ 84 s. 3 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 85 9 11 1/4  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1/5 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/0 1/4  
 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:

- |                   |                    |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| 210 lb Sugar      | 36 lb Soap         |
| 30 Cut Sugar Meal | 30 " Light Candles |
| 20 " White do     | 4 " Bread do       |
| 150 lb Butter     | 12 Cut of Salt     |
| 25 lb " do        | 250 Pieces of Tea  |
| 9 Bottles Wine    | 135 lb Meal        |
| 2 lbs Tea         |                    |
| 14 " Sugar        |                    |
| 28 " Rice         |                    |

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

1. The general Clothing Accounts.
  2. The Medical Officers' Books.
- The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.  
 The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of - - - ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	1
In kind,	-	-	-	-	134 9 11 1/2
					134 10 11 1/2

Total, £ 134 10 11 1/2

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.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	Mullingary			33 5 0	Bt. forward				124 5 0
No. II.	St. Nicholas			15 0 0	No. X.	Phanoran		30 Cut do	15 0 0
No. III.	St. Nicholas			15 0 0	No. XI.	St. Carrigan		30 Cut do	15 0 0
No. IV.	St. Nicholas			15 0 0	No. XII.				
No. V.	St. Nicholas			13 0 0	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	St. Nicholas			15 0 0	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	St. Nicholas			7 10 0	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	St. Nicholas			5 0 0	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	St. Nicholas			5 0 0	No. XVII.				
Car. forw'd.				114 5 0	TOTAL,				134 10 11 1/2

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



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

Sealed order from Poor Law Commrs. appointing Mr Lucas and John Thomas Corvill Esqrs. Joint Guardians.

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:)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 16<sup>th</sup> July forwarding orders on the Sheriff at Exeter for implements for the use of the Workhouse.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Letter from James N 7771 dated 16<sup>th</sup> July expressing their approval of the course taken. The Clerk took in ordering the supplies necessary for each Relief Vestral and in appointing a temporary Substitute for the Relieving Officer for the Town Vestral who resigned and stating the Vice Guardians have been appointed and would present to them immediately.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Letter from Same dated 15<sup>th</sup> July N 149 enclosing Form of a Return showing the Name Cost & persons released out of the Workhouse up to 12<sup>th</sup> Instant.
- 4<sup>th</sup> Letter from Same dated 15<sup>th</sup> July N 150 enclosing Brothers Opium as to persons referred to Surrender bond to their husband.

5<sup>th</sup> Letter dated 17<sup>th</sup> July N 131 enclosing a list of the Balances left in the hands of the Treasurers of Relief Committees at the expiration of the Temporary Relief Act which should be handed over to the Guardians.

6<sup>th</sup> Letter dated 19<sup>th</sup> July Express acknowledging the receipt of the Clerk's letter enclosing lists of defaulters by the late Board's decision and stating the application for their Contest should be received in the name of the Vice Guardians.

Letter from Mr Wilson Reviser of the Valuation Act stating that he had applied to the Commissioners to reconsider their order with regard to him.

Ordered that the Clerk inform Mr Wilson that the Vice Guardians must abide by the Commissioners decision.

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 - - - - -

Do, 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 - - - - -



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Population in 1841, . . . . . Present Net Annual Value, . . . . .

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848.

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.	Aged and Infirm.		Able-bodied.		Boys.		Girls.		Children under 2 years.		Born.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.			
Workhouse, . . . . .	800																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	250																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	100																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																	
Total, . . . . .	1150																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			52	63	169	277	231	198	20					1010	In Workhouse 80	In separate Wards, Hospitals, & Fever Hospital, with other inmates, 1	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	14	17	12	5	2						52			
TOTAL, . . . . .			52	65	183	294	243	203	22					1062	Total, 122	Total, 1	123
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .					12	14	4	8	1					39			
Died, . . . . .					1	2		3	3	1				10			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .					1	14	14	7	11	2				49			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			52	64	169	280	236	192	20					1013			

Fever and Dysentery prevalent

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Feb. 1848. authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but 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, but 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.	158	454	303	627	461	1081	Bt. forward	762	1808	1129	2533	1891	4341
No. II.	103	206	159	306	262	512	No. X.	87	227	158	345	245	572
No. III.	81	148	91	287	172	435	No. XI.	60	141	100	205	160	349
No. IV.	86	263	35	149	121	412	No. XII.						
No. V.	93	177	105	298	198	475	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	107	247	269	486	376	733	No. XIV.						
No. VII.	70	182	36	119	106	301	No. XV.						
No. VIII.	47	104	68	133	115	237	No. XVI.						
No. IX.	17	27	63	128	80	155	No. XVII.						
Car. forward	762	1808	1129	2533	1891	4341	TOTAL,	909	2179	1387	3083	2296	5262

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February 1848

PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm. H. Lucas Esq.  
Other Guardians: John McDevitt Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 565P to No. 5709, 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 forwarded the Rate Collectors  
 That he forwarded the Rate Collectors copies of their order, made last day of meeting, that

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he wrote to Messrs Leslie Hoop for the Medicines, that he noticed the Candidates who sent in proposals for an Officer for Headfort to attend on Monday (this day) that advertised for the creation of an oven and that he told them for the Rate Books —

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, £ 546 - -  
 Paid during the week, £ 203 - -  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 343 - -  
 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 <sup>r</sup> Ryan	Tuam	"	"	"	374	0	0
do	Carre Tuam	"	"	"	91	16	0
do	Cummer	"	"	"	165	12	0
		"	"	"	631	9	0
Edw <sup>r</sup> Ridge	Kilbannon	2	1	8	16	0	0
do	Lisgeary	4	0	12	1	16	0
		4	2	13	9	3	29
John Cornwall	Dunmore	"	"	"	16	7	1
do	Clooncorn	"	"	"	14	4	12
		"	"	"	31	1	13
Pat <sup>r</sup> Joyce	Downpatrick	"	"	"	15	4	3
do	Headfort	"	"	"	18	9	4
do	Amaghdown	"	"	"	10	1	17
		"	"	"	44	5	8
John Cunningham	Killererin	4	"	"	87	15	0
		4	"	"	87	15	0
John Wall	Abbay	"	"	"	17	4	0
do	Monivea	"	"	"	66	2	3
		"	"	"	240	3	3
					46	13	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 perused.

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
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 £ 82 : 2 s. 7 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 79 : 10 : 4 3/4  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the general average Cost of an Sumato for the week was 1 : 4 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, 2 : 0 1/4  
 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:

- |  |                                |
|--|--------------------------------|
| 2100 <sup>lbs</sup> of Bread                       | 14 <sup>lbs</sup> Rice         |
| 30 <sup>cut</sup> of Andrian Meal                  | 112 <sup>do</sup> Soap         |
| 25 <sup>do</sup> " Whole — do                      | 40 <sup>do</sup> Light Candles |
| 1500 <sup>qts</sup> Buttermilk                     | 4 <sup>do</sup> " Shoula — do  |
| 2000 <sup>do</sup> Sweet — do                      | 1 1/2 <sup>cut</sup> Salt      |
| 9 bottles of Wine                                  | 250 boxes of Turf              |
| 2 <sup>lbs</sup> 205 Tea & 22 <sup>lbs</sup> Sugar | 111 <sup>lbs</sup> Meat        |

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
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 26<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup>; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	—	—	—
In kind,	—	—	—
Total,	145	16	7 1/2

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.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractor.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	J. W. Jones	"	3: 10	32: 0: 6	Bt. forward	"	20: 10: 0	190: 4: 10	
No. II.	" Kohilly	"	2: 10	22: 17: 6	No. X.	Pat <sup>r</sup> Gannon	"	2: 15	25: 15: 7 1/2
No. III.	P. Glynn	"	2: 10	23: 2: 6	No. XI.	Robt Gannon	"	1: 10	9: 3: 0
No. IV.	Wm. Hyne	"	2: 5	20: 16: 3	No. XII.				
No. V.	J. Martin	"	3: 0	28: 2: 6	No. XIII.				
No. VI.	A. L. Hill	"	3: 0	28: 2: 6	No. XIV.				
No. VII.	P. Kelly	"	1: 5	11: 14: 4 1/2	No. XV.				
No. VIII.	G. B. Ke	"	1: 5	11: 14: 4 1/2	No. XVI.				
No. IX.	R. Costello	"	1: 5	11: 14: 4 1/2	No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL,	"	"	24: 5: 0	225: 3: 6

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mrs. Margaret Davis salary  
to 25<sup>th</sup> March 1848 £10 0 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John Ryan, - Milk £49 4

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Patrick Kelly Meal £154 3

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 report being very unsatisfactory and most of the matters complained of being in the Matron department, and the Vice Guardians having had under consideration a report of Mr Bourkes on the incompetency of Mrs Davis, - the Vice Gut called on her for her resignation which was tendered and accepted and Mrs Morris, the wife of the Master was appointed Matron pro tem: - the report also stated that the Porter, Wardsmaid, Matron Schoolmaster had each a child with them in the Workhouse. Resolved, - that each of the Officers be informed that it is contrary to all rule and practice to allow their children to reside with them in the Workhouse and that they be required to have the children removed accordingly, the report further stated that extra rations were given weekly to 20 paupers, - Resolved, that the Master do discontinue the extra rations given to the paupers, with the exception of the Pauper Nurses who are engaged during the night attending Fever Patients - The Medical reported 11 deaths during the week calling the attention of the Gut to the state of the Fever Shed from rain - Ordered that the Clerk do write to the Contractor for covering the Fever Shed and that unless completed immediately that the amount will be deducted from his Bonds - that washing troughs, tinning are required for Auxiliary Rooms Ordered that advertisements be issued for them: that it was reported to him that Milk was deficient, - Resolved that the Clerk do inform the Contractor for Milk that in the event of the supply being again deficient, the Vice Gut have instructed the Master to purchase Milk elsewhere and to account the extra cost thereby incurred from the amount which may be due to him, and further to state that similar steps will be taken if the quality of the Milk is again inferior; that sweeping brushes are required, Ordered that the Master do procure them that he requires Vaccine Lymph for the use of the Workhouse, Ordered, that the Clerk do write to the National Vaccine Establishment, London for it.

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

Sealed Order dated 21<sup>st</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup> 1848 authorizing the said Officer in addition to his ordinary Meetings to hold Meetings for the transaction of business ~~within~~ at any other place within the Union —

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:)

1<sup>st</sup> Letter from Exchequer Loan Commissioners calling for 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> instalment, £15000 the Loan of £100

2<sup>nd</sup> Letter Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 18<sup>th</sup> February calling for the sum of £9:15:0 to be transmitted to the Audit

3<sup>rd</sup> Circular from same dated 21<sup>st</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup> enclosing a Circular from Board of Health suggesting the propriety of using Whiskey Porter as a Stimulant in place of wine in the treatment of Fever —

Resolved, — that the subject be referred to the Medical Officer for his opinion —

4<sup>th</sup> Letter from Poor Law Commissioners Vice

The Guardians relative to certain charges preferred against the Porter of the Workhouse —

5<sup>th</sup> Letter from same to Vice Guardians relative to proceedings against defaulting Immediate Lessors

6<sup>th</sup> Letter from same to Vice Guardians relative to the death of a man named John Hyres at Dunmore in this Union —

7<sup>th</sup> Circular from same relative to lists of persons receiving out and in door relief being printed & posted at the commencement of each fortnight

8<sup>th</sup> Circular from same relative to a change being made in the admission & discharge Book to show the classification of Sick in Hospital & Sanatoria

9<sup>th</sup> Letter from same; dated 26<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>r</sup> 1843 expressing their approval of the proposed arrangement to employ an Accountant to bring in the arrears in the late Master's Accounts —

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 of the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the next Meeting after the Annual Election in every year).

The Indian Meal supplied the Wick by Mr Blake Contractor having been examined and found to be of an inferior quality description - Ordered, that the Clerk do return the Indian Meal now in store to the Contractor and that the Clerk do inform Mr Blake of the cause of the meal being returned that the Vice Guardians will purchase meal in the event of the quality of the meal being inferior -

The Board proceeded to open the tender for Indian Meal for out-door relief the following persons declared Contractors for the Electoral Division set opposite their names for one month

- Messrs. Rush & Palmer of Galway
- Quam
- Clare Quam
- Quam
- Quam

at £9:3:0 per ton delivered at the depots for Carriage John Brady of Kiltroe Mills for Districts of Clonpatric & Headford at £9:7:6 per ton

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Guardians

per ton free of carriage to be delivered at the depots - Mr Patrick Kelly of Quam, for the Districts of Kiltannon, Lisgeary, Dunmore Cloonhern, Kellerrin, Abbey & Monivea at £9:7:6 per ton Carriage free to be delivered at the depots -

The Vice Guardians proceeded to the appointment of Relieving Officers for the Headford & Quam Districts and having examined all the Candidates as to their qualifications - Resolved, that Wm. Kyne be elected to the Office for the Headford Dist. which he resigned on account of a severe attack of illness: and Thos. W. Store for the Quam District, Sureties Messrs Wm Cannon & Hugh Burke of Quam -

Resolved, that the future Meetings of this Board be held on Wednesday in each week instead of Monday as heretofore

Resolved, - That the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress be instructed to take the children of both sexes out of the Workhouse

for

of the Board made at the last Meeting