

Mr Edw Ridge Rate Collector for No 2 District
offers as his Sureties James Hughes of Glensally
Nick Heppin of Liscaleen and Mick O'Byrne
Clonkeely which were accepted of.

Ordered that the Clerk do advertise
for the appointment of Receiver
Officers to be considered on Monday the
13th September next and be advertised
by two insertions in the Tuam Herald and
Handbills.

Proposed by Jeremiah Dally Esq/3
Seconded by William Cannon Esq/3
Resolved That our Clerk do communicate
to the Comm^d that it is the decided opinion
of this Board taking into Consideration
the increased labour of attendance and
risk of life in consequence of the prevalence
of Fever in the Workhouse during the last
Year that a liberal gratuity commensurate
therewith be given to the Roman Catholic

Chaplains and that we request the
Commissaries to fit the amount and
Authorise the Guardians to pay same
leaving the question of annual salary
for future Consideration.

The preceding Cheques having
been signed the Board adjourned.

Signed John Keegan
Clerk of the Minn.

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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 during the week ended Saturday 4th day of September 1847.

	Admitted						Discharged						Died							
	Males aged 15 and under 15	Females aged 15 and under 15	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Children under 2	Born	Males aged 15 and under 15	Females aged 15 and under 15	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Children under 2	Total	Males aged 15 and under 15	Females aged 15 and under 15	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Children under 2	Total		
During the week ended as above	7	7	11	3	0	4	1	20	21	29	18	11	"	79	1	4	"	2	"	7
Remaining on the previous Wednesday before last Return	144	190	92	75	7	11	"	508	Return of Sick and Sanative Paupers						No of Sick and Sanative Paupers in the Workhouse on the above date					
Total	151	197	103	78	7	11	"	536	In Workhouse	36	In Hospital	30	"	"	Observations in case of any unusual number of these classes of paupers					
Actual discharges and admissions during the week ending as above	22	33	18	13	0	0	"	86	In Hospital	36	In Fever Hospital	30	"	"	Fever and dysentery prevalent.					
Remaining on the above date	129	164	85	65	7	11	"	450	Total	74	Total	0								

Number of inmates that the workhouse is calculated to contain 800
Meeting of Guardians to be held on Monday the 13th day of September 1847.

Present in the Chair Robert Bodkin Esq

Other Guardians Richd Kelly, chas. Kyne, Den's
Kinnair Chas Blake Jr. Edward Blake, Wm Gannon
Pat Thos Burke, Peice J Blake, Mark J Blake
also Doctor Phelan, Asst Poor Law Commr

The minutes of last meeting were read and signed
The Register Book was produced examined and
Authenticated by the signature of the Chairman and
Counter signature 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 cause advertisements to be posted for
Relieving officers and Workhouse Supplies, and that I Murray
and I Whistead have perfected their Bonds, and that
Michael Lynch the other Secuity has not signed

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.

L. s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Markus Rinke for insertion in Galway paper.	1	15	0
P Joyce Rate Collector 3 half years fees	13	9	4
E Ridge Rate Collector 3 half years fees.	9	19	2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

James Blake Meal	16	0	0
Miche Gilmin's Meal	14	19	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:

That a visible improvement is in the appearance of the inmates and the general Cleanliness of the Ward and yards. The pump is again out of order which causes great annoyance and subjects the gates to be constantly open,

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

The medical off: reports that there were 7 deaths during the week. That fever is on the decrease, but dysentery is on the increase, out of 25 admissions 8 have been of that disease. The rain still comes through the roof of the shed, the cocks have not been settled in the Roosts and which are useless. Rice is wanting for the Infirmary. That he got 1st of it and 3 Bottles of wine, on his own account during the past week, recommending that funds be left aside for the hospital necessities,

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

On the report of the Master requiring the roof of the house to be put in order,

Ordered That he do call on a Competent person to examine it and see what the probable cost would be,

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 the Poor Law Commrs. d^r 26/9/87 relative to the Rate Collectors.

2^o Letter dated 3^d Sept No 29274 relative to the Clothing a/c's of Mr. Cosgrave and O'Neill of Dublin.

3^o Letter No 25217. 4^d Sept relative to the sheds erected by John Burke Contractor with Mr. Wilkinson's remarks thereon.

4th Letter No 27320. 4^d Sept relative to the erection of a Fever Ward and the proposed gratuity to the Roman C. Chaplain which the State will receive their attention.

5th Letter dated 14 Sept No 27273 (extra) re the tenures of the appointment of Messrs. Hall and Birmingham Rate Collectors at the rate of remuneration proposed.

Collector's Warrant for the election of Killarney Montra Kilbannan Lisgeary signed also Abbey signed 6th July.

W Dalton's proposal was accepted of for supplying lime per Imperial Barrel for one month at the rate of 10 pence barrels all McCormick and I Behan.

Resolved That the Dietay of the Workhouse be altered to the following.

Glasses	Breakfast	Dinner	Supper
Adults.	9 oz meal 1/2 pint n milk	12 oz whole meal 1/2 pint n milk	-
Children 9 to 15	6 oz meal 1/2 pint n milk	7 oz whole flour 1/2 pint n milk	-
Children 2 to 9	4 oz & meal 1/2 pint n milk	6 oz white Bread 1/2 pint n milk	4 oz white Bread
Infants.	12 oz white Bread 1 pint n milk daily		

Resolved That on next meeting be held at the workhouse.

W Blakes proposal was accepted of for supplying the workhouse for one month with yellow Indian meal at Ten pence stg per ton. Whole meal at Sixteen pounds per ton to be of the best quality.

Provisional admissions into the workhouse and applications for admission were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

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 0
Ditto, disallowed - 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 24

Ditto rejected - 0

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 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 advertisements be continued for meal and Salt to be considered on next day of meeting.

Ordered That the following do receive meal ration's for week for their services.

Mary Gaffin. Kitty Tyhe. Mary Cor. Catherine Connell
Bessy McGonney. Timothy Monaghan. John Ferney. Judy McRea.
Kitty Corless. Eddie Burns. Mary Walsh. Honor Burn. Timmy
Connor. John Mannion. Pat Larmin. Mrs Ryan.

Proposed by Denis Kirwan Esq.

Seconded by Charles Blake Esq. Junr.

Resolved That Robert Bodkin, C. Blake Jr. Williams
and Richard Kelly be appointed a Committee to examine
the Collector's accounts and that all the Collectors be directed
to produce the Books regularly before such Committee on
1st Monday in each month and at the present moment they
be requested to use their best exertions in getting in their accounts
lodging same with our Treasurer and that a copy of the foregoing
resolution be sent to each Collector.

Proposed by Richd Kelly Esq. Seconded by Pat T Burke Esq.
Resolved that a sum be made to our Treasurer to apply to his Books of
Directors for an extension of time for the repayment of our loan of £1000
as the present rate now in an active state of collection will be shortly
paid in and will be sufficient to discharge all the liabilities of the sum
and that he be requested to honor out of the first monies lodged to the
Credit of the Board for Union the cheque of the Board for £200.
amount of the joint note of R Bodkin and others now held by
him.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing resolution be
forwarded to the Treasurer.

John R Hopkins
Clerk of the Union.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 1841.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

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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 11th day of Sept 1847

	Admitted						Discharged						Died							
	Male aged 15 and up wards	Fe males aged 15 and up wards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Chil dren under 2	Born	Male aged 15 and up wards	Fe males aged 15 and up wards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Chil dren under 2	Total	Male aged 15 and up wards	Fe males aged 15 and up wards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Chil dren under 2	Total		
During the Week ended as above	15	17	5	2	1	-	-	40	9	12	10	6	-	37	-	1	1	1	-	3
Remaining on the Previous Saturday before last return	129	164	85	65	7	-	-	450	No of Pauper in Hospital on the above date	No of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	In Work House	51	In Fever Hospital	33	In Segreg Wards	In Segreg Wards	In Segreg Wards	In Segreg Wards	Observations In case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers	
Total	144	181	90	67	8	-	-	490	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	33	In Fever Hospital	33	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	Fever and Dysentery prevalent	
Subt Discharged as Subt during the Week ending 29	9	13	11	7	-	-	-	40	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	33	In Fever Hospital	33	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital	In Fever Hospital		
Remaining on the above date	135	168	79	60	8	-	-	450	Total	84	Total	0	Total	0	Total	Total	Total	Total		

Number of Inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain 800
Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Monday the 20th day of September 1847

Copy of Minutes of Proceeding of the Board of Guardians, at a
Meeting held on Monday the 13th day of September 1847

Present, In the Chair, Michael Joseph Browne

Other Guardians— Denis Kirwan C. J. O'Kelly
Mrs O'Flaherty, Walter I Blake, James Kirwan—Gardenfield—
Thos. O. Donelan, Charles Blake Junr, Charles Blake Junr.
Michael ^{Devy} Blake Foster, Robert Bodkin, Mr. J. Kealy, Donal
Tully, John Pettit, Edward Kelly, Christopher Jamison, Richd. Jas. Maurice
St George, William Jamison, Patrick T Burke, Thomas Burke, Edward
Blake, John Griffin, Charles Kyne, Martin J Blake, Michl. J. Lynch, Pat. Wm.
Mangan, S. Kirwan (Blindwell) Martin S Kirwan Daniel H Smyth Pat.
Kelly

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and signed

The Register Book was produced, examined and authenticated, from
No 3446 to No 3485 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and
counter signature of the Clerk.

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

The Clerk Reports that E Ridge Rate Collector
and all his Sureties have perfected his Bond—And
that he handed the Collecting Books for Killarvan,
Athy and Monivea to the Rate Collectors

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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 18th day of September 1847.

	Admitted						Discharged						Died					
	Males aged 15 and under 15 years old	Females aged 15 and under 15 years old	Boys under 12	Girls under 12	Children under 12	Born	Males aged 15 and under 15 years old	Females aged 15 and under 15 years old	Boys under 12	Girls under 12	Children under 12	Males aged 15 and under 15 years old	Females aged 15 and under 15 years old	Boys under 12	Girls under 12	Children under 12		
During the week ended as above	9	11	3	3	"	"	24	14	4	5	"	1	14	3	"	"	"	3
Remaining on the previous date & as per last return	135	168	79	60	8	"	450	82	45	45	"	4	45	3	"	"	"	3
Total	142	199	82	63	8	"	474	In Work- house	85	In Hospital	4	In Har- bors	4	In Fever Hospitals	29	In Work- house	85	In Har- bors
Sick discharged & dead during the week as above	7	4	5	"	1	"	17	In Fever Hospitals	3	In Work- house	17	In Har- bors	3	In Fever Hospitals	29	In Work- house	35	In Har- bors
Remaining on the above date	135	175	77	63	7	"	457	Total	88	Total	45	Total	4	Total	29	Total	85	Total

Return of Sick & Lunatic Paupers
No. of Paupers ^{admitted} _{discharged} ^{dead} _{in Workhouse} ^{in Fever Hospitals} _{in Harbors}
on the above date

Observations
In case of any unusual number
attend classes of Paupers

Syphilitic and Fever
present

Number of Inmates the Workhouse is calculated to contain
Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Monday the 27th day of September 1847

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a
Meeting held on Monday the 20 day of Sept. 1847.

Present in the Chair, Chas. Blake Esq. Jus^r

other Guardians Richd. Kelly, Thos O'Flaherty John Gaffin
Wm. Gannon, Jeremiah Tully, Robt. B. Foster
Jas. Kirwan, Martin J. Kirwan, Edw. Blake

The Minutes of last Meeting were read & signed

The Register Book was produced, examined and
authenticated from No 3486 to No 3509 both inclusive
by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the
Clock.

The Clerks report on the execution of orders previously
made by the Board was read to the following effect
That he was served with a Capias at the suit of J.
Newton for a debt of £12.10 £3.10 Costs, for meat

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Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of

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Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building above, date.	Total No. in each building above, date.	Aged and Infirm.	Able-bodied.	Boys.	Girls.	Children under 2 years.	Born.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
									Males.	Fem.	
Workhouse,											
Temporary Buildings,											
Additional Workhouse,											
Permanent Fever Hospital,											
Fever Sheds,											
Total,											
Remaining 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.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 51, 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. 51, 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.	
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 the day of

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PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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.

£ s. d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

No report from the Visiting Committee this week.

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

On the report of the Medical Officer that the shed admits rain—

Ordered, that the Clerk do call on Mr Egan Contractor to inform him of the matter and request he will repair it, and report next day of meeting.

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

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

1st Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 11th Sept^r. 1847^b calling for Instatments due for the Audit Hand -

2nd Letter 17th Sept^r. No 29756 M/47 relative to the last date of payment of Mr Galt's rent of Workhouse -

3rd Letter dated 18th Sept^r. No 29618 relative to a report received from the Officer that Fever was increasing on the applications for admission and wishing to be informed if the two Sheds were now in

occupation and requesting to be informed more fully the particulars of Mrs Griffin and child being expelled from the Workhouse

The Clerk R^t was directed to answer it and state Mrs Griffin was discharged by reason of her having become the mother of an illegitimate child while in the House

Read a letter from Laurence Brudenell Esq^r Manager National Bank enclosing copy of a letter from the Board of Directors saying they would not sanction an extension of time for the repayment of the Loan of £1000 -

Read a letter from the Relief Comm^r relative to the mode of repayment of the grants for the Temporary Relief Act -

Read a letter from Mr Cosgrave of Dublin applying for £37:10:0 a/c to his a/c for Bedticks and Bolsters which the Poor Law Comm^r did not authorize the Guardians to purchase -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 6

Ditto, disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 9

16 - rejected 9

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.)

Mr Gannon saves his notice of motion until next day of meeting —

Rev & Mr Galbraith applied for the sum

£30:5:10 $\frac{1}{2}$ rest of Workhouse due him to 25 March

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Resolved that two members of this Board do wait on the Treasurer and request of him to draw their cheque for the amt at once in order to save Law Expenses — John Griffin & Chas. Blake Jnr. Then proposed by Michael Kelly, seconded by James Moore.

Resolved, That it is the opinion of this Board under the present circumstances of the County with a view to the employment of the Destitute Poor and consequent diminution of taxation, would be beneficial that the power of purchasing or hiring Land in connection with the Workhouse should be greatly extended, and that our Hdls be requested to communicate this resolution to the Lord Lieutenant and Poorlaw Commissioners.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

with a view to the introduction of an act for the purpose at an early period of the ensuing Session of Parliament —

After the necessary business was transacted the Board adjourned —

John R Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

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Population in 1841,

Present Net Annual Value,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of

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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.					Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,												
Temporary Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital,												
Fever Sheds,												
TOTAL,												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,												
Admitted during the Week,												
TOTALS												
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.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Number of cases relieved.	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.	Number of cases relieved.	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.	
				Cases.	Persons.					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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Jos. B. Broome 27th day of Sept 1847

Other Guardians: Pat J. Burke, C. Blake, James Kiernan,

(G. J.) Pat W. Mangan, John Pott, Wm. Gannon

C. Blake Jr, Robt. Bookin, John Griffin, Pat Kelly,

Mark J. Blake Esq,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3518 to No. 3531, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk reports that he called on Andu Egan to repair the shed.