

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

On the Report of the Master requiring the following

viz:-

6 Milk Sankards

1 Flour Bin

4 Dozen Scones

Ordered - That the Master and Clerk do purchase the above articles at the lowest price and furnish the Bill of same the next Board day.

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:-)

The Poor Law Commissioners Letter relative to the Burial Ground was read, and ordered that the following be appointed a Committee to enquire and ascertain where they could procure a site for a new Burial Ground - report on it next Board day - Committee Messrs Pat Kelly, P. J. Burke, John Griffin and Wm Lannon.

Read - a Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 3rd Nov 1847, No 34036, relative to the proposed gratuity to the Roman Catholic Chaplain - Adjourned the consideration until next day of meeting.

Third Letter from same dated 6th Nov No 35924, sanctioning the proposed appointments of a Wardman and Wardmaid at the Salaries proposed to be given by the Board, - namely, the Wardman at £10, and the Wardmaid at £6, per annum.

Fourth Letter from same No 26147 dated 6th Nov 47 enclosing a copy of a letter received from the Board of Health, relative to the prevalence of Fever in the Monaca Electoral Division - no order.

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	19
Ditto, disallowed	2
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	39
Ditto rejected	5

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 Anastasia Burke, a Lunatic, now in the House, be brought by the Clerk, before the Magistrates at ^{next} Petty Sessions Court, with a view of having her committed to the County Jail.

The Report and communication of Rich^d Bourke Esq^r Poor Law Inspector, having been read, as to the incompetency of the Master and Matron, as also the Schoolmaster in the discharge of their duties, and the dirty state of the House &c. The Master having been called for an explanation stated that, from the want of assistance and the large number of Paupers admitted—the want of funds and various other difficulties he has had to contend with, he admits the justness of Mr Bourke's remarks, and begs the Board to give him the assistance of a Wardmaster and Wardmistress and unestimated that if Mr Bourke and the Board are not satisfied at the improved state of the House within one month he will resign.

Proposed by James Kirwan Esq^r Gardenfield
Seconded by Patrick The Burke Esq^r
Resolved—That the present Valuation of the Union is unequal, confused, and defective, and four Collectors stating, that land that would produce one hundred pounds to the Union is

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day of _____ 184 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union

omitted in his Collection—That the late Revision has made it more difficult to collect the Rate than before, and that the Commissioners be requested to advise the Board as to what steps they think best for this Board to take, as to having a new Valuation or Revision made previous to striking another Rate, and whether the Valuation made under the Ordnance Survey might not be made available for such purpose.

Patrick Glauay was appointed Wardman at a Salary of £10, per annum with Rations—Sureties Pat^r Jordan and Mich^r Gilmore of Tuam.

Jane Connolly was appointed Wardmaid and the Board are of opinion that her Salary ought to be £8, per annum instead of £6.

Mr James Blakes Proposal was accepted of for supplying Indian Meal at the rate of Eleven Shillings, and Fourteen Shillings per Cwt for whole meal for one week.

The Clerk was directed to advertize for a Schoolmaster at a Salary of £20, per annum with Rations—to be considered on this day fortnight, and that the advertizement should state that none need apply but persons who can produce testimonials as to their competency, and had experience in that situation.

The necessary Cheques having been signed, and countersigned the Board adjourned.

John Robert Hopkins
Clerk of the Union

No 38042/47

By Order of the Board of Guardians
Irish Union.

Return of Paupers who were admitted into, or Discharged, from the Work House, and the Number of Sick, and the number born, or who died therein, during the week ended Saturday 13th day of November 1847.

	Admitted.					Discharged.					Died.									
	Males aged 15 and upwards	Females aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Infants under 2	Males aged 15 and upwards	Females aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Infants under 2	Males aged 15 and upwards	Females aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15	Infants under 2					
During the week, ended above.	18.	30.	21.	11.	3.	"	"	85.	11.	15.	8.	8.	"	10.	3.	1.	"	"	1.	5.
During the previous Saturday	206.	245.	149.	127.	21.	"	"	746.	Return of Sick and Lunatic Paupers. In Case of any unusual number of these Classes of Paupers.											
Total.	224.	275.	170.	133.	24.	"	"	829.												
Discharged, and died, during week as above.	14.	14.	8.	8.	1.	"	"	45.	In Work House } 64. In Fever Hospital } 42. In Wards } 1. In Separate Wards } In Asylums } In Case of any unusual number of these Classes of Paupers. Fever and Dysentery.											
Remaining on the date.	210.	259.	162.	130.	23.	"	"	784.												Total 106.

Number of Animals that the House is calculated to contain 800.

Meeting of Guardians to be held, on Monday the 22nd day of November 1847.

No.	pendent on him or her.	pendent on him or her.	pendent on him or her.	pendent on him or her.	pendent on him or her.	pendent on him or her.
No. I.						
No. II.						
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No. IV.						
No. V.						
No. VI.						
No. VII.						
No. VIII.						
No. IX.						
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No. XI.						
No. XII.						
No. XIII.						
No. XIV.						
No. XV.						
No. XVI.						
No. XVII.						
TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 15th day of November 1847.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Joseph Browne Esq.
 & other Guardians: Patsy O'Donoghue, Thos O'Shaughnessy, Charles Blake Senior, Wm Gannon, Dominick Kelly, John Pettit, Jeremiah Kelly, Charles Blake Junior, Jas Curran (Blundell), Patsy Wynnangan, Mark V. Blake, John Griffin, Robert D. Foster, Doctor Bodkin, Michael Kelly, Edw. A. Kelly, Matthew McConagh, Thos Burke, Robt J. Trealy, Patsy Kelly, Walter O'Blake, Daniel O'Donoghue, Michl G. Lynch Esqrs.

Ex officio Guardians.
 Robert Beggin.
 Denis Curran.
 Edw. Blake.
 Martin S. Curran.
 Cornelius A. Kelly.
 James Curran.
 Thos O'Donoghue.
 Patsy Kelly Esq.
 Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1040 to No. 1123, 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. 1040 to No. 1123, 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 brought Anastasia Burke a Lunatic before the Magistrates who refused to commit her for want of evidence to prove her to be a dangerous Lunatic. Also applied for a summons against Mr Henry Curran, the reported Father of Bridget Curran a Pauper in the House, under 15 years of age.

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.	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.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Males.	Fem.	Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																	
Temporary Buildings,																	
Additional Workhouse,																	
Permanent Fever Hospital,																	
Fever Sheds,																	
Total,																	
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.

REMARKS.	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.							Bl. 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.						
Bl. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the day of 1847.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Michael Joseph Browne Esq.
 & Elected Other Guardians: Patsy O'Rourke, Thos O'Shaughnessy, Charles Blake Senior, Wm Gannon, Dominick Kelly, John Pettit, Jeremiah Kelly, Charles Blake Junior, Wm. Curran (Edmondell), Patsy Wynn Mangan, Mark J. Blake, John Griffin, Robert D. Foster, Doctor Dodkins, Michael Kelly, Edw. J. Kelly, Matthew M. Donagh, Thos. Burke, Robt. J. Healy, Patsy Kelly, Walter J. Blake, Daniel O'Rourke, Michl. J. Lynch Esqes.

Ex Officio Guardians.
 Robert Dodkins.
 Denis Curran.
 Edw. Blake.
 Mark J. Curran.
 Daniel J. O'Kelly.
 James Curran.
 Thos. O'Rourke.
 Thos. O'Rourke Esq.
 Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1010 to No. 1123, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Dublin Poor Law Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1010 to No. 1123, 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 brought Anastasia Burke a Lunatic before the Magistrate who refused to commit her for want of evidence to prove her to be a dangerous Lunatic. Also applied for a summons against Mr. Henry Curran, the reported father of Bridget Curran a Pauper in the House, under 15 years of age.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced by which it appeared that there had been received during the week $\text{£} 315: 2: 11$ Paid during the week $\text{£} 467: 0: 8$ And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians, was $\text{£} 187: 6: 8$ The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Collectors' Books were produced and examined by which it appeared that there had been collected and paid to the Treasurer in respect of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union since the last meeting, and that there remained uncollected in the said Electoral Divisions respectively, the sums specified, as follows.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day. The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ Paid during the week, £ And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly balance sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk. The judgments 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.
Patt. Ryan	Juan	200	10	19	6
	Clare Street	214	5	10	3
	Quinn	377	7	5	2
Edward Ridge	Tilbarnow	300	10	2	3
	Lisgeary	23	16	4	7
		23	16	15	10
John Corruwall	Quinn	59	17	27	6
	Clonberry	74	10	36	6
Patt. Joyce	Downpatrick	55	4	8	1
	Headford	55	14	11	3
	Strangford	110	19	7	2
John Cunningham	Killierney	235	8	9	3
		235	8	9	3
John Wall	Abbey	259	17	7	8
	Horiva	46	13	6	15
Total,		315	2	11	42

NOTE.—A total list is 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 Abstract of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ was produced and inspected. 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 $\text{£} 72 = 1 = 0 \frac{1}{2}$ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	$\text{£} 72: 1: 0 \frac{1}{2}$
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	$\text{£} 75: 8: 2 \frac{1}{2}$
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	$\text{£} 75: 8: 2 \frac{1}{2}$
And the general average Cost of an Invoice for the week was	$\text{£} 110 \frac{1}{8}$
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:

- | | |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| 1000 lb Bread | 20 bwt whole Meal |
| 12 Bottles Wine. | 28 lb Rice. |
| 15 lb Meat. | 100 lb Soap. |
| 1200 quarts Buttermilk | 100 Boxes Lard, |
| 2000 qts Sweet Milk | |
| 80 Oz Tea | |
| 1 lb Sugar | |
| 30 bwt Indian Meal. | |

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 kept.
 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,	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-

Total £ s. d. 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:

RELIEVING OFFICER.	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.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL,				

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Peter O'Hanagaran. Stationery	3	10	2
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

William Moran. Groceries	2	7	2
James O'Shane. Meal	2 1/2	15	9
Samuel W. Murray. Bread	10	18	1
Patrick Kearney. Milk	2 1/2	6	5
James Whitstead. Groceries	1	5	3
Michael Palmer. Meat	2	15	2
Patrick Kearney. Groceries	"	15	
Patrick Kearney. Milk. lost			
Outs Cheques. } No 1 ... £106:0:0	152	17	5
2 ... 25:0:0			
3 ... 27:17:5			

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:

That the House is clean, the Yards very dirty, the females very disorderly and dirty. The Matron complains of having no means to employ the females, the Stone House in the Yard is full of Smoke, and great nuisance, and recommending the Guardians to give something to keep the Women employed = Ordered = That they be given Wool and Flax, to spin, and repair the Flannel Petticoats which are too short for the Women.

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Officer reports that there were five deaths during the week. That the Hospital is getting fast, and that fever is decidedly on the increase, both in and out of the House, and that half the new cases admitted into the Hospital have arisen before entering the Work House, that he has acted on the suggestion of the Master, and removed a number of the Infants children to one of the Probationary Wards of the front Building by which means he hopes to prevent an epidemic of sore eyes, which has a tendency to appear - no steps have been taken to procure warmer clothing for the inmates, and that the Flannel ordered to be procured on last day of Meeting was not procured - The want of a Boundary Wall is much wanted.

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

As there are several instances of people, friends of the Patients in Hospital, throwing over the Wall, potatoes and raw Turnips - and stating it is impossible to do without the large Boilers in the Wash house which is out of repair - and that the House is full on the female side, and nearly also on the Male side exclusive of those in Hospital, and stating it is for the Board to say how many more they will admit.

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 9th November No 36.871. Relative to the Accounts of the Union to 29th September.
- 2nd Circular relative to the liabilities of the Union.
- 3rd Circular dated 10th November relative to the amended form of Weekly Return of Paupers =
- 4th Letter dated 13th November, No 36.947. Relative to covering the roof of the School with Asphalts felt. No Order =
- 5th Letter No 36.947 Sanctioning the salary of the School Master, namely £20 per annum.
- 6th Letter No 36.947. 13 November enclosing Quere to be signed by the Wardmaid.
- 7th Letter dated 13th November No 36.947. Relative to the Master's getting a Month's trial &c. No Order.

(Provisional admissions into the Workhouse)

The cases of provisional relief and applications for ^{admission} 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	214
Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	714
Ditto rejected	29

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 Officers 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).

Resolved. That with regard to the Memorial forwarded by the Central Board of Health, from the Church Wardens of Monivea. We regret that we are not in funds to establish an Hospital in that Electoral Division, and beg to state, that all applications for admissions from that Electoral Division are up to this time been admitted.

The Clerk reported - that he had got a majority of the signatures of the parsons for their assent to the loan of £800. for the purpose of creating a permanent Fever Hospital, on the Work House ground -

Ordered. That the Clerk do forward the assent to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Proposed. by Charles Blake Esq.

Seconded. by John Piffis Esq.

Resolved. That our Treasurer be directed to pay the Cheques of this Union, according to the dates of each Cheque, keeping in his hands what is necessary for the maintenance of the House, and that a list of all the outstanding Cheques according to their dates be furnished to him for this purpose by our Clerk =

The Case of Patrick Ryan Rate Collector having been brought before the Board, as to his not having lodged the Money collected by him during the fortnight with the Treasurer at the

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

date 1841

(Signed)

the

Clerk of the Union

The Close of the Week.

Ordered. That the Clerk do inform him, as also all the Collectors, that the Board will take proceedings against him and others under the 100th Section of the 1st and 2nd Act, upon any failure of attendance to the Clerk at the end of each fortnight for the settlement of their Accounts, on the days fixed by him.

Ordered. That the Master be allowed a Clerk to assist him, in making up the arrears of his "Relief List" - "Clothing appropriation Book" and Materials Book - as also his provision Book - the salary not to exceed £3. and that he have the above Books completed by the 6th December.

Proposed by Martin S. Kirwan Esq.

Seconded. by Cornelius B. O'Reilly Esq.

Resolved. That the Finance Committee be empowered to undertake to get done the necessary works for completing the Fever Sheds, as per Contract, and stopping the amount from the Contractors payments.

Resolved. That the following be appointed a visiting Committee for one month from this date, Messrs Robert Bodkin. Martin S. Kirwan. Wm Gannon. and P. S. Duke. and that they do make inquiries for a suitable house for the accommodation of the Boys and Girls in the House, and report next day of Meeting, and that in furtherance of this object, they be at liberty to advertise in the local papers, and receive tenders.

Proposed

Proposed by Cornelius D. O'Sheffe Esq^r

Seconded by Martin S. Kirwan Esq^r

Resolved. That we use whole and Cab Meat for the support of the Inmates of this Work House, and do all we can to encourage home Manufacture.

Mr James Blake's proposal was accepted of, for supplying the following articles according to Sample for six months.

Indian Meal @ eleven shillings and six pence per Cwt
Whole Flour @ fourteen shillings per Cwt.

Cab Meat @ fifteen shillings per Cwt

Sureties Edward Kelly, Anshkea, and William Moran, and that he do enter into a Bond.

Proposed by William Fannon Esq^r

Seconded by Thomas O' Donelan Esq^r

Resolved. That we proceed to the appointment of Relieving Officers.

Proposed by Jeremiah Sully Esq^r

Seconded by Pat Kelly Esq^r

Resolved. That James Dwyer of Sluam be appointed Relieving Officer for the Sluam District at a Salary of £40 per annum. Sureties P. Blighe of Ballyhasna, and Mr George Keilly of Grange. app^d

Sluam.

Proposed by Robert Backin Esq^r

Seconded by Charles Blake Esq^r

Resolved. That Michael Mohilly of Cummer be appointed Relieving Officer for Cummer, and Annaghdown, at a salary of £30 per annum. Sureties. Wm Mulloy of Blogh, and Mich Burke of Blooninagh. Sureties approved.

Cummer.

Proposed by Charles Blake Esq^r Senior.

Seconded by Tho^s O' Donelan Esq^r

Resolved. That Michael Canavan of Glare Sluam be appointed Relieving Officer for Glare Sluam District at a salary of £25 per annum. Sureties D Lynch of Carobeg, and Tho^s O' Donelan of Sylane.

Glare Sluam.

Proposed by Edward Blake Esq^r

Seconded by Martin S. Kirwan Esq^r

Resolved. That Thomas Martin be appointed Relieving Officer for the District of Tiltbannon at a salary of £30 per annum. Sureties Wick Jennings Esq^r Taintainhill, and Robert Lavin Esq^r of Millview approved of.

Tiltbannon.

Proposed by Chad Blake Esq^r

Seconded by Tho^s O' Donelan Esq^r

Resolved. That Arthur D Bell be appointed Relieving Officer at a salary of £35 for the District of Visgeavy. Sureties Wm Lynaskey of Coolaghnalea, and James Blake of Bellmound. approved.

Visgeavy.

Proposed by Matthew McDonagh Esq^r

Seconded by Pat Wm Mangar Esq^r

Resolved. That Patrick Kelly of Dunmoe be appointed Relieving Officer for the Dunmoe District at a salary of £30 per annum. Sureties John Kelly, and Matthew McDonagh - approved of.

Dunmoe.

Proposed by Charles Blake Esq^r Senior.

Seconded by Jas Kirwan Esq^r (Gardenfield)

Resolved. That Walter Blake be appointed Relieving Officer for the District of Bloonbern, at a salary of £35 per annum. Sureties, James O' Higgins, Carapaden, and Francis Blake. approved of.

Bloonbern.

Proposed by Denis Turvan Esq
Seconded, by Thos of Donelan Esq

Dunpatrick.

Resolved. That Patrick Glynn be appointed Relieving Officer for the District of Dunpatrick at a Salary of £35 per annum. Sureties. Malachy Glynn of Galtra, and Patk Peily of Sylane approved of.

Proposed by Denis Turvan Esq
Seconded, by Charles Blake Esq

Headford.

Resolved. That Wm Tyne of Headford be appointed Relieving Officer for District of Headford, at a Salary of £35. per annum. Sureties. Chas Tyne Headford, and Thomas Tyne, Cahernackinelly, approved of.

Proposed by Charles Blake Esq
Seconded by Edward Blake Esq.

Killarney

Resolved. That Patrick Pannon be appointed Relieving Officer for the Killarney and Abbey Divisions at a Salary of £35. per annum. Sureties. P. Cummins, Bama, and John Turvan Killarney, approved of.

Proposed by Charles Blake Esq
Seconded by Chas Blake Esq

Monivea.

Resolved. That Michel Costello be appointed Relieving Officer for the District of Monivea, at a Salary of £25 per annum. Sureties. Robert French, Monivea Castle, and Edward St. French of Hyde Park, approved of.

Notice of Motion.

That on this day fortnight, I will move, that this Board Petition Her Majesty's Government, to make Galway the Packet Station, the Naval Officers appointed by the Admiralty Harbour Commissioners, to survey that of Galway, having reported it, to be the best for that purpose, on the West Coast of Ireland. (Signed) Thos of Donelan.

The necessary Cheques having been signed, the Board adjourned.
John Robert Hopkins Clerk.

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, during the week ended Saturday 20th day of November, 1847.

	Admitted				Total	Born	Discharged				Total	Died	
	Males aged 15 and upwards	Females aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15			Males aged 15 and upwards	Females aged 15 and upwards	Boys under 15	Girls under 15			
During the week ended as above	24	38	21	23	109			12	17	5	14	1	2
Remaining on the previous Saturday as per last Return	174	259	198	130	761						48	1	2
Total	198	297	219	153	870						52		
Deduct discharges and deaths during the week ending as above	13	18	5	14	52						56		
Remaining on the above date	185	279	214	138	818						37	1	
											93		34

Return of Sick and Somatic Paupers

Observations in case of any unusual number of these classes of Paupers

None and Property None

Number of inmates that the Workhouse is calculated to contain, 800
Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Monday, the 29th day of November 1847.

that he furnished the Poor Law Commissioners with a list of all outstanding cheques according to

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:	No. that can be accommodated in the 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.				Males.	Fem.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse														
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds														
Total														
Remainder on previous Saturday, as per last Return,														
Admitted during the Week,														
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. 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.	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.						
Bt. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 22nd day of November 1847

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Bodkin Esq
 Elected Overseers: Pat. Thos Burke, William Garrison, Jeremiah Tully, Richard Kelly, C. Flaherty, D. N. Smyth, Charles Blake, Junr. Patrick Wm. Mangau, Charles Blake Senr. Thos. B. Foster, Murk. L. Blake, Edward. P. Kelly.

Sec. Office
 James Herwan (G. F.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4,119 to No. 4,237, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Poor Law Book 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 received the resignation of Mr. Hynes, as elected Guardian for the Electoral Division of Headford, and that he forwarded it to the Poor Law Commissioners on the 23rd Inst., that he forwarded all the arrears to guards from the relieving officers to the Poor Law Commissioners on the 23rd Inst., except Mr. Hynes for Headford district who did not attend - that he furnished the Treasurer with a list of all outstanding cheques according to

their date and Mr's amounts to £.

as also a copy of the resolutions passed relative to it on last Board day, and that

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2 Establishment account.

	£	s	d.
John Burke Bal ^{ce} of Shed.	15	"	"
Rev ^d Luke Ryan Salary to 29 th Sept: 1847	26	5	"
John R. Hopkins Clerk to purchase Wood, flannel &c &c	10	"	"

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

3 Invoice account

Milk Gilmore meat	2	11	4
John Shanley Bal ^{ce} of Milk	11	10	4
Pat Kearney Milk	25	11	8
Will ^m Moran Groceries	5	6	9
Samuel W ^m Murray Bread	11	13	1

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

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The Minutes 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: (See page 8)

That the Schoolmaster's room was very dirty as also the windows inside in all the Dormitories and that Sewers are in a bad state, that there are a great number of able-bodied paupers not kept to work that the children in Female School are making progress in their instruction, and that regular attendance is given by the Medical Officer whose Hospital reflects Credit on him as to the cleanliness and general state of it. That the Protestant Chaplain complained of not having his prepared for divine service on the 11th Inst. and that the Roman Catholic Chaplain has never signed his Book. That accommodation can be provided in the Dormitories for 50 or 100 more and suggesting the shed in Mens yard to be made a day room &c &c &c.

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

The Medical Officer reported 11 deaths during the week - and that the new Shed has been completed - and that he intends to move the Fever patients from the old Shed into the new one until the roof of it, is properly slanted, and requesting Chambers, Commedy, Gaudapau, &c &c for the new Shed, and reporting that was a letter from the Commissioners during the week, concerning the number which the House would hold, to which he replied that he considered 900 to be the number which it would accommodate, supposing 100 to be always in Hospital and Convalescent Ward.

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

The Master reported that he required the following - 30 lb. Wax, 2 D. Wool, 50 Chamber Utensils, 100 yds. Flannel, 6 lb. Grey Thread, 100 Needles, 100 Thimbles, 20 Razors, 2 pair large Scissors, 1 desk for his office.
Ordered that the Clerk do get a Cheque for £10. to purchase the above.

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 17th Nov: 1845, 648, relative to the number which they will insist the House to contain. No order

2nd Letter from same No: 54, 593, 17th Nov: 1847 relative to the Ordnance Survey and valuation of the Union. No Order

3rd Letter from same No: 606 11th Nov: 1847, enclosing a statement of the number of persons who received gratuitous rations through the Relief Committee in the week ending 4th July 1847. No Order

4th Letter from same No: 38, 042 20th Nov: 1847 relative to the leave for providing a Fever Hospital, sanctioning 3£ to be allowed.

allowed the master to make up the arrear in his Books, and requesting a copy of the Dictionary, ordered to be furnished.

5th Letter from Mr. Masterton Esq: requesting the amount due Mr. Daniel of Dublin £9:10:6 or if not he will institute law proceedings. No Order

6th Letter from L. Mullins Treasurer acknowledging the receipt of that Resolution and List of outstanding Cheques and requesting a legal indemnity against any losses he might incur by compliance with their instructions. No Order.

Mr. Birmingham having laid before the Board a copy of a Memorial to Lord J. Russell requesting that Galway may be made the Packet Station on the Western Coast of Ireland, ordered that it be signed.

Provisional admissions into the Workhouse and application for admission were considered & decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book.

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 & adms confirmed was	30
Ditto, disallowed	7
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	113
Ditto rejected	19

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 Collecting Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - -