

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.

|   |   |    |  |
|---|---|----|--|
| Michael Brown, Salary and Cloths                        | 7 | 10 |  |
| Margaret, 1/2 Yearly Salary, 29 <sup>th</sup> September | 7 | 10 |  |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|                          |    |    |   |
|--------------------------|----|----|---|
| Timothy W. Murray, Bread | 25 | 12 | 5 |
| Michael Gibson, Meat     | 2  | 7  | 1 |
| James Ryan, Turf         | 5  |    |   |

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 an inspection the House was far better, than expected, that they recommended the Windows halfway up in the Boys Dormitories to be latticed with Wire in the Inside, and that immediate instructions should be given to the Contractor that zinc plates should be attached to the Louvers according to Contract, that the whole Floor is ground too fine - and recommend One dozen more of Spinning Wheels - No Order -

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows: The Medical Officer reported 4 deaths during

the Week, and that there is a disease broken out in a number of the Boys feet, which he attributed to the cold of the School Room floor, on which Lime was shaken occasionally, they then go out in the Wet, and their feet get Scalded - The Bath used by the Board may get - and set all to his apprehension that he called on J. Burke, Contractor, to finish the Louvers, and that to the best of his belief, the Zinc Plates for Louvers may not bought by him, should be obliged by the Board getting them finished at any Expense, and deduct the expense from the present Contractor - and also that he called upon him to get the Slides of the Windows which were made to open and Shut, done, and would feel obliged by the Board, taking the same steps in this Case, and that there is a Distemper disease among the Females, and recommend them to be removed from the Work House, or to procure Lodgings for them -

Ordered. That our Visiting Committee be requested to complete the Works, reported by the Doctor as left unfinished by the Contractor, and that the expense incurred by them, be deducted from his Contract - That use of Lime be discontinued in Boys School and Dining Room - That the Bath made, be returned

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

returned, and are furnished according to the Doctor's Report, and as to the removal of the Female Patients the Board fear they cannot relieve them out of the Work House, consistently with Law —



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> = Circular, from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 14<sup>th</sup> December, 1846, requiring a return of rates, returned since 29<sup>th</sup> September 1846, for the House of Commons — Forwarded —

2<sup>nd</sup> = Letter — from same 17<sup>th</sup> December 1846, stating that they received a Communication from Mr. Charles Davis Master of the Work House, in which he tenders his resignation, and they are disposed to consider from the observations of Mr. R. Rankin their Inspector, he is unfit for the duties of his Office, and requesting that they may be furnished with the Opinion of the Board of Guardians, both on his Qualifications, and his Offer to resign —

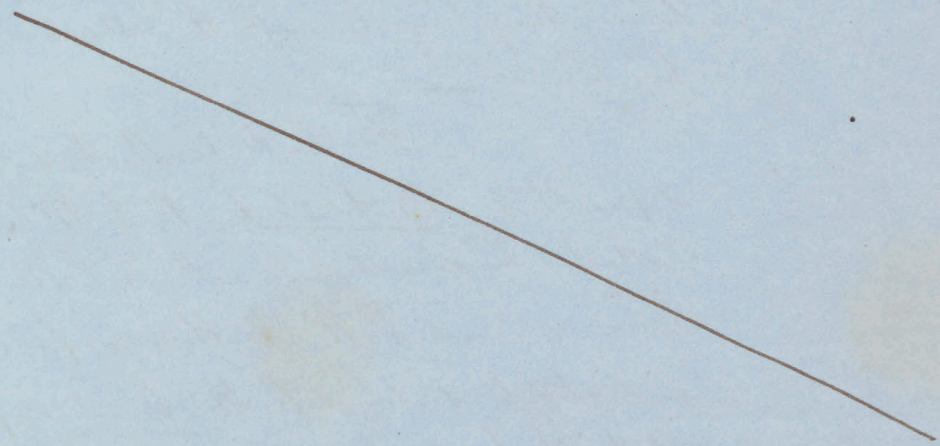
3<sup>rd</sup> = Letter, from same, 18 Dec<sup>r</sup> 1846, No. 42,089, containing a paper Annex, to be inserted in the Local Affairs Papers for a Work House Master —

4<sup>th</sup> = Letter, from same, 18<sup>th</sup> December 1846, No. 42,087 informing the Board, that the Vesting Committee are legal power to alter the Registry of Paupers, which can only be done at a Meeting of the Board of Guardians —

Fr 17/18

Fifth Letter, from same, 18 December 1846, No. 41,726, stating that they received a Communication from the Board of Health, addressed to them by Doctor French relative to the necessity for Hospital accommodation for pressing in Epidemic disease in the Electoral Division of Norwich, and requesting to be informed whether any and what steps have been taken in respect to Medical relief under the Certificate of the Board of Health —

Ordered — The Commissioners be informed that no steps have as yet been taken with reference to Medical relief at Norwich as the Board is informed by the Guardians of that District, that Epidemic disease is not now any prevalent there —



Provisional admissions into the Work House, and applications for Admissions were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Book, 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 Book.

|   |    |
|---|----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 8  |
| Ditto, disallowed   | 0  |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was              | 34 |
| Ditto rejected  | 24 |

|   |   |
|---|---|
| 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 Deceiving 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 on every year).

Proposed by Edward Blake Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Seconded by Charles V Blake Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Resolved. That hereafter on each Board day, the Retaining Officers be called on Alphabetically for their Electoral Divisions, to produce their Books, asking for the applicants for Admissions for the day —

Proposed by Charles Blake Esq<sup>r</sup> Senior,  
Seconded by William Gannon Esq<sup>r</sup>,  
Resolved. That the Clerk of this Board be directed to write to the Horse Guards, to enquire about Robert Lopez an Soldier of the 75th Regiment, who states that he had been discharged from the 95th Regiment, after 8 Years service, without any Pensions, owing to his being subject to Epilepsy, the Guardians not being satisfied with his statement, wish to ascertain the fact, if his statement be true, they beg to call the attention of the Government to his Case —

The Rate Collectors having given in Lists of defaulting, Ordered, that Mr. John Cunningham Rate Collector be directed to call upon Messrs Robert Henry, John Newman, and D. W. Rothery for the payment of the Rates and also to detain C. H. Croome for the payment of the Rates Colonel Jennings Case to be adjourned until a Mr. Pinner of Moyne explains the nature of his relation to the Paris Club and that Mr. Wm. Pinner be written to by our Solicitor for Payment of the Rate also, before this day Week —

Resolved. That our Clerk do write to the Comptroller, to say that the Master will have his accounts ready for audit, on this day, three Weeks —

That

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

That the Clerk be called upon, to know why the Farming and Redsteads and Furniture for the School-Masters Apartment have not been furnished —

The Consideration of the Boundary will be adjourned, until this day Week —

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

(Signed)

John Morris,

Acting Clerk

of the Union —

OK  
x

his Bond, as also the men Contractors

44265/4<sup>1/2</sup> Trans. Mun. ✓

Returns of Persons 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 <sup>Satur. Day</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> Day of Decr 1847

|                                     | Admitted                  |                             |               |                |              |               | Discharged                |                             |               |                |                 | Died  |                           |                             |               |                |                 |       |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|-------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|-------|
|                                     | Males aged 15 and upwards | Females aged 15 and upwards | Boys under 15 | Girls under 15 | Boys under 2 | Girls under 2 | Males aged 15 and upwards | Females aged 15 and upwards | Boys under 15 | Girls under 15 | Infants under 2 | Total | Males aged 15 and upwards | Females aged 15 and upwards | Boys under 15 | Girls under 15 | Infants under 2 | Total |
| Admitted during the week            | 11                        | 13                          | 11            | 3              | 3            | 0             | 13                        | 23                          | 13            | 10             | 3               | 62    | 5                         | 1                           | 1             | 4              | 1               | 8     |
| Admitted during the previous week   | 178                       | 27                          | 24            | 19             | 19           | 0             | 100                       | 100                         | 100           | 100            | 100             | 100   | 100                       | 100                         | 100           | 100            | 100             | 100   |
| Total                               | 189                       | 28                          | 25            | 19             | 22           | 0             | 113                       | 123                         | 113           | 103            | 62              | 107   | 5                         | 1                           | 1             | 4              | 1               | 8     |
| Discharged during the week          | 18                        | 24                          | 14            | 10             | 4            | 0             | 10                        | 10                          | 10            | 10             | 10              | 10    | 10                        | 10                          | 10            | 10             | 10              | 10    |
| Discharged during the previous week | 171                       | 260                         | 239           | 183            | 18           | 0             | 100                       | 100                         | 100           | 100            | 100             | 100   | 100                       | 100                         | 100           | 100            | 100             | 100   |
| Total                               | 189                       | 284                         | 253           | 198            | 22           | 0             | 110                       | 110                         | 110           | 110            | 110             | 110   | 110                       | 110                         | 110           | 110            | 110             | 110   |

Number of Summits that shall be made or calculated to contain 800  
 Meeting of Guardians to be held on Monday the 31<sup>st</sup> Day of January 1848.

Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Monday the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1847.

Present: In the Chair, Michael Joseph Brown Esq.  
 Robert Guardians William Gammon, Dominick Lally, Pederick J. Kealy,  
 Richard Kelly, Charles Blake Senr, James Kirwan (Blindwell), Edward  
 P. Kelly, Patrick Thomas Clarke, Patrick Kelly.

Officer Guardians  
 Edward Blake  
 Robert Dodkin  
 James Kirwan (S.F.)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1153 to No. 1157, 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 wrote to the Board of Guardians relative to Robert Lyons, that John Ryan, Milk Contractor, had perfected his Bond, as also the Meat Contractor.

UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . . .

Present Net Annual Value, . . . . .

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the . . . . . day of . . . . .

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

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

PRESENT: In the Chair,  
Other Guardians:

*Ex Officio Guardians*  
*Edward Blake*  
*Robert Dodkin*  
*James Keenan (G.F.)*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.  
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4536 to No. 4576, 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 reports to the Board of Guardians, that John Ryan, Milk Contractor, had profited his Bond, as also the meat Contractor.

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, - £ 175. 2. 3

Paid during the week, - £ 112. 11. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 100. 4. 5

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 assignments made of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union were as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Name of Electoral Division. | Collected and Lodged. |          | Remaining. |           |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------|------------|-----------|
|                         |                             | £                     | s. d.    | £          | s. d.     |
| Pat Ryan                | Trom                        | 11                    | 11       | 665        | 5 8       |
| do                      | Clare Duam                  | 1                     | 1        | 157        | 1 8       |
| do                      | Cummer                      | 1                     | 1        | 257        | 13 8      |
|                         |                             |                       |          | 105        | 4 0       |
| Chas Ridge              | Kilbannon                   | 31                    | 14 7 1/2 | 284        | 17 2 1/2  |
| do                      | Lisgray                     | 27                    | 14 4 1/2 | 352        | 4 4 1/2   |
|                         |                             |                       |          | 59         | 9 0       |
| John Formall            | Dromore                     | 19                    | 13 6     | 252        | 9 2       |
| do                      | Clonbern                    | 58                    | 2 2      | 252        | 8 10 1/2  |
|                         |                             |                       |          | 77         | 15 8      |
| Patrick Joyce           | Downpatrick                 | 1                     | 1        | 191        | 10 7 1/2  |
| do                      | Headford                    | 1                     | 1        | 264        | 18 1/2    |
| do                      | Annadown                    | 1                     | 1        | 126        | 17 10 1/2 |
|                         |                             |                       |          | 17         | 8 0       |
| John Cunningham         | Killerin                    | 17                    | 8 0      | 150        | 16 4 1/2  |
| John Wall               | Ahley                       | 20                    | 9 7      | 204        | 18 9 1/2  |
| do                      | Minerva                     | 11                    | 11       | 90         | 6 11 1/2  |
|                         |                             |                       |          | 20         | 9 7       |
| Total,                  |                             | 175                   | 2 3      | 3235       | 5 7 1/2   |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract. *Weekly Relief Lists 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 £ 67. 1 s. 10 1/2d.

|  |               |
|--|---------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       | £ s. d.       |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | 67. 1. 10 1/2 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   | 173. 0. 0 3/4 |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 15 1/2        |
| 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:

- |                     |                         |
|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 2000th Bread        | 15 Cwt whole meal       |
| 6 bottles of Wine   | 1 lb Sapa 1 lb Allspice |
| 131 lb Meat         | 2 lb Rice               |
| 1300 lb Butter Milk | 190 boxes of Surf       |
| 3 Cwt Salt          | 40 lb Scent Candles     |
| 1 lb 12 lb Tea      | 70 lb Soap              |
| 9 lb Sugar          | 4 lb Mould Candles      |
| 30 Cwt 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

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

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer. | By Order on Contractors. |                | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer. | By Order on Contractor. |                |
|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|
|                  |                            |                        | Article and quantity.    | Value. £ s. d. |                  |                            |                        | Article and quantity.   | Value. £ 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. forw'd.     |                            |                        |                          |                | 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.

|  | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
|  |   |    |    |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|                          |     |    |   |
|--------------------------|-----|----|---|
| James Blake, Meal        | 52  | 11 | 0 |
| William Moran, Groceries | 13  | 2  | 0 |
| John Ryan, Milk          | 40  | 14 | 7 |
| Patrick Kearney, Milk    |     |    |   |
| 1 - £50: 0: 0            |     |    |   |
| 2 - 50: 0: 0             |     |    |   |
| 3 - 50: 0: 0             |     |    |   |
| 4 - 50: 0: 0             |     |    |   |
| 5 - 40: 10: 4            | 240 | 10 | 4 |

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: (see page 809)

That they found the Nursery smoking which must be dangerous to the inmates health - recommending the shed to be covered with felt that they inspected Mr Mathew's House with Mall, and recommended that it be taken, and that it will require very little repairs and outlay

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

The Medical Officer reported 3 deaths during the week and that there had not been a sufficiency of milk delivered during the past week for the Pampers and that supplied was of an inferior quality, and calling the attention of the Board to the lateness of the Hour at which Breakfast was given on Sunday (after two o'clock) caused he was informed by reason of the lateness of the hour at which Divine Service was performed, and requesting that a Number of beds should be made up for the use of the Sheds.

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:)

1<sup>st</sup> Circular from Poor Law Commrs, dated 2<sup>d</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> 1847 No 707 requesting a Return of all the Orphan and deserted Children in the Workhouse.

2<sup>nd</sup> Letter from same Dated 31 Dec<sup>r</sup> 1847, 1846 stating that they called on Messrs Ryder, Ryde, Cornwall Joyce & Wall for an Explanation relative to their delay and apparent deficiency in discharging the duties of their office.

3<sup>rd</sup> Letter from the Central Board of Health, 18<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> relative to the Improv<sup>d</sup> Sewerage

4<sup>th</sup> Letter from John O'Hara Esq Solicitor intimating his intention of taking immediate Law proceedings against the Board for L. 588. 7. 2 D<sup>r</sup> Mr Gunning of Galway No order

Provisional admissions to the Workhouse and applications for admission were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

|   |    |
|---|----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 3  |
| Ditto, disallowed   | 0  |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was              | 42 |
| Ditto rejected  |    |

|  |   |
|--|---|
| 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 P <sup>o</sup> licy Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - |

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered -



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

The Clerk Reports that he has served with a Capeas for the sum of £388.7:2 at the Suit of Mr John Gunning of Galway

Mr Andrew Egan's proposal was accepted for covering two fene sheds with felt, and finding all materials for the sum of Nineteen pounds <sup>twelve</sup> shillings, and the penny on the condition that he will execute and have the work completed within three weeks from that date subject to the approval of the following Committee: - Messrs Michael Joseph Brown, Robert Bodkin, James Kirwan (G Field) R. J. Keogh James Kirwan (Blindwell)

The Clerk was directed to write to Mr Daniel McNeill late Katefallute and request he would attend the Bond next day of meeting.

Ordered, That the Treasurer be requested to pay Mr Martin Clorin's Cheque for the sum of £18.6:6 with the Cheques for the tickets expended.

Ordered - That Pat Kearney's cheques drawn on the 15 Nov & 2nd Dec Nos 199 & 292 be cancelled and that four Cheques for £5 each and one for £40 be drawn in his favor on our Treasurer and that the Treasurer be requested to pay James Lynskey's Cheque for the sum of £62.8:0.

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

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

Ruband Castello Relieving Officer offers as his Suetes Dr French of Monroa and John O'Leary of Currando's in place of Messrs Edward and Robert French, Accepted of

Mr John Mathews's proposal was accepted for letting his house, yard, and offices situated on the Mall in the Town of Tuam at a rate of Fifty Shillings per annum, possession to be given on 15 January next and Rent to commence from that day.

The Clerk applied for leave to absent himself on Monday and Tuesday next, - Tomorrow.

The Schoolmaster applied for the following which were ordered by the Bond viz:

- 1/2 Dozen 2<sup>nd</sup> Books reading; 2 Dozen Tablets
- 1 do Spelling Books. 1 Do First Reading Books

Notes of Motion

That I shall bring under the consideration of the Guardians at their next Meeting the state of the Union and the inability of the Bonds to arrest the destitution that is so rapidly increasing.

(Signed) Robert Bodkin

The necessary cheques and orders having been duly signed and countersigned the Bond adjourned.

*[Signature]*  
John Robert Stephens  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

