

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

Circular to Clerk,
695^m
8 October

Transmitting Forms for the preparation of a Return, respecting the current

Circular to Clerk
694.50
8 Oct

Transmitting Forms for a Return of the Liabilities & Expenses of the Workhouse

Letter to Clerk
56956
12 Oct

Transmitting a Form for the preparation of a Return setting forth the particulars of the Insurance about to be effected on certain Buildings connected with the Workhouse

Letter to Clerk
57.217
15 Oct

Stating that the Poor Law Commissioners do not object to the Guardeans obtaining a Loan of Fifty or Hundred pounds from the Treasurer of the Union but that the interest which may accrue on the amount borrowed, cannot constitute a legal charge on the Rates &c

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:)

Letter to Clerk
55.718
8 October

Requesting to be informed of the amount of poor Rate due by Country Squire Clarke Esq. and what steps have been already taken to recover it

The Clerk states he had replied to this letter on the 14 Inst.

Letter to Clerk
54.381
9 Oct.

Transmitting queries to be answered by the person who may be appointed to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for Abbey East Abbey West and Moyne

Letter to Clerk
56.412
15 Oct.

Sanctioning the appointment of Mr Edward Concannon as Rate Collector for Abbey East Abbey West and Moyne

Letter to Clerk
56.956
15 October

Requesting to be informed what arrangements have been made for the discharge of the Assistant Matron's duties during her illness

Ordered that the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that the duties of the Assistant Matron were discharged ^{during her absence} by the Matron. The Officer admitted to is now Convalescent and will resume her duties in a day or two

Read a Communication from Mr Egan applying for a Balance of Two Hundred pounds due to him for the erection of sheds along the Boundary wall & Day Room and Day Room

The Clerk was directed to write to the Poor Law Commissioners requesting them to liquidate Mr Egan's claim

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.)

Letters Read from the Poor Law Commissioners in reference to the Consolidation of the debts of the Union - Consolidation deferred to next Meeting

Proposed by Thomas Higgins
seconded " Edward Browne

Resolved That finding it is possible for the Collectors of Poor Rate to avoid the due Control of the Clerk of the Union as well as the Committee appointed to inspect their accounts in consequence of the Form of Receipt now in use having regard to the fact that while a Collector gives a receipt to a party paying the entire rate he can attach to the Counterpart retained and enter in his abstract of Rate Receipts a different Number retaining a lesser sum and thereby retain the Balance in his hands for a considerable time. That in cases where a party is charged in several Numbers one receipt is in many cases issued to the party paying the aggregate amount, enclosing upon the Back thereof the

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day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

Numbers the result being to place in the hands of the Collector the power of retaining Counterpart Receipts by filling up for each Number so paid a Block Receipt, and that in cases when distresses are made and only a portion of the rate realized and the Occupier subsequently abandons the Occupation the Collector has it in his power to retain sums thus acquired without any great danger of detection. For the foregoing reasons we are of opinion that it would be for the benefit of the Union that a separate Receipt and Counterpart should issue for each Number in the Rate Book, showing the Number in the Rate Book, the Net Annual Value of the House or Land, the Electoral Division the sum ascertained as due thereon, the poundage rate, and the day upon which the rate was made, and in cases where distresses have been made and sales consequent thereon, but not sufficient to countervail the entire rate, we recommend that the Collector should be required to endorse upon the Back of the Receipts so issued immediately after the sale, the day upon which the distress was made and the day of sale, the description of the goods seized the amount realized and from whom, and the expense consequent thereon and at the time of sale give a receipt to the person whose goods and Chattels were sold, for the net amount received after deducting the necessary costs, which receipt should issue under the title of produce of sale Receipt, Counterpart to be retained, and each part to correspond with the Number in Rate Book for the Electoral Division for the purpose of having the amount so received lodged to the Credit of the Number

In the Rate Book of the Electoral Division or upon the lodgement of the Counterpart with the Clerk of the Union the Collector if he has it shall have from time to time issued to him receipts for the same number until he is entitled from the facts of the entire being paid to issue the correct receipt for the purpose of having a still greater control we are of opinion that the Collectors should furnish a list of all such distresses every month to the Clerk for the purpose of being submitted to the Collectors Account Committee and of being verified upon oath at the end of each half year when the accounts are being audited, should the Committee of Collectors think proper to require the same and that the following form of Receipts be submitted to the Commissioners for the Relief of the destitute poor in Ireland for their use

Proposed by Thomas Higgins
 Seconded by C. J. O'Kelly =

Resolved that a Committee of the entire Board be appointed for the purpose of seeing how far it would be practicable to reduce our staff and the salaries of the several Officers & such other alterations as may be thought proper with a view of curtailing our expenses to meet on the 23 October =

The Valuation Books were exhibited and examined the necessary notices served preparatory to signing the Rate Books =

Read a Communication from Mr C. Blake sent consenting to give the Barracks and the premises attached for ^{a lease of three years} a sum of One hundred and ten pounds Annually. The Union to have the power of Surrendering it any time by giving six months notice in writing. It is further agreed to pay Mr Blake a sum of Fifty pounds at the expiration of the time, which sum is intended to cover all the Expenses of repairs and damage the house may sustain during the occupancy of the Union - The Guardians are to have full power to remove any sheds or temporary Buildings that may be erected thereon The small house outside the Barracks is to be included in the premises alluded to above =

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 23 Oct. 1852.

T. Higgins
 Clerk Union

John Blake J

Duam

UNION.

Population in 1841, 69326

Present Net Annual Value, £ 82336

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of October 1850.

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	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	1250	1134														
Temporary Buildings,	100	"														
Additional Workhouse,	1829	529														
Permanent Fever Hospital	70	78														
Fever Sheds,	200	22														
TOTAL,	3249	1950														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			143	59	55	40	244	471	214	175	43	1367	In Workhouse Hospital, 138	In separate Wards, 49		
Admitted during the Week,			9	46	2	"	15	13	9	1	4	99	Total, 167	Total,		
TOTAL,			157	633	37	40	259	484	223	176	47	2050				
Discharged during the Week,			7	29	"	1	23	13	14	7	3	97				
Died,			"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	31	"	1	23	13	14	7	4	100				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			144	603	37	39	236	471	209	169	43	1950				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19 day of October 1850, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	1	1	"	"	1	1	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	1	1	"	"	1	1	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 23 day of October 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, *R. Bodkin*
 Other Guardians: *James M'Dermott, Denis Arwan, Henry Blake, J. Finney, Th. Savage, J. P. Donnellan, M. G. Lynch, Jas. M'Arwan, P. B. Burke, John J. Kelly, Chas. Blake Jun., M. Kelly, J. Bolan, C. Grant, J. Wade, M. J. Roche*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.
 Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3657 to No. 3758, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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.

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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 Pat Hanly, Porter at the Galway Road Auxiliary Workhouse, be placed in charge of the Irish Auxiliary Workhouse instead of Mark Sully a pauper, who is to be removed to the Principal Workhouse = ✓

That the Clerk be directed to write to the Clerk of the Dublin Asylum requesting to be informed as to the cost of a Fumigator &c = ✓

That the Clerk Summon an Extraordinary Meeting of the Board for Monday next the 30 Inst for the purpose of considering the amount of Salary to be attached to the Roman Catholic Chaplaincy = ✓

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

The Medical Officer handed in one Shilling and three half pence which remained in the Master's hands since Ballyquaddy Fever Hospital was closed, the property of paupers who died there = ✓

Ordered that the above sum be handed to the sisters of Mercy to be disposed of as they think fit = ✓

The Medical Officer directing to his Report of the 9 Inst as to the necessity for windows in the Boys School Room, suggested that there should be six instead of four = ✓

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

The Master Reported that the Owners require repairs
The Clerk was directed to invite
Tenders, proposals to be considered on the

That the windows of the House require glazing

The Master was directed to procure 3 dozen
Hand Scutches = ✓

The Master requested leave of absence
for one week which was granted =

carried forward to page 45 = ✓

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:)

Letter to Clerk
7435
17 October

Stating in reply to the Clerk's letter of the 13th that in making out the Balance in favor of or against the Electoral Division as directed by Mr Lucas neither the payments referred to nor the stocks in hand need be noticed = ✓

Circular to Clerk
57.605
18 October

with reference to the Recovery of Rates due in respect of property for the sale of which petitions have been addressed to the Commissioners for the Sale of Encumbered Estates in Ireland = ✓

Letter to Clerk
58.376
22 October

Requesting to be furnished with further particulars relative to the admission of Denis Mulvey by Valentine Erskine Relieving Officer = ✓

Letter to Clerk
58.376
22 Oct

Forwarding queries to be answered by person who may be appointed as successor to Mr. A. D. Bell Relieving Officer for No. 2 District who was called on to resign his office on the 16th = ✓

Letter to Clerk
53.717
58.181 20 Oct

Forwarding a Bill of Costs amounting to One pound Eighteen Shillings & Eight pence due to Messrs. Gale & Dwyer for paying Mr. J. Jullys. Bill of Costs against the Swan Union = ✓

Letter to Clerk
57.609
22 October

Consenting to proceedings being taken in any one of the Superior Courts of Record in Dublin against Courtney Henry Clarke Esq for Rates due by him as Immediate Lessor of property in the Union = ✓

Letter to Presiding Chairman
58.376
22 October

Relative to the allowance of Ten pounds proposed to be granted to the Clerk for preparing the Rate Books and Objecting to Sanction Same &c. = ✓

Read a Communication from the Agent of the Sun fire Insurance Company setting forth the amount per hundred pounds which the Company would charge for insuring certain portions of the Work House premises not previously insured.

The Clerk was directed to notify to the Agent of the Sun fire Insurance Company that the Board had decided on insuring the premises adverted to at the rates proposed = ✓

Read a Communication from Mr. A. D. Bell resigning his situation of Relieving Officer for No. 2 District, = ✓

Resolved that same be accepted and that the Clerk be directed to invite proposals for the Office, tenders to be considered on 6th November = ✓

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The attention of the Guardians having been directed to the fact that 34 days Relief has been charged against the Sillonev Election Division for the Maintenance of Budget Scally whose name appears on the Relief^{list}, altho not in the House -

Resolved
That the Maintenance of Budget Scally for 34 days be charged to the Assistant and Peter Greany late Relieving Officer for that Division and that same be lodged to the credit of the Division -

The following Notices of Motion are to be considered on the 6th November by
By John Francis Browne. That the Chargeability of James & Catharine Kelly Honor Boyle, John Collins, Mary, Sewall Thomas Golding Mary & Mary Connolly be changed from Sillonev to such other Division as may appear legally liable to maintain them & that Martin & James O'Leary be changed from Ballinapark to the Division liable to maintain them

By Charles Blake, That the Electoral Division of Milltown be varied to the Relief District called No 1 in Charge of Pat Kelly, Relieving Officer -
That the Charge of Mack Hill be altered from Doonah to Carranvagh or the Union at Liff

By Mr G Lynch, That the Chargeability of John Mc Cormick his wife & 5 children be altered from Sillonev to Saphall & Mary Greany be changed from same to Union at Liff

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The Board having considered proposals for supplying the work house with Turf Shaw, Coffins &c

Resolved That the Tender of John Lamer to supply Turf to the workhouse & Auxiliaries Carriage free for three months at 7^d the Imperial Bag - be accepted -

Resolved That the Tender of John Royan to supply Coffins 3 Sizes viz -
Large 7^d Middle 7^d Small 10^d - for 3 months Carriage - be accepted -

The Proposals to supply Shaw - etc erect 4 windows in sheds used as a school Room being considered excessive the Clerk was directed to invite fresh Tenders to be considered on the 30th Instant -

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -
Ditto, disallowed -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Masters Report Carried Forward from page 45

That the Pump in the Mens yard fell in. The Superintendent of Labourers stated that he would have the well emptied in about a fortnight, he was directed Commence forthwith

That a Girl named Mary Jordan from the Electoral Division of Sillien had been brought to the workhouse on the 18 Inst in a weak and sickly state who died immediately on her admission in the Probationary Ward -

The Requirements on the Masters Report were Ordered -

Chas Blahney

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 30 day of October 1850

(Signed) J. S. Figgis
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, 69326

Present Net Annual Value, £ 82326

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of October 1850.

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	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse,	250	1057												
Temporary Buildings,	100													
Additional Workhouse,	1829	620												
Permanent Fever Hospital	76	54												
Fever Sheds,	200	196												
TOTAL,	3449	1927												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			144	602	37	39	236	471	209	169	48	1950	In Workhouse Hospital, 57 In Fever Hospital, 196	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,
Admitted during the Week,			12	16	2		6	9	3	2	3	53	Total, 250	Total,
TOTAL,			156	618	39	39	242	480	212	171	46	2003		
Discharged during the Week,			13	24		1	8	14	4	6	1	71		
Died,			1	1			1		1			5		
Total Discharged and Dead,			14	25		1	9	14	5	6	2	76		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			142	593	39	38	233	466	207	165	44	1927		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 day of October — authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	2	2			2	2	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	2	2			2	2	TOTAL,						

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PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. Rodkin*
 Other Guardians: *C. Blake, R. Savage, Thomas Higgins, J. Brown, J. Kelly, P. J. Burke, J. Paddy, G. Kelly, M. G. Lynch, C. Grant, Francis Wade, Tho. O'Flaherty, J. O'Donnell, W. Roche, M. Cullinane, J. Bottrell, E. J. Hunt, R. B. Foster, J. Cronin & St. George*
Jas. Clarke Chairman
J. Syme Clerk

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

[Handwritten signatures]

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2759 to No. 3811, 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 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, - £ 45 " 8 - 0

Bail during the week, - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 288. 2. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged		Remaining	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Pat Ryan	Tuam	"	"	621	8 7
John Martyn	Clare Tuam	16	5 5	200	18 2
		15	5 6	822	6 10
Edw. Braune	Summer	"	"	173	13 2
"	Annadawn	"	"	149	13 5
		"	"	323	6 7
Edw. Concomon	Shillanman	"	"	288	1
	Lisgeany	"	"	291	19 7
	Shillanman	"	"	262	9 6
	Abbey	"	"	489	13 12
		"	"	1312	2 12
James Higgins	Dunmore	"	"	276	7 8
	Clanbern	"	"	144	7 11
		"	"	420	15 8
Mr Joyce	Dunpatrick	29	2 5	213	15 6
	Beauford	"	"	157	11 6
Peter Donnell	Meruirea	29	2 6	371	7 13
		"	"	58	1 3
		"	"	58	1 3
	Total,	45	8	03308	0 2 1/2

Note.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at 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.

Valentine Braune Relieving Officer called the attention of the Board to the fact that Mr. Pat Gammon late Relieving Officer had entered on the Registry, several Paupers as Orphans &c. whose parents were alive and able to support them. Ordered That the Clerk request Mr. Gammons attendance at the Board Room on Wednesday next.

The Clerk stated that he had served the Notices for an Extraordinary Meeting to be held on the 30 Instant also the General Notices of Motion. The Clerk reported that he requires a Gallon of Ink & 2 quire of Blotting Paper.

Mr. Botteull's Guardian for Beauford called the attention of the Board to the fact of John, Honor, Mary & Patrick Joyce having left the workhouse about the first of August & who have been charged on the Relief List up to the 16 Inst.

Ordered That the attendance of Mr. Lydon the late Relieving Officer for Beauford on Wednesday next for the purpose of explaining how the paupers admitted to carts have left the workhouse & be retained on the Relief list without his knowledge.

Proposed by S. J. Cronin Esq
 Seconded " S. Roche Esq

Resolved that we
 give up Ballygaddy and remove all the
 Sheddery therein. Mr Daly to be paid the
 rent due the 1st Nov and the rent in May
 after it falls due

To which an amendment
 was proposed by C. Blake Esq
 Seconded " Mr. G. Lynch Esq

Resolved that
 we retain the House until May next. a
 Division having taken place there appeared
 for the resolution 13
 against it 7
 The Resolution was carried

Ordered That the Services of Par^{ts} of
 Partes at Ballygaddy, be forthwith
 discontinued and that the Master be
 directed to send a person to take charge
 of the premises

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

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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received
 during the week, was £ 87. 11 s. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	87. 2-12
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an inmate for the week was	10 1/4
Average Cost in Infirmary.	10 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	11 1/4

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:

- | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| 15 cut of First Flour | 4600 quarts | Butter Milk |
| 3 Tons of Indian Meal | 3 Bottles of Dark Wine | |
| 2 Tons of Rye Meal | 1 Pot of Calcaulla | |
| 10 cut of Oat Meal | 4 lb of Tea | |
| 23 lb of Sugar | 2 cut of Soap | |
| 5 cut of Salt | 125 lb of Heat | |
| 3 lb of Pauls Candles | 220 Boxes of Prof | |
| 8 lb of Pepper | 24 lb of Candles | |

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.
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 25
 day of Oct; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure
 in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	-	4-9
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,						£ 4-9

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 £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			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. fwd.					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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

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

The Club was directed to invite tenders for the erection of a gate at the Pirby Barrack auxiliary Workhouse

The Visiting Committee reported the conduct of Mr. Kirwan Master of the Pirby Auxiliary Workhouse after a lengthy investigation during which several witnesses were examined. Mr. Kirwan tendered his resignation which was accepted.

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

On the Medical Officer's report Mortar floors were ordered to be put in the school room at Pirby Barrack the pavements being too low for the children's feet =

The requirements in the Master's report were ordered,

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:)

Letter to Clerk
52. 196
26 Oct -

Requesting that the Return of Poor Law Valuation, might be forwarded as soon as possible.

Letter to Clerk
59. 597
29 October

Stating that the Auditors attention should be called to the resolution contained in the Guardians Minutes of the 23 Inst - charging the cost of 34 days relief to the Assistant Master and Peter Greany Relieving Officers.

Letter to Clerk
58. 376
25 October

Sanctioning the reengagement of Pat Walsh as Shoe Maker at a salary of 7/6 per week.

Letter to Clerk
740
25 October

Relative to the manner in which the accounts of the New Union are to be opened and suggesting that an acct to be termed the former Union acct, should be opened for the purpose of keeping a right balance

Circular to Clerk
749
22 October

Requesting that a copy of the existing Valuation might be forwarded.

Read a Communication from the Commission of National Education stating

"That the Qualifications of the male Teacher are good & his method of conducting the business good."

The female Teacher is limited in literary acquirements, but is studying and likely to improve."

That in both departments the Junior classes seem to be well and judiciously taught and in the male department the Senior pupils show a fair amount of improvement except in Arithmetic & Geography. In the Female School the more advanced pupils are less satisfactory. That a supply of Slates and pencils is required.

The following Notices of Motion were given

That the Chargeability of Biddy Kearney, be altered from Locally to the Union at Large, and that Bridget Quirk be changed from Locally to whatever division she may appear to be legally chargeable to.

Signed, J. Finney

Notice of Motion

I take notice that I will on Monday the 13th Nov move that Bridget Roach, be sent as a destitute poor deaf & dumb child to such Institution for the maintenance of deaf & dumb as the Board may see upon.

Signed, Thomas Higgins

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.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, 69326

Present Net Annual Value, £ 82335

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of November 1850.

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	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Indians under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse,	1250	1082												
Temporary Buildings,	180													
Additional Workhouse,	1829	599												
Permanent Fever Hospital	70	49												
Fever Sheds,	200	187												
TOTAL,	3449	1913												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			142	593	39	38	233	466	207	165	44	1922	In Work-house Hospital, 47 In Fever Hospital, 167	In separate Wards, with other inmates,)
Admitted during the Week,			10	20	-	1	9	2	5	3	-	50	Total, 239	Total,
TOTAL,			152	613	39	39	242	468	212	168	44	1977		
Discharged during the Week,			8	24	1	1	12	7	1	1	3	58		
Died,			4	"	"	"	"	"	1	"	1	6		
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	24	1	1	12	7	2	1	4	64		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			140	589	38	38	230	461	210	167	40	1913		

RETURN of DESITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2 day of November - authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	2	2	"	"	2	2	Bt. forward						
No. II.	"	"	"	"	"	"	No. X.						
No. III.	1	1	"	"	1	1	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	3	3	"	"	3	3	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 5 day of November 1850

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Godkin,
 Other Guardians: C. Blake, A. Savage, A. Nolan, Thomas Brown,
 J. F. Braune, J. Finney, J. Aspinwall, Chas. Grant, C. J. Kelly,
 P. J. Burke, M. G. Lynch, O. Tully, S. P. Lynch, J. O'Donnell, P. W. Rutty,
 J. Roche, S. O'Halloran, J. Aspinwall, J. W. Adams, Denis Curran, Richd. Kelly,
 S. J. Gunning, J. Aspinwall

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
 Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 61.

[Handwritten signatures]

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3811 to No. 3861, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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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 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, - £ 146. 10. 5

Paid during the week, - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account in Favor of the Guardians was - £ 434. 13. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Including 1/4 for Sale of Stones }

Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged			Remaining		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Pat Stefan	Tuam	18	17	11	602	10	8
John Mathy	Clare Tuam	"	"	"	200	18	3
		18	17	11	803	8	1/2
Edu ^r Braum	Summer	"	"	"	172	13	2
"	Annadoun	"	"	"	149	13	8
"	"	"	"	"	323	6	7
Edu ^r Connamon	Tullamore	18	3	8	269	18	1
"	Lisheeney	61	1	4	230	19	8
"	Tullerick	30	7	10	232	1	5
"	Abbey	0	18	0	488	16	1/2
		110	10	2	1201	12	7
James Sijyer	Clounmore	8	0	1	265	7	7
	Clounmore	3	3	5	141	4	1/2
		11	3	7	409	12	1/2
M. Parke	Clounpatric	5	10	0	208	5	1/2
	Clounpatric	"	"	"	137	11	0
		5	10	0	365	17	1/2
P. Candall	Monica	"	"	"	58	1	3
		"	"	"	58	1	3
	Total,	146	18	3/6	3161	18	6/3

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at 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.

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

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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 13 s. 2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 88. 16. 9 1/4
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,
 And the general average Cost of an inmate for the week was 10
 Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 1/4

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:

15 Cwt of Flour	6 cwt of Salt
3 Tons of Indian Meal	5 lbs of Pepper
2 Tons of Rye Meal	116 lb of Cheat
10 cwt of Oat Meal	220 Boxes of Soap
3 lb 10 oz of Tea	24 lb of Candles
1 cwt of Soap	3 lb of Should do
1 cwt of Sugar	4195 yards Sait Mills

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.
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 2 day of September; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money, - - - - - 0 - 3 - 9
 In kind, - - - - - " - " - 1
 Total, £ 0 - 3 - 9

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.						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. fwd.						TOTAL,					

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

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 manure pit be made by Pauper Boys at the Trevelyan Auxiliary Workhouse & that the manure there at present be either sold or Land taken and have it removed there also that a room convenient to the Gate should be provided for the Porter of the above named Establishment. —

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

The Medical Officer again called the attention of the Board to the necessity of having windows put in the Boys School room.

Refered to the Visiting Committee that the Fever Hospital Matron requests leave of absence for one week. which was granted.

The Master Reported that the Pump which had fallen in. in the Mens yard was now cleared out & that it would be necessary to have it rebuilt— Ordered accordingly.

The requirements on the Master's report were ordered —