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# MINUTE BOOK.

*Wicklow Union.*

THE MINUTE BOOK, in which shall be entered all Letters received from or written to the Poor Law Commissioners, minutes of all monies received and paid, all orders and cheques given, all accounts examined and allowed, all salaries ordered to be paid, as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings. The entries of money transactions, shall be afterwards posted in the Ledger, and a note of reference made in the margin of the Page in the Minute Book, to the folio in the Ledger to which they are so carried.

*Stanley Esq  
Secretary  
Dublin*

*1857 8/2*

Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.



DUBLIN:  
ALEXANDER THOM, PRINTER AND PUBLISHER, 87, ABBEY-STREET,  
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THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF ACTS.

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Rathfriland UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £/21105. 5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of July 185 1

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | No. that can be accommodated in each building. | Total No. in workhouse 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 9 and under 13 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 9 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, . . .  | 780  | 444                                       |              |      |   |      |   |        |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 64  |              |      |   |      |   |        |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 170                                       |              |      |   |      |   |        |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 28  |              |      |   |      |   |        |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Total, . . .  | 1290   | 906                                       |              |      |   |      |   |        |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 101          | 279  | 44  | 40   | 89  | 146    | 135   | 45   | 113                           | 927                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 400<br>In Fever Hospital, 28        | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 4<br>} 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 7            | 11   | 2   | "    | 2   | 1      | 3   | 1  | 1                             | 28                                    |  |  |
| Total, . . .  |  |   | 108          | 290  | 46  | 40   | 91  | 147    | 138   | 46   | 50                            | 956                                   | Total, 168   | Total, 9   |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 13           | 17   | "   | 1    | 2   | "      | 7   | "  | 4                             | 44                                    |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | "    | "   | "    | "   | 1      | "   | "  | 3                             | 2                                     | 6  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 13           | 17   | "   | 1    | 2   | 1      | 7   | 3  | 6                             | 50                                    |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 95           | 273  | 46  | 39   | 89  | 146    | 131   | 43   | 44                            | 906                                   |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of July 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   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 15  | 22  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 3   | 12  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| <u>Wicklow</u>   | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 22  | 39  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 15th day of July 185 1

PRESENT: In the Chair, Chas. Tottenham Esq  
Lanuce Graydon Esq  
 Other Guardians: Thos. Wm. Gilbert & James Comerford Owen Fogarty  
Simon Moran George Manning Silvester Bonner  
Samuel Edge John Doyle and James Cullen

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.

Edward Kerovan Clush Babatone Parsh  
 Wmney Byrne Courtlin do do  
 Michael Fox Wicklow Town Wicklow  
 Ellen Kehoe do do do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2796 to No. 2838, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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:

### Rates Collected and Lodges in the Old Union

| Collectors Names | Distress Divisions | Rates Lodges | Remaining             |
|------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| Patrick Walker   | Newcastle          | " " "        | 24 2 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
|                  | Killiskeary        | " " "        | " " "                 |
| John Benkey      | Arklow             | " " "        | 10 9 1                |
| Joseph Webb      | Kilbricke          | " " "        | " " "                 |
| James Langlin    | Castle McAdam      | " " "        | " 7 11 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
| William Douglas  | Dunganstown        | " " "        | 2 8 7                 |
| James Madden     | Wicklow            | " " "        | 10 5 2 $\frac{3}{4}$  |
| William Smith    | Rathdun            | " " "        | 8 7 8                 |
| " "              | Asphrim            | 1 9 6        | 1 6 5 $\frac{1}{2}$   |
| John Byrne       | Glandaulough       |              | 8 3 $\frac{3}{4}$     |
|                  | Roundwood          |              | 10 1                  |
| James Madden     | Glacally           | " 16 "       | 9 4 $\frac{1}{2}$     |
|                  | Total              | 2 5 6        | 57 15 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ |

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, - - - - - £ 250-16-8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 37-11-6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £ 273-11-2

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |    |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|----|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s. | d. |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | 2                     | 12 | 7  |        |    |    | 16         | 9  | 7   |        |    |    |
|                         | Newcastle Lower  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 9          | 15 | 3   |        |    |    |
|                         | Microle  | 2                     | 3  | 6  |        |    |    | 18         | 17 | 10  |        |    |    |
|                         | Attidoro   | 6                     | 13 | 8  |        |    |    | 10         | 5  | 1   |        |    |    |
|                         | Killiskey  | 2                     | 3  | 4  | 13     | 13 | 1  | 6          | 10 | 8   | 61     | 18 | 5  |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 1  | 10½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 14         | 16 | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | Bore Ragh  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 115        | 13 | 10½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballysullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 6  | 2½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 53         | 7  | "   |        |    |    |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 31         | "  | 11½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Monastown  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 61         | 11 | 2½  | 301    | "  | 8  |
| James Madden            | Kicklow  | 40                    | 10 | 10 |        |    |    | 283        | 4  | 9   |        |    |    |
|                         | Clanealy   | 20                    | 19 | 9  | 61     | 10 | 7  | 108        | 14 | 10½ | 311    | 19 | 7½ |
| William Douglas         | Dungantown East  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 84         | 15 | 1   |        |    |    |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 31         | 12 | 10  |        |    |    |
|                         | do South   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 44         | 6  | 5   | 160    | 14 | 4  |
| Joseph Webb             | Emmills  | 3                     | 16 | 1  |        |    |    | "          | 3  |     |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | 3      | 16 | 1  | "          | "  | "   | "      | 3  | "  |
| John Teakley            | Orklow   | 37                    | "  | "  | 37     | "  | "  | 243        | 17 | "   | 243    | 17 | "  |
| James Loughlin          | Croneband  | 9                     | 10 | "  |        |    |    | 131        | 8  | 1½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballyanthur  | 6                     | 10 | "  |        |    |    | 44         | 11 | 2½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Boca   | 9                     | "  | "  | 25     | "  | "  | 68         | 11 | 9   | 244    | 11 | 1½ |
| William Smith           | Rathdrenn  | 21                    | 2  | 10 |        |    |    | 195        | 15 | 7½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Knockraath   | 19                    | 5  | 11 |        |    |    | 60         | 4  | 3¼  |        |    |    |
|                         | Troopstown   | 2                     | 10 | 5  |        |    |    | 18         | 10 | 3½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacoy   | 15                    | 1  | 11 |        |    |    | 89         | 18 | 5   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinaclesh   | 21                    | 9  | 9  |        |    |    | 58         | 4  | 2½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacrot  | 25                    | "  | 5  |        |    |    | 86         | 5  | 3   |        |    |    |
|                         | Dughrin  | 5                     | 5  | 8  | 109    | 16 | 11 | 156        | 9  | ½   | 665    | 6  | 8  |
|                         |  | 250                   | 16 | 8  | 250    | 16 | 8  | 1989       | 10 | 9½  | 1989   | 10 | 9½ |

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.
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 £ 11 - 11 s. 3½ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

|   |   |   |               |
|---|---|---|---------------|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - | - | £ 11 s. 3½ d. |
|   |   |   | 53 - 16 - 3½  |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - | - | - 13 <sup>d</sup> |
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|                            |   |   |        |
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| Average cost in Infirmary, | - | - | - 1/11 |
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|                                 |   |   |       |
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| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | - | - | - 1/6 |
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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:

160 Loaves White Bread  
 140 do Brown do  
 90 lb Meat  
 480 Gals New Milk  
 1020 Gals Buttermilk

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 Receipts 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 12<sup>th</sup> day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £ | s. | d. |
|           |   |   |   |   |   | 3  | 6  |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - |   | 1  | 2  |
|           |   |   |   |   |   | 7  |    |
|           |   |   |   |   |   | 1  | 6  |
|           |   |   |   |   |   | 1  | 6  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. II.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. X.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. III.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IV.          | Robt. Manning              | 2-0-0                             |                          |                   | No. XII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. V.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIV.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVI.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IX.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| Car. forwd.      | Total                      | 2-0-0                             |                          |                   | 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. |   |
|--------------|-------|----|----|----|---|
| Dennis Chase | Straw | 12 | 13 | 1  | ✓ |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|                  |                                  |    |    |                 |                  |
|------------------|----------------------------------|----|----|-----------------|------------------|
| Andrew Bilton    | Tinware                          | 12 | "  | 3               | ✓                |
| John Jenkins     | on ac of Building Fever Hospital | 50 | "  | "               | ✓                |
| Edward Boyle     | Sweeping Chimneys                | 2  | 7  | 9               | ✓                |
| Emigration ac of | Jam. Reid Making Clothes         | 5  | 11 | 6               | ✓                |
|                  | Edmond Tallow Making Shoes       | 18 | 11 | 6               | ✓                |
|                  | Joseph Webb Collecting Rates     | 4  | 15 | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ |                  |
|                  | Essexville                       | 1  | 6  | 3               | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
|                  | Kilbride                         | 5  | 10 | "               | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
|                  |                                  |    |    |                 | ✓                |

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



## 3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

|                              | £  | s. | d. |   |
|------------------------------|----|----|----|---|
| Anne Farrell on a/c of Milk  | 50 | "  | "  | ✓ |
| Catherine Reeves Bread       | 38 | 10 | 6  | ✓ |
| Andrew Heyden on a/c of Meal | 60 | "  | "  | ✓ |
| Thom. Byrne Meat             | 11 | 6  | 10 | ✓ |
| Domin. Chate Soup            | 17 | 9  | 9  | ✓ |
| James Dillon on a/c Coal     | 50 | "  | "  | ✓ |

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

## 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| In favor of               | £ | s. | d. |   |
|---------------------------|---|----|----|---|
| Philip Byrne Stone        | 1 | 2  | "  | ✓ |
| from London Nail          | " | 11 | 5  | ✓ |
| James Simpson Mason Work  | 1 | 15 | "  | ✓ |
| Domin. Chate Brush        | 1 | 2  | "  | ✓ |
| Daniel Farrell Water Cart | " | 16 | 2  | ✓ |
| John Mills Broom          | " | 9  | 2  | ✓ |
| Joseph Christian Harnes   | " | 10 | "  | ✓ |
| County Cess               | 1 | 6  | 5  |   |

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 Prayers were made thereon as follows:

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

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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 37153 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland requesting that the Guardians will have the goodness to furnish them with a reply to their Letter of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo in reference to the recommendation of Mr Phelan Medical Inspector to have Ventilating Louvers placed in the Male and Female Dormitories of the Wing, Building & Infirmary Ward

Order on the above

Resolved that the Clerk shall advertise for Tenders to put up Ventilators as directed by Doctor Phelan Tenders to be received this day fortnight

Circular No 318 Dated 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate in Aid

A Letter was read from the Matron requesting that the Board would be so kind as to allow her youngest Son & Granddaughter on a visit with her for One Month

Leave allowed

Resolved that the names of the following Paupers be added to the Register, from the Electoral Division of Rathdrum to the Union at Large agreeable to the Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 3486

of the 2<sup>nd</sup> ultimo, by John Green and John Walk,  
also that the name of John Wood, be altered  
from the Electoral Division of Crocen to the  
Union @ Large

The following Petition was read from Mary Keill  
a Pauper inmate who has acted as assistant  
Nurse Leader in the Fever Hospital,

The Humble Petition of Mary Keill  
a Pauper Inmate of the Workhouse  
Sheweth

That your Petitioner has served  
as Assistant Nurse in the Fever Hospital  
for the last five years and begs to refer to Doctor  
Manning your Medical Officer as to my conduct  
and attention for that time. As I now purpose  
leaving this weed for Australia, may I most  
humbly beg the indulgence of the Board for  
some means to purchase clothing, your Petitioner  
has never troubled the Board for anything before  
she humbly trusts you will consider her an  
object of Charity and your Petitioner as in duty  
bound will ever pray

To the Chairman

Resolved that the Master shall provide  
Mary Keill with a suit of clothing in order  
to equip her for migration to Australia

Mr Andrew Byrne of Corballis was declared  
the Contractor for 60 stones Fleece Wool  
@ Fifteen Shillings and six pence per  
stone

Mr Joseph Webb Collector of Poor  
Rate, produced a list of arrears of Rate  
due for the Electoral Division of Emuilly  
Arrears of Rate lost in consequence of ~~Arrears~~  
down 13/-

The above arrears were allowed to be taken  
off

Wm. Gilbert  
chr.

George Sarnes James R. Taylor

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 - - -

Disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

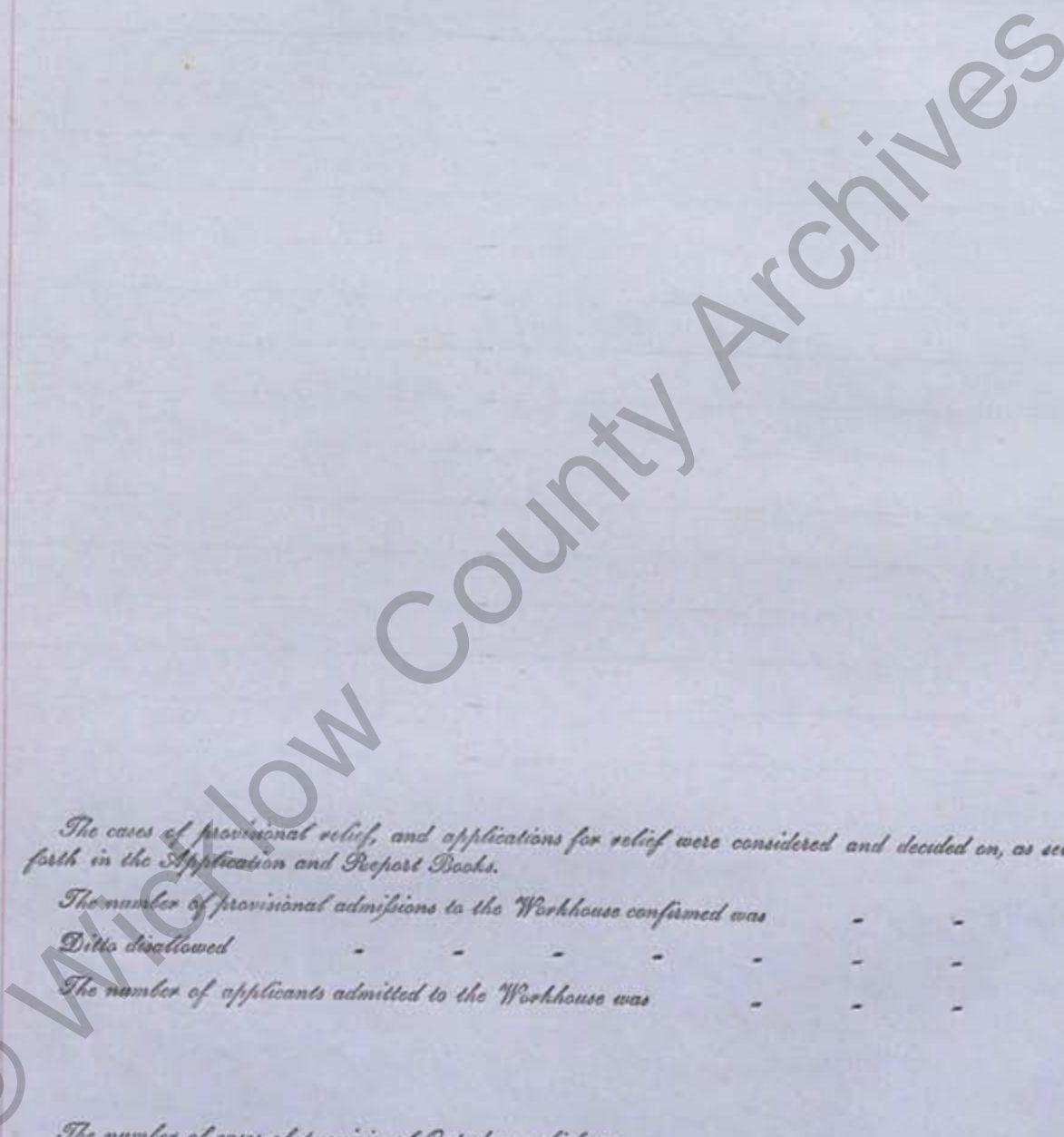
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

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.)



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
27<sup>th</sup> day of *July* 1851.

(Signed) *Arthur W. Smith*  
Clerk of the Union.

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# Rochester UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1851.

| 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. |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.               |                               |   | OBSERVATIONS. |                                       |
|---|--|---|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|--|--|-------------------------------|---|---------------|---------------------------------------|
|   |  |   | Males.       |            | Fem.      |           | Boys.     |            | Girls.     |           | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total.  |               | Number in Hospital on the above date. |
| Workhouse, . . .  | 780  | 573   |              |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  |  |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 62  |              |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  |  |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 187   |              |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  |  |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 26  |              |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  |  |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  |  |                               |   |               |                                       |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>868</b>                                    |              |            |           |           |           |            |            |           |  |  |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 95           | 273        | 46        | 39        | 89        | 145        | 131        | 43        | 14   | 906  | In Work-house Hospital, 137   | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 4 |               |                                       |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 3            | 3          | "         | "         | 3         | 3          | "          | 1         | 3  | 16   | In Fever Hospital, 26         |   |               |                                       |
| <b>TOTAL, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>98</b>    | <b>276</b> | <b>46</b> | <b>39</b> | <b>92</b> | <b>149</b> | <b>131</b> | <b>44</b> | <b>17</b>                                  | <b>922</b>                                 | <b>Total, 163</b>             | <b>Total, 9</b>                                   |               |                                       |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 11           | 18         | "         | 1         | "         | 21         | 3          | 4         | 5  | 44   |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | 1          | 1         | "         | "         | "          | "          | 3         | 5  | 10   |                               |   |               |                                       |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 11           | 19         | 1         | 1         | "         | 2          | 3          | 7         | 10   | 54   |                               |   |               |                                       |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 87           | 257        | 45        | 38        | 92        | 147        | 128        | 37        | 37   | 868  |                               |   |               |                                       |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1851, 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   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 44  | 31  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 2   | 8   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Union            | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 20  | 34  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Wm. Gilbert

Other Guardians: R. H. Truell Esq. Andrew W. Byrne Esq.  
 Mess. Tho. Doyle Joshua Phillips George Saunders  
 D. J. Taylor Samuel Edge John Campbell  
 James Callan Robert Edge and Joseph Edge

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.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2839 to No. 2859, 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:

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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, - - - - - £ 113-12-8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 156-16-8

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 220.7.2

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |        | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|--------|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.     | £      | s. | d.    |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 16         | 9  | 7      |        |    |       |
|                         | do Lower   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 9          | 12 | 3      |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilcorole  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 18         | 17 | 10     |        |    |       |
|                         | Altadore   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 11         | 5  | 1      |        |    |       |
|                         | Killiskey  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 6          | 10 | 8      | 61     | 13 | 5     |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 1  | 10 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Calany   | 6                     | 18 | 10 |        |    |    | 7          | 17 | 8      |        |    |       |
|                         | Brook Rash   | 38                    | 13 | 14 |        |    |    | 77         | "  | 6 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 6  | 2 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 53         | 7  | "      |        |    |       |
|                         | Togher   | 7                     | 13 | 6  |        |    |    | 23         | 7  | 5 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Monystown  | "                     | "  | "  | 53     | 5  | 8  | 61         | 14 | 2 1/2  | 217    | 15 | "     |
| James Madden            | McKilow  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 203        | 4  | 9      |        |    |       |
|                         | Clanealy   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 108        | 14 | 10 1/2 | 311    | 19 | 7 1/2 |
| William Douglas         | Dunganstown East                                       | 16                    | 7  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 8  | 1      |        |    |       |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 31         | 12 | 10     |        |    |       |
|                         | do South   | "                     | "  | "  | 16     | 7  | "  | 44         | 6  | 5      | 144    | 7  | 1/2   |
| Joseph Webb             | Emmeilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "      |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "      |        |    |       |
| John Beakley            | McKilow  | 34                    | "  | "  | 34     | "  | "  | 209        | 17 | "      | 209    | 17 | "     |
| James Loughlin          | Cumshingaun  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 121        | 8  | 1 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Tallyparthur   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 144        | 11 | 2 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Broca  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 68         | 11 | 9      | 244    | 11 | 1 1/2 |
| William Smith           | Rathascunn   | 1                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 195        | 15 | 1 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Knockreath   | 1                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 60         | 4  | 3 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Troopers town  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 18         | 10 | 3 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Collindrum   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 89         | 18 | 5      |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinaclesh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 58         | 4  | 2 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 86         | 5  | 3      |        |    |       |
|                         | Asphrin  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 156        | 9  | 2 1/2  | 1665   | 6  | 8     |
|                         |  | 103                   | 12 | 8  | 103    | 12 | 8  | 1885       | 15 | 1 1/2  | 1885   | 15 | 1 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.
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 £ 38 - 2 - 0 d.

|  | £    | s.   | d.  |
|--|------|------|-----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.             | 38   | 2    | 0   |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -        | - 50 | - 19 | - 2 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.         |      |      |     |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - |      | - 1  | 1   |
| Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -                             |      | - 1  | 1   |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -                        |      | - 1  | 5   |

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:

166 Loaves White Bread  
 140 do Brown do  
 90 lbs Meat  
 480 Gals Sweet Milk  
 1020 do Buttermilk  
 3 Ton oatmeal

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 19<sup>th</sup> day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|                     |   |   |    |    |
|---------------------|---|---|----|----|
| In money, - - - - - | £ | 0 | 2  | 0  |
| In kind, - - - - -  |   | 0 | 18 | 8½ |
| Total, - - - - -    |   | 1 | 0  | 8½ |

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





3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|              |       |    |    |    |
|--------------|-------|----|----|----|
| Mick Fogarty | Omeal | £  | s. | d. |
|              |       | 72 | "  | "  |

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|                           |   |    |    |
|---------------------------|---|----|----|
| In favor of Clerk to pay  | £ | s. | d. |
| Cow Dock Institution      | 1 | 1  | "  |
| Johnston Moulton Car Hire |   | 15 | "  |
|                           | 1 | 16 | "  |

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:

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

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 N<sup>o</sup>. 40218 dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, enclosing for the information of the Board of Guardians the Copy of a Letter addressed to them by Mr. John Redmond respecting the decision of the Magistrates at Petty Sessions in a case brought before them by one of the Poor Rate Collectors for recovery of Arrears of Poor Rate amounting to 18/6 together with a Copy of a Letter upon the Subject addressed to Mr. Redmond by the Commissioners.

Order on the above, Resolved that this Case shall be investigated on this day fortnight and that the following Gent<sup>rs</sup> do form a Committee for that purpose Messrs George Saunders Dr Taylor Mr Gilbert, Robt Edge & John Redmond.

Letter N<sup>o</sup>. 40333 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst in answer to a Letter of the Clerk on the 17<sup>th</sup> Inst requesting the instructions of the Commissioners as to the best mode of providing for William Kearns a dangerous Lunatic Pauper formerly an Inmate of the Workhouse but who is at present in receipt of out

Poor Relief, The Commissioners suggest that the Guardians should apply to the Governor of the Richmond Lunatic Asylum at Dublin with a view to ascertain whether the person referred to could be received into that institution.

Ordered that the Relieving Officer be directed to take care of Stearns until Thursday next when the Magistrates have agreed to investigate the case.

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 364 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to the Average Cost of an Inmate of the Workhouse as entered on the Minutes of the Guardians, proceedings and the Weekly Return of Workhouse Inmates, the Commissioners inquire whether such average cost includes as it ought to do the Cost of Maintenance of Paupers in the Workhouse Infirmary and Fever Hospital.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 40,088 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to the application of the Mother of the Workhouse as entered on the Minutes of the 15<sup>th</sup> Inst to have her son and granddaughter on a visit with her in the Establishment for one month, the Commissioners state that the time for which permission has been granted should not be exceeded.

The Commissioners consider indulgences of this kind very objectionable.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 40,088 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst with reference to the Resolution of the Guardians on the 15<sup>th</sup> Inst authorizing the Mother to purchase a Suit of Clothing for Mary Neill a Pauper Inmate of the Workhouse to enable her to Emigrate to Australia, in reference thereto the Commissioners request that they may be informed of the name of the Elector Division to which this Woman is chargeable and the amount proposed to be expended.

A letter was read from Mr Bernard Kelly formerly Assistant Master of the Workhouse Comptroller of the Made in which the Master of the Workhouse has kept the Provision Check account in the first seven weeks of the Half Year ending 25<sup>th</sup> March Inst. The Board made no order on Mr Kelly's communication.

Agreeable to a notice served on the Clerk  
 by the 5th Inst. Resolved that the name of James  
 Kehoe be altered in the Book, from the Electoral  
 Division of Brockugh to that of Killybeg  
 Moved by Doctor James R Taylor and seconded  
 by Robt Holt Esq that no person shall be  
 allowed to receive Out Door Relief unless on the  
 Certificate of a Medical Practitioner

Arthur Wood  
 Clerk of the Union  
 Henry Woodmont Chairman

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Of these 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
29 day of *July* 1851.

(Signed) *Arthur [Signature]*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1851.

| 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.   |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.                               |                             |   | OBSERVATIONS. |
|--|--|---|--|------------|---|-----------|--|--|-------------------------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|---|---------------|
|  |  |   | Aged and infirm 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 3 and under 5 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total.    | Number in Hospital on the above date. | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date. |                             |   |               |
|  |  |   | Males.   | Fem.       | Males.  | Fem.      |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  | Boys.                       | Girls.  |               |
| Workhouse, . . . . .   | 780  | 587   |  |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  |                             |   |               |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . . .                               | 100  | 578   |  |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  |                             |   |               |
| Additional Workhouse, . . . . .                              | 360  | 173   |  |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  |                             |   |               |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .                          | 50   | 21  |  |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  |                             |   |               |
| Fever Sheds, . . . . .                                       |  |   |  |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  |                             |   |               |
| <b>Total, . . . . .</b>                                      | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>839</b>                                    |  |            |   |           |  |  |                               |           |                                       |  |                             |   |               |
| Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . . |  |   | 87   | 257        | 45  | 38        | 92   | 147  | 128                           | 37        | 37                                    | 868  | In Work-house Hospital, 214 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 4 |               |
| Admitted during the Week, . . . . .                          |  |   | 4  | 7          | 2   | 0         | 2  | 0  | 0                             | 0         | 1                                     | 16   | In Fever Hospital, 21       |   |               |
| <b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>                                      |  |   | <b>91</b>  | <b>264</b> | <b>47</b>   | <b>38</b> | <b>94</b>                                  | <b>147</b>                                 | <b>128</b>                    | <b>37</b> | <b>38</b>                             | <b>884</b>   | <b>Total, 165</b>           | <b>Total, 9</b>                                   |               |
| Discharged during the Week, . . . . .                        |  |   | 5  | 11         | 2   | 0         | 6  | 8  | 5                             | 3         | 0                                     | 40   |                             |   |               |
| Died, . . . . .  |  |   | 1  | 0          | 0   | 0         | 0  | 0  | 0                             | 2         | 2                                     | 5  |                             |   |               |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .                         |  |   | 6  | 11         | 2   | 0         | 6  | 8  | 5                             | 5         | 2                                     | 45   |                             |   |               |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                       |  |   | 85   | 258        | 45  | 38        | 88   | 139  | 123                           | 32        | 36                                    | 839  |                             |   |               |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 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 19 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 15  | 23  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 2   | 9   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 20  | 36  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. W. Radmond Esq*  
 Other Guardians: *Thos Wm Gilbert Samuel Edge John Doyle*  
*Silvester Bourke Math Byrne*  
*James Comerford Simon Moran Rob Edge*

Notices of Marriages 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 7th & 8th Vics., c. 21.

Nicholas Brown Town of Millow Parish of Millow  
James Smith Town of Millow do do  
James Watson Kilcassell Parish of Castle M. Adams  
Annah O'Neill Chempment do do  
Charles Quinn Pallymore do do  
Anne Caldwell Pallymore do Pallymore

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2860 to No. 2880, 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:

## Rates Collected and Lodged on the Old Union

| Collectors Names | Electoral Divisions | Collected & Lodged |   |   | Remaining |    |     |
|------------------|---------------------|--------------------|---|---|-----------|----|-----|
|                  |                     | £                  | s | d | £         | s  | d   |
| Patrick Walker   | Newcastle           | 4                  | 4 | 6 | 19        | 18 | 5½  |
| do do            | Killistrey          | "                  | " | " | "         | "  | "   |
| John Bealey      | Millow              | "                  | " | " | 10        | 9  | 1   |
| Joseph Webb      | Kilbride            | "                  | " | " | "         | "  | "   |
| James Loughlin   | C.M. Adams          | "                  | " | " | "         | 7  | 11½ |
| William Douglas  | Dungans Town        | "                  | " | " | 2         | 8  | 7   |
| James Madden     | Millow              | "                  | " | " | 10        | 5  | 2¾  |
| William Smith    | Rathmore            | "                  | " | " | 8         | 7  | 8   |
| do do            | Aughrim             | "                  | " | " | "         | 6  | 5¾  |
| John Byrne       | Glendalough         | "                  | " | " | "         | 8  | 3¾  |
| do do            | Tom Wood            | "                  | " | " | "         | 10 | 7   |
| James Madden     | Glencaly            | "                  | " | " | "         | 9  | 4½  |
|                  |                     | 4                  | 4 | 6 | 53        | 11 | 2¾  |

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, - - - - - £ 219 - 2 - 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 118 - 4 - 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £ 35 - 19 - 0

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |        | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|--------|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.     | £      | s. | d.    |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | 4                     | 2  | 3  |        |    |    | 12         | 7  | 4      |        |    |       |
|                         | do Lower   |                       | 10 | 10 |        |    |    | 9          | 4  | 5      |        |    |       |
|                         | Microle  | 1                     |    | 6  |        |    |    | 17         | 17 | 4      |        |    |       |
|                         | Attidore   | 1                     | 15 | 9  |        |    |    | 8          | 8  | 4      |        |    |       |
|                         | Killistrey   | 2                     | 2  | 7  | 9      | 12 | 11 | 4          | 8  | 1      | 52     | 5  | 6     |
| John Byrne              | Glindaalough   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 1  | 10 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Kalany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 7          | 17 | 8      |        |    |       |
|                         | Brookhagh  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 77         |    | 6 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballygullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 6  | 2 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 53         | 7  |        |        |    |       |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 23         | 7  | 5 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Monaghan   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 61         | 14 | 2 1/2  | 247    | 15 | "     |
| James Madden            | Micklow  | 8                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 175        | 4  | 9      |        |    |       |
|                         | Glancealy  | "                     | "  | "  | 8      | "  | "  | 108        | 14 | 10 1/2 | 302    | 19 | 7 1/2 |
| William Douglas         | Dungawtown East  | 3                     | 12 | "  |        |    |    | 64         | 16 | 1      |        |    |       |
|                         | do West  | 7                     | 8  | "  |        |    |    | 24         | 4  | 10     |        |    |       |
|                         | do South   | 11                    | "  | "  | 22     | "  | "  | 33         | 6  | 5      | 122    | 7  | 4     |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "      |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "      |        |    |       |
| John Deaking            | Micklow  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | 209    | 17     | "  |       |
| James Loughlin          | Crowbane   | 11                    | 4  | 2  |        |    |    | 120        | 3  | 11 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballyanthur  | 1                     | 7  | 11 |        |    |    | 42         | 3  | 3 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Croca  | 2                     | 7  | 11 | 15     | "  | "  | 66         | 3  | 10     | 229    | 11 | 1 1/2 |
| William Smith           | Rathdrum   | 25                    | 18 | 10 |        |    |    | 169        | 16 | 3 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Knockrath  | 29                    | 11 | 2  |        |    |    | 31         | 13 | 1 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Trospinstown   | 11                    | 12 | 8  |        |    |    | 6          | 17 | 7 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballydenry   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 89         | 18 | 5      |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinacash  | 8                     | 12 | "  |        |    |    | 49         | 12 | 2 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinacor   | 23                    | 6  | 11 |        |    |    | 62         | 18 | 4      |        |    |       |
|                         | Aughrim  | 55                    | 8  | "  | 154    | 9  | 7  | 101        | 1  | 2 1/2  | 510    | 17 | 1     |
|                         |  | 209                   | 2  | 6  | 209    | 2  | 6  | 1675       | 12 | 7 1/2  | 1676   | 12 | 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 £ [unclear] 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 £ 113 . 19 s. 6 1/2 d.

|  |                    |
|--|--------------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       | £ s. d.            |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | 113 . 19 . 6 1/2   |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   | - 19 . 18 . 11 3/4 |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - 1/1              |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | - 1/1              |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | - 1/5              |

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:

|                        |                           |
|------------------------|---------------------------|
| 160 Loaves white Bread | 7 lbs Tea                 |
| 130 do Brown do        | 42 lbs Sugar              |
| 460 Cyl. Sweet Milk    | 11 lbs Hemp               |
| 1000 do Ruttermill     | 1 cut Soda                |
| 90 lbs Meat            | 2 Hides Butt Leather      |
| 6 cut Soap             | 2 do Rip do               |
| 1 do Starch            | 1000 Nail Nails           |
| 56 lbs Monts Canales   | 500 Bavers                |
| 14 lbs Mustard         | 1000 6 <sup>o</sup> Nails |
| 370 yards Calico       | 500 12 <sup>o</sup> Nails |

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 26 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |                |
|-----------|----------------|
| In money, | £ s. d.        |
| In kind,  | 0 . 11 . 9     |
|           | 0 . 18 . 9 1/2 |
| Total,    | 1 . 3 . 6 1/2  |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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. |   |
|-----------------------|-----|----|----|---|
| Andrew Byrne West     | 44  | 12 | 2  | ✓ |
| James Wright Clothing | 116 | 6  | 4  | ✓ |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|                                       | £  | s. | d. |   |
|---------------------------------------|----|----|----|---|
| Daniel Farrell repairs                | 4  | 2  | "  | ✓ |
| Emigration of                         |    |    |    |   |
| Daniel Farrell Clothing for Emigrants | 17 | 3  | 6  | ✓ |
| James Manning Dr                      | 14 | 10 | 9  | ✓ |
| William Waddles Dr                    | 18 | 10 | 11 | ✓ |
| Miss Lenkinson Dr                     | 20 | 3  | 5  | ✓ |
| Chas Manning Dr                       | 25 | 8  | 5  | ✓ |

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



## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|               |       |   |    |    |    |
|---------------|-------|---|----|----|----|
| Lawrence Bynn | Salt  | £ | 2  | 2  | 10 |
| Mr. Farrell   | Grill |   | 23 | 11 | 5  |
| Andrew Hyson  | Meal  |   | 39 | 7  | 1  |
| James Sellow  | Coal  |   | 20 | 6  | 1  |

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

## 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|                                 | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------------------|---|----|----|
| In favor of Clerk to pay        |   |    |    |
| James Simpson Muson Work        |   | 17 | 6  |
| Isaac Morison Cur Her           |   | 10 | "  |
| Isaac Flower Repuse, to Wickham |   |    |    |
| with a Sumatic Pauper           |   | 5  | "  |
| Niche Beggar Collecting Rate of |   |    |    |
| Wickham Old Electoral Division  |   | 15 | "  |
| Total                           | 2 | 7  | 6  |

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

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

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

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

*The Clerk was allowed leave of absence  
for four days*

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 No. 376, Dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland calling the attention of the Clerk to their Letter of the 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo requiring a Statement of the Repairs and Liabilities of the Union for the Quarter ending 28<sup>th</sup> Inst last.

Letter No. 385 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> Inst calling the attention of the Clerk to the Commissioners Letter of the 5<sup>th</sup> Inst requesting a Return from the Abstracts showing the amount of Poor Rate made and collected in the Union in each half Year since the formation of the Union.

Letter No. 41645. Dated 28<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to a Resolution of the Board on the 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst that no person shall receive Out Poor Relief unless on the Certificate of a Medical Practitioner the Commissioners state that this Resolution is not to be understood as relieving the Relieving Officers of their legal Obligations, to afford Relief in sudden and urgent Cases of necessity.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 41604 Dated 28<sup>th</sup> Inst informing the Board of Guardians, that the Commissioners have received a Report from Capt<sup>o</sup> Owen Poor Law Auditor in which he states, that the practice of admitting Paupers to the Workhouse for a night's Lodging prevails in this Union, in reference thereto the Commissioners observe that this system is objectionable for many reasons and the Master of the Workhouse is not empowered to admit persons except in cases of sudden and urgent necessity and the Commissioners think that by the exercise of a sound discretion on the part of the Relieving Officers and a strict observance by the Master of the Rule requiring three hours notice before discharge and the enforcement of a certain task of work the system of making a lodging House of the Workhouse may be restricted to very narrow limits.

Ordered that no food be given to paupers getting a night's Lodging unless by the order of the Relieving Officers.

The Clerk submitted the Ledger and Abstracts of the Union accounts for the half year ending the 25<sup>th</sup> March last Audited by Rich<sup>d</sup> Owen Esq. they were approved of by the Board and the Abstracts were signed by the Chairman.

Resolved that the Clerk shall write to the several Poor Rate Collectors to close the Outstanding Rate on the Electoral Divisions of the Old Union in order that the Clerk shall complete the accounts for the Supplemental Audit.

Resolved that the Clerk shall get advertisements printed and posted up through the Union, stating that no more Paupers shall be sent out of the Workhouse as Inmates.

Mr Patrick Byrne was declared the Contractor for putting up six Ventilators in the flank Wall of the Wing Building. In agreement to Mr Milliners plan for the sum of eleven Pounds nine Shillings

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The following Reports was read from the Master  
Gent<sup>l</sup>

I have to report that the late Pauper  
Inmate named William Neams a dangerous Lunatic of the  
Electoral Division of Arklow was committed to the  
Milklow Goal on Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> Inst upon the  
information given by me and a Pauper Inmate named  
John Naughton

Also that during my absence in the  
Case about a Pauper Inmate named Anne Leary a  
dangerous Lunatic to herself attempted to commit suicide  
by throwing herself into one of the Pivies of the Workhouse  
She was missed by the woman in Charge of her and search  
being made she was discovered in one of the Sewers  
leading from one Pieve to another through which she  
was forcing her way there not being sufficient depth  
to accomplish her purpose in the Pieve into which  
she has thrown herself she was at once drawn up by  
ropes and brought to the Infirmary in an exhausted  
State she has been locked in one of the Cells of the  
Female Idiot Ward since that time. by the exertions  
of the Assistant Master Tailor Shoemaker her life

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set  
forth in the Application and Passport 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 Passport therein, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in  
every year.)

has been saved.

Also Margaret Keely on Friday  
25<sup>th</sup> Inst was discovered by Catherine Redmond in  
the act of going down into the River in the Womens  
Yard having one foot in one of the Holes of the Seat  
and in the act of lifting the other up on the Seat  
for the purpose of committing suicide, She is about  
70 years of Age

Ordered that this case be referred  
to the Poor Law Commissioners for their decision

James Leonard  
Wm. Edge  
Henry Redmond  
James R. Taylor M.D.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*5<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1851.

(Signed)

*Arthur W. M. C.*

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105.5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1851.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | No. that can be accommodated in such buildings. | Total Pa. 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 5 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. | 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, . . .  | 780   | 527   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100   | 65  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360   | 166   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50  | 25  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Total, . . .  | 1290  | 801   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |   |   | 85           | 253  | 115   | 38   | 88  | 139    | 123  | 32   | 36                            | 829    | In Work-house } 442<br>Hospital, }<br>In Fever Hospital } 25 | In separate } 4<br>Wards, }<br>In Wards with other } 5<br>Inmates, } |               |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |   |   | 4            | 7    | 3   | "    | 2   | "      | 1  | 1  | 2                             | 20     | Total, } 167   | Total, } 9   |               |  |
| TOTAL, . . .  |   |   | 89           | 260  | 118   | 38   | 90  | 139    | 124  | 33   | 38                            | 859    |  |  |               |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |   |   | 7            | 20   | 2   | 1    | 5   | 2      | 7  | 4  | 5                             | 53     |  |  |               |  |
| Died, . . .   |   |   | "            | "    | "   | "    | "   | "      | "  | 1  | 4                             | 5      |  |  |               |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |   |   | 7            | 20   | 2   | 1    | 5   | 2      | 7  | 5  | 9                             | 58     |  |  |               |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |   |   | 82           | 240  | 116   | 37   | 85  | 137    | 117  | 28   | 29                            | 801    |  |  |               |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 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   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | By forward       |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 13  | 16  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 3   | 12  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 20  | 34  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair Mr James Comerford  
 Other Guardians: Mr John Hudson Esq  
 Messrs William Gilbert, W. Redmond, D. Taylor  
 Mr John Byrne, George Saunders, Samuel Edge  
 & Mr. Gaston

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

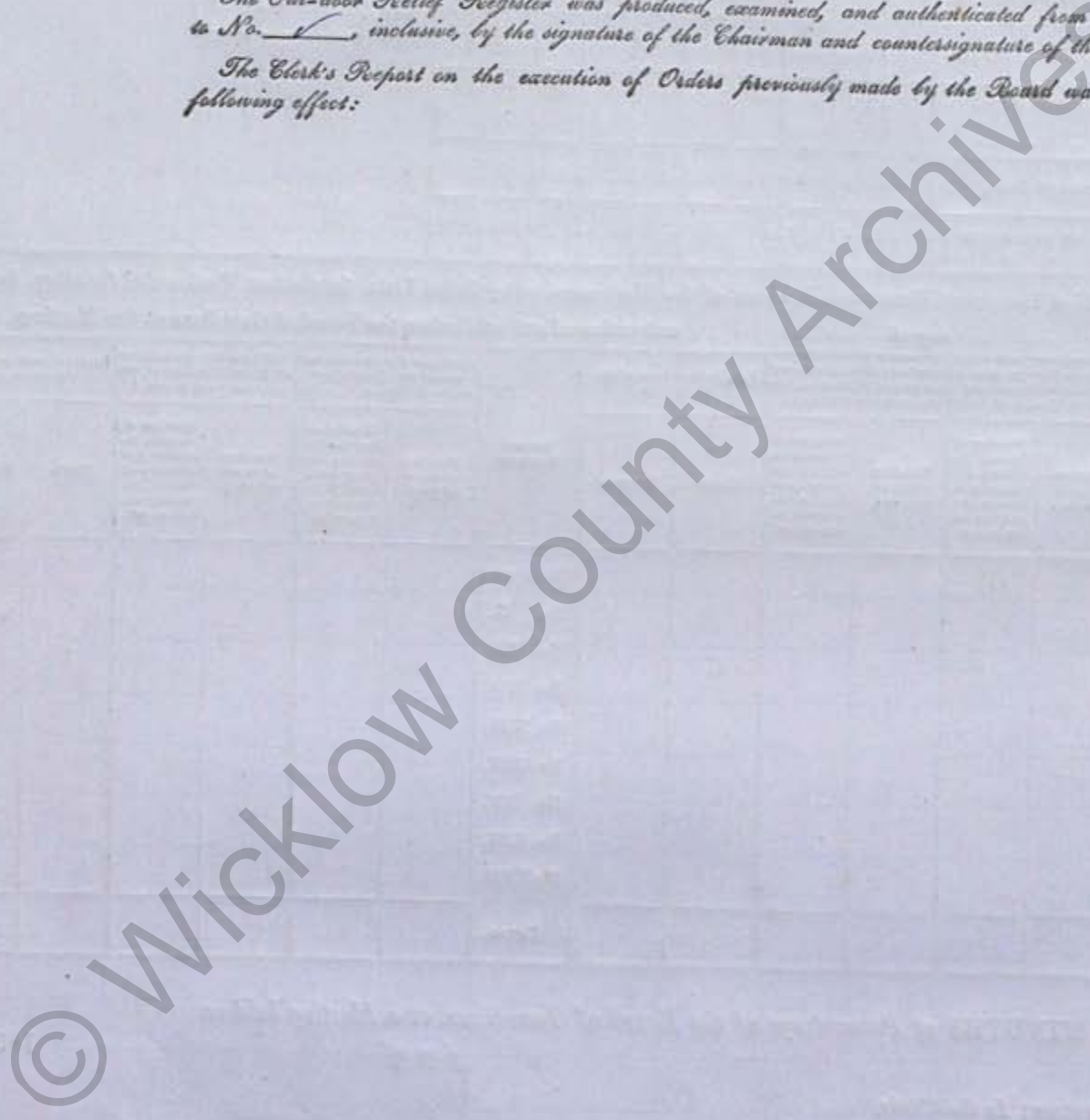
Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

|                           |                                    |  |  |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|
| <i>Catharine Williams</i> | <i>Ballygrain Parish of Arklow</i> |  |  |
| <i>Sarah Ervin</i>        | <i>do do do</i>                    |  |  |
| <i>Mary Anne Lally</i>    | <i>Town of Arklow Parish of do</i> |  |  |
| <i>James Farrell</i>      | <i>do do do</i>                    |  |  |

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2881 to No. 2896, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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, - - - - - £ 192. 10. 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 347. 9. 3

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 61. 0. 2

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |    |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|----|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s. | d. |
| Satin M Walker          | Newcastle Upper  | 3                     | 18 | 10 |        |    |    | 8          | 8  | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | do Lower   | 1                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 8          | 4  | 5   |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilcoole   | 5                     | 3  | 10 |        |    |    | 12         | 13 | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | Altadore   | 2                     | 13 | 9  |        |    |    | 5          | 14 | 7   |        |    |    |
|                         | Killistey  | 2                     | 17 | 6  | 15     | 13 | 11 | 1          | 10 | 7   | 36     | 11 | 7  |
| John Byrne              | Glindalough  | 1                     | 11 | 7  |        |    |    | 10         | 10 | 3½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Calany   | 2                     | 11 | "  |        |    |    | 5          | 6  | 8   |        |    |    |
|                         | Brooklagh  | 32                    | 9  | 4  |        |    |    | 44         | 11 | 2½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 1                     | 19 | 1  |        |    |    | 10         | 7  | 1½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Oldtown  | 4                     | 3  | 4  |        |    |    | 49         | 3  | 8   |        |    |    |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 23         | 7  | 5½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Moneystown   | 8                     | 11 | 11 | 51     | 6  | 3  | 52         | 2  | 3½  | 196    | 8  | 9  |
| James Madden            | Nicklow  | 31                    | 10 | 9  |        |    |    | 163        | 14 | "   |        |    |    |
|                         | Glamealy   | 11                    | 19 | 3  | 43     | 10 | "  | 96         | 15 | 7½  | 260    | 9  | 7½ |
| William Douglas         | Dunganstown East                                       | 11                    | 8  | "  |        |    |    | 53         | 8  | 1   |        |    |    |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 24         | 4  | 10  |        |    |    |
|                         | do South   | 5                     | 12 | "  | 17     | "  | "  | 27         | 14 | 5   | 105    | 7  | 4  |
| Joseph Webb             | Emureilly  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "   |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "   | "      | "  | "  |
| John Bealey             | Nicklow  | 19                    | 6  | "  | 19     | 6  | "  | 190        | 11 | "   | 190    | 11 | "  |
| James Loughlin          | Crowbane   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 120        | 3  | 11½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballyarthur  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 43         | 3  | 3½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Booca  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 66         | 3  | 10  | 229    | 11 | 1½ |
| William Smith           | Roathams   | 19                    | 11 | 6  |        |    |    | 153        | 4  | 9½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Knockath   | 4                     | 5  | 10 |        |    |    | 26         | 7  | 3½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Truperstown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 6          | 17 | 7½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinderry  | 9                     | 16 | 1  |        |    |    | 83         | 2  | 4   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 49         | 12 | 2½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacor   | 4                     | 18 | 2  |        |    |    | 58         | "  | 2   |        |    |    |
|                         | Angheim  | 7                     | 2  | 8  | 45     | 14 | 3  | 93         | 18 | 4½  | 465    | 2  | 10 |
|                         |  | 192                   | 10 | 5  | 192    | 10 | 5  | 1184       | 2  | 2½  | 1184   | 2  | 2½ |

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.
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 £ 48 <sup>3</sup> 1 <sup>1</sup> d.

|  | £                | s.               | d. |
|--|------------------|------------------|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.             |                  | 48 <sup> 3</sup> | 1  |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -        | 48 <sup> 8</sup> | 7 <sup> 1</sup>  | 2  |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.         |                  |                  |    |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - |                  | 1                | 1  |
| Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -                             |                  | 1                | 1  |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -                        |                  | 1                | 3  |

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:

|                        |                       |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 160 Loaves White Bread | 1 Can Rice            |
| 140 do Brown do        | 1 Harness for do      |
| 480 Gals Sweet Milk    | 1 Hand Shuttle        |
| 1000 do Buttermilk     | 1 Woollen Reel        |
| 120 lb Meat            | 5 doz Spindles        |
| 1 Stone Through        | 1 Gross of Awl Blades |

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<sup>nd</sup> day of August whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|                     | £                | s.              | d. |
|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|----|
| In money, - - - - - | 0 <sup> 2</sup>  | 0               | 0  |
| In kind, - - - - -  | 0 <sup> 18</sup> | 8 <sup> 1</sup> | 2  |
| Total, -            | 1 <sup> 0</sup>  | 8 <sup> 1</sup> | 2  |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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 given on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

|                                     | £  | s. | d.  |
|-------------------------------------|----|----|-----|
| Peter Hughes, Clothing for Surgeant | 32 | 12 | 2 ✓ |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|  | £  | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| The Returning Officer fees & Expence, for Conducting Election of Guardians in March last | 16 | 6  | 2  |

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| Amount reserved by Treasurer on<br>acc of Rate in Aid                                | £  | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Altadoro   | 1  | 8  | 5  |
| McClow   | 10 | 18 | 5  |
| Anghrim  | 5  | 15 | 7  |
| Ballinacash  | 4  | 12 | 7  |
| Ballinacor   | 6  | 9  | 0  |
| Ballindenny  | 1  | 7  | 5  |
| Ballyathur   | 1  | 8  | 8  |
| Crooknagh  | 3  | 11 | 0  |
| Calany   | 1  | 14 | 8  |
| Croneband  | 2  | 8  | 8  |
| Dunganstown East   | 4  | 19 | 9  |
| do South   | 3  | 2  | 10 |
| do West  | 1  | 17 | 0  |
| Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above. |    |    |    |

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|                 |   |    |    |
|-----------------|---|----|----|
| Imreilly        | £ | 19 | d. |
| Glendalough     | " | 8  | 8  |
| Glanealy        | 4 | 13 | 3  |
| Kilcoole        | " | 16 | "  |
| Killiskerry     | " | 17 | 2  |
| Knockrath       | 5 | 15 | "  |
| Newcastle Lower | " | 2  | 8  |
| do Upper        | 1 | 13 | 8  |
| Oldtown         | " | 7  | 2  |
| Orca            | 2 | 5  | 7  |

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:

|            |   |    |      |
|------------|---|----|------|
| Racthaura  | 6 | 5  | 6    |
| Togher     | 1 | 14 | 1    |
| Thorpstown | 2 | 16 | 7    |
| McClow     | 6 | 18 | 8    |
|            |   |    | 85   |
|            |   |    | 7 10 |

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

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

Sealed Order N<sup>o</sup> 42,204 for the payment of Annuities under 13<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 14 Section 44 Ordering and directing the Guardians to levy the several Sums therein set forth against the several Townlands, comprised in the several Electoral Divisions of the Union, Annually for the term of 15 Years to Commence from the 30<sup>th</sup> September 1850, and to continue for 15 Years, and for the purpose of making payment of such Annuities, the day of payment of the several Annuities hereby changed shall be the 31<sup>st</sup> day of July in the Year 1851, and the same day in each succeeding Year

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 N<sup>o</sup> 41,976 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> July from the Commissioners for Administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland enclosing the above Sealed Order.

Circular Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Current Rate, and any New Rate, agreed upon in the Union.

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 4103 Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate in Aid.

A Letter was read from Mr James Miley ~~that was~~ Immigration Agent, requesting that the Guardians would be so good as to pay him the Sum of £462.16 - for the passage & Money paid to the Pauper Emigrants sent out of this Union in June 1850 together with £16.4 - Interest at 6 per Cent from 1<sup>st</sup> of January to 31<sup>st</sup> July last.

In answer to the above the Clerk was directed to write to Mr Miley, stating that as soon as the Board had sufficient Funds, they would pay Mr Miley the £462.16 - but they could not allow him Interest.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 41,907 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo forwarding the Returning Officers Account of Expenses attending the Election of Guardians in March last amounting to £16.6.2 for payment by the Guardians.

In reference to a Resolution passed on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo as referred to by the Commissioners Letter N<sup>o</sup> 41,645 of the 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, Doctor Taylor and Mr Saunders the proposer and seconder of this Resolution, state in explanation that their intention was, that Out Door Relief, wants be given provisionally at any time by a Relieving Officer on being presented with a Medical Certificate.

Proposed by Mr A. McRedmond and seconded by Doctor Taylor that the Revising Valuator shall proceed forthwith to prepare the Rate Book, for the purpose of striking a Rate and that the Clerk be prepared with an Estimate of the probable Expenditure for the next Year by this day fortnight.

Proposed by Michael Hudson Esq and seconded by Mr Gilbert, that the Relieving Officers, shall furnish the Board this day week with a list of the able bodied Paupers in the Workhouse and that such Paupers shall get notice from the Master that they will be sent out to look for Employment and that the Master will post a copy of this resolution in the Dining Hall

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Doctor Taylor and Mr Patrick Gaskin to call a Special Meeting of the Board for this day fortnight the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst for the purpose of altering the chargeability of the following Paupers viz Bridget, John and Thomas Bourke and Eliza Elmes from Upper Newcastle & same, Kehoe from the Electoral Division of Killybegs

Arthur Hobart  
Clerk of the Union

Michael Redmond  
John  
James Edge  
James Curran

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*12*-day of *August* 1851.

(Signed) *Arthur W. ...*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105 6 5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851.

| 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. |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. |                                       | OBSERVATIONS.                  |  |
|---|--|---|--------------|-----|----------|----|---|-----|--|--|-------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
|   |  |   | Males.       |     | Females. |    | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. |     | Children above 3 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 3 years of age. | Infants under 2 years of age. | Total.                       | Number in Hospital on the above date. |                                | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date. |
| Workhouse, . . .  | 750  | 573   |              |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               |                              |                                       |                                |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 150  | 58  |              |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               |                              |                                       |                                |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 350  | 163   |              |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               |                              |                                       |                                |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 13  |              |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               |                              |                                       |                                |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               |                              |                                       |                                |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>737</b>                                    |              |     |          |    |   |     |  |  |                               |                              |                                       |                                |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 85           | 244 | 48       | 37 | 83  | 139 | 110  | 26   | 29                            | 801                          | In Work-house Hospital, 138           | In separate Wards, 4           |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 4            | 3   | "        | 1  | "   | "   | "  | "  | 21                            | 10                           | In Fever Hospital, 13                 | In Wards with other inmates, 5 |  |
| <b>TOTAL,</b>   |  |   | 89           | 247 | 48       | 38 | 83  | 139 | 110  | 26   | 31                            | 811                          | <b>Total, 151</b>                     | <b>Total, 9</b>                |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 12           | 29  | 5        | 1  | 5   | 5   | 5  | 4  | 3                             | 69                           |                                       |                                |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | 1   | 1        | "  | "   | "   | 1  | "  | 21                            | 5                            |                                       |                                |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 12           | 30  | 6        | 1  | 5   | 5   | 6  | 4  | 5                             | 74                           |                                       |                                |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 77           | 217 | 42       | 37 | 78  | 134 | 104  | 22   | 26                            | 737                          |                                       |                                |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 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   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | By forward       |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 12  | 14  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 4   | 15  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 20  | 36  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
|                  |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Wm. Gilbert  
 Other Guardians: Messrs. Mich<sup>l</sup> Fogarty, Samuel Edge, Silvester Broun, John Campbell & James Cullen

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 12th section of the 7 & 8 Vic, c. 81.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2860 to No. 2907, 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:

| Collectors Names | Electoral Divisions | Rate Collectors Lodges | Remaining   |
|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------|
| Patrick Walker   | Newcastle           | " " "                  | 19 18 5 1/2 |
| do do            | Killiskerry         | " " "                  | " " "       |
| John Beatty      | Mallow              | " " "                  | 10 9 1      |
| Joseph Webb      | Killadea            | " " "                  | " " "       |
| James Loughlin   | C. M. Adams         | " " "                  | " 7 11 1/2  |
| William Douglas  | Dungarstown         | " 15 7                 | 1 13 "      |
| James Madden     | Mallow              | " " "                  | 10 5 2 3/4  |
| William Smith    | Rathdunn            | " " "                  | 8 7 8       |
| do do            | Buaghreagh          | " " "                  | " 6 5 1/2   |
| John Byrne       | Glendalough         | " " "                  | " 8 3 3/4   |
| do do            | Roundwood           | " " "                  | " 10 1      |
| James Madden     | Glonealy            | " " "                  | " 9 11 1/2  |
|                  |                     | " 15 7                 | 52 15 7 3/4 |

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, - - - - - £47 3 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £31 5 9

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £93 2 0

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |     | Remaining. |    |        | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|-----|------------|----|--------|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d.  | £          | s. | d.     | £      | s. | d.    |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle Upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 8          | 8  | 6      |        |    |       |
|                         | do Lower   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 8          | 4  | 5      |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 12         | 13 | 6      |        |    |       |
|                         | Altidore   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 5          | 14 | 7      |        |    |       |
|                         | Killiskerry  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 1          | 10 | 7      | 36     | 11 | 7     |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 10         | 10 | 3/2    |        |    |       |
|                         | Calary   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 5          | 6  | 8      |        |    |       |
|                         | Browkagh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 44         | 11 | 2 3/4  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 10         | 7  | 1 3/4  |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 49         | 3  | 8      |        |    |       |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 23         | 7  | 5 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Moneytown  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 53         | 2  | 3 1/2  | 196    | 8  | 9     |
| James Madden            | Micklow  | 21                    | 5  |    |        |    |     | 142        | 6  |        |        |    |       |
|                         | Glencaly   | "                     |    |    | 21     | 8  |     | 96         | 15 | 7 1/2  | 239    | 1  | 7 1/2 |
| William Douglas         | Dungannon East   | 6                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 47         | 8  | 1      |        |    |       |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 24         | 4  | 10     |        |    |       |
|                         | do North   | 10                    | "  | "  |        |    |     | 23         | 14 | 5      | 95     | 7  | 4     |
| Joseph Webb             | Emmilly  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | "          | "  | "      |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilbido  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | "          | "  | "      |        |    |       |
| John Kealey             | Micklow  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | 150 | 11         | "  | 150    | 11     | "  |       |
| James Loughlin          | Crossand   | 5                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 115        | 3  | 11 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballymather  | 5                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 38         | 3  | 3 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Orera  | 5                     | "  | "  | 15     | "  | "   | 61         | 3  | 10     | 214    | 11 | 1 1/2 |
| William Smith           | Nathaniel  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 158        | 4  | 9 3/4  |        |    |       |
|                         | Knockath   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 26         | 7  | 3 3/4  |        |    |       |
|                         | Twopeartown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 6          | 17 | 7 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinderry  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 80         | 2  | 11     |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 49         | 12 | 2 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 58         | "  | 2      |        |    |       |
|                         | Aughrim  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 93         | 18 | 4 1/2  | 465    | 2  | 10    |
|                         |  | 116                   | 8  | "  | 116    | 8  | "   | 1137       | 4  | 2 1/2  | 1137   | 14 | 2 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 £ 12 12 1/2 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 £ 24 12 1/2 s. 1 1/2 d.

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| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       | £   | s.  | d.            |
|  | 24  | 12  | 1 1/2         |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | - - | - - | - 17 6 10 3/4 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |     |     |               |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was |     |     | - 1/11        |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 |     |     | - 1/11        |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            |     |     | - 1/5         |

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:

- 160 Loaves White Bread
- 140 do Brown do
- 430 Gals Sweet milk
- 900 Gals Buttermilk
- 120 lbs Meat
- 1 Linin Wharf
- 7 lbs Twine

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 9 day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |   |    |       |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|----|-------|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £ | s. | d.    |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - | 0 | 14 | 0     |
|           |   |   |   |   | 0 | 18 | 8 3/4 |
| Total,    |   |   |   |   | 1 | 2  | 8 3/4 |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
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| 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

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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.*

|   | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|----|----|
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*Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.*

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

|   | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|----|----|
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*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:*

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

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

Sealed Order No 42,623 dated 6<sup>th</sup> Inst  
Consenting to a sum not exceeding the sum of One Pound  
Two Shilling and Sixpence being applied for the  
purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of Immigration  
to Australia of a Pauper inmate of the Workhouse  
named Mary Hill chargeable to the Union @ Long

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:)

Circular No 402 Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst from the  
Commissioners for Administering the Laws for Relief of the  
Poor in Ireland, calling on the Clerk for a Return from the  
Treasurer Loans Repayment Accounts under the 13<sup>th</sup> Vict  
Cap 14 Section 5

Letter No 42,790 Dated 24<sup>th</sup> Inst expressing the approval  
of the Commissioners to the guardians acceptance of Mr  
Patrick Byrne's Tender for placing 6 Ventilators in the  
flank wall of the Wing Buildings at the Workhouse.

Circular No 42,840 Dated 4<sup>th</sup> Inst enclosing for the  
information of the Board of guardians a Copy of the  
Apprentices to Sea Services Act 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Victoria  
Cap 35 passed on the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst

Letter No 42,623 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst, in answer to a letter  
of the Clerk on the 29<sup>th</sup> Inst, approving of the  
proposal of the guardians to expend the sum of  
32<sup>5</sup>/<sub>16</sub> in providing clothing for Mary Hill a Pauper  
inmate of the Workhouse who is about to emigrate  
to Australia.

Letter No 42,790 Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst with reference to  
a Report of the Master of the Workhouse on the 29<sup>th</sup>  
Ultimo stating that Anne Leahy and Margaret Kelly  
Pauper inmates attempted to commit suicide

by throwing themselves into the privies, the Commissioners recommend that the Guardians should alter the Privies connected with the Female Idiott Ward by substituting a Bucket for the Cep Pool.

In answer to the above the Master has got the Holes of the Privies made smaller so that no person can get into them in future.

Letter N<sup>o</sup>. 42,790 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to Minutes in the 29<sup>th</sup> Session, directing that food shall not in future be allowed to poor persons who merely obtain a night's lodging in the Workhouse unless on the Order of a Relieving Officer, in reference thereto the Commissioners point out to the Guardians that the Master is responsible for the due exercise of his discretion under the 1<sup>st</sup> Article of the Workhouse Regulations which confers on him the power of administering Relief in sudden and urgent cases.

Letter N<sup>o</sup>. 44,092 Dated 9<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to a Resolution of the Board on the 5<sup>th</sup> Inst instructing the Relieving Officers to furnish them with a list of the able bodied Paupers in the Workhouse and directing the Master to give such paupers Notice that they will be discharged to look for employment, the Commissioners request that they may be previously informed whether it is probable such able bodied Paupers could obtain employment on being discharged. The Commissioners trust that the Guardians will use much circumspection in exercising their power of discharging able bodied Paupers from the W<sup>h</sup>ouse as they want more serious responsibility in case such persons should be reduced to extreme want from being unable to obtain employment out of the Workhouse.

Circular N<sup>o</sup>. 419 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst advverting to the Commissioners Circular Letter of the 17<sup>th</sup> August and 7<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>. 1849 on the Subject of a Notice to be given when a Rate is about to be made, and the subsequent Notice when the Rate has been actually signed, the Commissioners state that having had to reconsider the forms of the Notice, referred to, with a view to the provisions of the Repayment of advances Act 13 Victoria Cap 14 they have revised both forms of Notice, and transmit Copies of the revised

Now for the information and guidance of the Clerk requesting that the Notice to be given in regard to future Rates may be in accordance with the Form now transmitted

Moved by Mr Fogarty the following Resolved that the Clerk shall summon secondly by order the following Collectors of Poor Rate unless they shall secondly by order the Clerk of the Rate due on their respective Mr Edge Districts by this day week

Messrs John Beutley, James Laughlin & William Smith

Moved by Mr Fogarty in the Notice of Special Meeting for the day week secondly to alter the Charge of a Pauper named Ellen Murphy from the English Electoral Division, also to consider Mr Edge the Sealed Order of the Poor Law Commissioners

Charging on this Union the Sum of £1398.13.3 yearly (under the provisions of the Repayment of Annuities Act 13th Victoria Cap 14) for the period of 15 years from 30th September 1850 as it appears by that Act there is a Sum of £11363.15.11 charged for Public Works. The amount due for Building Workhouse being £7960 and for Advances under Temporary Relief Act 1847 £1660.12.10 Making a Total of £9620.12.10

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Wills 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.)

and the Total Sum levied by the scales Order  
amounting to in 15 Yrs, £20,984..8..9

The Postw. applied for leave of absence  
for One day granted

Arthur Shank  
Clerk of the Sur  
Mary St, Redrinn  
Sainth Edge  
John Murphy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*, the  
*19<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1851.

(Signed) *Arthur J. White*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *16<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1851.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | No. that can be accommodated in work building as the above date. | Total Pa- in work building as the above date. | Able-bodied. |            | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working. |           | Boys and Girls above 5 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, . . .  | 780  | 538   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 122  | 4   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 161   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 15  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>  | <b>688</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 77           | 217        | 42  | 37        | 78  | 134        | 106  | 22   | 26                            | 737                                   | In Work-house Hospital, 135<br>In Fever Hospital, 15       | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 4<br>with other Inmates, 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 4            | 5          | 2   |           |   |            | 1  |  | 2                             | 14                                    |  |  |
| <b>TOTAL, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>81</b>    | <b>222</b> | <b>44</b>   | <b>37</b> | <b>78</b>   | <b>134</b> | <b>105</b>                                 | <b>22</b>                                  | <b>28</b>                     | <b>751</b>                            | <b>Total, 150</b>  | <b>Total, 9</b>  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 8            | 25         | 6   | 5         | 3   | 3          | 7  | 1  | 2                             | 60                                    |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | 1            | "          | "   | "         | "   | "          | "  | "  | "                             | 3                                     |  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 9            | 25         | 6   | 5         | 3   | 3          | 7  | 1  | 4                             | 63                                    |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                    |  |   | 72           | 197        | 38  | 32        | 75  | 131        | 98   | 21   | 24                            | 688                                   |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *16<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 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   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 12  | 14  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 3   | 9   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| <i>Various</i>   | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 18  | 27  |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *H. W. Redmond Esq*

Other Guardians: *W. B. Byrne Esq*

*Messrs William Cillibee Gease Manning  
George Saunders Owen Fogarty Samuel Edge John  
Doble Simon Moran John Campbell John Murphy  
James Cullen James Murphy Michael Byrne Thomas  
Dorle John Cullen Dr. M. Taylor Silvester Bourke  
John Chapman William Kelly Robert Edge and  
Wm Law Bestall*

*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. 21.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2908 to No. 2923, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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:

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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, - - - - - £ 135-17-8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 136-3-9

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 93-8-1

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 Peatos collected in the severat Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |                               | Total. |                               |                               |    |                               |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.                            | £      | s.                            | d.                            |    |                               |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | 5                     | 9  | 10 |        |    |    |            |    | 2                             | 18     | 8                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | do Lower   | 2                     | 16 | 8  |        |    |    |            |    | 5                             | 7      | 9                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Kilcoole   | 3                     | 5  | 8  |        |    |    |            |    | 9                             | 7      | 10                            |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Attmore  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 5                             | 11     | 7                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Killistey  | "                     | "  | "  | 11     | 12 | 2  |            |    | 1                             | 10     | 7                             | 24                            | 19 | 5                             |
| John Byrne              | Glenalough   | 1                     | 8  | 7  |        |    |    |            |    | 9                             | 1      | 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 5                             | 6      | 8                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Brookagh   | 7                     | 6  | 2  |        |    |    |            |    | 37                            | 5      | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 2                     | 18 | 8  |        |    |    |            |    | 7                             | 8      | 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Oldtown  | 7                     | 15 | 4  |        |    |    |            |    | 41                            | 5      | 4                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Togher   | 4                     | 19 | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 18                            | 8      | 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Monoystown   | 9                     | 14 | 9  | 34     | 5  | 6  |            |    | 43                            | 7      | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> | 162                           | 3  | 3                             |
| James Madden            | Micklow  | 12                    | 6  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 12                            | 0      | "                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Glanabaly  | 12                    | 14 | "  | 25     | "  | "  |            |    | 84                            | 1      | 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> | 214                           | 1  | 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
| William Douglas         | Danganstown East                                       | 8                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 39                            | 8      | 1                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | do West  | 3                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 21                            | 4      | 10                            |                               |    |                               |
|                         | do South   | 4                     | "  | "  | 15     | "  | "  |            |    | 19                            | 14     | 5                             | 80                            | 7  | 4                             |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerally   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | "                             | "      | "                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | "                             | "      | "                             | "                             | "  |                               |
| John Beakey             | Micklow  | 30                    | "  | "  | 30     | "  | "  |            |    | 160                           | 11     | "                             | 160                           | 11 | "                             |
| James Loughlin          | Creeband   | 16                    | 18 | 5  |        |    |    |            |    | 98                            | 5      | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballyartur   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 38                            | 3      | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Arora  | 3                     | 1  | 7  | 20     | "  | "  |            |    | 58                            | 2      | 3                             | 194                           | 11 | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
| William Smith           | Ratharum   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 150                           | 14     | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Knockrath  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 26                            | 7      | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Troopertown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 6                             | 17     | 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballindeny   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 80                            | 2      | 4                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 49                            | 12     | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballinacree  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 58                            | "      | 2                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Aughrim  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | 93                            | 18     | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> | 465                           | 2  | 0                             |
|                         |  | 125                   | 17 | 8  | 125    | 17 | 8  | 130        | 16 | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> | 130    | 16                            | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |    |                               |

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.
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 £ 37 " 1 s. 3 1/2 d.

|  | £  | s. | d.     |
|--|----|----|--------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       |    |    |        |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | 37 | 1  | 3 1/2  |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |    |    |        |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | -  | -  | - 1/11 |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | -  | -  | - 1/11 |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | -  | -  | - 1/5  |

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:

- 160 Loaves White Bread
- 140 do Brown do
- 100 lbs Meat
- 1100 Gals Sweet Milk
- 800 Gals Buttermilk
- 2 Tin Leads

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 16<sup>th</sup> day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | -  | -  |
| In kind,  | - | -  | -  |
|           | 0 | 9  | 0  |
|           | 0 | 15 | 1  |
| Total,    | - | 1  | 4  |

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

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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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|  |  | £ | s. | d. |
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|  |  | £ | s. | d. |
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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 Prayers were made thereon as follows:

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

The following Report was read from the Master  
In consequence of the Schoolmaster having  
never had the Boys removed from the Brewery  
On Wednesday the 13<sup>th</sup> sent to the Main Building  
Approved, Signed,  
Isaac Flower  
Master

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 N<sup>o</sup> 45063 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Inst. from the Commissioners for Administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, forwarding for the observation of the Board of Guardians an extract from Minute of the Guardians of Gorey Union on the 9<sup>th</sup> Inst. relative to the Case of a Pauper named Mary Doyle, who it is alleged had been sent to Gorey Union Workhouse by Mr. Beakley Relieving Officer of this Union.

In answer to the above Mr. Beakley Relieving Officer stated that the Pauper referred to Mary Doyle, came to him and made an application to be forwarded to Gorey Workhouse to which she stated she belonged, and that he accordingly sent her on to that Workhouse.

Proposed  
by Mr. Beakley of the several Mines in this Union (whose profits are seconded very great,) that previous to making out a new Rate by Mr. Munn Mr. Johnson our revising Valuator shall call on the Proprietors of these Mines to produce their Books, and in case they should refuse to do so, that Mr. Johnson should raise the Valuation to whatever sum he may deem fair, as we consider they are at present Rated too low

Resolved that the following Paupers be changed from the Electoral Division of Upper Newcastle to Lower Newcastle G. John & Bridget Burke & Eliza Blues, also that Esther and Eliza Quinn be altered from Mandulough Electoral Division to that of Brookagh, and Ellen Murphy from Anghrim to Ballinaclashy.  
Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr John Chapman & passed unanimously.

That having received a Sented Order from the Poor Law Commissioners laying on this Union the sum of £1398.13.3 yearly for a period of 15 Years from the 30th September last we beg to refer them to their Circular of the 1st October 1850 by which it appears it was optional with them to allow 40 Years for the Repayment of the Advances therein referred to and we the Guardians regret that so short a period should have been allowed for this Union, at a time <sup>when</sup> we are paying the Rate in Aid.

We trust that the Commissioners will be so good as to reconsider this Order and extend the time for the Repayment of these Sums, and also that we may be furnished with an account of the several Sums expended under the Labor Rate Act as the sum of £11363.15.11 appears to us very large for the amount of Work performed. The Guardians regret that they find great difficulty in collecting the Outstanding Rates and that the State of their Finances are such that they cannot meet the Current Expenses.

The Guardians request that the Commissioners will be so good as to give them an early Answer as they are about striking a New Rate.

Proposed by Mr Cutler and seconded by Mr Costello  
Resolved that in consequence of the Complaint of several of the Rate payers that they cannot get labourers to take up the Harvest, that the following able Bodied Paupers be turned out of the House. By  
Mary Keddy, Mary Inctor, Rose Teeling, Michael Kilrain & family, Sarah Keble, James Larkin, Rose Kavenagh, Catherine Doyle, James Lynott & Thomas Leonard Best Hagan, Julia Parvoh, Mary Graham, Anne Mulligan Patrick Lyons, Anne Carty, Anne Nicholson

Mary Doyle, Eliza McDouals, Mary Jones and Mary Bym.

Mr James Laughlin Poor Rate Collector produced a list of Arrears of Rate due on the old Electoral Division of Castle-ble-Adm  
Arrears of Rate lost in consequence of Houses down &c

£ 7<sup>11</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Mr Thomas Bym Poor Rate Collector produced a list of Arrears of Rate due on the old Electoral Division of Glendalough and Roundwood,

Glendalough Arrears of Rate lost in consequence of Houses down &c -

£ 8<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Roundwood Arrears of Rate lost in consequence of Houses down &c

£ 10-1

The above arrears were directed to be struck off by the Board

James Comerford  
Wm Gilbert  
John Fitzgerald

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 - -

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*26* day of *August* 185 *1*.

(Signed)

*Arthur W. M. C.*

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1841, . . . 55709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5-

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1851.

| 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 9 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 6 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, . . .  | 750  | 427   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 4   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 140   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 12  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>583</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 72           | 197        | 38  | 32        | 75  | 131        | 28   | 24   | 21                            | 658                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 117                                 | In separate Wards, 4           |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 3            | 6          | 1   | "         | 1   | 2          | 1  | 2  | 1                             | 17                                    | In Fever Hospital, 12                                      | In Wards with other inmates, 5 |
| <b>TOTAL,</b>   |  |   | <b>75</b>    | <b>203</b> | <b>39</b>   | <b>32</b> | <b>76</b>   | <b>133</b> | <b>99</b>                                  | <b>26</b>                                  | <b>22</b>                     | <b>705</b>                            | <b>Total, 129</b>  | <b>Total, 9</b>                |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 19           | 60         | 4   | "         | 10  | 7          | 10   | 4  | 6                             | 120                                   |  |                                |
| Died, . . .   |  |   | "            | "          | "   | "         | "   | "          | "  | 2  | "                             | 2                                     |  |                                |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 19           | 60         | 4   | "         | 10  | 7          | 10   | 6  | 6                             | 122                                   |  |                                |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 56           | 143        | 35  | 32        | 66  | 126        | 89   | 20   | 16                            | 583                                   |  |                                |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 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   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 12  | 14  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 5   | 15  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Admission        | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 21  | 34  |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. W. Byrnes Esq.*  
 Other Guardians: *James Connerford, Owen Fogarty, Samuel Edge, and James Cullen*

*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. 21.

Henry Neill Town of Wicklow  
 Hannah Christians do do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2924 to No. ✓, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Register not signed

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, - - - - £ 157. 5. 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 32. 12. 2

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was - £ 33. 8. 8

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |     |       | Total. |       |       |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|-----|-------|--------|-------|-------|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s.  | d.    | £      | s.    | d.    |    |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 2     | 18     | 8     |       |    |
|                         | do Lower   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 5     | 7      | 9     |       |    |
|                         | Kilcock  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 9     | 7      | 10    |       |    |
|                         | Attitude   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 5     | 4      | 7     |       |    |
|                         | Killiskney   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "   | 1     | 10     | 7     | 24    | 19 |
| John Byrne              | Glindalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 9     | 1      | 8 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 5     | 6      | 8     |       |    |
|                         | Brookagh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 37    | 5      | 3/4   |       |    |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 7     | 8      | 5 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 41    | 5      | 4     |       |    |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 18    | 8      | 5 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Moneytown  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "   | 18    | 7      | 5 1/2 | 162   | 3  |
| James Meade             | McKlow   | 9                     | 8  | 9  |        |    |    |            |     | 120   | 11     | 3     |       |    |
|                         | Glancaly   | 12                    | 11 | 3  | 29     | "  | "  | "          | "   | 71    | 10     | 4 1/2 | 192   | 1  |
| William Douglas         | Dungannon East   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 39    | 8      | 1     |       |    |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 21    | 4      | 10    |       |    |
|                         | do South   | 8                     | "  | "  | 8      | "  | "  | "          | "   | 11    | 14     | 5     | 72    | 7  |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | "     | "      | "     |       |    |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "   | "     | "      | "     |       |    |
| John Beakey             | Arbore   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | 160 | 11    | "      | 160   | 11    | "  |
| James Laughlin          | Crossford  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 98    | 5      | 6 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Ballyathur   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |     | 38    | 3      | 3 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Orosa  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "   | 58    | 2      | 3     | 194   | 11 |
| William Smith           | Rathrum  | 26                    | "  | 2  |        |    |    |            |     | 134   | 4      | 7 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Knockrack  | 3                     | 2  | 6  |        |    |    |            |     | 23    | 4      | 9 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Prospectown  | 1                     | 8  | 4  |        |    |    |            |     | 59    | 3      | 1/2   |       |    |
|                         | Ballydeny  | 26                    | 19 | 6  |        |    |    |            |     | 53    | 2      | 10    |       |    |
|                         | Ballyclash   | 15                    | 16 | 10 |        |    |    |            |     | 33    | 15     | 1 1/2 |       |    |
|                         | Ballynacor   | 26                    | 6  | 6  |        |    |    |            |     | 31    | 13     | 8     |       |    |
|                         | Anghrim  | 29                    | 15 | 1  | 129    | 8  | 11 |            |     | 64    | 3      | 3 1/2 | 335   | 13 |
|                         |  | 159                   | 8  | 11 | 159    | 8  | 11 | 1142       | 7   | 7 1/2 | 1142   | 7     | 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.
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 £ 32. 14. 10 3/4 d.

|  | £  | s. | d.       |
|--|----|----|----------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       | 32 | 14 | 10 3/4   |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | -  | -  | 40. 9. 6 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |    |    |          |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | -  | -  | 11       |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | -  | -  | 11       |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | -  | -  | 15       |

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:

- |                        |                            |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| 160 Loaves White Bread | 100 Guin Chambers          |
| 140 do Brown do        | 10000 Nail nails           |
| 100 lb, Meat           | 10000 Pavers               |
| 2 Tons Indian meal     | 10000 2 <sup>d</sup> Nails |
| 580 Gals Buttermilk    | 2 Tons Hay                 |
| 400 Gals Sweet milk    |                            |
| 2 lb, Tea              |                            |
| 20 lb, Sugar           |                            |
| 4 Cwt Soap             |                            |

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 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d.       |
|-----------|---|----|----------|
| In money, | - | -  | 0. 11. 0 |
| In kind,  | - | -  | 1. 19. 3 |
| Total,    | - | 1. | 3. 3     |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. II.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. X.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. III.         | John Booth                 | 3.0.0                             |                          |                   | No. XI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. V.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIV.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VII.         | Wm Manning                 | 2.0.0                             |                          |                   | No. XV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVI.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IX.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| Car. forwd.      | Total                      | 5.0.0                             |                          |                   | 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.

James Smith Wool Cards & Linen Warps

| £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|
| 3 | 2  | 6  |

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

2. Establishment Account.

Lawrence Byrne, Linn

| £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|
| 3 | 7  | 3  |

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





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

The following Letter was read from the Asst Master

Gent<sup>s</sup>

I must respectfully take the liberty of  
 applying to the Board for leave of absence from  
 duty for every second or other evening in the  
 week

Signed  
 John Wingrove

Permission given

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

Order N<sup>o</sup>. 42,204 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> July On the Treasurer of the Union, directing him (under the Act 18<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 14 Section 57) to reserve certain sums as set forth in said Order out of each Lodgement of Rates to be placed to the Credit of the "Electoral Division Loans Repayment Account," and from time to time to pay over all sums so reserved into the Bank of Ireland to be there placed to a separate Account in the name of the Paymaster of Civil Services in Ireland, to be entitled the "Loans Repayment Account."

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 N<sup>o</sup>. 43,216 Dated 20<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland stating that their attention has been drawn to the fact that cases occur where Pauper Inmates of Workhouses who have been committed to Goal for Offences, under the Poor Relief Acts, are subsequently liable to be again arrested by the Constabulary on suspicion of having absconded from the Workhouse in consequence of their still wearing the Union Dress, the Commissioners suggest that the Guardians should make arrangements, by which whenever an Inmate of the Workhouse is committed to Goal the Union Clothing which he wore at the time of his Commitment should be obtained and his own Clothing substituted.

Circular N<sup>o</sup>. 439 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst, enclosing 1 Copy, of the Medical Charities Act,

Circular N<sup>o</sup>. 42,201 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst, enclosing the Copy of an Order issued by the Commissioners, to the Union Treasurer directing him to reserve certain portions of Poor Rate, for the purpose of repaying the Sums levied on the Union under

the repayment of advances Act.

Circular No 2204 Dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst on the same subject,

Circular No 44,649 Dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst, calling the attention of the Guardians to the Circular of the 4<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to the Apprentices to Sea Service Act 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 35.

Letter No 45,088 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> Inst, transmitting to be laid before the Guardians the Copy of a further Communication which the Commissioners have received from Mr. St. M. Redmond respecting the decision of the Magistrate at Petty Sessions upon a case brought before them by one of the Poor Rate Collectors for recovery of Arrears of Poor Rate amounting to 18/6 the Commissioners request that they may be informed if the Committee appointed by the Guardians on the 22<sup>nd</sup> ultimo has yet made any report upon the subject.

With reference to the above, "The Board (who happen at present to include the majority of the Committee mentioned) are of opinion that the simplest and most satisfactory mode is to direct the Collector to proceed the party liable to the amount."

Letter No 44,560 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> Inst stating that the Commissioners have had before them, a Memorial from the Poor Rate Collectors of this Union praying for compensation, to remunerate them for extra services and travelling expenses incurred in attending at the Quarter Sessions of Arklow, Wicklow & Bray before the Assistant Barrister, and also the Resolution of the Guardians on the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst agreeing to the justice of the claim to compensation, but doubting their power to devote the funds of the Union to that purpose.

The Commissioners state that the Act does not contain any provision authorising the Guardians to remunerate the Collectors for their services, and any payment made for such purpose from the Rates would be disallowed by the Auditor.

The following persons were declared the Contractors for the Articles Specified for three Months from this date,

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Catherine Reeves, | White Bread at 5 Pence for 1 <sup>th</sup> Loaf                       |
| do do             | Brown do @ 4 <sup>th</sup> for do                                     |
| Michael Fogarty,  | Outmeat @ 5 10 <sup>th</sup> 15 <sup>th</sup> 6 <sup>th</sup> for Ton |
| Andrew Hession,   | Indian Meal @ 7 <sup>th</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> 9 <sup>th</sup> for Ton |
| do do             | Black Tea @ 3 <sup>rd</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup> for lb                    |
| do do             | Brown Sugar @ 2 <sup>nd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> for lb                  |
| do do             | White Sugar @ 6 <sup>th</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> for lb                  |
| do do             | Small Bottles, Red Post @ 1 <sup>st</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup> for Doz    |
| do do             | Whisky @ 6 <sup>th</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> for Gall                     |
| William Dymc,     | Wine @ 11 <sup>th</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup> for Doz Pints                |

James Comerford  
 Simon Mason  
 Wm Gilbank

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 - - -  
 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *September* 1851.

(Signed) *Arthur St. John*  
Clerk of the Union.

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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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

Andrew Laughlin's Glenmackinnell Parish of Donalstown  
 Mary Lawrence do do do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2924 to No. 2959, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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:

Rates Collected & Lodged on the Old Union

| Collectors Names | Electoral Divisions | Collected | Lodged | Remaining  |
|------------------|---------------------|-----------|--------|------------|
| Patrick Walker   | Newcastle           | 1         | 10 3   | 18 8 2/2   |
|                  | Killiskey           | "         | " "    | " " "      |
| John Beakey      | Arklow              | "         | " "    | 10 9 1     |
| Joseph Webb      | Kelride             | "         | " "    | " " "      |
| James Laughlin's | Castle M'Adam       | "         | " "    | " " "      |
| William Douglas  | Dungannon           | "         | " "    | 1 13 "     |
| James Madden     | Miskow              | "         | " "    | 10 5 2 3/4 |
| William Smith    | Rathdrum            | "         | " "    | 8 7 8      |
|                  | Higherni            | "         | " "    | " 6 5 3/4  |
| John O'Byrne     | Glenadalongh        | "         | " "    | " " "      |
|                  | Roundwood           | "         | " "    | " " "      |
| James Madden     | Glencaly            | "         | " "    | " 9 4 1/2  |
|                  |                     | 1         | 10 3   | 49 19 1/2  |

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, - - - - - £ 162 18 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3 0 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 193 7 1

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 Peates collected in the severall Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s. | d.    |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle Upper  | 1                     | 9  | 4  |        |    |    | 1          | 9  | 4   |        |    |       |
|                         | do Lower   | 1                     | 2  | 10 |        |    |    | 1          | 2  | 11  |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 9          | 7  | 10  |        |    |       |
|                         | Altitude   | 3                     | 15 | 4  |        |    |    | 1          | 19 | 3   |        |    |       |
|                         | Killistey  | "                     | 11 | 5  | 9      | 18 | 11 | "          | 19 | 2   | 15     | 0  | 6     |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 9          | 1  | 8½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Calany   | 2                     | 18 | 6  |        |    |    | 2          | 8  | 2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Brookagh   | 9                     | 8  | 2  |        |    |    | 27         | 16 | 10½ |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 7          | 8  | 5½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  | 1                     | 12 | 4  |        |    |    | 39         | 18 | "   |        |    |       |
|                         | Togher   | 5                     | 7  | 5  |        |    |    | 13         | 1  | ½   |        |    |       |
|                         | Moneytown  | 2                     | 11 | 4  | 21     | 17 | 9  | 210        | 16 | 2½  | 140    | 5  | 6     |
| James Madden            | Micklow  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 12         | 11 | 3   |        |    |       |
|                         | Glancally  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 71         | 10 | 4½  | 19     | 2  | 1 7½  |
| William Douglas         | Dunquinstown East                                      | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 39         | 8  | 1   |        |    |       |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 21         | 11 | 10  |        |    |       |
|                         | do South   | 4                     | 10 | "  | 4      | 10 | "  | 7          | 4  | 5   | 67     | 17 | 4     |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "   |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilnade  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "   |        |    |       |
| John Deakey             | Arklow   | 21                    | "  | "  | 21     | "  | "  | 139        | 11 | "   | 139    | 11 | "     |
| James Loughlin          | Bonebane   | 50                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 48         | 5  | 6½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballyathur   | 8                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 30         | 3  | 3½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Boora  | 6                     | 1  | 6  | 64     | 1  | 6  | 52         | "  | 9   | 130    | 9  | 7½    |
| William Smith           | Ratharum   | 9                     | 16 | 5  |        |    |    | 114        | 8  | 2½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Knoekraik  | 5                     | 16 | 3  |        |    |    | 17         | 8  | 6¾  |        |    |       |
|                         | Twoopinstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 5          | 9  | 3½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballyduffy   | 2                     | 7  | 8  |        |    |    | 50         | 15 | 2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballywackash   | 7                     | 4  | 9  |        |    |    | 26         | 10 | 7½  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballymarot   | 5                     | 1  | 3  |        |    |    | 26         | 12 | 5   |        |    |       |
|                         | Aughrim  | 9                     | 13 | 8  | 40     | 0  | "  | 54         | 9  | 7½  | 29     | 5  | 13 11 |
|                         |  | 161                   | 8  | 2  | 161    | 8  | 2  | 980        | 19 | 5½  | 980    | 19 | 5½    |

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.
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 £ 19<sup>..</sup> 16<sup>..</sup> s. 9<sup>½</sup> d.

|  | £  | s. | d.             |
|--|----|----|----------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       |    |    |                |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | 19 | 16 | 9 <sup>½</sup> |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |    |    |                |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | -  | -  | 1/1            |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | -  | -  | 1/1            |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | -  | -  | 1/5            |

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:

|                                 |                                 |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 160 Loaves White Bread          | 6 Bottl <sup>s</sup> Wine       |
| 140 do Brown do                 | 10 Cwt Salt                     |
| 100 Cbr Meat                    | 10 Cwt Rice                     |
| 2 Ton Oatmeal                   | 4 Cwt Soap                      |
| 530 Gal <sup>s</sup> Buttermilk | 60 Cbr dip <sup>t</sup> Candles |
| 400 do Sweet milk               | 7 Cbr Blue                      |
| 2 Cbr Tea                       | 4 Gal <sup>s</sup> Wool Oil     |
| 16 Cbr Sugar                    | 1 Snuff                         |

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 30<sup>th</sup> day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d.             |
|-----------|---|----|----------------|
| In money, | 0 | 3  | 8              |
| In kind,  | 1 | 0  | 7 <sup>½</sup> |
| Total,    | 1 | 4  | 3 <sup>½</sup> |

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







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

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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:)

Circular No. 491 Dated 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo from the Commissioners for Administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate in Aid.

Letter No. 47920 Dated 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo, in reference to the Letter of the Assistant Master as entered on the Minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup> ultimo, requesting permission to absent himself from duty every second evening, which was granted by the Board, in reference thereto the Commissioners desire to be informed of the reasons assigned by the Assistant Master for leave of absence. They consider such frequent absence from duty objectionable as liable to interfere with the due management of the Workhouse. This Letter was read by the Clerk to the Assistant Master and he was called on to assign his reasons for applying for leave, and ordered to furnish it in writing to the Clerk to be transmitted to the Commissioners. Mr Wingrove's reply was as follows,

Sir  
My object in applying for leave of absence from duty is for the benefit of my

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Health and to see my family  
 To  
 Mr Bank Signed  
 John Wugrove

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 46749 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Inst, stating that the Commissioners have had before the Resolution of the Guardians on the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to the Annuities charged under the Provisions of the Act 13<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 14 requesting to be allowed a longer period than 15 years for payment of their Liabilities and also to be furnished with an account of the several Sums expended under the Labor Rate Act. In reference to this Resolution the Commissioners state that the Circumstances of the National Union were fully considered before the duration of the Annuities was fixed, and the period granted is the longest that could be allowed consistently with the general Rule, which have been laid down and sanctioned by the Lords of the Treasury.

The Commissioners are unable to furnish the Guardians with required information as to the expenditure under the Labor Rate Act, but they have to observe that the amount charged under that head is very much smaller than the Guardians suppose as will be seen from the following Statement.

|  |                     |
|--|---------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Charge in respect of Workhouse Loan  | £ 7276 . 1 . 11 1/2 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Charge in respect of Temporary Relief Advances   | 1660 . 12 . 10 1/2  |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Charge in respect of advances under the Labor Rate Act   | 7032 . 6 . 10 1/4   |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> Charge in respect of Advances under the 1 <sup>st</sup> Victoria Cap 21 and 9 <sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 1 | 143 . 6 . 6         |
|  | £ 16112 . 8 . 2 1/4 |

The above Sums represent the Amount of the Liabilities in present Value as on the 30<sup>th</sup> September last, and have been converted into equivalent Annuities at the Rate of 3 1/2 per Cent Interest

In answer to the Commissioners Letter No. 45749 of the 1st Inst. The Guardians are of opinion that they are entitled to a detailed account of the two Sums £7032. 6-10<sup>4</sup> and 143-6-6 respectively as a large portion of the Outlay for Public Works has been raised off this Union by the levying of a Labor Rate, they request that the Commissioners will obtain from the Public Works Commissioners an account of the expenditure and the Sums raised by Rate under the Labor Rate Act. They at the same time protest against being charged interest on the Sums loaned as they feel it a great hardship on the Rate Payers of this Union to be called upon to pay such interest on money over which they were not allowed the slightest control, a great portion of which they believe was lavished by Government Officials.

Proposed by Doct<sup>r</sup> Taylor and seconded by Mr. Michael Byrne, that a special Meeting of the Guardians be called for this day fortnight for the purpose of considering the propriety of

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Do. do. disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

giving up one at least of the Auxiliary Work-  
Houses, (The number in the House being under 600)  
and also for the purpose of agreeing to a new  
Rate,

Resolved that our Revising Valuator  
Mr Johnson shall call upon the Proprietors of  
the Laganure Mines, to show an abstract of  
their Profits for the last six months in order  
that he may value them accordingly.

Resolved that the Master be authorised to purchase  
four pounds of Clothing for Paupers who wish  
to take their discharge, such Paupers having  
been a long period in the Workhouse and have  
no Clothing.

The Master was directed to alter  
the Chargeability of a Pauper named Eliza  
Toole for the Electoral Division of Aughrim  
to that of Bullinacush.

The Master was allowed leave of absence on  
Thursday next

Arthur O'Connell  
Clerk of the Board  
Mary W. Richmond, Chairman

Spencer  
Silvester Barker

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*9<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 1857.

(Signed) *Arthur Edwards*  
Clerk of the Union.

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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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

Gaunt Graham Town of Arklow Parish of Arklow  
Hanna Boulger do do do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2960 to No. 2971, 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, - - - - - £ 98-9-0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 156-13-5

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 135-2-8

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

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |     |     |    |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|-----|-----|----|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s.  | d.  |    |    |
| Pat. Walker             | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 1   | 9      | 4   |     |    |    |
|                         | do Lower   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 1   | 4      | 11  |     |    |    |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 9   | 7      | 10  |     |    |    |
|                         | Midland  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 1   | 19     | 3   |     |    |    |
|                         | Killierkey   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | 19  | 2      |     | 15  | 0  | 6  |
| John Byrne              | Glenalough   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 9   | 1      | 8½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 2   | 8      | 2   |     |    |    |
|                         | Brownagh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 27  | 16     | 10½ |     |    |    |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 7   | 5      | 5½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 39  | 15     |     |     |    |    |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 13  | 1      |     |     |    |    |
|                         | Moneytown  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | 46  | 16     | 2½  | 140 | 5  | 6  |
| James Madden            | Nicklow  | 10                    | 9  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 110 | 2      | 3   |     |    |    |
|                         | Glancealy  | "                     | "  | "  | 10     | 9  | "  |            |    | 71  | 10     | 4½  | 181 | 12 | 7½ |
| Wm Douglas              | Dungantown East  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 39  | 8      | 1   |     |    |    |
|                         | " West 14  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 7   | 4      | 10  |     |    |    |
|                         | " South 3  |                       |    |    | 17     | "  | "  |            |    | 41  | 4      | 5   | 50  | 17 | 4  |
| Joseph Webb             | Emucilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      | "   |     |    |    |
|                         | Kilhide  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | "   | "      | "   |     |    |    |
| John Beakey             | Arklow   | 71                    | "  | "  | 71     | "  | "  |            |    | 68  | 11     | "   | 68  | 11 | "  |
| James Loughlin          | Crowband   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 48  | 5      | 6½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Ballynathur  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 30  | 3      | 3½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Assa   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | 52  | "      | 9   | 130 | 9  | 7½ |
| Wm Smith                | Roathstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 114 | 8      | 2½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Knockreech   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 17  | 8      | 6½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Twoporttown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 5   | 9      | 3½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Ballinderry  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 50  | 15     | 2   |     |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 26  | 10     | 7½  |     |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    |            |    | 26  | 12     | 5   |     |    |    |
|                         | Augherin   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  |            |    | 54  | 9      | 7½  | 295 | 13 | 11 |
|                         |  | 98                    | 9  | "  | 98     | 9  | "  |            |    | 882 | 10     | 5½  | 882 | 10 | 5½ |

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 £ 1 — — 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 £ 37, 4 s. 11 d.

|  | £  | s. | d.        |
|--|----|----|-----------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       | 37 | 4  | 11        |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | -  | -  | - 39 8 7½ |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |    |    |           |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | -  | -  | - 11      |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | -  | -  | - 11      |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | -  | -  | - 15      |

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:

160 Loaves White Bread  
 140 do Brown do  
 110 lb Meat  
 2 Ton Indian Meal  
 150 Gal. Buttermilk  
 100 Gal. Sweetmilk  
 2 Sets of Drying Poles

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 Receipts 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 6 day of September whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £ | s. | d. |
|           |   |   |   |   | 0 | 17 | 0  |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - | 0 | 14 | 5½ |
|           |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| Total,    | - | - | - | - | 1 | 11 | 5½ |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. II.          | Pat. Moran                 | 2-0-0                             |                          |                   | 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. forwd.      | Total                      | 2-0-0                             |                          |                   | 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. |
|------------------|---|----|----|
| Domin. Chas Shaw | 7 | 5  | 11 |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|                                      |    |    |   |
|--------------------------------------|----|----|---|
| John Senkinson on a/c Fever Hospital | 50 | "  | " |
| Joseph Crof Hay                      | 2  | 13 | 4 |
| John W Brody Vaccination             | 10 | 1  | " |
| A. B. Shurwood do                    | 6  | 18 | " |
| Wm Byrne Coffins                     | 4  | 17 | 2 |

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



3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

|                       | £  | s. | d. |
|-----------------------|----|----|----|
| Ounis Chase Soap      | 20 | 14 | 8  |
| Perrin Molan Meat     | 54 | "  | "  |
| Catherine Peers Bread | 04 | 16 | "  |

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

|                             | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------------------|---|----|----|
| In favor of Clerk to pay    |   |    |    |
| Ounis Chase Mustard         | " | 17 | 6  |
| Mr. Staghaw Reel & Spindles | 9 | "  | "  |
|                             | 1 | 06 |    |

*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:*

Amount Received by Treasurer on a/c of Rate in <sup>7</sup> *and*

|   | £          | s         | d        |
|---|------------|-----------|----------|
| Altidore  | 1          | 1         | 6        |
| Arklow  | 10         | 16        | 4        |
| Aughrim   | 4          | 8         | 8        |
| Ballinaclesh  | 3          | 11        | "        |
| Ballinacost   | 4          | 16        | 10       |
| Ballinacorney   | 3          | 11        | 2        |
| Ballyanthus   | 2          | 7         | 3        |
| Ballycullen   | 1          | 7         | 11       |
| Brockagh  | 3          | 7         | 10       |
| Calary  | 1          | 7         | 4        |
| Coneband  | 8          | 9         | 3        |
| Dunganstown East  | 6          | 7         | "        |
| " South   | 6          | 17        | 5        |
| " West  | "          | 15        | "        |
| Gleadaough  | "          | 12        | "        |
| Glanally  | 8          | 5         | 3        |
| <i>The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:</i> |            |           |          |
| Kilcoole  | 2          | 2         | 4        |
| Killistey   | 4          | 13        | 9        |
| Knoeknack   | 1          | 11        | 1        |
| Moneytown   | 1          | 18        | "        |
| Lower Newcuth   | 1          | 19        | 10       |
| Upper do  | 2          | 11        | 6        |
| Oddon   | 1          | 14        | 3        |
| Oroca   | 2          | 16        | 7        |
| Rathdunn  | 7          | 7         | 7        |
| Togher  | 2          | 5         | 10       |
| Cooperstown   | "          | 5         | 8        |
| Wicklow   | 10         | 13        | 4        |
|   | <u>107</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>8</u> |

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 N<sup>o</sup> 119337 Dated 8<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland with reference to the explanation of the Assistant Master as to his reasons for having requested permission to absent himself from his duties in the Workhouse every second evening as entered on the Minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst. The Commissioners request that the Guardians will have the goodness to reconsider their Order of the 26<sup>th</sup> Inst. granting leave of absence to the Assistant Master for every second evening as they consider the reasons assigned by him are insufficient to warrant such frequent absence from his duties in the Workhouse and they could not sanction such a practice.

The Assistant Master was called before the Board and the above letter read, the leave granted him on the 26<sup>th</sup> Inst. by the Guardians was withdrawn.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 119337 Dated 8<sup>th</sup> Inst is answer to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst. relative to the Ammutis Charges on the Main under the Act 18 Victoria Cap 8. requesting a detailed account of the two items £7032.6.10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> & £143.6.6 for Labor Rate Advances, and also requesting the Commissioners to apply to the

Public Works Commissioners for an account of the Expenditure and the Sum raised by Rate under the Rates Rate Act. The Commissioners decline to apply to the Board of Works for information on the subject.

The Commissioners state that the amount charged to the Union is the proportion payable by the several Townlands of the Union which are comprised within the Baronies of Ashlaw, Newcastles Pullinacor South and Pullinacor South, the total charge on those Baronies or parts of Baronies respectively having been apportioned according to the best Annual Value or the Valuation in force at the time of the passing of the Amnesties Act, the several Townlands being charged in the ratio which their best Annual Value bears to the best Annual Value of the entire District chargeable.

The Commissioners enclose a statement showing the number of instalments originally fixed & the paid in respect of the Advances the amount of each instalment and the number of instalments included in the Amnesties, is enclosed from which it will be seen that credit has been given for three of the original instalments as having been either paid or included in fines jury warrants which are not yet closed.

Proposed by  
S. J. Scott  
seconded  
by  
Mr. Burke

Resolved that the Clerk shall write to the several Rate Collectors to close their accounts by this day second next, the time having expired that they are bound by law to lodge all monies collectable by their Warrant. Unless the Collectors comply with this order they shall be summoned before the Magistrate, the Court day next ensuing. Also that they be called upon by the Clerk to close the outstanding Rate on the Old Electoral Divisions.

The Clerk informed the Board that he had summoned Messrs. Laughlin and Reaky before the Magistrate on Thursday last but in consequence of their being only one Magistrate on the Bench the case was postponed until the next Court day.

A notice was served on the Clerk by J. E. Scott and John Redmond Esqrs. to conclude in the notice of a special meeting for Tuesday next, but the Board were to alter the chargeability of James Ward & Mr. Fortune

from the Kilcool Electoral Division

Arthur Wauk  
Clerk of the Union

J. Parnell Chairman  
J. R. Taylor Esq. D.  
W. Gilbert Esq.

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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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.

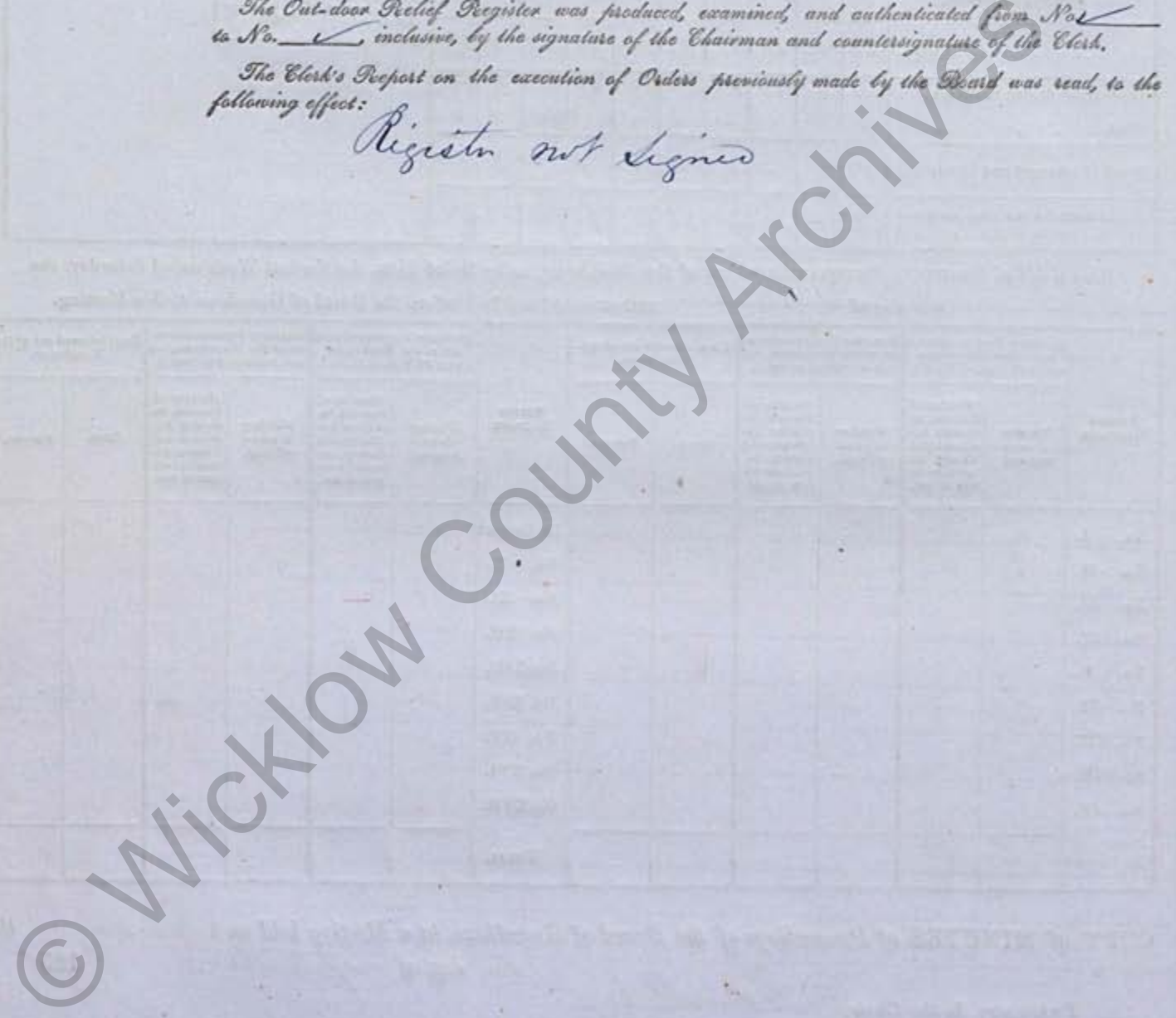
John Grannell *Milcauda Parish of Dungaustown*  
Elyza Magee do do do

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

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

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

Registers not signed



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, - - - - - £ 119. 17. 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 192. 3. 2

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 62. 16. 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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |     | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |    |     |    |   |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|-----|------------|----|-----|--------|----|-----|----|---|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d.  | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s. | d.  |    |   |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 1          | 9  | 4   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | " Lower  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 1          | 4  | 11  |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 9          | 7  | 10  |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 1          | 19 | 3   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Killickey  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | "          | 19 | 2   | 15     | 8  | 6   |    |   |
| John Byrne              | Clerdalough  | 1                     | 12 | 8  |        |    |     | 7          | 9  | 2   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Calary   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 2          | 8  | 2   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Brookagh   | 5                     | 18 | 5  |        |    |     | 21         | 18 | 5   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballyculter  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 7          | 8  | 5   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Oldtown  | 8                     | 8  | 4  |        |    |     | 31         | 4  | 8   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Lough  | 1                     | 19 | 2  |        |    |     | 11         | 1  | 10  |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Moneytown  | 7                     | 5  | 4  | 25     | 3  | 11  | 33         | 10 | 10  | 115    | 1  | 7   |    |   |
| James Madden            | Kicklow  | 5                     | 14 | 7  |        |    |     | 10         | 4  | 7   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Glennally  | 16                    | 15 | 5  | 22     | 10 | "   | 54         | 14 | 11  | 15     | 9  | 2   |    |   |
| Mr Douglas              | Dunganstown East                                       | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 3          | 9  | 8   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | " West   | 6                     | 16 | 8  |        |    |     | "          | 8  | 2   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | " South  | "                     | "  | "  | 6      | 16 | 8   | 4          | 4  | 5   | 44     | 0  | 8   |    |   |
| Joseph Webb             | Emercilly  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | "          | "  | "   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | "          | "  | "   | "      | "  | "   |    |   |
| John Beakley            | Arklow   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | 6   | 8          | 11 | 6   | 8      | 11 |     |    |   |
| Sal. Loughlin           | Cionabano  | 10                    | "  | "  |        |    |     | 3          | 8  | 5   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballyartree  | 5                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 2          | 5  | 3   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Croca  | 11                    | "  | "  | 25     | "  | "   | 42         | "  | 9   | 105    | 9  | 7   |    |   |
| Mr Smith                | Boatman  | 6                     | 14 | 9  |        |    |     | 10         | 7  | 13  |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Knockree   | 1                     | 8  | "  |        |    |     | 1          | 6  | 6   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Trappinstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 5          | 9  | 3   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballinacree  | 5                     | 7  | 8  |        |    |     | 4          | 5  | 7   |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballinacree  | 5                     | 18 | 8  |        |    |     | 2          | 0  | 11  |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballinacree  | 6                     | 2  | 4  |        |    |     | 2          | 0  | 10  |        |    |     |    |   |
|                         | Aughrim  | 14                    | 15 | 4  | 40     | 6  | 9   | 39         | 14 | 3   | 255    | 9  | 2   |    |   |
|                         |  |                       |    |    |        |    | 119 | 17         | 4  | 119 | 17     | 4  | 762 | 13 | 1 |

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 £  $\checkmark$  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 £ 42. 3. s. 1½ d.

|  | £  | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.             | 42 | 3  | 1½ |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -        | 36 | 19 | ½  |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.         |    |    |    |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - |    | 1  | 1  |
| Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -                             |    | 1  | ½  |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -                        |    | 1  | 5  |

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:

160 Loaves White Bread  
 140 do Brown do  
 110 lbs Meat  
 4 Ton Indian meal  
 470 Gal. Buttermilk  
 400 do Sweet Milk  
 1 Tun Scale for Provision Store  
 10 Cwt Salt

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 13<sup>th</sup> day of September; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|                     | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------|---|----|----|
| In money, - - - - - | 0 | 3  | 6  |
| In kind, - - - - -  | 0 | 6  | 10 |
| Total, - - - - -    | 0 | 9  | 16 |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

|  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
|  |  |  |
|--|--|--|

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

R. H. Phaley

Milk

| £  | s. | d. |
|----|----|----|
| 53 | 3  | 8  |

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 Prayers were made thereon as follows:

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

Gent<sup>l</sup> " "

I beg to lay before the Board a pair of Trowsers and Vest manufactured in the House as a sample of a pattern which material might be used instead of Corduroy and Banagon should the Board approve of it it can be made for 1/2 each pair Trowsers less than the Cord now in use and Vests 2/3 less and considered more durable when woven with a twill

It may also be used for women's Petticoats woven without a twill it will be saving in washing the Linsey in use at present being of a light colour and easily soiled

Approved  
J. Parnell

Permission granted to the Master to go to Dublin for one day to procure wapes & backing for the Loom

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

Proposed by Docter Taylor and seconded by Mr. Gilbert  
 That the Board do now proceed to settle a  
 Rate for the Relief of the Poor in the Union  
 for the Period of One Year  
 Carried unanimously

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 N<sup>o</sup>. 50927 Dated 13<sup>th</sup> Inst in answer to a Letter of the Clerk on the 11<sup>th</sup> Inst inquiring from the Poor Law Commissioners by direction of the Chairman John Pennell Esq<sup>r</sup> whether the present Value of the Consolidated <sup>Liabilities</sup> ~~Assets~~ of an Electoral Division would be received in lieu of the 15 Years Annuity Charges thereon under the 18<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap. 14. and in reference thereto the Commissioners state that they are in Communication with the Treasury in respect to a similar application in another Union, and will communicate with the Clerk again as soon as their Lordships Views are made known to them

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 50551 Dated 13<sup>th</sup> Inst. adverting to a Resolution of the Board of Guardians on the 19<sup>th</sup> ultimo relating to the removal of a Pauper named Mary Doyle from the Rathdrum Union to Gorey Union, the Commissioners enclose for the information of the Board of Guardians the Copy of a Letter which they have addressed to Mr. Bealey, Relieving Officer, on the Subject together with two Circulars therein referred to.

This being a special Meeting for the purpose of agreeing to a new Rate, the Clerk submitted an Estimate of the Liabilities and Expenses of the Union for the Current Year ending the

29<sup>th</sup> September 1832, including the Government Annuitie  
 The Board declined to include the Annuitie but agreed  
 to a Rate for the Current expense of the Union, at the  
 following Rate of Poundage *(See the other side)*

Allow Electoral Division Rate at 1/6 in the Pound

|                   |   |   |   |                             |
|-------------------|---|---|---|-----------------------------|
| Aughrim           | " | " | " | 2/2                         |
| Ballmaclash       | " | " | " | 1/7                         |
| Ballinacross      | " | " | " | 1/10                        |
| Ballinderry       | " | " | " | 3/3                         |
| Ballyartane       | " | " | " | 1/11                        |
| Cronbane          | " | " | " | 2/2                         |
| Dunganstown East  |   |   |   | 11                          |
| Dunganstown South |   |   |   | 11                          |
| Dunganstown West  |   |   |   | 10                          |
| Endercilly        |   |   |   | 11                          |
| Glaculy           |   |   |   | 1/1                         |
| Kilbride          |   |   |   | 10                          |
| Knochrath         |   |   |   | 2/6                         |
| Moneytown         |   |   |   | 2/2 - altered by            |
| Ovoea             |   |   |   | 1/11 minute of the          |
| Rathfrum          |   |   |   | 1/5 7 <sup>th</sup> October |
| Roopinstown       |   |   |   | 1/1                         |
| Wicklow           |   |   |   | 1/6                         |
| Altimore          |   |   |   | 11                          |
| Ballycullen       |   |   |   | 10                          |
| Brookhagh         |   |   |   | 3/11                        |
| Calary            |   |   |   | 11                          |
| Glendalough       |   |   |   | 1/2                         |
| Kilcoole          |   |   |   | 10                          |
| Killiskee         |   |   |   | 10                          |
| Newcastle Lower   |   |   |   | 1/1                         |
| do Upper          |   |   |   | 11                          |
| Oldtown           |   |   |   | 1/10                        |
| Fogher            |   |   |   | 1/1                         |

The following Resolutions unanimously adopted by the  
 Boards of Guardians of the County Mayo assembled at the  
 Castlebar Court House being read from the London  
 Times, it was moved and unanimously Carried, that in  
 the Opinion of the Rathfrum Board of Guardians

the Said Resolutions with the exception of the 1<sup>st</sup> and the latter part of the 5<sup>th</sup> are not only quite unobjectionable but altogether in accordance with the Judgment and feelings. That a Copy of these Resolutions with the above exceptions be appended to the above and adopted as our own and that our Chairman John Parrell be requested to transmit a Copy of the Same to the Lord Lieutenant, to the First Lord of the Treasury and to the Poor Law Commissioners, "Resolutions."

Resolved <sup>That</sup> we consider it foreign to our duties, as Guardians of the Poor to levy Money for other purposes than the Relief of the destitute Poor, and that we must object to and resist being made the Agent, for the Collection of Taxes, for any other object whatever,

That if this impoverished, exhausted, and depopulated Country can be held liable for the Costs of Relief to meet what has been admitted by Government to have been a National Calamity in such a case Taxes, for defraying the said Charge should not be levied solely from the Owners and Occupiers of Land who were the Chief and only sufferers, but from all Classes equally.

That we protest in the strongest manner against

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 - - -

Of these 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.)

The Government exercising a right to impound our Rates and apply them to any other purpose than that for which they were levied; and should such a course be adopted we now solemnly declare that on the Government must rest the fearful responsibility of obstructing and altogether arresting the administration of the Law by the present Board of Guardians.

That it is our unanimous determination to strike no Rates except to meet what we admit to be our just debt, and the exigencies of the destitute Poor; and all demands for the repayment out of Poor Rates of the Money advanced under the 9th & 10th Victoria Chap — 9th & 10th Victoria Chap 107 & 10th Victoria Chap 7 are unjust and oppressive, because they were squandered in the most reckless manner; because the Board of Guardians exercised no control over the expenditure of that Money; because the persons on whom it was levied were not those who were entitled to claim Relief under any Poor Law; and because the Money was expended on Works which for the most part are and ever must be utterly useless.

Resolves that the Proceedings of the Rathfriland Union relative to the Government Assurances which the Commissioners have directed to be added to the Rates be Printed and a copy sent to each Board of Guardians in Ireland, and that our Clerk shall send a Copy to the Editors of Saunders's Newletter, Evening Post, Freeman and General Advertiser, accompanied by a request to the respective Editors to give insertion to the same.

Resolves that this Meeting do adjourn to Tuesday the 30th Inst. to receive the answers of Government, and to consider what further steps may be necessary.

Mr Samuel Edge brought before the notice of the Board the case of a Pauper named Mary Curt, referred to in Minutes of the 20<sup>th</sup> June last, for which it was decided the Master should pay at the Rate of 1/- per Week for the time the above Pauper was retained on the Books.

Proposed by Matt Hooper Esq and seconded by Mr Owen Fogarty that the Charge of Mary Curt of Bullindry Electoral Division should not be held chargeable to the Master, in consequence

of the same having occurred through mistake, and it being the first of the kind that has occurred since the Master's appointment, provided the Poor Law Commission will sanction same

Proposed by Hell Redmond Esq and seconded by Lawrence Gaydon Esq.

That all the Paupers in the Flannell Hall be removed into the Main Building, and that the services of Miss Manning as Assistant Matron be discontinued after the 25th Inst. Carried

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Miss Moran and Cullen to call a special meeting for Tuesday the 30th inst, to alter the chargeability of Paul Murphy, Mary Keely, Mary Fahey, Owen Fahey and James Carty from the Knockraath Electoral Division

J. Farrell Chairman  
James Bonapond  
David Edge

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1851.

(Signed) Arthur W. [Signature]  
Clerk of the Union.

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# Workhouse UNION.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September 1851.

| 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, . . .  | 780  | 552   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 6   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 6   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 19  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>578</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 53           | 140        | 35  | 30        | 65  | 127        | 91   | 18   | 20                            | 576                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 110<br>In Fever Hospital, 19        | In separate Wards, 4<br>In Wards with other inmates, 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 1            | 7          | 1   | 1         | 2   | 2          | 1  |  | 3                             | 18                                    |  |  |
| <b>TOTAL, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>54</b>    | <b>147</b> | <b>36</b>   | <b>31</b> | <b>67</b>   | <b>129</b> | <b>92</b>                                  | <b>18</b>                                  | <b>20</b>                     | <b>594</b>                            | <b>Total, 132</b>  | <b>Total, 9</b>  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 3            | 6          | "   | 1         | 2   | 2          | "  | "  | "                             | 14                                    |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | "          | "   | 1         | 1   | 1          | "  | "  | "                             | 2                                     |  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 6          | "   | 2         | 3   | 3          | "  | "  | "                             | 16                                    |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 57           | 141        | 35  | 29        | 67  | 126        | 90   | 18   | 20                            | 578                                   |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 19 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 19 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  | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | By forward       |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3  | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 2  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | 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     | 6  | 11  |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Parnell Esq*  
 Other Guardians: *Messrs. Nichol, Byrne, James Comerford, Sawt, Edw. Roberts, Connelley and James Cullen*

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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

*John Ryan Saboner Newbridge Parish of Castle M<sup>o</sup> Adam*  
*Elyza Doyle Servant Ballinacill do do*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2972 to No. 3015, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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.

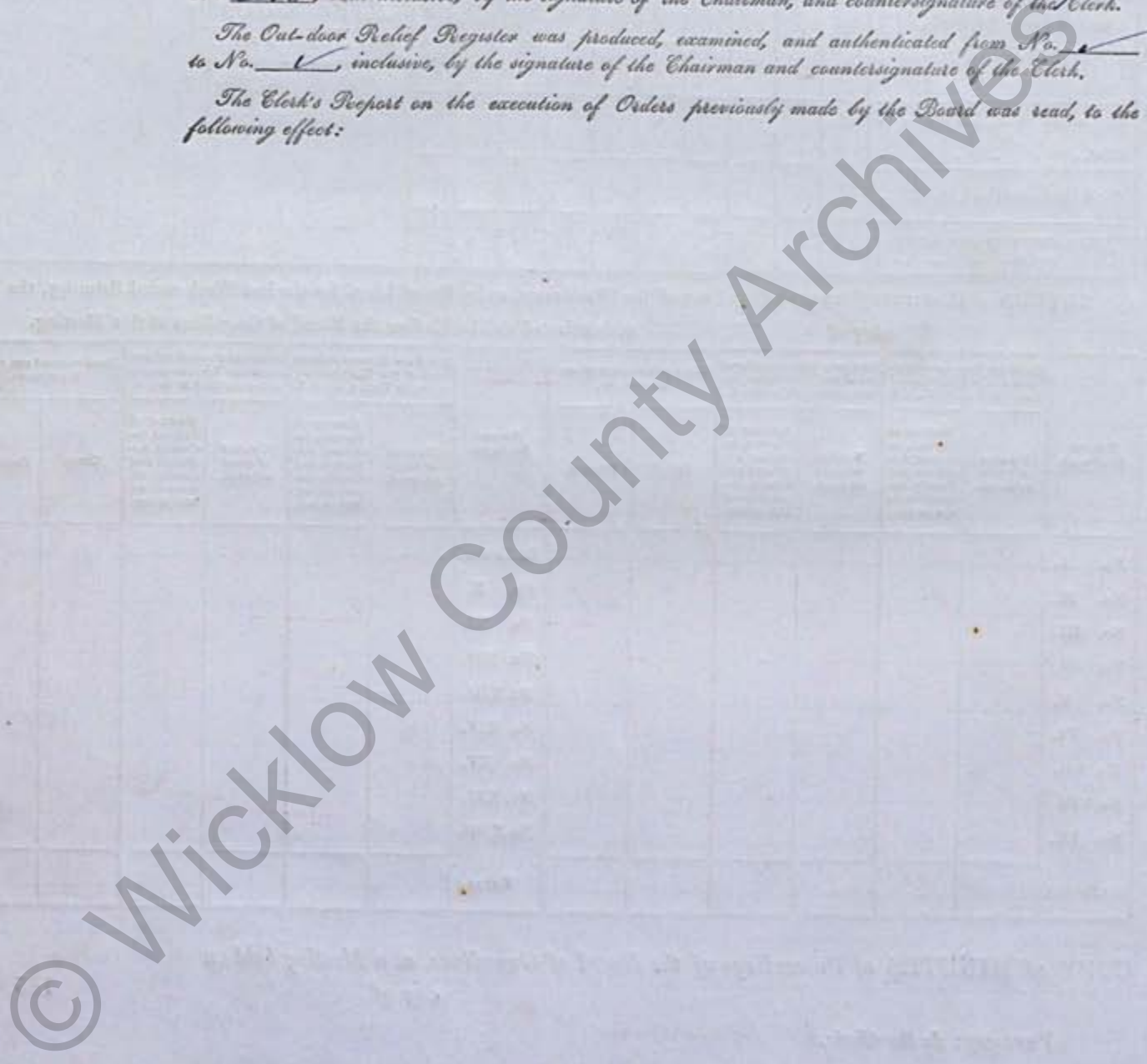
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 79<sup>0</sup>/<sub>1</sub>

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 90<sup>15</sup>/<sub>7</sub>

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 57<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |         | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|---------|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.      | £      | s. | d.    |
| Pat. Walker             | Newcastle Upper  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 1          | 9  | 4       |        |    |       |
|                         | do Lower   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 1          | 4  | 11      |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilsoole   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 9          | 7  | 10      |        |    |       |
|                         | Altinow  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 1          | 19 | 3       |        |    |       |
|                         | Killickey  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 1          | 19 | 2       | 15     | 6  |       |
| John Byrnes             | Glandalough  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 7          | 9  | 0 1/2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Culary   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 2          | 8  | 2       |        |    |       |
|                         | Brookagh   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 21         | 18 | 5 1/2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballycullen  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 7          | 8  | 5 1/2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 31         | 4  | 8       |        |    |       |
|                         | Togher   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 11         | 1  | 10 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Moneytown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 33         | 10 | 11 1/2  | 115    | 17 |       |
| James Madden            | Kicklow  | 17                    | 5  | 2  |        |    |    | 8          | 7  | 26      |        |    |       |
|                         | Glaneely   | 6                     | 12 | 4  | 23     | 17 | 6  | 48         | 2  | 7 1/2   | 135    | 5  | 1 1/2 |
| Mr. Douglas             | Dunganstown East                                       |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 3          | 9  | 81      |        |    |       |
|                         | do West  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |         |        |    |       |
|                         | do South   | 4                     | 4  | 5  | 4      | 12 | 7  |            |    |         | 39     | 8  | 1     |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerally   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |         |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilbride   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |         |        |    |       |
| John Peatley            | Arklow   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 6          | 8  | 11      | 6      | 8  | 11    |
| James Loughlin          | Crowlands  | 8                     |    |    |        |    |    | 3          | 0  | 56 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballygarth   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 2          | 5  | 33 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ovossu   | 7                     |    |    | 15     |    |    | 3          | 5  | 19      | 90     | 9  | 7 1/2 |
| Mr. Smith               | Kathdrum   | 10                    | 17 | 7  |        |    |    | 9          | 6  | 150 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Knocknath  | 6                     | 4  | 10 |        |    |    | 9          | 2  | 5 1/2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Twoporttown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 5          | 9  | 3 1/2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballyinny  | 5                     | 8  | 7  |        |    |    | 3          | 9  | 18 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballynelash  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 2          | 0  | 11 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballynacot   | 2                     | 1  | 3  |        |    |    | 1          | 8  | 8 1/2   |        |    |       |
|                         | Aughrim  | 10                    | 4  | 9  | 35     | 7  | 0  | 29         | 9  | 6 1/2   | 219    | 17 | 2 1/2 |
|                         |  | 79                    |    | 1  | 79     |    | 1  | 683        | 13 | 2       | 685    | 13 | 1 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.
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 £ 23 <sup>s.</sup> 3 <sup>d.</sup> 9 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

|  | £  | s. | d.                                 |
|--|----|----|------------------------------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       |    |    |                                    |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | 23 | 3  | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>      |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |    |    |                                    |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was |    |    | - 1/11                             |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 |    |    | - 1/11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            |    |    | - 1/5                              |

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:

160 Loaves white Bread 60 lbs Mould Candles  
 140 do Brown do 3 Knives and forks  
 120 lbs Meat 1 Dish  
 470 Gals Buttermilk 2 tin dishes for Fever Hospital  
 400 Gals Sweetmilk  
 2 lbs Tea  
 16 do Sugar  
 6 Bottles wine  
 24 do Rose Porter

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 20<sup>th</sup> day of September whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------|---|----|----|
| In money, | 8 | 0  | 0  |
| In kind,  | 0 | 6  | 1  |
| Total,    | 8 | 6  | 1  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.



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

That one of the Hinges of the Outer Gate is broken and requires to be repaired forthwith.

Ordered that it be repaired by the Contractor for Iron Work.

I also wish to know what is to be done with the Crop of Oats on the Workhouse Grounds.

Ordered to be threshed and the straw used for the Horses.

Ordered that the Warps for the use of the Union are to be the Cheaper than those sold in Rathdown.

Ordered to buy Warps in Dublin.

There are two Children named Mary Davis & Mary Kenny Pauper Inmates, whose friends are willing to take them but cannot do so having no Clothes, also a boy named Toole

No Order in those Cases

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

Sealed order N<sup>o</sup> 48,800 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Inst Changing on the Townland of Ballinacoy the Sum of £ 13 5 and on the Townland of Ballinagapogue £ 2 10 7 1/4 annually for 15 years as the portion of the Government Annuities, the above townlands having been omitted from the Commission Order of 29<sup>th</sup> July last, both of the above Townlands being situate in the Electoral Division of Ballinacoy.

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:)

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 543 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland informing the Clerk for the information of the Guardians and guidance of the Poor Rate Collectors that by the Act 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 93 Section 10 for regulating proceedings at Petty Sessions which will come fully into operation on the 1<sup>st</sup> November next, the existing general limitation of the time for proceeding before Magistrates in Civil Bill Cases to Six Months will cease, and in Poor Rate Cases, the Collectors may then proceed for recovery of Rates before Magistrates, at any time after the date of the Warrant authorising the Collection. This extension is necessarily subject to the limitations in the Act for Relief of the Poor 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 56 & 12 & 13<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 102.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 48,800 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Inst, enclosing an Order under Seal amending the Order of the 29<sup>th</sup> July last for payment of Annuities under 13<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 14 Section 4 in respect to the Ballinacoy Division from which the Townlands of Ballinacoy and Ballinagapogue were inadvertently omitted in printing the Order.

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 Letter N<sup>o</sup> 5211 Dated 20<sup>th</sup> Inst. in answer to a Letter of the Clerk of the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst. relative to the refusal of Proprietors of Mines in this Union to allow the Revising Valuator to inspect their Accounts, in reference thereto the Commissioners draw the attention of the Clerk to the provisions of the 63<sup>rd</sup> Section of 1<sup>st</sup> 42<sup>nd</sup> Victoria Cap 56 also to the further provision of the 67 section of the same Act which prescribes that account of the Monthly Tolls, profits and expenses of all the properties and hereditaments declared rateable in 63<sup>rd</sup> Section shall be duly kept and that the Jurandins of the Union or any Deputy authorised under their Seal shall have free access to and liberty to inspect such account during the months of April and October in every year.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 51880 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst. stating that the Commissioners have had before them a Resolution of the Jurandins on the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst. relative to the Case of May Cady who wa. discharged from the Workhouse in

~~The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders were taken as follows~~

April 1830 but whose name wa. retained on the Muster Book, to the 7<sup>th</sup> Week in the present half year in reference thereto the Commissioners state they cannot adopt any other Course than that mentioned in the Letter of the 30<sup>th</sup> May last and that the subject is now one for the Consideration of the Auditor.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 51880 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst. stating that the Commissioners have had under Consideration the Resolution contained in Minutes of proceeding of the Jurandins on the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst. in which the Jurandins refuse to include provision for payment of the Annuitis in the Rate about to be made. In reference thereto the Commissioners state that the provisions of the Annuitis Act leave no discretion to the Jurandins, who are required by the 1<sup>st</sup> Section of that Act to provide for the Annuity assessed on each Townland by a Rate on the Rateable hereditaments comprised therein in addition to the Rate made thereon for the general purposes of the Electoral Division.

The Commissioners further observe that by the 5<sup>th</sup> Section of the same Act, the Treasurer is bound to receive and pay over out of the Lodgements made

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

with him of the Rates on each Electoral Division a sum equal to the aggregate amount payable on account of the Annuitie charged on all the Townlands and other Denominations, and place, situate in each Electoral Division.

The Commissioners have no power to dispense with the liability of the Receiver under this Section, and that Officer will be bound to pay over the sum named in the Commissioners Order out of the Rates about to be made in the Rathfriland Union, and the only result of an Objection on the part of the Landowner to make the Rates required by the Act, would be to cause much Confusion in the Union Account, and injustice to the Rate payers of separate Townlands.

~~The following Report from the Poor Law Commissioners was read by the Clerk, and the Board resolved to refer the same to the Committee on the subject of the Poor Law, and to report thereon at the next meeting of the Board.~~

The Commission think it proper to remark that no addition has been made by the Annuitie Act to the separate Liabilities heretofore charged on the Rates of the Union or leviable by Grand Jury presentment, and that on the contrary the effect of the Act has been to diminish the Assessments to which the Union was previously liable.

No Order on the Above.

The following Report, were read from the Clerk's Gentle

I beg to call your attention to the Arrears of Poor Rate due on the Old Electoral Divisions of Wicklow, Glencole, Dunganstown, Rathfriland, & Aughrim. I have on several occasions called on the Collectors of those Districts, to close the Arrears but without effect. It would be very material to have them closed forthwith so as to have the Supplemental Audit of the Old Union.

The Collectors should be called upon to lodge this Rate forthwith as they should have done so long since.

The Amount due on Newcastle is to be recovered by Civil Bill at the October Sessions, consequently the Collector is to be excused until after that period.

I have also to inform the Board that agreeable to your Orders I called on all the Collectors to close their

account this day, and attend before you with their Books, which order has been disobeyed, with the exception of Messrs Madden & Smith who are in attendance.

The above named Collectors were called before the Board, and told unless they brought their Collections to a close forthwith they should be summoned and fined.

I beg also to call your attention to the General Rules of the Poor Law Commission of the 5<sup>th</sup> February 1842, one of which directs that Stock should be taken by all Parishes, Clothing &c every 25<sup>th</sup> March and 29<sup>th</sup> Sept in each year by a Committee of two Guardians in presence of the Clerk of the Union, I hope you will appoint two Gent<sup>l</sup> for the purpose to meet at any convenient hour on Monday next.

Ordered that the Visiting Committee be requested to attend.

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs Byrne & Hornford to call a Special Meeting of the Board on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October for the purpose altering the Rate agreed to on last Board day in the Electoral Division of Bellonytown.

The following Reports were read by the Master Gent<sup>l</sup>

Have to report Patrick Dune a Pauper Inmate for striking his wife in the Porter Lodge on Sunday Morning the 21<sup>st</sup> Inst and severely cutting her legs, on enquiry into the cause the following report was given to me by Dune.

On the 9<sup>th</sup> September Inst I saw Gilbert the Porter in the Bath Room with my wife in the Act of Adultery, about 1/2 past 7 O'Clock AM. the Door being open. Also on the 17<sup>th</sup> Inst I saw him in the Bath Room with my wife in the same Act the Door being open, about 1/2 past 7 O'Clock AM.

On Thursday the 16<sup>th</sup> Inst I brought a prayer Book to her for to swear that she had nothing to do with Gilbert she refused to do so. Dune also stated to me that the Porter was drunk on Sunday last about 1/2 past 8 O'Clock, and that an argument took place between him and the Porter at which time he Dune struck his wife.

The Above Pauper Patrick Dune was called before the Board and persisted in his Charges against the Porter



Sarah Duns the wife was called in and denied the charges of her Husband stating that they were untrue.

The Porter William Gilbert also being called in denied the charges.

The Clerk was directed to take down the Statement of the above named Pauper Sarah Duns relative to the Cause of herself and Family leaving the Shillelugh Workhouse. which was as follows. That she was an Inhabitant of the Townland of Trockanona in the Union of Shillelugh, that she her Husband and Children became ~~inmates~~ inmates of the Shillelugh Workhouse in the Month of March about 8 Years ago and remained there One Year and Nine Months, and that in order to get rid of the burthen of the Family the Guardians gave her Husband Five Pounds in Money and Value.

Her Husband Patrick Duns deserted her about 14 days after they had left Shillelugh, and she then made application <sup>herself & children</sup> and was admitted as inmate of the Rathdren Workhouse, where she has remained ever since, she did not hear of her Husband for 5 Years until about 3 Years back he became also an inmate of the House, and remained 12 Months when he again

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Do. do. disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

deserted from the House, and a Warrant was taken out for his apprehension.

The Clerk was directed to send up those reports for the Consideration of the Poor Law Commissioners.

The Clerk was directed to Advise of Poor Rate Collectors Fines to be received this day fortnight.

Wm. W. W.  
Clerk  
James Colyer  
James Luller

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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, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 1211/15-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1851.

| 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 9 and under 15 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 9 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, . . .  | 780  | 571   |              |            |  |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  |   |              |            |  |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 4   |              |            |  |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 22  |              |            |  |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |  |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>597</b>                                    |              |            |  |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 51           | 141        | 36   | 29        | 67  | 126        | 90  | 18   | 20                            | 578                                   | In Work-house Hospital, 123<br>In Fever Hospital, 22<br>Total, 145 | In separate Wards, 4<br>In Wards with other Inmates, 5<br>Total, 9 |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 3            | 15         | 1  | 1         | 4   | 1          | 3   | 1  | 1                             | 30                                    |  |  |  |
| <b>TOTAL, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>54</b>    | <b>156</b> | <b>37</b>  | <b>30</b> | <b>71</b>   | <b>127</b> | <b>93</b>                                   | <b>19</b>                                  | <b>21</b>                     | <b>608</b>                            |  |  |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 3            | 2          | "  | 1         | 2   | 3          | "   | "  | "                             | 11                                    |  |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | "          | "  | "         | "   | "          | "   | "  | "                             | "                                     |  |  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 2          | "  | 1         | 2   | 3          | "   | "  | "                             | 11                                    |  |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                    |  |   | 51           | 154        | 37   | 29        | 69  | 126        | 93  | 19   | 21                            | 597                                   |  |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | BL forward       |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 2   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| <i>Mission</i>   | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 7   | 11  |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. Gilbert*

Other Guardians: *R. A. Truel & M. H. Brooke Esqrs*  
*Messrs. Simon Moran Esqrs & Bymie Esqrs*  
*John Doyle John Campbell M. H. Jones R. Johnson*  
*Robt. Wright James Cullen Pat. Gallant John Cullen*

*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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3016 to No. 3053, 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:

### Rate Collected & Lodged on the Old Electoral Division

| Collector's Name | Electoral Division | Collected | Lodged | Remaining |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------|--------|-----------|
| Pat. Walker      | Newcastle          | "         | "      | 18 8 2½   |
|                  | Killistkey         | "         | "      | 1 " "     |
| John Beakey      | Arklow             | "         | "      | 10 9 1    |
| Joseph Webb      | Killride           | "         | "      | " " "     |
| James Longhlin   | Castle St. Adam    | "         | "      | " " "     |
| Wm. Douglas      | Danganstown        | "         | "      | 1 13 "    |
| James Snadden    | Wicklow            | "         | "      | 10 5 2¾   |
| Wm. Smith        | Bathrum            | 3         | 0 4    | 5 7 11    |
|                  | Glendalough        | "         | "      | " " "     |
| John Byrne       | Roundwood          | "         | "      | " " "     |
| James Snadden    | Glanealy           | "         | "      | " 9 4½    |
| Wm. Smith        | Anghrim            | "         | 6 5    | " " "     |
|                  |                    | 3         | 6 9    | 46 12 3½  |

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, - - - - £112. 19. 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 0. 0. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 194. 0. 9

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £  $\checkmark$  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 £ 34 . 0 . 9  $\frac{3}{4}$  d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

£ s. d.  
34 - 0 - 9  $\frac{3}{4}$   
- 26 - 0 - 2  $\frac{1}{2}$

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -

Average cost in Infirmary, - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

- 1/1  
- 1/1  $\frac{1}{2}$   
- 1/5

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:

160 Loaves White Bread

140 do Brown do

120 lb Meat

2 Ton Indianmeal

480 Gals Buttermilk

400 Gals Sweetmilk

4 Cwt Soap

1 Hide Buts Leather

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

|           |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £ | s. | d. |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - | 0 | 5  | 0  |
|           |   |   |   |   | 0 | 6  | 4  |
| Total,    |   |   |   |   | 0 | 11 | 4  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

| £ | s. | d. |
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

|                     |                         |    |    |   |
|---------------------|-------------------------|----|----|---|
| Rev. W. S. Guinness | 1/4 Salary to 29 Sept.  | 7  | 10 | " |
| Rev. J. McKenna     | 1/4 " "                 | 15 | "  | " |
| Arthur Wank         | Clark 1/4 " "           | 20 | "  | " |
| Isaac Flower        | Master 1/4 " "          | 15 | "  | " |
| Sam. Drummig        | Medical officer 1/4 " " | 25 | "  | " |
| John Wainwright     | Assistant Master " "    | 5  | "  | " |
| Mary Ogilby         | Matron " "              | 10 | "  | " |
| Mary A. Saul        | Schoolmistress " "      | 5  | "  | " |
| Eliot Manning       | Assistant Matron " "    | 2  | 10 | " |
| William Gilbert     | Porter " "              | 3  | "  | " |
| Eiza Martin         | Maids " "               | 3  | "  | " |
| Anne Kavanagh       | do " "                  | 3  | 15 | " |

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

| Establishments Continued      |                   | £  | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|----|----|----|
| James Reid                    | Tailor            | 7  | 10 | 3  |
| Edward Tallon                 | Shoemaker         | 7  | 10 | 3  |
| Danl. Johnston                | Revising Valuator | 7  | 10 | 3  |
| Edward Bane                   | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| Sat <sup>l</sup> Moran        | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| John Booth                    | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| Robert Manning                | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| Sat <sup>l</sup> Beakley      | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| George Inke                   | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| William Manning               | R.O.              | 10 | 0  | 0  |
| Ins. Insurance Co, Insurances |                   | 4  | 0  | 6  |
| John Sutton Glazing           |                   | 4  | 3  | 9  |
| John Byrne Repairs            |                   | 2  | 3  | 10 |

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

|                               |        |     |
|-------------------------------|--------|-----|
| William Smith Poor Rate       | £3, 40 | 4   |
| Vach. Saul Clanny Vaccination | 10     | 3 6 |
| Invoice Thomas Byrne Meat     | 30     | 4 6 |

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:

|                           |                  |                              |
|---------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| In favour of Clark to pay |                  |                              |
| Am. McEam                 | July             | 4 6                          |
| Dr                        | Dr               | Expenses to Session          |
|                           |                  | 10 0                         |
| Lawrence Byrne            | Salt             | 1 10 11                      |
| Isaac Glower              | Harness for Loon | " 11 " "                     |
| Dr                        | Dr               | Expenses to Dublin & Wicklow |
|                           |                  | 1 5 9                        |
| Edw <sup>d</sup> Ellison  | Car Hire         | 8 0                          |
|                           |                  | 4 9 5                        |

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

Forth

I have to report that the Pauper Patrick Dume who made the Charge against the Porter last Bond day for improper Conversation with his Wife, has stated to me this Morning that the Said Report was, altogether false, and further states that he never saw any improper Conduct between his wife and the Porter, he pleads no excuse for making the statement only, that he was tempted by the Devil to do so having seen him Visible and invisible,

He has displayed Symptoms of Insanity, but whether Real or Actual Symptoms I am unable to say.

He states that he is prepared to make the above statements good

Signed  
Isaac Glover  
Master

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:)

Circular No. 554 Dated 26<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for Administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland transmitting a Form for the Annual Return of Union Officers.

Letter No 5299 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to the Clerk's report on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst, stating that the Order of the Board for the Collectors to close their Accounts has been disobeyed the Commissioners express their approval of the Means proposed by the Guardians to enforce the Obedience of Collectors to their Order and state that they will be prepared to remove from Office by an Order under their Seal any Collector who fails to comply with the directions of the Board of Guardians.

Letter No 52999 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to a Report of the Master on the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst relative to an Act of immorality alleged to have been committed by the Porter with a Female Pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Sarah Dunne. The Commissioners inform the Guardians that they have instructed their Inspector Mr Crawford to inquire into the Circumstances of the Case and to furnish them with his Report thereon.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 52,999 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Inst, in reference to Minutes of the 28<sup>th</sup> Inst in which it is stated that the friends of three Pauper inmates are willing to take them but cannot do so they not having clothes, the Commission request that the Guardians will be good enough to furnish them with their Opinion on these cases, and to state that clothes may be given to these Children if the Guardians are satisfied that they would be properly taken care of

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 52,999 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> in reference to the Statement of a Pauper Named Sarah Dunn as entered on the Minutes of the 28<sup>th</sup> Inst stating that her Husband had received Five Pounds from the Guardians of the Shillelagh Union to remove the Burthen of his Family off that Union. The Commission inform the Guardians that they are in Communication with the Guardians of Shillelagh Union on the Subject, and ~~they~~ request to be informed of the date of Admission of Sarah Dunn & Children to the Workhouse and to state that they presume that they were as well as her Husband Chargeable to the Union @ Large.

In answer to the above, Sarah Dunn & her Family were admitted about the Month of May 1845 as appears on the old Register, and both herself and Husband & Children are & have been Chargeable to the Union at Large.

A Letter was read for Sir W. W. Somerville Chief Secy for Ireland acknowledging the receipt of a Letter from the Clerk on the 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst enclosing Resolutions of the Board of Guardians passed on the 15<sup>th</sup> Inst.

A Letter was read for Lord John Russell on the same Subject.

The following report was read from the Inspector of National Schools, on his inspection of the Workhouse School's Female Department

"The Teacher is fairly qualified as regards both her literary Acquirements, and her method of conducting the business. The School has improved generally, but especially in the progress of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Class pupils, many of whom have been advanced to the 1<sup>st</sup> Class since my last visit



The Male Teacher being in Fever the School in consequence was not in operation.

A Letter was read from Mr Thomas Haulon of 9 Dwyll St Dublin, stating that a notice was served on him to pay certain Poor Rates and Arrears due on the Townland of Downshile in the Electoral Division of Altidore, and that the Collector Mr Pat Walker served him with a notice as the Immediate Lessor, and such was not the fact as he held the Townland in question under Lease from the Court of Exchequer in the Cause of Robinson v Warner.

In answer to the above the Board directed the Clerk to state that as they had directed Mr Walker to employ Mr Burt the Solicitor for the purpose of proceeding for the recovery of those Rates they would not interfere.

Proposed by Mr Simon Cullen and Seconded by Robt Wright Esq that Magistrate Reel, Daniel Murphy, & James Curry be altered from the Electoral Division of Knocknath to that of Ballindegan.

Proposed by Mr Simon Moran & Seconded by Mr Pat Gashin that the Electoral Division of Lower Newcastle and

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.)

Killicky be found into our Collection District and that Messrs. Macguffie, Kelcey, and others be found into another

Carried,

A Notice was read by the Clerk which was served on him on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Inst. signed by Messrs. Gilbert and Booth to call a Special Meeting for Tuesday the 7<sup>th</sup> Proximo for the purpose of recording a Resolution of the Board on the 16<sup>th</sup> Inst. dispensing with the Services of Missellauy as Assistant Matron.

Proposed by Mr. H. Jones and seconded by Mr. John Moran, "That inasmuch as some of the Mining agents having refused to produce their Books to the Revising Valuator preparatory to settling a new Rate it is therefore proposed that the Clerk be instructed not to enter the Rate into the Books of this Union until the true Value of all Mines in said Union be first ascertained and that Mr. Johnson the Valuator be called upon to use all Diligence and Despatch in Valuing the Mines.

Carried

A Notice was drawn up and signed by the Chairman & countersigned by the Clerk to which the Seal of the Union was affixed calling on the Proprietors of all Mines to allow Mr. Johnson to inspect their Books agreeable to the Letter of the Poor Law Commission No 211 of the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst.

Henry W. Redmond

Wm. Gilbert  
M. Booth

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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, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851.

| 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 2 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, . . .  | 780  | 578   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 1   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 41  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 22  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Total, . . .  | 1290   | 601   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |                                |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 49           | 157  | 37  | 29   | 70  | 126    | 95   | 21   | 21                            | 605                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 113                                 | In separate Wards, 4           |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 5            | 10   | 4   | 3    | 1   | 1      | 3  | 2  | 2                             | 28                                    | In Fever Hospital, 22                                      | In Wards with other inmates, 5 |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |   | 54           | 167  | 41  | 32   | 71  | 126    | 98   | 21   | 23                            | 633                                   | Total, 135   | Total, 9                       |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 3            | 8    | 2   | 1    | 2   | 3      | 7  | 1  | 3                             | 30                                    |  |                                |
| Died, . . .   |  |   | 1            | 1    | 1   | 1    | 1   | 1      | 1  | 1  | 1                             | 2                                     |  |                                |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 8    | 3   | 1    | 2   | 3      | 8  | 1  | 3                             | 32                                    |  |                                |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 57           | 159  | 38  | 31   | 69  | 123    | 90   | 20   | 20                            | 601                                   |  |                                |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of October authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, 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. 21, 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Et. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
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| No. VI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. M. Redmond V. A. M. W. Byrne Esqrs

Other Guardians: Wm. Kemmis Mch<sup>r</sup>. Hudson Capt. Haro Wm. C. Stumud  
 R. H. Tuohy John Edwards N. O. Reilly A. W. Byrne  
 & Rich<sup>d</sup>. Howard Broth<sup>r</sup> Esqrs

Mess<sup>rs</sup> Wm. Gilbert Esq. Cornelius Lance Graydon Mch<sup>r</sup>. Byrne  
 John Doyle John Booth Thomas Doyle John Murphy  
 Owen Fogarty Simon Moran John Chapman George  
 Saunders George Manning Rich<sup>d</sup>. Johnston Esq. Bourke  
 John Campbell M. H. Jones Saml. E. Edg. Thos. Sheewood Wm.  
 Nally R. Wright John Cullen Male, Johnson George Manley J  
 Philips W. L. Bestall J. R. Taylor Esq. Debesch Esq. & Pat. Gaston

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Chas. S. Crawford Esq. Poor Law Inspector was also present



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.

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

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

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

*Register not signed*

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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, - - - - - £ 179.1.6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 549.5

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 326.9.7

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 Peates collected in the severat Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |                                | Total. |    |                                |
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|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.                             | £      | s. | d.                             |
| Pat. Walker             | Newcastle Lower  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 1          | 5  | "                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | " Lower  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Kilwale  | 2                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 1          | 14 | 10                             |        |    |                                |
|                         | Altidaro   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Killiekey  | "                     | "  | "  | 2      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              | 2      | 19 | 10                             |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 4          | 15 | 5 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 1          | 4  | 6                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Brookagh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 14         | 10 | 3 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Ballycullin  | 5                     | 4  | 5  |        |    |    | "          | 9  | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Oldtown  | 8                     | 15 | "  |        |    |    | 15         | 13 | 8                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 7          | 10 | 5 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Moneytown  | 10                    | 10 | 9  | 24     | 10 | 2  | 23         | "  | 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  | 67     | 1  | 1                              |
| James Madden            | Westlow  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 6          | 8  | 9                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Glanealy   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 3          | 4  | 13 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>2</sub> | 103    | 2  | 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |
| Wm. Douglas             | Dunganstown East                                       | 2                     | 4  | "  |        |    |    | 10         | 8  | 1                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | do South   | "                     | "  | "  | 2      | 4  | "  | "          | "  | "                              | 10     | 8  | 1                              |
| Joseph Webb             | Emmelly  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              | "      | "  | "                              |
| John Beakey             | Millow   | 16                    | 10 | "  | 16     | 10 | "  | 32         | 1  | "                              | 32     | 1  | "                              |
| James Coughlin          | Cronebane  | 10                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 14         | 5  | 6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Ballyathur   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 19         | 3  | 3 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Boeia  | 10                    | "  | "  | 20     | "  | "  | 17         | 2  | 4                              | 50     | 11 | 2 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |
| Wm. Smith               | Rathdun  | 28                    | 10 | "  |        |    |    | 48         | 12 | 3 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Knocknath  | 2                     | 15 | 7  |        |    |    | 6          | 7  | 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Prosperstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 3          | 10 | 6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Ballinacorney  | 16                    | 1  | 9  |        |    |    | 23         | 17 | 2                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Ballinacash  | 19                    | 8  | 4  |        |    |    | 1          | 3  | 7 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                                |
|                         | Ballinacris  | 6                     | 13 | 5  |        |    |    | 11         | 15 | 5                              |        |    |                                |
|                         | Augherin   | 19                    | 1  | 5  | 92     | 1  | 4  | "          | "  | "                              | 95     | 5  | 11 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
|                         |  | 179                   | 1  | 6  | 179    | 1  | 6  | 361        | 12 | 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  | 361    | 12 | 1 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |

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 severat 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.
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 £17 - 19 s. 3½ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

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|---|---|---|----|----|-------|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - | - | £  | s. | d.    |
|   |   |   | 17 | -  | 19 3½ |
|   |   |   | 27 | -  | 10 9½ |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/1 -

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1/1½ -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1/5 -

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:

*No Orders signed*

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 4<sup>th</sup> day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |    |       |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|----|-------|
| In money, | - | - | - | £ | s. | d.    |
|           |   |   |   | 0 | -  | 0     |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | 0 | -  | 3 11½ |
|           |   |   |   | 0 | -  | 3 11½ |
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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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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.

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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.



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

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

~~Proposed by Mr. Colburn Esq. and seconded by Mr. Wright Esq. that all the Poor Law Guardians be directed to send to the Poor Law Commissioners a list of the names of the Guardians of the Poor in the several Districts.~~

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 No. 5495 of the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, in reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 30<sup>th</sup> Ultimo forming the Electoral Divisions of Lower Newcastle and Killybeg, into one Collecting District and the Electoral Divisions of Upper Newcastle Killoole and Altidore in another District, the Commissioners request that they may be informed of the Guardians views for making the proposed alteration.

Letter No. 54394 Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Inst. with reference to a Report of one of the Inspectors of National Education respecting the State of the Workhouse School as entered on the Minutes of the 30<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, stating that in consequence of the Schoolmaster being in Fever the School was not in operation, in reference thereto the Commissioners request that they may be informed if the Schoolmaster is still in Fever, and if so what provision has been made for the performance of his duties.

Proposed by John Edwards Esq. & seconded by Robt Wright Esq. that during the Absence of the Schoolmaster a person be employed to take his place, until he is in a fit State to resume his duty

Passed

Moved by Mr Chas Hume Esq and seconded by Mr Gilbert  
that Mr Redmond do leave the Chair, and that at 205  
Mr Byrne Esq, be moved there to

Proposed in reply to the Commissioners Letter, requesting the  
Guardians to state their reasons for the alteration of the  
Newcastle Collection District, that they be informed  
that the Guardians do not now consider such alteration  
to be necessary.

Proposed by James K Taylor Esq M.D. and seconded  
by Mr W. Gilbert Resolved that the Resolution of the Board  
passed this day three weeks dispensing with the services  
of Miss Manning the Assistant Matron be rescinded  
and that she shall be directed to return to her duties

Proposed by Mr Somford and seconded by Mr Gilbert  
Resolved that the girls be sent back to the  
Havannah Hall.

Proposed by Mr Kenmuir Esq and seconded  
by Mr Charles Hume Esq. Resolved that in future no  
Officer of this Institution shall be dismissed without  
a months notice in writing signed by two Guardians  
unless for bad conduct.

Proposed by Mr Michael Byrne and seconded by  
Lawrence Graydon Esq. Resolved that the Rate agreed  
on Monday's Electoral Division be altered  
from 3<sup>s</sup> to 2<sup>s</sup> as it is considered sufficient to  
meet the expenses of said Division

This being the day appointed for the Election of Poor Rate  
Collectors as advertised the following persons were appointed  
District No 1 comprising the Electoral Divisions of Newcastle  
Upper Newcastle Lower Kelcoole Altidore & Kelliskey  
Mr Patrick Farrell was appointed @ 11<sup>0</sup> in the Pound

District No 2. Electoral Divisions of Glandalough Calany  
Brookhugh, Ballycullen, Oldtown, Fogher, Yellowstown  
Mr John Byrne was appointed @ 9<sup>0</sup> in the Pound

District No 3 Electoral Divisions of Melllaw & Glanealy  
Mr Edward Byrne was appointed @ 11<sup>0</sup> in the  
Pound, subject to enquiry as to Surtees



- District No 4 Electoral Division of Dunganstown  
 " South Dunganstown West & Dunganstown  
 " East Mr William Douglas @ 6<sup>th</sup> in the Pound
- District No 5 Eumoreilly & Kilbride, postponed  
 Mr Webb afterwards appointed @ 6<sup>th</sup> in the Pound
- District No 6 Electoral Division of Cullow  
 Mr Thomas Birdthistle @ 5<sup>th</sup> in  
 the Pound Subject to enquiry as to his Securities
- District No 7 Electoral Division of Cronstadt  
 Ballyathur & Croca  
 Mr James Loughlin @ 9<sup>th</sup> in the Pound
- District No 8, Electoral Division of Rathdrum,  
 Kucekath, Koopeestown, Ballinacorney,  
 Ballinacor, Ballinaculash & Keshtrim  
 Mr James Ford @ 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Pound

The following protest against the appointment of  
 Mr Patrick Ferrell as Collector for District No 1  
 was handed to the Clerk

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.)

We the undersigned Guardians of the Electoral Division of Altadore Upper and Lower Newcastle, object to the appointment of any Collector but Patrick Walker for District No 1 inasmuch as that no Tender has been made for said District but by Patrick Walker and that we see no good reason to alter said District

Signed

Lawrence Graydon  
George Saunders  
James R Taylor  
Robert Edger

Mr Filbert stated that Mr P Farrell was appointed at the suggestion of A O Kelly Esq and Mr Redmond and with the seeming sanction of these Guardians now protesting and which was agreed to by the Board, and Mr Filbert calls on the Members of the Board to support their Chairman in the decision they have come to in the appointment

Mr Henry MacPhail of Wicklow Printer was declared the Contractor for the Execution of all printing, the supply of all Books, Forms, Stationery &c required for the use of the Guardians for One Year from this date for the sum of Ninety Six Pounds &c

Mr Daniel Farrell of Rathdrum Carpenter was declared the Contractor for keeping in repair all the Hoops and Iron work, Locks, Bolts, Bars, of the Workhouse, Samuel Hale Brewery & Dover Hospital and all Outside Doors gates and Windows thereof for 12 months from this date for the sum of £8- &c

This being the day appointed agreeable to Advertisement for receiving Tenders for the Supply of Clothing &c the following persons were declared the Contractors for the Articles Specified for 12 Months from this date,

|              |              |   |             |
|--------------|--------------|---|-------------|
| Dennis Chase | Patrick Rice | @ | 14/6 per lb |
| "            | "            | " | 25/6 per lb |
| "            | "            | " | 9/6 per lb  |

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| Laurence Bym | Salt         | @ | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>7</sub> 6 | £ 5 <sup>0</sup> | per Ton                               |
| Domini Chase | Washing Soda | @ | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>   |                  | cut                                   |
| "            | "            | " | Crown Soap                      | @                | 25 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> feet   |
| "            | "            | " | Yellow Dr                       | @                | 17 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> "      |
| "            | "            | " | Mount Candles                   | @                | 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per doz |
| "            | "            | " | Dept Dr                         | @                | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>7</sub> "       |

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| James Wright | Carduoy | @ | 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> 7 <sup>0</sup> |   |  |
| "            | "       | " | Frize  | @ | 18 7 <sup>0</sup>                            |
| "            | "       | " | Rungat Strips                                | @ | 5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 7 <sup>0</sup> |
| "            | "       | " | Check  | @ | 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> "              |
| "            | "       | " | Rugs   | @ | 18 "   |
| "            | "       | " | Blankets                                     | @ | 14 7 <sup>0</sup>                            |
| "            | "       | " | Blay Cuber                                   | @ | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "              |
| "            | "       | " | Shrouding                                    | @ | 2 <sup>0</sup>                               |

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| Peter Hughes  | Red Ties    | @ | 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |      |  |
| "             | "           | " | Meas                          | @    | 1 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 7 <sup>0</sup> |
| "             | "           | " | Tape wide                     | @    | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per doz        |
| "             | "           | " | Ho Nanan                      | @    | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "              |
| "             | "           | " | Done Studs                    | @    | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per doz        |
| "             | "           | " | Male Dr                       | @    | 4 <sup>0</sup>                               |
| "             | "           | " | Twine needles                 | @    | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> per 1000       |
| "             | "           | " | Knitting Dr                   | @    | 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> feet           |
| "             | "           | " | Pin                           | @    | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per sheet      |
| "             | "           | " | Rack Combs                    | @    | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> per dozen      |
| "             | "           | " | Pin Dr                        | @    | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " "            |
| "             | "           | " | Tailors & Women, Thimble      | @    | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per doz        |
| "             | "           | " | Twine                         | @    | 10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> feet          |
| C. Neill Hous | Scotch Caps | @ | 10 <sup>0</sup>               | each |  |

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| Andrew Bellow | Zinc Chamber | @ | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> each |   |                                       |
| "             | "            | " | House Buckets                      | @ | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> "       |
| "             | "            | " | Quart Tins                         | @ | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>5</sub> per doz |
| "             | "            | " | Pint Dr                            | @ | 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> "       |
| "             | "            | " | Iron Spoon                         | @ | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> per doz |

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Mr. Daniel Shoe Oil @ 3/9 p Gall  
 " " Wool do @ 3/6 "  
 " " Black Lead Brushes @ 10<sup>2</sup> each  
 " " Whitewash Brushes @ 2/- each  
 " " Sweeping " @ 2/6 "  
 " " Scrubbing " @ 1/8 "  
 " " Bap Brooms " @ 1/4 "  
 " " Marking Ink No - do 13 1/2 p Gall  
 Dennis Chase Outen Straw @ 1/2 p Cwt  
 Stephen Murphy Butt Leather @ 10<sup>2</sup> p lb  
 " " Kip do @ 11 3/4 lb  
 " " Hemp " @ 1/2 p lb  
 " " Russian Hairs @ 1.1.4 p lb  
 " " Owl Blades, Hurdles @ 1/4 p doz  
 " " Pitch @ 1/4 p Stone  
 John Mills Heath Brooms @ 6<sup>2</sup> p doz  
 " " Buck do @ 1/- do  
 William Jordan Hul Nails @ 1/5 p 1000  
 " " Pavon @ 10<sup>2</sup> "  
 " " Tinspinner Nails @ 9<sup>2</sup> "  
 Daniel Farrell Coppers all Sizes 3/4 Inch thick @ 5/6 each

James Cornford  
 Mullickoth  
 Silvester 1/3 each

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# Rochester UNION.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851.

| 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 9 and under 15 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, . . .  | 750  | 449   |              |            |   |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |   |   |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 1   |              |            |   |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |   |   |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 146   |              |            |   |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |   |   |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 25  |              |            |   |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |   |   |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |   |   |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1260</b>                                    | <b>621</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |   |  |                               |                                       |   |   |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 51           | 159        | 58  | 31        | 69  | 123        | 90  | 20   | 20                            | 601                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 116<br>In Fever Hospital, 25<br>Total, 131 | In separate Wards, 41<br>In Wards with other inmates, 5<br>Total, 9 |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 6            | 18         | 2   | 1         |   | 4          | 3   | 1  | 2                             | 37                                    |   |   |  |
| <b>TOTAL,</b>   |  |   | <b>57</b>    | <b>177</b> | <b>40</b>   | <b>32</b> | <b>69</b>   | <b>127</b> | <b>93</b>                                   | <b>21</b>                                  | <b>22</b>                     | <b>638</b>                            |   |   |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 3            | 6          | 1   |           |   | 1          |   | 1  | 3                             | 16                                    |   |   |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   |              |            | 1   |           |   | 1          |   |  |                               | 2                                     |   |   |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 6          | 2   |           |   | 2          |   | 1  | 3                             | 17                                    |   |   |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 54           | 171        | 38  | 32        | 69  | 125        | 93  | 20   | 19                            | 621                                   |   |   |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | 1   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 6   | 9   |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851

**PRESENT:** In the Chair, James Comerford Esq  
 Other Guardians: Messrs Wm Gilbert Mr. St. Jones Samuel Eades  
Silvester Bourke & J. Gaston

*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.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3054 to No. 3118, 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.

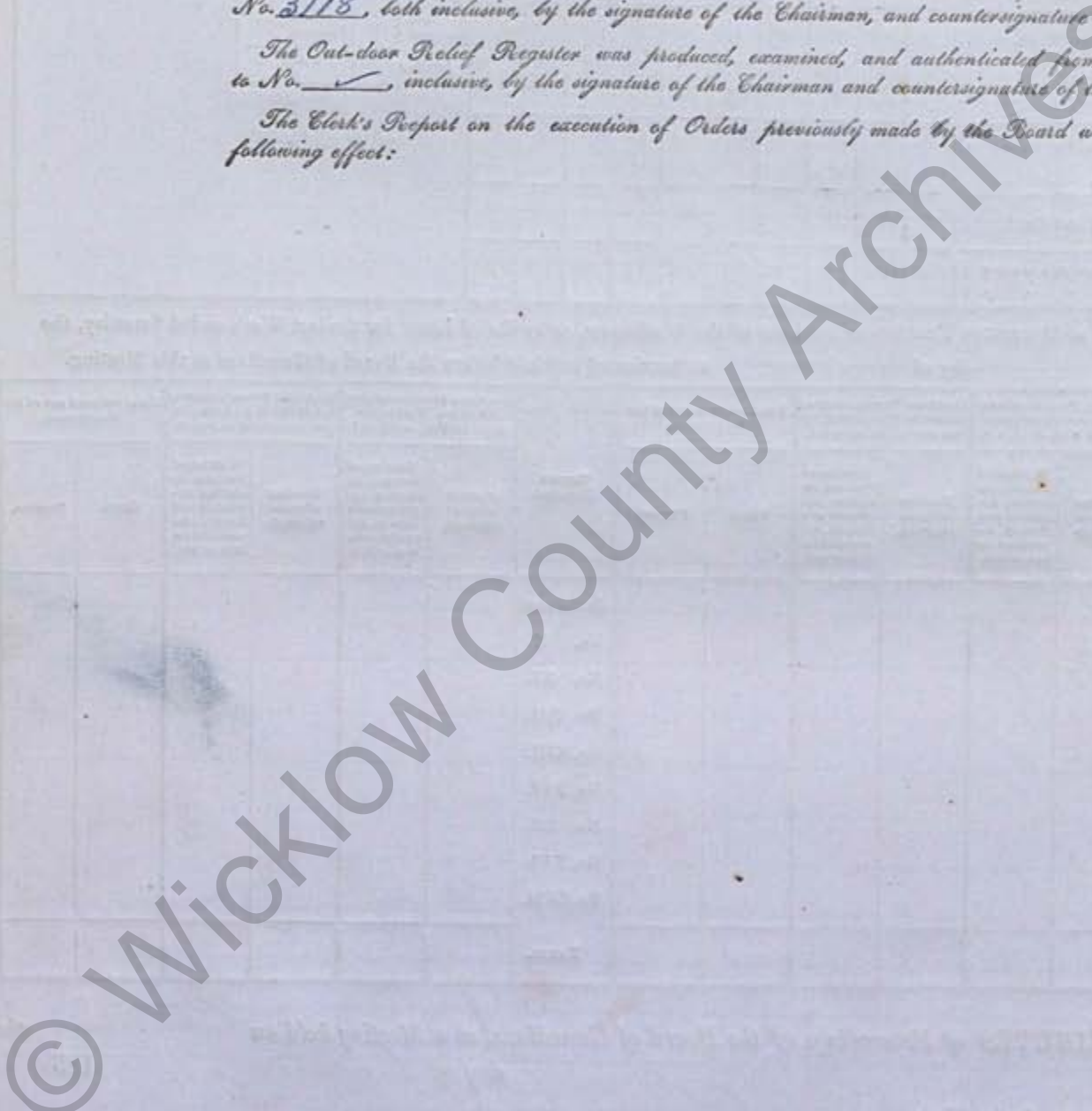
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 154-13-0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 246-12-3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £ 234-10-4

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |                               | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |                                | Total. |    |                               |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|-------------------------------|--------|----|----|------------|----|--------------------------------|--------|----|-------------------------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d.                            | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.                             | £      | s. | d.                            |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle Upper  | 1                     | 0  | 0                             |        |    |    | 1          | 0  | 0                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Lower  | 1                     | 0  | 0                             |        |    |    | 1          | 0  | 0                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Kilcoole   | 1                     | 14 | 10                            |        |    |    | 1          | 14 | 10                             |        |    |                               |
|                         | Attadan  | 1                     | 0  | 0                             |        |    |    | 1          | 0  | 0                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Killickey  | 1                     | 0  | 0                             | 1      | 0  | 0  | 1          | 0  | 0                              | 2      | 19 | 10                            |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | 2                     | 17 | 6                             |        |    |    | 2          | 17 | 6                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Calary   | 1                     | 4  | 6                             |        |    |    | 1          | 4  | 6                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Bruckagh   | 13                    | 6  | 5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |        |    |    | 13         | 6  | 5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 1                     | 9  | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |        |    |    | 1          | 9  | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Oldtown  | 8                     | 8  | 4                             |        |    |    | 8          | 8  | 4                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Lough  | 2                     | 17 | 2                             |        |    |    | 2          | 17 | 2                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Moneytown  | 10                    | 13 | 1                             | 25     | 19 | 8  | 12         | 7  | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  | 41     | 4  | 5                             |
| James Madden            | Wicklow  | 4                     | 11 | 7                             |        |    |    | 4          | 11 | 7                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Glonealy   | 5                     | 16 | 5                             | 10     | 8  | 0  | 28         | 16 | 11 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> | 92     | 14 | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |
| Wm Douglas              | Dungaustown East                                       | 10                    | 8  | 1                             |        |    |    | 10         | 8  | 1                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | do West  | 10                    | 8  | 1                             |        |    |    | 10         | 8  | 1                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | do South   | 10                    | 8  | 1                             | 10     | 8  | 1  | 10         | 8  | 1                              | 10     | 8  | 1                             |
| Joseph Webb             | Immerilly  | 1                     | 0  | 0                             |        |    |    | 1          | 0  | 0                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Kilbride   | 1                     | 0  | 0                             | 1      | 0  | 0  | 1          | 0  | 0                              | 1      | 0  | 0                             |
| John Beakley            | Arlow  | 26                    | 10 | 0                             | 26     | 10 | 0  | 5          | 11 | 0                              | 5      | 11 | 0                             |
| James Soughlin          | Cronebane  | 13                    | 5  | 7                             |        |    |    | 13         | 5  | 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Bally Arthur   | 18                    | 18 | 4                             |        |    |    | 18         | 18 | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Onora  | 16                    | 11 | 1                             | 48     | 15 | 0  | 16         | 11 | 3                              | 1      | 16 | 2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |
| Wm Smith                | Rathdown   | 21                    | 1  | 11                            |        |    |    | 27         | 10 | 1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Strokrath  | 2                     | 13 | 6                             |        |    |    | 3          | 13 | 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Troopertown  | 3                     | 10 | 6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |        |    |    | 3          | 10 | 6 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Balindeny  | 6                     | 2  | 10                            |        |    |    | 17         | 14 | 4                              |        |    |                               |
|                         | Ballinacash  | 1                     | 0  | 6                             |        |    |    | 1          | 0  | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |        |    |                               |
|                         | Ballinacree  | 1                     | 13 | 6                             |        |    |    | 10         | 1  | 11                             |        |    |                               |
|                         | Augheris   | 1                     | 0  | 0                             | 32     | 12 | 3  | 1          | 0  | 0                              | 62     | 13 | 8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |
|                         |  | 154                   | 13 | 0                             | 154    | 13 | 0  | 206        | 19 | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  | 206    | 19 | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |

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 £

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 £20. 2. s. 3½ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

|   | £  | s. | d.  |
|---|----|----|-----|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 20 | 2  | 3½  |
|   | 38 | 14 | 10½ |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1/11 -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 1/12 -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 1/5 -

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:

320 Loaves Bread  
 120lb Meat  
 2 Ton, Indu Meal  
 1 Ton Oatmeal  
 500 gals, Buttermilk  
 400 gals, Sweet Milk

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 11<sup>th</sup> day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |        |    |    |      |
|-----------|---|---|---|--------|----|----|------|
| In money, | - | - | - | £      | 0. | 8. | 0    |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | -      | 0- | 8- | 1    |
|           |   |   |   | Total, | -  | 0- | 13-1 |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

William Winder's Account.  
 Peter Hughes, Clothing

| £  | s. | d. |
|----|----|----|
| 12 | "  | 1  |
| 59 | 4  | 10 |

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Lawler July as Schoolmaster to 29 Sept  
 William Daniel Repairs Showmony  
 Joseph Walker Postage

| £  | s. | d. |
|----|----|----|
| 7  | 11 | —  |
| 20 | 12 | 4  |
| 2  | 4  | "  |

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

## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|                                       |   |           |           |          |
|---------------------------------------|---|-----------|-----------|----------|
| Andrew Henyon Deal & Grocers          | £ | 132       | 14        | 3        |
| William Byrne Grocers                 |   | 15        | 4         | 1        |
| Anne Janell Milk                      |   | 59        | 13        | 11       |
|                                       |   |           |           |          |
| William Douglas Collecting Poor Rates |   |           |           |          |
| Dungaustown East                      | £ | 6         | 19        | 1/2      |
| West                                  |   | 5         | 2         | 8 1/2    |
| South                                 |   | 5         | 8         | 4        |
| Dungaustown Old Union                 |   |           |           | 6        |
|                                       |   | <u>17</u> | <u>11</u> | <u>1</u> |

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

## 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|                                      | £         | s.       | d.       |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|----------|----------|
| Patrick Walker Collecting Poor Rates |           |          |          |
| Kilcool                              | 5         | 2        | 1        |
| Killistay                            | 4         | "        | 5        |
| Althore                              | 2         | 10       | "        |
| Newcastle Upper                      | 4         | 6        | 3        |
| Lower                                | 5         | 10       | 3        |
|                                      | <u>21</u> | <u>9</u> | <u>-</u> |

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 Prayers were made thereon as follows:

Amount Reserved by Treasurer on account of Rates within

| Electoral Division | Amount Reserved |    |    | Electoral Division | Amount Reserved |    |    |
|--------------------|-----------------|----|----|--------------------|-----------------|----|----|
|                    | £               | s  | d  |                    | £               | s  | d  |
| Attidno            | •               | 7  | 10 | Carried Forward    | 95              | 18 | 11 |
| Arklow             | 21              | 17 | 3  | Kilavale           | 2               | 8  | •  |
| Angherini          | 5               | 4  | •  | Killickey          | •               | 4  | 1  |
| Ballinaclesh       | 4               | 3  | 3  | Knockmuck          | 2               | 1  | 7  |
| Ballinacor         | 3               | 11 | 6  | Moneytown          | 3               | 14 | 3  |
| Ballindeny         | 4               | 16 | •  | Newcastle Lower    | •               | 6  | 5  |
| Ballyathur         | 5               | 11 | 9  | do upper           | •               | 8  | 3  |
| Ballycullen        | 2               | 2  | 5  | Oldtown            | 4               | 19 | 5  |
| Brookagh           | 5               | 5  | 1  | Orosa              | 9               | 10 | 10 |
| Calary             | •               | 12 | 2  | Rathdrum           | 15              | 3  | •  |
| Crosbane           | 5               | 16 | 1  | Togher             | 2               | 18 | 1  |
| Danganstown East   | 12              | 4  | 1  | Trillicktown       | 1               | 2  | 6  |
| do West            | 6               | 13 | 4  | Wicklow            | 17              | •  | 4  |
| Glendalough        | 1               | 16 | 3  | Total              | 155             | 15 | 8  |
| Glanealy           | 15              | 17 | 11 |                    |                 |    |    |
|                    | 95              | 18 | 11 |                    |                 |    |    |

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

- 500 Quart Tins
- 500 Pint do
- 24 Kissing Tins
- 24 Handle Buckets
- 500 yds Cheek
- 200 do Shrouding
- 24 Sweeping Brushes
- 1/2 doz fine Bunts
- 1 doz Buck do
- 6 Doz Tape large
- 6 Doz do small
- 5 lbs Pins
- 11 lbs thread
- 200 yds Twine

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:)

Circular No 565 Dated 7<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate in

aid  
Letter No 54394 of the 7<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to a payment of £40.6 for Insurance, calling on the Clerk for a Return relative thereto

Circular No 370 Dated 8<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return relative to the Annuitants.

Circular No 568 Dated 11<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Total Expenditure Chargeable to each Electoral Division of the Union during the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> September 1851.

Letter No 55734 Dated 11<sup>th</sup> Inst. informing the Guardians that the Commissioners have received a Letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> Inst from Mr Patrick Walker, complaining of the rejection of his Tender for the Collection of Poor Rate for District No 1, in reference thereto the Commissioners call the attention of the Guardians to the 73<sup>rd</sup> section of the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Victoria Cap 56 which enacts that "if any Collector for the time authorised to collect the County Cap on any part of such Electoral Division shall be approved of by

The Commissioners and shall give security to their satisfaction and shall accept such salary or allowance as shall be approved of by the Commissioners for his trouble in this behalf, shall so far as relates to the collection of such Rate be deemed a paid Officer of the Union within which such Electoral Division shall be situated

The Commissioners also state that if the Secretary proposed by Mr Walker appear to the Guardians to be sufficient, that in that case they will be bound to accept his Tender to collect the Rates in any Electoral Division wholly or in part included in the Barony for which he acts

Letter No 55708 of the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst transmitting questions to be answered by the Clerk and the persons appointed as Poor Rate Collectors in the Union.

Letter No 55708 of the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst, relative to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 7<sup>th</sup> Inst, directing that in future no Officers of the Workhouse shall be dismissed without a month's notice, unless for bad conduct. The Commissioners refer the Guardians to the 41<sup>st</sup> Article of the General Regulations of 1844, which empowers the Guardians to suspend at their discretion any Officers of the Workhouse and report same forthwith to the Commissioners for their approval

Letter No 55708 of the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst approving of the Reappointment of Miss Manning as Assistant Matron of the Workhouse

In answer to the Commissioners Letter No 55734 of the 11<sup>th</sup> Inst Resolved unanimsly that inasmuch as Mr Patrick Walker is not a Barony Constable or Collector of County Ceb, within the meaning of the Act referred to but the Servant or Sub Collector of Mr William Clement, the High Constable for the Barony of New Castle, and liable to be dismissed by him at pleasure, that we adhere to our former Resolution in the appointment of Mr Patrick Farrell as Collector of Poor Rates for District No 1

Mr Joseph Webb was appointed Poor Rate Collector for Sancreilly & Kilbride Electoral Division @ 6<sup>0</sup> in the Pound



Ordered that the Clerk shall invite Tending this day week for the Oats in Stack on the Workhouse grounds, also that he shall advertise for Contracts to Supply Meat for 12 Months

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs Edgewood & Co. to call a Special Meeting of the Guardians for Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> November 1871 to alter the Chargeability of a pauper named Margaret Kealy from the Ballinacorney Electoral Division, 2<sup>nd</sup> to take into Consideration future Measures relative to the Claims now made against this Union by the Poor Law Commissioners & to appoint a Solicitor to the Union

Mr Patrick Walker Poor Rate Collector for No 1 District produces a list of Areas of Rate on that District  
 Kilcool ED areas lost in consequence of Houses  
 " down &c - - - - - 11" 8  
 Areas Recoverable 1" 3" 2  
 Total £ 1 " 14" 10

Newcastle Upper Areas Lost in consequence of Houses down &c  
 Areas Recoverable 1" 3" 0  
 2"

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books. 1" 5" 0

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.)

The Clerk was directed to strike off those arrears lost  
and to add those recoverable to the next Rate  
The following Report was read from the Master  
Gent.

I have to report that on Friday 10th Inst a  
Woman named Ellen Devlin called to the Fever Hospital to  
see her Child Rose Devlin a Fever Patient, and when returning  
I searched her and found on her person a woman's Wrapper  
and a Linen Curtain which she took from of a table in  
the Hospital, I had her Committed to Wicklow Jail

Yours  
Isaac Flower  
Master

Arthur Hawk  
Clerk of the Union

Charles Tottenham -  
Silvester Boyerkes  
James R. Taylor M.D.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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# Rochester UNION.

229

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | No. that are to be removed to the above buildings. | 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, . . .  | 780  | 428   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 180  | 1   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 179   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 24  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>  | <b>632</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 54           | 171        | 38  | 32        | 69  | 125        | 93   | 20   | 19                            | 621                                   | In Work-house Hospital, 108<br>In Fever Hospital, 24       | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 4<br>5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 4            | 11         | 2   | 2         | 1   | 2          | 7  | 2  | 4                             | 35                                    |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>58</b>    | <b>182</b> | <b>40</b>   | <b>34</b> | <b>70</b>   | <b>127</b> | <b>100</b>                                 | <b>22</b>                                  | <b>23</b>                     | <b>656</b>                            | <b>Total, 132</b>  | <b>Total, 9</b>  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 2            | 12         |   | 1         |   | 1          | 4  | 1  | 1                             | 22                                    |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | 1            |            |   |           |   |            | 1  |  |                               | 2                                     |  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 12         |   | 1         |   | 1          | 5  | 1  | 1                             | 24                                    |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                    |  |   | 55           | 170        | 40  | 33        | 70  | 126        | 95   | 21   | 22                            | 632                                   |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18. day of October 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   | 9   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 7   | 14  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21 day of October 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Chas. Tottenham Esq*

Other Guardians: *Rich. Howard Crooke & E. A. Baly Esqrs*  
*Messrs Wm. Gilbert J. R. Taylor Esq M.D. Robt. Wright*  
*John Gaskin M.D. J. Byrne John Doyle Thomas*  
*Doyle Saml. Edge George Manning Chas. Comerford*  
*John Campbell Rich. Johnston Silvester Bourke*  
*John Cullen James Cullen*

*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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3119 to No. 3165, 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:

Rates Collected & Loages on the Old Electoral Divisions

| Collectors Names | Electoral Divisions | Collectors | Roads | Remaining  |
|------------------|---------------------|------------|-------|------------|
| Patrick Walker   | Meacastle           | "          | "     | 18 8 2½    |
|                  | Killiskerry         | "          | "     | " " "      |
| Patrick Keating  | Arklow              | 2          | 8 5   | 8 " 8      |
| Joseph Webb      | Kilbride            | "          | "     | " " "      |
| James Soughlin   | Castle Adam         | "          | "     | " " "      |
| William Douglas  | Dungamstown         | "          | "     | 1 15 "     |
| James Madden     | Wicklow             | "          | 17 2  | 9 8 3/4    |
| William Smith    | Rathrum             | "          | "     | 5 7 "      |
|                  | Finghin             | "          | "     | " " "      |
| John Byrne       | Glendalough         | "          | "     | " " "      |
|                  | Romewood            | "          | "     | " " "      |
| James Madden     | Glamealy            | "          | "     | " 9 10 2   |
|                  |                     | 3          | 5 7   | 43 6 7 3/4 |

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, - - - - - £157.15.7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £231.8.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £60.11.0

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |     | Remaining. |    |        | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|-----|------------|----|--------|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d.  | £          | s. | d.     | £      | s. | d.    |
| Peter Walker            | Newcastle upper  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 2  | 5      |        |    |       |
|                         | Lower  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
|                         | Milscote   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 1          | 3  | 2      |        |    |       |
|                         | Altmore  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
| John Byrne              | Killisker  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      | 1      | 5  | 2     |
|                         | Glendalough  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 1          | 17 | 11 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Calany   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 1          | 1  | 6      |        |    |       |
|                         | Roe Nash   | 7                     | 10 | 0  |        |    |     | 5          | 16 | 5 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 9  | 9 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  | 3                     | 8  | 0  |        |    |     | 3          | 17 | 1 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Togher   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 13 | 3 1/2  |        |    |       |
| Monaghan                | 7  | 0                     | 0  | 17 | 18     | 0  | 57  | 12         | 23 | 6      | 0      |    |       |
| James Madden            | Wicklow  | 6                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 57         | 17 | 2      |        |    |       |
|                         | Glancealy  | 4                     | 0  | 7  | 10     | 0  | 7   | 24         | 16 | 4 1/2  | 82     | 13 | 6 1/2 |
| William Douglas         | Dungaustron East                                       | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
|                         | do West  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
|                         | do South   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
| Joseph Webb             | Emeraldly  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
|                         | Killbide   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 0  | 0      |        |    |       |
| John Beatty             | Actlow   | 2                     | 11 | 9  | 2      | 11 | 9   | 2          | 16 | 3      | 2      | 16 | 3     |
| James Dougherty         | Cronbane   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 19 | 11 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballyathas   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 4  | 11 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Booa   | 0                     | 0  | 0  | 1      | 0  | 0   | 1          | 11 | 3      | 1      | 16 | 2 1/2 |
| W. Smith                | Rathdrum   | 9                     | 11 | 0  |        |    |     | 18         | 0  | 1 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Knostrath  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 3          | 13 | 7 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Truperstown  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 3          | 10 | 6 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballynag   | 11                    | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 7          | 14 | 4      |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballynash  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 0          | 3  | 1 1/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballynacot   | 4                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |     | 6          | 1  | 11     |        |    |       |
|                         | Clashmore  | 0                     | 0  | 0  | 23     | 11 | 0   | 0          | 0  | 0      | 39     | 3  | 8 1/2 |
|                         |  | 54                    | 34 | 0  | 54     | 34 | 151 | 1          | 3  | 151    | 1      | 3  |       |

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.
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 £ 53 - 1 s. 9 1/2 d.

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  | £ s. d.        |
|   | 53 - 1 - 9 1/2 |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - | - 39 - 15 - 6  |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

|  |       |
|--|-------|
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - | 1/1 - |
| Average cost in Infirmary, - - -                             | 1/2 - |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -                        | 1/5 - |

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:

|                         |                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 330 Coarses White Bread | 50 Lb Mould Candles   |
| 110 Lb Meat             | 200 yds Bengal Straps |
| 500 Gal Buttermilk      | 2 pair Handkerchiefs  |
| 400 Gal Sweet Milk      |                       |
| 1/2 Cwt Starch          |                       |
| 1 Cwt Soda              |                       |

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 18 day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|                 |             |
|-----------------|-------------|
| In money, - - - | £ s. d.     |
|                 | 1 - 11 - 0  |
| In kind, - - -  | 0 - 11 - 12 |
|                 | -----       |
| Total, -        | 1 - 20 - 12 |

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





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

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I have to report that on Monday Morning About 3 o'clock a pauper Inmate and patient of the Poor Hospital named Mickl. Shankey Chargeable to the Union & Large deserted taking with him the Union Clothing, also a pair of Trowsers and jacket the property of the Union and when escaping burst the Staple of the Lock

Ordered that examinations be taken against Shankey

Also that on Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst a pauper Inmate and patient of the Infirmary named James Mulhall attempted to Commit Suicide by inflicting a wound on his Stomach and then thought to have thrown himself down on one of the Hospital Pivies where he committed the act.

Ordered that after the wound is healed the Pauper be transmitted to Wicklow Goal

Signed/  
Isaac Flower  
Master

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 No. 52834 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for Administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland in reference to Minutes of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst and to the Statement made by Sarah Dunn a Pauper inmate relative to the Cause of herself and family leaving the Shillelagh Workhouse. The Commissioners inform the Guardians that they have been in Communication with the Guardians of the Shillelagh Union on the Subject and are informed that Dunn Family were in that Workhouse and left it on 27<sup>th</sup> January 1846 in the Ordinary way and received neither Money nor Value.

Circular No 584 Dated 18<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to a Circular of the 11<sup>th</sup> Inst and the Return called for thereby, stating that the Clerk is not to include payment for the Rate in Aid in such Return.

Letter No 57077 of the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst requesting that the Question, transmitted to the Clerk on the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst. to be signed by him and Mr Farrell may be returned duly answered and signed without delay.

Letter No 56590 Dated 20th Inst, in reference to the Return of Insurance on the Workhouse, The Commissioners enquire if the Policy has been renewed, as it appears by the Return it expired on the 29th ultimo.

In answer to the above the Clerk stated that the last payment of £4<sup>0</sup>..6 for Insurance was up to and for the year ending 29th September 1852

Letter No 57077 Dated 20th Inst, with reference to the Notice given by Messrs Edge and Selbick of their intention to move at the Meeting of the Guardians on the 4th Proximo to take into Consideration the propriety of appointing a Solicitor to the Union. The Commissioners inform the Guardians that their Regulations do not recognise such an Officer as Solicitor to the Guardians, but the Guardians can engage Professional Assistance without such appointment whenever the necessity for such Assistance arises

Mr James Laughlin Poor Rate Collector for No 7 District produces a list of arrears of Poor <sup>Rate</sup> due on that District Crown and Electoral Division Arrears of Rate lost in

Consequence of Males down &c

£ 15<sup>5</sup>..8<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Arrears Recoverable -

£ 4<sup>0</sup>..3

£ 11<sup>5</sup>..11<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Ballyathin Electoral Div Arrears lost in Consequence of Males down &c

£ 4<sup>0</sup>..11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Oroon Electoral Div Arrears of Rate lost in Consequence of Males down

£ 11<sup>0</sup>..3

The Clerk was directed to strike off those Arrears lost and to add those Recoverable to the next Rate

*[Signature]*

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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 Poor-law 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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# Rathfriland UNION.

245

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.        | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date. | Total No. in each building on the above date. | 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. | 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, . . . . .  | 750  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |            |  |  |               |   |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . . .                                | 100  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |            |  |  |               |   |
| Additional Workhouse, . . . . .                               | 360  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |            |  |  |               |   |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .                           | 50   |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |            |  |  |               |   |
| Fever Sheds, . . . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |            |  |  |               |   |
| <b>Total, . . . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |            |  |  |               |   |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . . |  |   | 55           | 170        | 40  | 33        | 70  | 126        | 95   | 21   | 22                            | 632        | In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,            | 4             | 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . . . .                           |  |   | 4            | 11         | 1   | 2         | 2   | 1          | 1  | 1  |                               | 23         |  |  |               |   |
| <b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>59</b>    | <b>181</b> | <b>41</b>   | <b>35</b> | <b>72</b>   | <b>126</b> | <b>96</b>                                  | <b>22</b>                                  | <b>23</b>                     | <b>655</b> | <b>Total, . . . . .</b>                  | <b>Total, . . . . .</b>                                    | <b>9</b>      |   |
| Discharged during the Week, . . . . .                         |  |   | 4            | 13         | 3   | "         | 3   | 1          | 4  | "  | 1                             | 30         |  |  |               |   |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | "          | 0   | 1         | "   | "          | "  | "  | "                             | 1          |  |  |               |   |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .                          |  |   | 4            | 13         | 3   | 1         | 3   | 1          | 4  | "  | 1                             | 31         |  |  |               |   |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                        |  |   | 55           | 168        | 38  | 34        | 69  | 125        | 92   | 22   | 22                            | 625        |  |  |               |   |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of October 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   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
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| No. VIII.        | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          | 1   | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 5   | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Charles Stume Coy  
 Other Guardians: R. H. Brooke Coy  
Messrs. Reif, Johnston, W. H. Jones, Mel Byrne  
John Doyle

*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.

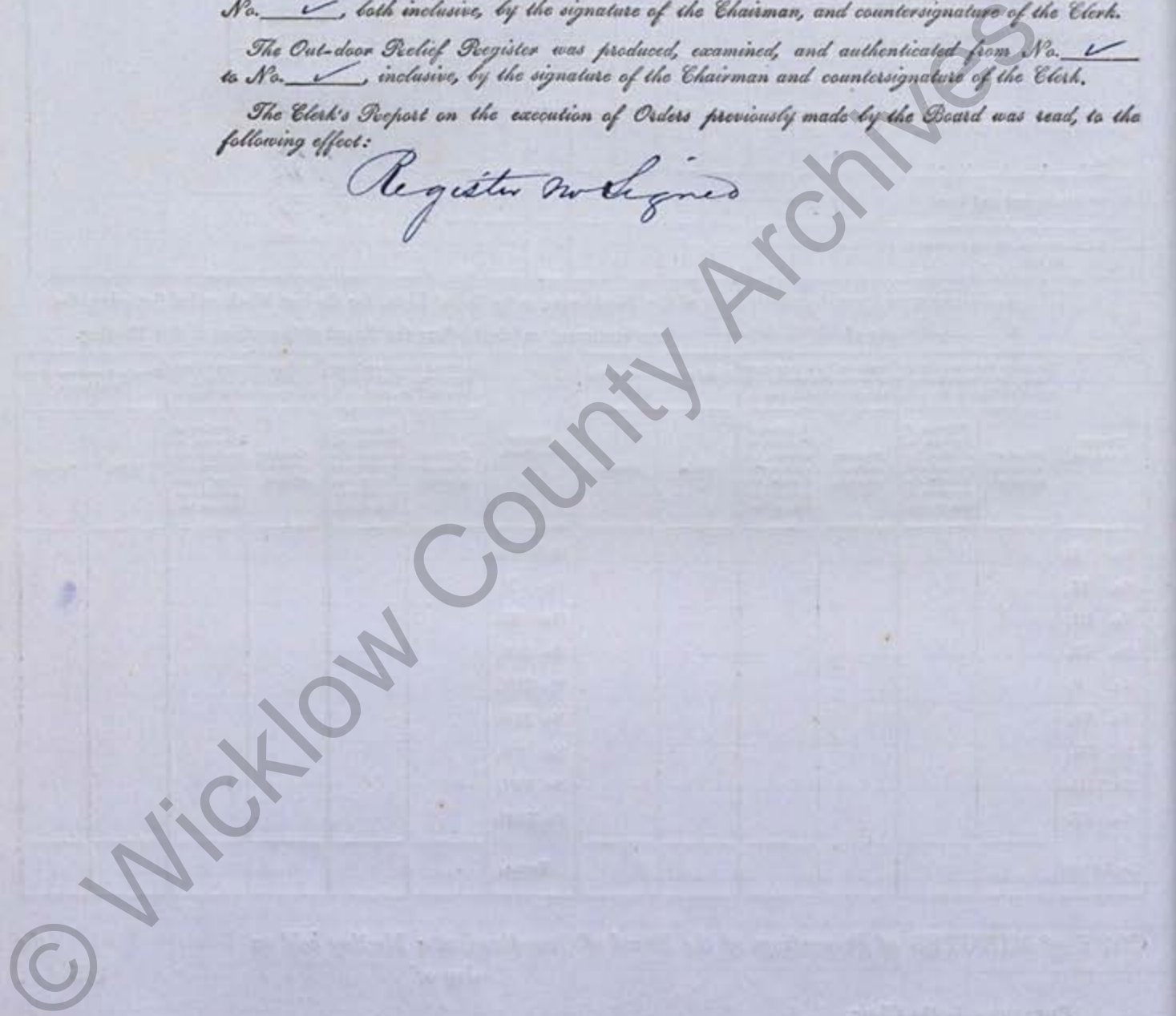
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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ✓ to No. ✓, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Register No. Signed



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, - - - - £ 17.12.3

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 169-18-2

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £ 91.14-11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The lodgments made of Peates collected in the severall Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |                                | Total.                        |    |                               |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.                             | £                             | s. | d.                            |
| Pat Walker              | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | 2  | 0                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | " Lower  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | 0  | 0                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 1          | 3  | 2                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Altitude   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Killiney   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              | 1                             | 5  | 2                             |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | 1                     | 5  | 8  |        |    |    | "          | 9  | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Calary   | "                     | 19 | 2  |        |    |    | "          | 5  | 4                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Droichead  | 4                     | 6  | 5  |        |    |    | 1          | 9  | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballycullow  | 3                     | 10 |    |        |    |    | "          | 5  | 11 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Oldtown  | 1                     | 12 | "  |        |    |    | 2          | 5  | 4                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Togher   | 3                     | 17 | 8  |        |    |    | "          | 15 | 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Munystown  | 5                     | 4  | 3  | 17     | 12 | 3  | 2          | 9  | 3                              | 5                             | 14 | 2                             |
| James Madden            | Wicklow  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 5          | 7  | 17                             | 2                             |    |                               |
|                         | Glencaly   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 2          | 1  | 16                             | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> | 8  | 2                             |
| Wm Douglas              | Dungaustron East                                       | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | do South   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
| Joseph Webb             | Ennecilly  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Killadee   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
| John Beakley            | Arklow   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 2          | 16 | 3                              | 2                             | 16 | 3                             |
| James Soughlin          | Crossbane  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballyathur   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Broca  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              |                               |    |                               |
| William Smith           | Ratharum   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 1          | 8  | 1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Knocknath  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 3          | 13 | 7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Twoquerstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 3          | 10 | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballindeny   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 7          | 14 | 4                              |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | "          | 3  | 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Ballinacree  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 6          | 1  | 11                             |                               |    |                               |
|                         | Aughrin  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                              | 3                             | 9  | 8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |
|                         |  | 17                    | 12 | 3  | 17     | 12 | 3  | 131        | 12 | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>  | 131                           | 12 | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |

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 severall Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 1 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 £            s.            d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -

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:

In Order Signed

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 Receipts 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<sup>th</sup> day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |       |    |                 |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|-------|----|-----------------|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £     | s. | d.              |
|           |   |   |   |   | 0     | 14 | 6               |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - | 0     | 14 | 14 <sup>2</sup> |
|           |   |   |   |   | <hr/> |    |                 |
| Total,    | - | - | - | - | 0     | 28 | 10 <sup>2</sup> |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
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| No. III.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
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| No. V.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIV.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVI.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IX.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| Car. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.*

|  | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
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*Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.*

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

|  | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
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*Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.*

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

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

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

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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 N<sup>o</sup> 58255 Dated 21<sup>th</sup> Inst. Approving of the Appointment of Mr Thomas Pitt Chester to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for the Electoral Division of Cucklow

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 58256 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst. Approving of the Appointment of Mr Edward Byrne to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for the Electoral Divisions of Cucklow & Glanacly

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 58257 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst. Approving of the Appointment of Mr W<sup>m</sup> Douglas <sup>or alias</sup> for the Electoral Divisions of Danganstown East, West & South.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 58258 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst. Approving of the Appointment of Mr John Byrne to the Office of Collector for the Electoral Divisions of Glencalough, Calany, Bore Kish, Ballycullen, Oldtown, Tocher, & Moneystown.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 58254 Dated 25<sup>th</sup> Inst. Approving of the Appointment of Mr Patrick Farrell to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for the Electoral Divisions of Newcastle Upper & Lower, Milcoole Alt and Killybeg.

Proposed by Mr Jones & Seconded by Mr Michel Byrne  
Resolved that the 11 Stacks of Oats standing on the Warehouse ground be thrashed the Oats sold and the Straw devoted to the Warehouse uses  
Passed

The Clerk reported that he summoned Mr. James Madden Poor Rate Collector for Wicklow & Glencaly before the Magistrates at petty sessions last Court day and had him fined ten Shillings for disobeying an Order of the Board in not closing his accounts. The Clerk also stated that this Collector has had sufficient time to close his accounts since the Court day and that he has not since lodged any money with the Treasurer.

Resolved unanimously that the Clerk shall write to Mr. Madden informing him unless he closes his accounts by this day week that Law proceedings shall be taken against his securities on foot of his Bond and that he shall attend on this day week with his Books made up and Balanced.

Resolved that the Clerk shall write to Mr. Treasurer to allow us to overdraw our account to the amount of £300 pending the making out of the new Rate Book.

Arthur Brown  
Clerk of the Union

James R. Taylor M.D.

Wm. Gillis  
Wm. Wharton



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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 Poorlaw 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*11<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1851.

(Signed) *Arthur W. H. M.*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Rathfriland UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £121105.5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of November 1851.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | In 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. |   |        |
|   |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   | Total. |
| Workhouse, . . .  |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |        |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |        |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |        |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |        |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |        |
| Total, . . .  |   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |        |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |   |   | 55           | 168  | 38  | 34   | 69  | 125    | 92   | 22   | 22                            | 625                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, in Fever Hospital                   | In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, |        |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |   |   | "            | 9    | 1   | "    | "   | 1      | 4  | "  | "                             | 16                                    |  |   |        |
| TOTAL, . . .  |   |   | 55           | 177  | 39  | 34   | 70  | 126    | 96   | 22   | 22                            | 641                                   | Total, . . .   | Total,  |        |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |   |   | "            | 5    | "   | "    | 1   | 1      | "  | "  | "                             | 8                                     |  |   |        |
| Died, . . . . .   |   |   | "            | "    | "   | "    | "   | "      | "  | "  | "                             | "                                     |  |   |        |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |   |   | "            | 5    | "   | "    | 1   | 1      | "  | "  | "                             | 8                                     |  |   |        |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |   |   | 55           | 172  | 39  | 34   | 69  | 125    | 96   | 22   | 21                            | 633                                   |  |   |        |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st 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.           | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
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| No. IX.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 2   | 6   |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 1st day of November 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, James P. Taylor Esq. M.P.

Other Guardians: Admiral the Honble G. Proby, Mr Chas. Hume Mickle Hudson Capt. Store Ret. Henry Hodgson, E. S. Haly, H. O'Reilly, J. F. Nuttal, R. Patton and Richd. Han. Brooke Esq.

Messrs Mr Gilbert, J. Conroy, H. Redmond, Wm. Fogarty, Saml Edge, Geo. Manning, Robt Johnson, Mat. H. Jones, James Cullen, John Campbell, John Doffe, Silvester Burke, George Saunders John Clements, Robt Edge, Mathew Johnson, Simon Moran, Wm. Law Nestle, J. Booth Thomas Sherwood, Wm. Hally, Lawrence Graydon, and Robt Wright

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.

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

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

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

*Register not written up*

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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, - - - - - £ 50 5 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 67 17 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 159 12 1

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 Peates collected in the severas Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |    | Total.       |     |    |   |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|----|--------------|-----|----|---|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d. | £            | s.  | d. |   |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle Upper  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 2  |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | " Lower  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | Kilcoole   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 1  | 3  | 2            |     |    |   |
|                         | Altadore   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | Killistey  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              | 1   | 5  | 2 |
| John Byrne              | Mandabagh  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 9  | 3            | 1/2 |    |   |
|                         | Culany   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 5  | 4            |     |    |   |
|                         | Broe Ragh  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 1  | 9  | 9            |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballycullen  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 5  | 11           |     |    |   |
|                         | Oldtown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 2  | 5  | 4            |     |    |   |
|                         | Togher   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 15 | 7            | 1/2 |    |   |
|                         | Monyston   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 2  | 9            |     | 5  |   |
|                         |  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     | 14 | 2 |
| James Madden            | Wicklow  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 57 | 17 | 2            |     |    |   |
|                         | Glanacly   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 24 | 16 | 4            | 8   | 13 | 6 |
| Mr Douglas              | Dunganstown East                                       |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | " West   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | " South  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
| Joseph Webb             | Emercilly  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | Kilbride   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
| John Reahey             | Miltown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 2  | 16 | 3            | 2   | 16 | 3 |
| James Laughlin          | Crossbane  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballyanther  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
|                         | Oraca  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              |     |    |   |
| William Smith           | Rathdunm   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 18 |    | 13           |     |    |   |
|                         | Knockenth  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 3  | 13 | 7            |     |    |   |
|                         | Trappinstown   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 3  | 10 | 6            |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballindeny   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 7  | 14 | 4            |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballmaclash  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 3  | 12           |     |    |   |
|                         | Ballinacor   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 6  | 1  | 11           |     |    |   |
|                         | Augherin   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    |              | 39  | 3  | 8 |
|                         |  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    |    | 131 12 9 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:

- Provision Check }  
 Not made up }  
 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 £          s.          d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -

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:

- 331 Loaves, Bread
- 1 Ton Oatmeal
- 500 Gal, Buttermilk
- 400 Gal, Sweetmilk
- 3 Cwt Soap
- 6 doz fine Coats
- 12 Gross Sticks
- 1 Gallon Marking Ink
- 50 Lbs Tallow
- 60 Lbs Dipst 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 1 day of November whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |    |     |    |       |    |    |
|-----------|---|----|-----|----|-------|----|----|
| In money, | - | -  | -   | -  | £     | s. | d. |
|           |   |    |     |    | 1-    | 6- | 0  |
| In kind,  | - | -  | -   | -  | 0-    | 4- | 4½ |
|           |   |    |     |    | <hr/> |    |    |
| Total,    | - | 0- | 10- | 4½ |       |    |    |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

|  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
|  |  |  |
|--|--|--|

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

|                                | £  | s. | d. |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Dennis Chute Coquilles         | 2  | 19 | 9  |
| James Manning Hus              | 5  | 17 | 6  |
| Catherine Reers Beans          | 26 | 12 | 9  |
| Michael Fogarty on acc of Meal | 35 | "  | "  |
| Richard Wm Whaley on acc Milk  | 70 | "  | "  |

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|                          | £ | s. | d. |
|--------------------------|---|----|----|
| In favor of Clerk to pay |   |    |    |
| Lawrence Byrne Salt      |   | 9  | 2  |
| Peter Hughes Chickens    |   | 3  | 4  |
|                          | £ | 12 | 6  |

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

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

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

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

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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:)

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 616 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Inst from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate, made and any New Rate, agreed upon in the Union.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1612 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Inst requesting the Clerk to transmit the Return called for on the 11<sup>th</sup> ultimo without delay.

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 612 Dated 28<sup>th</sup> Inst, calling the attention of the Guardians to certain Observations and Suggestions in reference to the Sanitary Condition of the Interior of the Workhouse, and calling the attention of the Medical Officer and the Visiting Committee thereto.

A Letter was read from Mr John McFonnick formerly Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, requesting the Guardians to give him a Testimonial as to his Competency in keeping the Master's Account, as he was about becoming a Candidate for the Mastership of the Union of Droonore West.

No Order was made on the above.

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Edger, Resolved that Margaret Keely be charged on the Books for Ballinderry to Knockrath Electoral Division

Paper

Moved by Mr. Charles James Esq and Seconded by Mr. Simon Moran, Resolved Unanimously, being that by letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, N<sup>o</sup>. 49337 of the 8<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup>, <sup>last</sup> in answer to a letter from this Board soliciting from them a detailed Estimate of the Sums £7032..6..10<sup>4</sup> and £1143..6..6, It was in that Letter Communicated to the Board of Guardians that the Poor Law Commissioners were unable to furnish the required information, That the Clerk of this Union be instructed to write to the Secretary of the Poor Law Commissioners, as to where the above information may be Officially obtained.

Mr. James Madden Poor Rate Collector for the District of Wicklow & Glancealy was called before the Board to answer a Complaint of the Clerk for not closing his accounts, and on his representing to the Board that he was unable to do so from ill health.

Resolved that James Madden the Collector for Wicklow and Glancealy, be allowed 14 days from this date to close his accounts, and that he shall attend a Meeting of the Board on this day fortnight and produce all his Books of account properly made up and balanced.

Resolved Unanimously  
Resolved that we appoint William Courtenay Esq, 23 Upper Gloucester St. Dublin, Successor to his Father Robert Courtenay Esq as Solicitor to this Union when the Services of such be required.

Carried by a large Majority

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs. Wright and Fogarty to call a Special Meeting for this day fortnight to alter the Chargeability of a Pauper named John Byrne from the Union at Long to the Electoral Division of Rathdram.

Mr. John O'Neill of Arklow was declared the Contractor for the Supply of Beef and Mutton to the Workhouse, for One Year from this date @ Beef at 4<sup>th</sup> & Mutton at 5<sup>th</sup>.

Mr. Richard Sutton of Rathdram was declared the Contractor for Glazing and Keeping in Repair, all the Windows of the Workhouse, Hannell Hall, & Brewery Auxiliary Workhouse and Fever Hospital, for One Year.



from this date, for the Sum of £14<sup>11</sup>/<sub>18</sub> - 0/0

The Clerk was directed to Advertise for the Supply of 200 Tons, Haude Coal, Tenders to be received this day fortnight

Charles Hutchinson -  
 Peter Cullen  
 Saml. Edge

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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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*Ratcliffum*

UNION.

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Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £121105.5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 1851.

| 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, . . .  | 780  | 500   |              |      |        |      |       |        |   |  |    |   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 1   |              |      |        |      |       |        |   |  |    |   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 349   |              |      |        |      |       |        |   |  |    |   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 19  |              |      |        |      |       |        |   |  |    |   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |      |        |      |       |        |   |  |    |   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Total, . . .  | 1290   | 669   |              |      |        |      |       |        |   |  |    |   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 55           | 172  | 39     | 34   | 69    | 125    | 96  | 22   | 21 | 633   | In Workhouse Hospital, 108 | In separate Wards, 4           |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 6            | 20   | 1      | 2    | 3     | 6      | 3   | 3  | 8  | 57  | In Fever Hospital, 19      | In Wards with other inmates, 5 |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |   | 61           | 192  | 40     | 36   | 72    | 131    | 98  | 25   | 29 | 684   | Total, 127                 | Total, 9                       |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 2            | 2    | 1      | 3    | 1     | 1      | 2   | "  | 1  | 13  |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | 1            | 1    | "      | "    | 1     | "      | "   | "  | "  | 2   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 3    | 1      | 3    | 1     | 2      | 2   | "  | 1  | 15  |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 59           | 189  | 39     | 33   | 71    | 129    | 96  | 25   | 28 | 669   |                            |                                |  |  |                               |                              |  |               |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of Novr 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 3   | 12  |   |   |                                      |          | 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     | 7   | 17  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11 day of November 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Tottenham Esq.

Other Guardians: Messrs James Comerford, William Gilbert, Simon Moran, Samuel Edge, John Cullen

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.

Richard Evans Glentague Parish Kilbride  
Ellenor Byrne Bunnistey

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3166 to No. 3200, 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. 5 to No. 5, 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.

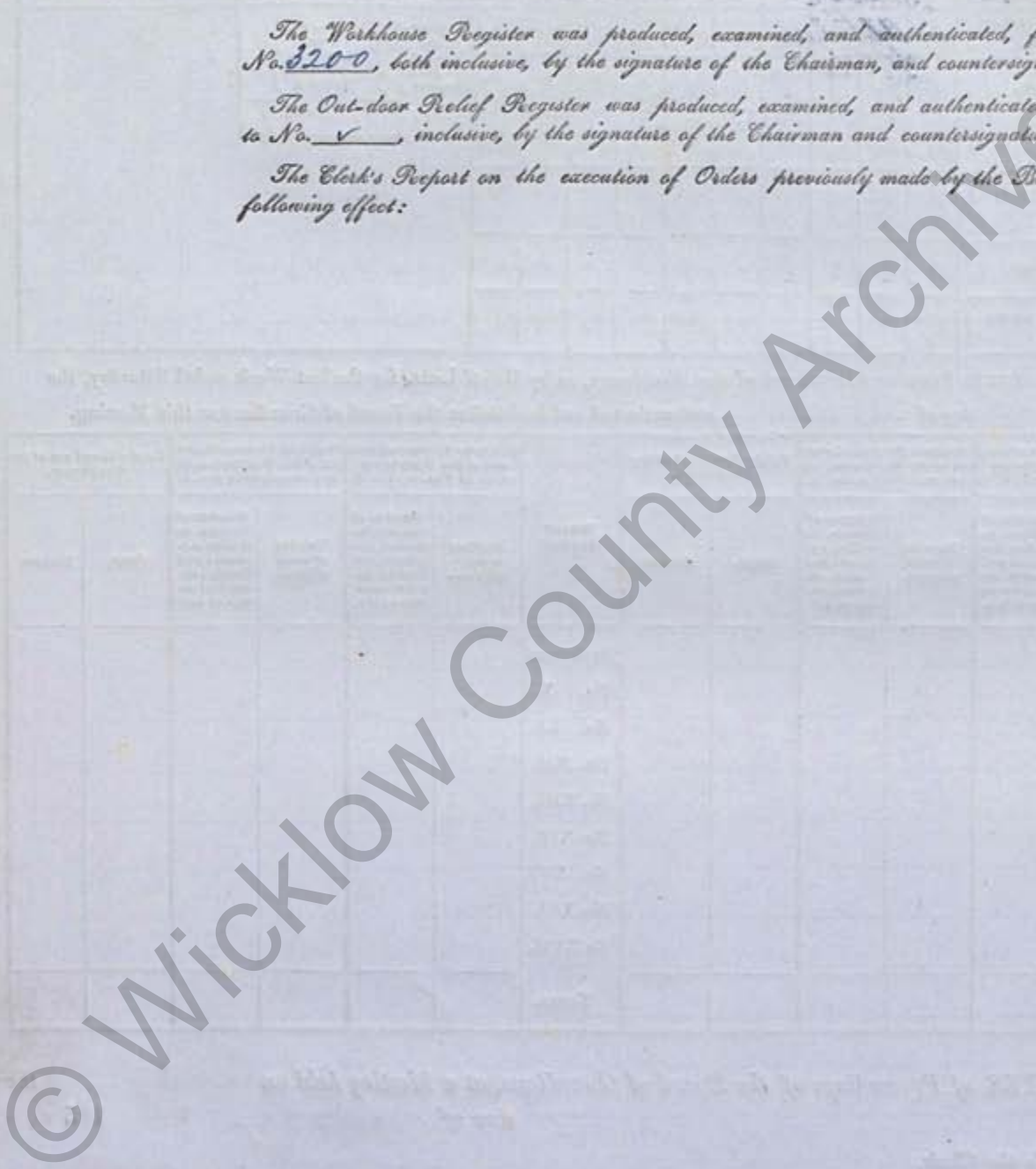
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - £20 - 7 - 3

Paid during the week, - - - - £150 - 14 - 1

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £300 - 5 - 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



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

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |                               | Total.                         |    |                               |                               |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.                            | £                              | s. | d.                            |                               |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 2  | "                             |                                |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Lower  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | "                             | "                              |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Kilcool  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 1  | 3                             | 2                              |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Altidore<br>Killickey                                  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | "                             | "                              | 1  | 5                             | 2                             |
| John Dymis              | Glandalough  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | 9                             | 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Calary   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 5                             | 4                              |    |                               |                               |
|                         | MacRagh  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 1  | 9                             | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Ballycullen  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | 5                             | 11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Oldtown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 2  | 5                             | 4                              |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Togher   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | 15                            | 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Moneytown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | 2                             | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  | 5  | 14                            | 2                             |
| James Madden            | Micklaw  | 6                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    |            | 51 | 17                            | 2                              |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Glanely  | 5                     | 9  | "  | 11     | 9  | "  |            | 19 | 7                             | 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  | 71 | 4                             | 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
| William Douglas         | Dunganstown East                                       | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
|                         | South  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
|                         | West   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerilly   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
| John Penke              | Arklow   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 2  | 16                            | 3                              | 2  | 16                            | 3                             |
| James Loughlin          | Crossbar   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
|                         | Ballyarthur  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
|                         | Ovoca  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | "          | "  | "                             | "                              | "  | "                             |                               |
| William Smith           | Rathdun  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | 18 | 0                             | 13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Kugekruth  | 3                     | 8  | 6  |        |    |    |            | "  | 5                             | 13 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Trospinstown   | 3                     | 6  | 9  |        |    |    |            | "  | 3                             | 9 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>  |    |                               |                               |
|                         | Ballindeny   | 1                     | 16 | "  |        |    |    |            | 5  | 18                            | 4                              |    |                               |                               |
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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.
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 £            s.    d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -

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:

|                     |                  |
|---------------------|------------------|
| 340 Loaves Bread    | 4 Bottles Wine   |
| 500 Gals Buttermilk | 1 Gallon Whiskey |
| 400 Gals Sweetmilk  | 2½ lbs Tea       |
| 111 lbs Meat        | 12 lbs Sugar     |

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

|           |   |   |   |   |   |       |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|-------|----|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £ | s.    | d. |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - |   | 7.    | 6  |
|           |   |   |   |   |   | 8.    | 8½ |
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| Total,    | - | - | - | - |   | 16    | 2½ |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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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 John Byrne Collecting Rates  
 Glendalough  
 Calary  
 MacRagh  
 Ballycullen  
 Oldtown  
 Fogher  
 Moneystown

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



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

- 1 Butcher Chopper
- 1 " Knife
- 1 Bill Letter Balance for Clerks
- 1 Tea Kettle

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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 N<sup>o</sup> 602449 Dated 24<sup>th</sup> Inst. approving of the appointment of Mr James Ford to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for District N<sup>o</sup> 5.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 602450 Dated 24<sup>th</sup> Inst. approving of the appointment of Mr James Loughlin to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for District N<sup>o</sup> 7.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 627 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst. calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Main Expenses for the Quarter ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> last, as required by Circular N<sup>o</sup> 553 of 51.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 50927 of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst. in answer to a Letter of the Clerk on the 11<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> last. inquiring by directions of the Chairman whether any particular Electoral Division of the Union can make a Rate sufficient to pay off the sum due by that Electoral Division under the Act 13 Victoria Cap 124 deducting the amount charged as Interest for the period of 15 Years. The Commissioners state that they have received a Communication from the Lords of the Treasury, from which it appears that their Lordships are of opinion that the proviso of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Section of the Consolidated Annuities Act, authorising the Conversion into an Annuity of equal Value of longer or shorter duration applies to the separate Sums charged to individual Electoral Divisions or Townlands and their Lordships have instructed the Commissioners to bring under their Notice the particulars of any Applications

of this nature with a view to the immediate discharge of the whole liabilities effecting separate Electoral Divisions or Townlands.

Letter No. 61009 of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst approving of the appointment of Mr Joseph Webb to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for District No. 5

Letter No. 61158 Dated 10<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to Minutes of the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst from which it appears that the Master Books were not made up in consequence of his having a sore hand, the Commissioners state that during the inability of the Master from the cause assigned to keep the Books, they should be placed under the charge of and written up by the Assistant Master.

Letter No. 61158 of the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst, in reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst referring to the Commissioners Letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> September last relative to the Amendment Changes on this Union under the Act 13<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 144, in which the Guardians request the Commissioners to inform them where they can obtain the information relative to the Labor Rate advances, to the Union referred to in the Guardians Resolution of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> last in reference thereto the Commissioners state that the sums referred to form part of larger sums advanced to the Barony of Arklow, Newcastle, Ballinacor North and Ballinacor South as set forth in the Tables which accompanied the Commissioners Letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> September last, the proportion of such advances chargeable to the Rathdown Union being determined according to the Net Annual Value as existing on the 17<sup>th</sup> May 1850 each Townland or Electoral Division being chargeable in the Ratio that its Net Annual Value bears to the Net Annual Value of the entire Barony or District originally chargeable with the entire advances.

The Commissioners have already stated that they must decline to apply to the Board of Works for information relating to the expenditure of the Labor Rate advances and they are not aware whether that Board would deem it right to furnish information on the subject to a Board of Guardians.

A Letter was sent from the Clerk of Chellelagh Union requesting to be informed whether a person named Joseph Osburn applied to the Guardians of this Union for Relief and was refused Admission to the Workhouse.

On enquiry it was ascertained that no such person applied to this Board and the Clerk was directed to answer the Letter accordingly.



Resolved that the Schoolboys shall be removed to the Brewery Auxiliary Workhouse tomorrow

Mr John Byrne Poor Rate Collector for No. 2 District produced a list of Arrears of Poor Rate due on the several Divisions in that District and the Clerk was directed to strike off those arrears lost, and to add those recoverable to the next Rate

| Division    | Description   | Amount      |
|-------------|---|-------------|
| Glandalough | Electoral Division arrears lost in consequence of houses thrown down &c | £ 9. 3 1/2  |
| Culmy       | Arrears lost in consequence of Houses down &c                           | £ 5. 11     |
| Brookagh    | " " do do   | £ 9. 9 3/4  |
| Ballycullen | Arrears Recoverable   | " 5. 11 3/4 |
| Oldtown     | Arrears lost same reason as above                                       | £ 7. 0      |
| do          | do Recoverable  | 1. 18. 11   |
| Togher      | Arrears lost same reason as above                                       | £ 4. 4 1/2  |
| do          | Arrears recoverable   | " 11. 3     |
| Moneystown  | Arrears lost same reason as above                                       | £ 2. 9 1/2  |

J. Gilbert  
Clerk

Wm Logarty  
Mick Byrne

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 Poor Law 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
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(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
*Clerk of the Union.*

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# Rathfriland UNION.

293

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 121105-5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1851.

| 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, above 15 years of age, but not working. |           | Boys and Girls above 5 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, . . .  | 750  | 460   |              |            |  |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 200  | 53  |              |            |  |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 150   |              |            |  |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 30   | 28  |              |            |  |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |  |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>691</b>                                    |              |            |  |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 59           | 189        | 39   | 33        | 71  | 129        | 96   | 25   | 28                            | 669                                   | In Work-house Hospital, 112<br>In Fever Hospital, 28       | In separate Wards, 4<br>In Wards with other inmates, 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 6            | 9          | 3  | 2         | 3   | 3          | 3  | 2  | 4                             | 35                                    |  |  |
| <b>TOTAL, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>65</b>    | <b>198</b> | <b>42</b>  | <b>35</b> | <b>74</b>   | <b>132</b> | <b>99</b>                                  | <b>27</b>                                  | <b>32</b>                     | <b>704</b>                            | <b>Total, 140</b>  | <b>Total, 9</b>  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 2            | 2          | 2  | "         | "   | 1          | "  | "  | 1                             | 8                                     |  |  |
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| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 2            | 2          | 3  | 1         | "   | 1          | "  | 1  | 1                             | 11                                    |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 63           | 196        | 39   | 34        | 74  | 131        | 99   | 26   | 31                            | 693                                   |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> 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.           | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3  | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 5  | 20  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 10   | 25  |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>    |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tues day the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Chas Tottenham Esq

Other Guardians: Messrs W Gilbert Sam Courson J Burke  
Amos Moran. Mrs. Ellen Owen Fogarty

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. 21.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3201 to No. 3232, 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, - - - - - £ 0-0-0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 0-0-0

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £ 300-5-11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



The 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 £44 . 7 s. 2 3/4 d.

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| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.         | £ s. d.        |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -        | 44 . 7 . 2 3/4 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.     | 39 . 8 . 3 3/4 |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - | 1D 3/4         |
| Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -                           | 1 1/2 -        |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -                      | 1/5 -          |

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:

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| <p>340 loaves Bread<br/>110lb Meat<br/>400 Gals New Milk</p> | <p>2004lb Linn (Hay)<br/>200 Handkerchiefs<br/>8 Deal Boards<br/>100 Buckets<br/>50 Fine Bricks<br/>5 Barrels Lime</p> |
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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 Receipts 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 15<sup>th</sup> day of November - whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|                   |                |
|-------------------|----------------|
| In money, - - - - | £ s. d.        |
| In kind, - - - -  | 0 . 3 . 0      |
|                   | 0 . 12 . 5 1/2 |
| Total, -          | 0 . 15 . 5 1/2 |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
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|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.



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

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:)

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 649 of the 12<sup>th</sup> Inst. calling the attention of the Guardians to the 5<sup>th</sup> Section of the Medical Charities Act 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cap 68, which directs the Guardian of each Union, shall when so required by the Commissioners for Administering the Law for Relief of the Poor in Ireland with all reasonable Despatch divide such Union into so many Dispensary Districts, having regard to the extent and Population of such Districts, as may to them appear necessary. The Commissioners accordingly in pursuance of the foregoing Provision require the Guardians to proceed to divide the Union into Dispensary Districts.

The Commissioners enclose a Form of Return to be filled up in which the Particulars of the Proposed Districts shall be entered and forwarded to them.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 624 Dated 17<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate in Aid

A Letter was read from Mr Richd Purdy Allen Secy to the Mining Company of Ireland, requesting that the Guardians would reconsider the Value of the Loughanure Mines, and also Clerk the Managers of the above Mines come before the Board to explain the Matter. The Board postponed the Consideration of Mr Purdy Allen's Letter until next Board day

Mr James Madden Poor Rate Collector for Wicklow & Glencady  
 came before the Board agreeable to a Notice served on him by the  
 Clerk and a Resolution of the Board of the 4th Inst. The Clerk states  
 that Mr Madden has not complied with the above order  
 Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Byrne  
 Resolved that James Madden be allowed until this day fortnight  
 to close his Account, and furnish his Arrear Sheet;

Passed  
 The Clerk was directed to write to Mr Madden Securities, stating  
 that unless his Account, are closed on the above day proceedings  
 will be taken against them.

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs James Moran  
 and Michel Byrne to call a Special Meeting of the Board for  
 this day week for the purpose of forming the Union into  
 Dispensary District, agreeable to the Circulars of the Poor Law  
 Commissioners, also to alter the Chargeability of the following  
 Paupers, Honora Mara, & William Carroll from Glendalough and  
 Sarah Byrne from Myhrin Electoral Division and to sign the  
 New Rate Book.

Mr Patrick Byrne of Glassnaght was declared  
 the Contractor for supplying 200 Tons best House Coal  
 @ Thirteen Shillings and Six Pence per Ton free of Carriage

Mr John Beakley Poor Rate Collector for Arklow Electoral  
 Division produced a list of arrears of Rate due on both  
 the Old & New Divisions.

Arklow Old Union Arrear, lost in consequence of Houses  
 thrown down &c £8..0..3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Arklow New Union Arrear, lost same reason, as above £2..16..3

The Clerk was directed to strike these Arrears off the Books

Charles Tottenham  
 James Comerford  
 Mark Byrne



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.)

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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, . . . 56,709

Present Net Annual Value, £126,896-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1851.

| 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 6 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, . . .  | 780  | 191   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 54  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 148   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .              | 50   | 30  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |
| Total, . . .  | 1290   | 415   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 63           | 196  | 39  | 34   | 74  | 131    | 99   | 26   | 31                            | 693                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 126<br>In Fever Hospital, 30<br>Total, 156 | In separate Wards, 4<br>In Wards with other inmates, 5<br>Total, 9 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 7            | 16   | 2   | 2    | 5   | 8      | 1  | 1  | 1                             | 142                                   |   |  |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |   | 70           | 212  | 41  | 34   | 76  | 136    | 107  | 27   | 32                            | 735                                   |   |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 1            | 7    | 1   | 2    | 4   | 2      | 2  | 2  | 17                            |                                       |   |  |
| Died, . . .   |  |   | 1            | 7    | 2   | 3    | 4   | 2      | 2  | 3  | 20                            |                                       |   |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 1            | 7    | 2   | 3    | 4   | 2      | 2  | 3  | 20                            |                                       |   |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 69           | 205  | 39  | 31   | 76  | 132    | 107  | 27   | 29                            | 715                                   |   |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> 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.           | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3  | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 5  | 21  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 4  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | 4  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | 4  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | 4  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | 4  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          | 4  | 4   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 9  | 25  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Tottenham Esq

Other Guardians: R. H. Truel, Adm<sup>r</sup> the Workhouse, John Edwards, Ed. Bailey, Chas. J. Gill, Thomas J. Watson, Michl. Hudson, Wm. Chas. Hume, M<sup>r</sup> W. B. Byrne, J. P. Nuttall, J. Q. Hill, Esq<sup>r</sup>, Messrs: Wm. Gillet, James Comford, A. R. Taylor Esq<sup>r</sup> & Co., John Booth, J. D. Redmond, John Campbell, George Mauney, George Saunders, Thomas Doyle, Silas Poole, John Murphy, Owen Fogarty, Patrick Gaskin, Rich<sup>d</sup>. Johnson, Saml. Edge, Joshua Philips, M<sup>r</sup> H. Jones, John Chapman, John Doyle, Robt. Wright, Wm. Law-Beestall, Michl. Byrne, Thomas Sherwood,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



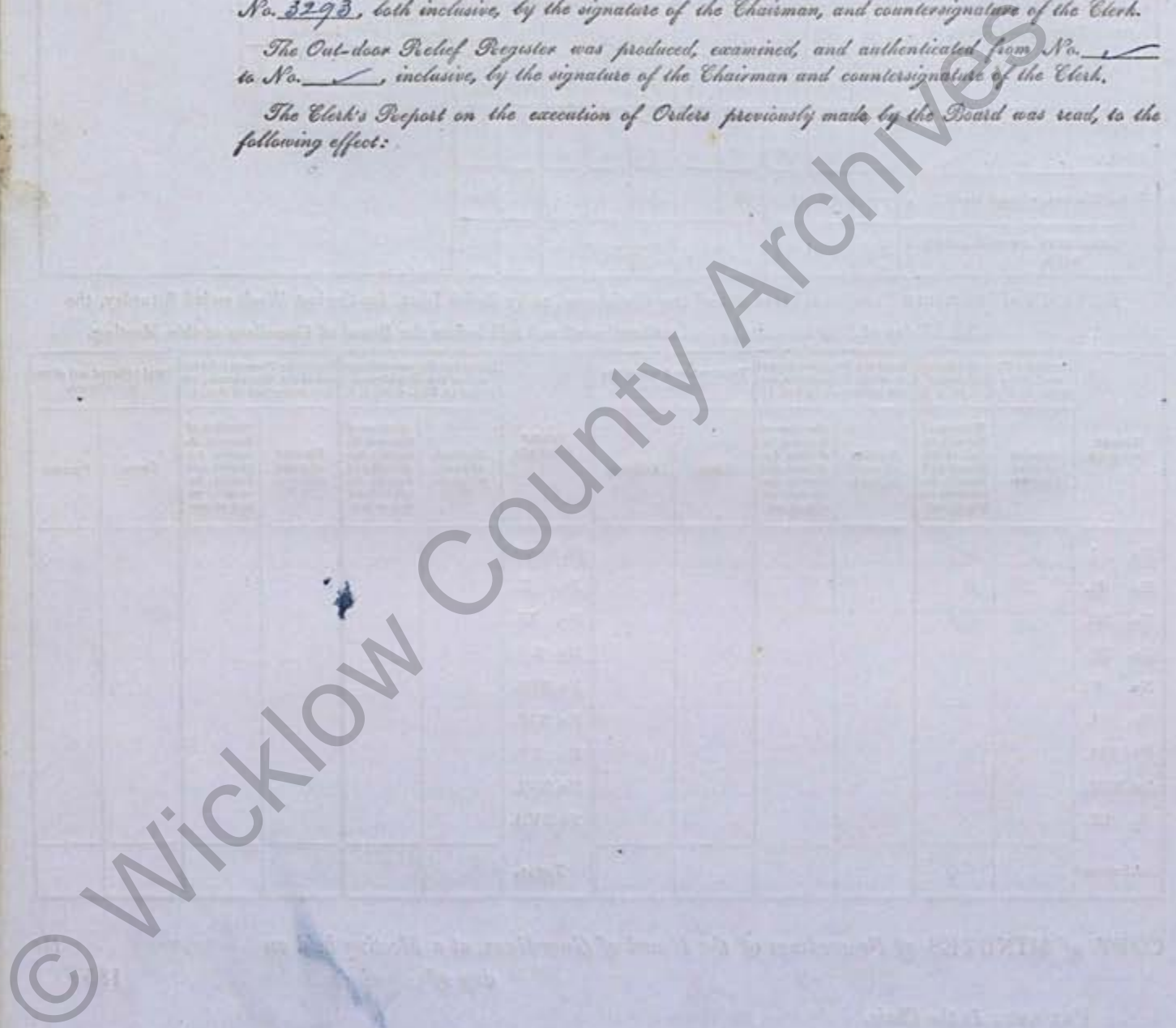
Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3201 to No. 3293, 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, - - - - - £ 3-14-0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 0-0-0

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £ 296-11-0

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 Peates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |       | Total. |    |       |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-------|--------|----|-------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.    | £      | s. | d.    |
| Patrick Walker          | Newcastle upper  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 2  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | " Lower  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Hilcoole   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 1          | 3  | 2     |        |    |       |
|                         | Altidore   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Kelliskey  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     | 1      | 5  | 2     |
| John Byrne              | Glandalough  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Culary   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Breacoh  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 5  | 11/2  |        |    |       |
|                         | Oldtown  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 1          | 18 | 11    |        |    |       |
|                         | Cashe  | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 11 | 3     |        |    |       |
|                         | Honeystown   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     | 2      | 15 | 6 1/2 |
| James Madden            | Micklaw  | 3                     | 14 | 0  |        |    |    | 18         | 3  | 2     |        |    |       |
|                         | Glencaly   | 0                     | 0  | 0  |        |    |    | 19         | 7  | 4 1/2 | 67     | 10 | 6 1/2 |
| William Douglas         | Dunganstown East                                       |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | " West   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | " South  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
| Joseph Webb             | Emoreilly  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Kilbride   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
| John Beatty             | Arklow   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
| James Laughlin          | Courbane   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballyarthur  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | O'oca  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
| William Smith           | Bathman  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 18         | 0  | 1/4   |        |    |       |
|                         | Kuseknaath   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 5  | 1 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Hooperstown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 3  | 9 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinbeg  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 5          | 18 | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinaclesh   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 3  | 1 1/2 |        |    |       |
|                         | Ballinacor   |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 6          | 1  | 0     | 30     | 12 | 5 1/2 |
|                         | Aughrim  |                       |    |    |        |    |    | 0          | 0  | 0     |        |    |       |
|                         |  | 3                     | 14 | 0  | 3      | 14 | 0  | 102        | 3  | 8 1/2 | 102    | 3  | 8 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.
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 £ 30 - 13 - 0 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> d.

|  | £ | s. | d.                                      |
|--|---|----|---|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. |   |    | 30 - 13 - 0 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  | - | -  | - 36 - 16 - 6                           |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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|--|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - | - | - 1/6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> - |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | - | - | - 1/11 -                            |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | - | - | - 1/5 -                             |

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:

|                      |                   |
|----------------------|-------------------|
| 346 Loane, Bread     | 12 doz Irons Taps |
| 120 lb Meat          | 12 do Panow do    |
| 4 Ton Indianmeal     | 1 Lock for door   |
| 1 Ton Oatmeal        |                   |
| 600 Gall Butter milk |                   |
| 420 Gall Sweet Milk  |                   |
| 1 Steel for Knife    |                   |
| 1 Common Beam        |                   |
| 6 Shoemaker Hammes   |                   |
| 6 doz pinches        |                   |
| 24 yds Corduroy      |                   |
| 200 Tailors Needles  |                   |

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 Receipts 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 22<sup>d</sup> day of November, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d.                                       |
|-----------|---|----|--|
| In money, | - | -  | - 0 - 1 - 0                              |
| In kind,  | - | -  | - 0 - 11 - 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
| Total,    | - | -  | - 0 - 12 - 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.



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

Levies

The Mangle Weyll on the Workhouse ground, is  
now fit for Sale,

Ordered to be advertised for Sale

A pit named Ellen Bryan chargeable to the Gaol  
wishes to take her discharge but has no Clothes

Ordered that old Clothes be provided

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 answers given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, / or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:—

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 63901 Dated 21<sup>st</sup> Inst with reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 18<sup>th</sup> Inst declaring irrecoverable certain Arrears of Poor Rates due on the Arklaw Electoral Division. The Commissioners request the Clerk to furnish them with a Schedule of the Arrears in question.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 61158 Dated 20<sup>th</sup> Inst, approving of the acceptance by the Guardians of Mr Richard Sutton Tender for Glazing and Keeping in Repair for 12 Months, the Windows of the Workhouse, Fever Hospital & Dispensary on the Terms agreed upon namely £9-18..

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 6665 of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst, calling on the Clerk for a Return shewing the numbers <sup>Released</sup> in and out of the Workhouse during the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> September last.

A Letter was read from Mr Walter Doyle of Baggot Street Dublin who was proposed as Security for Mr James Ford the new Collector of Poor Rates for No 8 District, refusing to sign the Bond.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a Collector for the Above District. Tenders to be received this day week.

A Letter was read from Mr Allen Secretary to the Mining Company of Ireland stating that the Company would not make any compromise with the Guardians as to the Valuation of the Mines which they state should

be valued according to the ground Rents which the Company pay. In answer to the above the Guardians refuse to reduce the valuation

A Letter was read from old Patrick Walker the former Collector for N<sup>o</sup> 1 District relative to an Arrear of Poor Rate due off the Down Hill by a Mr Stanton who resides in Dublin and which sum has been accumulating for several years. Mr Walker enclosed a letter from old Burkitt Solicitor whom he employed to recover the Rate which was as follows

Wickham  
21<sup>st</sup> Nov 1831

Dear Sir

Mr Stanton has not settled with me and from my interview with him in Dublin the other day I fear he will do all in his power to resist it as he states his Tenants have Receipts and that old Graydon is the person to look to as he has held the greater portion of the Land and has received the Rents of those who should have paid same, it might be well if old Courtenay wants write to Mr Graydon on the Subject

Signed  
Robert Burkitt

No Order on the Above

A Pauper Inmate named Daulettojin applies for some Clothing as he wishes to take his Discharge and having been in the Workhouse for some years his Clothing were lost during the time of the late Peter holding Office Order that some old Clothes be provided for him.

The Case of two Paupers named Eleanor Maura and William Carroll (Notice of proposing to alter the Changeability of which was served on the Clerk last Board day) was postponed until Tuesday next.

Proposed by Edw<sup>d</sup> Baly Esq and seconded by W<sup>m</sup> Chadburn Esq. Resolved that Thomas Wheatley a Pauper Inmate be attened on the Books from Croca Electoral Division to the Union at large.

Resolved that Sarah Byrne be attened from Aughrim Electoral Division to the Union at large

Carried

Carried



The following persons were declared the Contractors for the Articles Specified for three Months from this date

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| Mr Andrew Heyson  | Oatmeal @ £10 <sup>18</sup> 6 <sup>1</sup> 0   |
| "                 | Wine @ 14 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>3</sub> 0        |
| "                 | Rice @ 1 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>10</sub> 0        |
| "                 | Pepper @ 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub> 0       |
| "                 | Mustard @ 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub> 0      |
| Mr John Ford      | Indian Meal @ 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>1</sub> 0  |
| Mr William Beakey | Brown Bread @ 11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 0 |
| "                 | White do @ 11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 0    |
| "                 | Brown Sugar @ 4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 0  |
| "                 | Tea @ 3 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>5</sub> 0          |
| "                 | Lump Sugar @ 6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> 0   |

The Board proceeded to Divide the Union into Districts for the purposes of the Medical Charities Act as directed by the Poor Law Commissioners

Proposed by Mr. Chas. Sturges Esq and seconded by Mr. Gilbert. Resolved that the Union be divided into 8 Medical Districts,

Amendment proposed by Mr. Redmond and seconded by J. F. Nuttall Esq. that the Union be divided into 7 Districts,

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 - - -

Of these 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.)

The Board then divided on the Amendment being put  
 For dividing into 7 districts, 9 Votes  
 For " " 8 districts, 22 Votes  
 Majority in favor of 8 Districts 13

After some discussion it was moved by Mr Charles Hume Esq  
 and seconded by Robert Holt Truel Esq.

Resolved that a Committee of Eight Gentlemen be appointed to  
 take into Consideration the different Electoral Divisions of which  
 the Eight Medical Districts are to be comprised and to  
 Report their decision to the Board Passed

Committee

- Andrew W. Byrne Esq Chairman
- John Edwards Esq
- Chas Fitzell Esq
- J. S. Nuttall Esq
- M<sup>rs</sup> Chas Hume Esq
- Helps
- William Gilbert
- Robert Wright
- Dr J R Taylor

The Committee retired to the Master Room to  
 arrange the Districts, and after some time the Chairman  
 A W Byrne Esq handed in a list of which the following is a Copy  
 The following Arrangement of the proposed Divisions of  
 the Union into Medical Districts has been agreed  
 upon by the Committee appointed at an Extraordinary  
 Meeting of the Board this day for the purpose of forming  
 said Divisions

District No 1

- Newcastle upper
- Newcastle Lower
- Kilcoole
- Altidore

District No 2

- Killiskey
- Wicklow
- Glanceal

| Annual Value |    |   | Area  |   |   |
|--------------|----|---|-------|---|---|
| £            | s  | d | a     | r | p |
| 5195         | 15 |   | 6722  | " | " |
| 6619         | 15 |   | 6377  | " | " |
| 6194         | 5  |   | 5803  | " | " |
| 2000         | 15 |   | 4774  | " | " |
| 20010        | 10 |   | 23676 | " | " |
| 3856         | "  | " | 5890  | " | " |
| 11666        | "  | " | 8743  | " | " |
| 7694         | 10 | " | 9847  | " | " |
| 23216        | 10 |   | 24480 |   |   |

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District No 3

Glandalough  
Brookagh  
Togher  
Oldtown  
Moneytown  
Culany  
Bullycullen

| Net Annual Value |    |   | Area in Statute Acres |   |   |
|------------------|----|---|-----------------------|---|---|
| £                | s  | d | A                     | R | P |
| 1168             | 15 | " | 15294                 | " | " |
| 2055             | 6  | " | 19596                 | " | " |
| 1277             | 5  | " | 5202                  | " | " |
| 1768             | "  | " | 1791                  | " | " |
| 1062             | "  | " | 2446                  | " | " |
| 1083             | 15 | " | 8127                  | " | " |
| 16110            | 5  | " | 2451                  | " | " |
| 10,054           | 5  | " | 60207                 | " | " |

District No 4

Dungaustown East  
" South  
Emerally

|       |    |   |       |   |   |
|-------|----|---|-------|---|---|
| 5278  | 15 | " | 6225  | " | " |
| 5593  | 15 | " | 5610  | " | " |
| 3799  | 15 | " | 4919  | " | " |
| 15672 | 5  | " | 16754 | " | " |

District No 5

Arklow

|       |    |   |       |   |   |
|-------|----|---|-------|---|---|
| 12407 | 10 | " | 16368 | " | " |
|-------|----|---|-------|---|---|

District No 6

Kilbride  
Ballyarthur  
Court-aure

|        |    |   |       |   |   |
|--------|----|---|-------|---|---|
| 5672   | 10 | " | 6125  | " | " |
| 3073   | 15 | " | 4667  | " | " |
| 4210   | 15 | " | 3359  | " | " |
| 12,967 | "  | " | 14188 | " | " |

District No 7

Dungaustown West  
Rathdrum  
Trooperstown  
Ballinderry  
Knockrath

|        |    |   |        |   |   |
|--------|----|---|--------|---|---|
| 4615   | 5  | " | 6218   | " | " |
| 6171   | 10 | " | 9322   | " | " |
| 1148   | 5  | " | 4780   | " | " |
| 1580   | 15 | " | 5243   | " | " |
| 1579   | 5  | " | 17464  | " | " |
| 15,095 | "  | " | 43,467 | " | " |

District No 8

Aughrim  
Ballinaclesh  
Ballinacor  
Ovoea

|        |    |   |        |   |   |
|--------|----|---|--------|---|---|
| 2411   | "  | " | 6588   | " | " |
| 2395   | 5  | " | 1868   | " | " |
| 2506   | 10 | " | 1160   | " | " |
| 2786   | 10 | " | 3515   | " | " |
| 32,102 | 5  | " | 24,126 | " | " |

The Valuation of Court-aure has been increased on the 1<sup>st</sup> of 1852 to £6402-10 "

The Valuation of Ovoea has been increased on the 1<sup>st</sup> of 1852 to £7973-5-6

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_

Andrew St. Byrne  
Chairman of  
Committee

Proposed by Thomas Bartow Esq and Seconded by Mr <sup>321</sup> Michael  
 Byrne that this list be adopted  
 Passed with only one dissentient  
 voice

The Clerk produces the Rent etc Books made up and  
 Certified by him, the Books were signed by the Chairman and  
 two, Jurors

|                  |                       |              |
|------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| Arklow           | Rate @ $1\frac{5}{6}$ | in the Pound |
| Anghrim          | " @ $2\frac{1}{2}$    | ✓            |
| Ballinaclesh     | @ $1\frac{1}{7}$      | ✓            |
| Ballinacor       | @ $1\frac{1}{10}$     | ✓            |
| Ballinacorney    | @ $3\frac{1}{3}$      | ✓            |
| Ballyarthur      | @ $1\frac{1}{4}$      | ✓            |
| Bronebane        | @ $2\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| Dunganstown East | @ $11$                | ✓            |
| " South          | @ $1\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| " West           | @ $10$                | ✓            |
| Emercilly        | @ $11$                | ✓            |
| Glancealy        | @ $1\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| Kilbride         | @ $10$                | ✓            |
| Knockrath        | @ $2\frac{1}{6}$      | ✓            |
| Moneystown       | @ $2\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| Oveea            | @ $1\frac{1}{4}$      | ✓            |
| Rathdunn         | @ $1\frac{1}{8}$      | ✓            |
| Triperstown      | @ $1\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| Wicklow          | @ $1\frac{1}{6}$      | ✓            |
| Altadore         | @ $11$                | ✓            |
| Ballycullen      | @ $10$                | ✓            |
| Brookagh         | @ $3\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| Culay            | @ $11$                | ✓            |
| Glandalough      | @ $1\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| Kilcoole         | @ $10$                | ✓            |
| Killeskey        | @ $10$                | ✓            |
| Newcastle Lower  | @ $1\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |
| " Upper          | @ $11$                | ✓            |
| Oldtown          | @ $1\frac{1}{10}$     | ✓            |
| Sogher           | @ $1\frac{1}{2}$      | ✓            |

*Handwritten initials*

Proposed by William Charles Esq and seconded by  
 Robt Wright Esq. Resolved that Charles Tottenham Esq do  
 leave the Chair and that Andrew William Byrne Esq  
 be moved thereto and that the thanks of this Meeting are  
 hereby given and justly due to Chas Tottenham Esq for  
 his able impartial and dignified conduct in the Chair

Signs

Andrew W. Byrne  
 Chairman

Arthur Wood  
 Clerk of the Meeting

Attestation

James Comerford  
Wicklow

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Population in 1841, . . . *56709*

Present Net Annual Value, £126896-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *29<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1851.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date. | Total No. in each building on the above date. | 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, . . .  | <i>750</i>   |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | <i>100</i>   |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | <i>360</i>   |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .              | <i>50</i>  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Total, . . .  | <i>1290</i>  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | <i>69</i>    | <i>205</i> | <i>39</i>   | <i>31</i> | <i>76</i>   | <i>132</i> | <i>107</i>                                 | <i>27</i>                                  | <i>29</i>                     | <i>715</i>                            | In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, . . .           | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, . . . |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | <i>2</i>     | <i>7</i>   | <i>1</i>  |           | <i>2</i>  |            | <i>2</i>                                   |  | <i>3</i>                      | <i>17</i>                             |  | <i>4</i>  |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |   | <i>71</i>    | <i>212</i> | <i>40</i>   | <i>31</i> | <i>78</i>   | <i>132</i> | <i>109</i>                                 | <i>27</i>                                  | <i>32</i>                     | <i>732</i>                            | Total, . . .   | Total, <i>9</i>                                       |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | <i>3</i>     | <i>8</i>   |   |           | <i>3</i>  |            | <i>1</i>                                   |  | <i>2</i>                      | <i>17</i>                             |  |   |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   |              |            | <i>1</i>  |           |   |            |  |  | <i>1</i>                      | <i>2</i>                              |  |   |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | <i>3</i>     | <i>8</i>   | <i>1</i>  |           | <i>3</i>  |            | <i>1</i>                                   |  | <i>3</i>                      | <i>19</i>                             |  |   |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | <i>68</i>    | <i>204</i> | <i>39</i>   | <i>31</i> | <i>75</i>   | <i>132</i> | <i>108</i>                                 | <i>27</i>                                  | <i>29</i>                     | <i>713</i>                            |  |   |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *29<sup>th</sup>* 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.           | <i>1</i>  | <i>1</i>  |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | <i>1</i>  | <i>1</i>  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | <i>2</i>  | <i>6</i>  |   |   |                                      |          | 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     | <i>4</i>  | <i>6</i>  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *December* 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Chas. Tottenham Esq*  
 Other Guardians: *Michl. Hudson & A. W. Byrne Esqrs*  
*Messrs. Wm. Gilbert James Connelley Owen Poranthy Robt. Wright*  
*Wm. Law Bestall M. H. Jones Saml. Edw. Helmecker Cowley*  
*Michl. Byrne John Doyle & George Manning John*  
*Murphy*

*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. 31.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3296 to No. 3312, 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, - - - - - £ 11 - 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 0 - 12 - 6

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 297 - 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 lodgments made of Peates collected in the severas Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |       |             |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|-------|-------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s.    | d.          |
| Pat Walker              | Newcastle upper  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 2   | 0      |       |             |
|                         | do Lower   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Milcoole   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 1   | 3      | 2     |             |
|                         | Altidone   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
| John Byrne              | Killickery   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | 1      | 5     | 2           |
|                         | Glendalough  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Calan  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Boatagh  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Ballykullen  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Oldtown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 5   | 17     |       |             |
|                         | Lougher  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 1   | 18     | 4     |             |
| Moneytown               |  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            | "  | 11  | 3      |       |             |
| Sam Madden              | Wicklow  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 48  | 3      | 2     |             |
|                         | Glanealy   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 19  | 7      | 4     | 67 10 6 1/4 |
| Wm Douglas              | Dunganstown East                                       |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | do West  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | do South   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerally   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Kilbride   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
| John Sealey             | Arklow   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
| James Douglas           | Comeston   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Ballyanther  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
|                         | Proca  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       |             |
| Wm Smith                | Rathdrum   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 18  | 1      | 1/2   |             |
|                         | Knocknate  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 5   | 1 3/4  |       |             |
|                         | Trospertown  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 3   | 9      | 1/2   |             |
|                         | Ballindem  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 5   | 15     | 4     |             |
|                         | Ballinaclesh   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 3   | 1/2    |       |             |
|                         | Ballinacor   |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 6   | 1      | 11    |             |
|                         | Aughrim  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | "   | "      |       | 30 12 5 1/2 |
|                         |  |                       |    |    |        |    |    |            |    | 102 | 3      | 8 1/2 | 102 3 8 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 £  $\checkmark$  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 £ 36 - 6 - 8½.

|  |    |    |          |
|--|----|----|----------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. | £  | s. | d.       |
|  | 36 | 6  | 8½       |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was  | -  | -  | -        |
|  | -  | -  | 39-18-3½ |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

|  |      |   |      |
|--|------|---|------|
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 1/0¾ | - | -    |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | -    | - | 1/11 |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | -    | - | 1/5  |

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:

- 340 Loaves Bread
- 110 lb Meat
- 500 Gals Butter milk
- 400 Gals Sweet Milk
- 60 lb Dipst 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 29<sup>th</sup> day of November whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | - | - | £ | s. | d. |
|           | - | - | - | 0 | 3  | 0  |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | 0 | 6  | 1½ |
|           | - | - | - | 0 | 9  | 1½ |
| Total,    | - | - | - | 0 | 9  | 1½ |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

|  |  |  |
|--|--|--|
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |

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



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

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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:)

Circular No 680 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Ultimo relative to the Medical Charities Act calling the attention of the Guardians to certain provisions of that Act also calling the attention of the Clerk to former Correspondence in reference to the above Act.

Circular No 672 Dated 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Amount of the Net Annual Value of each Townland in each Electoral Division of the Union.

Circular No 665 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Ultimo calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Number Received in and out of the Workhouse during the Year ended 29<sup>th</sup> September last.

Letter No 5734 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Inst informing the Guardians that the Commissioners have received a Letter from Mr Joseph Wright stating that he Tenders on the 25<sup>th</sup> Ultimo for the Supply of Bread to the Workhouse but was opposed by Mr Pat Beasley a Relieving Officer of the Union, and succeeded in obtaining the Contract for his Brother whom it appears is also an Officer of the Union. The Commissioners request the Guardians to furnish them with their Observations thereon.

Letter No 5733 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Inst stating that the Commissioners have received a Letter from Mrs Catherine on the 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo stating that she Tenders on the 25<sup>th</sup> Ultimo for the Supply of Bread for the use of the Workhouse

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but was opposed by Mr Patrick Beakey a Receiving Officer of the Union who succeeded in getting the Contract in his Brother's Name with reference thereto the Commissioners request the Guardians will have the goodness to furnish the Commissioners with their observations thereon.

In Answer to those Letters the Board inform the Commissioners that the Contract is not taken by Patrick Beakey, but by William Beakey who is not an Officer of this Union.

Letter No 65674 Dated 1st Inst in reference to a statement in the Minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> Ultimas that the Guardians had received a Communication from Mr Patrick Walker former Collector for N<sup>o</sup> 1 District, accompanied by a Letter which he had received from Mr Robt Burkitts Solicitor relative to Rates due by Mr Hauler. The Commissioners request that they may be furnished with a Copy of the Rating in this Case.

Letter No 65706 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Ultimas, acknowledging the Receipt of Minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> Ultimas relative to the formation of Dispensary Districts under the Medical Charities Act. The Commissioners request the Clerk to forward the Return called for in the 12<sup>th</sup> Inst as soon as directed by them in order that the arrangements of the Guardians may be considered.

A Letter was read from Mr Edward Singleton Secretary to the Census Commissioners, in answer to a Letter addressed to them by the Clerk of this Union on the 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimas, requesting the Population of the Union. Mr Singleton states that the Census Commissioners request they are not able to comply with the request of the Guardians as the Census Returns are not yet made up by Electoral Divisions.

A Letter was read from Mr James Piley of Dublin, requesting the Guardians to pay him the amount of his Account for Emigrants sent out in June 1850, amounting to £462.16 also Interest at the Rate of 6% to the date amount

|             |   |    |
|-------------|---|----|
| 23.         | 2 | 10 |
| £ 485.18.10 |   |    |

Order on the above

There are no Funds at present, but as soon as Money is in hand, the Amount will be taken into Consideration and paid



Resolved that Honora Mara & William Carroll shall attend on the Books from Glendalough to the Ann at Lurg.

Mr. John Murphy Guardian for the Electoral Division of Glendalough brought under the Notice of the Board the Case of a Child named William Holt who was deserted on the Townland of Mullmaricgne in this Union, about 8 years back and found there by the Sergeant of Police, who brought it to a Nurse and had it baptized by the Roman Catholic Clergyman.

On about a week after the Rev. Mr. Marshall Protestant Clergyman took the Child from the Nurse paying her for the time she had it and baptized it by the name of <sup>James</sup> ~~James~~ Fields, the Rev. Mr. Marshall provided a Nurse & had the Child put on the County Books and paid for by a Grand Jury presentment up to 18 Months back when the Grand Jury withdrew the grant. The Child has been recently admitted to the Workhouse and the Guardian request that the Commissioners will be good enough to inform them what Religion the Child is to be Registered on the Workhouse Books.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Do. 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.)

Mr William Smith of Ballindary the former Collector for No 8 District. Was Re-elected for that district comprising the Electoral Divisions of Rathdrum, Knockrath Droopstown, Ballindery, Ballinacorr, Ballinaclesh and Aughrim at Mr Three ~~four~~ Pence in the Pound on all Money Collected and Lodged with the Union Treasurers

The following Salaries were agreed to on the several Medical Districts under the Medical Charities Act

| District | Salary        | Medical attendant      |
|----------|---------------|------------------------|
| No 1     | £75 per Annum | Richard McClelland Esq |
| " 2      | £85           | Henry Bank, Esq        |
| 3        | £75           | John Stutch Esq        |
| 4        | £80           | A. B. Sheppard Esq     |
| 5        | £75           | David Wright Esq       |
| 6        | £75           | J. J. Nicholson Esq    |
| 7        | £80           | Charles Clerk Esq      |
| 8        | £75           | John Kearney Esq       |

The following Collector Warrants were Signed

Upper Newfette, Lower Newfette, Kilcoole, Altadore and Kelliskey, Mr Patrick Farrell Collector  
 Cronrban, Ballyathin, and Ovea, Mr Wm Loughlin  
 Dunganstown East, South & West. Mr William Douglas

Mr Terence Toole one of the Sureties for Mr James Madden Collector for Wicklow & Glencaly, came before the Board and requested the Guardians to allow him <sup>time</sup> until Saturday next the 6<sup>th</sup> inst when the sum outstanding on Mr Madden Collection wants be paid over to the Treasurers.

The Guardians consented to extend the time to the above date

Arthur Hawk  
 Clerk of the Board

James Comerford

Rich. Johnson  
 Saml. Edge

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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Rathdrum UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £126596-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 1851.

| 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. | 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, . . . . .  | 780  | 495   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . . .                                | 100  | 57  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . . . .                               | 860  | 168   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .                           | 50   | 26  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . . . .  |  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |  |
| Total, . . . . .  | 1290   | 746   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . . |  |   | 68           | 214  | 39  | 31   | 75  | 132    | 108  | 27   | 29                            | 713    | In Work-house Hospital, . . . . .     | In separate Wards, . . . . .                               |               |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . . . .                           |  |   | 6            | 29   | 1   | 1    | 5   | 1      | 9  | 1  | 2                             | 53     | In Fever Hospital, . . . . .          | In Wards with other inmates, . . . . .                     |               |  |
| TOTAL, . . . . .  |  |   | 74           | 233  | 40  | 31   | 80  | 133    | 117  | 27   | 31                            | 766    | Total, . . . . .                      | Total, . . . . .   |               |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . . . .                         |  |   | 1            | 7    | 1   | 1    | 1   | 1      | 3  | 1  | 1                             | 17     |                                       |  |               |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | 1            | 1    | 1   | 1    | 1   | 1      | 1  | 1  | 1                             | 3      |                                       |  |               |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .                          |  |   | 1            | 7    | 2   | 2    | 2   | 2      | 3  | 2  | 2                             | 20     |                                       |  |               |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                        |  |   | 73           | 226  | 38  | 31   | 80  | 132    | 112  | 26   | 28                            | 746    |                                       |  |               |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 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.           | 1  | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. II.          | 3  | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. III.         | 1  | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. IV.          | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. V.           | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. VI.          | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. VII.         | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. VIII.        | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| No. IX.          | 1  | 1   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |
| Car. forward     | 5  | 10  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |  |   |   |          |                                      |  |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of December 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Conroy Esq

Other Guardians: John W. C. Lillie, M. J. Jones, Michael Fogarty, George Manning, John Clements, John Doyle, James Cullen, Samuel Edge, Michl. Byrne, Robert Wright, Matthew Johnson, A. P. Taylor Esq, &c.

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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

Three sets of horizontal lines, each containing a handwritten signature in cursive script.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3313 to No. 3347, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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:

A large, mostly blank ledger table with multiple columns and rows, likely for recording financial or administrative data.

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, - - - - - £ 19-7-3

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 17-16-10

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 295-14-8

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | New Rate |    |     | Amount of former Rate |    |    | Total |    |     | Amount Lodged |    |      | Remaining |     |    |
|-------------------------|--|----------|----|-----|-----------------------|----|----|-------|----|-----|---------------|----|------|-----------|-----|----|
|                         |  | £        | s. | d.  | £                     | s. | d. | £     | s. | d.  | £             | s. | d.   | £         | s.  | d. |
| Patrick Nanel           | Newcastle upper  | 238      | 2  | 9½  | "                     | 2  | "  | 238   | 4  | 9½  | "             | "  | 238  | 4         | 9½  |    |
|                         | do lower   | 358      | 11 | 5½  | "                     | "  | "  | 358   | 11 | 4¾  | "             | "  | 358  | 11        | 4¾  |    |
|                         | Kilcoole   | 258      | 1  | 10½ | 1                     | 3  | 2  | 259   | 5  | 0½  | "             | "  | 259  | 5         | 0½  |    |
|                         | Attadore   | 91       | 14 | 0½  | "                     | "  | "  | 91    | 14 | 0½  | "             | "  | 91   | 14        | 0½  |    |
|                         | Stillekey  | 160      | 13 | 4   | "                     | "  | "  | 160   | 13 | 4   | "             | "  | 160  | 13        | 4   |    |
| John Byrne              |  | 1107     | 3  | 4¾  | 1                     | 5  | 2  | 1108  | 8  | 6¾  | "             | "  | 1108 | 8         | 6¾  |    |
|                         | Glendalough  | 68       | 3  | 6½  | "                     | "  | "  | 68    | 3  | 6½  | "             | "  | 68   | 3         | 6½  |    |
|                         | Calary   | 49       | 13 | 5½  | "                     | "  | "  | 49    | 13 | 5½  | "             | "  | 49   | 13        | 5½  |    |
|                         | Brookagh   | 308      | 5  | 9   | "                     | "  | "  | 308   | 5  | 9   | "             | "  | 308  | 5         | 9   |    |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 68       | 6  | 10½ | 5                     | 1½ | "  | 68    | 12 | 10½ | "             | "  | 68   | 12        | 10½ |    |
|                         | Oldtown  | 162      | 1  | 4   | 1                     | 18 | 4  | 163   | 19 | 8   | "             | "  | 163  | 19        | 8   |    |
|                         | Togher   | 63       | 17 | 3   | "                     | 11 | 3  | 64    | 8  | 6   | "             | "  | 64   | 8         | 6   |    |
|                         | Monoytown  | 106      | 8  | "   | "                     | "  | "  | 106   | 8  | "   | "             | "  | 106  | 8         | "   |    |
| Edmund Byrne            |  | 826      | 16 | 2½  | 2                     | 15 | 6¾ | 829   | 11 | 9   | "             | "  | 829  | 11        | 9   |    |
|                         | Wicklow  | 874      | 19 | "   | 18                    | 3  | 2  | 923   | 2  | 2   | 2             | 9  | 920  | 13        | 2   |    |
|                         | Glencaly   | 416      | 15 | 8½  | 19                    | 7  | 5½ | 436   | 3  | 0¾  | "             | "  | 436  | 3         | 0¾  |    |
|                         |  | 1291     | 14 | 8½  | 67                    | 10 | 6½ | 1359  | 5  | 2½  | 2             | 9  | 1356 | 16        | 2¾  |    |
| William Douglas         | Dunganstown East                                       | 287      | 15 | 6½  | "                     | "  | "  | 287   | 15 | 6½  | "             | "  | 287  | 15        | 6½  |    |
|                         | do West  | 192      | 6  | 0½  | "                     | "  | "  | 192   | 6  | 0½  | "             | "  | 192  | 6         | 0½  |    |
|                         | do South   | 279      | 13 | 9   | "                     | "  | "  | 279   | 13 | 9   | "             | "  | 279  | 13        | 9   |    |
|                         |  | 759      | 15 | 3¾  | "                     | "  | "  | 759   | 15 | 3¾  | "             | "  | 759  | 15        | 3¾  |    |
| Joseph Webb             | Emucilly   | 174      | 3  | 1½  | "                     | "  | "  | 174   | 3  | 1½  | "             | "  | 174  | 3         | 1½  |    |
|                         | Kilnade  | 236      | 7  | 1   | "                     | "  | "  | 236   | 7  | 1   | "             | "  | 236  | 7         | 1   |    |
| Thomas Quinlan          | do   | 410      | 10 | 2½  | "                     | "  | "  | 410   | 10 | 2½  | "             | "  | 410  | 10        | 2½  |    |
|                         | do   | 930      | 11 | 3   | "                     | "  | "  | 930   | 11 | 3   | "             | "  | 930  | 11        | 3   |    |
| James Vaughan           | Ormeau   | 693      | 12 | 1   | "                     | "  | "  | 693   | 12 | 1   | "             | "  | 693  | 12        | 1   |    |
|                         | Ballyathur   | 204      | 18 | 4   | "                     | "  | "  | 204   | 18 | 4   | "             | "  | 204  | 18        | 4   |    |
|                         | Obree  | 531      | 11 | "   | "                     | "  | "  | 531   | 11 | "   | "             | "  | 531  | 11        | "   |    |
|                         |  | 1430     | 1  | 5   | "                     | "  | "  | 1430  | 1  | 5   | "             | "  | 1430 | 1         | 5   |    |
| Wm Smith                | Rathdrum   | 514      | 5  | 10  | 18                    | "  | 1½ | 532   | 5  | 11½ | 11            | 3  | 7    | 521       | 2   | 4¾ |
|                         | Knocknath  | 197      | 8  | 1½  | "                     | 5  | 1¼ | 197   | 13 | 3½  | "             | "  | 197  | 13        | 3½  |    |
|                         | Troopertown  | 62       | 3  | 11½ | "                     | 3  | 9½ | 62    | 7  | 8¾  | "             | "  | 62   | 7         | 8¾  |    |
|                         | Ballinacorney  | 256      | 17 | 5½  | 5                     | 18 | 4  | 262   | 15 | 9½  | "             | "  | 262  | 15        | 9½  |    |
|                         | Ballinacorney  | 189      | 12 | 5¾  | "                     | 3  | 1½ | 189   | 15 | 7½  | "             | "  | 189  | 15        | 7½  |    |
|                         | Ballinacorney  | 229      | 15 | 3   | 6                     | 1  | 11 | 235   | 17 | 2   | 5             | 14 | 8    | 230       | 2   | 6  |
|                         | Aughrim  | 261      | 10 | 4   | "                     | "  | "  | 261   | 10 | 4   | "             | "  | 261  | 10        | 4   |    |
|                         |  | 1711     | 13 | 4¾  | 30                    | 12 | 5½ | 1742  | 5  | 10½ | 16            | 18 | 3    | 1725      | 7   | 7¾ |
|                         |  | 8468     | 5  | 10½ | 102                   | 3  | 8½ | 8570  | 9  | 6¾  | 19            | 7  | 3    | 8551      | 2   | 3¾ |

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.
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 £ 58 - 10 - 3½ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

|   |   |   |   |                |
|---|---|---|---|----------------|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - | - | - | £ 58 - 10 - 3½ |
|   |   |   |   | - 11 - 18 - 8½ |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 -

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1/1 -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 1/5 -

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:

340 Loaves Bread  
 111 lb Meat  
 570 Gals Buttermilk  
 420 Gals Sweetmilk  
 1 Tea Kettle for Kitchen  
 1 do do for Schoolmistress  
 24 Sheets of Castlesward  
 4 Gals Shoe Oil  
 4 do Wool do  
 3 pair Wool Curds

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 6<sup>th</sup> day of December whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |             |
|-----------|---|---|---|-------------|
| In money, | - | - | - | £ 0 - 0 - 0 |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | 0 - 10 - 3  |
| Total,    |   |   |   | 0 - 10 - 3  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.



The Reports of the Master ~~and the Office~~ were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Gentlemen

I have to report that the Officers Meat Rations as sent in by the Contractor is very inferior and also a good deal of bread

Ordered that the Contractor be written to by the Clerk to supply better

Also that the Coals supplies is not at all good being a great quantity of black I gave him notice that I should report same to the Board

Ordered that the Coal Contractor be also written to to supply according to Contract

Also that a man named James Flynn was reported by the Doctor to me as having fever who refused going to the Hospital and demanded his discharge I told him to Consider for an hour to see what he would do he still persisted in getting his discharge which I gave him

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, (on Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 677 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Inst Calling on the Clerk for a Return relative to the Annuitants.

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 676 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> Inst Calling on the Clerk for a Return respecting the Rate in Aid.

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 685 Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Current Rates and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 66997 Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Inst in answer to a Letter of the Clerk on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst in which he stated that the Return called for by the Commissioners Circular of the 12<sup>th</sup> Ultimo is delayed in consequence of his not being able to obtain a Return of the Population from the Census Commissioners.

The Commissioners state that if the Clerk is unable to fill up the Column for the Population correctly he can leave that Column in the Schedule Blank & transmit it accordingly.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 66970 Dated 8<sup>th</sup> Decemr transmitting Questions to be answered by the Clerk and Mr William Smith who has been appointed Poor Rate Collector for No 8 District.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 66970 Dated 8<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to the Observations of the Guardians, entered on the Minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst, relative to Communications received by the Commissioners from Mr Joseph Wright and Mrs Rees complaining of the Repetition by the Guardians of their Tenders for Bread to the Workhouse, and of having been opposed

by Mr Patrick Beakey a Releiving Officer who they alledged success in obtaining the Contract for his Brother,

The Commissions request that they may be informed if the Guardians have made any inquiry as to whether Mr Patrick Beakey has any interest in or Connexion with the Bakery trade Carried on by his Brother who has been declared the Contractor,

In answer to the above, the Guardians having now made enquiry from Mr Beakey he states that the Bakery is Carried on by his Brother William Beakey and that he has no Concern whatever with it.

The Guardians also inform the Commissions, the great difference in price between the Tenders of Mr Wright, Mrs Reeve, and Mr Beakey, Mr Beakey's price is 5<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> for 4<sup>th</sup> Loaf for White and 4<sup>0</sup> for Brown Bread, Mr Wright and Mrs Reeve, prices were both, 6<sup>0</sup> for white and 5<sup>0</sup> for Brown Bread for 4<sup>th</sup> Loaf

Circular No 696 Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Inst calling the attention of the Guardians to the fact that one of the Female Pauper of a Workhouse met with an accident by falling into a Strabant Boiler, and suggesting to the Guardians the necessity of having a circular bar placed round the upper part of the Kitchen Boilers, to prevent the recurrence of such an accident.

The following letter was read from the Revd Mr Keogh  
Newry, Mr Kennedy  
Decr 8<sup>th</sup> 1857

Understanding that the Board of Guardians of Rathfriland Union has reported to the Poor Law Commissions that the Newry and Delgany Dispensary is destitute of a Medical attendant I as Treasurer and Secretary to that institution take the liberty of addressing you on the Subject, I conceive the statement is erroneous as Doctor Richard McClellens was duly elected on the 7<sup>th</sup> Day of November last by a Majority of the Qualified Subscribers, as Medical attendant to the Newry and Delgany Dispensary and has since that period discharged and is now Discharging the duties appertaining to said Office

To the Chairman  
Signed  
A. C. Keogh Clerk



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Order on the Revd Mr Keogh's Letter, that the Election was not valid as the Medical Charities Act was in operation since 1st October last.

The following letter was read from the Master  
Gentle

I most respectfully ask your permission for leave of absence on Thursday or Friday next, also on Monday Tuesday and Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> 23<sup>rd</sup> + 24<sup>th</sup> of this month as I purpose being married to the Master's Daughter, and as your Board have kindly granted her permission to reside in the House with her Mother, I therefore trust your Board shall have no objection to this request, you having granted me the privilege at my appointment and through your recommendation sanctioned by the Poor Law Commission

Signed  
Isaac Flower Master

Leave granted

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

Resolved that a Great Dinner be provided for the Pauper  
 Inmates of the Workhouse on Christmas day and that  
 our Medical Officer Doctor Manning and the Master  
 be authorised to purchase the Meat  
 Proposed by Doctor Taylor & seconded by Mr Gilbert and passed  
 unanimously

Mr William Smith Collector for No 8 District produced  
 a list of Arrears of Rate due on that District as follows

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Rathburn Electoral Division Arrears lost in consequence of Houses<br>thrown down, & unoccupied houses | £ 7 " 5 " 11 1/4 |
| do Arrears recoverable to be added to next Rate   | £ " 10 " 7 1/2   |
|   | £ 7 " 16 " 6 3/4 |
| Knockrath arrears lost in consequence of Houses<br>thrown down  | £ " 5 " 13/4     |
| Ballinaclett arrears lost same reason as above  | £ " 3 " 1 1/2    |
| Fospertown arrears lost same reason as above  | £ " 3 " 9 1/2    |
| Ballinacor arrears lost do do   | £ 2 " 10 "       |
| Arrears recoverable   | " 4 " 4 1/2      |
| Ballinbeg arrears lost same reason as above   | £ 1 " 11 " 3     |
| do do recoverable   | £ 24 " 7 " 1     |

The Clerk was directed to strike off the arrears lost and to  
 add those recoverable to the next Rate,

The following Collector Warrants were signed, Rathburn Knockrath  
 Ballinacor, Ballinbeg, Anghrim, Braeknagh, Glendalough,  
 Toghin, Ballycullen Moneystown, Emmerly.

Mr James Madden Collector for Wicklow and Glencaly came before  
 the Board and handed in a Receipt from the Treasurer for the following  
 sum Wicklow Electoral Division £ 31 " 18 " 2  
 Glencaly " " £ 15 " 6 " 7

The above sums were lodged yesterday, the 8th inst  
 from the statement of Mr Madden account, the Clerk directed him to  
 attend at the Board Room on Friday next for the purpose of having  
 them checked and the lists of arrears examined, before they should  
 be laid before the Board to be passed

James R. Taylor Dr. D. Charles Estlin Treasurer

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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Rathfriland UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £/26896.15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1851.

| 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 5 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. | 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, . . .  | 750  | 515   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |   |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 60  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |   |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 167   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |   |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .              | 50   | 51  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |   |
| Total, . . .  | 1290   | 773   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |                                       |  |               |   |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 73           | 226  | 38  | 31   | 80  | 132    | 112  | 26   | 28                            | 746    | In Work-house Hospital, 111           | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 51                   | 4             | 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 10           | 21   | 4   | 2    | 3   | 2      | 5  | 1  | 4                             | 52     | In Fever Hospital, 51                 | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 5                    |               |   |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |   | 83           | 247  | 42  | 33   | 83  | 134    | 117  | 27   | 32                            | 798    | Total, 142                            | Total, 9   |               |   |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 2            | 12   | 2   | 1    | "   | 1      | 1  | "  | 1                             | 20     |                                       |  |               |   |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | 1    | 1   | 1    | "   | 1      | "  | "  | 1                             | 5      |                                       |  |               |   |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 2            | 13   | 3   | 2    | "   | 2      | 1  | "  | 2                             | 25     |                                       |  |               |   |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                    |  |   | 81           | 234  | 39  | 31   | 83  | 132    | 116  | 27   | 30                            | 773    |                                       |  |               |   |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 1   | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | 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     | 5   | 10  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, Chas Tottenham Esq  
 Other Guardians: J. B. Taylor M. D., Simon Moran, George Manning, Matthew Hudson Jones, Richard Johnson, Owen Fogarty, Joseph Edy, John Doyle, John Campbell, Bell Redmond, Silvester Burke and Samuel Edy & James Cullen

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



Notices of Marriages 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. 3348 to No. \_\_\_\_\_, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

Register Not Signed

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, - - - - - £150 " 4 " 9

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3 " 7 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £148 " 16 " 6

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 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 £32 " 10 s. 5<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

|   |   |  |    |    |                               |
|---|---|--|----|----|-------------------------------|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - |  | £  | s. | d.                            |
|   |   |  | 32 | 10 | 5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - |  | - | 10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>5</sub> |
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| Average cost in Infirmary, | - |  | - | 1/1 |
|----------------------------|---|--|---|-----|

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|---------------------------------|---|--|---|-----|
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | - |  | - | 1/5 |
|---------------------------------|---|--|---|-----|

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:

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| 350 Lbns. Bread<br>120 lbs. Meat<br>4 Tons Indian Meal<br>2 Tons Oatmeal<br>600 Gallons Buttermilk<br>420 Gallons Sweet milk |  | 600 lbs. dept Candles<br>500 yds Calico<br>500 do Bengal Stripe |
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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 13<sup>th</sup> day of December; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |  |    |    |    |
|-----------|---|--|----|----|----|
| In money, | - |  | £  | s. | d. |
|           |   |  | 7  | 6  |    |
| In kind,  | - |  | 5  | "  |    |
|           |   |  | 12 | 6  |    |
| Total,    | - |  | 12 | 6  |    |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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.



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

- 3 Sack leavers of Deal
- 1 Pair Hinges
- 4 foot Baths for Fever Hospital
- 1 Iron Fall Bar

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 No 6970 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst in answer to a Query of the Guardians as entered on the Minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant requesting the Commissioners to inform them what Religion a pauper boy named William Holt is to be Registered. The Commissioners enquire whether the parent of the Child or either of them are known, and state that if the Child be a Foundling the case appears to be decided by Chief Justice Blackburn, as given in the 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Report of the Poor Law Commissioners Page 331. in which he advises that the Guardians ought in the case of a Foundling to cause the Child to be educated in the Religious Creed of Protestantism the Religion of the State.

Circular No 700 Dated 10<sup>th</sup> Inst recommending the use of Vegetable Soup as diet for the Workhouse Inmates.

No order on the above  
Circular No 702 Dated 11<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return of the different Petty Sessions Districts in the Union.

Letter No 68709 Dated 13<sup>th</sup> Inst approving of the appointment of Mr William Smith as Collector for No 8 District.

Letter No 709 requesting the Clerk to transmit the Return of the Townland Valuation of the Union with as little delay as possible.

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Letter No 68958 Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to the Resolution of the Guardians on the 9<sup>th</sup> Inst declaring an irrecoverable certain Areas of Poor Rate on the Electoral Divisions of Rathfriland, Knockath, Bellinacorney, Gosperstown, Ballinacor, and Ballindery, the Commissions request that they may be furnished with a Schedule of the Areas in question.

Resolved that as the Poor Law Commissions Letter No 66970 respecting the Religion of ~~William~~ <sup>William</sup> appears unsatisfactory and vague to the Board, that said Child be reared in the Roman Catholic Religion inasmuch as he was in the first instance baptized by the Roman Catholic Clergyman. Passed

A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Gummey Protestant Chaplain informing the Board that Colm Acton, is willing to give his usual Subscription of Five Pounds and a Cart Load of Vegetable <sup>on Christmas day</sup> ~~potatoes~~ providing a Meat Dinner for the Workhouse ~~inmates~~, also that Mr Gummey wants himself give his Annual Donation of £1 towards the same Object.

Proposed by Doctor Taylor and seconded by Mr John Fogarty

Resolved that the thanks of this Board is hereby given and justly due to <sup>our</sup> respected ex-Chairman Colm Acton for his kind and liberal Donation of Five Pounds and a Cart Load of Vegetables towards providing a Meat Dinner for the Pauper Inmates of the Workhouse on Christmas Day also to our Protestant Chaplain for his donation of One Pound towards the same laudable Object, and that the Clerk shall communicate the above Resolution to Colm Acton through the Revd Mr Gummey through whom the Money is to be forwarded.

Passed unanimously

A Letter was read from the Revd Mr Keagh of Newtown-McKennedy stating that he believed the Board was in error in supposing that the 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> Victoria Cup 68 came into operation on the 1<sup>st</sup> Oct last.

The following letter was read from Doctor Taylor

I perceive by a Letter from the Revd Mr Keagh entered on the Minutes of last ~~Board~~ days proceedings of the Board that there appears an erroneous Statement, by that Doctor McKelands was elected on the 7<sup>th</sup> November last as Medical attendant to the Newcastle and Delgany Dispensary



and that since that period he has discharged the duties appertaining to said Office, the fact is Doctor McFellans did not commence or do any duty or reside within the limits of said Dispensary until Sunday evening the 16th November last, said day being eight days after the Medical Charities Act became the Law of the Land.

Signed J. R. Taylor etc. &c.

A Letter was read from Mr Patrick Walker late Collector for the Newcastle District, requesting to be informed what is to be done in Mr Haulon's Case for Poor Rates due on the Old Hospital Division of Newcastle.

Resolved that our Clerk shall write to Mr Justice to proceed against Mr Haulon for the sum of Arrears of Rates due by him off the Down Hill.

Proposed by Mr Redmond and seconded by Doctor Taylor and passed unanimously.

A Letter was read from Mr Clements directing the Clerk not to allow the Arrear Sheet furnished by Mr Madden Collector for Wicklow to pass until himself and his colleague Mr Chapman wants be present on next Board day.

Agreed to

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.)

A letter was read from Mr Robert Galpin of Wicklow forwarding certain Resolutions passed at a Meeting of Rate payers held in Wicklow on the 15th Inst, for the purpose of considering the Mode of Medical Relief best suited for that District Order on the above, That as the Subject is now ~~before the~~ under the Consideration of the Commission the Board cannot now take any further Steps in the Matter

A Notice was served on the Clerk to call a Special Meeting of the Board for this day fortnight the 30th Inst for the purpose of altering the Chargeability of a Pauper named Rose Keely, from the Electoral Division of Down Newfatts the Order was signed by Doctor Taylor and Mr Robert Edger

Charles H  
 Arthur Abank  
 Clerk of the Union  
 Charles Cottonman  
 Wm Pitters  
 James Comerford

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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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.

|                    |                    |                    |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| <i>[Signature]</i> | <i>[Signature]</i> | <i>[Signature]</i> |
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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3348 to No. —, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

*Registers not Signed*

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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, - - - - - £ 86-13-6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 1-0-0

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £ 62-3-0

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |                  | Total. |    |                  |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|------------------|--------|----|------------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.               | £      | s. | d.               |
| Patrick Farrell         | Newcastle Upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 238        | 4  | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | do Lower   | 37                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 289        | 11 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 259        | 5  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Altidoro   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 91         | 16 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Killickey  | 14                    | "  | "  | 51     | "  | "  | 75         | 13 | 4                | 954    | 8  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 3  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Calary   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 49         | 13 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Brookleigh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 308        | 5  | 9                |        |    |                  |
|                         | Ballyshellan   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 12 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ |        |    |                  |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 163        | 19 | 8                |        |    |                  |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 64         | 8  | 6                |        |    |                  |
|                         | Monoytown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 106        | 8  |                  | 829    | 11 | 9                |
| Edward Byrne            | Uicklow  | "                     | 13 | 2  |        |    |    | 888        | 1  | 10               |        |    |                  |
|                         | Glancealy  | "                     | "  | 4  | 136    | "  | "  | 420        | 16 | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  | 1308   | 17 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| William Douglas         | Dungautown East  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 287        | 15 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | do West  | 35                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 157        | 6  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | do Gate  | "                     | "  | "  | 35     | "  | "  | 279        | 13 | 9                | 724    | 15 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
| Joseph Webb             | Emmerville   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 174        | 3  | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Kilbido  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 236        | 7  | 1                | 410    | 10 | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
| John Beakney            | Arklow   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 930        | 11 | 3                | 930    | 11 | 3                |
| James Vaughan           | Ownebane   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 693        | 12 | 1                |        |    |                  |
|                         | Ballyathar   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 204        | 18 | 4                |        |    |                  |
|                         | Opola  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 531        | 11 |                  | 1430   | 1  | 5                |
| William Smith           | Rathdrum   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 521        | 2  | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Knockree   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 197        | 13 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Trappinstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 62         | 7  | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Ballindery   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 262        | 15 | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Balleraback  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 189        | 15 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |    |                  |
|                         | Ballinacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 230        | 2  | 6                |        |    |                  |
|                         | Aughrim  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 261        | 10 | 4                | 1725   | 7  | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
|                         |  | 86                    | 13 | 6  | 86     | 13 | 6  | 8314       | 4  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  | 8314   | 4  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |

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.
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 £ 65 - 2 s. 2 1/2 d.

|  | £    | s. | d.    |
|--|------|----|-------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.         | 65   | 2  | 2 1/2 |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -    | 46   | 17 | 4     |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.     |      |    |       |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - | 1/8  |    | 3/4   |
| Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -                         | 1/11 |    | -     |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -                    | 1/15 |    | -     |

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:

|                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 596 Loaves Bread    | 1 Gross Tin Combs   |
| 120 lb Meat         | 1 do Racket do      |
| 620 Gal Buttermilk  | 1 do Womens Hembles |
| 436 do Sweetmilk    | 1 1/2 lb Meat       |
| 48 lb Mould Candles |                     |
| 50 yds Corduroy     |                     |
| 2070 do Clay Linen  |                     |

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

|                     | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------|---|----|----|
| In money, - - - - - | 0 | 7  | 6  |
| In kind, - - - - -  | 0 | 7  | 0  |
| Total, -            | 0 | 14 | 6  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.



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

Gent<sup>l</sup>

I have to report that the Tank on the Fair Green for the use of the Union, & connected with the Flannel Hall Auxiliary Warehouse is now full and requires to be cleaned out and I wish to know how the contents is to be disposed of

Signed  
Isaac Flower  
Master

Ordered that one Ton of Peat Charcoal be purchased in Dublin to deodorise the Manure when cleaned out of the Tank

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

Order Dated 11<sup>th</sup> Inst, with instructions as to the Mode adjusting the accounts of altered Unions

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

Circular No 69281 Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Return of Lunatics or Insane persons Inmates of France in the Workhouse.

Circular No 712 Dated 17<sup>th</sup> Inst calling <sup>the attention of</sup> the Clerk as to the Mode of communicating to the Commissioners any Correspondence or Resolution of the Guardians relative to the Medical Charities Act.

Letter No 714 Dated 18<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for the Return of the Liabilities and expenses of the Union for the quarter ending 29<sup>th</sup> September last.

Circular No 53945 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst enclosing to the Clerk an amended order for the purpose of adjusting the Liabilities of the Union

Letter No 66970 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to a letter received by the Guardians from Mr. Sumner, Willy, demanding payment of his account with interest for Unpaid Rent out from the Union to Canada in June 1850, the Commissioners state that unless Creditors have established a legal right to interest on their Debts the Board of Guardians have no power to pay such interest

Circular No 718 Dated 20<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Copy of the Dietary at present in use

for the Several Classes of Inmates not in Hospital

Letter No. 70578 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst relative to an omission of the Clerk, on the Weekly Abstract of Poor Rate Collected in the Union for the Weeks ended the 6<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> Inst

A Letter was read from the Census Commissioners, Dated 17<sup>th</sup> Inst, enclosing for the information of the Guardians, an account of the Census of 1841 & 1851 arranged in Electoral Divisions.

A Notice of appeal against the Rating on the Duganure Mine, was read by the Clerk, the Notice was from Mr Richd Purdy, Allen Secretary to the Mining Company of Ireland, and was served on the Clerk on the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst.

A similar Notice was served on the Clerk during the sitting of the Board this day by Mr John Hodge for and on behalf of the Wicklow Copper Mine Company against the Rating on their Mine, situated at Ballymuntagh.

The Clerk was directed to send up Copies of those Notices to the Guardians Solicitor in order that he may be prepared to defend them at the Quarter Session to be held at Bray on the 9<sup>th</sup> of January next.

A Letter was read from Mr William Douglas Poor Rate Collector for the Dunganstown District relative to an arrear of Rate due on the Old Electoral Division of Dunganstown amounting to £1.13-0. Mr Douglas stated that the amt of the Rate of which the above forms a part was £5.13.0 the Tenant in Possession was Mr M<sup>r</sup> Doyle, on whom Mr Douglas made a Seizure, and sold some effects to the amt of £4 leaving the said Balance of £1.13-0 due. Patrick Byrne got possession of the Farm from Mr Doyle and gave him a discharge from all Claims against the Land upon his giving up possession and surrendering his Crops Byrne has since died and Mr John Cullen is in Possession he refuses to pay the Balance due.

No order on the above

Resolved that Edward Wrigley a Pauper Inmate be allowed for the Electoral Division of Wicklow to the Union at Lagen.



Mr James Madden Collector for Wicklow and Glencady came before the Board and requested the Guardians to pass his Arrear Sheets and pay his Fees, but in consequence of the unsatisfactory state of his accounts and it appearing to the Board that a great portion of the arrears due on his Collection should be recovered the Guardians directed Mr Madden to proceed against those parties for the same otherwise they will not pay his fees or pass his accounts

Arthur Hawk

Charles Cottrell

Wm. Hillier  
James R. Taylor M.D.

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.)

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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 - -

Of the 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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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.

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| 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 |
| 3 | 3 | 3 |

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3349 to No. 3398, 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, - - - - - £183-0-0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 0-0-0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £120-17-0

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |     |     |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|-----|-----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s.  | d.  |
| Peter K. Farrell        | Newcastle Upper  | -                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 238        | 4  | 9½  |        |     |     |
|                         | do Lower   | 28                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 261        | 11 | 4½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 259        | 5  | ½   |        |     |     |
|                         | Altadore   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 91         | 14 | ½   |        |     |     |
|                         | Kilbrick   | 13                    | "  | "  | 41     | "  | "  | 62         | 13 | 4   | 913    | 8   | 6½  |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 3  | 6½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Calary   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 49         | 13 | 5½  |        |     |     |
|                         | BrookRagh  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 308        | 5  | 9   |        |     |     |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 12 | 10½ |        |     |     |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 163        | 19 | 8   |        |     |     |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 64         | 8  | 6   |        |     |     |
|                         | Moneytown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 106        | 8  | "   | 829    | 11  | 9   |
| Edw. Byrne              | Wicklow  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 888        | 1  | 10  |        |     |     |
|                         | Glencaly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 420        | 16 | 1¾  | 1308   | 17  | 11½ |
| William Douglas         | Dungannon East   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 287        | 15 | 6½  |        |     |     |
|                         | do West  | 10                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 147        | 6  | ½   |        |     |     |
|                         | do South   | "                     | "  | "  | 10     | "  | "  | 279        | 13 | 9   | 714    | 15  | 3¾  |
| Joseph Webb             | Emmeilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 174        | 3  | 1½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Kilbride   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 236        | 7  | 1   | 410    | 10  | 2½  |
| Thomas Bridgwater       | Arklow   | 112                   | "  | "  | 112    | "  | "  | 818        | 11 | 3   | 818    | 11  | 3   |
| James Laughlin          | Ormeau   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 693        | 12 | 1   |        |     |     |
|                         | Ballynathur  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 204        | 18 | 4   |        |     |     |
|                         | Broca  | 20                    | "  | "  | 20     | "  | "  | 511        | 11 | "   | 1418   | 1   | 5   |
| William Smith           | Rathdunm   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 521        | 2  | 4½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Knockrath  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 197        | 13 | 3½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Loopertown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 62         | 7  | 8½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Ballynenny   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 262        | 15 | 9½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Ballynacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 189        | 15 | 7½  |        |     |     |
|                         | Ballynacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 230        | 2  | 6   |        |     |     |
|                         | Aughrim  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 261        | 10 | 4   | 1725   | 77½ |     |
|                         |  | 183                   | "  | "  | 183    | "  | "  | 8131       | 4  | ¾   | 8131   | 4   | ¾   |

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.
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 £ 34 - 0 - 9 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>.

|  |    |    |                               |
|--|----|----|-------------------------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. | £  | s. | d.                            |
|  | 34 | 0  | 9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> |

|   |   |   |  |
|---|---|---|--|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - | - | 36 - 0 - 2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> |
|---|---|---|--|

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

|  |   |   |      |
|--|---|---|------|
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - | - | 11 - |
|--|---|---|------|

|                            |   |   |      |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|
| Average cost in Infirmary, | - | - | 11 - |
|----------------------------|---|---|------|

|                                 |   |   |      |
|---------------------------------|---|---|------|
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | - | - | 15 - |
|---------------------------------|---|---|------|

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:

- 350 Loaves Bread
- 120 lbs Meat
- 600 Gals Milk
- 420 Gals Sweet milk
- 70 yds Corduroy
- 200 Handkerchiefs
- 41 Leams Deal Boards

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 27 day of December whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|-----------|---|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | - | - | - | £ | s. | d. |
|           | 0 | 3 | 0 | - |   |    |    |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | - | 0 | 7  | 0  |
|           | - | - | - | - | - | -  | -  |
| Total,    | - | - | - | - | 0 | 10 | 0  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           | Edw. Barru 3               |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. II.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. X.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. III.         | John Booth 4               |                                   |                          |                   | No. XI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IV.          | George Tule 3              |                                   |                          |                   | No. XII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. V.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIV.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVI.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IX.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| Car. forwd.      | Total                      | 10 5                              |                          |                   | 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. |
|------------------|----|----|----|
| Quinn Chase Shaw | 12 | 10 | 10 |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|   |    |    |   |   |
|---|----|----|---|---|
| Daniel Farrell Repairs                              | 4  | 2  | " | ✓ |
| Vacc. J. J. Nicholson Vaccination                   | 6  | 1  | " |   |
| John Hatch Dr                                       | 7  | 15 | " |   |
| Col Pounder William Smith Collecting Rate Ruttetium | 7  | 8  | 4 |   |
| Knockneath  | 1  | 16 | 4 |   |
| Coopers town  | "  | 16 | " |   |
| Ballinacree   | 2  | 6  | 6 |   |
| Ballinacree   | 2  | 3  | 3 |   |
| Ballinacree   | 2  | 12 | 2 |   |
| Aughrim   | 3  | 12 | 0 |   |
| Total   | 20 | 14 | 7 |   |

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

|                            | £  | s. | d. |
|----------------------------|----|----|----|
| Denim Chase Soap & Candles | 26 | 16 | 6  |

|                                     |   |    |    |
|-------------------------------------|---|----|----|
| James Miley for Emigration Expenses | 2 | 16 | 11 |
|-------------------------------------|---|----|----|

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

| In favor of Clerk to pay   | £        | s.       | d.       |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Saml Smith Coffin          | "        | 6        | 6        |
| Denim Chase Mustard        | "        | 17       | 6 ✓      |
| John Mills Proom           | "        | 14       | 2 ✓      |
| Laurence Ryne Salt         | 1        | 17       | 9        |
| J. C. Muston Gear for Loom | 1        | "        | 7 ✓      |
| Denim Chase Thread         | 1        | 5        | 10 ✓     |
|                            | <u>6</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>4</u> |

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

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

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

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

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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 No 702112 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to an entry in the Minutes of 16<sup>th</sup> Inst of a Letter received from Mr Walker Poor Rate Collector relative to arrears of Poor Rate due by Mr Haulon, the Commissioners request that they may be furnished with a Copy of the Rating in this Case

Letter No 702112 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 8<sup>th</sup> Instant expressing their dissatisfaction with the Commissioners Letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> Inst respecting the Religion in which a Pauper Child named Holt should be Registered in the Workhouse Books, and directing that the Child be brought up in the Roman Catholic Religion in reference thereto the Commissioners state that it appears from the Guardians Minutes of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Inst that John Holt must be now about eight years of age they therefore request to be informed whether the Child has up to the time of his admission to the Workhouse received any Religious education, and has attended any place of Worship and if so of what Religion, persuasion or Denomination

As the Child is too young to answer the question the wish of the Board is, that the Question should be left

9  
 to the Commissioners who will be able to Summon  
 in the Nurse Tender and other persons who can throw  
 light on the matter.

Two Notices of Appeal against the Rating on  
 the Tynoney and Cronbane Mines, respectively were laid  
 before the Board by the Clerk, the Notices were signed  
 by Mr John Reed, and were served on Mr Flower  
 the Master of the Workhouse on Christmas day the  
 25<sup>th</sup> Inst.

The Clerk was directed to forward Copies of the Notices  
 to the Guardian Solicitor in order that he may be  
 prepared to meet them.

Proposed by Doctor Taylor and seconded by Mr. Michel Ryan  
 Resolved that Rose Keely a Pauper inmate be attened from the  
 Electoral Division of Lower Newcastle to the Union at Large  
 Passed.

Mr James Madden Collector for Wicklow & Glencaly  
 came before the Board and produced his arrears sheets  
 and a Receipt for the Treasurer for £ lodged on yesterday  
 to the Credit of Wicklow Electoral Division, and on examination  
 by the Clerk of his accounts, it appeared that there was still  
 a sum of £1.1.4 in his hand, to be lodged to the Cr of  
 Wicklow, and his security Mr Terence Toole promised to have  
 the amt lodged before next Board day.

Proposed by Mr Simon Moran & seconded by Mr John  
 Clementy, Resolved that the sum of £9" 8" 0<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> be struck  
 off the Electoral Division of Wicklow, <sup>(Old Union)</sup> arrears of Rate Lost  
 in consequence of House, down, unoccupied &c. also that  
 the sum of £6" 3" 11 be struck off the same Electoral  
 Division. (New Union) for same reasons as above  
 and that the sum of £11" be struck off the Electoral  
 Division of Glencaly, (Old Union) arrears of Rate Lost  
 in consequence of House, down &c also 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> of the  
 Electoral Division of Glencaly (New Union) arrears lost  
 in consequence of House, down.

A pauper named Margaret Byrne came before the Board  
 for admission to the Workhouse, and made the following  
 statement that she resided two years at Kingstown  
 and was taken ill at that place of Fever, and sent to the  
 Loughlinstown Workhouse, Fever Hospital, where she

remained three Months, and for the last nine Months she has been rambling through this Union, and about 3 Weeks back she applied for admision to the Guardians at Loughinstown and was refused.

The Guardians here wish to be informed whether it was legal for the Loughinstown Board to refuse her admision or have they the power of sending her back to Loughinstown to which she has a legal right of being received.

Proposed by Mr. Gillis Secy. <sup>Mr. J. J. J.</sup> Resolved that as the time is drawing near for the purpose of forming the Committees under the Medical Charities Act, we consider it necessary for the well working and carrying out of the Act, that on the Managing Committees of Guardians & Rate payers, the number of Rate payers on said Committees shall not be less than the number of Guardians Elected and Ex Officio

Charles Tottenham -

Silvester Bourke

John Campbell

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 admisions 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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**UNION.**

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £126896-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1852

| 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 2 and under 9 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 6 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, . . .  | 750  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 37   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Fever Beds, . . .   |  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Total, . . .  | 1247   |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 94           | 254  | 42  | 31   | 86  | 139    | 21   | 31   | 34                            | 832                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital                   | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 4 5 |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 6            | 17   | 44  | 3    | 5   | 2      | 4  | 1  | 3                             | 45                                    | Total, .   | Total, 9  |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |   | 100          | 271  | 46  | 34   | 91  | 141    | 25   | 32   | 37                            | 877                                   |  |   |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 3            | 11   | "   | "    | 1   | 1      | 2  | "  | "                             | 18                                    |  |   |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | "    | 1   | "    | "   | 1      | "  | "  | "                             | 3                                     |  |   |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 3            | 11   | 1   | "    | 1   | 2      | 2  | "  | "                             | 21                                    |  |   |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 97           | 260  | 45  | 34   | 90  | 139    | 23   | 32   | 36                            | 856                                   |  |   |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 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  | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3  | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | 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     | 4  | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, Chas Tottenham Esq

Other Guardians: Mrs Mische Byrne, Silvester Burke Lane, Murphy and Schumppell

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.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3399 to No. 3473, 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 Debts 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, - - - - £594-5-4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 43-8-5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £ 669-16-1

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |    | Total. |    |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|----|--------|----|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. |
| Patrick Hannell         | Newcastle Upper  | 9                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 229        | 4  | 9½ |        |    |    |
|                         | do Lower   | 64                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 197        | 11 | 4½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Milcoole   | 10                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 249        | 5  | ½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Altitude   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 91         | 11 | ½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Killisknyf   | "                     | "  | "  | 83     | "  | "  | 62         | 13 | ¼  | 838    | 8  | 6½ |
| John Dymc               | Glen dalough   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 3  | 6½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Calary   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 119        | 13 | 5½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Brocknagh  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 308        | 5  | 9  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 68         | 12 | 0½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Clattown   | 13                    | 4  | ½  |        |    |    | 152        | 15 | 5  |        |    |    |
|                         | Lougher  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 61         | 8  | 6  |        |    |    |
|                         | Monroystown  | "                     | "  | "  | 13     | 4  | ½  | 106        | 8  | 0  | 816    | 7  | 9  |
| Edward Dymc             | Ureelaw  | 3                     | 1  | ¼  |        |    |    | 878        | 16 | 7  |        |    |    |
|                         | Glauncy  | "                     | "  | "  | 3      | 1  | ¼  | 420        | 11 | 7½ | 1299   | 8  | 2½ |
| William Douglas         | Dungastown East  | 5                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 282        | 15 | 6½ |        |    |    |
|                         | do West  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 147        | 6  | ½  |        |    |    |
|                         | do South   | 18                    | "  | "  | 23     | "  | "  | 261        | 13 | 9  | 691    | 15 | 3½ |
| Joseph Webb             | Emucilly   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 174        | 3  | ¼  |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilbidd  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 236        | 7  | 1  | 1110   | 10 | 2½ |
| Thomas Dinston          | Wilton   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "  | 818        | 11 | 3  | 818    | 11 | 3  |
| James Naughton          | Comerane   | 430                   | "  | "  |        |    |    | 263        | 12 | 1  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballyarthur  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 204        | 18 | ¼  |        |    |    |
|                         | Wota   | "                     | "  | "  | 430    | "  | "  | 511        | 11 | ½  | 980    | 1  | 5  |
| William Smith           | Rathacune  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 521        | 2  | 4½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Twokeath   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 197        | 13 | 3½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Trorpenstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 62         | 7  | 8½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballydenny   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 262        | 15 | 9½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |    | 189        | 15 | 7½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacor   | 42                    | "  | "  |        |    |    | 188        | 2  | 6  |        |    |    |
|                         | Cloughmire   | "                     | "  | "  | 42     | "  | "  | 261        | 10 | ¼  | 1683   | 7  | 7½ |
|                         |  | 594                   | 5  | 14 | 574    | 5  | 14 | 7530       | 10 | 3½ | 7530   | 10 | 3½ |

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.
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 £ s. d.

|   | £ | s. | d. |
|---|---|----|----|
| <i>Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.</i>     |   |    |    |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was             | - | -  | -  |
| <i>Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.</i> |   |    |    |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was      | - | -  | -  |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                      | - | -  | 11 |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                                 | - | -  | 15 |

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:

- 360 Loaves Bread
- 120 lbs Meat
- 620 Gals Buttermilk
- 430 Gals Sweet Milk
- 300 yds Calico
- 50 Rugs

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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------|---|----|----|
| In money, | - | -  | -  |
| In kind,  | - | 3  | 1  |
| Total,    | - | 3  | 1  |

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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.

|  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
|  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|

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



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

6th January 1852

Gent<sup>l</sup>

I have to report that on Saturday last 3<sup>rd</sup> Inst, a man named James Fogarty, sent by the Relieving Officer for the Arklow Electoral Division arrived here about 5 O'clock PM in a dying state, having been removed to Hospital, and the Roman Catholic Chaplain and Doctor sent for, who attended without delay, and all efforts being made to restore reaction failed as he expired about 4<sup>th</sup> before 7 of Feb.

An inquest was held on the Body by Robt Hudson Esq. Coroner when the following Verdict was returned by the jury,

We find that James Fogarty died from Natural Causes, but consider his Death might have been hastened by the Journey to the Workhouse, at the same time we find that the Relieving Officer discharged his duty in having him removed there.

Isaac Howe

Master

There will be 100 yards of Sizing (made in the House) ready on Saturday or Monday next for the Mill which I suppose should be sent to Dublin to be finished.

Orders to be sent as requested



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 No 735 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo calling the attention of the Clerk to the Commissioners Circular of the 12<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> Ultimo as to the date to which the Guardians are of opinion the proposed Dispendary Arrangements should take effect.

Letter No 72176 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo in reference to a Statement entered on the Minutes of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo that the Workhouse Register was not signed by the Chairman the Commissioners request to be informed of the Cause of this Omission.

Letter No 72176 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo with reference to a Letter entered on the Minutes of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo from Mr Wm Douglas Poor Rate Collector relative to an Arrear of Rate Due on the Old Electoral Division of Dungavstown Order on the above, that the Collector shall proceed against the Occupiers forthwith.

Circular No 799 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rate in Aid.

In answer to the above the Clerk states that the Rate in Aid was all paid into the Bank of Ireland from this Union.

Circular No 730 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo Calling on the Clerk for a Return relative to the Arrears

Letter No 2 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst Calling on the Clerk for a Schedule  
of Certain Areas of Poor Rate declared by the Guardians  
as irrecoverable on the Old & New Electoral Divisions of  
Wicklow and Glawaly

And. H. Byrne - Chairman

Henry M. Robinson  
Secretary

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*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.)*

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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, . . . 56719

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126896-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852.

| 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 9 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, . . .   | 782  | 583   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                               | 100  | 64  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                              | 361  | 203   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .             | 50   | 28  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                      | <b>1294</b>                                    | <b>878</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |  |   |  |
| Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 97           | 260        | 45  | 34        | 90  | 129        | 123  | 32   | 26                            | 856                                   | In Work-house Hospital, 140<br>In Fever Hospital, 28<br>Total, 168 | In separate Wards, 4<br>In Wards with other Lunatics, 5<br>Total, 9 |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                          |  |   | 10           | 15         | 1   | 1         | 2   | 1          | 1  | 1  | 3                             | 37                                    |  |   |  |
| <b>TOTAL,</b>  |  |   | <b>107</b>   | <b>278</b> | <b>45</b>   | <b>35</b> | <b>92</b>   | <b>140</b> | <b>124</b>                                 | <b>33</b>                                  | <b>39</b>                     | <b>893</b>                            |  |   |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                        |  |   | 6            |            |   |           | 2   |            | 2  | 1  | 1                             | 12                                    |  |   |  |
| Died, . . . . .  |  |   | 1            |            | 1   |           | 1   |            |  |  |                               | 3                                     |  |   |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                         |  |   | 1            | 6          | 1   |           | 3   |            | 2  | 1  | 1                             | 15                                    |  |   |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                       |  |   | 106          | 272        | 44  | 35        | 89  | 140        | 122  | 32   | 38                            | 878                                   |  |   |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 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 19 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 3   | 3   |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 4   | 8   |   |   |                                      |          | 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     | 5   | 12  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Chas. Tottenham Esq.*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Byrne & Richd. Howard Brooke Esq. W. C. Home Esq. Messrs Wm. Gilbert James Comerford W. M. Richmond Esq. Taylor Esq. Mr. Owen Fitzgerald Esq. Edge John Doyle George Manning Richd. Johnson Esq. Esq. John John Murphy Silvester Bowke James Murphy Esq. Esq. Jones*

*Doctor Hill Medical Inspector was also present.*

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.*

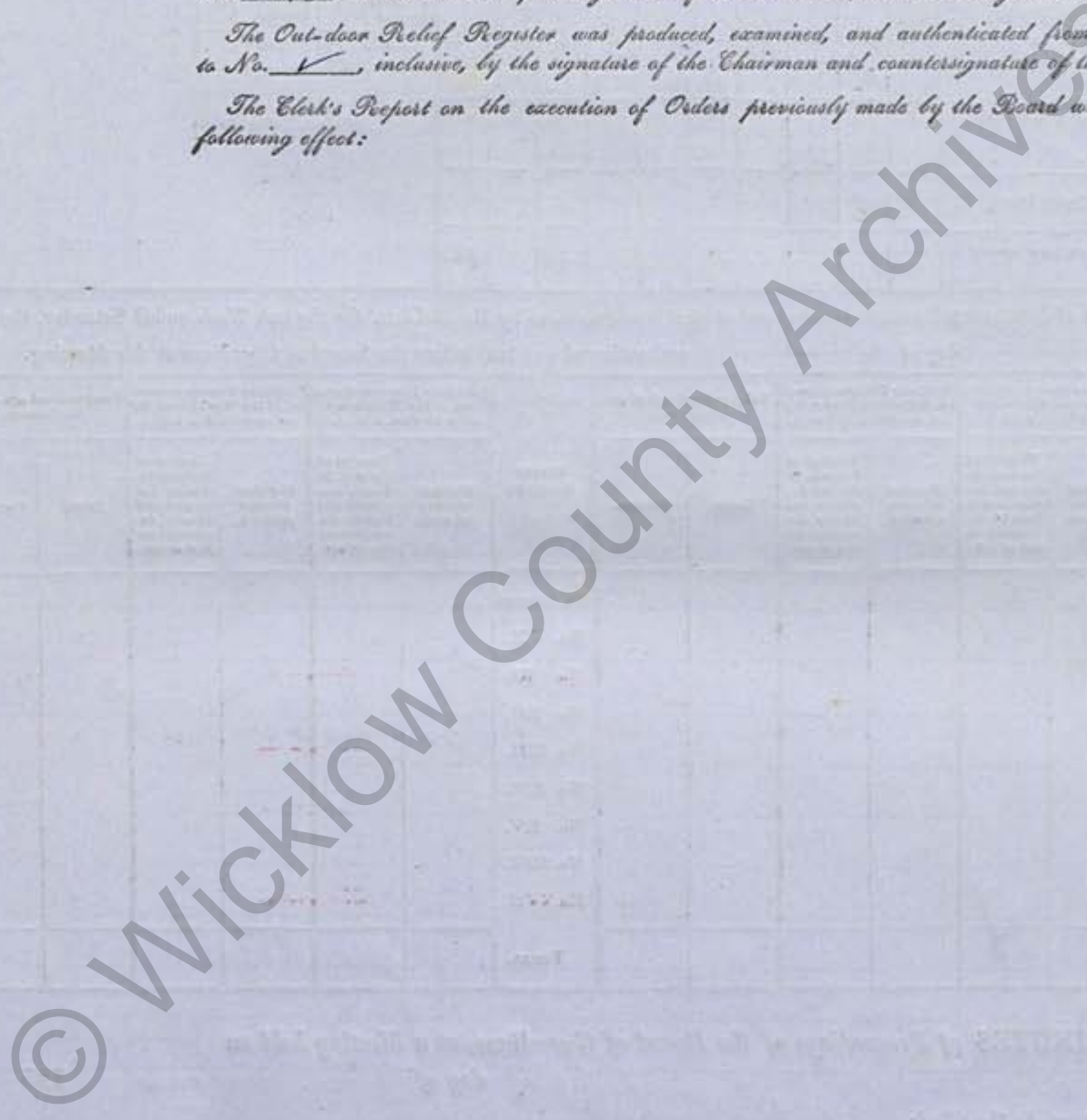
Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 81.

William Fish, Melinda Paish of Mungahstown  
Elijah Purdie

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3474 to No. 3546, 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. V to No. V, 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, - - - - - £ 324-10-0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 61-16-5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £ 952-9-8

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. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |     | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |    |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|-----|------------|----|-----|--------|----|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d.  | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s. | d. |
| Catus B Janell          | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 229        | 4  | 9½  |        |    |    |
|                         | do Lower   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 197        | 11 | 4¾  |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 249        | 5  | ½   |        |    |    |
|                         | Altitude   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 91         | 14 | ¼   |        |    |    |
|                         | Killiskey  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 62         | 13 | ¼   | 830    | 8  | 6¾ |
| John Byrne              | Glandalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 68         | 3  | 6½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 49         | 13 | 5¾  |        |    |    |
|                         | Knockagh   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 308        | 5  | 9   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballycullen  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 68         | 12 | 10½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 150        | 15 | 8   |        |    |    |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 64         | 8  | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | Moneytown  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 116        | 8  |     | 816    | 7  | 9  |
| Edward Byrne            | Westlow  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 878        | 16 | 7   |        |    |    |
|                         | Glanesky   | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 420        | 11 | 7¾  | 1299   | 8  | 2¾ |
| William Douglas         | Dungantown East  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 282        | 15 | 6½  |        |    |    |
|                         | do West  | 12                    | 11 | "  |        |    |     | 134        | 16 | ½   |        |    |    |
|                         | do South   | "                     | "  | "  | 12     | 10 | "   | 261        | 13 | 9   | 679    | 5  | 3¾ |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerilly   | 34                    | "  | "  |        |    |     | 140        | 3  | 1½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilbride   | 13                    | "  | "  | 47     | "  | "   | 223        | 7  | 1   | 363    | 10 | 2¾ |
| Thomas Quinlan          | Castlow  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | 818 | 11         | 3  | 818 | 11     | 3  |    |
| James Soughlin          | Cronbane   | 15                    | "  | "  |        |    |     | 248        | 12 | 1   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballyanthur  | 25                    | "  | "  |        |    |     | 179        | 18 | 4   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ovoca  | 245                   | "  | "  | 285    | "  | "   | 266        | 11 | "   | 695    | 1  | 5  |
| William Smith           | Rathrum  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 521        | 2  | 4¾  |        |    |    |
|                         | Knockath   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 197        | 13 | 3¾  |        |    |    |
|                         | Trappinstown   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 62         | 7  | 8¾  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinderry  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 262        | 15 | 9½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 189        | 15 | 7¾  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 188        | 2  | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | Aughrim  | "                     | "  | "  | "      | "  | "   | 261        | 10 | ¼   | 1683   | 7  | 7¾ |
|                         |  |                       |    |    | 344    | 10 | "   | 344        | 10 | "   | 7186   | "  | 3¾ |

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.
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 £            s.    d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 10<sup>3</sup> -

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 11 -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 15 -

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:

370 Loaves Bread  
120lb Meat  
630 Gal Buttermilk  
440 Gal Sweetmilk  
60lb Dipt-Candles  
6 pair Scissors  
12 Pass Brushes  
100 Iron Cups  
50 Pairs do

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 Receipts 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 18<sup>th</sup> day of January; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in 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.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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. |   |
|---|----|----|----|---|
| Peter Hughes Clothing                         | 26 | 15 | 11 | ✓ |
| James Wright                                  | 45 | 1  | 9  | ✓ |
| Wm Jordan Nails                               | 2  | 3  | 6  | ✓ |
| Stephen Murphy Leather                        | 36 | 9  | 9  | ✓ |
| Andrew Heydon Nails & Hemp                    | 4  | 1  | 9  | ✓ |
| Cloze Murg James Wright Clothing for Sweepers | 50 | 14 | -  | ✓ |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|                                       | £  | s. | d. |
|---------------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Revd Mr Spurgeon 1/4 Salary 25th Decr | 7  | 10 | "  |
| Revd Jelle Keenan                     | 15 | "  | "  |
| Arthur Whank                          | 20 | "  | "  |
| Isaac Flower                          | 15 | "  | "  |
| Saml Manning                          | 25 | "  | "  |
| Mary Ogilvy                           | 10 | "  | "  |
| John Wingrove                         | 5  | "  | "  |
| Mary Anne Saut                        | 5  | "  | "  |
| Elizabeth Manning                     | 2  | 10 | "  |
| William Gilbert                       | 3  | "  | "  |
| Anne Kavenagh                         | 3  | 15 | "  |
| Elye Martin                           | 3  | "  | "  |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|                         | £  | s. | d. |
|-------------------------|----|----|----|
| Establishment Contines  |    |    |    |
| James Reid              | 7  | 10 | "  |
| Edward Tullon           | 7  | 10 | "  |
| David Johnston          | 7  | 10 | "  |
| Edw <sup>r</sup> Barrer | 10 | .  | .  |
| Pat Moran               | 10 | .  | .  |
| John Booth              | 10 | .  | .  |
| Pat Bentley             | 10 | .  | .  |
| Robt Manning            | 10 | .  | .  |
| George Luke             | 10 | .  | .  |
| William Manning         | 10 | .  | .  |
| John Lawler             | 5  | 5  | "  |
| John Byrne Repairs      | 2  | .  | .  |
| Mr Daniel               | 6  | 18 | "  |
| George Pierce           | 3  | .  | .  |

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

4. Out-door Invoice Account.

|                                | £  | s. | d. |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Andrew Bethon Tuwone           | 9  | 1  | 9  |
| Boileau & Usher Medicine       | 23 | 1  | 4  |
| do do Paint                    | 12 | 7  | 7  |
| Perin Nolan Books              | 4  | 3  | 10 |
| James Cameron                  | 11 | 1  | "  |
| Pat Byrne Tentatons            | 11 | 9  | "  |
| Henry MacPhail Painting        | 27 | 10 | "  |
| James Wright Pottery Clothes   | 4  | 2  | 3  |
| John Sutton Glazing & Painting | 22 | 6  | 2  |
| Andrew McFarlane Plaster &c    | 2  | 4  | 10 |
| Thos Wellmaning Rent           | 12 | 10 | "  |

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door 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:

|                  |                                   |    |    |   |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|----|----|---|
|                  | John Sutton Glazing               | 4  | 3  | 9 |
|                  | James Manning Tuwone              | 3  | 1  | 3 |
| Vac <sup>r</sup> | Andrew Nolan Vaccinator           | 2  | 0  | 0 |
| or               | Mr Heath                          | 8  | 8  | 0 |
| Col P            | John Bentley Col & Rate of Ashlan | 27 | 19 | 1 |
| Amint            | Mr Byrne Coffers                  | 2  | 2  | 2 |

Invoice account

|                 |                    |    |    |    |
|-----------------|--------------------|----|----|----|
| Catherine Ream  | Bread              | 52 | 0  | 6  |
| Anne Farrell    | Milk               | 57 | 11 | 2  |
| John Ford       | Meat               | 61 | 8  | 3  |
| Thomas Byn      | Meat               | 23 | 17 | 3  |
| John O'Neill    | do                 | 18 | 19 | 4  |
| Andrew Henyon   | Meat               | 81 | 2  | 4  |
| Michael Fogarty | Balance of 29 Sept | 24 | 10 | 6  |
| R. W. Whaley    | Balance do         | 55 | 17 | 10 |

In favor of Clerk to pay

|                |          |   |    |     |
|----------------|----------|---|----|-----|
| Hugh Corleys   | Warpes   | 1 | 3  | 3 ✓ |
| Thomas Saul    | do       | " | 7  | 6 ✓ |
| James Dillon   | Cards    | " | 6  | 7 ✓ |
| W. Jordan      | Nails    | " | 1  | 8 ✓ |
| do             | do       | 1 | 16 | 9 ✓ |
| Philip Byn     | Stone    | " | 5  | 6 ✓ |
| Thomas Gregory | Flints   | " | 4  | " ✓ |
| James Manning  | Wool Oil | " | 12 | 6 ✓ |

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

|                   |                                       |   |    |      |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|---|----|------|
| James Simpson     | Mason Work                            | 1 | 7  | 6 ✓  |
| Master            | Expenses at Sessions                  | " | 13 | 6 ✓  |
| Edward Mally      | Sand                                  | " | 10 | " ✓  |
| Miss Sarah Byn    | Sept                                  | " | 15 | 3 ✓  |
| James Read        | Making Porten Cloths                  | " | 15 | " ✓  |
| John Mills        | Broom                                 | " | 2  | 3 ✓  |
| Lawrence Byn      | Lime                                  | " | 9  | 8 ✓  |
| William Jordan    | Nails                                 | " | 5  | 10 ✓ |
| Johnson Moreton   | Reaping Hooks                         | " | 2  | " ✓  |
| Johnson Moreton   | Car Hire                              | 1 | 15 | " ✓  |
| Thomas Wellington | Warrants                              | 1 | 13 | " ✓  |
| Arthur Whank      | Expenses for Witness to Bray Sessions | 1 | 0  | 6 ✓  |
| do do             | Expenses to Wicklow Sessions 2 days   | " | 10 | " ✓  |
| do do             | do to Bray do 2 days                  | 1 | 10 | " ✓  |
| Daniel Johnson    | Expenses to Bray Sessions 2 days      | 1 | 10 | " ✓  |
| Total             |                                       | £ | 17 | 17 3 |



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 N<sup>o</sup>. 68327 Dated 10<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to the proposed Districts and forwarding for the information of the Guardians Copies of Correspondence which the Commissioners have received from several Guardians and Rate payers on the subject.

The Commissioners request that the Guardians will reconsider the arrangements entered into by them,

Proposed by Mr Jelbert and seconded by Mr Boncke Resolved that the Dispensing Districts as formed by a full Meeting of the Guardians on the 25<sup>th</sup> November last be now approved and that the Poor Law Commissioners be called upon to sanction same

Letter N<sup>o</sup>. 62 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to a Child named Bridget Holt. The Commissioners state that the Inspector Mr Crawford will hold an investigation into this case

Letter N<sup>o</sup>. 62 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Schedule of certain Areas of Poor Rate struck off the Electoral Divisions of Wickham & Glanely

Letter N<sup>o</sup>. 62 Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to the case of a Pauper Woman named Byrne who alleged she was refused admittance to the Longhinstown Workhouse. The Commissioners state that they will communicate with the Guardians of Rathdown Quin on the subject

Letter No 70692 Dated 9<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Copy of the Estimate on which the last Rate was formed

Letter No 20 Dated 9<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for the Return of the Receipts and expenditure of the Decm for the 2<sup>nd</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> September last.

Letter No 68327 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> Inst Stating that the Commissioners have directed their Medical Inspector Doctor Hill to attend the Meeting of the Guardians on the following day to afford the Guardians any assistance in his power in reference to the arrangement of the Dispensing Districts

Letter No 1576 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> Inst with reference to the alleged refusal by the Board of Guardians at Rathdown to admit a pauper woman named Mary Ryan to that Workhouse, the Commissioners are informed that no such person applied to the Rathdown Board or their Offices within the period mentioned.

Letter No 1577 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to a note on the Minutes of last Board day stating that the Master's Provision Check was not made up. The Commissioners request to be informed of the cause of this omission.

In answer to the above the Master states he has to attend a Coroner's Inquest and has not time to have the Book ready for the Board.

Letter No 109 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> Inst in answer to a letter from the Clerk on the 30<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to the time on which the Guardians propose to Commence operations under the Medical Charities Act.

In answer to the above the Clerk was directed to write to the Treasurers of the several existing Dispensaries enquiring how long their present Funds would suffice to carry them on

Letter No 2166 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> Inst enclosing for the information of the Guardians the Copy of a Memorial which the Commissioners have received from certain Guardians and Rate Payers of Rathoepp objecting to the arrangement of certain Dispensing Districts proposed by the Guardians.

A Letter was read from Mr Saml Miley acknowledging the Receipt of Half Check amt £462.16.0 on account of his bill furnished for Burials sent out in June 1850.

Mr Miley Charges £27.15.3 Interest and £4.9. Commission on his Money order paid to the Parson in Dubee

Ordered that the Bonds refuse to pay any interest on the £462.16. and they Consider that they have no right to be charged with the £44.9-0 as that sum comes within the Terms of Mr Muley's Contract.

The following letter was read

Captain Halbert of Kilmullen has reported to me as Poor Law Guardian that a Poor Man named Pat Byrne who lived in his Lime Keln died on Sunday week without Medical Aid, his wife called on the Medical Superintendent of Newtown Hospital who promised but did not visit him though eight days elapsed. Signed J. R. Taylor M.D.

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs Redmond & Jones, two of the Guardians, to call a Special Meeting of the Board on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> Inst to take in to Consideration the propriety of Resolving a Resolution of the Board agreeing to the Arrangement of the Medical Districts as entered into on the 25<sup>th</sup> November last, and to reconsider the Matter.

A Notice was served for same day as above by Mr O'Hanlon and Doctor Taylor to Consider the practicability of erecting a Flax Mill in Connexion with the Workhouse

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.)

and that the probable beneficial results be taken into consideration on the above day

The Clerk submitted the Ledger and Abstracts of the Main Accounts for the half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> September last Audited by Richard Owen Esq Auditor they were approved of by the Board and signed by the Chairman

Mr. William Smith Poor Rate Collector for No. 7 District produces a list of arrears of Rate due on the Old Electoral Division of Rathdrom,

Arrears of Rate lost in consequence of Houses down and Unoccupied &c

£5 .. 7. 4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

The Clerk was directed to strike those arrears off the Books, Arrears taken off Anghrim (Old Union) to close of

" 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

The following Reports were read from the Clerk  
gentle

I have to direct your attention to the Auditor's Note on the Clothing Books that no stock has been taken for the last half year or the preceding one by the Guardians.

I beg to report that I attended with Mr Johnson your Valuator at the Bray Quarter Sessions on Friday last in the several cases of appeal against the Rating on the Mines.

The first case called was the Mining Company of Ireland Appellants against the Rating on the Lugganure Mines which was decided in your favor with £5 Costs.

The second was the Ballymuntagh Mines which was also decided in your favor without entering into the merits as the notice was bad.

The Messrs Williams owners of the Bonebane and Tigroney Mine succeeded in reducing the Valuation on each Mine from £2000 to £1500 and you are to repay them back the Rate on the above amounting to £108. 6. 8.

The several cases were most ably conducted by Mr Toomey your attorney and argued by Mr Meagher your Counsel

Arthur Down B

Charles Tottenham Clerk of the Union

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
day of 185 .

(Signed) *Arthur White*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Rathfriland UNION.

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £126896-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852.

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.    | No. that can be accommodated in each building. | Total No. in each building as the above. | 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. | 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, . . .  | 750  | 575                                      |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 60                                       |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 220                                      |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 29                                       |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Total, . . .  | 1260   | 896                                      |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |        |  |  |               |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |  | 106          | 272  | 44  | 35   | 89  | 140    | 122  | 32   | 38                            | 878    | In Work-house Hospital, 151<br>In Fever Hospital, 29<br>Total, 180 | In separate Wards, 4<br>In Wards with other inmates, 5<br>Total, 9 |               |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |  | 9            | 16   | 2   | 2    | 3   | 7      | 7  | 2  | 2                             | 50     |  |  |               |  |
| TOTAL, . . .  |  |  | 115          | 288  | 46  | 37   | 92  | 147    | 129  | 34   | 40                            | 928    |  |  |               |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |  | 6            | 11   | 3   |      | 3   | 2      | 2  |  | 3                             | 30     |  |  |               |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |  | 1            |      |   | 1    |   |        |  |  |                               | 2      |  |  |               |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |  | 6            | 12   | 3   | 1    | 3   | 2      | 2  |  | 3                             | 32     |  |  |               |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |  | 109          | 276  | 43  | 36   | 89  | 145    | 127  | 34   | 37                            | 896    |  |  |               |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of January 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   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward      |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 4  | 11  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 4  | 8   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 2  | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.        |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | 1  | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.          |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.         |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          | "  | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.        |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 12   | 27  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,           |  |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, Chas. Tottenham Esq  
 Other Guardians: Mr. Byrne, Rich. Howard Brooke, Edw. S. Paley  
Michl. Hudson & John Camell Esqrs  
Mrs Wm Gilbart James Comerford Saml. Edge Robert  
Wright Silvester Cooke Michl. Byrne Simon Moran  
John Campbell

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.

Andrew James, MacPhail Wicklow, Parish of Wicklow  
 Emily Mary Hood Wicklow, Parish Wicklow

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3547 to No. 3594, 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, - - - - - £ 510 - 1 - 4  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 476 - 4 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 986 - 6 - 8

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 Peates collected in the severat Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:

| Name of each Collector.                          | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |     | Remaining. |    |      | Total. |    |    |
|--|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|-----|------------|----|------|--------|----|----|
|  |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d.  | £          | s. | d.   | £      | s. | d. |
| Barnet & Maxwell                                 | Newcastle Upper  | 42                    | -  | -  |        |    |     | 187        | 4  | 9½   |        |    |    |
|  | do Lower   | 57                    | -  | -  |        |    |     | 140        | 11 | 4½   |        |    |    |
|  | Hilesale   | 25                    | -  | -  |        |    |     | 224        | 5  | ½    |        |    |    |
|  | Altinno  | 23                    | -  | -  |        |    |     | 68         | 14 | 0½   |        |    |    |
|  | Killybeg   | 12                    | -  | -  | 159    |    |     | 58         | 13 | 4    | 671    | 8  | 6½ |
| John Pym   | Glendalough  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 68         | 3  | 6½   |        |    |    |
|  | Calany   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 49         | 13 | 5½   |        |    |    |
|  | Droichead  | 82                    | 13 | -  |        |    |     | 225        | 12 | 9    |        |    |    |
|  | Pallyculan   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 68         | 12 | 10½  |        |    |    |
|  | Oldtown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 150        | 15 | 8    |        |    |    |
|  | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 64         | 8  | 6    |        |    |    |
|  | Monaghan   | "                     | "  | "  | 52     | 13 | -   | 116        | 8  | -    | 733    | 14 | 9  |
| Edward Pym                                       | Wicklow  | 82                    | 5  | -  |        |    |     | 746        | 11 | 7    |        |    |    |
|  | Glanealy   | 31                    | 5  | -  | 113    | 10 | -   | 389        | 6  | 7½   | 1185   | 18 | 2½ |
| William Douglas                                  | Dunganstown East                                       | 5                     | 2  | 10 |        |    |     | 277        | 12 | 8½   |        |    |    |
|  | do West  | 11                    | 2  | 8  |        |    |     | 123        | 13 | 4½   |        |    |    |
|  | do South   | 28                    | 4  | 6  | 44     | 10 | 0   | 233        | 9  | 3    | 634    | 15 | 3½ |
| Joseph Webb<br>Thomas Bynthistle<br>John Keating | Emmerville   | 19                    | -  | -  |        |    |     | 121        | 3  | 1½   |        |    |    |
|  | Killybeg   | 15                    | -  | -  | 34     | -  | -   | 208        | 7  | 1    | 329    | 10 | 2½ |
| James Laughlan                                   | Arklow   | 44                    | -  | -  | 44     | -  | -   | 774        | 11 | 3    | 774    | 11 | 3  |
|  | Cuneane  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 248        | 12 | 1    |        |    |    |
|  | Pallyanther  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 179        | 18 | 4    |        |    |    |
| William Smith                                    | Droichead  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 266        | 11 | -    | 695    | 1  | 5  |
|  | Rathacun   | 28                    | 1  | 8  |        |    |     | 493        | -  | 8½   |        |    |    |
|  | Knockath   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 197        | 13 | 8½   |        |    |    |
|  | Trospertown  | 4                     | 6  | 8  |        |    |     | 58         | 1  | ½    |        |    |    |
|  | Pallindeny   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 262        | 15 | 9½   |        |    |    |
|  | Pallinacash  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 189        | 10 | 7½   |        |    |    |
|  | Pallinacor   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 188        | 2  | 6    |        |    |    |
| Aughserin  | "  | "                     | "  | 32 | 8      | 4  | 261 | 10         | 4  | 1650 | 19     | 3½ |    |
|  |  | 510                   | 1  | 4  | 510    | 1  | 4   | 6675       | 18 | 1½   | 6675   | 18 | 4½ |

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 severat 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.
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 £ 68- 3 s. 2 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

|   |   |  |    |    |       |
|---|---|--|----|----|-------|
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - |  | £  | s. | d.    |
|   |   |  | 68 | 3  | 2 1/4 |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

|  |   |  |   |   |   |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - |  | - | - | - |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|

|                            |   |  |   |   |   |
|----------------------------|---|--|---|---|---|
| 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:

- 400 Loaves, Bread
- 126 lb Meat
- 400 lb Indian meal
- 100 lb Oatmeal
- 460 Gal. Sweetmilk
- 700 Gal. Buttermilk
- 6 lb Soap
- 500 Pairing needles

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 Receipts 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 17<sup>th</sup> day of January whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |  |   |    |            |
|-----------|---|--|---|----|------------|
| In money, | - |  | - | -  | -          |
| In kind,  | - |  | 0 | 10 | 0 1/2      |
| Total,    |   |  | - | 0  | 10 - 0 1/2 |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. II.          | Pelloran                   | 3-                                |                          |                   | No. X.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. III.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. V.           | Pat Beaky                  | 3-                                |                          |                   | No. XIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VI.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XIV.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VII.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XV.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. VIII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVI.         |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. IX.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| Car. forwd.      |                            | 6-                                |                          |                   | 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, Chas. Thos | 9 | 9  | 7 ✓ |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|   |     |   |     |
|---|-----|---|-----|
| John Inkinson mafe of Building Fever Hospital | 100 | " | "   |
| Andrew Belton Tinman &c                       | 20  | 7 | 7 ✓ |
| Laurence Byme Lime                            | 2   | 8 | 9 ✓ |
| John Byme Repairs                             | 2   | " | " ✓ |
| Clerk Postage                                 | 3   | " | "   |
| Messrs Williams Poor Rate refunded on appeal  | 108 | 6 | 8   |
| Daniel Farrell Coffin                         | 2   | 6 | 6 ✓ |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|                       | £   | s. | d. |
|-----------------------|-----|----|----|
| Devin, Chude Soap     | 16  | 16 | 1  |
| William Beaky Bread   | 61  | 10 | 7  |
| Richard Muffhaly Milk | 105 | 17 | 4  |

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

|                          | £ | s. | d.  |
|--------------------------|---|----|-----|
| In favor of Clerk to pay |   |    |     |
| Wm Duffy Cooperage       | 1 | 19 | 6 ✓ |
| John Mills Broom         | " | 13 | 2 ✓ |
| Daniel Farrelle Repairs  | 1 | 19 | " ✓ |
| John Dea Ransom Bucks    |   |    |     |
|                          | £ | 9  | 9 ✓ |
|                          | 5 | 1  | 5   |

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

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

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

The Reports of the Master ~~and the Officer~~ were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Gent<sup>rs</sup>:

I have to report that the Coals sent by the Contractor is very inferior I was obliged on Midday last to send back 5 Loads

Signed  
Isaac Howe  
Master

In order on the above



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:—

Circular No 7 Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Summary of the Expenditure & Receipts of the Union for the year ending 29<sup>th</sup> September last.

Letter No 2410 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to the Weekly Abstracts showing the Returns of the progress of the Collection of Poor Rates to the 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, the Commissioners enquire the Cause of the Non attendance of Collectors J. Byrne & Webb, and of their neglect to Lodge any Money, also of the Cause of the Non attendance of Collectors J. Byrne, Longhlin, and Smith during the fortnight ending 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo. The Commissioners request that the Clerk will in future Returns insert the date on which each Collector received his Book.

In answer to the above the Clerk stated that he had not received any answer as to the Cause of the Non attendance of the above Collectors, but that he would summon them to attend on Monday next and ascertain the Cause.

Letter No 2990 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst calling on the Clerk for a Schedule of Certain arrears of Poor Rates struck off the Old Electoral Division of Rathfriland.

Letter No 2990 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to a Letter addressed to the Guardians on the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst by Doctor Taylor respecting the death of a Poor Man named Patrick Byrne who lived in a Lime Kiln

of Capt. Halbert, at Kilcumulloo & who died on the 14<sup>th</sup> Inst without Medical Aid. The Commissioners enquire whether any application was made to the Relieving Officer of the District on behalf of Patrick Byrne.

Mr. Burrell Relieving Officer was questioned relative to this case by the Chairman and he stated that no application was made to him on behalf of Patrick Byrne.

Letter No 2990 Dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst in reference to a Report from the Clerk on the 13<sup>th</sup> Inst, calling the attention of the Guardians to the Auditors Note entered in the Clothing Books of the Workhouse to the effect that no stock was taken for the last two half years, the Commissioners refer the Guardians to Article 44 No 24 of the Workhouse Rules and request the Guardians Compliance therewith.

Proposed by Richard Howard Cooke Esq and seconded by Edward S Buly Esq, Resolved that there be a Map of the Union ordered and ready in the Board Room against this day week with the present Electoral Divisions. *passed*

Resolved that the Clerk shall advertise for 40 Bed Steads for the new Wards in the Fever Hospital, Tenders to be received this day fortnight.

The Clerk reported that in striking off the Arrears of Rate lost on the Wicklow Electoral Division on the 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo he omitted the sum of £2.2.7 which should have been taken off. The above sum was lost on the Commons of Rathnew in consequence of there being no effect, and the parties on whom the Rate was assessed being paupers.

The Clerk was directed to strike the above sum off the Books.

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs Doyle and Edge to call a special Meeting of the Guardians for this day fortnight 30<sup>th</sup> February for the purpose of settling the Chargeability of the following Paupers from the Electoral Division of Brackagh, Anne Ellen & William Furlong, Catharine & Susan New & Catharine & Susan New, Mary & Richard, Ellen Perry, William Wilson Junr, Dym & Robert Long.

A Letter was read by the Clerk from Mr James Costello Solicitor stating that he wants to have to attend the Recorder's Court on Wednesday next & produce the Rate Books in the J. Taylor case if the Guardians agree to *Shelton's* *Shelton's*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
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(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
*Clerk of the Union.*

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# Rathfriland UNION.

1157

Population in 1841, . . . 56709

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126896-15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852.

| 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 3 and under 8 years of age. | Children above 2 and under 6 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, . . .  | 750  | 613   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 65  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 212   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 25  |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1290</b>                                    | <b>915</b>                                    |              |            |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               |                                       |   |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 109          | 276        | 43  | 36        | 89  | 145        | 127  | 34   | 37                            | 896                                   | In Workhouse Hospital, 162<br>In Fever Hospital, 25<br>Total, 187 | In separate Wards, 44<br>In Wards with other inmates, 5<br>Total, 49 |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 8            | 16         | 2   | 2         |   | 1          | 3  | 1  | 4                             | 37                                    |   |  |  |
| <b>TOTAL, . . .</b>                                       |  |   | <b>117</b>   | <b>292</b> | <b>45</b>   | <b>38</b> | <b>89</b>   | <b>146</b> | <b>130</b>                                 | <b>35</b>                                  | <b>41</b>                     | <b>933</b>                            |   |  |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 5            | 7          |   | 1         |   | 1          | 1  |  | 1                             | 16                                    |   |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | 1            | 1          |   |           |   |            |  |  |                               | 2                                     |   |  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 6            | 8          |   | 1         |   | 1          | 1  |  | 1                             | 18                                    |   |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .                        |  |   | 111          | 284        | 45  | 37        | 89  | 145        | 129  | 35   | 40                            | 915                                   |   |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of January 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. |          | Discharge 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward         |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. II.          | 4   | 11  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.              |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. III.         | 4   | 9   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.             |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IV.          | 2   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.            |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. V.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VI.          | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.            |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VII.         | 1   | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.             |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. VIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.            |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| No. IX.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.           |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |
| Car. forward     | 15  | 31  |   |   |                                      |          | TOTAL,              |   |   |   |   |                                      |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1852

**PRESENT:** In the Chair, *Chas. Fottens and Esq* — *St. O'Reilly Esq*

Other Guardians: *Edward S. Baley, John Barnell, Rich<sup>d</sup> Howard Brooke, William C. Stone, Charles McGill, Mich<sup>l</sup> Hudson, John Edwards Esq, Messrs W<sup>m</sup> Gilbert James Comford George Manning Silvester Bourke John Chapman, Mr. Taylor M<sup>d</sup> Mr. Redmond Mr. Jones Owen Poyarty John Clements John Doyle John Campbell Mich<sup>l</sup> Byrne John Murphy James Murphy George Edmund Robert Wright James Moran Robert Edge Rich<sup>d</sup> Johnson John Booth Peter Boland John Cullen Law<sup>r</sup> Graydon James Cullen & Sam<sup>l</sup> Edge*

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. 21.

Andrew Merrigan Gleumackena Parish of Demylophoy  
 Mary Anne Rathford Kellalane do do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3595 to No. 3750, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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, - - - - - £ 299-16-6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 544-18-3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 741-4-11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |     | Remaining. |    |                  | Total. |                  |                  |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|-----|------------|----|------------------|--------|------------------|------------------|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d.  | £          | s. | d.               | £      | s.               | d.               |
| Patrick B. Mandell      | Newcastle upper  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 187        | 4  | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | do Lower   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 140        | 11 | 4 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Kilcoole   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 224        | 5  | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Altano   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 68         | 14 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Killikeef  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 57         | 13 | 4                | 671    | 8                | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | 11                    | 11 | 3  |        |    |     | 56         | 12 | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Calary   | 8                     | 5  | 5  |        |    |     | 41         | 8  | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Broc Rough   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 225        | 12 | 9                |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Ballycullen  | 12                    | 19 | -  |        |    |     | 25         | 13 | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Oestown  | 2                     | 4  | 5  |        |    |     | 148        | 11 | 3                |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Togher   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 64         | 8  | 6                |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Monapstown   | "                     | "  | "  | 65     | 1  |     | 106        | 8  |                  | 668    | 14               | 8                |
|                         | Wicklow  | 14                    | 19 |    |        |    |     | 749        | 10 |                  |        |                  |                  |
| Edward Byrne            | Glanealy   | 26                    | 1  |    | 73     |    |     | 361        | 5  | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  | 1110   | 15               | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
|                         | Danganstown East                                       | 23                    | 5  | 5  |        |    |     | 254        | 7  | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
| William Douglas         | do West  | 3                     | 3  | 4  |        |    |     | 120        | 10 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | do South   | 14                    | 15 |    | 41     | 3  | 9   | 218        | 14 | 3                | 593    | 11               | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
|                         | Emerilly   | 8                     |    |    |        |    |     | 113        | 3  | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
| Joseph Webb             | Killidist  | 30                    |    |    | 38     |    |     | 178        | 7  | 1                | 291    | 10               | 2 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
|                         | Imash Butthute Arklow                                  | 60                    |    |    | 60     |    |     | 714        | 11 | 3                | 714    | 11               | 3                |
| James Laughlin          | Croneband  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 248        | 12 | 1                |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Ballyathur   | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 179        | 18 | 4                |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Oroca  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 266        | 11 |                  | 695    | 1                | 5                |
| William Smith           | Rathdew  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 493        | 8  | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Knockath   | 1                     | 3  | 9  |        |    |     | 196        | 9  | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Loopenstown  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 58         | 1  | 3 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Balleideng   | 2                     | 16 | 10 |        |    |     | 259        | 18 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Ballinalach  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 189        | 15 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Ballinacree  | "                     | "  | "  |        |    |     | 188        | 2  | 6                |        |                  |                  |
|                         | Aughreem   | 18                    | 12 | 1  | 22     | 12 | 8   | 242        | 18 | 3                | 1628   | 6                | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  |
|                         |  |                       |    |    |        |    |     | 299        | 16 | 6                | 6373   | 19               | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ |
|                         |  |                       |    |    |        |    | 299 | 16         | 6  | 6373             | 19     | 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ |                  |

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.
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 £5*l*. 5*s*. 3*d*.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - £ 5*l*. 5*s*. 3*d*.

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1*l* -

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1*l* 1*s* -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1*l* 5*s* -

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:

380 Loaves Bread  
120 Lbs Meat  
640 Gal Buttermilk  
460 Gal Sweetmilk  
60 Lbs Candles  
500 yds Calico  
1/2 Gross Pin Combs  
50 Baking Meals

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 24<sup>th</sup> day of *Almanj*; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           | £ | s. | d.         |
|-----------|---|----|------------|
| In money, | - | -  | 0-0-0      |
| In kind,  | - | -  | 0-12-0 1/2 |
| Total,    | - | -  | 0-12-0 1/2 |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |
| No. I.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   | Bt. forward      |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| No. II.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. X.           |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
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| No. IX.          |                            |                                   |                          |                   | No. XVII.        |                            |                                   |                          |                   |
| Car. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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.



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

A letter was read from the Schoolmistress requesting  
leave of absence for one week

Leave granted



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

An Order under Seal of the Poor Law Commissioners, was laid before the Board by the Clerk, Dated & Signed the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst. Revising the General Orders heretofore issued relating to the Meetings and proceedings of Boards of Guardians.

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

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 32 Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Inst enclosing the order under Seal of the Poor Law Commissioners, above referred to,

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 2506 Dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst. in reference to the last Rates Made in the Union, the Commissioners request to be informed of the grounds upon which the arrears of Rate remaining uncollected on the 25<sup>th</sup> March were omitted to be included in the Estimate,

In answer to the Above the Clerk states that there was a large sum due to Contractors at the time the Estimate was Made out, and the arrears of Rate due on the 25<sup>th</sup> March were omitted from the Estimate to Cover those debts, had he given Credit for them the Estimate would have fallen short by a large sum to meet the Current expenses of the Year.

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 4705 Dated 26<sup>th</sup> Inst, stating that the Commissioners have had before them the Observations of the Guardians on the 20<sup>th</sup> Inst. in reply to the Commissioners Letter of the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst. relative to the death of a Poor Man named Patrick Byrne, as reported to the Guardians by Doctor Taylor, and in which the Guardians state that no application was made

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to the Relieving Officers of the District on behalf of Patrick Byrne. The Commissioners enquire whether the Medical Superintendent referred to in the Letter of Doctor Taylor is at present in Charge of a Dispensary. If so the Commissioners request to be informed of his Name and that of the Dispensary District to which he is attached.

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Fogarty Resolved that in answer to the Poor Law Commission<sup>Letter No 14705</sup> of the 26<sup>th</sup> Inst. the Guardians have to refer the Commissioners to the Return of the Medical Districts sent up from this Union and to state that there is no Medical Attendant at Newtown Mt Kennedy the same being vacant by the Resignation of Doctor Rosewell.

For the above Resolution 20  
against

Carried by a Majority of 11 Votes

Agreeable to a Notice served on the Clerk on this day fortnight by Messrs Redmond & Jones to rescind a Resolution of the 25<sup>th</sup> November last forming the Union into 8 Medical Districts. It was proposed by Mr Mat H Jones, & seconded by Mr H Redmond, that the Resolution of the 25<sup>th</sup> November last be Rescinded.

For the Resolution 8 Votes

against it 19

Majority against 11 Votes

Therefore the Resolution of the 25<sup>th</sup> November still stands

The following Report was read from the Clerk

I have to report that agreeable to a Letter received from Mr Costello Solicitor, I attended the Recorder's Court in Green St Dublin as a Witness, together with Mr Walker the former Collector in the Case of the Guardians against Mr Thomas Haulon for Poor Rate due by him off the Down Hill in the Old Electoral Division of Newcastle, the Case did not come on for hearing until Saturday when I obtained a Decree against Mr Haulon for the full amt Claimed

Signed  
Charles Fitzsimon Arthur Hobart  
Clerk of the Union

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day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

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

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|---|--|---|--------------|------|---|------|---|--------|--|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|
|   |  |   | 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, . . .  | 780  | 633   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Temporary Buildings, . . .                                | 100  | 67  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Additional Workhouse, . . .                               | 360  | 202   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .                           | 50   | 21  |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Fever Sheds, . . .  |  |   |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| <b>Total, . . .</b>                                       | <b>1240</b>                                    | <b>923</b>                                    |              |      |   |      |   |        |  |  |                               |                                       |  |  |  |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . |  |   | 111          | 284  | 415   | 37   | 89  | 145    | 129  | 35   | 40                            | 915                                   | In Work-house Hospital, 152<br>In Fever Hospital, 21<br>Total, 173 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 41<br>5<br>Total, 46 |  |
| Admitted during the Week, . . .                           |  |   | 4            | 19   | 2   | 3    | 4   | 1      | 6  | 1  | 3                             | 43                                    |  |  |  |
| <b>TOTAL,</b>   |  |   | 115          | 303  | 417   | 40   | 93  | 146    | 135  | 36   | 43                            | 958                                   |  |  |  |
| Discharged during the Week, . . .                         |  |   | 5            | 22   | 3   | 1    | "   | 1      | 1  | "  | 2                             | 35                                    |  |  |  |
| Died, . . . . .   |  |   | "            | "    | "   | "    | "   | "      | "  | "  | "                             | "                                     |  |  |  |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . .                          |  |   | 5            | 22   | 3   | 1    | "   | 1      | 1  | "  | 2                             | 35                                    |  |  |  |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .                    |  |   | 110          | 281  | 414   | 39   | 93  | 145    | 134  | 36   | 41                            | 923                                   |  |  |  |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. |   | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. |   | Total relieved out of the Workhouse. |          | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 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. | RELIEF DISTRICT.  | 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   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | Bt. forward   |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. II.          | 4   | 11  |   |   |                                      |          | No. X.  |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. III.         | 2   | 11  |   |   |                                      |          | No. XI.   |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. IV.          | 2   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XII.  |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. V.           | "   | "   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIII.   |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. VI.          | 1   | 2   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XIV.  |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. VII.         | 1   | 5   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XV.   |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. VIII.        |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVI.  |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| No. IX.          |   |   |   |   |                                      |          | No. XVII.   |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |
| Car. forward     | 14  | 33  |   |   |                                      |          | <b>TOTAL,</b>   |                           |   |                           |   |        |          |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1852

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Chas. Tottenham Esq*  
 Other Guardians: *Messrs Wm Gillib, James Coneyford, Saml. Edge, Silvester Bourke, Thomas Doyle, James Cullen, James Murphy, John Murphy, John Cullen, George Shandling*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

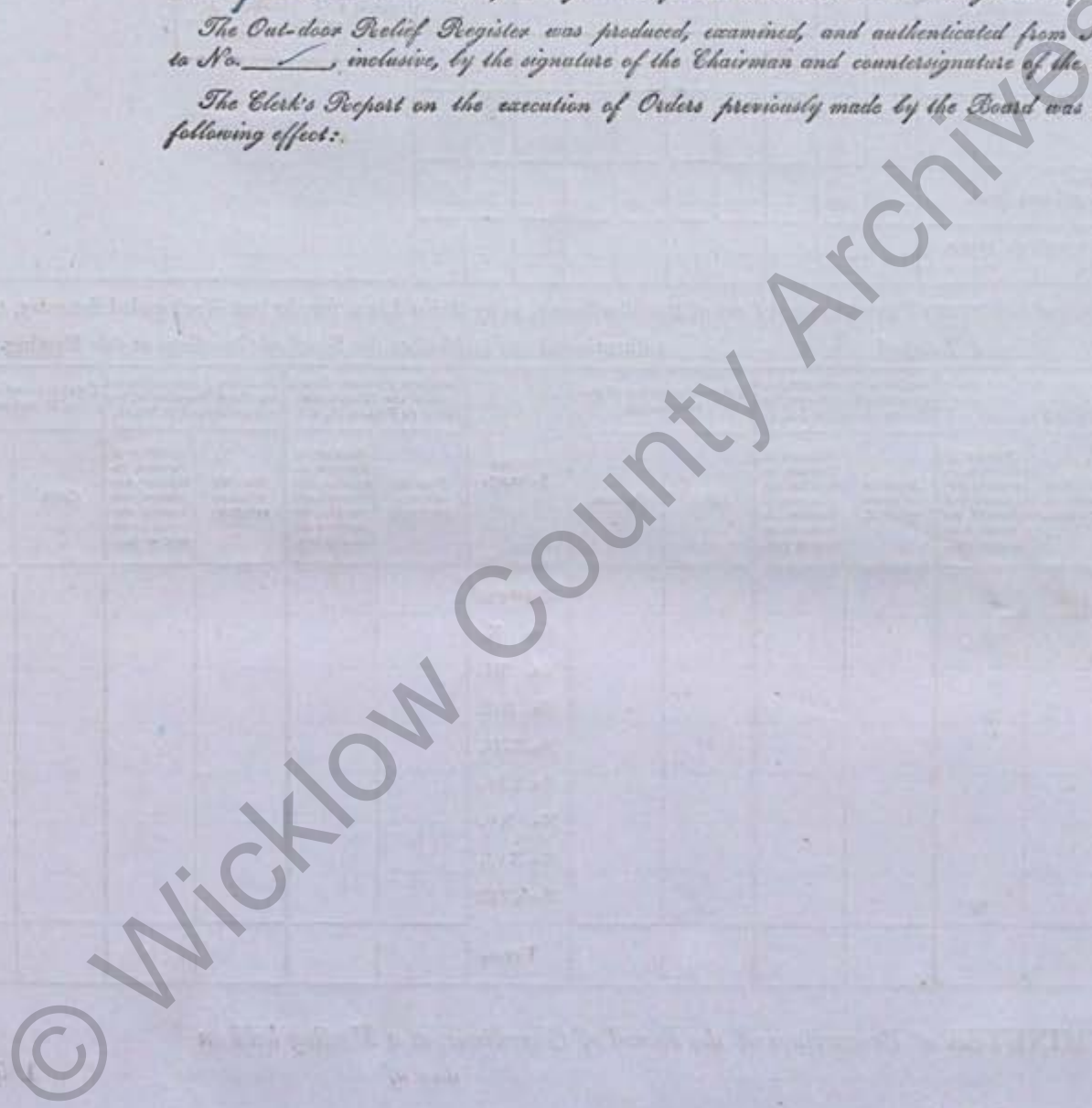
Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 12th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 41.

John Nangle Pallualed Parish of Rathnew  
Ellen Owens Town of Wicklow do of Wicklow

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3701 to No. 3730, 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, - - - - - £ 376-16-9

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 656-10-6

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 461-11-2

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

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts. | Collected and Lodged. |    |    | Total. |    |    | Remaining. |    |     | Total. |    |    |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|----|----|--------|----|----|------------|----|-----|--------|----|----|
|                         |  | £                     | s. | d. | £      | s. | d. | £          | s. | d.  | £      | s. | d. |
| Catharine Farrell       | Newcastle Upper  | 49                    | 10 | -  |        |    |    | 137        | 14 | 9½  |        |    |    |
|                         | do Lower   | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 140        | 11 | 4½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Kilsobole  | 19                    | 10 | -  |        |    |    | 204        | 15 | ½   |        |    |    |
|                         | Altistore  | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 68         | 14 | ½   |        |    |    |
|                         | Killickey  | 6                     | -  | -  | 75     | -  | -  | 44         | 13 | 4   | 576    | 8  | 6½ |
| John Byrne              | Glendalough  | 21                    | 3  | 2  |        |    |    | 35         | 9  | 1½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Calary   | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 41         | 8  | ½   |        |    |    |
|                         | Brookly  | 4                     | 14 | 6  |        |    |    | 220        | 18 | 3   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballycallan  | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 25         | 13 | 10½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Oxtown   | 8                     | 11 | 4  |        |    |    | 139        | 19 | 11  |        |    |    |
|                         | Togher   | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 64         | 8  | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | Monapstown   | 15                    | 5  | 6  | 149    | 14 | 6  | 91         | 2  | 6   | 619    | 0  | 2  |
| Edward Byrne            | Wicklow  | 60                    | -  | -  |        |    |    | 689        | 10 | -   |        |    |    |
|                         | Glencaly   | 10                    | -  | -  | 70     | -  | -  | 351        | 5  | 7½  | 1040   | 15 | 7½ |
| William Douglas         | Dungantown East  | 28                    | 10 | -  |        |    |    | 225        | 17 | 3½  |        |    |    |
|                         | do West  | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 120        | 10 | ½   |        |    |    |
|                         | do South   | -                     | -  | -  | 28     | 10 | -  | 218        | 14 | 3   | 565    | 1  | 6½ |
| Joseph Webb             | Emerilla   | 14                    | 10 | -  |        |    |    | 98         | 13 | 1½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Killickey  | 15                    | 10 | -  | 30     | -  | -  | 162        | 17 | 1   | 261    | 10 | 2½ |
| Thomas Sutcliffe        | Carlow   | -                     | -  | -  | -      | -  | -  | 714        | 11 | 3   | 714    | 11 | 3  |
| James Loughlan          | Ormeau   | 2                     | 12 | 5  |        |    |    | 245        | 19 | 8   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballyathur   | 19                    | 5  | 2  |        |    |    | 160        | 13 | 2   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ormeau   | 7                     | 12 | 8  | 29     | 10 | 3  | 258        | 18 | 4   | 665    | 11 | 2  |
| William Smith           | Rathcreevy   | 70                    | 4  | 2  |        |    |    | 422        | 16 | 6½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Knockree   | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 196        | 9  | 6½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Twoport town   | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 58         | 1  | ¾   |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacorney  | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 259        | 15 | 11½ |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballinacorney  | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 189        | 15 | 7½  |        |    |    |
|                         | Ballymore  | -                     | -  | -  |        |    |    | 188        | 2  | 6   |        |    |    |
|                         | Leighlin   | 23                    | 17 | 10 | 94     | 2  | -  | 219        | -  | -   | 51534  | 4  | 7½ |
|                         |  | 376                   | 16 | 9  | 376    | 16 | 9  | 5997       | 0  | 1½  | 5997   | 3  | 1½ |

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 £  $\rightarrow$  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 £ 46 - 9 s. 3 1/2 d.

|  |   |                  |
|--|---|------------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.       |   | £ 46 - 9 - 3 1/2 |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was        | - | 118 - 18 - 1 3/4 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.   |   |                  |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - | 1/1 -            |
| Average cost in Infirmary,                                 | - | 1/1 -            |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital,                            | - | 1/5 -            |

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:

- 400 Loaves Bread
- 130 lb Meat
- 3 Ton Indian meal
- 1 do Oatmeal
- 780 Gals Buttermilk
- 490 do Sweet milk
- 6 Cwt Soap
- 4 Seaves Deal Board
- 12 Set Black Lead Brushes
- 1 1/2 Ton Best Charcoal
- 200 Ticket Cases for Workhouse
- 1/2 cwt Alphabet for B. Room

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 31<sup>st</sup> day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

|           |   |   |   |        |                  |
|-----------|---|---|---|--------|------------------|
| In money, | - | - | - | -      | £ 0 - 0 - 0      |
| In kind,  | - | - | - | -      | 0 - 13 - 3 1/2   |
|           |   |   |   | Total, | - 0 - 13 - 3 1/2 |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   | RELIEF DISTRICT. | Name of Relieving Officer. | By Check on Treasurer.<br>£ s. d. | By Order on Contractors. |                   |
|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
|                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ s. d. |                  |                            |                                   | Article and quantity.    | Value.<br>£ 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. forwd.      |                            |                                   |                          |                   | 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. |
|--------------------------|------|----|----|
| Andrew Meyerson Hails &c | ✓ 2  | 9  | "  |
| Stephen Murphy Leather   | ✓ 20 | 3  | 2  |
| C. Neill & Sons Woollen  | ✓ 15 | 10 | 9  |

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

2. Establishment Account.

|                                   |     |    |   |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|---|
| Edward Boyle Sweeping Chimneys    | ✓ 2 | 7  | 9 |
| James Manning Timber              | ✓ 4 | 13 | 8 |
| Arthur Whant's Expenses in Dublin | ✓ 3 | "  | " |
| James Manning Lumber              | ✓ 4 | 15 | " |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

|                      | £  | s. | d. |
|----------------------|----|----|----|
| Andrew Heyfen proems | 31 | 18 | "  |
| Michael Rogarty Meal | 30 | 19 | 6  |
| John Ford Meal       | 50 | 11 | 6  |
| John O'Neill Meat    | 7  | 16 | 4  |

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| In favor of        |                   | £   | s. | d. |
|--------------------|-------------------|-----|----|----|
| Mr Drummond & Sons | Seeds             | Est | 1  | 11 |
| Hodges & Smith     | Map               | Est | 15 | "  |
| Andrew Heyfen      | Sundries          | Est | 16 | 9  |
| Edw Boyle          | Sweeping Chimneys | Est | 15 | 11 |
| Mr Brown           | Shoes             | Est | 8  | 4  |
| Lawrence Byrne     | Line              | Est | 10 | "  |
| do do              | Salt              | Est | 17 | 2  |
| Elyza Tenison      | Ditch             | Est | 2  | "  |
| do do              | Receipts          | Pr  | "  | 7  |

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:

|                |                   |   |    |   |
|----------------|-------------------|---|----|---|
| Mr Manning     | Conveyance Panhes | " | 11 | " |
| Edw Bance      | Dr                | " | 3  | " |
| Patrick Moran  | Dr                | " | 2  | 6 |
| Robert Manning | Dr                | " | 2  | 6 |
| George Luke    | Dr                | " | 13 | " |
| John Booth     | Dr                | " | 10 | " |
| Pat Beakley    | Dr                | 1 | 12 | 6 |
|                |                   | ✓ | 8  | 4 |
|                |                   |   | 7  |   |

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

Gent<sup>ms</sup>

I have to report that a window in the Hall  
Hall requires to be boarded up as there is danger  
of some of the Children falling out of same  
Ordered to be boarded up.

(Signed)  
Isaac Flower  
Master



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:)

The following Extract from a Report of the District Inspector of National Schools relative to the Workhouse Schools was read.

"The teachers are fairly qualified as regards both their literary acquirements and their method of conducting the business."

The Schools has improved generally but more particularly as regards the pupils knowledge of Arithmetic, both departments are in a condition of very fair progress. It appears from the proficiency of the Pupils that the Teachers are attending their duties

27<sup>th</sup> January 1852

Sign'd  
 Maurice Croft  
 James Kelly 3<sup>rd</sup> Secy

Resolved that a Special Meeting be convened for this day week the 10<sup>th</sup> Inst for the purpose of taking into Consideration the propriety of Presenting Petitions to both Houses of Parliament, praying them to repeal the Act of last Session, authorising the Poor Law Commissioners to Levy certain Moneys off Poor Law Unions, (Called the Consolidated Annuities Act) and to Consider certain Resolutions passed at a Meeting of the Representatives of 122 Poor Law Unions held in Dublin on 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo, Reported by ~~Mr. [unclear]~~ <sup>Mr. [unclear]</sup> & seconded by Mr. Burke and passed unanimously

Resolved that the following Paupers be allotted from the Electoral Division of Brockagh,  
 William Willson to Oldtown Electoral Division and  
 Ellen Pury to Lough Electoral Division

The following letter was read by the Clerk  
 Gentlemen,

Having been informed that a letter signed  
 Mr Taylor was transmitted to you in which it is stated  
 that a man Pat Dymc dies in Kilmullen without Medical  
 Aid, that his wife called on the Medical Superintendent  
 of the Dispensary District who promised but did not visit  
 him the next day elapsed,

I beg leave to inform the Board that I never was asked by  
 any one to give Medical Aid or Advice to any such person

Neither his wife nor any one else from him did I ever see  
 consequently did not promise to visit him as alleged in  
 Mr Taylor's letter and in fact never either heard or knew anything  
 of the case until handed a copy of Mr Taylor's communication

I would have taken cognizance of the matter sooner  
 had not having been spoken to by any Member of the Board  
 concerning it until yesterday I was unwilling to obtrude  
 myself on your notice, As the franchisees of the District

have promised to investigate the case I leave it in their  
 hands fully convinced they will find that as far as I am  
 concerned the imputation of neglect of duty is unjust  
 and unfounded

Signed

Richd McClelland M.B.

Bellin Royal College Surgeon, Dublin

In Charge of Newtown Old Kenedy Dispensary

No other on the above

John Dymc of Ballindery was declared the Contractor  
 for Keeping in Repair all the Slating Lead gutters Gire Shoots  
 and Down Pipes of the Workhouse Gaol Hall and Fever  
 Hospital for three years from this date at Nine  
 Pounds per Annum

Andrew Belton of Rathdrum was declared the Contractor  
 for Keeping in Repair all the Tenure in use in the  
 Workhouse for 12 Months for the sum of Seven Pounds

Six Shillings,  
 Edward Boyle was declared the Contractor for  
 Sweeping all the Chimneys of the Workhouse, Flannel  
 Hall Brewery, Auctioneers, Workhouses, & Fever Hospital  
 for 12 Months for the Sum of £411 18 10

Loughlin Farrell of Rathfriland was declared the Contractor  
 for the supply of Forty Bedsteads to be placed in the  
 New Wards of the Fever Hospital @ Six Shillings  
 and three pence each

Arthur W. W. W.  
 Clerk of the Union  
 J. W. W. W.  
 Arthur W. W. W.

J. W. W. W.  
 C. P.

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 - -

Of these 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on  
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(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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