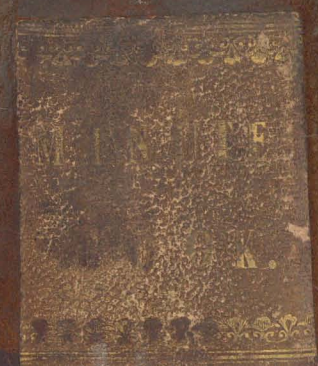


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Orders, instructions, forms and books for the Gossey Union.

The orders to be preserved by the clerks of the guardians in pursuance of the 6th section of the Act 1 and 2 Victoria, Cap. 56. — The books &c. to be used as required

1. Order declaring the Union
2. " convening justices to appoint ex-officio guardians.
3. " for the election of guardians.
4. " regulating the guardians' proceedings
5. Circulars on valuation and rating, 1 and 2. —
12 copies for use of valuator: the guardians have them annexed to the copy of the order regulating their proceedings.
6. Bonds of clerk and treasurer, 2 copies of each
7. Valuator's contracts and bonds, 4 copies of each
8. Copies of the Irish Poor Relief acts: two for the Board's table, and four for circulating among the guardians successively.
9. Copies of the report of the Commissioners on their first proceedings in Ireland, — 1838-9.
A folio copy to be covered and kept on the Board's table, and two octavo copies for circulating among the guardians successively.

24 Jan. 1840

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At the first meeting of the Board of Guardians, held on the 24th of January 1840, present
The Rt. Hon. the Earl of Courtown, Robert Doyle Esq.
P. A. Moore Esq., Colonel Loftus Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen
Solomon Richards Esq. John Partridge, Henry
Brownrigg, William B. Cooke, Philip Crane, Tho. Doyle
Joseph Davis, Edward Fitz Simons, Owen Fogarty
John Giles, George Glascott, James Godkin William
B. Harvey, Michael Kavanagh, Richard Keegan
Daniel Kenny, Tho. Kenny, James Middleton
John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Owen Redmond
Niel. Sheridan, Richard Scallan, Peter Taylor
Abel Woodroffe.

It was unanimously resolved, on the motion
of Solomon Richards Esq., seconded by George Glascott Esq.
"that the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Courtown be Chairman
of the Board of Guardians."

It was unanimously resolved, on the motion
of Captain Robert Owen, seconded by Mr. Hugh
Redmond, "that Sir Thomas Esmonde be vice Chair-
man of the board."

It was unanimously resolved, on the
motion of Mr. Abel Woodroffe, seconded by John
Glascott Esq., "that Captain Robert Owen be
deputy vice chairman of the board."

It was unanimously resolved, on the motion
of Captain Robert Owen, seconded by Solomon Richards
Esq., "that the salary of the clerk of this union shall be, for
the first year, forty pounds (the board will proceed to
the election of this officer at its next meeting, on Thursday
the 20th of February, at 12 o'clock) and further that the
Assistant Commissioner be requested to give public no-
-tice of this intention, and to desire the candidates to
transmit their applications and testimonials, with
the names of two persons willing to become their sureties
in the sum of one hundred pounds each, post paid, ad-
-dressed to the Chairman of the board, on or before

Clerk's salary,
for the first year,
Forty pounds.

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Tuesday the 18th of February: the candidates to attend the board on the day of election.

No existing surveys or valuations adequate to the purposes of valuation

Advertisements inviting candidates for valuation

On the motion of George Glascott Esq., seconded by Courtenay A. Moore Esq., it was unanimously resolved "that there are no existing surveys or valuations adequate to the purposes of valuing the rateable property of the union; and that it is desirable to entrust the valuation thereof to a competent professional person or persons; for which purpose the assistant Commissioner be requested to cause advertisements to be inserted in such public journals as he may think proper, inviting candidates for the valuation to transmit tenders, post paid, on or before Tuesday the 18th of February next, to the Chairman of this board: the tenders to state a sum for one thousand acres, including all rateable property thereon, or a bulk sum for the entire union; and to name a period by which it is proposed to complete the valuation. Security to be required for the performance of the contract." — The board will proceed, at its next meeting, to the election of valuator or valutors, in the event of receiving satisfactory tenders; when candidates must attend.

The following letter from the Manager of the Wexford branch of the Provincial Bank of Ireland was then read.

To the board of Guardians
of the poor for the Gorey union. Provincial Bank of Ireland
Wexford 16 Jan. 1840

My Lord

Permit me to take this early opportunity of soliciting that it may be your pleasure to appoint the Provincial Bank of Ireland treasurer to the Gorey union.

I am sure the character of this bank is well known to you, and it is therefore needless I should make any observation in that respect further than a respectful intimation that the present extended system of banking

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operations throughout Ireland is mainly attributable to the formation and success of the Provincial Bank.

With reference to the office of treasurer to the Poor Law Union, I beg leave to state that our Courts of Directors are desirous of affording every facility in their power to the respective boards of guardians, both as regards receipt and disbursement of rates &c, and in carrying out the objects of the act: and, as the act itself was passed with a view to relieve and ameliorate the condition of the poor, we are willing to conduct the accounts with as much liberality as the value of money will admit of.

I am authorised by the directors of this bank to allow interest, at the rate of three per cent per annum, on the daily balances at the credit side of the Union accounts; and, on the other hand, to charge five per cent, in the same way, whenever the accounts are overdrawn.

As we hold the public accounts of the treasurer of this county, I have no doubt it ^{would} be some convenience to the baronial constables, who, in all probability, will be the collectors of the poor rate, to have the Provincial Bank likewise appointed treasurer to the unions; as, in such case, they would have greater facilities in making their lodgments.

The great advantages afforded by so many coaches plying daily between Wexford and Gorey will enable you to hold your account with perfect convenience; and we shall, at all times, be found ready to meet your wishes on every point connected with the treasurer'ship.

Trusting that your decision will be found favourable to the Provincial Bank of Ireland I have the honour to be, my Lord and Gentlemen, your obedient servant,

W. Franklin
Manager

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Whereupon Captain Owen proposed, seconded by Mr. Glascott, that the Provincial Bank of Ireland be appointed treasurer to this union; and, as an amendment, Mr. P. Moore, seconded by Mr. Richards, proposed the Agricultural Bank for the treasurership, to which amendment Mr. [] proposed, and Mr. Coote seconded that "the National Bank be substituted for the Agricultural Bank:" but as it was considered most convenient that the bank having the smallest number of suffrages should be withdrawn, it was arranged that each guardian should write the names of two banks on a piece of paper, between which the choice should be made, when it appeared that

The Agricultural Bank had 26 votes

The Provincial Bank 20

The National Bank 14

The national Bank was accordingly withdrawn, and the votes taken between the other two, when

The Provincial Bank had 19 votes

The Agricultural Bank 11

The Provincial Bank was accordingly appointed to the treasurership of this union.

It was unanimously resolved, on the motion of Captain Owen, seconded by Mr. Moore, that "The Assistant Commissioner be requested to order, for the use of this union, the usual official seal, minute books and printed forms for notice of meetings of guardians."

Ordered "that this board hold its next meeting on Thursday the 20th of February, at noon, in the Court house of Gorey."

For Town Chairman

Provincial Bank
appointed to the
treasurership

20 Feb. 1840

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At an ordinary meeting of the Guardians, held on Thursday the 20th day of February 1840, present
 The Rt. Hon. the Earl of Castletown, P. A. Moore. Col. L. Owen
 Capt. R. Owen, J. J. Richards, Solomon Richards,
 John Portridge, Henry Browning, Wm B. Cook
 Philip Crane, Tho. Doyle, Joseph Davis, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, George Glascott, Jas. Godkin
 Wm B. Harney, Michael Kavanagh, Richard Keegan
 Paul Kenny, Tho. Kenny, Jas. Middleton
 John Peason, Hugh Redmond, Owen Redmond
 Nick Sheridan, Richd. Scellan, Peter Taylor
 Abel Woodrope.

The Rt. Hon. the Earl of Castletown in the chair, the minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Applications were read from Mr. Cranville, Mr. Miller and Mr. O'Fool for the appointment of clerk to the board. Mr. Cranville's appointment was proposed by Mr. Glascott, seconded Mr. Peter Taylor. Mr. Miller's appointment was proposed by Captain Owen, seconded by Mr. P. A. Moore. Mr. O'Fool's appointment was proposed by Mr. H. Redmond, seconded by Mr. Crane.

It having been determined that only two candidates should be put in nomination, a poll was taken that the name having the smallest number of suffrages should be withdrawn; the numbers were

For Mr. Cranville 22

" Mr. Miller 20

" Mr. O'Fool 16. Mr. O'Fool's name

was accordingly withdrawn, and the votes taken for the other two candidates. The numbers were

For Mr. Cranville 17

" Mr. Miller 12

Mr. Cranville was therefore appointed clerk of this board.

Tenders were then read from the undermentioned valuers, proposing to value the rateable

Mr. Cranville
 appointed
 Clerk.

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property of the union, on the following terms.

Mr. Henly at £5/0 thousand statute acres, to complete by 31 October 1840.

Mr. Smith at £4/0 thousand statute acres, to complete in nine months.

Messrs Neville and son £4/0 thousand statute acres to complete in eight months.

Mr. Bolton at £250 for the entire union, to complete in eight months.

Mr. Saml. Hollingsworth at £450, to complete by 1 October next.

Whereupon Captain Owen proposed, and Mr. Cooke seconded "that the offer of Messrs Neville and son to value the rateable property therein, be accepted, on condition that no assistant shall be employed, by the Messrs Neville, who shall not, previously, have been approved of by the Board of Guardians."

This resolution having been agreed to unanimously, by Messrs Neville and son were declared the valuers of this union.

Ordered that the next meeting of this board take place on Thursday the 19th of March 1840."

The Towns Chairman

Messrs Neville & son
appointed
valuators

19 March 1840

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At an ordinary meeting of the guardians of the Grey Union, held at Grey on the 19th day of March 1840, the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Conestown in the Chair, present Col. L. Owen, Capt. R. Owen, Solomon Richards Esq, John Portridge Esq, Henry Browning Esq, William B. Cooke Esq, Mr. Philip Crane, Mr. Tho. Joyce, Mr. Joseph Paris, Edw. Fitzsimons Esq, Mr Owen Fogarty, Mr. John Giles, George Glascott Esq, Mr. Jas. Godkin, Mr. Wm B. Harvey, Mr. Michael Kavanagh, Mr. Richd. Keegan, Mr. Dan Kenny, Mr. Tho. Kenny, Mr. Jas. Middleton, Mr. John Pearson, Mr. Hugh Redmond, Mr. Peter Taylor, Mr. Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed. Messrs Neville & Son, the valuers, being in attendance, were called in. They delivered the following letter to the Chairman.

My Lord

Grey 19 March 40

We propose employing, as our assistants in the union, Messrs John Ryan and John Ross together; Fosey Bolton and Samuel Clarke together; and Richard Orapington, late of the Government valuation department; and we have to request the assent of the Board of Guardians thereto.

We are, my Lord, your faithful servants,

Neville & Son

To The Earl of Conestown
Chairman, Grey Union

Messrs John Ryan
John Ross
Fosey Bolton
Saml. Clarke and
Richd. Orapington
appointed
ass^{ts} valuers

On the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by John Glascott Esq, it was resolved, with two dissentients, "that the assent of the guardians, to the above arrangement, be given, as desired."

19 March 1840

Offer of Mr. Wm
Cordell, to supply
the boardroom
with firing and
furniture, "accepted."

On the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by
Geo. Glascott Esq., it was resolved "that an offer made
by Mr. Wm Cordell, to supply tables, chairs and
firing for the boardroom, at the rate of six pounds
& annuum, from the day of the first meeting of the
guardians, be accepted."

Resolved "that the clerk do write to Mr. Thom,
the printer, to supply Messrs Neville, the valuers,
with eight quires of valuation sheets and ten field
books, for the purposes of the valuation."

Accounts from Mr. Stringer and Mr. Cook,
amounting to £1. 13. 0, were ordered to be paid;
and a draft for ten pounds ordered to be drawn
on the treasurers, for petty cash expenses.

Ordered "that the next meeting of this
board take place on Friday the tenth day of April."

McTernan Chairman

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10 April 1840

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At an ordinary meeting of the guardians of the Gorey Union, held at Gorey, on the 10th day of April 1840, The Rt. Hon. the Earl of Courtown in the chair, present,

Col. Owen, Capt. Owen, Tho. Doyle, Joseph Davis, Edward Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, Jas. Godkin, Wm. B. Harvey, Michl. Kavanagh, Richd. Keegan, Tho. Kenny, Dan. Kenny, James Middleton, John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Nichl. Sheridan, Pousoby A. Moore Esq. Henry Prounny Esq.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced for payments ordered to be made at last meeting of the Board Accounts from Mr. Thom, printer, amounting to 3-12-0, Mr. Woodhouse, for seal, 15-0, Mr. Webster, for painting and lettering tin box 10-0; amounting altogether to £4-18-0, were examined, allowed, and ordered to be paid.

Tender of Mr. M. Daniel to build the union work-house accepted.

The assistant Commissioner announced that the tender of Mr. M. Daniel of Gorey, to build the union work-house, had been accepted by the Commissioners.

The Board expressed unanimous approbation of a bill for the suppression of vagrant mendicancy, and request that their resolution, to that effect, may be forwarded, by the assist. Commissioner, to Lord Morpeth and to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Moved by Pousoby A. Moore Esq. seconded by Capt. Owen, it was unanimously resolved that we have seen, with great satisfaction, that a bill has been introduced into parliament, for the suppression of vagrant mendicancy, to come into operation throughout Ireland as soon as the previous work-houses are declared fit for the reception of the poor.

That we look upon such a measure as one of paramount importance, particularly called for since the passing of the poor law bill, and calculated at the same time, to relieve the rate payer from

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the support of strangers, and to enable those who are blessed with the means and the will more fully to relieve such of their poor neighbours as may need assistance."

"That a copy of the foregoing resolution be forwarded, by the Assistant Commissioner, to Lord Morpeth, and to the poor law Commissioners."

The board then proceeded to the division of the union into wardens' districts; and, after deliberate consultation on the subject, it was unanimously resolved that the number of districts shall be twenty one, of which the following shall be the divisions.

1 Gorey electoral division 3 Wardens.

1 Town of Gorey.

2 Parishes of Clough and Kilnehue.

3 Kilcavan.

2 Coolgrassy electoral division 2 wardens.

1 Inch and Kiluinnor.

2 Kilgorman and Kilcavan.

3 Wingfield electoral division 2 wardens.

1 Townlands of Abnagh, Oaw, Ballynacoolin, Ballygullen, Hollyfort and Colaney.

2 Remainder of electoral division.

4 Ballyellis electoral division 2 wardens

1 Ballybeg, Ballinacorin, Bolinrush, Kiltillihane, Ballytanna.

2 Remainder of electoral division.

5 Rosmanogue electoral division 2 wardens

1 Rosmanogue parish

2 Remainder of electoral division

Union divided
into twenty one
Wardens'
districts.

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5 Camolin electoral division 2 wardens.

1 Parish of Fount.

2 Remainder of electoral division.

7 Ballycaneu electoral division 2 wardens.

1 Ardennine and Killeenagh parishes.

2 Remainder of electoral division.

8 Monamolin electoral division 2 wardens.

1 Donamore and part of Kiltroisk.

2 Monamolin and remainder of division.

9 Courtown electoral division 2 wardens.

1 Parish of Kiltannel, together with
Farahill and the townland of
Cranelard in Kilcavan.

2 Remainder of electoral division.

10 Wells electoral division 2 wardens.

Vide 15

Resolved unanimously, "that this board will, at its next meeting, proceed to the election of wardens for the different districts marked out; and that the guardians of each electoral division be requested to exert themselves to procure written offers from individuals willing to fill the office, and that they report the result of their enquiries to the next board."

Resolved "that the next meeting of this board take place on Wednesday the 6th of May."

J. P. T. W. Chairman

5 May 1840

At an ordinary meeting of guardians, held at Gorey, on the 5th day of May 1840, The R.^t Hon. the Earl of Courtown in the Chair, present
 Ros.^t Payne Esq., P. A. Moore Esq.,
 Capt. Rob.^t Owen, John Portbridge, Philip O'raw,
 Joseph Paris, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, Jas. Godwin
 Wm. B. Harvey, Mich.^d Kavanagh, Richard Keegan,
 Daniel Kenny, Thomas Kenny, Hugh Redmond,
 Nicholas Sheridan, Peter Taylor.

Vouchers were produced, by the clerk, for payments ordered at the last meeting of the Board.

The accounts of the returning officer, as revised by the Poor Law Commissioners, amounting to £64-2-0 having been read, on the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Pausonby Moore, it was resolved unanimously, "that a draft for £64-2-0 be drawn on the treasurer, for the amount," which was done accordingly.

The Board then proceeded to the election of wardens; when the following appointments were made.

Messrs Mich.^d Byrne,
 Christopher Warren
 and Jas. Stafford
 appointed wardens.

Gorey electoral division
 N^o 1 Michael Byrne
 2 Christopher Warren
 3 James Stafford

Messrs Geo.'Brien
 and C. Penrose
 appointed wardens.

Coolgraney electoral division
 N^o 1 George'Brien
 2 Christopher Penrose

Messrs A. Keegan
 and W.^m Noblet
 appointed wardens.

Wingfield electoral division
 N^o 1 Anthony Keegan
 2 William Noblet

Mr. Geo. Kidd
 appointed warden.

Ballyellis electoral division
 N^o 1 (vide 10)
 2 George Kidd

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Rossmore electoral division.

N^o 1 Vide 16

2 Vide 18

Camolin electoral division.

N^o 1 Vide 19

2 Vide 19

Ballycarnew electoral division

N^o 1 (Vide 16)

2 Henry Furney

Mr. H. Furney
appointed warden.

Monamolin electoral division

N^o 1 Vide 15

2 Vide 18

Mrs. John
Middleton and
Geo. Butler appointed
wardens.

Quintown electoral division

N^o 1 John Middleton

2 George Butler

Wells electoral division

N^o 1 Vide 15

2 Vide 15

Ordered that the next meeting of this
board do take place on Wednesday, the 3rd day
of June, at 12 o'clock.

Thos. Towny, Chairman

6 May 1840

held at Gorey on the 16th day of May 1840

At an extraordinary meeting of Guardians, convened for the purpose of taking into consideration a letter, received from the Poor Law Commissioners, relative to borrowing money necessary for the building, furnishing &c of the work-house of the union, Capt. Robert Owen in the Chair.

present, Col. Owen, Solomon Richards, John Pearson, Thomas Poyle, Edward Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, James Godkin, William B. Harvey, Richard Keegan, Richard Scallan, Peter Taylor.

The communication from the Commissioners, directing the Guardians to raise or borrow the sum of £5,000 for the building and fitting up of the union work-house, was read: whereupon, at the motion of Solomon Richards Esq., seconded by Mr. John Pearson, it was resolved unanimously that application be made to the Exchequer Loan Commissioners for the necessary advances on the terms suggested in the order of the Poor Law Commissioners.

The application was, accordingly, duly verified by Captain Robert Owen, Chairman of the meeting, and Solomon Richards Esq. and William B. Harvey, two of the Guardians present, and countersigned by Joseph Caswile clerk of the Union.

Adjourned

R. Owen,
Chairman

Application made
to the Exchequer
Loan Commissioners
for £5,000 for the
building and
fitting up of the
union work-house

3 June 1840

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held at Gorey on the 3rd day of June 1840, Capt. Robt. Owen in the Chair,

present, Col. Owen, Solomon Richards Esq. John Portridge, Philip Oane, Thomas Doyle Edward Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, George Glascock James Godkin, William B. Harvey, Paul Kenny, Thomas Kenny, James Middleton, John Pearson Nicholas Sheridan, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

On the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by Solomon Richards Esq., it was unanimously resolved that the application of Mr. Neville to appoint Mr. Samuel Irvine to assist him in the valuation of the union be agreed to.

The electoral division of Wells was divided into two wardens districts.

- N^o. 1 to consist of the parish of Kilmemaragh and the townlands comprising Mr. Poynes estate, to be hereafter mentioned
- " 2, remainder of electoral division.

The following appointments of wardens were next made.

Monamolin N^o. 1 Giles Browning

Wells N^o. 1 Bede 15

2 Myles Ponhue Timoney

Ordered that the next meeting do take place on Wednesday 1 July 1840

R. O'Connell
Chairman

Mr. Saml. Irvine
appointed assist.
valuator.

Mr. Giles Browning
appointed warden.

Mr. Myles Ponhue
appointed a
warden.

1 July 1840

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians,
held at Gorey on Wednesday the 1st of July 1840,
Capt Owen in the Chair,

present, Robt. Poyné Esq., Col. Owen, J. G. Richards Esq.,
Solomon Richards Esq., Henry Porswings Esq., Philip
Crane, Tho. Doyle, Joseph Davis, Owen Fogarty, John
Filer, James Gaskin, W. B. Harvey, Mich. Kavanagh
Richard Keegan, Dan. Kenny, Tho. Kenny, James
Middleton, Nicholas Sheridan, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting having
been read and confirmed, it was unanimously
resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by
J. G. Richards Esq., "that the tender of Mr. Tho. Doyle
of Knockbrandon, to serve as warden, for number
1 district of Rosmanogue electoral division, be accepted."

On the motion of J. G. Richards Esq.,
seconded by Col. Owen, it was resolved, unanimously,
"that Mr. Tho. Steinhaw, of Droughill be appointed
warden for number 1 district of Bally, a new
electoral division."

On the motion of J. G. Richards Esq.,
seconded by Robt. Poyné Esq., it was resolved,
unanimously, "that Mr. George Barker of Coolharrou
be appointed warden of number 1 district of
Wells electoral division."

On the motion of Mr. Thomas Doyle,
seconded by Mr. Nicholas Sheridan, it was resolved,
unanimously, "that Mr. Daniel O'Keil of Ballycarsna
be appointed warden for number 1 district of
Ballyellis electoral division."

On the motion of Solomon Richards Esq.,
seconded by Robert Poyné Esq., it was resolved,
unanimously, "that the appointment of Mr. Irvine, as
assistant valuator, be rescinded, and that the clerk
do notify the same to Messrs Neville."

Appointment
of Mr. Irvine
rescinded.

Mr. Tho. Doyle
appointed warden

Mr. Thomas
Steinhaw
appointed warden

Mr. Geo. Barker
appointed warden

Mr. Dan. O'Keil
appointed warden

1 July 1840

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Ordered "that a draft be drawn, on the treasurer, for ten pounds, being for one quarter's salary to the clerk, ending the 20th of May last."

Ordered "that the next meeting of the Board do take place on Wednesday the 29th inst. at 12 o'clock."

Ordered "that Messrs Neville be required to lay before the Board, at their next meeting, one or more of the electoral divisions the valuation whereof may have been completed at that time."

John Town Norton

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29 July 1840

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians,
held at Gorey on Wednesday the 29th of July 1840.
The R.^t Hon. the Earl of Courtown in the Chair.

present Robert Doyle Esq., G. A. Moore Esq., Colonel
Loftus Owen, Capt. Rob.^t Owen, J. G. Richards Esq.,
Solomon Richards Esq., John Portridge, Henry Brownrigg
W.^m B. Cooke, Philip Crane, Tho. Doyle, Joseph Davis
Edw. Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, Geo. Glascott
Ja. Godkin, W.^m B. Harvey, Mich.^t Kavanagh, Ri.^t Keegan
Daniel Kenny, Tho.^s Kenny, Ja.^s Middleton, John Pearson,
Hugh Redmond, Owen Redmond, Mich.^t Sheridan
Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroop

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

Order of the 5th
of May, in part,
rescinded, and
in lieu thereof,
a revised order,
bearing date the
25th of July 1840,
unanimously
adopted.

A communication was read from the Poor
Law Commissioners, respecting to meet of their order,
of the 5th of May last, as directed the Guardians to raise
£5,000 for the purchase of land as a site for the Work-
house: an amended order, bearing date the 25th of
July 1840, ordering the aforesaid sum of £5,000, to
be raised for building and fitting up the said
workhouse, was likewise read; whereupon, on the
motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by J. G. Richards Esq.
it was unanimously resolved "that application be
made, to the Exchequer Bill Loan Commissioners, for
an advance of the said sum, on the terms of the last
order of the Poor Law Commissioners."

Mr. Denis Finn
appointed warden.

On the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by
Mr. Tho.^s Kenny, it was unanimously resolved "that
Mr. Denis Finn of Murbay be appointed warden
for N^o. 2 of Rosmanogue."

Mr. James Giles
appointed warden.

On the motion of Mr. Cooke, seconded by
Mr. Doyle, it was unanimously resolved "that Mr.
James Giles of Clow be appointed Warden for N^o. 2
Munmotlin."

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Messrs James Sherlock
and Thomas Cyles
appointed wardens.

On the motion of Mr. Glascott, seconded by Mr. Pearson it was unanimously resolved that Mr. James Sherlock, of Camolin, be appointed warden for N^o. 1 Camolin, and Mr. Thomas Cyles of Clonee for N^o. 2.

Sub-committees
appointed to
revise the
valuation.

On the motion of Captain Owen, seconded by J. J. Richards Esq. it was agreed, unanimously, that the following sub-committees be appointed to revise the valuation of this union, as given in from time to time, by Messrs Keville, with ^{power} to adjourn from day to day.

N^o. 1

The elected guardians of the Gorey, Coolgraney, Courtown, and Wingfield electoral divisions, together with such ex officio guardians as reside within these divisions, or may have property therein, to revise the valuation of the four electoral divisions comprising this district: five to be a quorum.

Union divided
into three valua-
tion districts.
Members of each
district declared.

N^o. 2

The guardians, as above, of Ballyclis-
Romanogue and Camolin, three to be a quorum.

N^o. 3

The guardians, as aforesaid, of Ballycaneen
Moumolin and Wells, three to be a quorum.

Chairman,
Vice Chairman
and deputy
members of
all committees,
ex officio.

The Chairman, vice chairman and deputy
to be members of all committees, ex officio.
The clerk to attend all committees. Should
the valuation of any more of the divisions be sent
in to the clerk, at any time between the ordinary
meetings of the Board, he is required to sum-
mon the sub-committee, to whom the revision
of such valuation is entrusted, to meet on the
first vacant day. The sub-committees to hold
their meetings in the Magistrate's room in
the court house, and to report progress at the
ordinary meetings of the Board.

29 July 1840

Valuation of
Gorey electoral
division handed
in by Messrs Neville

The valuation of the Gorey electoral division having been handed in by Mr. Neville, the sub-committee of the district within which that division is included are ordered to meet, on the 30th inst., at the Court house at eleven o'clock.

Ordered "that Mr. Thom's account, amount, as revised, £3-14-6, be paid."

Ordered "that a draft be drawn, on the treasurer, for ten pounds, to defray petty expenses."

Ordered "that our next meeting do take place on Wednesday the 26th of August, at 12 o'clock."

Cefs ordered
to be paid

Ordered "that the county cefs, now due on the ground occupied as the site of the Union Workhouse and on the land attached to the same, amount £-12-7, be paid."

W. Towne Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Gorey on Wednesday the 20th of August 1840, The R. Hon. the Earl of Courtown in the Chair, present, Capt. Owen, Col. Owen, Rob. Poynne, J. G. Richards, Geo. Glascott, Henry Brownrigg, Wm. B. Cooke, Joseph Davis, Tho. Poynne, Owen Fogarty, James Godkin, Wm. B. Hanney, Michl. Kavanagh, Richard Keegan, Paul. Kenny, Tho. Kenny, John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Nichl. Sheridan, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Deed of security for £3000, to be borrowed from the Exchequer Loan Bill Commissioners, executed.

A deed of security from the Exchequer Bill Loan Commissioners, for an advance of £3000, was read by the Clerk; whereupon, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by J. G. Richards Esq., it was unanimously resolved that the common seal of the Union be affixed thereto; and that the deed be signed, on behalf of the Guardians, by the Earl of Courtown as chairman, and by Rob. Poynne and Geo. Glascott Esqrs, guardians, which was also done accordingly.

Valuation of Coolgraney, Monomolin, Ballyellis and Wingfield delivered in by Mr. Neville.

Mr. Neville, the valuator, attended and delivered in the valuation of the electoral divisions of Coolgraney, Monomolin, Ballyellis, Ballycaneu, and Wingfield, as far as regarded the net annual value of the same: whereupon it was resolved that the valuation committee of N.º 3 district, do meet on Tuesday next, the 1st September, at Ballycaneu: the valuation, N.º 1 district, at the Courthouse, Gorey, at 11 o'clock, Wednesday 2 September, and N.º 2 district on Thursday the 27th inst., at eleven o'clock, at the Courthouse, Gorey.

An account from the General Advertiser, was examined, allowed, and ordered to be paid by the clerk, and charged to petty cash account.

20 Aug. 1840

Ordered "that a draft be drawn, on the treasurer, for ten pounds, for one quarter's salary of clerk, to the 20th of August last."

Ordered "that the clerk do provide, for his use, a chair of such height as he may deem most convenient for writing."

Ordered "that our next meeting do take place on Wednesday the 23rd of September next."

Wm. W. W. Chairman

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23 Sep. 1840

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Gorey on Wednesday the 23rd of September 1840, Captain Owen in the Chair,

present. P. A. Moore, Colonel Owen, J. G. Richards, John Borbridge, Joseph Davis, Edward Fitzsimon, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, William B. Harvey, Daniel Kenny, James Middleton, John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Owen Redmond,
The proceedings of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

The Vice President reported that the sub-committees had revised the valuations of the several electoral divisions of the Union, and had made such suggestions as they thought right. To most of these revisions the valuator assented, and the opinion of the sub-committees was that the valuation had, on the whole, been attentively and equitably made. When the valuator had not concurred in the suggestions made by the committee, the valuator's work remained untouched.

Sub-committees of opinion that the valuation is, on the whole, equitable

A letter was read from Mr. Neville, the valuator, stating that the valuation, as completed, would be ready for delivering to the guardians on Saturday next, and requesting an advance of one hundred pounds on account: whereupon it was proposed by Mr. Pearson, seconded Mr. Hugh Redmond, ^{and resolved} that this meeting, at its rising, do adjourn till Monday next, at twelve o'clock, to receive the valuation books from Messrs Neville.

Messrs Neville paid £100. in advance

On the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Glascott, it was resolved unanimously that an advance be made to Messrs Neville, the valuator, of one hundred pounds, on account, and that a draft be drawn, on the treasurer, for the am^t, which was

done accordingly.

The Vice Chairman read a circular, from the Poor Law Commissioners, on the subject of Vaccination (Act 3 and 4 Vic. C. 29) whereupon after due consideration, it was moved by Mr. Pearson, seconded by Mr. Davis, and resolved, unanimously, that the Union be divided into the following seven vaccination districts.

Union divided into seven vaccination districts.

N^o 1, the Workhouse district, to comprise the electoral divisions of Gorey and Wingfield Station - The Workhouse:

N^o 2, the Camolin district, to comprise the electoral divisions of Camolin & Rosmanogue Station - Camolin:

N^o 3, the Monomolin district, to comprise the electoral division of Monomolin. Station - Killenagh:

N^o 4, the Coolgraney district, to comprise the electoral division of Coolgraney Station - Coolgraney:

N^o 5, the Wells district, to comprise the electoral division of Wells. Station - Kilnemanagh:

N^o 6, the Coustoun district, to comprise the electoral divisions of Coustoun & Ballycane Station - Gorey bridge:

N^o 7, the Ballyellis district, to comprise the electoral division of Ballyellis Station - Carnew:

St. Paul's Gorey
St. Michael's Wingfield

St. Michael's Rosmanogue

Port Carter

Port Skins

Port Richards

Port Lee

St. Michael's

and that the assent of the Poor Law Commissioners be required to this arrangement; these divisions having been made with due regard to the dispensaries existing within and adjoining to them, as the most eligible stations for vaccination."

On the motion of P. S. Moore Esq., seconded by G. Glascott Esq., it was resolved that the resignation of Mr. James Sherlock, as Warden for N. Camolin, be accepted, and that Mr. William Pierce of Camolin be appointed in his stead."

Resolved that the wardens be requested to ascertain, and report to the Board, the numbers of destitute poor in their respective districts, coming under the following descriptions: Destitute cripples and bed-ridden persons: destitute idiots: destitute orphans and deserted children. The clerk of the Union will furnish to each warden a form for these returns, requesting they may be filled, as soon as they conveniently can, and returned to him."

R. O'Connell Ck.

Resignation of
Mr. Sherlock, and
appointment of
Mr. W. Pierce.

Wardens
requested to
report the
numbers of
destitute poor
within their
respective
districts.

28 Sep. 1840

At an adjourned meeting of Guardians, held, at Gorey, on Monday the 28th of September 1840, Capt Owen in the Chair,

present, O. A. Moore, Col. Owen, J. G. Richards, John Portridge, Henry Prouwris, Joseph Davis, Edward Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, Geo. Glascott, James Gookin, W. B. Harvey, Michael Kavanagh, Daniel Kenny, Jr. Middleton, Hugh Redmond, Owen Redmond, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe.

The proceedings of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Whereupon it was moved by Colonel Owen, seconded by J. G. Richards, and resolved unanimously that the clerk do notify to the several Barony high constables within the Union that the Guardians will shortly proceed to make the appointment of Collectors of poor's rate, and that the Board desire to be informed whether such persons desire to be considered as candidates for the appointment, and, if so, at what rate per cent they are willing to undertake the duties, and to give security for the due performance of the same."

Baronial high constables invited to be candidates for the appointment of collector of rates.

Messrs Neville deliver in revised valuation

Mr. Neville, the valuator, attended, and delivered in the valuations, as revised and corrected, of the several electoral divisions of the Union, and, the guardians approving of and adopting the same, it was

Notice given to the Commissioners that a rate is about to be made.

resolved, on the motion of O. A. Moore Esq, seconded by Col. Owen, that the clerk be instructed to give notice, according to Form F, in the order of the Poor Law Commissioners, that the guardians intend to make a rate according to such valuation, and that the said valuation do lie, for public inspection, for twenty one days, at

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Valuation books
open to public
inspection

The Courthouse, at Gorey; to commence on Monday
the 5th day of October, 1840.

Resolved "that the valuation books shall be
entrusted to the clerk of the Union and to Mr. James
Godwin of Gorey, as his assistant, at half a guinea
a week.

Ordered that our next meeting do take
place on Wednesday the 21st of October next.

R. Powell. Clk.

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21 Oct. 1840

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held, at Gorey, on Wednesday the 21st of October 1840, Captain Owen in the Chair,

present, Robert Poype, Colonel Owen, J. G. Richards, John Borbridge, Henry Browning, Wm. B. Cooke, Philip Crane, Thomas Doyle, Joseph Davis, Edw. Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, George Glascott, James Godkin, Wm. B. Harvey, Richard Keegan, Dan. Kenny, Tho. Kenny, John Pearson, Owen Redmond, Hugh Redmond, Nicholas Sheridan, Rich. Scallan, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed. A voucher was produced by the clerk for £2-5-5 paid by him to Messrs Gurn & Cameron.

Deed of security, A deed of security, to the Exchequer Bill for £3,700, to the Loan Commissioners, for the sum of three thousand seven hundred pounds was produced by the clerk, and, on the motion of Solomon Richards Esq., seconded by Col. Owen, it was resolved that the same be executed by the chairman and by Messrs J. G. Richards and Robert Poype, guardians, on behalf of the Board, which was done accordingly.

The Board, having made arrangements for carrying into effect the provisions of the act, passed in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, to extend the practice of vaccination, took into consideration the general terms of the contracts to be entered into with the medical officers of the Union, and other competent medical practitioners who may be willing to contract for the vaccination of all persons resident in the Union; and they are of opinion that the terms of such contracts should be as set forth in

the following Form.

Contract for Vaccination

3 & 4 Vict. c. 29. — An act to extend the practice of Vaccination

Articles of agreement entered into
this day of 184, between

of the one part, and the guardians of the poor of the Loney Union, in the County of Wexford, of the other part.

It is hereby agreed, and the said doth contract with the said guardians and their Successors, that, from and after the day of

he will vaccinate all persons, resident within the said Union, who may come to him for that purpose, at the time and place at which he shall, in conformity with the terms of this contract, attend.

And that he will, for the purpose of vaccinating all such persons, attend on in every week, from the hour of o'clock to the hour of at

And that he will, then and there, duly vaccinate all such persons as may be present for that purpose of being vaccinated, and who may not before have been successfully vaccinated, and do and perform all such other acts and things as may be necessary for the purpose of causing such vaccination to be successfully terminated.

And that he will keep all such registers and books of record, and make such reports

Form of articles of agreement.

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and returns, from time to time, as the Poor Law Commissioners may prescribe, or the Board of Guardians, subject to the approval of the said Commissioners, may require.

And that, in every case in which the result of vaccination, performed by him, under this contract, on any person, shall be successful, he will give to such person, or to its parent, guardian, or nurse, a certificate of the fact, in the form prescribed. And that he will also keep a register, in the prescribed form, of all cases of small pox which he shall attend, and will deliver a copy of same, to the clerk of said guardians, once in every half year, namely, on the first of January and first of June.

And the said guardians do, for themselves and their successors, contract and agree with the said _____ to pay to the said _____ his executors, administrators or assigns, within one calendar month after the first of January, and the first of June, respectively, during this contract, and within one month after its termination, the sum of _____

for every person who, not having been previously vaccinated, shall have been successfully vaccinated, since the last preceding first of January or first of June, as the case may be, under this contract by the said _____ and with respect to whom the said _____ shall have made the entries, and given the certificate herein before described.

And it is hereby further agreed, between the said _____ and the said guardians, that this contract may be

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put an end to by either of the parties hereto, on giving twenty-eight days notice to the other party, respectively, of the intention to put an end to the same.

In witness whereof the said hath hereunto set his hand and seal, and the said guardians their common seal, the day and year first above written.

Signed sealed and delivered by the above named

Signed on behalf of the majority

Guardians present

In presence of

Clerk of the Guardians.

Amount of remuneration, to the vaccinator, to be one shilling for each successful case, up to 200, and six pence for each case beyond that number.

Resolved, on the motion of Mr. Poynes, seconded by Mr. Probridge, that the amount of remuneration, to be given to the vaccinator, shall be according to the scale recommended by the Commissioners, namely, one shilling for each case of successful vaccination, when the number shall not exceed two hundred, and six pence for each case beyond that number.

On the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Poynes, it was resolved that the offer of becoming vaccinators to the Union, on the terms above proposed, be first made to the several surgeons in charge of the dispensaries at the stations named in all the districts except the work house district.

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Moved by Mr. Richards, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe, and resolved unanimously, "that the Workhouse District be offered to Doctor Owen, of Gorey, on the aforesaid terms."

Barony constables propose to collect the rates at 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ p^a pound.

Letters were read from the Barony Collectors, proposing to collect the rates of their respective baronies at nine pence $\frac{1}{2}$ p^a pound."

The Board consider 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ p^a cent to be a sufficient remuneration for collecting the rates.

On the motion of Mr. Doyne, seconded by Mr. J. F. Richards, it was resolved "that the Board of Guardians consider that 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ p^a cent is a sufficient remuneration for collecting the poor rates of the Union."

Ordered "that the next meeting of the Board do take place on Wednesday the 18th of November next.

R. O'Connell

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Forey on Wednesday the 18th of November 1840, the R. Hon. the Earl of Courtenay in the chair, present, Rob^t. Poyne, Colonel Owen, Capt R. Owen, John Goddard Richards, John Partridge, Philip O'Connell, Tho^s. Doyle, Joseph Davis, John Liles, Jas. Godwin, Wm. B. Harvey, Miss. Kavanagh, Paul. Kenny, Tho^s. Kenny, James Middleton, John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Abel Woodroffe. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The Board meet from day to day, commencing 23 Nov., to consider objections to valuation.

Mr. Neville, the valuator, was in attendance, and stated that he was now prepared to attend the Board to go into the consideration of the several objections made to the valuation, whereupon, on the motion of Capt Owen, seconded by Mr. Richards, it was resolved "that this board do meet here from day to day, commencing on Monday next the 23rd inst^t at ten o'clock, for the purpose of considering and revising the several objections made to the valuation."

Resolved "that the clerk be instructed to classify the several objections to valuation in electoral divisions, in order to facilitate the proceedings of the Board."

Resolved, on the motion of Mr. Poyne, seconded by Mr. Pearson, "that advertisements be issued expressing the desire of the Board to make contracts with competent medical practitioners for the vaccinating of all persons within the union, at the rate of one shilling for each successful case of vaccination, when the number shall not exceed two hundred, and six pence for each case beyond that number; tenders to be sent to the clerk

of the Board before the next day of meeting, viz. on Wednesday the 15th of Dec. next."

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe, "that the Board, at its next ordinary meeting, viz. on Wednesday the 15th of December, will proceed to the consideration of the appointment of Collectors of the rates of the Union."

The clerk directed to communicate to high constables amt. of remuneration for collecting rates.

That the clerk be directed to communicate the foregoing resolution to the barony high constables within the Union, together with the amount of remuneration agreed on at the last meeting of the Board."

Proposed by Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Moore, resolved "that a draft be drawn on the Treasurer of the Union for ten pounds and that the clerk do pay the following accounts, - Mr. Thom £2-11-, Mr. Pearson £1-10 Mr. James Godkin £1-17."

The Chairman receives and reads a series of resolutions, signed by six medical practitioners, approving of legislative interference for the suppression of inoculation, but disapproving of the "credulity and imperfection" of the Act: expressing dissatisfaction at the amount of

The following resolutions were handed to, and read by the Chairman.

Resolved that we gratefully acknowledge the wisdom of legislative interference for the suppression of the baneful practice of inoculation, and admire the prudence of our rulers as evinced in their sanction of the principles of endeavouring to diffuse, as widely as possible, the invaluable practice of vaccination; but, while we admit the advantages likely to arise from the adoption of those principles, we feel bound to express our decided, but respectful disapprobation of the credulity and imperfection of the act in which they are embodied.

remuneration; "especially any descending scale of remuneration: refusing to act under the law as it now stands; and resolving, till the same shall have been amended," to "vaccinate the poor gratuitously."

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That the terms proposed by the Poor Law Commissioners, and adopted by the Guardians of this union, are quite disproportioned to the amount and nature of the duties intended to be imposed, if fairly and efficiently discharged, especially any descending scale of remuneration, which is offensive and unjust, and diametrically opposed to the spirit of that law which was enacted by the Legislature, to extend, as much as possible, the benefits of vaccination; and that, while we refrain from laying down any precise amount of remuneration, we shall continue, as heretofore, to vaccinate the poor, gratuitously until the Legislature shall have finally set the question at rest.

3
Resolved, that if the Guardians of this union refuse to accept our gratuitous services, until such time as the law (now in a very unsatisfactory state) shall have been amended and finally settled, we shall decline altogether to act under that law, and continue, as heretofore, gratuitously to vaccinate such poor persons as apply to us.

4
Resolved, that, before we undertake, at all, to assist in carrying out the Vaccination Bill, we request to be informed, by the guardians, what the precise nature and amount of the duties are which the Board propose to be performed by the vaccinator at each station.

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Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Board of

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Guardians for the Union of Gorey."

Stephen H. Brown, Chairman
 Thos. H. Irvine
 John Lyndall
 Benj^r. Porter
 Peter Lee
 Geo. Owen

Doctor Newbold
 appointed vac-
 cinator for
 Ballyellis

Resolved on the motion of Mr. Moore, seconded by Mr. Pearson, "that the proposal of Doctor Newbold to become Vaccinator for the Bally-
 -ellis district be accepted."

Ordered, that the next meeting of the
 Board do take place on Wednesday, the 10th
 of December next.

Stephen H. Brown
 Chairman

At Meetings of the Board of Guardians
 held at the Court House on Monday the
 23^d November & following day, present

The Earl of Mountnorris, Chairman,
 Messrs. Doyle, Colman Owen, Ponsoby Moore,
 Woodhouse, Fitzsimons, Redmond, Godkin, Harvey,
 Taylor, Pearson, Biddellton, Wm. Redmond, Barbridge,
 Kavanagh, Fogarty, Snowsill, Keegan, Kenny,
 Doyle Sheridan, Guardians, -

The Board
 express their
 full approbation
 of the case, atten-
 tion & judgment
 evinced by
 Messrs Neville
 in the ratification
 of the Union

The Board attentively devised & considered
 the valuation of the Union, and agreed to the
 following Resolutions.

Moved by J. G. Richards Esq^r seconded by
 Ponsoby & Moore Esq^r, Resolved

That in receiving & adopting the Valuation
 of this Union by Messrs Neville, the Board
 desire to record their full approbation of the care
 attention & judgment which Messrs Neville have
 evinced & at the impartial & satisfactory manner

in which they have executed the important duties entrusted to them.

Moved by Robert Doyle Esq, seconded by Mr. Piers, resolved unanimously

That the Clerk of the Union be instructed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Messrs. Reville under the seal of the Union.

Robert Doyle Chairman

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Grey, on Wednesday the 10th of December 1840 present.

The Earl of Courtown, Chairman, Col. Owen, Capt. Owen, Solomon Richards, Henry Brownrigg, Thos Doyle, Joseph Davis, Edw. Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, Geo. Glascock, Wm B. Harvey, Mich. Kavanagh Jr, Middleton, John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Owen Redmond, Nichl Sheridan, Guardians

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced by the clerk for payments ordered at the last meeting, amounting altogether to £5. 18. 0.

The Board having taken into consideration the division of the Union into collectors' districts, it was resolved, on the motion of Captain Owen seconded by Solomon Richards Esq, that the Union be divided into three collectors' districts.

N^o 1 to consist of the electoral divisions of Grey, Coolgraveny, Wingfield, Rosminogue & Courtown

Union divided into collectors' districts

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N. 2, the electoral divisions of Ballyellis
and Camolin.

3, the electoral divisions of Ballycarnew,
Monomolin and Wells.

Messrs Thomas
Webster, W^m
Fayle and
Geo. Conner
appointed
collectors at
2½ cent.

The several barony collectors having
been called in expressed their willingness
to undertake the collection of the poor rates
for such portions of the union as may be
assigned them, within their respective col-
lections, at 2½ cent on the amount of rates
collected; and the board of Guardians having
resolved, at a previous meeting, that such rate
for collection would be reasonable and proper,
it was resolved that, subject to the approbation
of the Poor Law Commissioners to the arrangements

Mr. Thomas Webster, barony ceps collector,
be appointed collector ^{of poor rates} for N. 1 district

Mr. W. Fayle, barony ceps collector,
be appointed collector ^{of poor rates} for N. 2 district

Mr. George Conner, barony ceps collector,
be appointed collector of poor rates for
N. 3 district.

Mr. Newbould
offers himself
as vaccinator
for the division
of Rosminogue

A letter was read from
Mr. Newbould offering himself as vaccinator
for the division of Rosminogue; whereupon
it was resolved that the clerk be directed to write
to him to attend the next meeting of the Board.

Mr. Neville
hands in
revised books
of valuation

Mr. Neville handed in the books, as
revised, of the valuation of the union, which
were received accordingly

Resolved, that a draft be drawn on the
treasurer for ten pounds, for a quarters salary
to the clerk, due the 20th of November last.

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Ordered, "that the next meeting of this board do take place on Wednesday the 13th of January next."

Wm. Owen Chairman

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held at Gorey on Wednesday the 13th of January 1841, the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Conestown in the chair, present, Col. Poyw, O. S. Moore, Col. Loftus Owen, Capt. Robert Owen, Solomon Richards, Henry Conyngham, Wm. B. Cooke, Philip Crane, Thos. Doyle, Edw. Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, John Giles, Wm. C. Harvey, Michl. Kavanagh, Richard Keegan, Paul Kenny, Thos. Kenny, Jas. Middleton, Hugh Redmond & Abel Woodroop.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners confirming the appointments made by the Board at their last meeting.

A letter was read from Mr Kidd conveying his return of destitute poor within his district, and tendering his resignation.

Moved by Capt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Woodroop.

Resolved, that the clerk be directed to write to the collectors of Poor rates, signifying to them the approval of their appointments by the Poor Law Commissioners, and requesting them to attend the next ordinary meeting of the

Mr. Kidd
tenders his
resignation

Appointments,
made at last
meeting, approved
of by the Commis

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Board on the 10th prox. in order to enter into the necessary contracts."

Resolved "that the electoral division of Rosminogur be withdrawn from N.º 2 vaccination district, and added to N.º 7 with an additional station at Craanford."

Mr Robert Newbould, having been accepted as vaccinator for the district of Ballyellis, to which Rosminogur has been added, was called in and signed the necessary contracts, the place of vaccination for Ballyellis to be Carnew, and for Rosminogur at Craanford.

Moved by Mr Richards, seconded by Mr. Joyce, and resolved,

"that the account of Messrs Neville, the valuator, amounting to £295-10. for the valuation of the union, be passed and allowed."

Moved by C. A. Moore Esq., seconded by Capt. Owen, and resolved,

"that an advance be made to Messrs Neville of £100 on account."

Ordered "that the clerk do write to the Masonry Collectors, acquainting them that their appointment has been confirmed by the Commissioners, and requesting them to attend the next meeting of the Guardians, on Wednesday, the 10th of February next."

Ordered "that this Board do hold its next meeting on Wednesday the 10th of February next."

Robert Joyce
Chairman

Rosminogur
withdrawn from
N.º 2 vaccination
dist., and
added to N.º 7

Post. Newbould
executes his
contract, as
vaccinator for
Ballyellis & Rosminogur
Aut. of Messrs
Neville passed
and allowed.

Advance to
Messrs Neville
£100 on acc^t

Appointment
of Collectors
confirmed

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians,
held at Forey on Wednesday the 10th of February 1841,
present the Earl of Conestown, Chairman
P. A. Moore, Col. Owen, J. J. Richards, Solomon Richards,
John Partridge, Henry Browning, Owen Fogarty,
John Giles, George Glascock, W. B. Harvey,
Richard Keegan, Thomas Kenny, Jr. Middleton
John Pearson, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

Collectors of rates
sign their agree-
ments."

Messrs Thomas Webster, William
Fayle, and George Prouder, Poor rate collectors,
attended and signed their agreements, as collectors,
after which it was ordered that the clerk do
write to Mr. Thom for four copies of collectors'
bonds, and four copies of collectors security
bonds."

Ordered that the Board do hold
their next ordinary meeting on Wednesday,
the 10th of March next.

For the Board Chairman

10 March 1841

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Jony on Wednesday the 10th of March 1841, present the Earl of Countown, Chairman, Colonel Owen, Capt. Rob^t Owen, Solomon Richards, John Borbridge, Henry Brownrigg, Joseph Davis, Thomas Doyle, Edward Fitzsimons, Owen Fogarty, James Godkin, Rich^d Keegan, Daniel Kenny, Thomas Kenny, John Pearson, Hugh Redmond, Rich^d Sheridan, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe, W^m B. Harvey. —

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. Condell's acc^t
paid.

Mr. T. Keegan's %
paid

Accounts furnished by Mr. W^m Condell £5. for providing furniture and fuel for board room, and by Mr. Th^s Keegan, printer, for four shillings were ordered to be paid; and a draft was drawn on the treasurer for six pounds.

A letter was read from Mr. Muggerridge accounting for his absence from the meeting, by reason of a family affliction.

A letter was read from Messrs Keville, conveying an application for £95-10, the balance of their account, and the clerk was desired to reply thereto.

Ordered, that this board do hold its next meeting on Wednesday the 7th of April next.

Pro Tem, Chairman

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Gorey on Wednesday the 7th day of April 1841, Mr. Muzzey, the Assistant Commissioner, in the Chair, present the Earl of Courtown, Colonel Owen, George Barker, Thomas Barker, Fitzroy Bolton, Henry Bolton, John Corbridge, Thomas Doyle, Edw. Fitzsimons, James Giles, James Godkin, Job Hall, Wm. B. Harvey, Richard Higginsbotham, Thomas Inman, George Johnston, Richard Keegan, Captain Richard ^{Owen} Pearson, Abel Woodroffe,

Earl of Courtown
re-appointed
Chairman

On the motion of Mr. Woodroffe, seconded by Mr. Pearson it was unanimously resolved "that the Earl of Courtown be re-appointed Chairman of the Board of Guardians."

Sir Tho. Esmonde
re-appointed
Vice Chairman

His Lordship having resumed the Chair, it was unanimously resolved, on the motion of Captain Richard Owen R.N. seconded by Mr. Fitzsimons, "that Sir Thomas Esmonde, Bart., be re-appointed Vice Chairman."

Capt. Robt. Owen
re-appointed
deputy vice
Chairman

On the motion of Mr. Woodroffe, seconded by Mr. Pearson, it was unanimously resolved "that Captain Robert Owen, be re-appointed Deputy Vice Chairman."

The minutes of the preceding meeting were ^{then} read and confirmed.

Messrs Nevilles & Co
paid in full

On the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Fitzsimons, it was resolved that Messrs Nevilles be paid the sum due to them, amounting to £95-10-, being the balance, in full, of their account for the valuation." a draft, in their favour, for that sum, was accordingly drawn on the treasurer, and handed by the clerk to Mr. Parker Neville.

On the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Corbridge, it was resolved "that a draft be drawn, on the treasurer, for ten pounds, for one quarter's salary

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due, to the Clerk, on the 20th of February last."

Doct^r Newbold
appointed vaccinator
for Wingfield
division, station
at Slough

On the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by
Mr. Woodroffe, it was resolved that Mr. Newbold
be appointed vaccinator for the Wingfield electoral
division, station to be Slough, and that he be allowed
to hire a room, for vaccination, at not exceeding
four pounds per annum."

Mr. Doyle tender
his resignation
as Warden for
1 Rosminogur

A letter was read from ^{Mr.} Doyle of Knock Brandon
tendering his resignation as Warden for the electoral
division of Rosminogur.

Ordered, "that the next meeting of
of this Board be held on Tuesday the fourth of
May next."

John Poyne Chairman

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians,
held at Foy, on Tuesday the 4th of May 1841
present Robert Poyne Esq. Chairman,
James Gaskin, Wm B. Harvey, Capt. Richd Owen
Nicholas Sheridan, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

Ordered that the next meeting of
this board be held on Monday the 31st inst.,
at 12 o'clock.

John Poyne Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of guardians, held, at Ensey, on Monday the 31st of May 1841, present
Capt. Robert Owen, chairman,

P. A. Moore, Col. Owen, Geo. Parker, Fossey, Bolton
Henry Bolton, John Postidge, Henry Brownrigg,
Thos. Poye Esq. Fitzsimons, Jas. Giles, Geo. Glascott,
James Goodkin, Wm. B. Harvey, Thos. Sumner, Geo. Johnston,
Richard Keegan, Jas. Kenny, John Pearson
Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Returning Officer's
£3-11-2 paid

Letter read from the poor Law Commissioners transmitting Returning Officer's account, amounting to £3-11-2, for which a draft was ordered and drawn.

Twelve copies of extracts from Mr. Nicholls's Reports in Ireland were received, and two copies of Morris's Valuation Tables. The former were distributed among the guardians present, for perusal.

Ordered, that £10. be paid to the clerk, for one quarter's salary, due the 20th inst." The same together with amount of returning officer's account were included in one draft

First rate
declared
at 7½ in the
pound

Proposed by Mr. Brownrigg, seconded by Mr. Pearson, and unanimously resolved, "that a rate be declared upon the union at seven pence half-penny ^{two} upon the pound; and that the collectors be instructed to prepare to prepare their rate books accordingly, and to lay them before the Board, at its next sitting."

Appt Clerk at
2/6 p day ordered
to calculate rates

"That Mr. Cranwill be requested to order a sufficient number of Collectors' books, for the union; and that he be empowered to employ a clerk to assist him in striking the rate, at the rate of 2/5 p day."

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Medical
officer's
salary
£50 a year

Proposed by Mr. Fitzsimons, seconded by Mr. Pearson, and resolved, "That the salary of the medical officer, who shall attend the inmates of the work-house, be £50. a year; and that he be required to compound and dispense the medicines, and, in all respects, attend to the medical wants of the inmates."

Master's salary
£40 a year
Matron's £25.
Porter's £10.

"That the salary of the Master be £40. a year, with rations, coals and candles, and the salary of the matron £25. a year, but if she be the wife of the master, to be reduced to £20., with rations &c, the same as the master."

"That the porter's salary be ten pounds a year, with clothes, rations, coals and candles"

Spit. Commis's
requested to adv.
-tise for tenders
Clothing, furniture
&c, and to
obtain sam-
-ples of clothing

"That the Sp. Commis's be requested to advertise for tenders for furniture, clothing and stores required for the work house, to be delivered at the next meeting, and also an advertisement embodying the resolutions fixing the salary of the officers, and requesting proposals to be sent in to the next sitting of the Board."

"That Mr. Muggison be requested to obtain samples of clothing, for the inspection of the guardians, and of persons desirous to tender."

"That the following members of the Board do compose a standing committee of Guardians to report upon the solvency of all sureties offered to the Board." The chairman, Deputy, and Vice

Standing
Committee
of Guardians
appointed

Chairman, Mr. Woodroffe
Mr. Portbridge
Mr. Inman
Mr. Kenny
Mr. Fitzsimons

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Act. of Collectors'
Security

Resolved "that the amounts of security, to be given by the collectors of rates, be as follow;

N^o. 1 district £1000. Mr. Webster,

2 " 300. Mr. Foye,

3 " 500. Mr. Ponder;

and that the collectors be ordered to submit the names and addresses of their proposed securities to the secretary of the Committee of Guardians, at their next meeting, to be held on Saturday, the 12th of June next, at 12 o'clock."

Ordered, "that the clerk do transmit a copy of this resolution to each of the collectors."

Ordered, "that the next meeting of this board be held on Wednesday the 30th of June next."

R. Powell Ch^r

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Gory, on Wednesday the 30th of June 1841,

present the Earl of Courtown Chairman
 Robt. Poyne, P. A. Moore, Colonel Owen
 Capt. Robt. Owen, Solomon Richards,
 Geo. Barker, Tho. Barker, Fossy Bolton
 Henry Bolton, John Borbiagh, Henry
 Brownrigg, Tho. Doyle, Edw. Fitzsimons
 John Giles, Geo. Glascott, Jas. Graham, J. Hall
 Wm. B. Harvey, Richd. Higgintotham, Tho.
 Inman, Geo. Johnston Richd. Keegan
 Paul Kenny, Captain Richard Owen
 John Pearson, Nicholas Sheridan, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Collectors
 perfect their
 bonds

The collectors of rates, and their sureties, being in attendance, were called in, when they perfected their bonds.

Board proceed
 to the electing of
 the medical
 officer

The Board having proceeded to the electing of the Medical officer, applications were read from doctors Owen, Browne and Ring, whereupon it was proposed by Mr. Pearson, seconded by Mr. Poyne, that Surgeon Owen is a fit and proper person to fill the situation.

Surgeon Owen, having been called on by the Assistant Commissioner, on the subject of his qualification to attend midwifery cases, stated that he attended the Lying-in Hospital, in Dublin, in the year 1824, and had qualified himself to attend on such cases, which he did, for many years as dispensary surgeon at Clontarf.

He did not think it necessary to take out a midwifery diploma, not desiring to follow that part of his profession in private practice in Dublin, but he is willing to attend all such cases occurring.

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in the workhouse, and has no hesitation in stating that he feels himself perfectly qualified to attend such cases."

Doctor Owen
elected

Whereupon, Doctor Owen was unanimously elected.

The Board then proceeded to the electing of a master. Applications were read from John Kiernan, Henry Wilkinson, T. R. J. Polson, John Bell, Edw. Webster, Thomas Goodwin and A. Richardson.

Henry Wilkinson and Edward Webster having been selected from among these candidates, the numbers were,

for Mr. Wilkinson 12

Mr. Webster 13

Mr. Webster
appointed
Master

Mr. Webster was therefore appointed master of the workhouse.

Mr. Slater
appointed
matron

The Board now proceeded to the electing of ^{the} matron when Mr. Slater was unanimously elected.

Proposed by Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Crownrigg, "that the appointment of porter be postponed." This proposition having been negatived by a show of hands, it was proposed by Mr. Richards, seconded by Mr. Glascott and carried by a show of hands,

Richd. Sterne
appointed
porter

"that Richard Sterne be appointed porter to the workhouse."

Ordered "that this meeting do adjourn till tomorrow 11 o'clock."

Protony Chairman

July 1841

At an adjourned meeting of Guardians, held at Gorey on Thursday the 1st of July 1841, present the Earl of Gwentown Chairman, Capt. Robert Owen, Col. Owen, Solomon Richards, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson, Wm B. Harvey, Fitzroy Bolton,

The Board proceeded to open and read tenders from persons offering to supply the various articles required for the workhouse

Tender of
Mr. Edw. Pearson of Gorey was accepted for the following articles.
accepted

Board room table - 8-8-

2° two lat rails - 13-0-

Fender & fire irons 1-0-0-

Clerk's room

One's - 2-10-0

4 Chairs 5/- each 1-0-0-

Fender & fire irons - 18-0-

Master's apartments

6 Chairs at 5/- 1-10-0

4 bed room P. 4/- - 16-0

Chest of drawers 2-2-0

Washing stand - 7-6-

Matron's apartments

6 chairs at 5/- 1-10-0

4 bed room do. at 4/- - 16-0

Chest of drawers 2-2-0

Washing stand - 7-6

Patrol Room

Cupboard Bed - - - - - 2-0-0

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Tender of Mr.
J. J. Byrne
accepted

The tender of J. J. Byrne of 6 Henry Street
Dublin was accepted for the following articles

Board room

Mahogany elbow chair	1-5-0
2 ^d 24 common 2 ^d at 10/9	20-2-0
Umbrella stand	- 12-6

Clerk's room

Table	1-5-0
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Master's room

Elliptic bedstead, & pallias	1-10-
Curled hair mattresses	- 3-5-
Painted prep.	1-10-
2 sets fire irons & fenders	1-4-

Matron's room

Elliptic bedstead & pallias	1-10-
Curled hair mattresses	3-5-
Painted prep.	1-10-
2 sets fire irons & fenders	1-4-

Tender of
Mr. Askam
accepted

The tender of Mr. Askam of 17 Christ
Church Place, Dublin, was accepted for the
following articles.

12 clothes baskets 5/6	- 3-6-0
2 baskets to fit boilers 2/10/-	5-0-0
6 round potato baskets 3/3	- 19-6
6 offal baskets 2/6	- 15-0
6 bread baskets 2/0	- 12-0

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The tender of

Michael Phillips of Loney

Tender of
Michl. Phillips
accepted

8 milk tubs, 15 gallons at 10/-	3-0-0
8 P. iron handles	13/- -- 3-18-0
14 Urine tubs 5 gallons Iron handles & poles sp.	-- -- 5-12-0
4 washing tubs 13 gal. with P. P. 13/.	-- -- 2-12-0

Tender of
Saml. Stringer
accepted

Samuel Stringer's tender was
accepted for the following articles

250 quart tins &	4-3-4
250 pint P. 2½	2-12-1
4 Iron ladles quart each, to be tinned 2/6	-10-0
2 pint P. 1/6	-3-0
500 iron spoons, tinned	1-8-0
4 oil cans 3 gal. 1/6	-12-0

Tender of
W. Woodhouse
accepted

The tender of W. Woodhouse, of
Calan Street Dublin, was accepted for
the following articles.

Set of brass stamps with numbers, tin case, pad &c. complete	3-10-0
One pair of dies for buttons	1-1-0
Ornament for marking wood	-10-0
1 keg marking ink 12 lbs	1-10-0

Resolved that the assistant commissioners
be requested to advertise for articles for which
contracts have not been made, and that
50 handbills be struck off for such articles
as would be likely to be obtained in the
neighbourhood; Captain Richard Owen
and Messrs Woodroffe and Inman, Guardians
to prepare the handbills

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Resolved, that the following Guardians
be hereby appointed a Finance Committee
to whom all accounts, vouchers, invoices, be
submitted for examination prior to being
brought before the General Board, namely

Finance
Committee
appointed

Capt. Richard Owen
Solomon Richards Esq.
Col. Owen
Mr. Harvey
Mr. Woodroffe

Mr. O'Fool
recommended,
by Vice Chairman
for appointment

The Assistant Commissioner read a
letter addressed to him by the Vice Chairman
Sir Thomas Esmond, recommending Mr.
Lawrence O'Fool for some appointment in
the union.

Ordered that the next meeting of this
board be held on Wednesday 28 July 1841

Ordered that a draft be drawn on the
treasurer for five pounds, to defray petty expenses.

Wm. Town Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Gorey on Wednesday the 28th of July 1841, present The Earl of Courtown, Chairman Colonel Owen, Solomon Richards, Geo. Barker Thomas Barker Fysey Bolton, John Rosbridge, Henry Prouwings, Edu. Fitzsimons, James Giles, Jas. Godkin Wm B. Harvey, Tho. Inman, Geo. Johnston, Daniel Kenny, Capt Richd. Owen, R. St. John Pearson, Nich: Sheridan, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding ordinary and adjourned meetings were read and confirmed.

Doct^r Owen
accepted as
Vaccinator

Doct^r Owen attended; was accepted as vaccinator for the Gorey district; and was authorised to engage a room for vaccination purposes.

Doct^r Atkins
offers himself as
Vaccinator

A letter was read from Doct^r Atkins, Arklow, offering himself as vaccinator for the Coolgraney district, whereupon the clerk was directed to write to Doct^r Atkins, requesting him to attend the next meeting of the Board.

Tender of
Mr. Tho. Sharpe
accepted

The Board then proceeded to read the tenders, when,
The tender of ^{Mr} Thomas Sharpe, of Gorey, was accepted for the following articles, -
pair of men's shoes at 5-6
pair of women's shoes 4-0

Tender of
Mr. John Lamb
accepted

The tender of Mr. John Lamb 74 Meath Street, Dublin, was accepted for the following articles, -

300 pair men's frize jackets, 3 sizes - 5-11
100 boys frize jackets 4 sizes 4-3

Tender of
Scott & Co.
accepted

The tender of Henry Scott & Co. of Ormond Mills Kilkenny was accepted for the following articles:
300 pair of blankets 20½ lb.

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Tender of
W. P. Cosgrave
accepted

The tender of Mr. Patrick Cosgrave of
Linen Hall, Dublin, was accepted for the following
articles, -

150 pair of mens barracan trousers	} - 3-0
3 sizes - - - - -	
100 pair boys' do, 4 sizes	- 2-7½
300 bolsters, 3 sizes	- 11¾
150 pair of sheets, 3 "	- 5-7½
150 women's and girls flannel	} - 2-3
petticoats, 6 sizes	
200 women's and girls' shifts 5 sizes	- 1-5
100 girls' frocks, 3 sizes	- 1-10½
100 mens shirts	- 1-10
100 boys' shirts	- 1-0
50 women's aprons	- 8¾
75 Cotton petticoats 3 sizes	- 1-5½

Tender of
W. W. Murphy
accepted

The tender of Mr. Wm Murphy High St.
Dublin, was accepted for the following articles, -

150 pair of mens frieze trousers	- 4-3
150 women's linsey petticoats, 3 sizes	- 2-3
150 girls' do 3 "	- 1-0
150 cotton wrappers	- 1-7

The tender of
W. J. Johnston
accepted

The tender of Mr. Wm George Johnston of
Anas Curra, was accepted for the following articles, -

100 mens barracan waistcoats	- 1-9½
100 rugs 7 feet by 5 feet	- 2-0

Tender of
W. B. L. Stubbs
accepted

The tender of Mr. Robert L. Stubbs of
3 Pame Street Dublin was accepted for the following
articles.

300 bed ticks 3 sizes 4-11, 4-9 & 3-3	
100 women's caps, filled	- 4¾
50 flannel waistcoats, 2 sizes,	} - 2-8
for old men	

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The tender Mr. W^m Daniel of Mary St,
 Dublin, was accepted for the following articles, -

Tender of
 Mr. W^m Daniel
 accepted

Machine for cleaning potatoes	4-0-0
Double tin slipper bath	1-
Flesh knife and fork	- 3-0
Large bread knife, stand &c	1-0-0
12 Commodes	10-0
200 chamber utensils	4
Large triangle, beam &c	4-10-0
Coal scales	- 10-0

Tender of
 Mr. John M^r Daniel Gory,
 accepted

The tender of Mr. John M^r Daniel, of
 was accepted for the following articles, -

Carrying boxes	11-0	} each	
8 soap boxes	5-8		
Lines for clothes	- 1 Pryano		
2 potato shovels	- 4-0	each	
Large ladle, long wooden handle	- 7-0		
Skimming ladle	- 4-9		
Ladle for soup	- 4-9		
Fire raker & poker	- 7-3		
2 salt boxes	- 10-0	} each	
2 deal trays to carry tins	- 10-		
2 wooden coal boxes	- 11-0		
24 hair brooms, long handles	- 2-8		
12 scrubbing brushes	- 2-0		
12 mops, long handles	- 1-8		
8 hearth brushes	- 1-4		
12 lamps and burners	- 3-0		
12 iron pots	- 1-1		gallon
Small scales and weights	10-0		
2 pair of bellows	3-4	} each	
4 wheelbarrows	1-0-0		
4 hand barrows	10-0		
3 ladders, Quebec spars	1-0-0		
8 shovels	2-0		
24 hammers, stone,	1-0		

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4 hatchets	2-0	} each
4 hammers	2-0	
1 gallon, 2 quart & 2 pint measures 9-0		

Tender of
John Poyne
accepted

The tender of John Poyne was accepted
for the following articles; -

300 sets 3 lbs each	- 3	} each
200 do 2 lbs "	- 2	
100 do 1 lb	1 1/2	

Accts of
Doct. Newbold
Gunn & Cameron
A. Thom, and
Jas Godkin
discharged

The account of Doctor Newbold, amt
£35-4-11, of Messrs Gunn & Cameron £9-17-0,
of Mr. A. Thom £3-11-0, and of Mr. Jas Godkin
£1-17-0, having been previously approved of
by the Finance Committee, and a draft, for each
of the three first sums, having been drawn on
the treasurer, the clerk was directed to transmit
the same, each to the respective person in whose
favour it was drawn, and to pay Mr. Godkin
out of petty cash.

Ordered, "that the next meeting of this
Board be held on Wednesday the 25th of August
1841."

[Signature]

25 Aug. 1841

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held at Greay on Wednesday the 25th of August 1841, present Capt. Robert Owen, Chairman, Colonel Owen, Solomon Richards, John Borridge, Thomas Doyle, Edward Fitzsimons, Jas. Giles ^{Giles}, William B. Harvey, Richard Digginbotham, Thomas Inman, Richard Keegan, Daniel Kenny, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson, Skell. Sheridan, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Doct. Porter offers himself as vaccinator

A letter was read from Doctor Porter offering himself as vaccinator for a certain portion of the union, whereupon the clerk was directed to "write to Doctor Porter, requesting him to attend on next board day."

Letter read from Commissioners relative to vaccination and another from same confirming the appointment of Master Matron & porter

Letter read from Poor Law Commissioners relative to vaccination, under date 17 August 1841 and another from the same confirming the appointments of Master, Matron and porter

Order of Mr. Bekham for mounting basket with iron accepted

Ordered that the Clerk do acknowledge the receipt of these communications, and state that the Board will pay immediate attention to their recommendation respecting vaccination, and they trust, in a very short period, to have the entire ^{union} under the operation of the Act.

Articles contracted for, not wanted until 1 October

The tender of Mr. Bekham, for mounting baskets with iron, was accepted for one basket. Ordered that the clerk do write to the different contractors acquainting them ^{that} the articles for which they have contracted will not be wanted before the first of October, on which day it is positively required that they shall be delivered at the work house.

Mr. Daniel requested to name a day when the house of the poor

Ordered that the clerk do write to Mr. Daniel requesting him to name a day when the house will positively be ready for the reception of the poor.

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Ordered that a draft be drawn on the
treasurer, £10. for a quarter's salary due to 59
the Clerk, up to the 20th inst.

Resolved that placards be posted inviting
tenders for the supply of the workhouse with 150 tons
of best Whitehaven coal, to be delivered at such
times and in such quantities as the Board of
Guardians shall direct. An extraordinary meeting to
be holden on this day week, to consider and deter-
-mine on the same. Security will be required
for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Ordered that the next ordinary meeting
of this Board be held on Wednesday the 22nd
of September next.

R. D. Wells
- Chk. -

extraordinary
meeting; tenders
for the supplying
of coal

At an extraordinary meeting of Guardians
held at Foxey on Wednesday the 1st September 1841,
convened for the purpose of taking into consideration
tenders for supplying the workhouse with coal,
present, Colonel Owen, Chairman; Captain Richard
Owen, Abel Woodroffe, George Barker, Tho^s Doyle,

The Board proceeded to open the tenders for the
supply of coal from the following persons, viz.

John Redmond, Foxey
John Oughton Crowthorn Harbour
W^m J. Denton £^o
Samuel Butth £^o

Moved by Captain Richard Owen, seconded
by Mr. Woodroffe, Resolved

"That the tender of Mr. W^m J. Denton of
Crowthorn Harbour be accepted, at the rate of twen-
-ty one shillings per ton, and that the Clerk be direct-
-ed to notify the same to Mr. W^m J. Denton, and
likewise that he be directed to send to the Clerk of
the Union the names of his securities.

Tender of
Mr. Denton
accepted

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Greay, on Wednesday the 22nd day of September 1841, present, the Earl of Courtown, Chairman Sir Thomas Esmonde, Port. Poyn, Colonel Owen, J. J. Richards, Solomon Richards, Fitzroy Bolton, Henry Croonry, Edward Fitzsimons, James Godwin, William B. Harvey, Mr. Inman, Richard Keegan, Capt Richard Owen, — — — the minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

A letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing date the 1st of September inst., announcing the transmission therewith of three copies of their report on Medical Charities of Ireland: another, bearing date the 8th of September, inst., instructing

the clerk to give notice to each and every of the qualified justices residing in the Union, of a meeting to be held for the purpose of electing ex officio guardians for the ensuing year, were read by the clerk; and another, bearing date the 10th of September inst., transmitting half a bank post bill, amount £2-10, as payment for Returns furnished to them by the Clerk.

Doctor Atkins being in attendance, and having been called in and accepted as vaccinator for the Coolgraney district, signed his contract. To attend on Tuesdays, at Coolgraney, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon to one o'clock in the afternoon. Authorized to hire a room at not exceeding four pounds a year.

Doctor Porter was called in and accepted as vaccinator for the electoral divisions of Ballycane and Monomolin, to attend at Killena Dispensary from one o'clock until three o'clock, on every Wednesday: to commence first Wednesday after first of October next.

Qualified Justices
noticed by order
of Commissioners,
of a meeting to
elect ex officio
Guardians

Doctor Atkins
appointed vac-
-cinator for
Coolgraney dist.

Doctor Porter
appointed vac-
-cinator for
electoral divisions
Ballycane and
Monomolin

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Goods cannot be received before 1st Nov., payment in ten days after delivery

Ordered "that the Clerk be directed to write to the different contractors informing them that the goods cannot be received before the 1st of November, but that payment will be made in ten days after delivery."

Contractors' bonds

Letters were read from contractors, proposing securities; whereupon the clerk was ordered "to prepare bonds and forward them, giving orders to have them perfected before Mr. Walmusley; except Mr. Johnston's bond which will be perfected before the Clerk."

Fifty tons coal ordered in, on 1st of October

Resolved "that Mr. Denton be ordered to send in fifty tons of best Whitehaven coal on the 1st of October next, to be paid for on the ^{day of the} first subsequent Ordinary meeting of the Board."

Rate ordered to be forthwith collected

On the motion of Captain Richard Owen, seconded by Solomon Richards Esq., it was resolved "that the collectors do forthwith proceed with the collection of the rates, and that the clerk do give the requisite public notice, Form G."

Ordered "that the next ordinary meeting of this Board be held on Wednesday the 20th of October next."



ex officio
guardians
elected for the
year ensuing

At a meeting of Justices of the Peace, qualified to act as ex-officio guardians of the poor, for the Gorey Union, convened for the purpose of electing ex-officio guardians for the year ensuing, in pursuance of an Order of the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing date the fourteenth day of December 1839,

present John Goddard Richards Esq, Chairman
Solomon Richards Esq, Colonel Owen,

The following Justices were unanimously elected
Carl of Courtown, Sir Tho. Esmond, Bart.
Robt. Doyle Esq, J. G. Richards Esq,
Mr. F. Beauman Esq, Capt. Robert Owen
Solomon Richards Esq, Colonel Owen.

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at Gorey on Wednesday the 20th of October 1841,

present Captain Robert Owen, Chairman,
Colonel Owen, J. G. Richards, Solomon Richards,
John Portidge, Henry Browning, Tho. Doyle
Wm. B. Harvey, Tho. Inman, Richard Keegan
Daniel Kenny, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson
Meth. Sheridan, Peter Taylor, Richd. Higginbotham,
Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

A letter was read from the poor Law Commissioners, on the subject of Vaccination.

Finance Committee
examine bills
and make paymt.

The Finance Committee, having examined the following accounts, -

- Mr. Thom - - - - - £ 8 - 17 - 1/2
- Messrs Gurne & Cameron 5 - 5 -
- Capt. Ball, Constabulary 1 -
- Rent of Snag
- Vaccination Room } - 2 -

it was proposed by Colonel Owen, seconded

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by Mr. Powning, and resolved "that these bills be paid."

Master ordered
to come into
residence

Resolved, on the motion of Colonel Owen,
seconded by Mr. Woodroffe, that the Master be written
to, to come into residence in the Front Building, on
the morning of the first of November, for the purpose
of receiving and taking custody of stores."

Five tons, and no
more, of coal, to
be sent in, on the
1st of November

Resolved, on the motion of J. G. Richards Esq.,
seconded by Captain Richard Owen, that Mr. Denton
be written to, to deliver five tons of coal, on the morning
of the 1st of November, and not to send to send in any
more until he shall receive further directions."

Committee to
examine and
take over stores

Resolved, on the motion of J. Richards Esq.,
seconded by Mr. Pearson, that one Guardian, from each
electoral division, be appointed, as a committee, in
order that they may attend on the 8th and 9th of Nov.
to take over and examine the stores that may have
been received, into the workhouse, by the Master."

Rate Collectors
ordered to submit
weekly acct. to the
Board

Ordered, that the Rate collectors do balance
their weekly account books, up to Saturday 5 Nov.,
inclusive, and that the same be laid before the
Board, at its next sitting on Wednesday the 10th
of November next."

Porter to attend
on & after 1 Nov.

Resolved, that the porter be ordered to attend,
from day to day, at the workhouse, on, and after the
morning of the 1st of November."

Master allowed
1/6, Porter 1/6, pay

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Richd. Owen,
seconded by Mr. Woodroffe, that the Master be allowed
1/6 p day, board money, and the porter 1/6 p day, board
and lodging money, until further regulations."

36 copies Order of
Poor Law Commis-
sioners, for government of
Workhouse ordered
for use of Guardians
& Officers

Moved by Mr. Pearson, seconded by Solomon
Richards, and resolved, that the clerk do order, from
Mr. Thom, 36 copies of the Order of the Poor Law Commis-
sioners, for the government of the Workhouse and keeping
accounts, for the use of the several Guardians and officers
of the Union."

Ordered, that the next ordinary meeting

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of this Board, be held on Wednesday the 10th day of November next." Ordered that a draft be drawn on the treasurer for £8 to defray petty expenses."

At an ordinary meeting of guardians held in the Board room, on Wednesday, the 10th of November 1841,

present, Lieut Thomas Esmonde Bart, Chairman, Robert Poynne, Colonel Owen, Capt. Robert Owen Solomon Richards, George Barker, Fossey Bolton, Henry Bolton, John Porvidge, Henry Brownrigg, Edward Fitzsimons, James Giles, James Godkin Wm B. Harvey, Richard Higgisbotham, Thomas Inman, George Johnston, Richard Keegan, Daniel Kenny, Captain Richard Owen, John Pearson, Michl Sheridan, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced by the clerk for payments ordered at previous meeting the following accounts, having been examined by Finance Committee, were submitted to the Board, and ordered to be paid.

Michl Philips	15-2-
Tho. Sharpe	70-12-6
Edw. Pearson	25-0-6
Wm Geo. Johnston	21-9-2
John Poynne	5-0-10
John Lamb	110-
Kenny Scott & Co	156-2-10

Mr. Tyndall offers himself as Vaccinator

A letter was read from Mr. Tyndall, offering himself as Vaccinator for Courtown district, when the further consideration of of the matter was deferred to next board day.

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Mr. Edw. Pym
offers a room for
vaccination at
£3 p annum

A letter was read from Mr. Edward
Pym offering a room for vaccination purposes,
for three pounds p annum, whereupon the clerk
was instructed to write to Doct^r Astkin, requesting
him to communicate with Higginbotham on the
matter.

Collectors of rates
report progress

Mr. Fyfe was called in, when he reported
that he had lodged £150. in the Provincial Bank.

Mr. Fowler was called in, and reported
that he had not collected any rates.

Mr. Webster was called in, and reported
that he had collected £258-19-8 $\frac{1}{4}$, of which
he had lodged £251-11-11.

Accounts were examined from
Mr. Newbold, for vaccination room £2-0-0, from
Mr. Goukin, for storage and carriage of goods
£1-2-0 and from Mr. Page printer for £-13-0,
when the same were ordered to be paid.

Clerk ordered to
pay Master & Porter
weekly money

Ordered that the clerk do pay the Mas-
ter and Porter their weekly money.

Ordered that a draft be drawn on the
treasurers, for £10, to defray petty expenses.

Ordered that the next meeting of this
board be held on Wednesday the 24th of Novem-
ber inst, at 12 o'clock



24 Nov. 1841

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room, on Wednesday the 24th Nov. 1841 present The Rt. Hon. the Earl of Courtown, Chairman Sir Tho. Esmond Bart., Rob. Doyle, Colonel Owen J. G. Richards, Solomon Richards, John Corbridge Henry Brownrigg, James Gookin, Job Hill, Wm P. Harvey, Richard Higginbotham, Edw. Fitzsimons Richard Keegan, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced, by the clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting.

Wall round the
Workhouse ground
postponed till
first meeting in
March

Tenders were read from Mr. John M. David and from Mr. Thomas Harvey, to erect a gate-way and dwarf wall and paling in front of the workhouse, and also a wall around the remainder of the workhouse grounds, where^{upon} the consideration of the subject was postponed until the first meeting in March.

Doc. Irvine
offers himself
as vaccinator

A letter was read from Doctor Irvine, offering himself as vaccinator for Camolin district when the clerk was directed to write to Doctor Irvine to attend on next board day.

A letter was read from Mr. Asham, together with his account for two iron mounted baskets, and thirty other baskets amt. £15-18-2, when Mr. Woodroffe moved, and Mr. Corbridge seconded "that only one iron mounted basket be kept." This proposition having been negatived by a show of hands, the bill was ordered to be paid.

£2-5-6 deducted
from Mr. Byrne's
acc't

A letter was read from Mr. Byrne, offering to deduct 10/8, in the price of five irons and fenders, from acc't. 40-10-5, which offer was agreed to. £1-15-0 charged for carriage, having been likewise deducted, a draft for amount of the

remainder was ordered to be drawn.

Apparent deficiency in measurement of W. Cosgrave's goods explained

A letter was read from Mr. Cosgrave, explanatory of apparent deficiency in measurement of sheets and shirts furnished by him. The explanation having been deemed satisfactory, a draft, for full amount of his account was ordered to be drawn.

The following drafts were then drawn on the treasurer.

Charles Ashem	£16-18-2	baskets
W ^m Woodhouse	7-18-4 ¹ / ₂	stamps &c
W ^m Daniel	22-19-2	hardware
Joseph Caswell	10-0-0	quarter's salary
J. J. Oryme	38-5-0	furniture
Patrick Cosgrave	100-15-7	clothing

Ordered, "that the package covering be returned to Kenny Scott & Co. when the goods shall have been unpacked"

Tender of Mr. J. M. Daniel, to make oatmeal bin, accepted

Resolved "that the tender of Mr. John M. Daniel to furnish an oatmeal bin five feet long, three feet six inches wide, five feet high at back, and four feet high at front, with strong hinges to lid and front, for £3-7-0 be accepted." X

Committee to supply board room with various requisites

Resolved that Mr. Woodroffe be requested to get a suit of clothes made for the porter."

Resolved "that Colonel Owen, Mr. Woodroffe and Mr. Pearson be a committee to supply three pair of candlesticks and two pair of snuffers and stands for the Boardroom, 12 lbs of mould candles and 12 lbs of dips, a bell for boardroom, four inkstands and trays, one pot de chambre and stand."

Case relative to collection of rates submitted to Attorney General

A case relative to the collection of rates was read and approved, when, whereupon it was resolved on the motion of Capt. Richard Owen, seconded by Solomon Richards Esq. "that the same be submitted to the Attorney General, by Mr. Henry Woodroffe

Collectors prohi-
bited to enforce
payments 'till further
orders

of Dublin, on the part of the Board."

W. Webster, one of the Collectors, being in
attendance, was called in and directed not to proceed
in enforcing the payment of rates until he shall have
received orders from the Board.

Ordered, "that similar instructions be written to
the other collectors, by the clerk."

W. Peter Lee
Appointed
Vaccinator for
Crestown

Letters were read from Mr. Tyndall and Mr.
Lee offering themselves as Vaccinator for Crestown division
whereupon it was proposed by Solomon Richards Esq.,
seconded by Mr. Pearson, that Mr. Tyndall be appointed.
This proposition having been negatived by a show of
hands, Mr. Lee was appointed vaccinator for the Crestown
division, to attend, at the Dispensary, on every Thursday
from 12 to 2 o'clock."

Provisions
advertised for

Resolved "that Mr. Muggerside, the assistant
Commissioner, be requested to advertise for provisions
for the workhouse."

Letter
Chas. A. Walker by
and clerk's reply
read. Resolu-
-tion &
instructions of
the Board there-
-upon.

A letter was read from Charles A. Walker
Esq. of Belmont, Wexford, to the Clerk of the Union,
requesting to know what proportion the rent of the
union bore to the valuation; another, from the clerk
read, in reply, whereupon the clerk was recom-
-mended, for the future, not to answer such letters
without first laying them before the Board, to
take their opinion thereon. The clerk was
directed to write to Mr. Walker to state "that, in
his answer he had merely given his own opinion
on the subject mentioned in Mr. Walker's letter."

Memorial of
Clerk, to Commrs,
for residence in
workhouse, signed
by the Board

A memorial was read from Mr. Cran-
-well to the Board of Commissioners, praying to
be allowed to reside in the workhouse, whereupon
the same was signed by all the members of the
Board then present, and consigned to Mr.
Muggerside, with their request that he would
forward it: to which request he assented.

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Ordered, "that the next meeting of this Board be held on Wednesday the 15th of December next."

Chas. Boyz

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Boardroom on Tuesday the 14th of December 1841,

present the Earl of Courtown, Chairman,
W. Poynor, Colonel Owen, Capt Robert Owen
George Parker, Thomas Parker, Fopsey Bolton
Thomas Doyle, Edward Fitzsimons, W. B. Harvey
Richard Higginbotham, Thomas Inman,
George Johnston Richard Keegan, Capt. Richard
Owen, John Pearson, Nicholas Sheridan
Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were reading and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced by the clerk for payments ordered at the last meeting

Letters were read from the Board of Commissioners approving of a bed room in the Workhouse, being appropriated to the clerk: from Mr. Charles S. Walker stating that he considered the answer given by the clerk, to his letter, as expressing the clerk's opinion, and not that of the Board: from Mr. Lee, vaccinator of Courtown Division, stating that no one had applied to him for vaccination since the last Board day: from Doctor Atkins, vaccinator of Coolgraney district, to the same effect: from Mr. James Stafford, warden N. 3 Gory district, wishing to resign the appointment: from Mr. Michael Byrne warden N. 1 Gory district, to the same effect; both which resignations were accepted by the Board.

A bedroom in
workhouse
appropriated to
the clerk

Mr. Stafford,
Warden 3 Gory
resigns,
and Mr. Michael
Byrne, Gory
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Doctor Richards
appointed vaci-
-nator for Wells

A letter was read from Doctor Loftus Richards, offering himself as vaccinator for Wells district, which offer was accepted. Doctor Richards, being in attendance, was called in, and he signed the usual contract. The vaccination station to be the Oulart dispensary, in the electoral division of Wells: the days of attendance to be every Thursday from 10 to 12 o'clock.

Fitting up and
furnishing
surgery not
to exceed £20.

A letter was read from Doctor Owen, Medical officer of the Union, applying for furniture for surgeons room, and for medicine; whereupon it was ordered that the fitting up of the surgery with medicines and appliances be left to the medical officer of the Union, the total expense not to exceed twenty pounds. The application for furniture for surgery was likewise approved of and ordered.

Messrs Poileau
recommended
to be druggist

Resolved on the motion of Mr. Higginbotham, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe, that Messrs Poileau of Dublin be recommended to supply the drugs

Mr. Edward
Pearson to cover
boardroom floor
with druggist,
and supply
various other
articles

A letter from Mr. Pearson of Gorey, proposing to cover the floor of the Boardroom with druggist, the same as sample produced, for eight pounds, was approved of; whereupon Mr. Pearson was called in and directed not to nail down the druggist, but to fix it to the floor with rings attached to studs. An office desk made by Mr. Pearson at two pounds; a treble commode £1-3-, and a boardroom bell. 12-6 were, at the same time, examined and approved of.

Mr. J. M. Daniel
to supply rods
& lines for
drying room

Resolved, on the motion of Captain Owen seconded by Mr. Woodroffe that Mr. John M. Daniel be directed to supply rods and lines for drying room according to

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proposal read and approved of.

The board then proceeded to open and read tenders from the following persons, for bread of four pounds β loaf.

From Mr. Hollingsworth 1-0

Mr. Harvey - 8 $\frac{1}{2}$

Mr. Buttle - 10

Mr. Fowler 9

Whereupon it was proposed by Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. George Parker, and unanimously accepted for bread - by resolved that the tender of Mr. Thomas Harvey, of Loney, to supply the workhouse with bread, for six months from the 1st of January 1842 be accepted. To be taken at such times and in such quantities as the Board shall direct; and delivered, at the workhouse, free of expense.

Resolved that Mr. Harvey do find two sureties in £25 each for the fulfilment of his contract.

The tender of Mr. John Doyle was accepted for the following articles, to be delivered, at the workhouse, free of expense, and in such quantities as shall be directed.

Good white soap β cwt 1/13/6

D^o brown D^o 19/6

D^o pale seal oil β imperial gallon } - 4/6

The contract to continue for six months from the 1st of January 1842 and to be secured by two sureties in £25 each

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The tender of Mr. Joseph Warren to supply
 100 barrels of cups at 8/6 p
 100 p. lumps 7/-
 30 p. black apples 10/-
 was rejected; whereupon it was resolved that
 a fresh advertisement be published for best
 cup potatoes, p barrel of 24 stone, for six
 months from 1 January 1842.

Tenders for meat were read from
 John Flush for necks and legs of good beef,
 for six months at 5/0 p stone: from Car-
 sons Redmond for shoulders, necks and
 mutton, or by the quarters, for six months
 at 4 1/2 p lb; veal 2/6 p quarter; mutton
 5 p lb. These tenders having been
 rejected, John Flush was called in, and
 he agreed to furnish good beef and mut-
 ton, in such quantities as may be ordered
 from time to time, for the next six ensue-
 ing months at five pence p lb, the same
 to be delivered at the workhouse, free of
 of expense. Mr. Flush to find two securities
 in £25 each, for the performance of his
 contract.

Mr. John Flush
 contractor for
 meat

Tenders to supply the house for
 the next ensuing six months with oatmeal
 of the best quality to be delivered at the work-
 house, free of expense and in such quantities,
 from time to time, as the Board may direct,
 were read from

Tender of Mr
 John Redmond
 to supply the
 house with
 oatmeal
 accepted

Mr. John Redmond, 4s 15 p ton
 Mr. Henry Furney Rally 4s 10 p ton
 Whereupon it was resolved that the tender
 of Mr. Redmond be accepted: he, Mr. Red-
 mond, to find two securities, in £25 each, for
 the performance of his contract.

Tenders to supply milk, for twelve months from
1 January 1842 were read from

Patrik Dempsey $\frac{1}{2}$ sweet milk $\frac{1}{2}$ imperial gallon

Mr. Mich. Byrne, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ sweet milk } $\frac{1}{2}$ imperial gallon
" 3 buttermilk }

Tender of Mr. Mich.
Byrne to supply
milk, accepted

Whereupon it was resolved on the motion of Capt.
Richard Owen, seconded by Mr. Harvey, "that the
tender of Mr. Byrne be accepted; and that he find
two securities in £25 each for the performance of
his contract."

Resolved, "that tenders for potatoes,
salt and straw be re-published for by printed
handbills."

Ordered "that the following bills be
paid out of Petty Cash,-

Mr. M. Daniel	✓	5-4	Coal box
Mr. Hollingsworth	✓	3-4-11 $\frac{1}{2}$	Clothing, porter
Mr. Miller	✓	2-13-8	Iron stands, Truffing
Mr. Pearson	✓	3-15-6	Desk, bell, committee
Michl. Cullen	✓	15-0	Candles
Edw. Cole	✓	9-0	Tailoring, porter
		<u>11-3-5$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	

Ordered "that the following drafts
be drawn on the Treasurer,-

Joseph Maxwell	11-3-5 $\frac{1}{2}$	petty Cash
John M. Daniel	3-11-0	meal bin &c
Saml. Stringer	<u>12-5-11</u>	tin ware &c

Bernard Ward
collection of
his rate

Ordered "that the Clerk do write to Mr.
Webster to collect from Bernard Ward, of
Ballylarkin, only as much rate as his leaves shall
him to be subject to, the remainder of rate to be
to be returned as an arrear."

Ordered "that the Clerk do write to the
collectors to attend, at the workhouse, on Wednesday,
the 29th inst. at 11 o'clock, and to bring their Weekly
Acc. Books, Collecting books and Receipt Books."

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Ordered "that the clerk do write to the Treasurer to furnish a pass book, with the accounts of the Lovers Union, up to 25 Dec. inst., to be sent to the Clerk before the 29th inst."

Visiting Committee formed

Resolved, on the motion of Captain Owen, seconded by W. Taylor, "that the following seven guardians do form a Visiting Committee,

W. Woodroffe.	Mr. Keegan
W. Inman	Mr. Pearson
Capt Rich Owen	Mr. John Giles
Mr. Borbridge	

Resolved, "that the Visiting Committee do supply the following articles, -

For Surgery

- 2 chairs
- 1 table, with drawer and lock
- 6 yards of carpeting
- Fender, fire irons and hearth rug

For workhouse

- 2 scappers for front door
- 2 foot mats,

and that they repair the road before the entrance gate."

Resolved "that this Committee do meet on Saturday the 18th inst."

Resolved on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson "that the following orders proposed by the Assistant Commissioner be passed,

Master to take possession of his apartments on the 20th Dec. 1841

viz, that the master do take possession of his apartments in the workhouse on Monday the 20th inst. and that he do keep fires lighted in the several rooms of the house daily from 9 o'clock a.m. to 4 o'clock P.M., Sundays excepted; and that the Matron do enter into residence on Monday the 27th inst.; and that the Master and porter do brand, with the union brand, the several articles of stores and furniture which have approved of by the Board of

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Resolved "that the contractor for coal do forthwith send in ten tons."

The chairman reads the Attorney General's answer to case laid before him

The Attorney General's answer to the case laid before him was read by the chairman.

The chairman stated that he was requested by the coal contractor to say that, in consequence of bad weather, he could not supply Whitehaven coal, according to contract, but would give best Orrel coal; whereupon the Board agreed to receive the same

Wardens receive instructions from Asst. Commisr.

The wardens, being in attendance, were called in, and received instructions for their guidance, in the discharge of their duties, from the Assistant Commissioner.

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Wednesday the 29th inst.

[Signature]

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Wednesday the 29th of December 1841, present the Earl of Courtown, Chairman Sir Tho. Esmond Bt. Poyne Esq., Colonel Owen, Captain Robert Owen, Solomon Richards, Henry Bolton, John Portidge, Edw. Fitzsimons, John Giles, George Glascott, Wm B. Harvey, Richard Higginbotham, Thomas Inman George Johnston, Daniel Kenny, Captain Richard Owen, Henry Brownrigg, & Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting.

The following amounts, having been approved of by Committee, were ordered to be paid out of petty cash.

W. Miller	- 1-9	mouse traps
W. J. M. Daniel	2-5-4	Sund ^s as p ^{er} aut.
James Barlow	9-0	cleansing house &c.
Total	<u>2-16-1</u>	

The following amounts, having likewise passed Committee, were approved of, and drafts, on the treasurer, were drawn for amount.

W. Propby	71-17-0	Sund ^s as p ^{er} aut.
W. M. Daniel	34-10-11	S ^o S ^o
A draft favour		
of Mr. Cranwell,		
to defray petty cash	10-0-0	
expenses was like.		
- were drawn		
Total	<u>116-8-5</u>	

Letters were read from Commis- sioners, - one respecting Valuation Returns: another containing instructions relative to administration of relief; and another respect- ing the insurance of the workhouse.

Messrs Webster and Prouder, collectors were called in and desired to attend the Board, at eleven o'clock on Saturday the 8th of January, and bring all their books. The clerk was desired to write to the other collector, Mr. Faye to attend on the same day, and bring his books, namely the weekly acc^t. books, collecting books and receipts books; and also to prepare, for the inspection of the Board, a list of the names of twenty rate payers who have neglected to pay their rate: to whom he had applied personally for the rate; and on whom he had served notices.

Collectors directed to report twenty defaulters on whom notices had been served by collector personally

Verbal instructions, to the same effect, were given to Mr. Webster and Mr. Faye.

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Communion table
erected by Mr. John
W. Daniel, for
ten pounds

A plan of a Communion table, submitted
to the Board, was approved of; whereupon the tender
of Mr. John W. Daniel to erect the same for ten pounds
was accepted.

Dietary of the
Workhouse ordered

The Board having maturely considered
the dietary of the Workhouse, ordered that all persons
above the age of fifteen years do receive two meals
per day: that the breakfast do consist of seven ounces
of oatmeal, made into stirabout, and one pint of
mixed milk; and that the dinner do consist
of three and a half pounds of potatoes (to be weigh-
ed before boiled) and one pint of buttermilk.

Ordered that the breakfast of children
from two to fifteen years of age do consist of
four ounces of oatmeal and half a pint of
sweet milk: the dinner 2 lbs of potatoes and
half a pint of sour milk; and supper a
quarter of a pound of bread and half a pint
of sour milk.

Ordered that infants under two years
do receive, daily, half a pound of bread and
one pint of sweet milk.

Officers rations
declared

Pictary for each officer of the Workhouse
to consist of 8 lbs of bread, 7 lbs of meat, and
5 quarts of milk weekly, & 14 lbs of potatoes.

House & furniture
insured for
£5000

Resolved that Mr. Muggewidge be requested
to effect an insurance on the buildings of the
Workhouse for £5000, and for furniture £1000.

Tender of Miss
W. Daniel
for stockings
accepted

Tenders for stockings were read from
Mr. W. G. Johnston and Miss W. Daniel of
Gorey, whereupon the tender of Miss W. Daniel
was accepted to supply

50 pair of stockings at 1-4 per pair
to be sent in immediately.

The tenders of Mr. John Hollingsworth
and Mr. Joseph Warren to supply cap potatoes
for six months at 10-0 per barrel of twenty four

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stone; and of Mr. Thomas Harvey to supply salt at 3-4 p cut were rejected.

Doctor Irvine perfects his contract

Doctor Thomas Irvine, being in attendance was called in, and he perfected his contract, as vaccinator for Carnolin vaccination district.

Potatoes wanted for immediate use to be supplied by visiting committee

Ordered that potatoes wanted for immediate use be supplied by Visiting Committee: that two tons of straw at two shillings p cut, to be procured by Mr. Woodroffe, be sent in immediately; and that the Clerk do write to the Visiting Committee to meet in the Board room on Wednesday the 5th of January

Visiting Commit. supply sundry articles

Resolved, on the motion of Captain Richard Owen, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe, that the following articles be furnished by the Visiting Committee, viz. Handles for coalboxes and trays: five irons and fenders for the following rooms, viz. Inspectors' and nurses rooms and eight wards in the infirmary. Stepladder for store room, and buckets for cold water in washhouse. For the Porter one table, two chairs, press and fire irons.

Messrs John Redmond Michl. Byrnie & John Flusk perfect their contract

Mr. John Redmond contractor for oatmeal, Mr. Michael Byrnie contractor for milk, and Mr. John Flusk contractor for meat, being in attendance, were called in, and they perfected their contracts.

Ordered that this board do hold its next meeting on Saturday the 8th day of January at 12 o'clock.

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 8th of January 1842, present the Earl of Courtown Chairman
Sir Tho^s Esmond, Colonel Owen, Capt Rob^t Owen, Solomon Richards, George Barker, Popsy Bolton, John Porridge, James Graham, W^m B. Harvey, Tho^s James Daniel Kenny, Captain Rich^d Owen, John Pearson Abel Woodroop.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee were read, approved of and adopted.

Vouchers were produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting.

Tho^s Harvey & John Doyle perfect bonds, & M^r Lee perfects contract

Messrs Thomas Harvey and John Doyle, contractors attended with their sureties and perfected their bonds, and M^r Peter Lee perfected his contract as vaccinator for Courtown district.

Messrs Webster Pender & Faye express opinions as to the best mode of recovering arrear of rates.

Messrs Webster, Pender and Faye Collectors of Rates, were called in, & handed in their books, which were examined and found correct. Their opinions having been asked separately as to the best mode of recovering the arrear of rates, they all agreed that the Board should proceed under the Act for recovering County cess. M^r Faye was of opinion that the goods of the defaulters should be distrained. Messrs Webster and Pender that the parties should be summoned before

Instructions of a Magistrate. After a long discussion it was the Board thereon ordered that M^r Faye should distrain the following rate payers, - James Pearson, John Kehoe, Thomas Smith and Matthew Coriners, all of Ballyellis: that M^r Webster do summon William Frith of Kileavan, Timothy Carter of Moneycross, Marks Lawless of Moneylaw, Martin Lacy of Woodpark, Matthew Lawless Woodpark, and Henry Fowler of Colleshall;

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and that he do distrain the goods of Thomas Britton of Gorey bridge, Michael Crane of Clonmore and Little Hugh Redmond of Tomkyle.

That W. Ponder do summon Samuel Hollingsworth of Ballyearnew, John W. Loughlin and Owen Redmond, both of Crandaniel; and that he distrain the goods of Thomas Poyle of Rakeendarrigg, James Giban of Barmona, and James Laffer of Court."

Ordered "that the Collectors do attend on Saturday the 22nd inst. at 12 o'clock."

A letter was read from W. M. Daniel tendering to make a press for wash ^{house} for 4-17-6 This charge being considered too high, W. M. Daniel was called, and he agreed to make the press for four pounds."

Applications from the Master and the Matron, for furniture and kitchen utensils in their rooms, were rejected.

The amount of Doctor Newbold, Vaccinator for Wingfield electoral division, and Ballyellis vaccination district, having passed the Finance Committee, ~~was~~ approved of, and a draft for the amount 5-8-4 was drawn on the Treasurer.

Ordered "that the Clerk do write to the Master of the South Union Workhouse, requesting him to give every information with regard to the cocoa nut fibre, and particularly as to the quantity required for each bed."

Ordered "that the matron be paid board wages, at the same rate as the master, from the 27th of December 1841."

Ordered "that the Workhouse be opened for the reception of paupers on Saturday the 22nd of January inst."

Opening of the Workhouse, for the reception of paupers, declared

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Books on agriculture from George Nicholls Esq,
were distributed to the guardians, whereupon it was
moved by Sir Thomas Esmond, seconded by Captain
Robert Owen, and resolved unanimously "that the
thanks of this board be given to George Nicholls Esq,
Poor Law Commissioner, for his valuable little work
on Agriculture which has today been distributed
among the members of the Board, and that our chair-
-man be respectfully requested to convey this resolution
to Mr. Nicholls." To this proposition the
Chairman assented, and said "he would forward
the resolution without delay."

Ordered that the Visiting Committee do meet
on Monday next at 12 o'clock, and do continue to
meet from day to day as it may appear advisable.

Amount of bills paid 5-8-4
" drafts 5-8-4

Ordered that this Board do hold its next
meeting on Saturday the 22nd inst."

Thos. Owen
Chairman

Vote of Thanks to
Geo. Nicholls Esq,
for his books on
agriculture,
conveyed to him
by the Chairman

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room, on Saturday the 22nd of Jan^r, 1842, present the Earl of Coventry, Chairman, Sir Thomas Esmonde Bart., Matthew F. Beauman Colonel Owen, Capt. Robert Owen Solomon Richards Geo. Barker, Tho^s. Doyle, Edw. Fitzsimons James Giles, John Giles, George Glascoth, James Godkin, W^m. B. Harvey, Richard Higginbotham Tho^s. Luman, Daniel Kenny Capt. Rich^d. Owen John Pearson, Nich^s. Sheridan, Peter Taylor Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The following bills, having passed Com-
-mitter, were ordered to be paid out of Petty
cash, and a draft, in favour of the Clerk, was
drawn on the Treasurer, for the amount 8-10-8,
signed by Chairman, Colonel Owen and W^m.
Higginbotham.

Messrs Miller, Sundries	17-1	✓
do do	1-1½	✓
Harvey Soap	1-0	✓
Lee, White paint	18-4	✓
M ^r . Daniel, Furniture	3-15-8	✓
Pool, Stamps	7-5	✓
Evans, turf	1-5	✓
Barlow Labour	12-	✓
Sund ^s	1-0½	✓
Stubbs	1-15-5	✓
	<u>8-10-8</u>	

The following accounts, likewise examined and approved of by Committee, were ordered to be paid, and drafts were drawn on treasurer for their respective amounts, signed as aforesaid

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W. Meyeridge,	insurance	4-10-
W. Daniel,	chapt furniture	to-
Penton,	Coal	11-4-8
Pearson,	furnished	9-7-6
Redmond,	oatmeal	7-10
Thou,	stationery	9-16-9
Pearson,	furniture	8-18-6
W. Daniel,	shed for tools	5-10-6
Crannan,	straw	4-
		<u>£ 60-17-11</u>

Ordered that the following articles, wanted for porter's room, be provided by Visiting Committee. A pot, a pan, two plates, one dish, a knife & fork, a kettle.

Letter read from Secretary to the House of Industry & Lunatic Asylum, Wexford, requesting to know when Gorey Workhouse would be opened that the aforesaid establishments might forward the inmates at present in them, who had formerly been residents of Gorey Union.

Whereupon the clerk was directed to "acknowledge the receipt of the letter."

A letter was read from Commissioners approving of dietary.

Letter read from Mr. Faye on the subject of Rate and County cess. A letter was read from Mr. Faye, collector of rates, stating that "no rate payer had paid him excepting those who had been distrained, and that one of those had rescued a cow which had been distrained, but that he afterwards paid: he also stated that, in consequence of the collection of the County cess, it would be very difficult to levy the Poor rate."

The clerk was directed to write to Mr. Faye to say that his letter was not satisfactory to The Board: that they required him to make

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his sub-collectors be more diligent in applying for the rates; and that they consider the collecting of the county cess to be no excuse whatever for not collecting the rate."

Ordered "that 100 Scotch bonnets be procured by Visiting Committee."

Cocoa nut fibre
Mr. Molloy

A letter from Mr. Molloy, Master of the South Dublin Workhouse, respecting the cocoa nut fibre, was referred to Committee.

Ordered "that ten tons of coal be sent in by Mr. Denton."

One year's residence
immediately
previous to
admission,
to locate
paupers

Resolved, on the motion of Captain Richard Owen, seconded by Mr. Higginbotham, "that no pauper be charged, as belonging to any electoral division of the Union, unless he or she shall appear to the satisfaction of the Board, to have resided within such electoral division for a period of not less than one year immediately preceding his or her admission into the Workhouse."

Ordered "that the Visiting Committee do meet every Wednesday at 12 o'clock."

Mr. Edw. Doyle
Warden, Gory
N^o. 1

Moved by Capt. Robert Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson and carried nem. con. "that Mr. Edward Doyle of Gory be one of the Wardens of Gory electoral division."

Ordered that the clerk do write to the treasurer to send in his book every Friday night by mail, without fail."

Mr. Webster, the Master, having been called in, stated "that he was incapable of performing the duties required of him, without an assistant, which the Board having refused requested Mr. Muggiside to advertise for another Master, also requested that he would look out for a suitable person to fill the situation."

The Board then proceeded to admit paupers. One female with a female infant

1st day
Ten paupers
admitted

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and eight males were admitted.

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 29th of January 1842.

Bills paid this day 69-8-7

By Cash 8-10-8

" drafts 60-17-11

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Henry Harman
9th Earl

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom, on Saturday the 29th of January 1842,

present Captain Robert Owen, Chairman
Col. Doyn, Colonel Owen, Solomon Richards,
George Parker, Fopsey Bolton, John Portidge
Thomas Doyle, Edward Fitzsimons, James
Giles, John Giles, James Goekin, W^m B. Harvey,
Thos. Inman, Richard Keegan, Paul Kenny,
Captain Richard Owen, John Pearson
& Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Vouchers were produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting.

The following bills, examined and approved of by Finance Committee, were ordered to be paid, ^{out of petty cash} and a draft, in favour of the Clerk ~~was drawn~~ for amount of their sum £5-11-4 was drawn on the Treasurer.

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Margaret Williams, work	7-0 ✓
James Connors, lettering baskets	4-0 ✓
Sam ^l . Stringer stamping &c	1-15-3½ ✓
Mary ^t . Rowson	6-8 ✓
Anne Reynolds	7-0 ✓
W. Miller, Porter's furniture	8-0 ✓
Woodhouse, marking ink & oil	2-2-0 ✓
	<u>£ 5-11-5½</u>

The following bills, likewise approved of by Committee, were ordered to be paid, and a draft for their aggregate amount, £33-19-2 was drawn on the treasurer.

W. J. M. Daniel, chapel furnishing	} 10- ✓
bill paper at last board	
Miss M. Daniel stockings	3-5-8 ✓
W. J. M. Daniel furniture	20-12-6 ✓
	<u>33-19-2</u>

Balance to debit
of Union 030-1-10

The balance, in the Treasurer's book, to the debit of the Union, as reported by Committee, was found to be £030-1-10.

The suggestion of the Committee that the Rate Collectors be ordered to attend the Board on Saturday next was approved of, and the Clerk was directed to give notice accordingly.

The following proceedings of the Visiting Committee were likewise approved and adopted.

An application was made from the Medical Officer for an assistant to act as Inspector of Idiots and Infirmary Attendant and Porter.

John Jacob
appointed, pro. tem.
Inspector of
Idiots

Doctor Owen attended, and it appearing that he had found it necessary to remove, an idiot, named James Devit, from the male ward, an idiot, named James Devit, N^o 3 on Register, to the Idiot Ward, it was ordered, by the Committee that John Jacob be engaged ~~be engaged~~,

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temporarily, as such attendants, and be supplied with rations."

Closing & opening all the windows in the establishment, the infirmary and Officers' apartments excepted, at half an hour before dusk every evening, and to open the same, for ventilation, by eight every morning.

In case of rain, or high winds the opening lights on the opposite side to the wind to be opened only.

Ordered that the following articles be provided:

One half pint measure, with tray, for milk
One tin for black lead
One \mathcal{L} for whiting
One \mathcal{L} for holding oil and rotten stone.

Ordered on the application of the Master and Matron, that the clerk do write for

2 stone of yellow soap
 $\frac{1}{2}$ stone of white soap
 $\frac{1}{2}$ stone of washing soda
4 lbs of moulds."

Alterations and improvements in the House, recommended by Poctor Owen, and approved of by Committee, were likewise unanimously approved of by the Board, suggested and ordered accordingly. —

by Poct. Owen, approved of and ordered. "That the Bath Rooms be forthwith boarded; the clay floors becoming wet and cold during the bathing of the paupers.

That the wards for lunatics be immediately either tiled or flagged, the present clay floors being quite inadmissible, when there is a possibility of their being soiled with urine — as is, at present, the case."

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The Board next proceeded to admit paupers. Eighteen were admitted, viz.

18 paupers
admitted

5 men

4 women

9 children

The following letter, from the Assistant Commissioner, was read by the Chairman. -

Gentlemen

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Letter

Mr. Mussen's
regretting inability
to attend
meeting

I regret my inability to attend your meeting tomorrow, but I trust to be present at your next meeting, and to be then prepared to recommend a competent person for the situation of Master of the workhouse, in compliance with the wish expressed in the resolution of your Board, at its meeting on the 22nd inst.

The Guardians

I remain, gentlemen,
Your faithful servant
Richd. W. Mussen

The Board now proceeded to receive tenders, when, - the tender of Mr. David Scott, of Gorey, to supply salt at

2-0 coarse } 1/2 cent
2-2 fine }

was accepted.

Mr. Byrne's
tender accepted
50 b's potatoes

The tender of Mr. Michael Byrne of Gorey was accepted, to supply 50 barrels of prime cup potatoes at 8/6 the barrel of 24 stone

Rev. P. Lynmott's
application for
chapel utensils

An application from the very Rev. Patk. Lynmott, Roman Catholic Chaplain, requesting ten pounds for "Altar utensils" was referred

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for consideration, to the Assistant Commissioner.

Relief of Pat. & John Kinsley a loan to their father.

Two children named Patrick and John Kinsley N^{os} 19 & 20 in Register, admitted into the House this day, having been deserted by their father, John Kinsley, it was ordered "that their relief be as a loan to their father." X

Two members a Quorum, in all Committees

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Rich^d, seconded by Mr. Proby, "that, henceforward, in all Committees, two members shall form a Quorum."

Resignation of Giles Browning and appointment of Paul Sunderland as Warden for N^o 1 Monmouth

A letter was read from Mr. Giles Browning, Warden Monmouth N^o 1, tendering his resignation, — recommending Mr. Daniel Sunderland of Park Amesley as a fit and proper person for the situation, and enclosing a letter from Mr. Sunderland, offering himself for the appointment; whereupon it was resolved that both the resignation and the tender be accepted."

Fossey Tackeberry Warden N^o 2 Monmouth

Resolved, unanimously, on the motion of Mr. James Giles, seconded by Mr. George Parker "that the ^{offer} of Mr. Fossey Tackeberry, of Fomageddy, to be Warden for Monmouth district N^o 2, be accepted"

Ordered "that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday next, the 5th of Feb^r."

Bills paid this day £39-10-7½

By Cash	5-11-5½
" Draft	33-19-2
Total of drafts	<u>39-10-7½</u>

Chas. Brown Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 5th of February 1842
 Assis. Commissioner present, - Members present

The Earl of Countown Chairman, Mat. F. Brauman
 Colonel Owen, Capt. Robert Owen, J. G. Richards
 Solomon Richards, Geo. Parker, Tho. Parker, Fitzey
 Bolton, Henry Bolton, John Portidge, Henry
 Brownrigg, Edw. Fitzsimons, Geo. Glascott, Jas. Godkin
 Job Hall, W. B. Harvey, Richard Higginbotham,
 Thomas Urman, Richard Keegan, Daniel Kerrary
 Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson, Peter Taylor
 Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, as follow, were adopted and confirmed. -

Infirmary attendants room to be furnished similarly as the porter's: also that he be provided with a lantern, a saucepan, a small horse for drying clothes, a bucket, and two metal basins

Gratron to be supplied with the following articles. A Laundry Book, a General account Book, one piece of coarse towelling, two pieces of tape, half a stone of dark knitting worsted, small waistcoats for boys, Large waistcoats for men?

The minutes of the Finance Committee as follow, were likewise adopted and confirmed; and the following accounts, approved of by Committee, were ordered to be paid out of petty cash, and a draft in favour of the Clerk, for their aggregate amount £10-13-10 was drawn on the Treasurer, signed, Countown, R. Owen, J. G. Richards

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Mich ^d . Phillips	buckets	- 14 -
Ann Reynolds	labour	5 - 10
Penis Reese	do	14 -
John Barlow	do	14 -
Edw. Cole	tailoring	4 -
W ^m . Edwards	labour	14 -
Rich ^d Stern	quarters salary	2 - 10 -
W ^m . Slater	soap	- 1 -
Pat. Dempsey	turf	- 0 - 5
Thos. Evans	do	- 6 -
A. Thom	stationary	4 - 10 - 3
Marg ^t . Rowson	work	5 - 10
		<u>£ 10 - 13 - 10</u>

The following ^{bills} also examined & approved of by Committee were ordered to be paid: the request of the Rev. Patrick Lymnott for ten pounds to buy "chapel utensils", referred, by Committee, to Asst. Commissioner, and approved of by him, was granted; and drafts as follow for their respective amounts were drawn on the Treasurer, signed Courtown, R. Owen. John Pearson.

Rob ^t . J. Stubbs	clothing	73 - 4 - 7
Boileau, Brothers	medicine	17 - 10 - 8
Mich ^d . Byrne	potatoes	21 - 5 -
Edw. Webster	quarters salary	10 -
Rev. P. Lymnott	Chapel Utensils	10 -
		<u>132 - 0 - 3</u>

"Committee examined vouchers produced by clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, and found same to be correct". Report confirmed.

The following resolution of Committee was likewise approved of and adopted.

"That it appears by Treasurers book that there is still a sum of £500 - still due, and that Messrs Courner and Fayer have been very remiss in their collections; and Committee

500 £ due to treasur
ser. Collectors
required to attend

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recommend that those collectors be required to attend on Saturday next with their books."

Applications for the appointment of Master, vacant by the resignation of Mr. Webster were read from Messrs John Borbridge, Gory,

W^m Edwards Reheenduff

Pat. Poyle

Edw. Bidley

John Shaw

and Joseph Godkin.

Mr. Woodroffe having previously headed in a Memorial, from certain inhabitants of Gory, in favour of Mr. Borbridge, Captain Robert Owen moved, seconded by Solomon Richards Esq^r, that Mr. John Shaw be elected. A show of hands having been demanded, a majority was in favour of this motion, and Mr. Shaw was accordingly declared to be elected to the appointment of Master of the Workhouse.

Resolved "that the Visiting Committee do procure stones for the Workhouse, to be broken by the paupers."

Ordered "that the Visiting Committee do inquire whether the present persons, employed under the Master and Matron, may not be dispensed with, and paupers employed in their stead."

Resolved that Mr. W^m Carl of Ballynahown be appointed Warden for Wells district, N^o. 1

Ordered that Visiting Committee do meet, on Monday next, at 12 o'clock.

Ordered that this board do hold its next meeting on Saturday next, the 12th of Feb. inst. at 12 o'clock.

Am^t. of bills paid this day £143-0-1

Pract^y drawn 143-0-1

Thomas Newman

Mr. Shaw
elected master

Mr. W^m Carl
of Ballynahown
appointed
Warden for Wells
N^o. 1

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 12th of February 1842, the Assistant Commissioner attending, present, the Earl of Clontarf Chairman, Blouin Owen, Capt. Robert Owen, Solomon Richards, Popsy Bolton, John Borbridge, Tho: Doyle, James Godkin, Tho: Inman, Geo. Johnston, Rich: Keegan, Capt. Rich: Owen.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, recorded at their meeting on the 7th inst., as follow, were adopted and confirmed.

Mr. Harvey
contracts for
offal at 1/8^d per
week, for six
months from
7 Feb. 1842

"The tender of Mr. Thomas Harvey, of Grey, to pay 1/8^d per week for all provision offal that may be on the concern for six months from this 7th of February 1842 was approved of and recommended to be accepted by the Board.

Ordered, that the Master do get the shoes blackened with lamp black and oil.

£10: ordered to
the Rev. J. Corvan
to provide the
articles necessary
for the celebration
of Divine Service

A letter was read from the Rev. J. Corvan requesting the articles necessary for the celebration of Divine Service, the expense not to exceed ten pounds: Whereupon Committee ordered that the Rev. J. Corvan be requested to provide those of Divine Service articles.

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to Mr. Thom for another Chaplain's book, 4 quires of Weekly Admission Returns; and, for Clerk's use, two quires of Foolscap, and one ream of letter paper.

Committee recommended that John Barlow be appointed Ward Master and Cook, at a Salary of eight pounds a year from this day, with rations and a suit of clothes.

Ordered that Mr. Woodroop be requested to send in stones to be broken by the paupers."

John Barlow
appointed
Ward Master
& Cook

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The following proceedings of the Finance Committee of this morning were likewise adopted and confirmed

"Vouchers were produced by the Clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting, and found to be correct with the exception of Mr. Webster's receipt, which is expected in this day."

Committee having checked Petty Cash, do find same to be correct.

Committee recommend payment by Petty Cash of the following bills

John Barlow,	labour	7-0
Joseph T. Godkin, opening books, paying		2-0-0
Keoghs,	labour	2-0
W. ^d Hator	account book	1-8
J. P. W. ^d Ponder's acc ^t		2-4
Marg ^t . Williams = Work		3-4
		<u>£ 2-10-4</u>

A draft for aggregate amount £2-10-4 was accordingly drawn on Treasurer in favour of the Clerk, signed, - Courtoun, R. Owen
S. Richards.

The following accounts, likewise approved of by Committee, were allowed, and drafts for respective amounts were accordingly drawn on the Treasurer, signed as aforesaid.

John Doyle, Govey, soap and oil	} 8-3-10
as per contract	
John W Daniel, furnishing	28-18-5
W. ^m S. Penton, 10 tons of coal	} -10-10-
as per contract	
	<u>£ 47-12-3</u>

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Owen seconded by Solomon Richards Esq., "that tenders be advertised for to supply the workhouse with a spring, office, eight day, striking clock, to stand

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on brackets. Tenders to be sent in before Saturday the 19th inst."

Resolved that Mr. Kelly do place four slates on the top of Infirmary chimneys, belonging to surgery and Nurses rooms, and also to the chimney of Matron's room.

Gratuity of £5. unanimously voted to Mr. Webster

Moved by Capt. Owen seconded by J. Richards Esq, and unanimously resolved that Mr. Edward Webster, late master be paid a gratuity of five pounds."

The tender of Mr. McDevier to supply coffins for the Workhouse at £4-10. & dozen was rejected, as was likewise his tender for flooring probationary Wards, the work not being considered necessary.

Ordered that Mr. Osprey be written to, to send down 30 Scotch bonnets of sizes N^o. 1 & 2, and that the Chairman be requested to write to Scotland to inquire the price of bonnets there."

Ordered that the clerk be directed to summon a meeting of the Visiting Committee for Wednesday next, at 12 o'clock.

The Board now proceeded to admit paupers. Twenty five were admitted viz Adult males 9 - Females 6 - Children 10

Ordered that this board do hold ^{their} next meeting on Saturday next, the 19th of February inst."

Am't of bills paid this day 50-8-7

Prof'ts drawn 50-8-7

Ordered that the Successor Five Smoothing Irons with stands for 8^o be provided by the Matron for the use of the Laundry

Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 19th of February 1842, the Assist. Commissioners attending, present The Earl of Courtown Chairman, Colonel Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, J. G. Richards, Geo. Parker, Fopsey Bolton, John Borbridge, Tho. Poyr, Edw. Fitzsimons, James Giles James Godkin, Wm. B. Harvey, Rich. Higgins - botham, Rich. Keegan, Par. Kenny, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroop.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, noted, at their last meeting, on the 18th inst., were adopted and confirmed, as follow, -

"The clerk was directed to order a quarter quire of each of the Rules and other papers of printed by Mr. Thom for putting on Boards.

Ordered that sundry items, as follow, required by the matron, be provided by her, and the bills sent in to the Finance Committee on Saturday next.

10 yards grey calico
 5 yards white calico
 5 yards milled flannel
 100 pair of stockings
 1 piece of flannel
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb white thread
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb black thread
 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb sugar, ordered by Doctor Owen
 $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen buckets
 1 large saucepan
 2 coarse baskets for washing cinders."

The proceedings of the Finance Committee, held this morning, as follow, were likewise confirmed.

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"Vouchers were produced by the clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, with the exception of Mr. Denton's payment, to whom the clerk has transmitted a half draft for £10-10-, amount of his account, the receipt of which half draft has not as yet been acknowledged.

Mr. Webster's receipt for ten pounds, ordered on the 5th inst., was likewise produced by the clerk."

The following amounts approved of by the Finance Committee were ordered to be paid out of Petty Cash, and a draft for their aggregate amount was drawn, in favour of the clerk, on the treasurer, signed by the Chairman, Captain Robt. Owen and Mr. Woodroffe.

Mr. Doyle, clothes for Barlow	2-17-11
Col. for making same	9-6
John Scott, calico and flannel	12-9½
Furf	5-6
Miller, frying pan, saucepan &c	14-11
Cullen, candles	19-8½
	<u>5-0-4"</u>

The following accounts likewise recommended by Committee, were ordered to be paid, and draft was accordingly drawn for their ~~respective~~ amount signed as aforesaid.

Mr. Pearson Furniture 7-10-5

A draft for five pounds, ordered at last meeting as a gratuity to Mr. Webster, was likewise drawn on the treasurer, signed by the Chairman, Col. Owen and Mr. Pearson.

Edw. & Mary Bradshaw
& children transfer their three children, be transferred from the Electoral division of Camolin, in which they had been entered in mistake, to the Union at large.

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The following tenders, for putting up a clock in the Workhouse were read by the Chairman.

Mr. Clendinen £6-6-0

Mr. Higginbotham $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 15-15-0 \\ 10-10-0 \\ 6-6-0 \\ 7-7-0 \end{array} \right.$

Mr. Richards $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7-7-0 \\ 6-0-0 \end{array} \right.$

Mr. Sharpe $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 5-15-0 \\ 6-6-0 \\ 8-0-0 \end{array} \right.$

Mr. Simpson 8-0-0

Tender of Mr. Richards, to put up a clock, accepted

The tender of Mr. Richards, at six pounds, was accepted, he being bound to keep the clock in repair for twelve months.

Clerk's salary £45. yearly, from 25 March 1842

A letter was read from the Clerk, requesting "that his salary be raised." Whereupon it was moved by Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Higginbotham, and carried, nem. con. "that the salary be forty five pounds yearly from the 25th of March next."

Ordered that clothes lines, and poles for yard, and twelve smoothing irons be provided.

Ordered, that the Clerk do write the following letter to the Wardens.

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Sir

Workhouse, Gorey, 21 Feb. 1842

Circular letter
of instructions
to Wardens

I am directed by the Board to call your attention to that part of the instructions for Wardens which requires them to give provisional orders of admission into the workhouse in cases of urgent necessity; and the Board request that, unless in cases where the pauper cannot possibly wait until the next Saturday, none may be sent to the House except on that day; and then to bring your certificate, stating your knowledge of the applicant, whatever that may be; and you are requested to state, particularly, how long, immediately previous, the applicant may have resided in your district.

To A. B.
Warden

I am, Sir, &c.
Joseph Penwell
Clerk of the Union

Orders to receive
only usual dinner
allowance on day
of admission

Ordered "that all paupers, whether adults or children, shall receive, on the day of their admission by the Board, only the usual dinner allowance for adult paupers."

Ordered that this board do hold their next meeting on Saturday next, the 25th inst.

Money paid this day £18-10-4

Prefts	7-10-
"	6-0-4
"	5-0-0
	<u>£18-10-4</u>

Anthony Murnin

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 20th of February 1842 the assistant commissioner attending, present the Earl of Courtown, chairman, Colonel Owen, Solomon Richards, Fozey Polton John Corbridge, Henry Brownrigg, Esq. Fitzsimons Wm B. Harvey, Rich. Keegan, Capt. Rich. Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The proceedings of the Finance Committee, as follow were adopted and confirmed.

"Vouchers were produced by the clerk for payments ordered at last meeting."

The following accounts, approved of by Committee were ordered to be paid by Petty cash. -

Wm. Phillips buckets 1-1-0

Amos Ponder book $\frac{3}{4}$

£1-4-0

The following accounts, likewise approved of by Committee, were allowed; and drafts for their respective amounts were drawn on the treasurer, signed Courtown, L. Owen, John Pearson.

W. Richards, Clock 6-0-0 ✓

Miss M. Daniel, Hockings $\frac{9-11-2}{75-11-2}$ ✓

75-11-2

Ordered, that John Jacob be permanently appointed Inspector of Idiots and Infirmary attendant and porter, at a salary of eight pounds a year to commence from 28 January 1842, the day on which he was first employed, with rations and a suit of clothes"

Ordered that the Visiting Committee do furnish the Board with a plan for laying out the ground belonging to the Workhouse outside the walls.

John Jacob permanently appointed

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Ordered that a draft for ten pounds be drawn on the treasurer, in favour of Mr. Caswell, for one quarter's salary, due on the 10th inst.

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Salary of Schoolmaster
to £12. and of
Schoolmistress
to be £8. yearly*
Raised to £10 vide
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Commissrs. to be re-
-quested to pay rent
due on workhouse
site.

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded
by Mr. Woodroffe, "that £12 be the salary for the school-
-master, and that £8 be the salary for the school-
-mistress", and that the aforesaid Commissrs. be requested to advertise

Ordered that the Commissioner be requested
to pay, out of the building fund, the rent due on the
workhouse site, up to 25 March next."

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
Thirteen were admitted viz.

- 4 men
- 5 Women
- 4 Children

- 13

Ordered that the next meeting
of this board be held on Saturday the 5th
of March 1842

Money paid this day £25-15-2

Drafts drawn 25-11-2

Wm. W. Harmon

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 5th of March 1842 present the Earl of Courtown Chairman

Colonel Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, Solomon Richards, George Barker, James Bolton, John Probert, Henry Brownrigg, Tho. Doyle, Wm. B. Harvey, Richard Higginbotham Richard Keegan, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson, Peter Taylor, Abel Woodroffe

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, noted at their meeting on the 2nd inst., as follow, were adopted.

That the space in space in front of the Building be made a good gravel road, sweeping round to the two main gates, the roads which run parallel to the yard walls to be 24 feet wide; and that the paupers be employed at this work immediately. They advise further that the front to the road shall be enclosed with a dwarf wall and iron railing from the right hand corner of the premises, viz. from **A** to **B** on the plan, with a wide double gate in the centre.

That from **B** to **D** be enclosed with a weak fence and that the space **B. C. D** be thickly planted with forest trees, having been first properly trenched.

That a good ditch, with a grip on the outside, be made from **C** to **D**; that the remainder of the fences from **E** round to **A** be repaired, so as to make an effective, good fence all round; and that advertisements be published for tenders to make these several enclosures.

When this is done the Committee recommend that the paupers be employed in properly draining and trenching all the remainder of the ground previous to laying it out as pleasure ground and kitchen garden.

The committee recommend that application that application be made to the Commissioners to let the expense of the enclosing be paid out of the Building Fund.

Space in front of Buildings, how to be disposed of

Commiss^{rs} to be requested to pay expense of enclosing

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The Committee direct that the Clerk do write to the contractor for bread to say that the bread is complained of, chiefly by reason of the great quantity of potatoes in it, and as being altogether bad.

Committee direct that the Clerk do write to each of the Chaplains to call their attention to the circumstance that there has been ^{no entry made} in the Chaplains' books

Committee recommend, at the request of Doctor Owen, that the following articles be provided for the use of the Infirmary.

12 common wooden chairs

2 tables 5 feet by 2½ feet"

The minutes of the Finance Committee, passed at their meeting on this morning, were likewise adopted, as follow,

Committee examined receipts for payments ordered at last meeting, and found same to be correct.

Committee examined and approved of the following accounts and recommended that they be paid by drafts, on the Treasurer for their respective amounts.

W.^{rs} Doyle, clothes, Jacob 3-1-8 ✓

W. Woodroop, bill of costs 4-11-11 ✓

W. J. M. Daniel, furniture 19-10-5 ✓

27-10-0

Committee likewise examined the following accounts which they recommend to be paid by Petty Cash.

Mrs M. Daniel, flannel 2-12-7½ ✓

Edw. Cole, making Jacob's clothes - 9-0 ✓

W. Pelan, Wine & Lemons 3-0 ✓

3-5-12

Ordered that a check order on contractor be given for one cwt of salt

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Committee recommend that the following articles, required by the matron, be provided.

- 1 piece of linen to make aprons
- 10 lbs mould candles
- 10 lbs dips
- 4 dozen Path bricks
- 1 dozen brooms
- 4 dozen wooden pins for holding clothes on lines
- $\frac{1}{2}$ lb twine for sewing bed ticks
- $\frac{1}{2}$ hundred of darning needles
- 3 pair of bellows
- 3 stone shovels."

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners, requesting to be informed "whether there ~~was~~ were Four Commissioners for paving, lighting &c. under the act 9 Geo 4 Chap. 32, in the Borough of Goxey, on or before the 25th Oct. 1840," and another from the same, conveying instructions to the Clerk, in reference to certain duties to be performed by him.

A letter was read from the Rev. John Charles requesting permission to hold the protestant Divine Service, on the Lord's day, either in the boys' or girls' schoolroom," and also "that wine be allowed for the celebration of the Lord's Supper." Whereupon it was resolved, on the motion of Capt. Robert Owen, seconded by Mr. Win allowed Pearson, that the paupers of the Church of England be permitted, for the present, to assemble, for Divine worship, in the girls' schoolroom; and that the Master do furnish what wine may be required by the protestant chaplain for the celebration of "Lord's Supper."

The order book was signed for 57 gal of sweet milk, 118 gal of sour milk, 35 lbs meat and 10 loaves of 4 lbs each & 10 tons coal

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The Board now proceeded to admit paupers. Thirteen were admitted viz 5 men, 4 women, and 4 children. There were no paupers discharged during the past week.

~~Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 12th inst. at 12 o'clock.~~

~~Money paid this day~~

~~£30-15-1½~~

~~Drafts drawn~~

~~£30-15-0~~

Resolved, that the rate Collectors of the Union be in-

Rate collectors
required to col-
lect and pay all
all outstanding
amt. of unpaid
rate, before the
15th March 1842

formed that, in order to balance the Union accounts, for the half year ending the 25th of March, all outstanding amounts of unpaid rates must be collected and paid to the Treasurer on or before Tuesday the 15th inst. except legal cause can be shown for payment of any particular assessment.

In default of attention to this announcement the Board have no alternative but to take legal proceedings forthwith, against the Collectors and their sureties, for the amount of any deficiency in the rate.

Ordered that the Collectors be summoned to attend the Finance Committee, with their Rate Collecting Books, Rate Receipt books, and Weekly Collecting Books, on Wednesday the 16th inst. at 11 o'clock a. m.

Resolved further that the Clerk do communicate the foregoing resolutions to each of the collectors immediately.

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 12th inst. at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day £30-15-1½

Drafts drawn £30-15-0

The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board

The Provisions received amounted to 7-6-9½

Provisions consumed

11-8-2½

On a collection number of 86½ days

[Signature]

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 12th of March 1842, present the Seal of Consett, Chairman, Colonel Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, J. G. Richards, John Borbidge, Henry Brownrigg, James Giles, Richard Higginbotham, Paul Kemmy, Capt. Robt. Owen, John Pearson.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee in reference to the following particulars were approved of & adopted.

Viz. Mr. Kelly's letter relative to yard gate,

Mr. Denton

Coal

and Ventilation between Matron's room & clothes store

The following bills, approved of by the Finance Committee, at their meeting on this morning, were ordered to be paid by Petty Cash, and a draft for their amount, £1-3-10 was drawn on the Treasurer, in favour of the Clerk, signed by the Chairman, Captain Robt. Owen & Mr. Pearson. Miss Cullen Carriage 1-1-10

Sam. Stringer, tin work 2/6 Resolved, that the consideration of Mr. McDaniel's tender, for making a sleeping apartment for the cook be postponed, and that the Visiting Committee be requested to see whether some place can be appropriated to that use, for the present.

The tender of Mr. Pearson, to make

12 Chairs at 5/- each 3-0-0

2 tables, 5 feet by 2½ feet, 1-10-
 £ 4-10-

For the use of the Infirmary, was accepted.

The Order Check Book was signed, for forty leaves of 4lbs each, 72 gallons of sweet milk and 72 gallons of buttermilk, 35 lbs meat, and 1-ton of oatmeal, 12 Chairs and 2 deal tables

The Treasurer's book was examined by the Finance Committee. A balance of £525. appears against the Union

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The Board now proceeded to admit paupers. Four were admitted, (viz.)

2 Women

2 Children

Two women were refused

Ordered that Mr. W. Daniel do flag two of the Lunatic wards, - one male and one female: that he put wire guards to the windows of those wards, and tiles on the shuttings of the same wards; and that he do line the drawers of two of the Infirmary beds with light Lead."

The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board

The provisions received amounted to £4-0-9 $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions consumed £11 8-2 $\frac{1}{2}$

On a collective number of 684 days

Ordered that this Board do hold its next meeting on Saturday the 19th inst. at 12 o'clock."

Money paid this day £1-3-10

Draft drawn £1-3-10



19 March 1842

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board Room on Saturday the 19th of March 1842, present, The Earl of Courtown Chairman, Colonel Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, J. J. Richards, John Borbridge, Henry Pownings, Tho. Poyb, Richard Keegan Capt. Richard Owen,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Finance Committee, noted on the 18th inst., were approved of, and adopted as follow.

"The Rate Collectors attended with the exception of Mr. Foye, who sent his books, when it appeared that there still remain to be collected the following sums.

138-13-6 $\frac{1}{4}$ by Mr. Foye

710-2-7 by Mr. Crouder

612. by Mr. Webster

1460-16-1 $\frac{1}{4}$

Rate Collectors
to attend on
13th April 1842

Ordered, that the Collectors do attend the Board on Wednesday, the 13th of April, at 11 o'clock with all their books, when a final settlement will be made.

The treasurer's account was examined, by which it appears that £209-3-10 is due by the Union."

The minutes of the same Committee, noted at their meeting on this morning, were likewise adopted, as follow. -

"Petty Cash acct, examined, up to this date, and found to be correct.

Vouchers, produced by the Clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting, ^{of the 12th inst.} were found to be correct."

The following bill, approved of by Committee, was ordered to be paid, and a draft for amt. was drawn on the treasurer, signed by the

Chairman, Captain Rob^t. Owen and Mr. Keegan.

Mr. Beaumont 1 ton of oatmeal £15-

Miss M. Daniel's bill ————— 2-10-11 for linen, calico & ~~etc~~, likewise approved of by Committee, was ordered to be paid by Petty Cash, and a draft for amount was accordingly drawn in favour of the Clerk, signed as above.*

The order check book was signed for 44 loaves, 35-lbs of meat, 75 gallons of sweet milk, 95 gallons of of buttermilk, 1 Cwt of white soap, 12 spades, 12 pick axes, 18 white wash brushes with short handles, 5 white wash brushes with long handles.

Application of Mr. Figh refused, Schoolmaster, was refused, Mr. Figh being considered and Asst. Commis^r too old.

Requested to re-advertise for a schoolmaster

Resolved, on the motion of Capt Rob^t. Owen, seconded by ^{Mr.} Richards, "that Mr. Figh having been refused, and no other candidate for the office having presented himself, the Asst. Commissioner be requested to advertise for a schoolmaster."

Resolved that the walls of two of the lower sleeping wards be scraped, and washed with hot lime.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers. Six were admitted, viz. - Four women and two male children. One man and one woman were refused.

* The following orders in the Order Check Book, signed ^{by committee} on the 10th inst., were approved of
 10 yards of grey calico at 3/4
 4 pieces of tape
 4 dozen studs
 5 dozen wooden pins for clothes lines
 1/2 porter for hall door

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The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

The provisions received amounted to 7-8-8 $\frac{1}{4}$

provisions consumed 11-13-2 $\frac{1}{2}$

on a collective number of 713 days

Ordered, that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 25th inst. at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day £17-10-11

Drafts drawn £17-10-11



At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board Room on Saturday the 25th of March 1842, present, Capt. Robert Owen, Chairman Robert Payne, Col. Owen, J. G. Richards, Fossey Bolton, Edw. Fitzsimons, Job Hall, Rich^d. Hegginsbotham, Paul. Kenny, Captain Richard Owen, John Pearson,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, passed on the 23rd inst., were read and adopted as follow.

"Committee filled the following checks from the Order Check Book.

W. Denton 10 tons of coal

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W^m. Pope 2 lbs blea thread
2 lbs black D^o
5 dozen black horn studs
3 dozen thimbles for women
3 dozen D^o for girls
1 Piece white twilled calico
2 pieces linen for shifts
2 stone of dark grey knitting worsted

W^m. Miller 1 stone of whitening
3 dozen black lead
1 quart sweet oil

Clothes & of Martha
Brady a deceased
pauper

Ordered, that the Master do detain, until further orders, the clothes and other property of the late Martha Brady, a deceased pauper.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to W^m. Page, Enniscothy, to know for what he will print 50 books, containing 100 copies each, of distraining notices, same as the one enclosed.

The proceedings of the Finance Committee, entered at their meeting on this morning, were likewise adopted as follow.

"Committee examined vouchers, produced by Clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them to be correct."

The following accounts, examined by Committee, were ordered to be paid by Petty Cash, and a draft for aggregate amount, £11-5- was drawn, in favour of the Clerk, signed by the Chairman, Colonel Owen and W^m. Peerson.

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Wm. Condell	5	1-19-4	potatoes
John Doyle	✓	1-18-8	Loaf
Edw. Webb		1-16-3	drawing stones
J. Byrne		10-2	do
J. Needham		8-2	do
Saml. Pelan	-	1-2½	tea & sugar
Wm. Shehan	2	17-5	stones
J. Pool		2-4	wall hooks
Wm. Murphy	1	4-3	men's caps
David Scott		3-2	salt
		<u>£ 11-5-0½</u>	✓

The following accounts, likewise examined by Finance Committee, were ordered to be paid, and drafts, for respective amounts, were drawn on the treasurer, signed as aforesaid.

✓	Thos. Harvey	9-2-9	bread	✓
✓	John Flusk	5-19-7	meat	✓
✓	Michl. Byrne	19-12-7	Milk	✓
✓	A. Thom	✓ 4-5-4½	Stationery & printing	✓
✓	Joseph M. Pail	35-13-1½	Furnishing	✓
✓	Edw. Pearson	4-10-0	furniture	✓
		<u>£ 80-4-5</u>		

Reading desk
With Bibles
& prayer books
ordered

A letter was read from the Rev. Mr. Harley requesting that "a reading desk," and "one dozen & half of Bibles and prayer books, for the protestant paupers of the House," be provided: whereupon it was unanimously resolved that the Reverend Mr. Harley be requested to order the required number of Bibles and prayer books, and that the reading desk be provided."

Meat on
Easter Sunday

Resolved, "that, as the poorest persons in the country are ^{accustomed to have} in the habit of getting meat on Easter Sunday, half a pound of meat be provided for each pauper, - viz, 106 persons, or 53 lbs of meat.

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The Ordnance Book was signed for
88 lbs of meat
45 four pound loaves
80 gallons sweet milk
80 gallons buttermilk
1 cwt salt
5 small jars of ink

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
Fourteen were admitted, - viz 6 men, 3 women
4 male and 1 female children. 1 man was
refused.

The provision Receipt and Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions received amounted to £21.15. $7\frac{3}{4}$

Provisions consumed amounted to £12.2. $8\frac{3}{4}$

on a collective number of 721 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this
Board be held on Saturday the 2nd of April
next at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day £91.9. $5\frac{1}{2}$

Receipts drawn £91.9.5

Powell

2 April 1842

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 2nd of April 1842 present the Earl of Orontown Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen Solomon Richards, John Bondidge, Tho. Doyle, Richd. Carl Michl. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, Richd. Keegan, John Laffin, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson, Jas. Sheridan Luke Smith, Abel Woodroop,

Earl of Orontown His Lordship vacated the Chair, which was taken elected Chairman by Mr. Muggesidge, the Assistant Commissioner; whereupon it was proposed by Captain Richard Owen, seconded by Mr. Bondidge, and unanimously resolved, "that that the Earl of Orontown be Chairman of the Board of Guardians for the ensuing year."

Mr. Tho. Esmonde Vice Chairman His Lordship, having resumed the Chair, proposed that Mr. Thomas Esmonde be Vice Chairman, which proposition, ~~having been~~ ^{was} seconded by Mr. Pearson, and carried unanimously.

Proposed by Mr. Pearson, seconded by Capt. Robt. Owen Mr. Doyle and unanimously resolved, "that Captain Robert Owen be Deputy Vice Chairman."

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Finance Committee noted at their meeting on this morning were read and adopted as follow,-

"Vouchers produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting were found to be correct.

Committee filled the following checks from the Order Check Book.

Messrs Tho. Harvey	50 loaves of bread	4/6s each
John Flusk	42 lbs meat	
Michl. Byrne	90 gallons sweet milk	
	110 gallons buttermilk	

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Mr. Conell 24 pieces white tape
 15 yards white calico
 3 dozen small toothed combs
 2 dozen back combs

Mr. Miller 2 stone of whiting
 2 paint brushes
 2 black lead brushes."

The following account, accompanied by Check Order of the 23rd March, was ordered to be paid, and a draft for £11-4-2 was accordingly drawn on the Treasurer, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t. Owen and Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Poye ylbs black thread 2/4 16-4
 ylbs blea 2^d 2/4 16-4
 6 dozen black horn studs 1-0
 6 dozen thimbles 1-6
 48 yards twilled calico 3-1-12-0
 137 yards propheta linen 4-11-4
 2 stone grey worsted 2/4 3-5-4
 £11-3-10

Finance
 Committee

Resolved that the following Guardians do form a Finance Committee for the year ending 25 March 1843

Capt. Richard Owen
 Solomon Richards Esq.
 Mr. Woodroop
 Chas. H. Poyne Esq.
 Geo. Glascott Esq."

Resolved that the following Guardians do form a Visiting Committee for the aforesaid term.

Visiting
 Committee

Colonel Owen
 Mr. Woodroop
 Mr. Kegan
 Mr. Pearson
 Capt. Rich^d. Owen
 Mr. Stafford

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Letters of application for the Office of Schoolmaster were read from Mr Robert Kelly 12 Church Lane, Pomeybrook, and Mr William Mills, Rathdown. Mr Kelly ^{was strongly and very respectably recommended; but as he} anticipated from his letter he did not attend.

W^m Mills
elected
Schoolmaster

Mr Mills, being in attendance, was called in and examined as to ~~cap~~ ability, and fitness for the office. His qualifications having been deemed satisfactory, and his testimonials, as to capability and moral character, being likewise highly respectable, it was unanimously resolved, on the motion of Mr Woodroop, seconded by Mr Borbidge, that Mr William Mills be appointed schoolmaster for the union workhouse.

Mr Mills was again called in, when, his appointment having been ratified by the Asst^t Commissioners, he was ordered to come into residence on Saturday the 10th inst.

Bed & furniture
provided for
schoolmaster

Resolved that the Visiting Committee be requested to provide a proper bedstead, wool mattress, bolster & pillow; also a small table, two chairs and a washing stand for the use of the schoolmaster: likewise to order a platform or gallery, for the girls' school-room, similar to that in Casnew; and also books and cards for both schools."

Salary of School-
mistress to be
£10- a year

Resolved that Mr Muggenidge be requested to advertise for a schoolmistress at ten pounds a year."

Resolved that Mr Muggenidge be likewise requested to advertise for 100 rugs."

Ordered that tenders for 25 barrels of best cup potatoes, free of clay and hazards, be advertised for by handbills.

Ordered that the clerk be directed to procure, from Mr Thom, 200 copies of the placard in reference to the Statutes affecting the collection of poor rates, and to have them ^{posted} throughout the union."

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The Board now proceeded to admit paupers.
Ten were admitted, viz- 3 men, 4 women & 3 children.
One woman was refused.

The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts
were laid before the Board.-

Provisions received amounted to £12-3-6

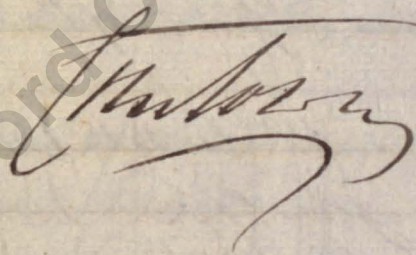
Provisions consumed 13-12-9½

On a collective number of 781 days

Ordered "that the next meeting of this Board
be held on Saturday the 9th inst. at 12 o'clock".

Money paid this day 11-4-2

Drafts drawn 11-4-2

 Chairman

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians,
held in the Boardroom, on Saturday the 9th of April
1842, present the Earl of Courtown Chairman,
Colonel Owen, Capt. Robert Owen, J. G. Richards
Topsy Bolton, John Boobidge, Rich. Earl, Richard
Higginbotham, John Hollingsworth, John Middleton
Capt. Richd Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting
were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee,
entered at their meeting on Saturday the 6th
inst. were read and adopted as follow.-

"That the road from the gate to the
men's yard be made passable

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Outside locks
to be altered

That all the outside locks be so altered that no key of an inside door will pass them"

Minutes of Finance Committee, passed at this meeting of this morning, adopted as follow:-

Vouchers produced by clerk for payments ordered at last meeting found to be correct.

The following accounts examined by Finance Committee were approved of and drafts drawn for respective amounts, signed by the Chairman,

Capt. Robt. Owen & Mr. Pearson

John Poole 4-0-0 Spades, pickaxes &c

Wm H Miller 7-4-1 Brushes &c

Wm Denton 21-0-0 Coal

32-4-1

The following accounts were ordered to be paid by petty Cash, and a draft for collective amount was in favour of the clerk, signed as aforesaid:-

Wm Condell 1-15- $\frac{1}{2}$ Calico, tape, combs &c

John Cager 2-0-0 Self's seat, vac. room

Clerk 1-0-0 Current expenses

4-15- $\frac{1}{2}$

A letter was read from the Commissioners relative to Vaccination; and another from the same disapproving of the dietary given to the paupers on Easter Sunday.

A letter was read from John W Daniel offering to make a platform, with steps, lead rail &c, for 7-12-3. Consideration postponed until tenders be advertised for.

A letter was read from James Stafford tendering his resignation, on the plea of ill health, was referred to the Asst. Commissioner.

The tender of Mr. W. Murphy to supply 50 barrels of best cup potatoes at 8/0 the barrel was accepted.

Resignation of
Mr. Stafford

Wm. Murphy's
tender potatoes
accepted

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Death of
Jas. Doyle

A report was received from Doctr Owen that James Doyle, a pauper, N^o 35 on the Register had died on the 2nd inst.

Ordered that Joseph Clare, a pauper, be permitted to depart from the Workhouse on Monday and be absent for three days.

Ordered that the Clerk do procure, from Mr. Page, without delay, 500 copies of placards having blank spaces to be filled as may be requisite, that in all cases where tenders are required the clerk cause advertisements to be posted in all the towns throughout the Union.

Ordered that the Visiting Committee do take steps to have the road from the entrance to the gate in the men's yard made passable.

J. W. Higginbotham
placed on Finance
Committee

Ordered that the Finance Committee be notified to attend a Special meeting on Wednesday next at eleven o'clock, and that Mr. Higginbotham be added to the Committee.

The Order Book was signed for
50 four pound loaves
40 lbs of meat
95 gallons sweet milk
110 gallons buttermilk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
7 were admitted, viz 2 men and 5 women.
One woman was refused.

The Provision receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions received amounted to 7-10-6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Provisions consumed 15-6-3 $\frac{3}{4}$

On a collective number of 840 days

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Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next the 10th inst. at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 35-19-11½
 Prepts drawn 35-19-11

Frederick W. Chairman

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board Room on Saturday the 10th of April 1842, ^{of the Com. absent} present the Earl of Courtown Chairman, Col. Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, Solomon Richards, Popsey Bolton, Mr. Doyle, M^r. Finn, Edward Fitzsimons, Rich^d. Keegan, Dan. Kenny, John Laffin, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson, Luke Smith.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Finance Committee ^{in the 13th inst.} specially summoned, were adopted as follows. The Committee proceeded to investigate the Collectors' books, and they find that, on the whole Union, there remains a sum of £1049-11-2 still uncollected, in the following manner.

N ^o 1 district	Mr. Webster	397-13-0
2 "	Mr. Fayle	80-5-1
3 "	Mr. Conner	565-12-7
		<u>1049-11-2</u>

The Collectors report that they have served notices on several of the principal defaulters, and that they will issue summonses forthwith to bring them before their proper Petty Sessions.

Committee have noticed the extreme difficulty of collecting the very small sums in the rate book. In one electoral division there are 303 individuals rated below one shilling each, out of an aggregate number of 1265 persons, - nearly one fourth of the number.

Another rate recommended by Committee

Committee would wish to call the attention of the Board, seriously to the immediate necessity of taking steps to make ~~the rate~~ ^{the rate} by whatever revision of the valuation may be necessary, and by such other measures, as may be requisite for the purpose."

The following bills, previously examined by Finance Committee, at their meeting on this morning, were ordered to be paid, and drafts were drawn for respective amounts, signed by the Chairman, Colonel Owen and Mr. Pearson.

W^m Murphy £20- potatoes
 M^r Geo. Pearson 5-5-5 furniture

The following accounts examined by Committee were ordered to be paid, by Petty Cash, and a draft for collective amount was accordingly drawn, in favour of the Clerk, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t Owen and Mr. Pearson.

~~Mr. Thompson~~ 1-1-0 Cash paid for lime & turf.

W^m L. Pelan 6-5 $\frac{1}{2}$ Groceries ~~for~~ for printing

P^r 3-0 ~~extra~~ Ink

A letter was read from the Commissioners ~~as to the resignation of Mr. Stafford and stating that they would fill up the vacancies in the~~ ^{in order for} number of guardians in Looe Union

A letter was read from Mr. Page of Ennisconthy stating that he would execute our printing as cheap as any other person.

The clerk was directed to inform Mr. Fyfe that Mr. Thom refuses to print so small a number as two hundred receipts, and that Mr. Fyfe must get them as he best can

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Tenders to supply coverlets, having the words, "Gorey Union," wove in the centre, were read from the following persons,

Wm. G. Johnston

N^o 1 size 50 at 4.

2 " 50 3/3

3 " 50 3/0

Wm. Murphy

N^o 1 size 50. 7 feet by 8-8 ^{feet in}

2 " 50 7 " 5.

3 " 50 8-4 by 8-2

150 at 2/4¹/₂ each

John Lamb

N^o 1 size 50 7 feet by 8-8 at 1/10

2 " 50 7-5 " 1/8

3 " 50 8-4 8-2 " 1/8

Jane Murphy

"150 rugs or coverlets, same as pattern sent, with the words, 'Gorey Union' wove in the centre,

N^o 1 size 50 ^{feet} 7 x 8-8 to weigh at least ^{lb} 3-^{oz} 8

2 " 50 7 x 5. " 2-12

3 " 50 8-4 x 8-2 " 2-9

some may weigh 3-12

All round at 2/5 each."

Henry Scott & Co.

150 coverlets with the words "Gorey Union" in the centre, in three sizes of fifty each, as in the advertisement, at two shillings and six pence each.

Visiting* Committee observed that more straw is requisite and they recommend that it be procured or some substitute

Committee recommend that the following articles, required by the matron be ordered, 2 pieces of linen, 1 D^o twilled calico, 1 piece of flannel, 1 do blue striped calico

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The clerk was directed to write to each of the contractors for a small sample of the material which they propose to furnish, with the exception of James Murphy who has sent a sample.

Miss Pary elected Schoolmistress

A letter and testimonials were read from Eleanor Pary offering herself for schoolmistress; whereupon it was proposed by Captain Robt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Fitzsimons, ^{that} Eleanor Pary be appointed schoolmistress. A show of hands was called for, and a large majority being in favour of the proposition, Eleanor Pary was declared elected. Miss Pary was then called in and ordered to come into residence on Saturday the 23rd inst.

The order check book was signed for

Mr. Harvey	50 four pound loaves	
Mr. Flusk	53 lbs meat	
Mr. M. Pym	95 gallons sweet milk	
	118 gallons buttermilk	
Mr. Edw. Pearson	A prep bedstead	2-0-0
	Mattress & bolster	
	at 1/3 p. W. (wool)	2-2-11
	A basin stand	-5-
	A table	-7-5
	2 chairs	10-
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		5-5-5

For schoolmistress's room.

Mr. John Doyle 1 Cwt of soap

Ordered to erect a platform & reading desk

Ordered that tenders be advertised for to erect a platform in the children's schoolroom, and a reading desk for the Chaplain of the established Church, according to a plan to be seen with the clerk.

Master reported that the kitchen chimney wanted sweeping. Ordered that the Master do get it swept.

The boy, Clare, let out on prep, returned in proper time.

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Committee
of
Instruction
&
Employment

Resolved that the following guardians do
form a Committee of Instruction and Employment
for the current year, viz

Sir Tho. Esmond, Bart.

Colonel Owen

Solomon Richards Esq.

Mr. Kenny

Mr. Fitzsimons

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
14 were admitted viz 2 men, 8 women & 3 children.

The provision Receipt and Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions received amounted to £ 5-15-2½

Provisions consumed 13-13-8¼

On a collection number of 829 days

Ordered, that the next meeting of this
Board be held on Saturday the 23rd inst.
at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day £ 20-17-4½

Drafts drawn 20-17-4

Anthony Harris

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 23rd of April 1842, A. W. Musgrave Esq. the Asst. Commissioner, present; Guardians present, the Secy of Courtown, Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen, J. G. Richards, Chas. H. Doyle Esq.,^{rs} Midl. Finn, Richd. Higginbotham, Capt. Richd. Owen John Pearson, James Sheridan, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee of the 20th inst. were adopted as follow.

"Committee went over the House, and found every thing correct.

Committee observed that more straw is requisite, and they recommend that more be procured or some substitute for it.

Committee recommend that the following articles, required by the Matron be ordered.

2 pieces of linen

2 do. twilled calico

1 piece of flannel

1 do. blue striped calico."

The minutes of the Committee of Instruction and Employment, passed at their meeting on the 21st inst. were likewise adopted, as follow.

~~The Committee~~ saw and inspected the paupers: they find ~~that~~ ^{employed} there are only eight men out of twenty five ~~in the house~~, who are at present in the house, and that the ordinary work of the house appears to employ them fully. There are two tailors in the house: the Committee directed the Master to set them at work repairing the clothes which are beginning to be much worn.

~~On the female side of the House there are many men capable of work repairing the clothes, which are beginning to be much worn.~~

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On the female side of the House there are many more capable of work, and they all appear to be very well employed.

The Matron applies for four spinning wheels, which Committee recommend may be procured.

The Committee then saw the schoolmaster. He is, at present, employed superintending the boys breaking stones: as yet he has not school books or other requisites to commence their teaching. The schoolmistress has not yet arrived."

The minutes of the Finance Committee passed at their meeting of this morning, were adopted as follow.

Vouchers, produced by the Clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting were found to be correct.

Committee examined Petty Cash account which they found to be correct. Amount £5-17-4.

Accounts from the following persons were found to be correct, and recommended to be paid.

Mist. Pyron 15-10 Milk as per contract
Edw. Pearson 5-3-0 Furniture

Drafts were accordingly drawn for respective amounts, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen and Mr. Higginbotham.

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners, approving of the appointment of William Mills as schoolmaster

Tenders to erect a reading desk and platform were read from the following persons;

John W Daniel, to furnish a platform, as

Miss Parry's
appointment
confirmed

set forth in tender for £7-3-3, and a reading desk, according to plan to be seen at the Board room, for both £11-5-9

Edward Pearson to furnish a platform and reading desk according to plans to be seen at the Board room, for £11-17-5

Mr. W. Daniel's tender accepted to erect a platform & reading desk

Mr. W. Daniel's tender was accepted at £10-18-0 the remaining 7/9 to be deducted for painting, and the work to be sent in unpainted, to which Mr. W. Daniel assented.

Tenders to supply coverlets were read from the following persons

John Lamb, rescinding his former tender, and proposing in lieu as follows

N. 1 size	7-0 ^{ft ins} x 5-5	at	-2/10
2	7-0 x 5-0		-2/4
3	6-4 x 5-2		-2/5

Henry Scott & Co

150 coverlets with the words, Grey Union, in the centre, three sizes of fifty each as in advertisement, at -2/5 each

Jane Murphy

150 rees or coverlets or coverlets with the words Grey Union in the centre

50 N. 1	7-0 x 5-5 to weigh at least	^{lbs} 3-0
50 " 2	7-0 x 5-0	2-12
50 " 3	6-4 x 5-2	2-9

Some may weigh 3-12

All round at -2/5 each

23^d Apr, 1842W^m O'Grady

enclosing two patterns: one at 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ p/lb:
the other as follows

N ^o . 1	size 50	7-0 x 5-5
2	50	7-0 x 5-0
3	50	5-4 x 5-2
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		150 at 2/4 each

Robt. J. Stubbs

tender accepted
counterpane

Robt. J. Stubbs

50 counterpanes	N ^o . 1 size	7-0 x 5-5	-4/9
50	2	7-0 x 5-0	-3/11
50	3	5-4 x 5-2	-4/5

The words, Grey Union to be woven in the
centre.

The Board having minutely examined
and compared the different patterns, it was
unanimously resolved, on the motion of Mr.
Higginbotham, seconded by Capt. Richd. Owen,
that the tender of Mr. Stubbs be accepted.

An application was read from the Chair-
man of the Wexford Board, for a loan of a suit
of clothes of each class of paupers, and for bedding.

Death of Chas. Grant. The master reported the death of a
Wilson, a pauper named Charles Wilson, N^o. 50 on the Registry.
Whereupon it was ordered that the Master do
inter the body of said pauper in Clonatin
burying ground.

The following letter was read from
Mr. Muggesidge

Gentlemen

Grey Union
Board room 23. Apr. 1842

In the audit of the accounts I find
the undrawn sums due to Officers and servants
of the Establishment, up to the 25th of March, which
I hereby request and authorize you to pay - namely

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Officers & servants
paid to 25 March
1842

Mr. Flaw, Master	5-0-0
Matron	6-3-3
Clerk	3-13-0
Porter	1-10-0
Cook	- 17-11½
Infirmary Porter	1-4-0
<u>Total</u>	<u>£18-14-2½</u>

Included in Audit
to 25 March 1842

I am, Gentlemen, your obed. servant

Richd. M. Muggridge

The Board of Guardians
Grey Union
Asst. Commr. & Auditor

It was accordingly resolved, on the motion of J. G. Richards Esq., seconded by W. Pearson, that these accounts be paid; and a draft for collective amount 18-14-2 was drawn on the treasurer signed by the Chairman, Capt Robt. Owen and W. Higginbotham.

Revision of the
Rate

Resolved, on the motion of Capt Robt. Owen, seconded by J. G. Richards Esq. that it is necessary to have the valuation of many of ~~many~~ the tenements in the Union revised. That, previous to such revision, it is desirable to ascertain all reasonable objections to the existing valuation, as well as the various changes which have taken place since it was made, by alteration in ownership, by new buildings and such like.

That, for the purpose of carrying out the foregoing resolution, the following Sub-Committees be appointed to meet at the Board room, as under in order to hear objections, and examine into matters requiring alteration in the valuation.

Sitting of Sub-com-
mittees for revision
of Rate

The Guardians of Grey electoral division on Monday 16 May
Guardians of Courtown & Ballycane on Wed^{nes} 18 May
Guardians, Monomolin & Wells Friday 20 May
Guardians, Colgrany & Wingfield Monday 23 May
Guardians, Amolin Rosminogun & Ballyellis
on Wednesday 25 May

23rd Ap^l 1842

Resolved that the following placard be posted throughout the Union.

Grey Union
Valuation

The public are hereby informed that committees will sit, at the Board room of the Workhouse, on the days specified as under, to hear any reasonable objections that the rate payers may have to make to the present valuation, and to receive information as to changes or new taxancies in order that in all future rates there may not be any mistake.

Towit

In Grey electoral division

On Monday the 16th May at 11 o'clock

Ennotown and Ballycaew
on Wednesday the 18th May

Monamolin & Wells
on Friday the 20th of May

Coolgraney and Wingfield
on Monday the 23rd of May

Camolin, Rosminogun & Ballyellis
on Wednesday the 25th of May

Clerk directed to write to pay for 500 copies of above placard

The order check book was signed for
Thos. Harvey 60 loaves of four pounds each
John Flusk 58 lbs of meat
Michl. Pym 100 gallons of sweet milk
130 gallons buttermilk
Purman 4 spinning wheels
Michl. Phillips 6 water buckets with handles

Placard
advertising
revision of Rate

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John McDaniel 1 Coffin, price 5/0
 Miss Cullen 10 lbs candles
 John Scott 2 pieces of linen
 2 pieces of twisted calico
 2 pieces of striped calico
 1 piece of flannel
 5 stow flax

Mr. McDaniel's
tender for coffins
postponed

The offer of John McDaniel to make coffins
at the following prices viz -

Male adults - 5/0	} each
Women - 5/0	
Children 4/0	

was postponed for future consideration.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
12 were admitted viz 2 men 4 women and
6 children. 1 man was refused.

The Provision Receipt & Consumption accounts
were laid before the Board.

Provisions received amounted to	27-3-3
Provisions consumed	13-5-3

On a collective number of 821 days

Ordered that the next meeting of
this Board be held on Saturday the 30th inst^d
at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day	39-13-8 $\frac{1}{2}$
Drafts drawn	39-13-8

W. J. [Signature] Chairman

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 30th of April 1842, present the Earl of Countown Chairman, Col. Owen, Capt Robt. Bowen, Ffosy Bolton, John Purbridge, Richd. Carl, Edw. Fitzsimon, John Hollingsworth, Richd. Keegan, John W. Laughlin, Capt. Richard, John Pearson, Abel Woodroff,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed. The minutes of the Visiting Committee of the 27th inst. were adopted as follow.

"Committee went over the House and filled up the visiting committee book.

The clerk was directed to write to Mr. Denton the Contractor to request that he will send in, with as little delay as possible, 110 tons of coal, the fulfilment of his contract."

The minutes of the Committee of Education and Employment, passed at their meeting on the 28th inst. were adopted as follow.

"The Committee inspected the paupers, and find that there are nine men employed in the Ordinary work of the House. The Committee recommend that some cloth be procured for mending the clothes of the male paupers, and to give employment to the two tailors.

The women, able to work, seem to be all usefully employed, with the exception of two who refuse to work, - viz. Sarah Barber and Peps Redmond.

The Committee saw the schoolmaster. He was giving instruction to 15 boys from fifteen to seven years of age, of which only two can read or write. Hours of instruction from eight till nine, and from eleven till 12 o'clock the rest of the day they are employed in breaking stones

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The Committee likewise visited the Female school. The mistress has, under her charge, seventeen girls from the age of twelve to two, of whom but three can read. She has also, under her care, thirteen little boys of from six years old to two and a half, none of whom can read."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were adopted as follow

£251-2-10 to the credit of the Union

Committee examined the Treasurer's account, furnished to the 29th inst. by which a balance of 251-2-10 appears to the credit of the Union.

The Committee examined vouchers produced by the clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them to be correct.

A bill from Joseph T. Godkin for explanatory tables, schedules &c in reference to the audit, postponed for the consideration of the Assist. Commis-sioner.

The following bills were approved of and recommended for payment-

Past. Redmond	2-0-0	Vaccination room
Edw. Webb	1-17-6	Men & horses
Micb. Phillips	1-1-0	Water tubs
Joseph Needham	- 8-8	stones
Martin Purn	3-0	interring a pauper
	<u>£5-8-0</u>	

Committee examined & compared Petty Cash acc^t.

On the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson, a draft for £5-8-0 was accordingly drawn on the treasurer, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t. Owen and Capt. Rich^d. Owen.

Chaplain's appointed am^t. of remuneration

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners announcing the appointment of "the Rev. John Corvan to be the Chaplain of the Established Church, and the Rev. P. Timothy C. P. to be the Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse, the former at a salary of £25 per annum, and the

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Letter at a salary of £40-*s* annum."

Whereupon it was unanimously resolved, on the motion of Capt. Robt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe that the salaries of the Chaplains shall commence from the 22nd of January of January 1842, the day on which their services began

A letter was read from the Rev. Mr. Corvan requesting quarter's salary.

Resolved unanimously, on the motion of Mr. Pearson, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe that the quarter's salaries due be paid,

to wit,-

The Rev. Mr. Corvan 5-5-0

The Rev. Mr. Timmott 10-0-0

Chaplains paid
1st quarter's salary

Resolved that the rent of Mr. Daniel Redmond's room, for Vaccination, at Craan Ford, be reduced from four to three pounds *s* annum, from the 13th of April inst.

Ordered that Edward & Mary Bradshaw and their three children be transferred from the electoral division of Camolin, in which they had been entered in mistake, to the Union at Lurg.

Doctor Owen reported the want of shoes and stockings for children, and likewise of suspenders for men.

Ordered that 50 pair of shoes for children of from five to thirteen years of age, fifty 50 pair of stockings for same, and 100 pair of suspenders for men and boys be advertised for by placard.

The clerk was directed to write to Messrs Neville, to request that they will compare James Bryon of Ballinvalley, Monomolin, in Rath. Book, with field book, and state what net annual value field book shews.

Rent of
Mr. Redmond's
Vae. room
reduced

Edw. & Mary
Bradshaw
transferred

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John W. Daniel
contracts for
Coffins

The offer of John W. Daniel, the consideration of which was postponed at last meeting, to make coffins at the following prices viz -

Male adults - 6-0

Women - 5-0

Children 4-0

was accepted.

The order Check Book was signed as follows.

Thos. Harvey 50 loaves of four pines each

John Flusk 58 lbs of meat

Michl. Byrne 50 gallons sweet milk

100 galb buttermilk

Wm J. Denton 110 tons of coal

Is. Ryan
aged 101
admitted

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

25 were admitted, viz - 5 men, 5 women & 14 children now rejected. James Ryan, aged 101, admitted this day.

The Provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions received amounted to 9-4-8

Provisions consumed 14-4-9 ³/₄

On a collective number of 884 days

Ordered the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day £5-8-0

Profit drawn 5-8-0

Thos. Harvey Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 7th of May 1842, the Asst. Commissioner absent,

present, the Earl of Conyngham Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen Solomon Richards Esq., Fopsey Polton, John Purbridge Mr. Doye, Wm. Finn, Job Hall Esq. Wigginsbotham John Laffin, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson Jas. Sheridan,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, of the 4th inst were adopted as follows. -

"The Committee recommend that the Master do employ a mason to pave a stone a stone in the mess yard.

An application was made by the Matron for the following articles, which Committee recommend may be procured

- 1 load of grit stone for cleaning milk tubs
- 1 Flex seal
- 2 hundred sewing needles
- 3 pieces of calico
- 4 pieces of linen
- 4 dozen broad white tape
- 2 pieces of twilled calico
- 2 dozen pieces of narrow tape
- 50 men's Scotch bonnets."

The minutes of the Committee of Instruction and Employment, held, in the Boardroom, on Thursday, the 5th of May 1854 present, Solomon Richards Esq., Col. Owen,

The Committee inspected the paupers, and report as follows. -

There appear on the books 14 men employed whitewashing rooms, repairing the mal yard,

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breaking stones, and in the daily necessary occupations of the kitchen, there are, also on the books, 16 men who are unable to work.

There appear to be 12 boys employed breaking stones, and 4 boys picking potatoes. 22 boys are too young to be employed in manual labour.

The schoolmistress reports that she requires a set of alphabet and spelling tablets of first part of Public Spelling book, or National Board, 24 slates 200 slate pencils, 1 sheet of copy pieces.

School
requisites

The committee recommend that a chair be provided for the Schoolmistress.

The schoolmaster reports that he requires for the use of the school,

35 slates, 300 slate pencils, 1 set of alphabet and Spelling Tablets from the first part either of the Public Spelling Book, or the National Board of Education, 1 sheet of copy pieces."

The minutes of the former Committee were adopted as follow.

The Committee examined, ^{vouchers} produced by the clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them to be correct.

The Committee examined the following bill, and they recommend it for payment.

Thos. Harvey 11-12-4 bread.

And the following, which they recommend to be paid by Petty Cash

The Clerk	- 1 - 5	Petty Cash acc ^t current
Jam. Stringer	- 2 - 5	repairing cocks of boilers
Jas. Redmond	- 19 - 5	labour
Ben. Webster	- 9 - 8	slaying
Paul. Redmond	1 - 0 - 0	Ball on full to 13 th Apr. War. room

£ 2 - 13 - 1

Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Col. Awer and W. Higginbotham.

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The following drafts, ordered at last meeting, were likewise drawn, signed as aforesaid.

The Rev. John Orman 5-5-6 quarter's salary
The Rev. P. Linnott 10- ^{8^d}

Miss Parry's
Appointment
confirmed

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners approving of the appointment of Miss Parry as schoolmistress.

Resolved, on the motion of Mr. Pearson, seconded by Col. Owen that the following advertisement be published in the General Advertiser, viz. -

Advertisement
for
General Advertiser

Gorey Union

Wanted, for the use of paupers in the Workhouse of this Union, the following articles, viz. -

Twilled, blue calico, for petticoats, stating price by the piece.

Half bleached strong linen, for sheeting and for shirts, specifying the width and the price per yard.

Likewise calico for the same purposes, stating price per piece.

A sample of each article will be required. The goods to be delivered, at the Workhouse, free of expense.

Tenders free of postage to be sent in to the Clerk, on or before the 27th of May inst.

By Order Joseph Cranmer
Providence, Gorey Clerk of the Union
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Candles
advertised for
by placard

Ordered that Moulded candles & dips for the use of the Workhouse, as required from time to time until the 29th of September next, be advertised for by placard. Tenders stating price of each lb, and accompanied by a specimen of each to be sent in, on or before the 13th inst.

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Ordered that the Clerk do write for 100 Scotch bonnets
same as last.

Tender of
Ben. Webster, to keep
Windows in repair
accepted

The Board proceeded to open and read tenders.
The tender of Ben. Webster to "keep the windows
of the Union Workhouse in repair for six months
from date of tender - viz. 4 May 1842 at four pence
per pane," was accepted, "provided the Contractor do
mend the panes ^{from day to day} as they require it."

Tender of
Thos Sharp
Children's shoes
accepted

The tender of Thomas Sharp to "make fifty
pair of childrens shoes, between the ages of five
and thirteen years, at three shillings per pair,
was accepted.

Tender of J. Donahoe
sweep
rejected

The tender of John Donahoe of Ashlow,
to sweep the chimneys of the workhouse for
£6. per year to attend once a month, or oftener
if required was rejected.

Application to
National Board
of Education

Ordered that the Clerk do write to the
National Board of Education, requesting that
they will furnish the school necessaries
required by the schoolmaster & the schoolmistress.

Resolved that Col. Owen be requested to
order a chain for the Schoolmistress.

Ordered that the clerk do write to the
contractor, to state that the buttermilk is very
bad, thin and sour, with a great deal of water.

Death
of Eliza McCarthy

The Doctor reported the death of Eliza
McCarthy, a pauper, N^o. 119 on the Register

Complaint of
Paupers
groundless

A complaint made by the paupers,
"that they had not enough to eat," was inquired
into, and found groundless.

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The Order Check Book was signed as follows.

Tho^r Harvey 50 loaves of bread 4 lbs each
 John Flusk 51 lbs meat
 Mich^d. Pym 100 gallons of sweet milk
 110 gallons of buttermilk
 David Scott 112 lbs salt
 John Redmond 1 ton of oatmeal
 John Poyh + 50 packages of black lead
 112 lbs soap
 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallon sweet oil

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
 11 were admitted, viz - 2 men, 3 women, and
 6 children. None rejected.

The provision Receipt & Consumption accounts
 were laid before the Board

Provisions ^{received} amounted to 8-15- $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions ^{consumed} 15-3-7

On a collective number of 944 days

Ordered, that the next meeting of
 this Board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day £ 30-10-5

Drafts drawn £ 30-10-5

Thomas Harrison

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 14th of May 1842, the following Commissioners absent, present

The Earl of Conestown, Chairman,
Robt. Poyne Esq, Capt. Robt. Owen, Colonel Owen,
J. Richards Esq, Fossey Polton, Edw. Fitzsimons
Richard Keegan, John W. Laughlin, Capt. Richd. Owen
John Pearson,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, noted at their meeting on the 11th inst, were adopted, as follow.

"The Committee inspected the House through all its departments, and were particularly pleased with the general cleanliness of the House, and with the Order which every where appears evident in the employment of the paupers. The Committee would recommend that corner cupboard and shelves be put up in the schoolmaster's and schoolmistress's rooms: they likewise recommend that boxes, made of bent, be procured, as soon as possible, for the men and boys to sit on breaking stones."

The minutes of the Committee of Instruction & Employment, entered at their meeting on the 12th inst, were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Committee inspected the paupers, and found the men and women employed in the same manner that they were last week. They appear to have done a fair proportion of work according to the numbers employed. The school requisites not having yet arrived, there is no alteration in the instruction of the children.

The Committee recommend that a work-table, with drawers, be provided for the female school. The drawers are requisite to put away the

Cup boards
& shelves in
schoolmaster's
& schoolmistress's
rooms

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unfinished work and materials. Likewise,

An enumeration tablet,

1½ dozen blocks to paste copy pieces,

2 dozen boards to paste alphabets,

or writing desk, so constructed as to hold slates.

The Male School will require the same requisites as stated for the Female school, with the exception of the work table and the Enumeration tablet.

All the foregoing articles will be described to the Carpenter by the Committee."

The minutes of the Finance Committee noted at their meeting on this morning, were also adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined receipts produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

The Committee examined the following accounts which they find correct, and recommend for payment,

John Redmond £ 15-0-0 oatmeal, contract

Michl. Cullen - 7-6 candles

John Scott 2-5-5½ linen, flannel &c.

M^{rs} Webster - 2-10½ Wine & Lemons

John W Daniel 2-3-8, furnishing, paving

Jam^t. Pelau - 7-9 Groceries

Martin Purn - 3-0 interring pauper

Th^s Brennan 1-0-0 ten cut^t straw

Petty Cash acct, - 3-8 Letter stamp &c.

£ 6-13-11

A draft for £15-0-0 in favour of John Redmond, and another for 6-13-11 in favour of the Clerk, were accordingly drawn on the Treasurer, signed by the Chairman, Colonel Owen, and Mr. Pearson.

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A circular letter was read from the Commissioners containing instructions for Clerks of unions, as to the transmission of Weekly Returns &c.

Henry Purnan
contracts for wheels

The tender of Henry Purnan to "make flax wheels of best quality, good materials at 9/6 per piece, and woollen wheels at 3/0. Reels at 3/0, all to be engaged and of the best description", was accepted.

The tender of M^{rs}. Cullen to supply Mounds at 3/6 lb, and dipts at 7 was rejected.

James Barlow
Wardmistress

Resolved that James Barlow be appointed Wardmistress at £7-0-0 yearly, without ration, salary to commence from the 25th of March last.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Thom. for the stationery required.

Committee
Authorized to
procure school
requisites

Resolved that the Committee of Instruction and Employment be authorized to procure, at the cheapest rate they can, the articles recommended in the last report.

Resolved, that the following advertisement be published in the General Advertiser of Saturday the 21st inst.

Advertisement
Children's
socks

Gorey Union

Wanted, for the use of the paupers in the workhouse of this union, dark calico, such as is used for children's socks, in workhouses, to be delivered at the workhouse, free of expense.

Tenders, free of postage, stating price per piece, and accompanied by a sample of each article, to be sent in to the Clerk, on or before the 27th of May inst.

By order, Joseph Granville
Clerk of the Union

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Resolved that the following articles be advertised for by placard.

Candles

Moulds p lb. Dipts p lb

Leather

Light kip p lb. Sole leather p lb

Tenders to be sent in to Clerk on or before the 27th May inst.

The Order check book was signed as follows, John Fusk 51 lbs meat

Thos. Harvey 70 loaves of 4 lbs each

Michl. Pysow 110 gallons of sweet milk

130 gallons buttermilk

John Doyle 2 cut soap

10 lbs candles

Miss W Daniel 1 piece of grey calico

1 hundred of needles

5 dozen tape

The Board proceeded to admit paupers; 7 were admitted viz- 5 men, 1 woman, and one female child. One female infant was born in the House. 1 man, 1 woman and 1 female child were refused admision

The provision receipts and consumption accounts were laid before the Board

Provisions and necessaries

received amount to 14-18-5

Provisions and necessaries

consumed 16-5-4 $\frac{1}{4}$

on a collective number of 1056

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Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next, the 21st inst.

Money paid this day 21-13-11

Profits drawn 21-13-11

Arthur Owen, Chairman

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 21st of May 1842, the Assist. Commissioner absent, present the Earl of Courtown, Chairman, Robt. Poyn, Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, J. G. Richards, Solomon Richards, John Corbridge, Tho. Poyn, Midl. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, Geo. Glascott, Dan. Kenny, John Laffin, John W. Laughlin, John Middleton, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee passed at their meeting on the 18th inst. were adopted as follow. -

"The Committee recommend that a closet be made in the corner of the dining hall to hold brooms, buckets &c, that are in use: they likewise recommend that the gate leading into the grounds be filled up with field stones, and that a contract be entered into for the supply of a horse and cart, when required for the use of the establishment."

The minutes of the Committee of Education and Employment, passed at their meeting on the 19th inst., were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Committee went over the House, and found the men and women employed as last week.

Closest
in corner of
dining hall
recommended
Horse & cart

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A letter, bearing date the 19th inst., from the Education Office of the National Board, in answer to one from our Clerk, applying for school requisites, for payment, having been laid before the Committee, the Clerk was directed to lay the same before the Board on Saturday.

School not
to be attached
to any Board

The Committee beg to recommend that our schools be not, at present, attached to any Board, but that the few books &c wanted may be purchased as already authorized by the Board.

The minutes of the Finance Committee passed at their meeting on this morning were adopted as follow. -

The Committee examined vouchers, produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting and found them correct.

The Committee examined the following accounts which they find correct, and recommend to be paid by drafts for respective amounts.

John W Daniel 10-18-3 reading desk & platform

John Poye 8-8-0 soap, oil & candles

and the following which they recommend to be paid by Petty Cash.

Petty Cash acc^t. curr^t. 1-3 Carrier of Coach parcel

W^m Brophy 2-17-8 $\frac{1}{2}$ men's & boys' caps

Saml. Pelan - 5-1 $\frac{1}{2}$ Wine & groceries, Infirmary

3-4-1

Drafts were accordingly drawn for

10-18-3 Favour of John W Daniel

8-8-0 Favour of John Poye

and 3-4-1 Favour of Joseph Samwell

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signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t. Owen
and W. Fitzsimons.

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Letter in reference
to Report on Medical
Charities

A letter was read from the poor Law Commis.
requesting that the Clerk would state whether any
resolutions had been passed by the Board of Guardians
of the Gorey Union on the subject of the Report of
Commissioners on Medical Charities of Ireland, and
if so, requiring copies of them. Another enclosing
a Tabular Form to be filled by the Clerk, setting
forth the expenditure of the Gorey Union, and the
number of paupers relieved, up to the 31st of
December 1841; and another from the Architects
Office, Poor Law Commission, accompanied by a
plan of the drains.

Plan of the
drains

The Board proceeded to open and
read tenders.

John Doyle
Tender rejected

The tender of John Doyle, Gorey, to supply
candles, for twelve months, at the following
prices, was rejected

Moulds $8\frac{1}{2}$ p lb

Pipts $7\frac{1}{2}$ p lb

Michl. Byrne
contracts for
candles & leather

The tender of Michl. Byrne, Gorey, to
supply candles and leather, at the following
prices, and to "deliver them, at the workhouse,
as may be ordered," was accepted until the
29th of September next.

Mould candles at 3 p lb

Pipt 2° 7 "

Light slitter kips at 22 p lb

Good butt hides at 15 "

John W. Daniel
to paint desks,
stringboard &c

The tender of John W. Daniel to paint
the desk in schoolroom, and the string board,
handrail and balusters of the platform, three
coats, and finished any plain colour as directed,
for 13-5" was accepted.

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The tender of John Godkin, Gony, to "make for the Gony Workhouse, a letter bag of black leather, lined: with long straps.

Breadth ^{not inches} 1-3

Depth - 11

John Godkin
to make
letter bag

to be fastened with brass lock, having two keys,
and brass plate lettered, 1-5-0

Without brass plate 1-0-0

Without brass plate
lock and bar } - 15-0

To be fastened with
strap and buckle } - 15-0

Tender accepted at £1-5-0

Suspenders

Ordered that the Visiting Committee do provide suspenders for the paupers

Collectors
to attend

Ordered, that the collectors do attend, at the Workhouse, on Saturday the 11th of June, at 11 o'clock, with all their books and papers; and that the clerk do write to apprise them forthwith.

Death of

Mary Sunderland

The Doctor reported the death of Mary Sunderland, an idiot, N.° 39 on the Register.

The potatoes were inspected, and found not to have been sufficiently picked.

Ordered that the Master do get them picked, and that he return, to the contractor, all bad ones, requiring from him an equal quantity of good ones.

The Order Check book was signed as follows

Thos. Harvey 85 four lb loaves

John Flusk 51 lbs meat

Michl. Pryor 120 gallons of sweet milk
150 gallons buttermilk

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The Board proceeded to admit paupers
10 were admitted, viz- 2 men, 6 women and
2 children. None refused
2 Female children born in the House

The provision Recd. & Consumption Accounts
were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received	
amounted to	23-18-0 $\frac{1}{2}$
Provisions & necessaries consumed	17-1-3 $\frac{1}{4}$

In a collective number of 1101 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this
board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day	£ 22-10-4	Copy sent to Committee
Drafts drawn	22-10-4	

Anthony Norman

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians held in
 the Boardroom, on Saturday the 28th May 1842,
 the ^{the Spirit Committee} ~~present~~, the Earl of Conestown Chairman, Col. Owen,
 Capt. Robert Owen, J. G. Richards Esq, Richd. Carl
 Michl. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, John W. Laughlin,
 John Middleton ^{Capt. Richd. Owen} Esq, Sheridan, Abel Woodroop,
 John Bond ^{John Bond Esq, Fitzroy Bolton}
 The minutes of the preceding meeting were
 read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, entered
 at their meeting on the 25th inst. were adopted as
 follow.

Gate, Female Yard
 to be paved with
 Basque stones

"The Committee observe that the paving
 under the gate of the Female yard has been very
 badly executed, and they recommend that it be
 done with long Basque stones.

Carpenter to be
 employed by
 Master

The Committee recommend that the
 Master do employ a carpenter and get boards &c to
 make the closet in the corner of the dining Hall, as
 already ordered by the Board at the recommendation
 of Committee"

The minutes of the Finance Committee,
 entered at their meeting on this morning, were
 likewise adopted as follow

"The Committee examined vouchers, pro-
 duced by the Clerk, for payments ordered at last
 meeting, and found them correct.

The Committee examined an account from
 Michl. Byrne £10. 13-4 for milk to the 21st inst.
 inclusive, which they find correct, and recommend
 to be paid by draft. And the following small
 accounts which they recommend to be paid by
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Jas. Laughlin 1-11-0 potatoes
 Wm. Sheehan 1-5-0 stones
 Wm. Colclough - 5-0 bent boxes
 Mrs. Webster - 1-10 Groceries & Lemons
 J. - 1-0 J.
 Petty Cash - 2-0 letter stamps & postage
£ 3-7-4

Receipts were accordingly drawn for
 10-13-4 favour Michl. Byrne
 3-7-4 favour of the Clerk,
 signed by the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen
 and Capt. Richd. Owen.

The following tenders were opened and read by the Chairman.

William J. Penton, Countown Harbour,
 to "supply the Fory Union Workhouse with Cap
 potatoes, from 20 to 50 barrels, at ten shillings p
 barrel, to be delivered at the workhouse;"

John Cranwill, Rallynamony,
 "to supply the Fory Workhouse with the best cup
 potatoes, say 40 barrels, at 10/6 shillings p barrel
 according to advertisement."

The tender of John Cranwill was accepted

Tho's Cotton
 Chimney sweeper

The tender of Tho's Cotton, Mt. Garret St. et. Pop
 "to sweep and clean the chimneys of the work-
 house, and keep them clean", and to "attend
 every quarter, or occasionally, for £4 p year" was
 accepted for one year from 1st June 1842.

Tenders to supply strong linen, blea calico,
 and dark calico, as advertised in General Advertisement,
 were read from the following persons

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Tho. Blake, Carnew
 Miss W. Daniels, Gony
 Ben. Bourland, Carnew
 Robt. J. Stubbs, 3 Dame St Dublin
 H. & T. Cranwell, Enniscenthy
 W. Geo. Johnston, Anna Curra
 John N. Morris, Ballycarnew

Ben. Bourland's
tender accepted

Mr. Bourland's tender was accepted for
1 piece, say sixty yards, of his dark striped
calico, marked N.° 2, yard wide at $7\frac{1}{2}$ p/gard

W. G. Johnston's
tender accepted

Mr. Johnston's tender was accepted for
1 piece of his blue calico, N.° 1 at $6\frac{1}{2}$ p/gard
1 piece of his Prosheda linen N.° 2, $\frac{2}{3}$ wide
at $8\frac{1}{2}$ p/gard.

1 piece, yard wide, same quality $9\frac{1}{2}$ p/gard.

Resolved, on the motion of Capt Robt. Owen,
seconded by J. G. Richards Esq^r,

Mr. Neville
requested to
revise the Union

That, as it will soon be necessary to make another
rate, the clerk do write to Mr. Neville to acquaint
him that the Board require the immediate revi-
sion of such parts of the union as, by changes of
occupancy and other causes, require to be attended

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Doyle
to request, respectfully, that he will allow sand
to be drawn from the park, for paving, and other
purposes, in the Union Workhouse.

Beam to be
exchanged

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Paine
to acquaint him that the beam furnished by
him is a very bad one, and that the Board
request he will, with as little delay as possible, send
a beam that is heavier, stronger, and better executed,
take back the beam sent, and furnish his acct^r for
the difference in price.

The Assis^t. Commissioners laid a Report of
Audit on the table

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Ordered that the Clerk do advertise, by handbill,
for straw.

The Order Check Book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 90 loaves, of four pounds each

John Flusk 72 lbs of meat

Wm. Payne 130 gallons sweet milk

170 gallons buttermilk

Parish Scott 112 lbs salt

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

9 were admitted, viz. - 3 men, 4 women, & 2 children.

1 man and 1 woman were refused

The provision Rec^t and Consumption Acc^t
were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received
amounted to

13 - 8 - 1/2

Provisions and necessaries consumed 17 - 9 - 3/4

On a collective number of 1124 days

Ordered that the next meeting
of this board be held on Saturday next at
twelve o'clock.

Money paid this day 20 - 0 - 8 1/2

Receipts drawn 20 - 0 - 8

Charles Brown Chairman

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 4th June 1842, The Assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present, The Earl of Conitown Chairman Rob^t. Doyle Esq. Capt. Rob^t. Owen, Col. Owen J. G. Richards Esq. Topsy Bolton, John Borbridge, Tho^s. Doyle, Rich^d. Carl, Mich^l. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimon, Rich^d. Higginbotham, Rich^d. Keegan, Par^t. Kenny, John Middleton, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, Abel Woodroop,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee passed at their meeting on the 1st inst., were read, and their recommendations approved of and adopted as follow.

That 12 hearth stones, with handles, be procured for cleaning the flagging.

The following recommendations of the Committee.

"The Committee inspected the House, found it clean and in good order, and filled up the Visiting Committee Book accordingly.

"Committee recommend that 12 hearth stones, with handles, be procured for cleaning the flagging."

The minutes of the Committee of Education and Employment were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Committee went over the House.

"The Labour Book shows 17 men employed in the daily routine of the House, - breaking stones, and white washing.

"There are 20 boys employed breaking stones and picking potatoes.

"There are 30 women employed in various occupations in the House, - working, knitting and repairing clothes.

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"The schoolmistress reported that she wanted
"some sampler canvass, white, say two yards, and
"5 blue spools cotton, which are recommended by
the Committee to be procured. She likewise sug-
-gests that some linen bonnets, to be made up in
the school, be allowed for the children, which
the Committee recommend may be procured."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee,
passed at their meeting on this morning, were likewise
adopted as follows. Committee examined vouchers
produced by the Clerk, for payments made at last meeting.
The Committee examined the following acc^{ts}
which they find correct and recommend for
payment by draft.

Rev. J. Stubbs	32-18-4	Counterpanes
Education Office	3-5-10	school requisites
John Cranwill	20-0-0	potatoes
Thos. Harvey	10-16-9	bread
Joseph F. Godkin	5-0-0	Assistance in pre-
	<u>£72-0-11</u>	-paring acc ^{ts}

The Committee likewise examined
the following accounts which they recommend
to be paid by Petty Cash.

Petty Cash acc ^t current	- 2	postage
Martin Durme	- 3-0	interior pauper
Anne Colclough	- 12-8	best boxes
John Poole	- 13-3	altering & repair ^{ing} boxes
John Durman	- 13-0	table
J ^r	1-18-0	wheels & peck
John Godkin	1-5-	letter case
Joseph Neetham	- 2-0	stones
Edw. Pearson	- 7-6	Chair, schoolmistress
J ^r Laughlin	- 4-7	bal. of 1/2 potatoes
Miss W. Daniel	2-10-3	calico
Gunn & Cameron	1-17-	advertising
	<u>£10-6-3</u>	

Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by

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the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen & Mr. Higginbotham

A letter, bearing date the 1st of June inst., was read from the poor Law Commissioners, ~~having~~ ^{relative} reference to Weekly Returns of Paupers in the Workhouse, and instructing the Clerk to "substitute two years for five in the Columns for children;" and another of the 2nd inst., calling for the immediate transmission to them of "a Return of the number of Insane in the Workhouse on the 25th of March 1842, with the estimated annual expense of each insane person," in pursuance of an Order of the House of the House of Commons.

A proposal was read from John M. Daniel to supply gravel.
Consideration postponed.

The Medical Officer reported the death of Mary Murphy, a pauper, N^o. 170 on the Register.

The Spirit Commissioner's Report of the Audit to 25th March last, having been read to the Board, it was proposed by Capt. Richard Owen, seconded by Mr. Poyne, and resolved unanimously,

That we consider this report so very valuable a document, that we would earnestly request that it be printed by the Commissioners, for general circulation, in order that the valuable information it contains may be generally made known to the public, - an object which we consider to be especially necessary, from the total ignorance, which prevails throughout the Country, of the poor Law system, and from the consequent false and injurious reports circulated and believed by the public.

Moved by Mr. Richards, seconded by Mr. Higginbotham

The Clerk instructed
- ed to alter Week-
ly Returns

Mr. Muggenisi's
Report
of the Audit

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and resolved unanimously; *That the thanks of the Board ¹⁵⁷ ₁₅₈
That a letter embodying the foregoing resolution be transmitted to the Poor Law Commissioners, and, at the same time, calling their particular attention to that part of the Report which states that "the 72nd section of the Act, permitting the rating of the immediate lessee of properties when the net annual value does not amount to £5, instead of the occupier, under certain restrictions, has, in no one instance in this Union, been acted on, although of 6,542 assessments, the total number in the Union, 3,137 are on properties under £5. annual value. Pursuing inquiry further into this subject, I found 809 persons whose poor rate does not amount to 6 and 1,226 whose assessments amount to 6 and do not exceed one shilling: thus giving 2,235 persons the net annual value of whose holdings does not amount to £2. The Collectors loudly complain of the delays and difficulties of attempting to obtain payment from this class of assessments, and I find also a very great disinclination, on their parts, to inflict the hardship and penalties of enforcing payment by Law;" and stating that it is the unanimous opinion of this Board that the Law requires revision, with respect to such small holdings from the extreme difficulty and expense of collecting the Poor Rate, the amount of arrear that is likely to accrue, and the fact of the 72nd section of the Act having been found to be inoperative. The tender 66 + 158

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Neville requesting that he will, by return of post, write in reply to the Clerk's letter of the 30th ult.

Proposed by Mr. Woodroffe, seconded by Capt. Richd. Owen and resolved,
That the Clerk be instructed to write to the Poor Law Commissioners, requesting that they will issue the necessary orders for the filling up

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of the vacancies in the Guardians, in the Gossey and Wingfield Electoral Divisions.

Ordered that the Master do lay on the Table, on every board day, the number of paupers of each class then in the House.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers. Thirteen were admitted, viz. -

The Order Check book was signed as follows.

Thos. Harvey	90 loaves	4 lbs each
John Flusk	67 lbs	meat
Michl. Byrne	120 gallons	sweet milk
	180 gallons	buttermilk

The provision Receipt and Consumption Accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received amounted to 24-0-7

Provisions & necessaries consumed 18-19-8

On a collective number of 1176 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 82-7-2

Drafts drawn 82-7-2

Vote of thanks to Mr. Messinger for his Report of Audit

[* Omitted at 157] That the thanks of this board be given to Mr. Messinger, the Auditor for the very lucid report he has laid before the Board. +

The tender of Joseph Webster to supply 30 cwt of oaten straw at 2-0¹/₂ cwt was accepted.

The tender of Thos. Pressman to supply one ton of wheaten straw at 1¹/₄ cwt was rejected

Customs Chairman

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At an Ordinary Meeting of Guardians,
held in the Board room, on Saturday the 11th of June
1842, ^{The Assist. Commisr. absent} present the Earl of Countown, Chairman
Col. Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, Solomon Richards, Fofsey
Bolton, Michl. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, Paul Kenny,
John Laffin, John Middleton, Capt. Richard Owen,
John Pearson, Richd. Carl

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, passed
at their meeting on the 8th inst., were read and
confirmed as follow.

The Committee went over the House, found
it clean, and filled up the Visiting Committee
Book accordingly

Two boys, John Moon, aged 13 years, N^o. 125
on the Register, and Moses Archibald aged 12 years
N^o. 202, were brought before the Committee for
absconding from the House, reprimanded, and
ordered to be kept two days without milk, receiving
water instead.

Ordered that the Master do get from
Gorey the largest vessel he can borrow, for the
purpose of drawing water to supply the wants of
the House.

It was reported that the Main well
is nearly dry.

The clerk was ordered to write to George
Wilkinson Esq. Architect, Poor Law Commission
Dublin, to report that the water has failed
in the main well.

Ordered that the Master do procure, for
his use, an acct. book and 3 files, and likewise
some web to make suspenders for the paupers.

Ordered that the mistress do procure for
the use of the House

Clerk to write to
Geo. Wilkinson Esq.
that the Main
well has gone
dry

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300 sewing needles

3 dozen thimbles

2 yds. canvas

Ordered that tenders for the following articles be advertised for by placard

12 scrubbing brushes

12 mops

4 paint brushes

4 black lead brushes

4 tins for holding black lead

5 dozen pint tins

The minutes of the Education & Labour Committee of 9 June were adopted as follows

Ordered that, during the continuance of the hot weather, the boys school hours be from 11 to $\frac{1}{2}$ before 2

& from $\frac{1}{2}$ past 2 to 3

The number of men, boys and women, working during the week ending 4th June, is the same as it was last week, and they are similarly employed.

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were also adopted as follows.

"The Committee examined vouchers produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

The following bills, examined by Committee, were found correct, and recommended for payment, by draft, -

Wm. Geo. Johnston	8-11-7	linen & calico
John Scott	18-18-1	linen & flannel
Thos. Sharpe	7-10-0	children's shoes
Joseph Webster	3-0-0	rotten straw
Thos. Webster	30-0-0	on acc't of collection
	<u>£ 65-19-8</u>	

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Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Richard Owen and W. Pearson.

The following bills, likewise examined and found correct, were recommended to be paid by Petty cash.

Petty Cash out, current	- 3-2	postage & letter stamps
Mr. Webster	- 9	tea & sugar
Rev. Burland	1-15-7	Calico
Henry Purnan	1-10-0	Wheels
Martin Purnan	- 3-0	interioring a pauper
Samr Colclough	- 12-5	bent broses
John Thomas	- 4-5	brooms
Wm. Shehan	1-2-0	horse work 11 days
	<u>£ 5-17-5</u>	

A draft for collective amt. £5-17-5, was accordingly drawn in favour of the clerk, signed as aforesaid.

Letters of Poor Law Commis^{rs} in referem^t to appointment of Jane Barlow. Election of Guardians for Long & Wingfield and Mr. Messers Report.

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting that the Guardians would re-consider their appointment of Jane Barlow, as Wardmistress: another stating that "an Order for a fresh election of Guardians in the Long & Wingfield Electoral Divisions will be issued as soon as possible;" and another, in reply to one from the Clerk, relative to the Report of Mr. Messersidge on the Audit of the accounts of the Union, stating that the report will be inserted in the Annual Report of the Commissioners for the present year: admitting "the importance of the special point in the report, relative to the appointment of Poor Rate upon the immediate lessors of properties where the Net annual value does not amount to £5-;" and promising that, in considering it, they will not fail to bear in mind the unanimous opinion of

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the Board of Guardians, that some revision of the Law is required in that respect." *

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Thom requesting to be informed, by return of post, the expense of printing Mr. Messeridges Report on the Audit of the accounts & expenditure of the Union, transmitting at the same ^{time} to Mr. Thom a manuscript copy of the report.

A letter was read from Mr. Fayle, collector of Poor rate, in explanation of his absence by reason of a notice served on him by the Board of excise.

Mr. Webster and Mr. Ponder, the other Collectors attended, and laid their books and ^{accounts} papers before the Board, by which it appears that there remains still uncollected,

on Mr. Ponder's district 403-12-7½

on Mr. Webster's district 128-10-2½

£ 532-2-10

Ordered that Mr. Ponder do attend a meeting of the Finance Committee on Saturday the 23rd July next at 11 o'clock

* Resolved, that, in pursuance of the Commissioners' recommendation, Jan Boston be paid up and discharged.

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Tenders were read from Edward Pearson, John W Daniel and John Stringer, to supply boards, nails, carpenter &c. From Rob^t. Stephens and Sam. Stringer to supply tins, and from Joseph Webster to supply 10 cwt of straw.

The tender of Edw. Pearson was accepted as follows, -

Edw. Pearson	Carpenter by the day	- 2-0
contractor, carpenter	Planks 12 x 9 x 3	- 3-10
work, boards, nails	Pl ^o 12 x 9 x 2	- 2-8
&c.	Pl ^o 12 x 9 x 1½	- 1-7½
	Pl ^o 12 x 9 x 1	- 1-4
	Pl ^o 12 x 9 x ½	- 11

Pine $\frac{1}{2}$ superficial foot

$\frac{1}{2}$	3
1	2½
½	2

Nails

12 penny at 7	10 penny at 8
8 " 5	4 " 3

The tender of Rob^t. Stephens to make tins the same as the pattern at

- 2-5 a dozen

and black lead tins, same as pattern at

- 4 a piece, was accepted.

The other tenders were rejected.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers. 19 were admitted, viz. - 5 men, 5 women & 9 children. None were refused.

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The Order Check book was signed as follows. -

Thos. Harvey 90 loaves 4 lbs each
 John Flusk 72² lbs meat
 Michl. Bygon 185 gallons buttermilk
 125 sweet milk

The provision rec^t. & consumption a/c were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received amounted to 37-8-4⁶

Provisions & necessaries consumed 17-16-8¹/₄

on a collective number of 1203 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 71-17-2

Drafts drawn 71-17-2

Cartwright Chairman

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom, on Saturday the 15th of June 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present
The Call of Outtown, Chairman

Robt. Poyser Esq. Capt. Robt. Owen, Solomon Richards^{Esq.}
Geo Parker, Popsey Bolton, Richard Carl Job Hall
Richd. Keegan, John Laffin, Capt. Richard Owen,
Ja. Sheridan, Luke Smith.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee of Wednesday the 15th inst. were adopted, as follows.

"The Committee inspected the House, found every thing correct, and filled up the visiting Committee book accordingly.

The Committee recommended that the following articles, required by the Statute be procured. - viz

1 piece of white calico
1 piece of hair cord calico
2 milk coolers."

The minutes of the Committee of Education & Employment, passed at their meeting on the 10th inst., were likewise adopted as follows. Committee recommended that $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt of hemp and 1 woollen wheel, and 5 netting needles of box wood be procured for the purpose of employing the old men and women in making nets; and that two small drawers be made in the store room to hold buttons, needles &c.

The Committee beg to lay before the Board a return of the Children in the Male and Female schools, shewing the state of proficiency of each child on entering the school. The books Tablets and slates having been received, a

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proportion has been given out to each school.

The Committee recommend that a rack be put up in the boys' schoolroom, to hang up the boys' caps: also two book shelves for the boys' schoolroom.

The minutes of the Finance Committee, of this morning were also adopted as follow.

The Committee examined vouchers, produced by the clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

The Committee examined the following accounts which they find correct, and recommend to be paid by draft.

Michl. Pryor 23-2-5 Milk

Wm. J. Denton 40-0-0 coal

The following acc^{ts}, likewise found correct, are recommended to be paid by Petty Cash.

Petty Cash acc^t, curr^t - 6 carriage of Report of audit

Kildare plan society 15-4 books, slates &c

Jane Parlow 1-9-7 wages to 11 June inst^t

Michl. Murphy - 4-5 turf

Wm. Coldrough - 10-0

Robt. Stephens - 16-4

Wm. Sheehan - 12-0

£ 4-18-5

Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Richd. Owen, and Capt. Robt. Owen.

A letter was read from Mr. Wilkinson, the Architect of the Commissioners, in reply to one from the clerk relative to the failure of the main well: whereupon the clerk was directed to write to Mr. Wilkinson to know how far the contractor is bound to repair any defect in the main well, and whether, if further sinking

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be required, the Contractor is bound to do it at his own expense.

~~Ordered that the Ordnance Survey Maps of the Union be provided by the Board.~~

A letter was read from Mr. Thom, likewise in reply to one from the Clerk, on the subject of printing the Report of the Audit: whereupon the Clerk was directed to inquire of Mr. Thom whether he has the printing of the Report of the Commissioners, both in the folio and octavo forms, and at what price he will supply the Board with copies in either of those forms.

Ordered, that the Ordnance Survey Maps of the Union be provided by the Board.

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to the Guardians, Collectors, and sub-collectors of the Gorey Electoral Division, to meet Mr. Neville in the Board Room, on Tuesday next, at 11 o'clock, acquainting the sub-collectors that they will be allowed 2/6 per day as long as their attendance may be required.

Mr. Miller
Contractor for
brushes &c

The tender of Mr. Miller of Gorey was accepted as follows.-

12 scrubbing brushes at	1/7 each
12 mops at	1/0 or 1/8 each
4 paint brushes	1/0
4 black lead brushes	1/2

A letter was read from Mr. Thom, stating that he would print 50 copies of Mr. Missgeroides report for £5- 100 for 5-10- 150 for £6- 200 for £6-10-

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The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
19 were admitted, viz. 3 men, 5 women, 11 children.
1 man was rejected.

The Order Check Book was signed as follows.

W. Harvey 90 loaves of 4 lbs each
W. Flusk 72 lbs meat
W. Byrne 140 gallons sweet milk
150 gallons buttermilk
W. Ourland 1 piece striped calico
at 7¹/₂ yard
W. Johnston 1 piece white calico
1 piece hair cord calico
for bonnets
4 lbs of stay cord
W. Phillips 2 milk coolers

The provision Acct. & consumption
accounts were laid before the Board
Provisions & necessaries received amounted to 25-0-2
Provisions & necessaries consumed 19-13-10¹/₄
on a collective number of 1280 days

Ordered, that the next meeting of this
Board be held on Saturday next, the 25th inst.
at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 68-1-0

Drafts drawn 68-1-0

For Towns Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 25th of June 1842 the assist^t Commissioner present, Guardians present, the Earl of Countown, Chairman Col. Owen, Capt. Rob^t Owen, Solomon Richards Esq^r, Tophy Bolton, John Probidy, Tho^s Doyle, Rich^d Carl Mich^d Finn, Rich^d Keegan, Pan. Kenny, Capt. Rich^d Owen, Jas^s Heridan, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the visiting Committee of the 22nd inst^t, were read and adopted as follow.

"The Committee visited the House which they found clean, and the paupers of every description properly employed.

The Committee recommend that a piece of calico, wanted by the Matron, be procured"

The minutes of the Committee of Education and Employment, held on this morning were likewise adopted as follow.

"Committee went over the House: found the inmates employed this week in a similar manner to that of last week.

The Committee recommend that one cut of flax be got from Dublin: that got in Jersey having been found bad and rather dear.

The appearance of the female children has been much improved by the addition of the bibs to their clothing.

The Committee observe that the young children are much afflicted with sore eyes.

The Committee beg that the day of their attendance be changed to Saturday at 10 o'clock and that the clerk be directed to let the Guardians know of the change.

The Committee recommend that the

Education & Labour
Committee change
day of attendance

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attention of the Medical Officer be called to the state of the young children, as reported."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were also adopted as follow.

The Committee examined vouchers produced by the Clerk, for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

The Committee examined the following account which they find correct, and recommend to be paid by draft

Edw. Pearson 3-7-4, boards, nails, carpenter &c.

The following accounts, likewise found correct, are recommended for payment by petty cash.

Petty Cash & current	3-0	coach panel, stamps, messengers
Richd. Stern	2-10-0	quarter's salary
John Barlow	2-0-0	J ^o
Miss M. Daniel	8-4	temple canvas, needles &c.
Doctor Lee	17-0	Leeches
Wm Daniel	15-2-0	exchange of beams &c.
Adam Coleough	12-6	bent bosses
John Godkin	12-0	suspender web "
	<u>£ 8 - 4 - 10</u>	

Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen & W. Woodroffe.

A letter having been read from Mr. Hooper, conveying the statement of Mr. Wilkinson, architect, Poor Law Commission, in reply to one from the Clerk, in reference to the sinking of the main well; and another from Mr. Thom likewise in reply to one from the Clerk, relative to printing the report of the Commission. The clerk was instructed to write to the contractor to know how he complied with the Commissioners'

state the situation

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directions to remedy the deficiency in the well; and that a written answer from Mr. M. Daniel be required.

The Clerk was likewise directed to write to Mr. Thom for 100 copies of Mr. Muggs's Report, at £5-10-0, as specified in Mr. Thom's letter of 16th inst.

The Board proceeded to open & read tenders from the following tradesmen, to attend daily for three hours, and to give instructions to the best of their power and ability, in their respective trades, to such of the inmates of the House as they may be required to instruct.

Tailors

Nathaniel Somers	4-0	per week
Edward Cole	5-0	"
Lawrence Proderick	9-0	"
Myles Meyer	9-0	"
Stephen Redmond	5-0	"
John Thornton		terms not stated said when asked of

Shoemakers

John Paris	1-0	per day
Chas. Summerton	9	"
John Hopkins	5-0	per week
Edw. Quinney	6-0	"
Geo. Carnell	7-0	"
Thos. Harper	6-0	"
Rich. Stern	9-0	"
John Redmond	5-0	"

Edw. Cole Tailor & Chas. Summerton Shoemaker appointed to assist the inmates in those trades

The tenders of Edward Cole, tailor and Charles Summerton, shoemaker were accepted.

The proposal of John Mordaunt to gravel the yards of the workhouse at 1/11 pton was rejected

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Education & Labour
Committee to get
materials for tailors,
& shoemakers

Resolved that the Education & Labour Committee be empowered to get the necessary materials to enable the children to be taught the trades of tailors and shoemakers.

Loan of £500

The Asst. Commissioner laid before the Board the accounts of the Contractor for building the Workhouse, as revised and audited by the architect of the Poor Law Commissioners, from which it appears that a further sum of five hundred pounds will be required to pay the Contractor the sum certified as due to him, beyond the sum already obtained on loan from the Exchequer Loan Commissioners.

Whereupon on the motion of Capt. Robt. Owen seconded by J. Richards Esq, it was resolved that application be made to the Exchequer Loan Commissioners for a second loan of the above amount of £500.

Resolved, further, on the motion of Capt. Robt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Woodroffe,

That it is the unanimous opinion of this board that, from the distance of the Workhouse from the town of Limerick, it is absolutely necessary to erect a stable and a shed for the convenience of the Guardians attending the board and committee meetings, and also that a boundary wall should be built, with entrance gates, on the part of the site adjoining the public road; the estimated expense of which buildings and erections is three hundred pounds.

A loan of
£300

This Board therefore desire that the proposed loan, from the Exchequer Loan Commissioners, of £500 may be increased by the above sum of three hundred pounds, and they request the assent of the Poor Law Commissioners to this arrangement, and that their order to borrow the amount may be forthwith issued.

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Resolved, that the Labour Committee be requested to advertise for the aforesaid works.

Thos Hoey removed from Ballycanew to Union at Lasey

Ordered that Thos Hoey N. 280 on the Register be removed from Ballycanew Electoral Division, ~~and placed on the~~ where he had been entered in mistake, and placed on the Union at Lasey.

John Jacob Hospital Porter & dismissed, and Mary Polger a pauper expelled the House

A pauper, named Margaret Polger, brought a charge against John Jacob, Hospital Porter, and Inspector of Lunatic wards, for improper conduct. When, after a thorough investigation there was enough proved to satisfy the Board that he was an improper person for his situation, and it was ordered accordingly that John Jacob be paid up and discharged.

It was also ordered that Margaret Polger be expelled from the House.

Mary Hayden Jan Kelly & Mary Whelan

Mary Hayden, N. 183 on the Register, was discharged for insolence to the Matron, and Jan Kelly N. 283 and Mary Whelan N. 287 were discharged, with their families, for false representations at their ^{entrance} entrance.

Ordered that the Clerk do advertise, by placard, for cup and apple potatoes; tenders to be sent in on or before Wednesday next 29 June.

The Order Check book was signed as follows

Mr. Harvey	100 loaves of 4 lbs each
Mr. Flusk	72 lbs meat
Mr. Pym	140 gallons of sweet milk
	150 gallons of buttermilk
Mr. Doyle	$\frac{1}{2}$ gallon of sweet oil
	56 lbs whiting
Mr. Delan	1 bottle wine
Mr. Redmond	1 ton of oatmeal
Mr. John Doyle	2 Cwt of soap
Mr. Scott	1 Cwt of salt.

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The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received
amounted to 10-19-11 $\frac{1}{2}$
Provisions & necessaries consumed 19-15-3 $\frac{3}{4}$
On a collective number of 1345 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday next, the 2nd July, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day £11-12-2
Drafts drawn 11-12-2

Matthews Chairman

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 2nd July 1842 the Assist. Commissioners absent,

present the Earl of Courtown Chairman
Col. Owen, Capt. Robt. Owen, Solomon Richards
Folsey Bolton, Richd. Carl, Esq. Fitzsimons
Richd. Wigginsbotham, John Hollingsworth
John Laffin, John W. Laughlin, Capt. Richd. Owen
John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee of the 29th ult. were adopted as follow.

"The Committee went over the House, found it clean, and the paupers correct and properly employed; and filled up the Visiting Committee book accordingly"

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The minutes of the Education and Labour Committee, passed, at their special meeting, on the 30th ult. were likewise adopted as follow.

Fittings for tailor's
and shoemaker's
workroom

"The Committee called in Mr. W. Daniel and Mr. Pearson, and pointed out to them the fittings required for tailor's and shoemaker's workroom, directing them to send in a sealed tender on Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, viz- Tailors' board reaching across the room, 7 feet deep of one inch thick board, Messel, on six feet, framed; and four drawers, 9 inches high 2.4 deep, and 2-0 long, with locks and keys -- - 1½ feet high.

One table with four thick, flat feet, 2 feet high 5 x 3. Two lap boards 1½ inch thick and 2-3 long. Shoemaker, Six seats 2-8 long."

The minutes of the Finance Committee, of this morning, were adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined Petty Cash acc^t and vouchers produced by the Clerk for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

The Committee examined the following accounts which they find correct, and recommend for payment by draft.

Thos. Harvey 13-2-1 bread
John W. Daniel 5-15-0 boards, nails, carpenter

Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, and Mr. Pearson

"Committee likewise examined the following accounts which they find correct, and recommend to be paid by Petty Cash

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Petty Cash aut. curr.	2-8	messenger, stamps
John Jacob	2-0-0	Quarters salary to 25 June
John Thompson	12-0	Freestone
Thomas Byrne	9-3	stones
John Harris	9-4	County Cops
John Mordaunt	5-9	Gravel
Edw. Pearson	1-19-7	boards, nails carpenter
W. Sheehan	14-0	Horse work
Michl. Murphy	2-3	Furf
John Willoughby	1-2-6	Masonry & paving
Michl. Phillips	18-0	Fats
Rev. Burland	1-15-7	Calico
	<u>£10-1-7</u>	

Draft drawn accordingly, signed as above

Officers should perform the duties of their appointment in person

A letter was read from the Poor Law Commissioners, in reference to sub-collectors of rates, and calling the attention of the Guardians to Sec. 5. Par. 1 of the Order for regulating the meetings and proceedings of the Board which declares that every officer shall perform his several duties in person &c"

Ordered that the Clerk do advertise, in the Wexford Conservative and Wexford Independent and by hand bill, for tenders, to ^{supply} batmeal, for four months from 1 July inst^d, and by hand bill as follows

Bread per loaf of 4 lbs, six months from 1 July inst^d.

Meat per lb six months 1 July inst^d.

Soap per cwt 1 year from 1 July inst^d.

Oil, pale per imperial gallon 1 year from 1 July inst^d.

Oil, sweet per imperial quart 1 year, 1 July inst^d.

A draft for 8-11-7 favour of W. Geo. Johns ton was drawn, in lieu of half draft for same amt. dated 11 June 1842, corresponding half not having come to hand. The part presented was, at the same time destroyed.

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Mr. Shaw acquitted
on a charge of hav-
-ing been drunk

A letter, addressed to the Chairman, was read from
Mr. Shaw, Master of Workhouse, complaining that he
had been falsely accused of being drunk. An investigation
took place, when he was told that he was acquitted
of the charge.

The Order Book was signed as follows,
Mr. Harvey 100 loaves of 4 lbs each
Mr. Park 59 lbs meat
Mr. Pym 150 gallons sweet milk
100 gallons buttermilk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
25 were admitted viz. 7 men, 4 women, 11 children

None were refused

The Provision Recd. & Consumption accounts were
laid before the Board

Provisions and necessaries received
amounted to

29-12-4 $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions and necessaries consumed 21-15-3

On a collective number of 1456 days

Ordered that the next meeting of
this board be held on Saturday next the
9th inst. at 11 o'clock

Money paid this day 29-19-8

Receipts drawn 29-19-8

Chairman

9 July 1842

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 9th of July 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present,

The Earl of Conestown, Chairman
 Robt. Doyne Esq., Col. Owen, Solomon Richards Esq.
 Poppy Bolton, John Burbridge, Chas. H. Doyne, Michl. Finn.
 Richd. Higginbotham, John Hollingsworth, Richd.
 Keegan, Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson,
 Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee of the 5th July inst. were read and adopted as follows

The Committee went over the House, found it clean and correct, and the paupers usefully employed, and filled up the Visiting Committee book accordingly.

Poor's leading into dining Hall to be kept locked

The Committee gave orders that the doors leading into the dining hall, both on the male and female side, be kept constantly locked, and not to be opened except when the Chaplains may require them.

The Committee recommended that the following articles, required by the Matron, be provided.

3 pieces of linen

2 stone of dark grey knitting worsted."

The minutes of the Education & Labour Committee of this morning were likewise adopted as follows.

"The Committee inspected the work and schoolrooms. Found the several works going on to their satisfaction."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were also adopted as follows.

"The Committee examined Petty Cash, and vouchers for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

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The Committee examined the following accounts, which they find correct, and recommended for payment by draft.

John Hollingsworth 11-2-0 potatoes

John Redmond 15-0-0 ton of oatmeal.

The following accounts, likewise found correct, are recommended to be paid by petty Cash.

Petty Cash out: - 1-0 letters

John Harris - 9-4 County Cess

John Leger 1-0-0 Vaccination room

Edward Pearson 1-3-2 Boards, nails, carpenter.

W^m H. Miller - 3-0 scipors

£ 2 - 10 - 6

Drafts were drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, and Solomon Richards Esq^r.

A letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners, accompanying "three copies of Appendix to their Report on Medical Charities of Ireland:" another approving of the appointment of Edward Cole, as tailor, and Charles Summerton as shoemaker, to instruct the paupers in learning those trades; and of the dismissal of John John Jacob, and suggesting that a pauper be employed in his stead; and another accompanied by an Order authorising and requiring the Guardians the Limerick Union to borrow eight hundred pounds for the purposes therein specified; and accompanied likewise by a "Form of Application to the Commissioners for the Issue of Loans for Public Works & Fisheries &c," to be returned when executed.

Read, an Order, under hand and seal of the Poor Law Commissioners, dated 4th July 1842, directing and authorising the Guardians to borrow the sum of eight hundred pounds, for the completion of the building and fitting up of the Workhouse, Whereupon, on the motion of Robert Poyne Esq^r, seconded by Capt. Richard Owen, B. A., it was resolved that application

Committ^s approve
of appointment
of Cole tailor &
Summerton, shoemaker

Guardians autho-
rised to borrow
£ 800

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be made to the Exchequer bill loan Commissioners for the amount, and that ~~the application be made to the Exchequer Bill Loan Commissioners for the amount,~~ and that the application be signed by the Earl of Courtown, Chairman, and by Richard Higginbotham Esq. and Colonel Owen, Guardians, on behalf of the majority of the Board, present at this meeting, which was done accordingly.

Ordered, that a copy of this resolution be transmitted, with the application, to the Commissioners

Resolved, that W. Higginbotham be transferred from the Finance to the Education & Labour Committee.

The Board proceeded to open and read tenders as follow.

Mr. Harvey's
tender accepted
for bread

Bread

for six months from 1st July inst. p loaf of 4 lbs

Mr. S. Doyle $9\frac{1}{2}$

Mr. Harvey $8\frac{1}{2}$

Mr. Pym 9

Mr. Harvey's tender accepted

Mr. Redmond
contractor for
oatmeal

Oatmeal

p ton, for four months from 1st July inst.

John Redmond £15-

Henry Furney 10-

Mr. Redmond's tender accepted.

Soap, p cwt

Pale seal oil p Imperial gallon

Sweet oil p Imperial quart

contract to continue for twelve months from 1 July inst.

Mr. Pym, soap of good quality $3\frac{1}{2}$ p cwt

Pale seal oil p $4\frac{1}{4}$ p gallon

Sweet oil p $1\frac{1}{2}$ p quart

John Doyle, white soap of best quality 35 p cwt

Pale seal oil p 5 p gallon

Sweet oil p $1\frac{1}{10}$

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Mr. John Doyle, Gory
contractor for soap

Mr. Doyle's tender accepted for the soap, and Mr. Byrne's
for the oil.

It having been intimated to the Ward that Mr. Byrne
declined entering into contract for the oil without the
soap, the Clerk was directed to advertise again, by hand-
-bill, for the oil.

Meat

Mr. Flusk, Gory
Contractor for
meat

The tender of John Flusk to "supply the Gory
Union workhouse with meat of good quality, at five
pence per lb for six months," was accepted.

Term of contract to commence from 1st July inst.

Potatoes

The tender of Thomas Murphy to supply "five
barrels of cup potatoes of superior quality at 12/- per
barrel, was accepted provided the potatoes be good.

Resolved that the following advertisement
be published in the General Advertiser.

Nurse-tender
advertised for

Gory Union

Wanted for the above Union

A Nurse-tender

She must be a steady, active woman, who
perfectly understands her business, and who can read
writing. One who understands midwifery would
be preferred.

Salary eight pounds per annum, with an
apartment and rations.

Applications, stating age and qualifications,
with testimonials, to be sent in to the clerk of the
Union, on or before Friday the 22nd July inst.

The election will take place on the 23rd.

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The Order Check Book was signed as follows

Mr. Harvey 100 loaves 4 lbs each

Mr. Flusk 59 lbs meat

Mr. Nyson 100 gallons sweet milk

145 gallons buttermilk

Mr. Doyle 5 dozen black lead

Mr. Johnston 2 pieces yard wide linen

1 piece $\frac{3}{4}$ wide linen

2 stow dark grey knitting

worsted.

The provision Receipt & consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received amounted to 11-14-7

Provisions & necessaries consumed 20-14-4

On a collective number of 1374 days

Ordered, that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday next the 15th inst. at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day £28-18-0

Drafts drawn 28-18-0

Chm Town, Chairman

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 16th July 1842, the assist. Commisrs. present; guardians present,

Capt. Robert Owen Chairman, Col. Owen, Solomon Richards, Fozey Bolton, John Barbidge, Thos. Doye, Richd. Carl, Wm. Funn, Edw. Fitzsimons, Richd. Higginbotham, John Hollingsworth, Richd. Keegan, Paul. Keany, John Laffin, John W. Laughlin, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the ~~Visiting~~ ~~Committee~~ of the ~~morning~~ were adopted as Visiting Committee of the 13th July inst. were read and adopted as follow

"The Committee went over the house, found it clean, and the paupers properly employed, and filled up the Visiting Committee Book accordingly.

Small chain recommended

The Committee recommended that small chain be used, instead of rope, for raising the lids of great boilers in the kitchen.

Washing place for children recommended

The Committee likewise recommended that a washing place be constructed, in the yard, for children, so as to keep them separate from the adult paupers."

The minutes of the Education and Labour Committee of this Morning were likewise adopted as follow

Iron gates railing and front wall

"The Committee proceeded to point out to several persons, who attended, the plan and specification for the iron gates, railing and front wall. The tenders to be sent in ^{before} ~~on~~ Saturday next the 23rd inst."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning, were also adopted as follow.

sent to Mr. Wynn

Copy

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The Committee examined petty cash accounts and vouchers for payments ordered at last meeting, and found them correct.

The following, examined and found correct are recommended for payment by draft

John Flusk 21-11-10 meat to 9th inst. inclusive
 Wm. Pym 24-10-5 milk to 10th inst. inclusive
 Wm. Mills 3-0-0 quarters salary due this day.

The following accounts, likewise found correct are recommended to be paid by Petty Cash

Petty Cash -10 letters
 Wm. Sheehan -13-0 horsework
 Martin Purn -0-0 interring Path Kerang, 242, Monmouth
 and Leah Oakes, 314, Camolin
 John Willoughby -14-9 paving, & sweeping stones
 John Mordant -0-5 gravel
 Saml. Stringer -0-0 repairing pump, pipes &c
 Edw. Pearson 2-1-9 carpenters, boards, nails &c
 Thos. Poran -8-0 flags

by the Chairman L.A. 17-4 Drafts drawn accordingly, signed
 Letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners
 acknowledging the receipt of application for an
 advance of £800, and stating that they had forwarded
 the same to the Public Works Loan Board.

The Board proceeded to open and read tenders as follow.

Oil
 John Doyle

Pale seal oil	5/6 per gallon
Sweet oil	1/10 per quart

Mr. W. H. Miller
 contractor for
 oil

Wm. H. Miller

Pale seal oil	4/9 per gallon
Sweet oil	1/8 per quart

Mr. Miller's tender accepted. Term of contract
 12 months from 1 July 1842

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Ordered that the Visiting Committee be requested to prepare a tender for washing plan for children, and for small chain for lifting lids of boilers.

Ordered that the Labour Committee be requested to prepare an advertisement inviting tenders to erect a stable for twenty horses, or for fifteen, as the Board may determine, and likewise for a coach house according to a plan and specification, to be seen in the Board room daily from ten to four o'clock.

Ordered that the following paupers be transferred from the electoral division of Ballyellis, where they have been entered through mistake, to the Union at Large. -

Jane Kelly	N ^o 316	
Mary Kelly	} her children { 317	
Michl. Kelly		318
Edw Whelan	328	
Mary Whelan his wife	329	
Patrick	} their children { 330	
Olivia		331
Jannah		332
Martin		333

Temporary substitution of oatmeal for potatoes

Resolved, unanimously, that application be made to the Poor Law Commissioners for permission to alter the dietary from potatoes, for dinner, to oatmeal, 10 ozs for adults and 8 for children; to be discontinued, and dietary as at present resumed, when potatoes shall have become cheaper and more easily obtained.

Deaths of Patrick Kavanagh and Leah Oakes

The Medical Officer reported the death of Patrick Kavanagh, 242, Monomolin, and Leah Oakes, 314, Camolin.

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The Order Check Book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey	120 loaves of 4 lbs each
Mr. Flusk	54 lbs meat
Mr. Byron	180 gallons sweet milk
	100 gallons buttermilk
Mr. Scott	3 dozen brock tape
	$\frac{1}{2}$ stone blea thread
	1 gross white horn studs
	1 gross black S°

The provision Receipt & consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received amounted to 22-12- $\frac{1}{2}$
 Provisions and necessaries consumed 22-18- $3\frac{1}{2}$
 On a collection number of 1504 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 23 July inst. ~~at~~ at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 53-19-7

Drafts drawn 53-19-7

R. Powell
 Ch^m -

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sent to Mr. Messinger

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 23rd of July 1842, the Assist. Commissioners present, Guardians present

Capt. Robt. Owen, Chairman, Fozzy Bolton, John Portidge, Henry Brownrigg, Charles H. Doyne, Richd. Carl, Michl. Finner, Geo. Glascott, Richd. Wegginsbotham, John McLaughlin
Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Capt. Richd. Owen, the only member of the Visiting Committee present on the 20th inst., went over the hour and filled up the Visiting Committee book.

Capt Owen recommends that a kneeling stool, for the pulpit, required by the Rev. Mr. Corvan be provided."

The minutes of the Education & Labour Committee, of this morning, were adopted as follow.

"The Committee report that the gravelling of the male and female yards is proceeding with to their satisfaction.

The Committee recommend that two hides of sole leather, and two of kip be purchased for the repairs of shoes; to be used by the Master shoemaker in his instruction of the boys.

The Committee further recommended that 20 yards of strong grey cloth be purchased for three pair clothes, to be used by the master tailor in his instruction of the boys.

The Committee hope to lay before the Board, on Saturday next, the names of the boys they recommend for tailors and shoemakers."

The minutes of the Finance Committee, of this morning were adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct

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and to correspond with the Minute Book; and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week and recommended their payment as under.

Edw. Peason, furniture part. 7-19-5
 John Redmond, oatmeal £^d 15-
 W^m. Geo. Johnston, clothing materials 17-1-8
 Tho^s. Harvey, bread from 2 to 10 July 11-5-8
 Petty Cash

Postage & stamps	-2-8	
Parcels 1/5, postage 4	1-10	
Miss P. Aubrey, schoolmistress		
quarter's salary	<u>2-10-0</u>	<u>2-14-0</u>
		<u>£54-2-3</u>

W^m. Webster attended, with the amounts of his collection. It appears that there are outstanding arrears as under.

Grey Electoral Division	21-12-4
Coolgreaney	5-19-5
Courtown	4-10-
Rosminogue	3-5-5
Wingfield	<u>5-3-8½</u>
	<u>£40-12-0½</u>

W^m. Webster was directed to bring to the Finance Committee, on the 30th inst^t, separate lists of the arrears of the foregoing, with observations as to the possibility, or not, of collecting in every case.

W^m. Ponder attended, and stated his inability to collect the large arrear due on his district, sooner than the 1st of October, owing to the poverty of the Country.

The balance, standing to our credit with the Provincial Bank, appears to be 107-7-8

Drafts drawn as recommended by Committee, signed by the Chairman, John W. Laughlin and Rich^d. Higginbotham

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A letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners approving of the temporary substitution of Oatmeal for potatoes: the established dietary to be resumed at the earliest practicable period.

The Board proceeded to open and read tenders. Applications for the appointment of Nurstender were read from Ann Murphy, Catherine Coombs, Lucy Redmond, and Frances Hayden.

Nurstenders' recommendations submitted to Post. Over

Their recommendations to be submitted to the Doctor, who is requested to report to the Board which of them he considers most competent.

Tenders for the supplying of brushes and mops were read from

John M. Daniel

Grey mops 8 piece			1-1
White D. 160s each			1-8
N. 3 best sweeping brush			1-10
4 D.	D.		2-2
Handles for D.			- 2½
N. 7 ground sash tool			-10
8 D.	D.		1-1
0 D.	D.		2-2
1 D.	D.		2-0
2 D.	D.		1-8
3 D.	D.		1-3
1 Tearing brush			1-10
2 D.	D.		1-7
3 D.	D. (large)		2-1
4 D.	D.		1-10
Handles for mops			3

Wm. H. Miller

N. 1 scrubbing brush	20/ per dozen
2 do	27/
3 Sweeping brush	24/
4 do	30/
5 do	33/
6 Mop	12/
7 do	21/
8 paint brush	8/
9 do	11/
10 do	14/
handles each	4

Wm. Miller's
tender
accepted for
mops &
brushes

Wm. Miller's tender accepted

Tenders to erect entrance gates and piers,
palisading and boundary walls in front of Entrance
Building, according to plan and specification, in a
permanent and workman-like manner were read
from

Bernard McDonough	£140-
Thos. Harvey	95-15-
Joseph McDaniel	94-10-

Mr. McDaniel
Contractor for
gates, piers
palisading &
walls, front.

Mr. McDaniel's tender accepted.
Securities to be entered into on the 30th July inst.

Mr. Woodroffe
directed to write
to Mr. Pender &
his sureties

Resolved, that Mr. Henry C. Woodroffe be
directed to write to Mr. Pender and his sureties
to apprise them that he has instructions to proceed
against them, forthwith, for the fulfilment of their
bond.

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to Mr.
Fayle to attend here, without fail, on this day
week, with his books, papers &c.

Ordered, that the Labour Committee be requested to prepare an estimate of the probable expense of a ditch, by the Irish perch, for enclosing the Workhouse grounds, stating the number of perches.

Master recommended to admit, provisionally, a pauper bringing a note from a guardian stating that the admission is absolutely necessary, the Master is recommended to take in such pauper until the next meeting of the Board.

Master recommended to admit, provisionally, a pauper bringing a note from a guardian stating absolute necessity

The Order Check book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 130 loaves of 4 lbs each

Mr. Flish 58 lbs meat

Mr. Byrn 240 gallons sweet milk

100 gallons buttermilk

Mr. Scott 1 Cwt salt

Mr. Miller 1 dozen sweeping brushes, N^o 3

1 S. scrubbing S. N^o 1

1 S. paint S. N^o 9

1 S. Mops N^o 7

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

11 were admitted viz. 3 men, 6 women, 2 children

None rejected

The Provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the board.

Provisions and necessaries received

amounted to - - - - - 12 - 4 - 2½

Provisions and necessaries consumed 22 - 13 - 11½

On a collective number of 1466 days

Ordered, that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday next the 30th inst. at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 54 - 2 - 3

Drafts drawn 54 - 2 - 3

J. Powell
Ch.

30 July 1842

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 30th July 1842 the assist^t Commissioners present, Guardians present Sir Thomas Esmond, Chairman, Capt. Rob^t. Owen Colonel Owen J. G. Richards, Geo. Parker, Chas. W. Doxey Rich^d. Carl, Mich^l. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, John Hollingsworth, John Laffin, John Middleton, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, John Pearson, Jas. Sheridan Luke Smith.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Education and Labour Committee of this morning were adopted as follow.

"The Committee recommend that six boys be taken in to learn the trade of shoemaker, and six to learn the trade of tailor.

In every case where there are two brothers and their father in the house, the father has been consulted as to the trade he would like that his children should be put to; and when the child is an orphan the Committee have been guided by the adaptation of such orphan.

The Committee have selected for shoemakers

N^o. 18 William Norman

19 Patrick Kissela, Orphan

49 William Bradshaw

215 John Moon

238 Lawrence Byrom

265 George Williams

Tailors

N^o. 15 John Norman

20 William Byres, Orphan

202 Moses Aspil Orphan

218 James Moon

288 John Williams

330 Patrick Whelan

Boys selected
for trades of
tailor & shoemaker
each

The Committee submit, to the Board, the following estimate of the expense, by the Irish perch, of a ditch round three sides of the Workhouse grounds, faced with stone all the way up.

8 loads of quarry stones at β	- 2-0
Drawing β	- 2-0
Making ditch	- 1-0
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	$\text{£} - 5 - 0$

Ditch faced with stones half way up	
4 loads at β	1-0
drawing 3	1-0
Making ditch	1-0
	<hr/>
	3-0

Estimated expense
of ditch round
workhouse
grounds

On a rough measurement according to a plan given in by Mr. Kelly, there are about 90 perches of ditch round the three sides to meet the front wall

90 perches at $5/0$	22-10-
90 β at $3/0$	13-10-

Committee consider that the ground is not such as would admit of a fence made without stones"

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were adopted as follow.

"Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct and to correspond with minute book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows.

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A. Thom, Stationery &c 13-7-11
 John Doyle soap, oil &c 4-11-
 Doctor Newbold, Vaccination 8-9-
 J. Le Febvre, fees & other exp^s 6-3-11
 Petty Cash
 Letter stamps - 2-0
 W^m Sheehan, stones 1-3-0
 John Scott, clothing 1-0-3
 John W. Daniel
 35 tablets — - 18-0 3-3-3
£ 35-15-1

Paepts drawn accordingly, signed by
 Capt. Robt. Owen, Capt. Richd. Owen & W. Pearson

A letter recd from the poor Law Commis^s,
 accompanied by the Returning officer's account
 of the expense attending the election of Guar-
 dians in March last, and requesting that
 the amount, ^{as suggested} 6-3-11 may be paid.

The Medical officer reported that he
 had examined the persons who applied, on last
 Board day, for the appointment of Nurse-tender,
 and, not approving of any of them, he recommends
 that Mary Gordon be taken for a fortnight on trial.
 Ordered that the Employment Committee be
 requested to prepare plans for laying out and
 planting the ground outside the workhouse, previous
 to tenders being advertised for.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Woodroffe
 not to take any proceeding against Mr. Conner or
 his sureties until further instructed.

The Board proceeded to open and read
 tenders from the following persons
 Thomas Harvey

To build a stable for twenty horses, with a
 coach house attached according to the plan and
 specification shewn in the Board room, for
 £137-10, and, if the stable be only for fifteen

Mary Gordon
 Nurse-tender
 taken for a
 fortnight on
 trial

Mr. Woodroffe
 not to proceed
 forthwith against
 Mr. Conner

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horses, £125-10"

Joseph M. Daniel

Joseph M. Daniel
contractor, for
stable & coach house

To erect a stable and coach house, at Grey Work-
house, according to the plan and specification, for the
sum of £112-10". also to erect a stable for fifteen
horses and the Coach house, according to plan and
specification, for the sum of £90-0-0"

Mr. M. Daniel's tender accepted.

Stable, whether for twenty or for fifteen horses,
not determined.

W. G. Johnston
Contractor for
frize

Tenders, accompanied by samples, were
read from John Redmond, John Hollingsworth
and William G. Johnston, to supply grey frize.

Mr. Johnston's tender accepted for his sample
N.º 1 at 18½ p yard and ¾ in breadth.

The Order Check book was signed as
follows.

Mr. Harvey	140 loaves of 4 lbs each
Mr. Flusk	50 lbs Meat
Mr. Pyron	250 gallons sweet milk
Mr. Poyh	2 Cwt of soap
Mr. Pyron	2 hides sole leather
	2 P.º kip
Mr. Johnston	20 Yards grey cloth 18½

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
Twelve were admitted viz-

2 men, 4 women and 6 children
one man rejected

The provision Receipt and Consump-
tion accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received
amounted to

28-0-1

provisions and necessaries consumed

23-1-1½

On a collective number of 1491 days

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Ordered that the next meeting of this Board
be held on Saturday the 6th of August next
at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 35-15-1

Drafts drawn 35-15-1

Wm. Woodroffe

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 6th of August 1842, the assist. Commissioner absent, present Sir Thos. Cromwell, ^{Pres.} Chairman
Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, J. G. Richards
Foprey Bolton, John Borbridge, Thos. Doyne
Micheal Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, Richd. Higginbotham,
John Hollingsworth, Richd. Keegan, Paul Henry,
John Middleton, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson,
Abel Woodroffe.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting
were read and confirmed

The Minutes of the Visiting Committee
were read and adopted as follow.

"The Committee visited the House, and
filled up the Report book.

The Surgeon, the Master, and the Matron
all reported that the quantity of food for the
paupers' dinner is too great, and renders it
impossible to regulate the meals properly.

Quantities of starch are found concealed in
different parts of the house. In consequence
of this the Committee have directed tenders for
supplying new potatoes to be advertised for
by placard, the tender to be given in on
Saturday next.

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Potato store converted
into a dairy

The Committee recommend that the present potato store room be converted into a dairy, and that it be fitted up for that purpose: likewise that the tool house be used as a potato store, and a proper lock put on the door of it."

The Minutes of the Education and Labour Committee, of this morning, were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Committee inspected 19 pair of shoes that require repair, and ten jackets for a similar purpose.

The Committee have directed the tailor and the shoemaker to attend on Monday from the hours of 3 to 6, and to commence their work by repairing shoes and jackets.

They inspected the yards, and found the work going on to their satisfaction. They likewise visited the school. No complaints.

The Committee recommend that hand shoe brushes be provided for the purpose of cleaning the shoes, and likewise that oil be used, twice a week, in order to preserve the leather."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee, of this morning, were also adopted, as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for payments ordered at last meeting: found them correct, and to correspond with Minute Book; and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows.

Wm H. Miller, hardware	5-2-1
Thos. Darvey, bread	9-11-3
John Doyle, soap	3-10-

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W. ^m Geo. Johnston, clothing materials	1-7-6	✓
J. Mordaunt, gravel	- 17-6	✓
W. ^m Sheban, horse work	- 12-0	✓
Martin Dumm, interesting pauper 130 (Wingfield)	3-	
John Gregory, paving roads	- 3-	✓
W. ^m Pearson, furniture	1-12-1	
	<u>£ 4-15-1</u>	

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen, and W.^m Pearson.

A letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners to relative to, and under cover with, a "Charge on the poor Rates of the Union, as security for an advance of eight hundred pounds," and likewise an "Order for the delivery of the Certificate." Another letter, received, under same cover, from Messrs Barnes, Winter & Bernard, conveying instructions for the perfecting of those documents, and directing that they be returned to them when completed.

Pecds perfected according to instructions, and ordered to be forthwith transmitted, as directed.

The following Memorial was read from the Protestant Chaplain.

"To

The Board of Guardians of the Exsey Union.

X The Chaplain begs to call the attention of the Board of Guardians to the inadequate amount of salary allowed him. There are generally sixty protestants in the House, and they are, for the most part so ignorant that the Chaplain finds it necessary to have two services and sermons in the week, besides the visitation of the sick, and a regular day for catechising the children, and instructing the adults. Now the Guardians

will perceive that these duties are as laborious as many curacies, and that the present salary of the Chaplain is manifestly insufficient. He therefore requests that they will have the kindness to take the case into consideration, and add increase his salary to forty pounds a year.

Signed

John Corvan, chaplain
to the Grey Union workhouse.

Rev. J. Corvan
Salary increased
to £40 per annum

Moved by Mr. Woodroffe, seconded by ^{Mr} Fitzsimons, and unanimsously resolved, that the Memorial of the Rev. John Corvan appears to this board to be perfectly reasonable, and that, in consequence, his salary be increased to forty pounds per annum, from the date of his last payment.

James Bell
contractor for
new potatoes

A tender read from James Bell to "supply new potatoes of good quality at 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ p stone, for one month, to be delivered, at the workhouse, in such quantities as may be required."

Tender accepted. The potatoes to be delivered from day to day as required.

New potatoes
4 lbs dinner for
adults

Resolved that it is the unanimous opinion of this board that four pounds of new potatoes, for dinner, be allowed to the adult paupers, for a period of one month, until the potato crop is gathered; and that the Commissioners' consent to this resolution be solicited.

Ordered that the Clerk do, forthwith, transmit to the Commissioners a copy of this resolution.

Ordered that the Visiting Committee be requested to examine the trap door of the pump and to take measures to prevent damage being done to the well.

The Doctor reported the death, on the 4th inst, of Sarah Parker, an infant pauper, N^o 130 on Register.

Today. 1842

The Order Check Book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 100 loaves of 4 lbs each

Mr. Flusk 53 lbs meat

Mr. Redmond 1 ton of oatmeal

Mr. Bryson 250 gallons sweet milk

70 8^o buttermilk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

10 were admitted viz. - 2 men, 3 women
and 5 children. None rejected

The Provision Receipt and Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received
amounted to - - - - - 14-19-8 $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions and necessaries consumed 24-8-1 $\frac{1}{2}$

On a collective number of 1524 days

Ordered that the next meeting
of this board be held on Saturday next,
the 13th inst. at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 22-18-5

Profits drawn 22-18-5

Wm. M. M. M.

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 13th of August 1842, the Assistant Commissioner present, Guardians present, Capt. Pitt, Owen, Chairman, Rob^t. Doyne Col. Owen, J. G. Richards, Doctor Blake, Fossey Bolton, John Portidge, Richard Lee, Mich^d. Finn, George Glascote, John Hollingsworth, John Laffin, John McLaughlin, John Middleton, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, John Pearson, Jas. Sheridan,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee of the 10th inst, were read and adopted as follow.

"The Committee visited the House, and filled up Report Book.

The Committee directed the Master to have proper rails for resting the heads of the beds in the Infirmary, to be put up: also that cupboards be put up in the Master's and in the Matron's room, for putting by small stores belonging to the Union."

The Minutes of the Education and Labour Committee of this morning, were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Committee inspected the schools and yards, and found all things going on to their satisfaction.

Isaac Kendall
& Geo. Clave
on Shoemakers
list, and

John McCarthy
on Tailors list

The Committee recommended that Isaac Kendall N^o. 193, and Joseph Clave 378, be placed on the shoemakers' list, in the place of George Williams and Lawrence Byrne, quitting the House; and that John McCarthy N^o. 120, orphan, be placed on the tailors' list in lieu of John Williams 256, leaving the House."

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The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were also adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for payments ordered at last meeting, found them correct and to correspond with Minute Book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows

Milk, Nym, milk to this day inclusion	32-1-2
leather	5-18-4
Shoemakers tools & fittings	2-
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	40-19-6
John Redmond, Oatmeal	15-
Petty Cash	
Postage & stamps	- 3-0
John Willoughby, paving	- 4-6
John Cook, Smith work	1-0-2
Martin Purn, interment of pauper 221, Union at Large	2-3-
John Gregory, paving yards	- 4-8
W. Sheban, horsework	- 12-0
Edw. Pearson, furniture	<u>1-14-2</u>
	4-1-4
	<hr/>
	<u>£ 80-0-10</u>

The Collector of the Groy district attended. The arrears due on the Groy Electoral Division amount to 21-13-6, and it appears to Committee that, of this amount of arrears, 8-12-11 may be collected, but that the balance, 13-0-7 cannot."

The following letter, read from the Rev. J. Corvan.

"The Chaplain begs to return his thanks to the Board of Guardians for their

kind compliance with his request for an increase of salary. A quarter's salary was due the 22nd of July.

Gorey Aug. 13. 1842

A motion by Mr. Bolton to remove Pet. Kane N^o 385 from Ballycove to the Union at Large, negatived.

Proposed by Capt. Rich^d. Owen, seconded by Foster Blake and resolved,

Plan of Labour Comm^{tee} that the plan of laying out the grounds, as submitted by the Labour Committee, be adopted

one perch of fence to be made

Resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson, that one perch of the fence to be made round the grounds, be made under the direction of the Labour Committee for the approval of the Board.

Resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by Mr. Richards,

that Mr. Joseph W. Daniel, with his sureties do enter into a bond for the completion of the front wall and gates, the stables and coach house; and that Mr. Cranville do see the same duly executed without delay.

That, on the completion of the contract, Mr. W. Daniel be directed to proceed immediately to execute the work.

The Order Check book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 100 loaves of 4 lbs each
 Mr. Pusk 53 lbs of meat
 Mr. Byrne 180 gallons sweet milk
 70 gallons buttermilk
 Mr. Scott 1 Cwt salt

20 Aug. 1842

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
7 were admitted viz - 3 men, 3 women & 1 child.
None rejected.

The provision Receipt & Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received
amounted to 32-12-7
Provisions & necessaries consumed 22-8-5
on a collective number of 1459 days

Ordered that this Board do hold their
next meeting on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 50-0-10
Drafts drawn 50-0-10

R. Powell

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians
held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 20th
of August 1842 the Assist. Commissioner absent
present, the Earl of Courtown Chairman
Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, Richd. Earl, Micht.
Finn, Richd. Wigginsbotham, Paul. Kenny
John W. Saughlin, John Middleton, John Pearson
Luke Smith

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee of the
17th inst. were read and adopted as follow

"The Committee visited the House, found
everything correct, and filled up the Report
book accordingly."

The minutes of the Education and Labour
Committee were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Matron applied to the Committee for 2 cut of
flax, coarse tow, & ¼ cut of hemp.

The Committee recommended that the above
articles be procured, and that they be got in Dublin.

The Committee inspected the schools and yards,
and found all things going on satisfactorily."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this
morning were also adopted as follows.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last
week's payments, found them correct and to
correspond with the minute book, and likewise
that they were posted.

Committee examined bills for present week
recommended their payment as follows

J. M. Le Fehur, Returning Officer, fees, ex^o 11-1-0

Rev. J. Corvan, quarters salary to 22 July 10-

Petty Cash

Postage - 2

Edw. Pearson, boards, carpenter 1-5-0

Thos. Cotton, sweeping Chimneys 1-0-0

M. Purn, interment 307, Gorey - 3-

A. Colclough, twigs - 1-

Wm. Sheehan, horse work - 12-

J. Gregory, paving - 7-0

3-3-8
£ 24-10-2

The Treasurer's account shews a balance
of £ 2-2-3 against the Union. It does not
appear that lodgments have been made by
Mr. Ponder according to his agreement.

The Committee therefore recommended that
the Clerk do write to Mr. Ponder to say that
the Board have expressed surprise that he has
not kept his promise, and that legal proceed-
ings must be resumed unless he fulfil his
promise strictly."

20 Aug. 1842

A letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Returning Officer's account of expenses attending the late supplemental election for Groy and Winsfield electoral divisions, and recommending that the amount, as revised, 11-1-6 be paid.

Resolved on the motion of Mr. Pearson seconded by Col. Owen, that a draft be drawn for ten pounds, due to the Rev. Mr. Corvan for one quarter's salary ending the 22nd July last, and likewise that drafts be drawn for payment of the other acc^{ts}, as recommended by the Committee.

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t. Owen and Mr. Pearson.

The following letter read from Mr. Harvey

Mr. Slater

I am sorry to find that the last bread you got is not so good as it ought to be.

This was caused by a couple of bags of flour which turned out to be a little malty. However it is the last batch of the kind you will receive this season. You will get some that is excellent about 12 o'clock this day

I am, Mr. Slater, yours very truly,
Groy
Saturday 20 Aug. 1842
Thomas Harvey

The following letter was read from Mr. W. Daniel

Sir

I beg to inform you and the Board of Guardians that I could not get a man this week to sink the pump who understands it, but it shall be done on Monday.

Groy
Saturday 20 Aug. 1842
I am, Sir, your very obed^t serv^t
Joseph W Daniel

Mary Gordon
appointed
nurse-tender

The Medical Officer reported that he had found Mary Gordon fully competent to be nurse-tender, whereupon it was resolved, on the motion of W. Pearson, seconded by W. Higginbotham,

That Mary Gordon be appointed nurse-tender, ^{from 30 July last, with an apartment of} at a salary of eight pounds a year, with Officer's rations except in the article of meat, of which she is to receive four pounds, only, in the week.

Death of J. Willoughby,
infant peeper 357

The Doctor reported the death, on the 18th inst., of J. Willoughby, an infant peeper, 357, Grey electoral division.

W. Pender
complains
clothes stolen

A complaint made by W. Pender, 315, that his clothes were stolen on the day of admission. It appeared that Thomas Murray, 313, who was admitted on the same day, took advantage of the hurry in the House and absconded, having clothed himself with William Pender's suit.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Messrs Neville to say that the Board have testified surprise that the revised valuation has been so long delayed; and that Messrs Neville are requested to send it in without delay, in order that a new rate may be forthwith made, the funds in Bank being now overdrawn.

The order Check book was signed as follows.

W. Harvey	120 loaves of 4 lbs each
W. Flusk	55 lbs meat
W. Byron	150 gallons sweet milk
	80 gallons buttermilk
W. Byron	10 lbs mould sixes
W. Phillips	5 water buckets

27 August 1842

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
5 were admitted viz. 1 man, 1 woman & 3 children
1 Man rejected.

The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts
were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received 17. 7 - 0 $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions & necessaries consumed 21. 7 - 11 $\frac{1}{4}$

on a collection number of 1417 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board
be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 24 - 10 - 2

Psefts drawn 24 - 10 - 2

Cartwright Chairman

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians,
held in the Board room on Saturday the 27th
of August 1842, the Assistant Commissioner present.
Guardians present, The Earl of Courtown, Chairman,
Col. Poyne, Capt. Robt. Owen, ^{J. B. Richards} Col. Owen, Geo. Barker
Doctor Blake, Foyce Tolton, John Corbridge, Henry
Brownrigg, Richard Carr, Michl. Finn, Geo. Glascott
Richd. Higginbotham, John Hollingsworth, John
Laffin, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read
and confirmed.

Minutes of the visiting Committee of the
24th inst. read as follows.

The Committee visited the House, found every
thing correct, and filled up Report book accordingly.

The Minutes of the Education and Labour
Committee of this morning, adopted as follow.

The Committee have, in accordance with the
directions of the Board, ordered our perch of Linn
to be made, as a pattern, for their inspection

The Committee visited the schools and
yards, and found all correct."

Resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by
seconded by J. G. Richards,
That the Clerk be directed to write to Mr. Fayer
and Mr. Webster

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of
this morning were likewise adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last
week's payments, found them correct and to
correspond with Minute book, and likewise
that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present
week, and recommended their payment as follows.

Ths. Harvey, bread to this day, inclusive 11-0-8

Petty Cash

Carriage of Map of doonins	8	
Mr. Mulligan, attendance, Mr. Keirle	5-0	
Law. Kenny	2 ^s two days	5-0
Pat. Magrath	2 ^s 3 ^s	7-0
C. Lawless letter, Ballygarret	1-0	
Pat. Lawless, snuff & Knivichant	1-0	
Mich. Phillips, water buckets	1-1-0	
John Thomas, brooms	3-0	
W. Sheehan, horsework	10-0	
		2-15-8
		<u>£ 14-2-4</u>

Commissioners
decline to authorize
an increase of the
Chaplain's salary

A letter read from the Poor Law Commis-
sioners, declining, "at present, to authorize any
advance" of salary to "the Chaplain of the Establish-
ed Church."

Resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen second-
ed by Mr. Richards.-

That the Clerk be directed to write to Mr. Fayer
and Mr. Webster, to know whether they intend
to continue as collectors of poor rates, the Board
being about to levy a new rate.

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Poyne, that
a rate of seven pence half penny in the pound be declared on the
union, and that the clerk be directed to prepare the rate books
accordingly.

Rate $7\frac{1}{2}$ in
The pound

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Mr. Neville
to strike the rate
& prepare the
books for £5-

The Clerk, ^{having} stated that it would not be in his power, in addition to the Ordinary business of the Union, to strike the rate and prepare the books within the time at which the Board think it desirable that the rate should be made, viz - this day fortnight, it was resolved, on the motion of Mr. Borbidge seconded by Col. Owen, that Mr. Neville be requested to do the above for five pounds, to which Mr. Neville consented.

Cup potatoes
by pleased
4 weeks from 3 Sep.

Clerk directed to advertise, by placard, for cup potatoes for four weeks from 3rd Sep. to be supplied as required; probable quantity, eight barrels a week.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Denton to send in fifty tons of coal.

The Order Check book was signed as follows.

Mr. Hervey	100 loaves 4 lbs each
Mr. Fleck	50 lbs meat
Mr. Poyne	100 Gallons sweet milk 110 gallons buttermilk
Mr. Doyle	2 Cwt soap

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
4 were admitted viz 1 man and 3 women

None rejected

The provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received 14-1-0

Provisions and necessaries consumed 20-10-10

On a collective number of 1319 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 14-2-4

Receipts drawn 14-2-4

Mr. Neville attended this day with the new valuation

J. Denton Treasurer

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the
Boardroom of Saturday the 3rd September 1842,
the Assist. Commissioner absent,
present the Earl of Courtown, Chairman
Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, Geo. Parker, Poeta Blake
Topsy Bolton, John Borbridge, Henry Brownings, Michl.
Finn, John Hollingsworth, Capt Richard Owen
John Pearson, James Sheridan.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read
and confirmed

The minutes of the Visiting Committee 31st Aug.
were read and confirmed as follow

"Committee visited the House, found all
things correct, and filled up Report book
accordingly.

A few of the doors have sagged on the
hinges, and require to be raised. Mr. W. Daniel
has been directed to remedy the defect."

Education and Labour Committee of
this morning report as follows.

The number of men capable of working
is greatly reduced, Those in the House, 11 in
number, have this week been employed in
taking in the coal, so that the paving &c. in the
Yards has been nearly suspended,

Committee inspected the jackets, trousers
and shoes repaired by the boys, and Master
tailor and shoemaker viz

40 pair of shoes

11 jackets

23 pair of trousers"

The Minutes of the Finance Committee
of this morning were adopted as follow

"The Committee examined vouchers for
last week's payments: found them correct
and to correspond with Minute book, and

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likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows

John Doyle	2 Cwt soap	3-10-
Thos. Webster, collecting rate		6-17-0
Petty Cash		
C. Summerton, teacher shoemaker		1-2-0
Edw. Cole	S ^r , tailor	1-5-
Edw. Pearson, furniture		2-0-9
J. W. Daniel, flooring dairy		2-13-7
W. Sheehan, horse work		- 12-
Pacey, carriage of Medicine		- 8-
Dillon, clothes, for Pender		- 13-
W ^m Law, lime		- 11-1
		<u>£ 9-11-11</u>
		<u>£ 19-19-5</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t Owen and W. Pearson for John Doyle and Petty Cash: signed by the Chairman Capt. Rob^t Owen and Capt. Rich^d Owen for W. Webster.

Letter, dated 27 Aug. read from Poor Law Commissioners in reference to three copies of Annual Report, at same time transmitted, and another bearing date 2 Sep. in approval of the appointment of Mary Gordon, as nursetender.

The following letter read from W. Fayer

Dear Sir

Enniscorthy 28 Aug. 1842

In reply to your letter, requiring to know if I would continue to be collector of Poor rate for my district, I beg to acquaint you that I must decline that, as it by no means suits me.

I am &c

To the Clerk of the Union

W^m D. Fayer

The following letter read from W. Webster

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Dear Sir

Money crops 3 Sep. 1842

In reply to yours, I will continue to collect the district I have collected, at $3\frac{1}{2}$ p cent; or I will undertake to collect the whole Union at $2\frac{1}{2}$ p cent; and am, dear Sir, &c

To the Clerk of the Union Thos. Webster

Potatoes, 4 weeks from
3 Sep.
Jas. Bell's tender
accepted

Tenders to supply cup potatoes of good quality, for four weeks from 3 Sep. to be delivered at the workhouse, free of expense, as may be required, were read from John Hollingsworth, Henry Godwin, Thos. Byrne, James Bell and John Flusk.

Mr. Bell's tender, at six shillings, p barrel of 24 stow, accepted.

Cup potatoes from
1 Oct. to 1 Nov.
by Pearson

Ordered that the Clerk do advertise, by placard, for tenders to supply cup potatoes, from 1st October to 1st November.

Mr. Webster
collector for
the whole union

Resolved unanimously, on the motion of Capt. Robt. Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson, that Mr. Webster's proposal to collect the rate of the whole union at $2\frac{1}{2}$ p cent be accepted, and that the clerk be directed to write to him to request that he will send in to the board the names of the persons whom he proposes as sureties, to be bound in the amt. of £2000, with warrant annexed to bond.

Collection of
Rate to be closed
on or before
1 Feb. 1843

Resolved that the collector shall be bound in his contract to close the collection of the rate on or before the 1st of February, ¹⁸⁴³ and that he be recommended to use every effort to collect the same as early as possible, in order that the tenantry may have the advantage of the allowance from their landlords, in the payment of the coming rents.

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Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Richd. Owen seconded by Mr. Pearson, that Mr. Webster be paid 5-17-5 being the balance of his collection.

The Clerk^r directed to write to Mr. Fyfe to attend, on next board day, at 11 o'clock, with his with his books to close his account.

Resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by Mr. Fitzsimons, that the Board of Guardians having obtained from Mr. W. Daniel an undertaking, in writing, to supply any deficiency that may be found in the pump, to the satisfaction of the Architect of the Poor Law Commissioners, and there being a ^{sufficient} good supply of water, at present, the Board beg to recommend that the Contractor may, at once be paid his last instalment.

Resolved, on the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by Capt. Owen, that the amount paid by the Board of Guardians for the support of Elizabeth Sharp, up to the 3rd Sep 1842, viz 1-6-3 be applied for to Mr. Glascott of Kilowen, to be paid by Elizabeth Sharp's mother, a servant in Mr. Glascott's employment, she having agreed to pay for her daughter's support, at the time of her admission into this workhouse.

The Order Check book was signed as follows

Thos. Harvey 80 loaves of 4lbs each

John Flusk 51 lbs meat

Michl. Pym 80 gallons sweet milk

100 gallons buttermilk

John Redmond 1 ton oatmeal

John Scott 4 dozen sack corns

4 dozen fine corns

6 dozen broad white tape

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
7 were admitted viz- 3 men, 3 women & 1 child
1 woman rejected

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The provision Rec^d & Consumption accounts
were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received	15-11-8 $\frac{1}{4}$
Provisions & necessaries consumed	18-5-4 $\frac{3}{4}$

On a collective number of 1126 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board
be held on Saturday next at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 19-19-5

Drafts drawn 19-19-5

Copy of Mr. M. Daniel's agreement,
referred to in preceding minutes.

Supply of Water.
Mr. M. Daniel's
agreement

I do hereby undertake to ensure a strong
and sufficient supply of water, by the pump,
for the use of the workhouse by sinking the well
or otherwise, should the present supply not be
found to continue in sufficient quantity —
and this shall be done to the satisfaction of the
Architect of the Poor Law Commissioners, and at
my own expense.

Given under my hand at the Workhouse,
Gorey, this 3rd Sept. 1842.

Witness
Joseph Franville
Clerk of the Union

For Joseph M. Daniel
John M. Daniel

For Henry Harrison

10 Sep. 1842

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 10th of September 1842, the assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present, The Earl of Courtown, Chairman, J. Richards, Doctr Blake, Fossey, Bolton, John Portidge, Edw. Fitzsimons, Geo. Glascott, John Hollingsworth, Rich^d. Keegan, John Laffin, John McLaughlin, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, John Pearson, Luke Smith.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Visiting Committee of the 7th inst

"The Earl of Courtown, visited the House, found all correct, and filled up Report Book accordingly."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning read as follow.

The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments, found them correct and to correspond with Minute book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows.

Mr. Harvey, to this date - date, inclusive	8-7-6
Mich ^d . Prynne milk	19-13-4
Wm ^r . J. Denton Coal to 5 Sep. inst ^d	52-10-
Ja ^s . Bell, potatoes 2 Aug. to 3. Sep.	12-16-6

Cetty Cash

Carriage of map of drains	-8	
Postage & stamps	-6	
W ^m . Sheehan, horsework	-12-0	
John Mordant, sand	8-3	1-1-5
		<u>£92-8-9</u>

Drafts drawn as follow, signed by the Chairman,
Capt. Richd. Owen and Mr. W. Laughlin

Favour Joseph Craswell, Petty Cash	1-1-5
" Mr. Hervey, bread	6-7-6
" Mr. Pym, Milk	19-13-4
Mr. Denton, coal, (on cut)	25-0-6
	<u>£52-2-9</u>

A letter bearing date 9 Sep. read from the
Poor Law Commissioners in "reference to the resolution
for the payment of £5" for "preparation of the Rate
books."

The following letter read from Mr. W.
Daniel.

My Lord & Gentlemen Loxey 10 Sep. 1842

I beg leave to recommend that the
back wall of the stable be raised one foot, and
that the front be raised six inches higher
than specified. The raising of the front wall
is absolutely necessary, so as that the door sills
may command the level of the ground. The
expense of doing the above will be two pounds
five shillings.

I am, my Lord & Gentlemen &c
John W. Daniel
obedient, serv. con.

A letter read from Mr. Webster, stating
that "after a few days, he has no doubt of hav-
ing it in his power to satisfy the Board with
security."

A letter read from Mr. Fayb, apolo-
gizing for not attending. Clerk directed
to write to him to attend on Saturday next
at 11 o'clock.

Stable wall
to be raised

10 Sep. 1842

A letter read from Mr. Neville, dated the 9th inst., stating that the new "Valuation books" were forwarded by that night's mail.

Books received safe, and in due course. The Clerk directed to write to Mr. Neville to request that the old Rate books be returned without delay.

Capt. Rich^d. Owen
Notice to rescind
resolution 23 July

Capt. Richard Owen gave notice that, on this day fortnight, he would move that the Resolution of the 23rd July 1842, respecting provisional admission of paupers be rescinded.

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Rich^d. Owen, seconded by Mr. Richards,

Master & Clerk
to attend on every
Wedⁿ in B^r room

That, on every Wednesday, at 12 o'clock, the Master and Clerk do attend, in the Board room, to receive applications for provisional relief.

Resolved, on the motion of Capt. Rich^d. Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson,

That the Guardians of the different electoral divisions do examine the rate books, by the next board day, in order to sign the declaration.

The order check book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 110 loaves of 4 lbs each

Mr. Flusk 50 lbs meat

Mr. Byrom 100 gallons sweet milk

110 gallons buttermilk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

12 were admitted viz. 8 women & 4 children

One woman, with her three children, rejected.

3 women, admitted provisionally, on the 7th were discharged on the 9th.

Mary Freeman, let out on pass on the 5th inst., returned on this morning: making in all, admitted in this week, 16

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Provision Receipt and Consumption accounts
were laid before the Board

Provisions & newspapers received
amounted to 57-3-0³/₄
Provisions and newspapers consumed 18-4-3

on a collection number of 1054

ordered, that the next meeting of this
Board be held on Saturday next at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 52-2-9

Receipts drawn. 52-2-9

Wm. F. Braumner

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held
in the Board room on Saturday the 17th of Sept. 1842
The Asst. Commissioner absent,
present, The Secy of Courtown, Chairman,
W. F. Braumner, Capt. Robt. Owen, J. G. Richards,
John Portidge, Geo. Barker, Doctor Blake, Thomas
Bolton, Henry Brownrigg, Richd. Early, Michl. Finn
Edw. Fitzsimons, Richd. Higginbotham, John
Middleton, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson,
James Sheridan,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee
of 14th inst. were read & adopted as follow

X The Committee recommended that six
metal saucepans be provided for the use of the
nursery, as required by the Matron, in order to
prevent the tins from being burned by the nurses.

The minutes of the Finance Committee
of this morning adopted as follow

"The Committee examined bills for present
week, and vouchers for last week's payments,
found them correct, and to correspond with

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Minute Book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and their payment as follows

James Bell, potatoes from 2 Aug. to 16 Sep. inclu. 10-8-1

John Readmond, ton oatmeal 8 Sep. 15-

Petty Cash

Postage circulars &c - 1-7

John Gregory, paving to 17th, inclu. - 5-

W. Sheehan, horse work ^{8⁰⁰} - 10-

Edw. Cole, teacher tailor to 10th inst. - 5-

Chas. Sumner, shoemaker 10th - 4-8

Martin Punn, internat. still born ³⁹⁸ ^{gross} ~~net~~ - 3-0

Thos. Pym stones - 7-5

J. M. Daniel coffins & sub-stones 1-5-

Gunn & Cameron, advertising - 7-

3-10-6
£ 34-18-7

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Richd. Owen, and Mr. Pearson.

A letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners bearing date the 12th inst., addressed to the clerk in reference to a Tabular Form therewith transmitted.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Neville to say "that the guardians have discovered several clerical errors, omissions &c, in the books, which require to be corrected before they can sign the declaration; and that his attendance at the Board, on this day week, is earnestly solicited, in order to enable the guardians to sign the declaration on that day without fail." The clerk further directed to say "that Mr. Neville's reply, by return of post, is requested."

A complaint made by the Matron, against three women, for disorderly conduct. Whereupon they were called before the Board and cautioned.

One of them, Jane Nelson, N.° 327, was ordered to be kept, for one week, on potatoes and water.

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The Earl of Courtown having vacated the Chair, Captain Richard Owen having been unanimously called thereto the Board proceeded to admit paupers. Twelve were admitted, viz - 1 man, 3 women and 8 children. One man was rejected.

One woman and her infant child, provisionally admitted on the 14th inst., was discharged on this morning. Making, altogether, 14 admitted this week.

The Order Check Book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 120 loaves, 4 lbs each
Mr. Flusk 58 lbs meat
Mr. Bynne 110 gallons sweet milk
120 gallons buttermilk
Mr. P. Scott 1 cwt salt
Mr. Bynne 10 lbs mould sixes
Mr. Miller 5 metal saucepans

The provision Receipt & Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received
amounted to - - - - - 24-11-3
Provisions & necessaries consumed 16-13-9 $\frac{3}{4}$
On a collective number of 1082 days

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 34-8-7
Receipts drawn 34-8-7

Charles Harrison

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 24th of September 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present Guardians present, The Earl of Courtown, Chairman, Mr. Poyne, Solomon Richards, Geo. Barker John Borlidge, Rich. Carl, Capt. Rich. Owen John Pearson, James Sheridan

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the visiting Committee of 21st inst. read & adopted as follow

"The Committee visited the House, found all correct, and filled up Report book accordingly. * Vide 225.

Drain along the frontage not to exceed £4-0-0 expense

Committee recommended that the contractor for the front wall be directed to make a drain along the frontage, to be carried into the main drain. Expense not to exceed seven pounds.

Water pipes in kitchen & laundry to be lengthened

The Committee find that the water pipes in the kitchen and laundry yard require to be lengthened a few feet, and they have given directions accordingly."

The Education and Labour Committee of this morning found the six men able to work usefully employed. Ten boys receiving instructions as tailors and shoemakers and nine breaking stones. Schools going on well."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were adopted as follow. —

The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct and to correspond with Minute book, and likewise that they were properly posted

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows.

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Doctor Lee, Vaccination - 5-3-0

City Cash

Coach panel, postage &c	- 2-10
Doctor Newbold, vaccination	2-0-
Wm A Miller, oil, leadwork &c	1-14-2
Ben. Webster, painting & glazing	1-3-2
John Cook, smith work	- 15-0
Thos. Harris, attendance, Mt. Verily	12-0-
Thos. Stebbingham	8 ^o -10-
John Mondant, gravel	- 7-0
John Gregory, paving	- 7-0
Wm. Sheehan, horsework	- 12-
Martin Dunn, burial 425 Gony	- 3-
Saw. Cole, tailor, to 22 inst. incl. 3-4	
Chas. Somerton, shoemaker to 24 ^o	4-0
	<u>9-2-0</u>
	<u>£14-5-0</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Captain Richard Owen and W. Corbridge

A letter, bearing date the 22nd inst., relative to the election of Ex officio Guardians for the ensuing year, read from the poor Law Commissioners, and another from the same dated the 23rd inst., conveying instructions, for the guidance of the Board, in reference to Mr. Webster's appointment, as collector for the whole Union, and accompanied by revised forms of Collectors' bonds.

The tender of Mr. Michael Bryson, ^{of Gony} was accepted to supply good crop potatoes, from 1st of October to 1 November at 5/3 the barrel of 24 stone, to be delivered at the workhouse, as directed, free of expense.

The Doctor reported the death, on the 23rd inst., of Mary Dunn 425 Gony electoral division

Mr. Michl. Bryson's
tender accepted
for potatoes 5/3
the barrel

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Resolution of
23 July. provision
-al admission
rescinded

Proposed by Captain Richard Owen, seconded
by Robt. Poyser Esq., and unanimously resolved
that the resolution of the 23rd of July last,
relative to the provisional admission of pau-
pers be rescinded.

Declaration
perfected

W. Neville, the Valuator, being in atten-
-dance, corrected such clerical errors, omis-
-sions &c as were pointed out to him: where-
upon the declaration of the Guardians was
was attached to the several rate books of the
Union, for the rate made on the 27th of
August last.

The Order Book was signed as follows

W. Darvey	120 loaves	4 lbs each
W. Flusk	54 lbs	meat
W. Byrom	140 gallons	sweet milk
	120 gallons	buttermilk

W. Shaw, Master 6 Cars of turf

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
Eight were admitted viz. - 2 men, 3 women, and
3 children. None rejected.

The provision Receipt & Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received
amounted to - - - 11 - 3 - 11½

Provisions & necessaries consumed 15 - 17 - 8¼

On a collection number of 1149 days

Ordered that the next meeting of
this board be held on Saturday next at
12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 14 - 5 - 8

Drafts drawn 14 - 5 - 8

Wm. Thomas

* Omitted in page 222. The Committee recommend that the store room be tiled the same as the dairy, especially as it is infested with rats.

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 1st of October 1842, the agst. Commissioner absent,
 present, The Earl of Courtown, Chairman,
 J. F. Richards, S. Richards Esq^s, Doctor Blake, Edward Fitzsimons, Rich^d. Higginbotham, John W. Laughlin,
 Capt. Richard Owen, John Pearson,
 The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Visiting Committee 29 Sep

"Committee visited the House, found all correct, and filled up Report book accordingly."

Education & Labour Committee

Committee inspected the schoolrooms, and found them very regular.

The Committee recommend that the schoolmaster be allowed some paper for the use of the boys; also one dozen of blocks.

The Committee find that the flax which was ordered, some time ago, has not been received by the Master.

There appear, by the Labour book, to be but eight men employed out of doors, one in the kitchen, and the Messenger."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were read and adopted as follow.

The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct and to correspond with Minute book, and

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likewise that they properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows -

Salaries
paid up

John Flusk, meat to 24 Sep. inclusive	13-7-1 ~
Thomas Harvey, bread 29 Sep. S ^d	12-7-11 ~
James Bell, potatoes to 29 Sep. inclusive	4-0-9
Micht. Pym, milk S ^d	14-11-8
Doctor Owen, salary to 29 Sep	34-5-10
Opileaus, Brothers, medicines	16-1-7
Rev. P. Pymott salary to 29 Sep	-17-8-4
W ^m J. Denton, bal of aut.	30-
Christ, Pearson, vac. room to 22 Sep.	4-0-
Postage	-1-8
Saml. Oelan, wine & groceries	2-6-8
M ^{rs} E. Doyle groceries	-8½
John Scott, tape & combs	2-17-
David Scott, salt	-15-2
Micht. Cullen, tobacco	-17-6
Micht. Pym, candles	1-0-
John Shaw, turf	1-3-
John W. Daniel, coffin 425 Gray	-5-0
W ^m Mills, ^{schoolmaster} bal. of salary to 29 Sep.	2-8-6
M ^{rs} Peabrey, schoolmistress S ^d	1-16-1
M ^{rs} Gordon, mountender S ^d	1-6-3
Richd. Stern, quarters salary	2-10-
John Barlow S ^d	2-
Thos. Pym, stones	-1-5
John Mordant, gravel	-1-
W ^m H. Miller sawpans 11/104/8	-12-8
Chas. Somerton, shoemaker to 1 Oct. incl.	4-5 £20-5-11
	<u>166-18-6</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Richd. Owen & Mr. Pearson.

A letter read from the poor Law Commissioners apprising of the transmission therewith of six copies of abstracts of accounts of the South Dublin Union. Another dated the 28th, relative to dietary of the paupers. Another, dated 29 Sep.

requiring copies of Vaccinators' contracts. and another conveying information in reference to the appointment of rate collector, and accompanied by their Order in reference thereto.

Mr. Webster, the collector, being in attendance, stated that he could find no solvent person willing to be a party to any bond having a warrant attached: whereupon it was resolved, on the motion of Captain Richard Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson, that, in consequence of the difficulty of the rate collector getting security to agree to sign a bond with warrant annexed, the Board, being satisfied with the solvency of Mr. Webster and his sureties, do dispense with the warrant attached to their bond, and do hereby appoint ^{Mr. Tho. Webster} ~~him~~ Collector of the whole Union, on the execution of the usual bond with a clause annexed that the whole of the rates be collected before the 10th of March 1843.

Rates to be collected before 10 March 1843

Mr. Webster and his sureties, Messrs Whitney and Ponder, were then called in, and the bond was perfected.

Ordered, that the Clerk do advertise for one ton of oaten straw,

Ordered, that the clerk do write to Mr. Birch of Thomas Street, for 1 cwt of second quality sacked flax, and $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt of hemp.

The Order check book was signed as follows.-

- Mr. Harvey 130 loaves of 4 lbs each
- Mr. Flusk 54 lbs meat
- Mr. Byrne 200 gallons of sweet milk
- 145 gallons buttermilk
- " 20 lbs mould sixes
- Mr. Doyle 6 dozen black lead

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The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
7 were admitted, viz - 2 men, 2, women & 3 children.
Two women rejected

The Provision receipt and consumption
accounts were laid before the board.

Provisions & necessaries rec^d amounted to 12-17-11¹/₄
Provisions and necessaries consumed 16-17-5¹/₄
on a collective number of 1144 days

Ordered that the next meeting of
this Board be held on Saturday next at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 166-10-1

Drafts drawn 166-10-1

Anthony Hairman

At an Ordinary meeting of guardians,
held in the Board room on Saturday the 8th
of October 1842, the Assist^t Commissioner present,
Guardians present, the Earl of Courtown, chairman
J. G. Richards, S. Richards Esq^r, Geo. Barber
Topsy Bolton, John Porbidge, Thomas Doyne,
Richard Wigginsbotham, Rich^d. Keegan, Paul Kenny,
Capt. Rich^d. Owen, John Pearson, Jas. Sheridan

The minutes of the preceding meeting
were read and confirmed.

The visiting Committee, on the 5th inst.,
"visited the House; found all correct; and filled up
Report book accordingly."

Education & Labour Committee 8 Oct. inst^t
present Mr. Richards Mr. Wigginsbotham, Mr. Kenny,

The Committee inspected the school rooms
and found them very regular.

"There appear, by the Labour book, to be
thirteen men employed out of doors: one in
the kitchen: the messenger; and one mending clothes

The Minutes of the Finance Committee, of this morning were adopted as follow

The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments: found them correct, and to correspond with with minute book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows

Petty Cash

Coach parcel & postage	- 4-11
Edw. Pearson, furniture	2-4-10
Michl. Poyne, bathen apparatus &c	- 7-10
John Cager, bar. room to 7th inst.	1-0-0
Chas. Tomerton, teacher & shoemaker	- 4-6
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	£3-19-1"

Draft drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Richd. Owen & Mr. Higginbotham

A letter, dated the 30th September, read from the poor Law Commissioners, accompanied by a form of Return to be filled up the Clerk, and re-submitted to them; and another, dated the 1st of October inst. on the subject of "liability of Constabulary barracks to poor rate," and accompanied by the opinion of the Law officers of the Crown, on that question.

The tender of Michael Poyne, to supply one ton of oaten straw at 1-15- was accepted.

Ordered that Mr. Beauman, Mr. Poyne, Capt. Richard Owen, and Mr. Higginbotham be especially summoned for Wednesday next at 12 o'clock.

Ordered that the clerk do write to Mr. Penrose to say that the Board having no evidence of any vaccination cases in the Coolgreeny district, do not consider it necessary to retain the room at the rent of £4 per annum

Mr. Penrose
New Station,
Coolgreeny,
Charged for
£4. to £2-10
the annum

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but that if Mr. Penrose be willing to give the use of a room for vaccination at the rate of £2/6 annum it will be accepted.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Thom for half a ream of school paper ruled in close lines, ~~and~~ half a ream wide lines, and a quart of common ink. And to Mr. Pounder, authorizing and directing him to collect from James Byrom, of Ballinvalley, 523 Monomotiv, rate on £42-15. instead of £48-15. and return the balance as arrears.

Ja^s Byrom
Ballinvalley
Monomotiv

Ordered that the clerk do advertise, by hand-bill, for 50 pair of shoes to suit children from 3 to 15 years old.

The Order Check book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 120 loaves of 4 lbs each

Mr. Fluck 58 lbs of meat

Mr. Byrom 200 gallons of sweet milk

100 gallons of buttermilk

Miss M Daniel 4 hundred of sewing needles

2 gross of shirt studs

1 dozen of spools of marking cotton

The Board proceeded to admit paupers. 10 were admitted, viz - 3 men, 3 women, and 4 children. None rejected

The Provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries } 12-18-11 } 14-1-11
received amounted to } 7-3- }

Provisions and necessaries } 12-7-7½ } 16-17-11
consumed. } 4-10-3½ }

On a collective number of 1178 days viz - 840 ending 29th Sept, and 338 ending 1st Oct 1842

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Ordered that the next meeting of this Board
be held on Saturday next at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day £ 3-19-1

Drafts drawn 3-19-1

Anthony Chairman

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians
held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 15th
of October 1842, the Assis. Commissioner present,
Guardians present, The Earl of Courtown Chairman,
Rob. Joyce, Doct. Blake, Henry Brownrigg,
Thos. Doyle, Chas. Ed. Joyce, Rich. Earl, Mead.
Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, John Hollingsworth,
Paul Kenny, John Laffin, Capt. Rich. Owen
Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting
were read and confirmed.

Report of the Visiting Committee read
as follows.

Committee visited the House: found
all correct; and filled up Report book
accordingly.

The Committee, specially appointed
to survey the unseizable stores, having laid
before the Board a report containing a
list of the articles surveyed, and a statement
of the disposal thereof, as set forth in Com-
mittee's minutes of the 10th inst. the same was
approved of and adopted by the Board.

The minutes of the Finance Com-
mittee of this morning were likewise
adopted as follow.

The Board
approve of
Report of
Committee
appointed to
survey stores

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"The Committee examined vouchers for for last week's payments: found them correct and to correspond with Minute book, and likewise that that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows.

Thos. Harvey, bread to this date inclu.	8-17-1	
John Doyle, soap & lead	2	3-15-
Petty Cash		
Postage	-	- 1-2
Mich. Bynm, straw	1-15-	
Paup. Redmond, vac. room	1-10-	
John Thomas, freestone & bricks	17-10	
Chas. Somerton, shoemaker	4-5	4-8-6
		<u>£ 17-1-7</u>

Committee examined Mr. Fayles account from which it appears that £433-15-5 has been collected on his district, leaving a balance of £25-18-1 still due, - viz £8-13-1 on Ballyellis, and £17-5- on Carnolien."

Prafts drawn as recommended by Committee, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rich. Owen, and W. Woodroffe.

Read, an order of the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing date the 29th September 1842 and forwarded by post the 10th inst, relative to the annual appointment of ex officio guardians.

A letter read from the same, directing the attention of the Guardians to the subject of the renewal of vaccination contracts. Whereupon the Clerk was instructed to

Vaccinators' contracts

those vaccinators, the term of whose contract has expired, to come in and renew them.

Tenders for the supply of shoes to fit children from three to fifteen years old were read from the following persons:—

Thomas Sharpe

"to make 50 pair of children's shoes between the ages of three and fifteen years at $\frac{3}{4}$ p. pair."

Michael Bynne

"to supply 50 pair of children's shoes such as sample," therewith sent, to fit children from 3 to 15 years old, for $\frac{2}{3}$ p. pair."

Mr. Bynne's tender accepted.

Michael Bynne
contractor for
50 pair of child-
ren's shoes

Lamps
Mr. Daniel

Clerk directed to write to Mr. Thom for 100 notices of rate made, and to post them forthwith. Likewise to Mr. Daniel of Mary Street Dublin, for one dining hall lamp, and one to be hung to the wall: both for candles: price of each to be stated.

Clerk also directed to advertise, by handbill, for two tons of oaten straw, and for cup potatoes from 1st of November to 1st of December.

Joseph Bedloe

Ordered that Joseph Bedloe N.º 487 be taken from the electoral division of Rosminogher and placed on the Union at Large.

The warrants for collecting the rates were signed by the Chairman and two of the Guardians.

John Henry Newman

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The Order Check book was signed as follows-

Mr. Harvey 120 loaves of 4 lbs each
 Mr. Flusk 50 lbs of meat
 Mr. Bynne 200 gallons of sweet milk
 150 gallons buttermilk
 Mr. P. Scott 1 Cwt of salt
 Mr. Celan 1 bottle of wine
 Mr. Bynne 35 sets of wire knitting needles
 Mr. Bynne 50 pair of shoes to fit children
 - dress from 3 to 15 years

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
 One man was admitted. One woman rejected

The provision Receipt & Consumption
 accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received amounted to	}	21-15-11½
Provisions & necessaries consumed		

On a collective number of 1204 days

Ordered that the next meeting of
 this Board be held on Saturday next at
 12 o'clock

Money paid this day	17-1-7
Drafts drawn	17-1-7

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 22nd of October 1842, The Epist. Commissioner present,

Guardians present, the Earl of Courtown, Chairman Col. Owen, J. Richards Esq., Fopey, Bolton, Richd. Carle, Michl. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, John Hollingsworth, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson,

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read & confirmed.

Visiting Committee 19 Oct. 1842.

Committee visited the House, found all correct, and filled up Report Book accordingly.

Education & Labour Committee 22 Oct. 1842

Committee examined the work done during the ^{past} week. Twelve men employed breaking stones, preparing the women's yard, and cutting down the ditch in front of the building: three men employed in house work; and remainder of men, seventeen in number, infirm and unable to work. Seventeen women employed in house work of various kinds.

The Committee have to report that there is no work for the boys that were placed under the Tailor and Master tailor and Master shoemaker. The Shoemaker. Matron states that there is a sufficiency of Committee report want of employment for clothes in store, so that Committee cannot recommend an additional quantity being made.

The Committee beg for the instructions of the Board how to act.

The Committee beg to recommend that small waistcoats of Barracoe and coarse calico be made for the boys

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The Committee beg to report that there is a large quantity of thread, 60 dozen, now in the Matron's possession, and she has suggested ~~that~~ to Committee to have it wove into sheeting, which the Committee recommend. It is necessary that something be done with it; otherwise it will be injured."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were likewise adopted as follow.

Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct and to correspond with minute book; and likewise that they were properly posted

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment, as follows

Rev. J. Corvan, chapel requisites	9-17-8
Petty Cash, stamps, parcel & postage	3-9
Miss M. Daniel studs, spools & needles	8-8
Edw. Doyle, knitting needles	-9
<i>Prosecuting a woman</i>	<u>1-0-0</u>
	<u>1-13-2</u>

Mr. Tho. Webster's appointment approved of by Commissioners

A letter read from the poor Law Commissioners approving of the appointment of Mr. Webster as Collector for the whole Union and stating that they "did not object to a bond being taken by the Guardians, without a warrant attached."

Tenders for the supply of two tons of water straw were read from

Tho. Cypre 1-10-0 per ton.

Myles Doran 1-6-6 per ton.

Mr. Doran's tender accepted.

The Clerk directed to advertise, by handbill, for tenders to supply 100 yards of market flannel.

The Doctor reported the death, on the 17th inst., of Sarah Field, N^o. 405, Govey electoral division.

Ordered that £20, on acc^t, be paid to Mr. Joseph M^r Daniel, contractor for the front wall and stable.

Ordered that one pound be paid for expenses of prosecution of a woman for deserting her child.

The ~~provision~~ ^{Order} Cheek Book was signed as follows.

Thos^r Harvey 90 loaves of 4 lbs each

John Fleck 58 lbs of meat

Mich^r Bynm 150 gallons of sweet milk
100 gallons of buttermilk

John Redmond 1 ton of oatmeal

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

12 were admitted viz - 1 man, 5 women, and 6 children. 2 women rejected.*

The provision Rec^t & Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & keeperies received 16-5-9 $\frac{1}{4}$

Provisions & keeperies consumed 17-17-2 $\frac{3}{4}$

On a collective number of 1204 days

The treasurer's weekly account shows a balance of 152-18-8 to the debit of the Union.

Ordered that the nexting of this Board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 31-10-8

Drafts drawn 31-10-8 signed

by the Chairman, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, and Solomon Richards Esq^r.

Joseph Sables
chargeable to his
father a pensioner

* The Board admitted Joseph Sables, aged ten years, as being destitute. It appearing that his father Joseph Sables sen^r, is a tailor, ^{is living} at Wexford, and is a pensioner at one shilling per day, for the loss of a leg, and has but one

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Paymaster General,
-sal, to be
written to
respecting
Joseph Sable's
pension

other child to support; it was ordered that a copy of this minute be sent, under the 50th Section of the Irish Poor Relief act, to her Majesty's Paymaster General, in order that the Guardians may be reimbursed the cost of the child's maintenance, from the father's pension.

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 29th of October 1842, the Agent Commissioner absent, present, The Earl of Countown, Chairman, Sir Tho. Esmond Bart; Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, J. G. Richards, Fanny Bolton, John Proby, John Hollingsworth, John W. Laughlin, James Sheridan, Doctor Blake

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read & confirmed

Visiting Committee 20 Oct. 1842

Committee visited the House: have to report that the measles have broken out among the children, eleven of whom are in the Infirmary.

The Committee found all regular throughout the House, and filled up Report book accordingly.

Labour & Education Committee 29 Oct. 1842

"The Committee have to report that the schoolmistress, and several of the children of the female school, have the measles. The usual school work has not therefore been proceeded with.

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Committee recommend that an iron grada screen be provided for the male and female schools.

The yards and other work are proceeding with as usual."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were adopted as follow

"Committee examined vouchers for last weeks payments: found correct and to correspond with minute book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows

John Redmond ton of oatmeal	15-0-0	
Petty Cash		
Postage of parcel to Commissioners - 10		
Myles Poran, 2 tons of straw -	2-13-	2-13-10
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		£17-13-10

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Col. Owen & J. J. Richards Esq.

A letter read from the Poor Law Commisrs. calling the Clerk's attention to the 4th Section of the Vaccination Act, and desiring that the Medical Officer of the Workhouse be forthwith required to enter into a contract for the Workhouse District."

Tenders, accompanied by samples, were read from the following persons, viz-

John Redmond	£11-per ton, for 6 mos. or £12. for 12 mos
Henry Furney	£11-
Pown, Brothers	10-9-6 for 6 mos, or 11-17-6 for 12

W. Furney's tender accepted on condition that the contract be made for twelve months.

H. Furney
conditional cont^s
for oatmeal

29 Oct. 1841

Tenders to supply 100 yards of Flannel were read from the following persons.

James Dunn, John Redmond, Messrs Cranwell, Wm Geo. Johnston, B. Carter, John Doyle, Mary Doyle.

Mr. Dunn's tender to supply 100 yards of flannel, same as pattern, for $10\frac{1}{2}$ per yard accepted

Ordered that the Clerk do advertisement for cash potatoes, for one month from 8 Nov.; and for milk for one year from January 1843.

The order Check book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey	90 loaves of 4 lbs each
Mr. Flusk	54 lbs of meat
Mr. Pryor	150 gallons sweet milk
	100 gallons buttermilk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.

5 were admitted, viz. 1 man & 4 women

1 man and 1 child rejected

Provision Receipt & Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received amounted to - - -

12-17-9

Provisions & necessaries consumed

18-9-4 $\frac{1}{2}$

On a collective number of 1188 days

The treasurers weekly acct. shews a balance of £173.5.5 to the debit of the union.

Ordered that the next meeting of this be on Saturday the 5th October next at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day	17-13-10
Profits drawn	17-13-10

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 5th Nov. 1842, the Asst. Commissioner present; Guardians present, The Earl of Courtown, Chairman,

Capt. Robt. Owen, S. Richards Esq; Col. Owen, Geo. Barker, Doctor Blake, Richd. Earl, Edward Fitzsimons, John Hollingsworth, John Laffin, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson, Abel Woodroffe,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee 2 November were read as follow.

"Committee visited the House; found all, throughout, clean and correct, and filled up Report book accordingly.

Committee have to report that measles is still in the House; the children however are growing better."

Labour & Education Committee, 5 Nov. 1842

The men and women continue to be employed as in last week's report.

Committee inspected the work, and find it satisfactorily done.

The schools are proceeding to the satisfaction of the Committee. The school mistreps and several of the children have returned to the school, recovered from the measles."

The minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were adopted as follow.

"Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments: found them correct, and to correspond with Minute book, and likewise that they were properly posted.

5 Nov. 1842

Committee examined bills for present week and recommend their payment, as follows. -

Mrs. Tynon 50 pair children's shoes 6-13-4	
Petty Cash	
Carrier dft book, school requisites 06-1-3	
W ^m Sheehan, horse work	- 18-
Martin Dunn, intern ^t . Judy Keily, 413 things 3-	1-2-8
	<u>£ 7-15-0</u>

Passts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rich^d. Owen & W^m. Woodroop.

W^m. Furney

declines contract to enter into contract to supply oatmeal at £11- for oatmeal.

A letter read from W^m. Furney, declining to enter into contract to supply oatmeal at £11- per ton for twelve months: whereupon it was

W^m. Redmond declared contractor, on condition of

resolved, on the motion of Capt. Rich^d. Owen, seconded by W^m. Woodroop, that W^m. Redmond may have the contract on the condition that he supply oatmeal, as good as the sample, at £11- per ton for the first six months, and £12- per ton the six months next ensuing.

W^m. Harvey

resigns contract for offal.

A letter read from W^m. Harvey, resigning his contract for offal.

Clerk directed to advertise ^{handwritten, inviting tenders to} contract for offal, for six ~~six~~ months from 19 Nov. 1842.

Letter read from W^m. Ponder, requesting that the Board do not proceed against him.

Tenders, to supply carp potatoes, read from -

W^m. Pearson to supply 35 bbls potatoes at 5/0 -

Thos. Murphy -	5-2	} 1/2 barrel of 24 stow
Edw. Pearson	5-0	

W^m. Pearson's tender accepted, to supply thirty five barrels.

Schoolmistress's room

Ordered, that W^m. W^m. Daniel do the necessary works to the schoolmistress's room, at the sum proposed, - viz. £2-15-6.

5 Nov. 1842

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The Doctor reported the death, on the 2nd inst., of Judy Keily 413 Wingfield.

The Order Check book was signed as follows.

W. Harvey 90 loaves of 4 lbs each

W. Flusk 53 lbs meat meat

W. Byrom 120 Gallons sweet milk

W. Byrom 20 lbs mould candles

W. Poyh 2 stone soda & 2 cwt of soap

The Board proceeded to admit paupers

11 were admitted viz. 4 men, 6 women & 1 child. None rejected. 2 permitted to go out on pass, returned.

The provision Acct. & consumption accounts were laid before the board.

Provisions & necessaries received amounted to

25-3-4½

Provisions & necessaries consumed

13-7-0¼

On a collective number of 1245 days

The Treasurer's weekly account shows a balance of £230-18-3 to the debit of the Union.

Ordered that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 12th inst., at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 7-10-

Prafts drawn 7-10-

Application put in from W. M. Daniel for £50. on acct. of wall and stables. Consideration postponed until next board day.

Porter, clothes

Master writing desk

Infirmaries

coal boxes

Fender, accepted

J. M. Daniel

paving stables

Application put in from the porter for a suit of clothes. Working Committee directed to supply desk & stand for Master, and eight small wooden coal boxes for Infirmaries. Fender read from W. M. Daniel for paving stables, at £3-15-, accepted

12 Nov. 1842

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 12th of November 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present, The Earl of Ountown, Chairman, Robt. Doyle Esq., Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen ^{Blannon}, Geo. Barker, Doct^r Blake, John Borbridge, Mich^d. Finn, Edw. Fitzsimons, George Glascott, Rich^d. Higginbotham, Paul. Kenny, John Laffin, John W. Laughlin, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, John Pearson, James Sheridan, Luke Smith,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Visiting Committee, 9 Nov 1842

"The Committee went through the House: found all to their satisfaction, and filled up Report book accordingly.

Measles still in the House. No other infectious disease."

Education & Labour Committee, 12 Nov. 1842.

"The men & women continue to be employed as in former weeks. Examined the work, and find it satisfactory down.

The schools have been visited: they are proceeding to the satisfaction of the Committee."

The minutes of the Finance Committee were read and adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments, and found them correct; corresponding with Minute book, and properly posted.

Committee recommended the following bills for payment.

Thos. Hervey bread, to this date, inclusive, 13-15-3
 Jas. Dunn, 100 yards flannel 4-7-5
 Petty Cash

Cash parcel & postage	-1-5	
Wm. Johnston, barracan	1-0-0	
Wm. Sheehan, horse work	-8-	
Edw. Doyle, ink stands, for schools	-1-5	1-10-11
		<u>£19-14-8"</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the
 Chairman, Capt. Richd. Owen, & Capt. Robt. Owen.

Mr. Redmond
 Contractor
 for oatmeal

A letter read from Mr. Redmond, dated
 8 Nov. 1842, agreeing to "take the contract for
 oatmeal at eleven pounds per ton, for the first
 six months, and at twelve pounds per ton,
 for the six months next ensuing."

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to the
 Poor Law Commissioners, informing them
 that Mr. W. Daniel has completed that
 part of his contract of the 23rd August
 1842, by which he was bound to build
 stables; and requesting that they will
 take such steps as may be necessary, in
 order that the contractor may be paid.

Ordered that the clerk do write to Doctor
 Atkins, stating that it has been reported that
 he has not attended, at Coolgreney, for vacci-
 nation; and requesting that he will explain.

Clerk directed to advertise, by handbill, for
 tenders to supply milk from 1st January
 to 1st July 1843. Tenders to be sent in on, or
 before, the 25th inst.

An application read from the school-
 master, requesting that his room may be
 ceiled &c, in a similar manner to that of
 the schoolmistress. Ordered, expense
 not to exceed £1-12-6

12 Nov. 1842

The Order check book was signed as follows
 Mr. Harvey 130 loaves of 4 lbs each
 Mr. Fleish 53 lbs meet of meat
 Mr. Byron 150 gallons of sweet milk
 130 gallons buttermilk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
 4 were admitted viz. 1 man, 2 women, and
 1 child. None rejected

The provision Receipt and consumption
 amounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received
 amounted to 11-14-9 $\frac{3}{4}$

Provisions & necessaries consumed 18-16-2 $\frac{1}{2}$

On a collective number of 1260 days

The treasurer's weekly account
 shows a balance of £224-2-9 to the debit
 of the Union.

Ordered, that the next meeting of this
 board be held on Saturday the 19th inst.
 at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 19-14-8

Receipts drawn 19-14-8

Doctors Owen and Newbold attested, and
 perfected their Vaccination contracts for
 the ensuing year

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room on Saturday the 19th of Nov. 1842 the Asst. Commissioner absent,
 present The Earl of Courtown, Chairman,
 John Porbidge, Misch. Firm, Edw. Fitzsimons

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read & confirmed

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were read and confirmed & adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct, corresponding with minute book, and properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows

Misch. Byrne, milk to 5 Nov. inclu.	28-11-3
Claud Birch, flax & hemp	5-19-8
Misch. Byrne, potatoes	8-18-1
John Doyle 2 Cwt of soap & 2 ston soda	3-19-4
Joseph W. Daniel, raising stable wall and laying frontage drain	9-5-
Joseph W. Daniel, tiling, plastering &c	7-14-9
	<u>84-8-1</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, W. Fitzsimons and W. Porbidge.

A letter read from Peter Atkins denying charge of non-attendance, and stating that he had vaccinated 24. Clerk directed to write to him requesting that he will send in his book before next board day.

Tender of Thomas Harvey, for offal, at seven pence per week, rejected

Ordered that the collector be directed to levy rate on Widow Anne Kavanagh, Kilenearan, Joney 1113, on 19-10-0, and to return the difference between ^{the rate on} that sum and ~~rate~~ on 29-10-0. as an ~~excess~~ ^{excess}. The Order Book was signed as follows

- W. Harvey 150 loaves 4 lbs each
- W. Flusk 82 lbs meat
- W. Ryan 200 gallons sweet milk
100 gallons of buttermilk
- W. D. Scott 1 Cwt of salt

The Board proceeded to admit paupers 7 were admitted, viz - 4 men, 2 women, and 1 child. 2 men & 2 women were rejected 1 man, 3 women and 2 children out on pass returned.

The provision Receipt & Consumption accounts were laid before the Board

Provisions & necessaries received	amounted to	-	-	22-2-3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Provisions & necessaries consumed				20-1-3 $\frac{1}{2}$

On a collective number of 1308 days
The treasurer's weekly account shews a balance of 93-15-9 to the debit of the Union

Ordered that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday the 25th inst at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day	54-5-1
Drafts drawn	54-5-1

At an ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 25th Nov. 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present.

The Earl of Countown Chairman

Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, J. F. Richards, S. Richards
Geo. Becker, Fossey Bolton, Tho. Doyle, Michl. Finn
John Hollingsworth, Paul Kenny, John Laffin
John Middleton, Capt. Richd. Owen, Luke Smith.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The Minutes of the Visiting Committee were read as follow.

"The Committee visited the House: found all correct and to their satisfaction; and filled up Report Book accordingly.

Measles still in the House."

Education and Labour Committee

25 November 1842

"The Committee visited the schools; found them regular

The men and women employed as last week."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were read and confirmed adopted as follow

"The committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; found them correct, corresponding with Minute Book and properly posted

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows. -

26 Nov. 1842

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows. -

Edw. Pearson, potatoes 35 lbs	8-15-
Thos. Harvey, bread to 26 Nov. incl.	9-18-4
Wm. Slater, salary to 29 Sep	12-10-
Michl. Byrne, milk to 19 Nov. incl.	22-4-2
Petty Cash	
Coach parcel & postage	-3-7
Michl. Byrne, candles	1-0-8
Mrs. Doyle, thread & worsted	-8-0
Wm. Geo. Johnston, studs	-9
Patrick O'Neill, repairing baskets	1-0-0
Edw. Cole, teacher tailor to 25 inst. incl.	12-0
Thos. Hollingsworth, Carriage	-3-0
Thos. Payne, stones	-0-10
Kildare Plain Society, stationery	-12-11
Edw. Pearson, Carpentry &c	-17-11
John Stanford stones	-1-3
Martin Dunn interment	23-0
Harriet Abbey 2 Courtyards	£5-17-5
	<u>£59-4-11</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Richd. Owen, and W. Bolton.

£80. paid to Mr. McDaniel on acct. of stables

A letter, dated the 23rd inst., read from the poor Law Commissioners, approving the Board that "£80 had been paid to Mr. McDaniel on acct. of building the stables," and desiring "that the Clerk would state whether any and what sums had been paid, by the Guardians on that acct."

335 £, first instalment of Loan demanded

A letter, dated the 21st inst., read from the Public Works Loan Office, informing the Board "that the first instalment, £335-, in repayment of loan of £6,700, will be

due on the 21st of next month, and requesting that the amount be paid, on or before that day, into the Bank of Ireland, to the credit of the Bank of England, on account of the Commissioners for the Issue of Loans for public Works and Fisheries &c."

A letter read from Mr. Daniel, desiring to know the result of his tender, to ^{furnish} supply lamps.

Clerk directed to write to him, requesting that he will furnish his account for the two lamps sent. Clerk further directed to advertise, by hand-bill, for tenders to supply one large lamp, and eleven small ones, agreeable to patterns to be seen in the Board room. Tenders to be sent in on, or before, the 2nd of December next.

Clerk likewise directed to advertise for cup potatoes, for three, six, or nine months from 5 Decr. Tenders to be sent in on, or before, the 2nd of December next. Likewise for tenders to supply milk, and also for tenders to supply bread, each for six or twelve months from 1 January 1843, tenders on or before the 2nd Decr. next.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Mr. Webster to attend, with his books, on Saturday next at eleven o'clock, and to inform him that he is directed by the Board to levy rate on N.° 33 Rosminogue, on 10½ acres, in lieu of 23 acres.

Offal
Mr. Harvey
contractor

The Clerk directed to acquaint Mr. Harvey that he may have the offal at the tender for, viz. seven pence per week, for "an indefinite time."

Alvin Byrne
brought to Petty
sessions

Ordered that the Matron do bring Alvin
Byrne N.º 209 to Petty Sessions, on Friday next,
on a charge of insubordination.

Labouring
Gardeners
hired

Resolved that the Labour Committee be
empowered to hire two men as labouring gardeners,
at not exceeding one shilling per diem, for a
month, to direct and assist the paupers able to
work out of doors, in laying out the grounds of
the workhouse, and making the fence.

The Doctor reported the death on the
21st inst., of Martin Whelan N.º 478, Union
at Large; and the death, on 23rd inst., of
Harriet Abbey, N.º 2, Courtown.

The Order Check book was signed as
follows.

Mr. Harvey 500 lbs of bread

Mr. Flusk 51 lbs of meat

Mr. Byrne 120 gallons of buttermilk

220 gallons of sweet milk

Mr. Byrne 20 lbs dipped rights

Mr. Miller 50 lbs whitening

2 lbs lamp Wick

4 pints sweet oil

Mr. O'Leary 1 bottle of wine, sacrament

The Board proceeded to admit paupers.
14 were admitted, viz. - 3 men, 8 women,
and 5 children. 2 women rejected.
and 5 children

The provision Receipt and Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries
received amounted to

11-11-4 $\frac{3}{4}$

Provisions & necessaries consumed 19-19-3

On a collective number of 1310 days

The treasurer's weekly account shows a balance of £47-17-0 to the credit of the Union.

It appears that £323. of the new rate has been paid in to the treasurer, up to the 25 inst, inclusive.

Ordered that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday the 3rd December next, at twelve o'clock.

Money paid this day 59 - 4 - 11
 Prepts drawn 59 - 4 - 11

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Board room, on Saturday the 3rd of December 1842, the Assist. Commiss. present, Guardians present, The Earl of Ountoun, Chairman, Colonel Owen, Solomon Richards Esq. Geo. Barker, Doctor Blake, Fossey, Bolton, Henry Brownrigg, Richd. Carl, Richard Higginbotham John Hollingsworth Richd. Keegan, David Kenny, John W. Laughlin Capt. Richd. Owen, John Pearson Jr. The Chairman

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

Minutes of the Visiting Committee, 30 Nov. 1842 read & adopted as follows. "The Committee visited the House. Found all correct. Very few cases of measles. No other dangerous sickness. House clean, with exception of Dining Hall table, which had not been properly washed.

Committee filled up Report Book."

Education & Labour Committee, 3 Dec. 1842

"The Committee examined the schools, and found all correct.

3 Dec. 1842

The Committee have got a pattern perch ready, on which they wish for the opinion of the Board.

The Committee recommend that the remainder of the fence on that side be made by a contract to be entered into with them.

The Minutes of the Finance Committee, of this morning, were read and adopted as follow.

The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments: found them correct, corresponding with Minute book and properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows.

Petty Cash	
Portage and post office order	1-0
Edw. Pearson, carpentry, to 1st. incl. 1-4-4	
Martin Purn, internat. Susan Talbot 370 Bldg	3-0
L. Hannah Pearson, Grey	3-
Wm. Sheehan, horse work to 3 Dec. incl. -10-	
Edw. Cole, tailor, to 3 Dec. inclusive	4-2
	<u>£ 2.5.6</u>

Draft drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rich^d. Owen & Mr. Pearson.

Draft signed by the Chairman, Col. Owen and Mr. Richards, in favour of the clerk; drawn for £10- to pay petty expenses of work, in improvements &c, on Workhouse grounds

Mr. Webster attended with his books, which were found to correspond with treasurer's return, and by which it appears that he has lodged £543-18-7 of the new rate.

Tenders read as follow.

Bread

Mr. Harvey six months at $8\frac{3}{4}$ } 2 loaf of 4 lbs
 twelve months at $6\frac{1}{2}$ }
 Mr. Fowler 3 or 6 months at $8\frac{3}{4}$ }
 9 month at 7 }
 Mr. Carle, "either yearly } 8
 or half yearly," at }
 Mr. Pyron, 6 months, at 7 } 8

Mr. Carle contractor for bread

Mr. Carle's tender accepted, for twelve months from 1 January 1843

John Flusk contractor for meat

Meat

Mr. Flusk, 12 months at $4\frac{1}{2}$ p lb. Rejected.

Mich. Pyron contractor for milk

Milk

Mr. Pyron, sweet milk 8 }
 buttermilk 3 } 2 Imperial gallon
 for 12 months from 1 Jan. 1843. Accepted

The Doctor reported, reported the death, on the 28th of November, of Lough Doyle 440 Gorey, and Susan Talbot 370 Coolgreney, and, on the 1st inst, of Hannah Benson 411 Gorey.

Resolved that the collector be directed to collect rate on nos 244 & 245, Ballyminion Wells, ten shillings the house and twenty-one shillings the land, amounting to nine pounds, instead of ten guineas, as erroneously entered in the rate books

244 & 245
 Ballyminion
 Wells

3 Dec. 1842

Salary
Schoolmistress

Colonel Owen gave notice of a motion that, on Saturday next he would move for an increase of salary to the schoolmistress.

Ordered that Mary Freeman, 517 Killyellis, and her two children, be transferred from that electoral division to the Union at Large.

The Clerk directed to advertise by hand bill for tenders to make a ditch round the Workhouse grounds, similar to perch made.

Resolved, on the motion of Mr. Richards, seconded by Mr. Pearson,

That it is the opinion of this Board that, in order to maintain the valuation of the Union in a correct state, that rates may be fairly and equitably made upon the several rateable hereditaments ^{wisely} ~~of the~~ it from time to time, as required by Law; and that new properties may be rated, and changes of occupation, or in other particulars duly notified, it is desirable that the Guardians should appoint a competent person, as permanent valuator, at a small annual salary, to whom all such questions should be referred; and that the sanction of the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to their making this appointment

The Order Book was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey	500 lbs of bread
Mr. Flusk	79 lbs of meat
Mr. Byron	480 pints of buttermilk
	1750 pints of sweet milk
Mr. Raymond	1 ton of oatmeal
Mr. Miller	12 sweeping brushes
	12 scrubbing brushes
	12 mops
	2 Carpet twigs
	24 brooms

Permanent
Valuator,
to be appointed

3 Dec. 1842

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The Board proceeded to admit paupers
13 were admitted, viz. - 2 men, 5 women and
6 children. 3 women & 4 children rejected.

The Provision Receipt and Consumption acc^{ts}
were laid before the Board.

Provisions and necessaries received
amounted to 13-13-5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Provisions & necessaries consumed 20-1-7 $\frac{1}{2}$
On a collective number of 1291 days

The treasurer's weekly account shews a
balance of £221-8-11 to the credit of the Union.

Ordered, that the next meeting of
this board be held on Saturday the 10th
inst, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 2-5-0
Drafts drawn 12-5-0

10 Dec. 1842

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 10th of December 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present, Guardians present, The Earl of Cuntown, Chairman, Rob. Doyne Esq., Doct^r Blake, Pusey Bolton, Mich^d. Finn, Rich^d. Keegan, Paul Kenny, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, John Pearson, Jas. Sheridan, The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, of the 7th inst. were read and adopted as follow.

"The Committee visited the House, found it clean, the inmates regular, and every thing satisfactory.

The Committee have directed a small chain to be fixed to the guard of the fire place in the Female Dist^r Ward.

Committee have also directed one of the down ^{water} pipes to be unscrewed and cleaned, being choked with dirt and leaves."

The minutes of the Education and Labour Committee of this date were adopted as follow.

The Committee have looked over the proposals sent in for making the ditch between the road and Charlotte's Grove, on the North side, and find that of Andrew Sheehan to be the most reasonable, viz. - 11½ p^{er} perch: and, as he is a good workman well recommended as a good workman, they submit his proposal for acceptance.

The schools and work visited, and found satisfactory."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee were adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments, and found them correct, corresponding with Minute Book, and properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows

A. Thom, stationery & books	9-13-7
John Redmond, ton of oatmeal	11-
Thos. Harvey, bread to this date inclusive	10-12-0
Petty Cash	
Postage & letter stamps	5-3
Wm. Daniel, lamps	1-9-
Wm. Sheehan, horse work to this date inclusive	12-
Sam. Colclough, carpet twigs	1-
John Thomas, brooms	2-
Saml. Stringer, repairing pump	9-0
Thos. Cotton, chimney cleaner	
quarter's salary due 1st inst.	1-0-0
	£ 3-18-9
	<u>£ 35-4-10</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen and Doctor Blake.

A letter, dated the 8th inst., read from the Poor Law Commissioners, respecting Landlords' and tenants' rates, in rate books, and requiring the Clerk's immediate reply. Another, dated the 9th inst., containing a series of queries relative to Insurance; and another accompanied by a Tabular Form to be filled up by the Clerk.

Tenders read as follow.

Potatoes

J. Hollingsworth
contractor
potatoes

John Hollingsworth, to supply cup potatoes at five shillings per barrel, of 24 stone, for five months, and black apples at six shillings per barrel for the three months next ensuing.

Accepted, provided the potatoes "meet with the approval of the Board, and that the contractor be bound to replace any that may be objected to, and to deliver them in such quantities as the Board may require."

Lamps

J. M. Daniel
contractor
lamps

John M. Daniel
"1 large lamp, glazed complete - 15-0
11 small S. S. 3-5-

To be, in every respect, stronger and better finished than the patterns."

Michl. Cassidy

1 large lamp, glazed, painted &c £1-10-
11 small lamps at 15/0 each

M. M. Daniel's tender accepted.

Pitch Genee

And. Shehan
contractor
ditch

Andrew Shehan	- 11 1/2	} per perch of twents one feet
John Quin	- 1-1	
John M. Daniel	2-7	
John Parry		
Patrick Connors	- 1-2	
Wm. Witten		
Patk. Parry		

Andrew Shehan's tender accepted.

Resolved on the motion of Colonel Owen, seconded by Mr. Pearson.

Salary of Schoolmistress raised

That the salary of the schoolmistress be at the rate of fourteen pounds p annum, from the last quarter to which she has been paid up.

The Board have come to this resolution in consequence of the very efficient m in which the schoolmistress has conducted the business of her department, since her appointment.

Commissioners requested to pay Mr. McDaniel bal. of acct. for front wall gates & stable

Resolved that the Clerk do write to the Commissioners to report that the whole of Mr. McDaniel's contract for the front wall, gates and stables has been completed; and to request that the necessary steps be taken for the payment of the balance due to the contractor; twenty pounds having been advanced by the Guardians.

Refractory Wards to be paved

Resolved, that the Visiting Committee be requested to order the Refractory Wards to be flagged.

The Order Check book was signed as follows

Mr. Harvey 520 lbs of bread

Mr. Flusk 56 lbs meat

Mr. Byrn 950 pints of buttermilk

1500 pints of sweet milk

Mr. Byrn 20 lbs mould sixes

20 lbs dipt eights

Mr. Poyne 224 lbs of soap

Mr. Johnston 2 stone coarse, grey worsted

The Board proceeded to admit paupers. 7 were admitted viz. - 1 man, 3 women, and 3 children. 1 woman rejected. 1 girl, under 15, out on pass, returned.

10 Dec. 1842

The provision Receipt and Consumption
amounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and Newspapers }
received amounted to } - - - - 15-17-9½

Provisions and Newspapers consumed 19-15-9½

On a collective number of 1288 days

The treasurer's weekly amount shows a balance
of £276-18-3 to the credit of the Union.

Ordered that the next meeting of
this board be held on Saturday the 17th
inst., at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 35-4-10

Profits drawn 35-4-10

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 17th Decr 1842, the Assist. Commissioner present; Guardians present, The Earl of Coniston, Chairman.

Capt. Robt. Owen, Col. Owen, J. G. Richards
Solomon Richards, Doctor, Blake, Fossey, Bolton
John Porbiage, Richd. Carr, Michl. Firm, Edw.
Fitzsimons, Richd. Higginbotham, John Hollings-
worth, Paul. Kenny, John W. Langlin, Captain
Richd. Owen, John Pearson, James Sheridan,
Abel Woodroffe.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee read as follow.

"Committee went through the House, and found all to their satisfaction.

No infectious disease.

Committee filled up Report Book."

Sanitation & Labour Committee, 17 Decr 1842

"Committee inspected the work; found the men & women usefully employed.

Committee visited the schools, and found all to their satisfaction."

Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning adopted as follow.

"Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments; and found them correct; corresponding with Minute Book, and properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommend their payment as follows.

W ^m Page, printing	2-12-	
John Pope 2 cwt soap	3-10-	
Joseph W Daniel, paving of flagging	4-17-8	
Exchequer Loan Commis ^{rs} , first instalmt	335-0-0	
Petty Cash		
Coach panel, Thos	3	
John Thomas, freestone	1-2-8	
John Dunn, shawl	3-4	1-0-8
		<u>347-0-2</u>

Drafts drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Rob^t Owen & W^m Pearson.

Permanent Reviser of rates
 Salary £25.00
 Annnum
 Advertised
 Duties of

A letter dated the 15th inst, read from the Poor Law Commissioners, approving of the Board's appointment of a permanent reviser of the Valuation; whereupon it was resolved, on the motion of Col. Owen, seconded by W^m Pearson, that the salary of the Reviser be twenty five pounds p^a annum, and that the Clerk be directed to insert an advertisement in the Wexford Newspapers, and to post handbills inviting tenders from competent persons to be considered, at a meeting of the Board, on Saturday the 7th of January 1843. The duties of the officer appointed, as defined by the Order of the Poor Law Commissioners, may be known on application to the Clerk.

John Flusk,
 contractor
 for meat
 at 4 p^a lb

The tender of John Flusk to supply the Union workhouse with ^{good} meat, at four pence p^a lb, for one year from the first of January 1843, was accepted

Pier at each
end of wall

A letter read from Mr. Joseph M^r Daniel, offering to build a pier at each end of front wall, adjoining the ditch fence, for 4-15-6. Not approved of.

Meat on
Christmas day

Resolved unanimously, that half a pound of meat be provided for each pauper in the house on Christmas day.

Ballynamona
Wells, in
Unions of Gorey
& Enniscothy

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to Mr. Neville that the Board request he will inform them whether, as has been reported to them, a part of the townland of Ballynamona, in the Electoral division of Wells, is in the Parish of Killeenacooly and Union of Gorey, and part in the parish of Ballyvalden, and Union of Enniscothy; and, if such be the fact, that he will inform them how many acres of the aforesaid townland are in each Union.

The Clerk likewise directed to request that Mr. Neville will forward the Maps of the Union.

Tomuehely
Rate
corrected

Clerk directed to write to the Collector to levy rate on 485, Tomuehely, Coolgreaney, on 30 acres, instead of 34, as appears in the Rate Book.

Clerk directed to write to Mr. Pounder, to attend the Board, with his books, on Saturday the 24th inst. at 11 o'clock, or, in default, their solicitor will be directed to proceed on Mr. Pounder's bond.

Letter
Mr. Kelly.
Mr. M^r Daniel's
contract, in part
not fulfilled

A letter read from Mr. Kelly, stating that certain parts of Mr. M^r Daniel's contract have not been properly fulfilled.

Letter referred to Mr. M^r Daniel, who is required to fulfil his contract accordingly, and to report same on next board day

17 Feb. 1842

The Order Check book was signed as follows

W. Harvey 400 lbs bread

W. Flusk 45 lbs meat

W. Pyron 1040 pints sweet milk

1200 pints buttermilk

W. Scott 112 lbs salt.

The Board proceeded to admit paupers. 7 were admitted viz. 5 women & 2 children.

Four women & 3 children were rejected.

The Provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received amounted to

25-18-0 $\frac{1}{2}$

Provisions & necessaries consumed 20-11-9

On a collective number of 1319 days. -

The treasurer's weekly account shews a balance of £307-9-0 to the credit of the Union.

Ordered, that the next meeting of this Board be held on Saturday the 24th inst., at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 347-5-2

Drafts drawn 347-5-2

24 Dec. 1842

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Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held at
the Board room, on Saturday the 24th Dec. 1842,
the Asst. Commissioners present; Guardians present,
The Earl of Conyngham Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen,
Col. Owen, J. G. Richards Esq., Fosse Bolton,
John Borbridge, Henry Brownrigg, Thos. Doyle
Richd. Higginsbotham, John Hollingsworth
John Laffin, Capt. Richd. Owen, John Carson,
Ja. Sheridan,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

Visiting Committee 21 Dec. 1842

"All satisfactory. No infectious disease."

Education & Labour Committee 24 Dec. 1842

"Committee inspected the fence made
by contract: consider it to be well executed;
and recommend that payment be made.
Sixteen perches payable."

Minutes of the Finance Committee adopted as follow

"Committee examined vouchers for last week's
payments; found them correct, corresponding
with minute book, and properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present
week, and recommend their payment as
follows.

	£
John Hollingsworth, potatoes, -	20-
John Poole, smith work -	3-14-0
Petty Cash	

Cash parcels	- 1-0
John M. Daniel, Office &	2-10-0
Martin Dunn, intern. Denis Murphy } 3-	
201 Colpsney - }	
Wm. Heber, horse work, this date inclu.	1-2-0
Rev. Ole, tailor, this date inclusive	- 14-2
Ja. Dunn, dressing thread, & weaving	1-3-2
	<u>£ 5-13-10</u>
	<u>£ 29-8-4</u>

Prapts drawn, signed by the Chairman,
Capt. Robt. Owen, and Capt. Richd Owen.

Schoolmistress
increase of salary
approved of
by Commisrs

A letter, dated 20th inst., read from the
Poor Law Commissioners, approving of the increase
of salary to the schoolmistress. And another,
dated the 23rd inst., requesting that the
Guardians would "re-consider their proposi-
-tion" in reference to a "departure from the
established dietary on Christmas day.

Letter

W. Franklin
£335, first
instalment,
paid into
Bank of Ireland

A letter read from Mr. Franklin,
Manager of the Provincial Bank, Wexford, apprais-
-ing that, in accordance with the desire of the Board,
he had "handed the Bank of Ireland £335-
for the credit of the Bank of England, being
payment of first instalment of on the Loan
of £8700 to the Emigration."

A letter read from Mr. Counder
apologising for not attending, being
prevented by indisposition.

The Doctor reported the death, on the
21st inst., of Denis Murphy 261 Coolgreaney.

Dead House
to be flagged
Iron stand

Resolved, that the dead House be properly
^{flagged} ~~flagged~~; that the door be lined with sheet
iron; and that the Committee be requested
to provide an iron stand for the coffins.

Patrick Freeman
removed from
Monomolin
to Union at
Large

Resolved that Patrick Freeman
N^o 51 and his wife, be trans^{ferred} from
Monomolin Electoral Division, and
placed on the Union at Large.

The Order Cheekbook was signed as follows.

Mr. Harvey 440 lbs of bread
 Mr. Flusk 54 lbs of meat
 Mr. Pym 1040 pints of buttermilk
 1200 pints of sweet milk
 Mr. Dugh 72 packages of black lead
 Mr. Celan 1 bottle of wine

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
 5 were admitted, viz. - 1 man, 1 woman, and
 3 children. None rejected.

The provision Acct. & consumption
 accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and Newspapers received
 amounted to - - - 18-3-4
 Provisions & Newspapers consumed 21-3-0
 For a collection number of 1357 days.

The treasurer's weekly account shows a
 balance of £100-10-9 to the credit of the Union

Ordered, that the next meeting of this
 board be held on Saturday the 31st inst.,
 at 12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 29-8-4
 Drafts drawn 29-5-8

31 Dec. 1842

At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians, held
in the Board room on Saturday the 31st of Dec. 1842
the Assist. Commissioner absent,

present Sir Tho. Cromwell Bart. Chairman
Col. Owen, Doct. Blake, Michl. Frew, Paul. Kenny
John Laffin, John M. Laughlin,

The minutes of the preceding meeting were
read and confirmed.

Extra Blanket

The Minutes of the Visiting Committee of
the 28th inst. were adopted, as follow

"The Committee visited the House, all
satisfactory.

Master and Matron directed to put an
^{extra} additional blanket on the paupers beds for
the "winter's months."

Education & Labour Committee

31 Dec. 1842

"Men and women usefully employed.
Schools ^{properly} conducted. All satisfactory.

The minutes of the Finance Committee,
of this morning adopted as follow.

"Committee examined vouchers for last
week's payments; found them correct, corres-
ponding with minute book, and properly
posted.

Committee examined bills for
present week, and recommend their payment
as follows.

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31 Decr 1842

The provision Receipt & Consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions and Necessaries received }
amounted to } 30-14-9½

Provisions & Necessaries consumed 21-2-1

On a collection number of 1393 days

The treasurer's weekly account shews a
balance of £124-8-3 to the credit of the Union.

Ordered that the next meeting of this
board be held on the 7th of Jan^r next at
12 o'clock.

Money paid this day 76-19-2

Drafts drawn 77-1-10

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7 Jan^y 1843.

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At an Ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Boardroom on Saturday the 7th of January 1843, the Asst. Commissioner present, Guardians present, the Earl of Courtown, Chairman, M. F. Beauman, Rob^t. Payne Esq^r, Capt. Rob^t. Owen, Col. Owen J. G. Richards, S. Richards Esq^r, Geo. Barker, Doctor Blake, John Barbridge, Tho^s. Doyle, Chas^r. H. Poyser Rich^d. Carl, Mich^d. Finn, Job Hall, R. Higginbotham, John Hollingsworth, Rich^d Keegan Dan^l. Kemmy John McLaughlin, John Middleton, Capt. Rich^d. Owen, Jas^s. Sheridan, Luke Smith, Abel Woodroffe.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The minutes of the Visiting Committee, of the 4th inst., were read and adopted, as follow.

"The Committee visited every part of the House. All satisfactory.

No infectious disease

Committee recommend that six small wheelbarrows be made for the boys."

Wheelbarrows
for boys

Education & Labour Committee, 7 Jan. 1843.

"There are 11 men at work, four of whom are employed in out door work, - two whitewashing and remainder at the ordinary work of the House. The women employed as usual. There are 5 boys employed with the Master tailor, but there is not, at present, any work for the shoemaker."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were adopted as follow.

"The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments, found them correct corresponding with minute book, and properly posted.

Jan. 1843

The Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows.

Gen Insurance Office	4-10-	to Christmas 1843
J. Crewick, clerk	22-10-	Salary to 29 Sep. 42
Wm. H. Miller	5 4-5-8	oil, brushes &c
John Fleck	5 18-11-1	meat to 31 Dec. 1842
John Fleck	<u>£49-16-7</u>	

Vouchers drawn accordingly, signed by the Chairman, Capt. Robt. Owen & Capt. Robt. Owen, for Insurance Office; by the Chairman Capt. Robt. Owen & Mr. Hollingsworth, for Crewick & Miller, and by the Chairman Capt. Robt. Owen & Mr. Higginbotham for J. Fleck.

Front wall £20
on acct. of

A letter, dated 31 Dec. read from the Poor Law Commissioners, apprizing that they note £20. amt. paid by the Board, to Mr. W. Daniel on acct. of his contract for front wall, was therewith permitted:

Mr. Fossy, Bol-
ton, Reviser of
Valuation

another, dated 3rd inst. advising of expi-
-ration of insurance policy; and another,
dated the 5th inst. in reference to Mr. Fossy,
Bolton, as candidate for the office of Reviser
of the Valuation.

Ballynamona,
Wells, in
two Unions

A letter, dated the 27th ult. in reply
on one from the clerk, read from Mr. Neville,
in confirmation of the report that a part
of the townland of Ballynamona is in the
electoral division of Wells, in this Union,
and a part in the Union of Ennis-cothy;
and stating how much of that townland
is in each Union.

The Clerk directed to refer the letter to
the Poor Law Commissioners.

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Tenders read from the following candidates for the Office of Permanent Reviser of Valuation.

Mr. Bolton
elected
Reviser of Rates

W^m Edwards, John Bass, Tho^s Harvey, Fosey Bolton, Hugh Redmond, and Neville & Son. The Board proceeded to elect a person, for the appointment, from among these candidates, when Mr. Bolton was elected by 23 votes out of 25.

Resolved that the Board ^{do request} that the Commissioners, under the particular circumstances of the case, will accept the resignation of Mr. Bolton from the Office of Guardian, he having, as a candidate for the Office of Reviser of the Valuation, received twenty three votes out of twenty five members present this day, shewing the opinion of the Board of Mr. Bolton's competence to fill the situation.

Transfer of pauper
explained by
Asst. Commisr.

The Asst. Commissioner brought before the Board the case of a transfer of a pauper N^o 51, from the Monmouth electoral division to the Union at Large, and explained the law on the subject.

The Clerk directed to write to Doctor Atkins Vaccinator for the Coolgreney district to attend the Board on Saturday next, at eleven o'clock

Death of R.C. pauper
to be communicated
to Chaplain

The Master directed to communicate as soon as possible, to the Roman Catholic Chaplain, the death of every pauper of that religious denomination.

The Doctor reported the death of the
of James Ryan N^o 19, 0 ^{Union at Large} ~~Union at Large~~, aged 103.*

* This "Resurgent of a Century" retained, unimpaired to the last, all his senses and faculties, physical and mental.

7 Jan. 1843

The Board proceeded to admit paupers
31 were admitted, viz 4 men 16 women and
11 children, 1 man and 1 woman rejected.
1 woman, out on pass, returned on the 8th inst.

The Order Check Book was signed as follows

Mr. Clark 100 loaves of 4lbs each

Mr. Flusk 57 lbs of meat

Mr. Bynn 120 gallons of buttermilk

100 gallons of sweet milk

Mr. Scott 112 lbs of salt

Mr. Joyce 224 lbs of soap

The provision receipt & consumption
accounts were laid before the Board.

Provisions & necessaries received 13-3-5

Provisions & necessaries consumed 22-5-10 $\frac{1}{4}$

On a collective number of 1416 days

The treasurer's weekly account shews a
balance of £190-0-5 to the credit of the Union.

Ordered, that the next meeting of this
Board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day 49-18-7

Drafts drawn 49-18-7

14 Jan. 1843

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At an ordinary meeting of Guardians held in the Board room on Saturday the 14th of January, 1843, the Spirit. Commissioner present, Guardians present, Capt. Robt. Owen, Chairman, Colonel Owen, Capt. Richd. Owen, Richd. Weymouth.

The Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed.

The Minutes of the Visiting Committee were read and adopted as follow.

“Committee recommend that one dozen of stretchers be made for the adult paupers' beds to be put in the lower wards, both on the male and female sides

Committee recommend that ~~one dozen~~ of stretchers be made for the the following articles, required by the Metron, be provided, viz

- 5 hundred needles
- 5 dozen fine combs
- 5 dozen sack combs
- 28 yards of buff cotton
- 5 dozen brooms
- 50 yards $\frac{3}{4}$ wide linen
- 7 lbs blea thread
- 5 dozen quart tins
- 8 dozen pint tins
- 2 gross white studs
- 2 gross of black studs”

Education & Labour Committee 14 Jan 1843

“Committee examined the school returns and find a very fair proportion of progress, in both schools, by the children who have been any time in the house.

The paupers have been employed as usual, and no complaints.

Jan. 14th 1843

Stone Founda-
-tion

The Committee having carefully examined the situation of the proposed fence along Charlotte's Grove, are of opinion that the foundation be laid by masons with good stone, and that when so laid that a contract be entered into to finish the ditch."

The Minutes of the Finance Committee of this morning were read and confirmed, as follows.

The Committee examined vouchers for last week's payments, found them correct, corresponding with minute book and properly posted.

Committee examined bills for present week, and recommended their payment as follows.

Petty Cash

Postage	70
Martin Dunn internet of Jas. Ryan	
190 Union at Large -	3-0
Edw. Cole, teacher tailor to this date ^{incl.} 11-8	
John Cager. War. room, to year.	1-0-0
Edw. Pearson, Carpentry to 13 inst. ^{incl.}	1-5-4
John Hollingsworth, clothes for porter	2-18-14
	<u>£5-19-2¹</u>

Draft favour of the Clerk, drawn for amt., signed by the Chairman, Capt. Owen & W. Peggintotham.

A letter read from the Poor Law Commissioners, dated the 5th inst., relative to Forms, requisite at annual elections for Guardians; and another, dated the 11th inst., requesting to be informed, through the Medical Officer, "the number, if any, of pauper lunatics and idiots in the workhouse &c."

14 Jan. 1843

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Ordered that twenty pounds be paid to the Labour Committee on account of Boundary Wall

£20.
Poor Law
Commissioners

Ordered that £20- received from the Poor Law Commissioners, being amt. advanced to Mr. M Daniel on account of frontage wall, be lodged, by the Clerk, with the Treasurer, to be placed to the credit of the Union.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to Doctr Atkins, Mr. Webster and Mr. Pinder, to attend on this day week, with their books.

The Order Check book was signed as follows

Mr. Carl	180 loaves of 4 lbs each
Mr. Flusk	40 lbs of meat
Mr. Redmond	1 ton of oatmeal
Mr. Pym	130 gallons of buttermilk
	300 gallons sweet milk

The Board proceeded to admit paupers 13 were admitted viz 5 men 6 women and 2 children, none rejected.

The Provision Receipt and Consumption accounts were laid before the Board

Provisions and necessaries received amounted to - - - 12-13-6 $\frac{3}{4}$

Provisions & necessaries consumed 21-11-2 $\frac{3}{4}$

on a collective number of 1529 days

The treasurer's weekly account shews a balance of £228-9-1 to the credit of the Union

Ordered that the next meeting of this board be held on Saturday next, at 12 o'clock

Money paid this day || 5-19-2 $\frac{1}{2}$

Receipts drawn || 5-19-2 $\frac{1}{2}$